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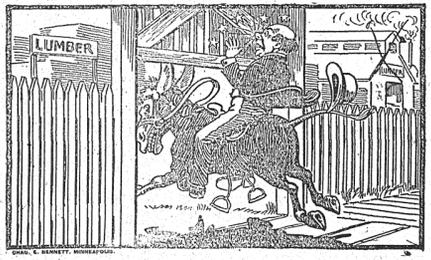
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Treatment of Seed Wheat To Prevent Stinking Smut

The unusual prevalence of stinking smut in the wheat crop calls for extraordinary effort on the part of Michigan wheat growers to prevent a repetition of the loss next season. It is now well known that this smut is a disease carried forward from one year to another in the seed wheat. The disease converts the kernel into a black, ill-smelling mass of spores which, when the smutty kernels are broken up by the threshing machine or by handling, attach themselves to the sound kernels. After infected wheat is sown, the kernels and those spores of smut germinate at the same time. The smut plant grows inside the wheat stem throughout the season, and when the crop is ripening, it turns the kernel in the head of the wheat into the well known smut kernels. The spread of the disease may best be prevented by finding, if possible, seed wheat free from smut. If you cannot obtain clean seed of your chosen variety, try the following treatment:

The first step is to clean off a space on the barn floor some ten feet square or larger if convenient. Sweep this area very thoroughly to remove all spores of smut possible.

Next buy of your druggist a pound bottle of formalin. He may not have this agent in stock, therefore, order it at once that he may have it in time for your use in September.

Mix the formalin with water in a large barrel in the proportion of one pound of formalin to four hundred pounds of water. This means that the pound of formalin should be mixed with fifty gallons of water, enough for thirty-five bushels of wheat. Knowing the proportion you can mix any quantity desired. Be sure to keep the bottle of formalin tightly and securely corked. It is not a dangerous poison but is unhealthy to take either by the nose or mouth. Do not mix the formalin and water until you are ready to use them.

Thoroughly wet the floor on which you are to treat the wheat, with this formalin mixture, make it good and wet. Then spread on a layer of the seed wheat which you have previously well cleaned with a fanning mill. With a sprinkling pot go over the layer of wheat, wetting it thoroughly, shoveling it over and resprinkling until every kernel is wet on all sides. Add more wheat and sprinkle or take up the wheat already treated and put down a new lot. Before putting the treated wheat into bags to carry to the field it may lay in a pile for a day, not longer because of the danger of heating and the farther danger that an excess of the formalin may hinder germination. Put the treated wheat into clean bags or into bags that have been wet with this formalin mixture. Be careful not to stir up a dust in the barn while the treated wheat is still exposed. The dust will be likely to be made up largely of the smut spores which we are fighting.

If you want to drill the wheat, it is well to allow it to dry either on a barn floor treated long enough beforehand with the formalin mixture to allow it to become thoroughly dry or on canvas free from smut spores, and spread on the ground in the sun. The drill and everything else with which the wheat comes in contact after treatment should be free from smut spores or washed with the formalin mixture.

If you cannot buy formalin at your druggist's you may try corrosive sublimate if you dare when you remember that it is a deadly poison and the greatest care must be taken to allow no animal access either to the drug itself or to the wheat that has been treated. Use a pound of corrosive sublimate to 400 pounds of water (fifty gallons.) Dissolve the drug in three or four gallons of hot water in a wooden vessel. Do not allow the mixture to come in contact with metal. Later add enough cold water to bring the amount up to the fifty gallons. Proceed as with the formalin mixture, except that great care must be exercised to prevent poisoning live stock or children.

Our experiments have shown that either treatment will reduce the amount of smut in the wheat to a very small quantity or, if the season be right, will prevent smut altogether.

C. D. SMITH,
Experiment Station Director.

Supervisor A. A. McKenzie, Highway Commissioner P. A. Koepfgen and John Moore, who holds the contract for the mile of road east of town, left yesterday for Port Huron, to attend the state highway convention as delegates from this section.

A Plea for the Education of the Hand

From The Philistine, of March, 1900, through courtesy and by permission of Elbert Hubbard.

It is a melancholy but admitted fact that the world is full of useless people. Most of these are Micaewbers, waiting for something to turn up.

The purpose of this paper is to show that the large number of persons who are seeking, not for a certain something to do, but for anything to do, are out of employment, because of their inability (due to want of training) to express themselves, not orally, but manually; that all persons are capable of being trained to express themselves, orally and manually; that they may, among the vast undeveloped resources of this big world, find plenty to do; plenty that will be not only useful, but that is actually waiting to be done.

The usual idea of a manual training school is that it is an institution where the public pays for the apprenticeship of a young man or a young woman, a purely private matter paid for by public money. A brief explanation of the relation of manual training to mind expression will lead us to the correct idea of the term.

The human mind is capable of two things or acts,—understanding and expressing,—receiving ideas and giving ideas. An idea simply received into the mind or simply created there, and not expressed, is of no value to any one except the person receiving or thinking it. Those ideas only have been of value to the human race that have found lingual or manual expression. It is evident that, without expression, we should have no great literary works, no great works of architecture, sculpture, music, or painting. Thus Art has never been born, and we should live with men all around us as much alone as was Robinson Crusoe on his island.

The mind has six ways of understanding or of receiving impressions:—through the five senses of seeing, hearing, tasting, smelling and feeling, and the sense of temperature. All we know, or think, or feel, must necessarily come through these channels. They are Creation's ways of placing us in contact with the material world around us. Without them we should be worse than blind, deaf and dumb. We should have no knowledge whatever, not only of the world around us, but of the fact that there is one.

Thus we are wisely placed, by means of these so-called senses, in connection with the material world around us. They are the adjustments between mind and matter; the railways of supply, leading from the world into the union depot of the mind. Through them we understand—we receive impressions.

But Nature has not thus gifted us in the matter of expression. She has given us but two channels of expression,—the tongue and the hand. Except some emotions, such as anger and sorrow, that may be expressed by means of the countenance, we can put out or express what the senses bring by the tongue and the hand only. Unfortunately, civilization has undervalued the latter, and overstrained the former, as every day bears witness.

The forms of expression by these two channels are six in number, ranging in order from lowest to highest as follows:

1. Mechanic arts.
2. Sculpture.
3. Painting
4. Architecture.
5. Music
6. Language.

In the different forms of expression, the blacksmith expresses himself with his hammer and anvil; the carpenter with his saw and other tools; the sculptor with his mallet and paints; the architect, with his draughting tools; the musician, with voice or instrument; and the speaker, writer, or singer, with voice or pen.

Now, it will be noticed that, of the six forms of expression that I have mentioned, only the fifth and sixth, music and language, can be expressed by means of the tongue; while all the others, and these two also in part, can be expressed with the hand; so that, it seems, manual training, or the training of expression by the hand, is of vastly more importance than that of the tongue. It will also be seen that a deaf and dumb man, who has been trained to the highest manual expression, would, despite his want of one of the two channels of expression, be to the world a much more valuable man than another man, gifted with both channels of expression, but trained in lingual expression only. For the deaf and dumb man could express himself to the world in the forms that are most useful, while the lingually train-

ed man could usefully express himself in two only of the six forms, and partially, only, in these; for he would be excluded from instrumental music, and from writing or printing language. The deaf and dumb man would be a creature of the highest possible civilization (living in a palace decorated with sculpture and painting), while the other would be only a vaporing creature, living in caves, and subsisting on what Nature furnished him.

Thus, it seems, we have somewhat overrated lingual training, doubtless because we have been accustomed to circumscribe the meaning of the word "manual training." And so it seems that we should reconstruct our idea of manual training, and give it a proper place in our school curricula; for it must be evident that the great majority of our ideas find expression manually, and not lingually, the tongue being able to give expression to those ideas that are immaterial only, while the hand may give expression to these, and must give expression to all the other forms of thought, for of course the hand and not the tongue must express our thoughts in matter, and in those things that exist after we are gone.

So there seems to be a necessity of manual training in all the world implies, for thoughts and ideas are worthless to the world unless they are expressed in some way or other. Mute, inglorious Miltons may be a matter of poetic pity, but they are not pleasant to have around; we generally class them as dyspeptics.

I would define manual training as,—the cultivation of the hand so that it may be able to express the ideas of the mind; to serve as an adjustment between mind and matter; to be the complement of the mind in man's struggle for the control of his environment.

Nearly all human effort has been wasted because it has not been directed by a clearly-defined, rational purpose. Purposeless effort attains a desired end by accident only; effort directed by a well-defined purpose goes straight to the desired goal. Want of purpose is the most prevalent and dangerous of human faults. Its presence shows advanced civilization. Purposeless effort is like shutting one's eyes when about to shoot. One is as likely to hit the target in one case as in the other.

Now manual training, in the narrow acceptance of the term, has had a wrong purpose,—the purpose of a school of apprenticeship. It is this purpose that needs reformation in accordance with the broader and truer meaning of the term. The purpose of manual training should be to train the hand to express the mind, not in one trade or line of work, but to express whatever the mind of the person trained is capable of thinking or conceiving; in short, to be the complement of the mind.

With this purpose in view, it becomes necessary to reconstruct, to some extent, our general ideas of school work. It will be seen that we have been training the mind and tongue, and not the mind, tongue and hand. The extent to which we have trained the hand has stopped at writing, or the expression, by signs, of language, and some little expression of material forms of drawing. In fact, we have been training "walled-up" minds, and then locking up the ideas we have evolved by neglecting to train the only organ by which they can ever get out of the world. I think that much of the unrest of people comes from the feeling of general uselessness,—a feeling that "I am not doing any good for myself or for the world." We feel within us a something struggling for expression, and we can not "put ourselves out" in forms of matter representing the thoughts that are in the brain.

(To be continued.)

While Clarence Prestage, Mrs. N. McLaren and little son, Harry, were out driving on Monday, something gave way about the harness, causing the horse to become frightened and start kicking. After breaking the dashboard, it struck Harry and his mother, injuring her quite severely, but Harry escaped without much injury.

On Saturday, J. C. Brooks, who has conducted the Kandy Kitchen for the past two years or more, disposed of the same to Hartman Bros., of Detroit, who took immediate possession. One of these gentlemen is a practical baker of many years experience and will place an oven in position just as soon as it can get here from the factory, and will make a specialty of bread and other baked goods. Mr. Brooks has not decided what business he will take up, but intends to retain his residence here for some time.

Local Happenings.

Cass City Fair Oct. 3-6.
Mrs. H. P. Lee made a visit to Caro to-day.

W. M. Morris made a trip to Gagetown yesterday.

Hersey Young and H. P. Lee spent Sunday at Oak Bluff.

Wm. McCallum made a business trip to Detroit this week.

Miss Kate Miller goes to Charlevoix to teach in the schools.

Miss Mabel Anderson spent Sunday with friends in Saginaw.

Irwin Gough, of Pigeon, called on friends in town on Saturday.

Mrs. N. Karr, of Kingston, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Alvah Nash is now assisting at the drug store of L. I. Wood & Co.

Notice the new advertisement for E. Ryan's Drug Store in this issue.

Mrs. W. D. Schooley, of Saginaw, is visiting old-time friends in town.

Miss Nina Karr returned on Sunday from visiting friends near Gagetown.

Will Auslander, of Shabbona, was the guest of Miss Ethel Leslie on Sunday.

Chas. B. Schwaderer and Dan D. Duncanson visited Argyle friends on Sunday.

Dr. A. W. Truesdell, of Shabbona, made a brief call in town on Saturday evening.

Miss Lois Cleaver treated her young friends to a corn roast on Saturday evening.

David Ross has moved to the A. Campbell residence on Seeger Street south.

Miss Jessie and Alison Spence spent a part of last week with friends south of town.

Miss Edith McKee, of the Hay Creek neighborhood, is visiting friends at Clifford.

W. A. Fairweather has been entertaining his sister, Mrs. M. Miller, of Imlay City.

E. H. Lincoln, station agent, has moved to the Jas. H. Eno residence, Third Street.

Geo. Cole has recovered sufficiently from typhoid fever to be able to be around again.

The little folk of the M. E. Sunday school were treated to a picnic in Orr's grove yesterday.

Miss Sopha Matzon returned on Monday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Detroit.

H. W. Ehlers, of Shabbona, and his friend, E. Cooley, of Ann Arbor, were in town on Sunday.

Pat. Gaffney and a brother, both of Detroit, arrived here on Saturday to visit with relatives.

Geo. W. Goff has moved to his newly built residence at the corner of West and Sanilac Streets.

L. I. Wood & Co are better prepared than ever to supply you with books. See their advertisement.

Roy Gifford, of Romeo, student at Ann Arbor University, called on friends here on Sunday.

Miss Ruby Randall, of Vassar, has been spending a few days as the guest of Miss Mae Mulholland.

Miss Jennette McCallum, of Greenleaf, was the guest of Mrs. F. H. Newberry a part of last week.

The children of the Evangelical Sunday school were given a picnic at the East River yesterday.

Striffler & McDermott have something to say to the purchasing public in an advertisement this week.

J. H. Wood, northwest of town, sends in a cornstalk this week which measures eleven feet one inch. Next!

Mrs. R. N. Mulholland and son, Ralph, returned on Friday from Orion, where they have spent the season.

Hugh Spence, of Saginaw, spent a day or two of this week with his brother, Jas. J. Spence, at Inglenike Farm.

Miss Emma Burg will teach the Wallace school, one mile east and two miles north of town, the coming year.

Mrs. Scripture and son, Frank, left Monday morning for Toronto, Ont., to visit relatives and attend the Exposition.

Mrs. Lucy A. Brown returned on Saturday from a visit with her daughter, a sister and other relatives at Detroit.

Stanley Graham, who has been employed in Pontiac for some time, has returned home and will again attend school.

Miss Pearl Gooden, who has been spending some time with friends here, returned to her home in Detroit on Monday.

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Cass City.

Will R. McCallum, G. W. Landon, and the Misses Lillie McCall and Lucy Fritz spent Sunday with friends at Caro.

Mrs. Mretta Ramsey entertained a company of her lady friends last evening, refreshments being served on the lawn.

Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock leaves this week for Detroit to buy a line of specialty goods in dress goods and trimmings.

We were mis-informed regarding the first meeting of the L. T. L. and announced it for last Friday. It occurs to-morrow.

E. Ryan made a trip to Harbor Beach the first of the week. C. E. Fritz assisted at the drug store during his absence.

The Misses Mabel Wheeler and Ethel Bert, of Capac, have been the guests of their aunt, Mrs. A. A. McKenzie, a part of the week.

Wm. G. Schwaderer, who recently returned from a trip to the southwestern states, left on Saturday for a visit to Bangor, Me.

Mrs. M. M. Wickware is entertaining her mother, Mrs. S. G. Anderson, and sister, Miss Gertrude Anderson, of Plymouth, Ill.

Miss Chlorice Moore left on Monday for her home at St. Clairsville, O., accompanied by her little nephew, Master Park Jones.

Miss Ora McKim returned on Sunday from spending a few days with her uncle, Andrew McKim, south of town, and friends at Deford.

Miss Mulholland entertained a company of young friends on Friday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Ruby Randall, of Vassar.

Miss Beryl Koopfen left last Thursday to attend a Y. W. C. A. convention at Lakeside, Ohio, as a delegate from the Alma Association.

Miss Mary Somerville will leave for Detroit next Monday, to begin a course in instrumental music at the Detroit Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. J. D. Crosby has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. Dunham, her sister, Mrs. Yerkes, and a friend, Mrs. Gilbert, all of Ypsilanti.

John W. Eno, west of town, reports that a variety of red wheat grown by him this year, shows a weight of sixty-five pounds to the bushel.

There will be a ministers' meeting held at the Baptist Church on Monday, Sept. 4th, at eleven o'clock. All ministers are invited to be present.

Our base ball nine played the Pigeon team at Pigeon, last Thursday, winning the game by a score of four to three. Cooley and Freeman did the battery work for our boys.

Miss Vera Ross, who has been employed in the Kalamazoo asylum, spent Sunday at her parental home here, and has now accepted a position in the asylum at Pontiac.

Herb Frutchey, Thos. Murphy, and the Misses Frutchey, W. A. Fairweather, daughter, Miss Lena, and sister, Mrs. M. Miller, and Roy Crosby made up an automobile party to Vassar yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Bayne and children, of Detroit, have been visiting the former's niece, Mrs. J. E. Seed, and other friends here. Mr. Bayne returned home on Tuesday, but Mrs. Bayne and children will remain for a few days longer.

A. Burt Mead, who has conducted a bicycle repair shop at the corner of Main and West Streets, sold his business on Monday to C. A. Jones, of Preston, Mich., who has taken possession. For the present, Burt will assist W. A. Seeger with over-troughing.

LITTLE BREECHES

BY THE LATE SECRETARY JOHN MAY

I don't go much on religion,
I never ain't had no show;
But I've got a middlin' tight grip, sir,
On the handful o' things I know.
I don't pan out on the prophets
And free-will, and that sort of thing—
But I believe in God and the angels
Ever since one night last spring.

I come into town with some turnips,
And my little Gabe come along—
No four-year-old in the county
Could beat him for pretty and strong.
Heart and chipper and sassy,
Always ready to swear an' fight—
And I'd learn him to chaw turnicker
Jest to keep his milk-teeth white.

The snow come down like a blanket
As I passed by Taggart's bank;
I went in for a jug of molasses
And left the team at the door.
They scared at something, and started—
I heard one little squeal,
And hell-to-split over the prairie
Went team, Little Breeches and all.

Hell-to-split over the prairie:
I was almost froze with alkies,
But we roused up some turnips,
And searched for 'em far an' near.
At last we struck losses and wagon,

AN UNWORTHY SUITOR.

By Ella R. Pearce.

"GOOD-BY," said Eva June, gayly, and her companion lifted his hat in courtly, debonair fashion. "Until to-morrow," he said, softly, with a deep, tender glance that made the girl's cheeks turn to deeper pink. Eva closed the gate, and walked briskly to the steps of the old-fashioned mansion that stood in the midst of spacious, well-kept grounds. Once the June estate had been well in the suburbs, but now the growth of the town had almost overtaken it. From the wide balcony one could see rows of dwellings, and at the corner an enterprising builder was erecting a large block of flats; but the old house and grounds remained as they had been for many years.

As Eva stepped across the threshold of her home, an elderly man advanced from an adjacent room. "Was that Lon 'ith you," he asked. "No, papa," replied Eva, turning toward the stairs. "Wait a minute," said her father, with a show of irritation. "Who was it?"

Eva looked down as she answered. "Mr. Lang. He met me in the city." Mr. June's brow clouded. "I do not like that Wilfred Lang. I wish you to have nothing to do with him," he said. "I don't like that smooth, hypocritical way of his; he doesn't appear to me like a gentleman."

"Oh, papa, how can you say so?" protested Eva. "His manners are irreproachable."

"Oh, I know he's handsome and dresses well," said the other; "but I don't like him—that's enough. He will never be welcome in my house, remember that."

As Eva descended the stairs, her eyes filled with tears at her father's unusual harshness. "Such injustice!" she thought. "But it is partly Lon's fault; he has prejudiced papa. I shall hate him if he continues to interfere with me. I wish he were not coming to-night."

Nevertheless, she arrayed herself that evening in a most becoming costume of rose and black, and fastened a spray of flowers coquettishly in her dark hair; then, to prove her complete indifference to her expected caller, she seated herself at the piano and began singing a popular song, although she heard his footsteps along the hall.

Lon Swarton approached, but Eva, with persistence, kept on singing verse after verse, till at last he bent over her and laid his hands upon the little fingers touching the keys.

"Oh, is it you?" she said, airily, wheeling about. "How mean of you to interrupt me."

"How long would you have me wait?" asked her visitor. "I like to hear you sing, Eva, but I wanted at least to be made welcome."

Lon Swarton was tall, dark and dignified; his serious face and quiet manner were a decided contrast to the blond, effeminate beauty and dashing ways of Wilfred Lang.

He never liked to find Eva in this teasing, rebellious mood; he was no trifter himself, and lately he had begun to fear that the girl he loved was drifting away from him.

"I don't know whether you are welcome or not," said Eva, with a little toss of her dainty head. "I am vexed with you, Lon. You have known me a long time, and I dare say feel much interested in my welfare, but you presume too much on our friendship when you try to prejudice my father against my friends."

"What are you talking about?" asked her companion, quietly.

"About Wilfred Lang. Papa has forbidden him the house, and it is your fault," replied Eva. "He believes everything you say, and when you tell him that Wilfred Lang is not a gentleman, or fit company, for his daughter, of course he takes your word for it."

"Eva, you are unjust," said Lon. "I admit that I do not like Wilfred Lang. He is a man of whom we know little, but I never tried to influence your father. But what is Wilfred Lang to you?"

The deepening flush on the girl's cheeks, the downcast eyes, the silence that followed his question—all served to rouse the jealous passion in the man's heart.

"You have seen him lately; you wish to see him again?" he said, fiercely. "Eva, is it possible you really care for that man's society? Do not trifle with

At the side door she paused and sat down on the broad upper step; leaning backward she was surprised to feel her support giving way, and then the door swung slowly inward.

"Thinking that she had neglected to close it firmly Eva slipped into the house, thankful for the opportunity, and was soon in her own room, determined never to repeat her folly."

On the morrow there was consternation in the June household.

A fearful discovery had been made; the library had been entered and the safe rifled of its valuable contents—money, jewelry, silver, all had vanished, and the burglars had left no clew.

Mr. June was frantic over his loss; he could not imagine how his carefully secured house had been entered. Eva was heartbroken for she felt that her carelessness had led to the crime; she knew that it had been committed during the time she had waited for Wilfred Lang.

She did not hear from her lover, either, and in the midst of the commotion Lon Swarton arrived and took the matter in hand.

Through his shrewdness and perseverance the criminals were traced. One day a terrible revelation was made to Eva. A clever thief was in the hands of the police, and he was proved guilty of the June robbery. His name was John Prentiss, alias Hollis Western, alias Wilfred Lang!

Eva fainted when she heard the news, and for days afterward she was quite ill.

Much of the stolen property was recovered, and after a time the affair was generally forgotten.

But in Eva June a great change had taken place. She was no longer a wilful, capricious girl; she realized her own folly, and wondered that she had so long deceived herself.

She was so subdued, so earnest, so penitent that Lon Swarton's heart was touched, and once more he became her accepted lover.

"I want to tell you that I never cared for—that other man," murmured Eva, in his arms. "I loved you always, Lon."

But she did not tell him of her night escapade.

They are married now, and Lon Swarton is a prosperous business man, while their home is one of the handsomest in the city.

Eva is the happiest of wives, and she has only one secret from her devoted husband, the secret of that hour, during which she acted as an innocent accomplice with an unworthy suitor.—New York Weekly.

Benefit of Religion.

If there is anything history teaches it is this: That when a race or a civilization becomes divorced from its religion, when skepticism succeeds faith and paganism displaces a living belief, then is the decline and fall of all the works of progress impending. Neither individual nor race has any more enduring anchor than an impelling belief in things hoped for, but not seen.—Omaha World-Herald.

Another Millionaire's Chance.

We are told in a medical journal that dress and diet have a great deal to do with each other. "The less we wear," is the startling advice given, "the more we eat." Perhaps something would be best adapted to the purpose. There is an opportunity for another millionaire to give a dinner to introduce the idea.—The World.

For Eternal Youth.

To remain ever young banish from your mind all thoughts of trouble and sorrow, all ugly thoughts. Do not harbor envy, jealousy, revenge or malice. In fact, try to love your neighbor as yourself. You will find in holding happy, healthful and helpful thoughts that the lines and wrinkles will disappear and beauty will reign instead.—Exchange.

Peacock Feathers.

Peacock's feathers are said to bring ill luck. The origin of this tradition is interesting. It is found in Palgrave's work on central and east Arabia, where the traveler says that, according to Mohammedan tradition, the peacock opened the wicket of paradise to admit the devil, and received a very ample share of the devil's own punishment.

Leather Bottles in England.

Although skins were never used for wine in England, even when grape wine was fermented there, the leather bottle or blackjack was one of the earliest drinking vessels. It is celebrated in many old English ballads and is not an uncommon household emblem at the present day.

Firm Has Strict Monopoly.

The red cloth worn by the cardinals of the Roman Catholic church has for several centuries been made by a German firm at Aix-la-Chapelle. The manufacture of this material is said to be carried out in a peculiar and secret way, known only to the firm.

Sneezing Affects Prayers.

If a Hindoo should chance to sneeze while praying or making his ablutions in the sacred river Ganges, he has to begin again from the beginning, and is compelled to do so as often as a sneeze may happen to interrupt again his religious observances.

Peculiar Double Egg.

An egg with a perfect yolk and containing another egg about the size of a linnet's egg, which also had a good shell and was perfect, has been laid by a hen belonging to a Swindon tradesman named Morse.—London Chronicle.

Origin of Beauty Phrase.

The first known, if not the original, use of the phrase, "Beauty is only skin deep," occurs in Ralph Venning's "Orthodox Paradoxes." "All the beauty of the world is but skin deep; a sunne blast defaceth it."

Piano Makes Girls Nervous.

A Berlin doctor lays it down that the piano should never be used by a child under sixteen years of age. Out of 1,000 girls who played before the age of twelve he found 600 cases of nervous diseases.

Good for the Biceps.

The best exercise for the biceps is to lie face downwards with the hands spread on either side of the head. Keep the body rigid and force the arms upwards with the arms until the arms are rigid.

Notes in Insects' Flight.

The common housefly sounds the note F in flying. This means that its wings vibrate 335 times in a second. The honey-bee sounds A, indicating 440 vibrations to the second.

Physical Benefit.

Much benefit is to be derived from simply contracting and relaxing the muscles when either walking or sitting down. The grip can be greatly improved in this way.

Price of Sea Turtles.

Sea turtles are caught in very large numbers on Ascension Island. They are caught between 500 and 800 pounds, and 50 shillings is their average price.

Prefer Struggling Man.

Nine-tenths of women would sooner marry a man who is bravely struggling to succeed than have a ready made successful man.—Exchange.

Peasants Have Few Horses.

Only 66 per cent of the Russian peasants who till the soil in the department of Moscow are able to keep horses.

No Duty on Coffee.

Holland is the one European country where coffee can be imported free of duty.

Area of Atlantic Ocean.

The Atlantic ocean contains an area of about 40,000,000 square miles.

Brave Sailor's Grave

(Special Correspondence.)

Although thousands of Americans have visited Bermuda, that little Elysium in the Atlantic, few of them even know that one of the noble sons of their race lies buried in foreign soil, so close to their own shores. And now that the spirit of reverence and patriotism for the country's dead has been awakened and that the body of Paul Jones has been removed to the United States, efforts will perhaps be made to bring the remains of Richard Sutherland Dale to America.

Far from the gaze of the casual tourist, in a corner of the churchyard of St. Peter's, the oldest ecclesiastical edifice in the Bermudas, his grave may be found. Neglected by the country for whose honor he fought it is now cared for by the descendants of those who succored him in his hour of need and strove to relieve his distress.

And, "So was Dale," ask. Here is the simple story of his life as told by the memorial tablet over his grave:

In Memory of
RICHARD SUTHERLAND DALE,
Second Lieutenant, Richard Dale of Philadelphia, in the U. S. Army, and Midshipman in the U. S. Navy. He departed this life at St. Georges, Bermudas, on the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1815, aged 29 years 1 month & 17 days. He lost his right leg in an engagement between the U. S. Frigate President and a squadron of his Britannic Majesty's Ships of War on the 15th of January, A. D. 1815. His confinement caused a severe complaint in his back which in a short time terminated his life.

This Stone is the tribute of his Parents' gratitude To those inhabitants of St. Georges Whose generous and tender sympathy Prompted the kindest attentions To their son, while living, And honored him, When dead.

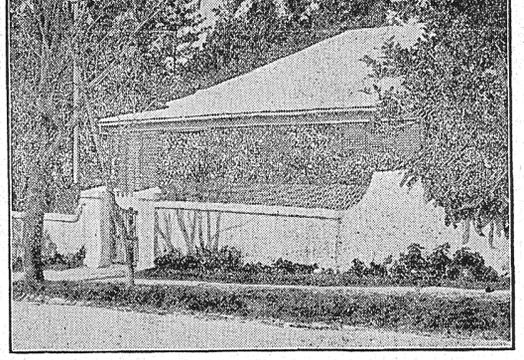
So Dale was the son of another gallant seaman who fought by the side of America's first admiral, John Paul Jones, on the "Bonhomme Richard." Commodore Richard Dale shipped as a cabin boy when 12 years old, and was a shipmate at 19 years of age. When the revolutionary war broke out he entered the Continental navy as a midshipman, but soon afterward was taken prisoner by the British and sent to Mill Prison, in England. Contriving to escape from his guard, he set out for France, where he joined Paul Jones, who appointed him lieutenant. During the famous engagement between the Serapis and the Bonhomme Richard, Dale was wounded, but re-

covered, and after the war was raised to the rank of captain, and later became commodore.

Unlike those of his son the mortal remains of Commodore Richard Dale lie at rest in Christ churchyard, Philadelphia, and over them has been set a monument which may well be the pride of every patriot, on which one "can read the lay," modestly told, of his achievements.

It was on the deck of the U. S. frigate President, then in command of Commodore Decatur, that Richard Sutherland Dale, his son, fell, seriously wounded, in an engagement with the British ship of war Endymion. During this fight Dale gallantly took the place of a gunner whose head had been blown off by a shot fired from one of the Endymion's forecastle chase guns, determined to at least avenge the death of this messmate. After two hours' desultory firing, in which neither vessel did the other much harm, the Endymion sailed abreast of the President and both vessels fired broadsides almost simultaneously. The cries of the wounded were deafened by the crash of falling timbers. Bulwarks were shattered and guns dismantled; men lay groaning above and between the decks of both vessels. But Dale was spared, the god of war had watched over him. And when the vessel was given to fire so as to disorder the enemy, a shot from Dale's gun struck the Endymion's mainmast and a few moments later it went by the board.

Struck by Stray Shot. Night was fast approaching and the American seamen had almost succeeded in compelling their work of destruction when a stray shot struck Dale, shattering his right leg, but, undaunted, he determined to fire his gun once more, and, kneeling on his bleeding stump, pulled the lanyard,



A Bermuda Homestead.

be clear—as clear as wine, as clear as crystal, as clear as a drop of pure honey. Let there be no freckles, no liver spots, no blotches. Let your skin be of milky softness.

"The second beauty commandment relates to the hands. Have beautiful hands is a strict command in the French canon of beauty. Don't let your hands grow old.

"Then in succession come these laws:

"Keep your teeth white.

"Keep the wrinkles out of your forehead.

"Keep your step light.

"Keep your voice low and clear.

"Keep your chin oval.

"Keep your throat slender.

"There are other commands, and the most important is: Keep your eyes bright. Don't use them in the dim light. Don't read while you rock. Don't let the dust settle in them and remain there overnight. Don't strain your eyes, and don't try to clear them by rubbing them.

"Cry a little every day, if you must, for women who cry easily always have beautiful eyes, but keep them bright, anyway."—Boston Herald.

Changed His Tune.

"Well, I see they've cornered linseed oil."

"So? Guess that don't interest me any."

"Linseed is the same thing as flaxseed, you know."

"Eh? Same thing as flaxseed? Why, my wife told me to bring home some flaxseed. Well, darn their pictures, what'll those rascally trusts do next!"

Second Choice.

"Will you marry me?"

"Ask mamma."

"Nothing doing—she's refused me twice."—Cleveland Leader.

Few men have faith enough to leave their umbrellas in the vestibule of a church.

FOR THE PLAIN GIRL.

Possible to Cultivate Beauty of the Finest Sort.

A good many girls are considered pretty, and plain girls cast a somewhat envious glance at them, and each murmurs inwardly, "Oh, dear, how I wish I were pretty!"

Cheer up, poor little plain girls, for you can be victorious over your prettier sisters. Remember that the face should be the true index of the heart and so.

By cultivating amiable emotions and noble desires the countenance which does not possess outward loveliness will in time have a beauty of a finer and more appealing nature than was ever attained by perfect features and a rose-leaf complexion.

When one meets a plain girl who is a heartfelt Christian, trying to walk in the straight road, unselfish, loving and pure-minded, her plain face becomes a sort of revelation of the heavenly soul hidden through the surface of plainness, just as the most priceless jewels are discovered in the most unlovely localities.

Remember, plain girls, what the great poet Spencer wrote, "For of the soul the body form doth take."—Boston Globe.

Lesson for Women.

Jersey Shore, Pa., Aug. 28th (Special)—"Dodd's Kidney Pills have done worlds of good for me." That's what Mrs. C. B. Earnest of this place has to say of the Great American Kidney Remedy.

"I was laid up sick," Mrs. Earnest continues, "and had not been out of bed for five weeks. Then I began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and now I am so I can work and go to town without suffering any. I would not be without Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have good reason to praise them everywhere."

Women who suffer should learn a lesson from this, and that lesson is "cure the kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills and your suffering will cease." Woman's health depends almost entirely on her kidneys. Dodd's Kidney Pills have never yet failed to make healthy kidneys.

How Wine is Colored.

Most people think white grapes make white wine and dark grapes make red wine; it is a popular error. Red wine is made by fermenting grape juice and grape skins together, and white wine is made by fermenting grape juice alone. The juice of white and dark grapes does not differ in hue. In each sort of grape the juice is almost as colorless as weak lemonade. Champagne is made of a grape so dark as to be nearly black, but the juice of that nearly black grape is just as pale as that of the ordinary white grape.—London Tatler.

French Beauty Seekers.

"The first of the ten French beauty commandments is: Have a clear skin. No matter how dark it may be, let it

Railway Notes.

Mr. I. P. Spining, who for several years past has occupied the position of Northwestern passenger agent of the C. & O., has been appointed General Northern Agent of the Big Four Railway, with headquarters at 233 Clark street, Chicago.

Powdered Codfish for Flour.

Powdered codfish is sometimes used in Iceland to make bread, in place of flour.

First Printing of Music.

We owe the art of music printing to Italy, musical notes having first been impressed with movable metal types in 1502 by Ottavio Petrucci.

STOP, WOMAN!

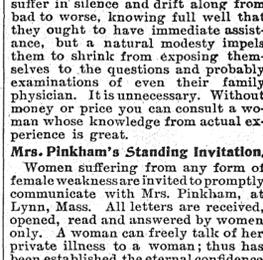
AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT

That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private pills to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers a great many years.

You can talk freely to a woman when it is revolting to relate your private troubles to a man—besides a man does not understand—simply because it is a man's business to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice.

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JOAN OF THE SWORD HAND

By S. R. CROCKETT, Author of "The Raiders" etc.
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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.
At this point an officer came swiftly across the parterre and stood with uncovered head by the steps of the terrace, waiting for permission to ascend. The Prince summoned him with a movement of his hand.

"What news?" he said; "have the ladies yet left the Summer Palace?"

"No, my lord," answered the officer earnestly; "but Johannes Rode of the Princess Margaret's household has come with a message that the plague has broken out there, and that the Lady Princess is the first stricken."

"Which Princess?" demanded Ivan, with an instant incision of tone.

"The Lady Joan, Princess of Courland, your Highness," replied the man, without, however, looking at the Prince of Muscovy.

"The Lady Joan," cried the Prince Louis, "she is ill? She has brought the Black Death with her? How fortunate that, so far, I—"

He clapped his hand upon his brow and shut his eyes as if giving thanks.

"I see it all now!" he cried. "This is the reason the Kernsberg traitors were so willing to give her up. It is all a plot against my life. I will not go near her. Let the court physicians be sent! Cause the doors of the Summer Palace to be sealed! Set double guards! Permit none to pass either way, save the doctors only! And let them change their clothes and perfume themselves with the smoke of sulphur before they come out!"

His voice mounted higher and higher as he spoke, and Ivan of Muscovy watched him without speaking, as with hands thrust out and distended nostrils he screamed and gesticulated.

Prince Ivan had never seen a thorough coward before, and the breed interested him. But when he had let the Prince run on far enough to shame him before his officer, he rose quietly and stood in front of him.

"Louis," he said in a low voice, "listen to me—this is but a report. It is like enough to be false; it is certain to be exaggerated. Let us go at once and find out."

Prince Louis threw out his hands with a gesture of despair.

"Not I—not I!" he cried. "You may go if you like, if you do not value your life. But I—I do not feel well even now. Yesterday I kissed her hand. Ah, would to God that I had not! That is it. I wondered what ailed me this morning. Go—stop the court physicians! Do not let them go to the Summer Palace; bring them here to me first. Your arm, officer; I think I will go to my room—I am not well."

Prince Ivan's countenance grew mottled and greyish, and his teeth showed in the sun like a thin line of dazzling white. He grasped the pommel of the sword with a hand of steel.

"Listen," he said—"no more of this; I will not have it! I will not waste my own time and the blood of my father's soldiers for naught. This is but some woman's trick to delay the marriage—I know it. Heaven! I fear neither Black Death nor black devil; I will have the Lady Margaret to-day if I have to wed her on her deathbed! Now, I cannot enter your wife's chamber alone. Yet go I must, if only to see what all this means, and you shall accompany me. Do you hear, Prince Louis? I swear you shall go with me to the Summer Palace. If I have to drag you step by step!"

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tering the prayers of the Church in a rapid undertone.

"Prince Louis to see Princess Joan!" Ivan answered the low-voiced challenge from within. The door opened slightly and then more widely. Ivan pushed his friend forward and they entered, Louis dragging one foot after the other towards the shaded couch by which knelt the Princess Margaret.

Thor, of Bornholm, pallid and blue-lipped, stood beside her, swaying a little but still holding, half unconsciously, a silver basin, into which Margaret dipped a fine linen cloth, before touching with it the foam-flecked lips of the sufferer. Prince Ivan remained a little back, near to where the court physicians were conferring together in stage whispers.

As he passed, a tall, grey-skirted, long-bearded man, girl about the middle with a silver chain, detached himself from the official group and approached Prince Ivan. After an instinctive cringing movement of homage and salutation, he bent to the young man's ear and whispered half a dozen words. Prince Ivan nodded very slightly and the man stole away as he had come. No one in the room had noticed the incident.

Meanwhile Louis of Courland, almost as pale as Thor herself, his lips blue, his teeth chattering, his fingers clammy with perspiration, stood by the bedside clutching the crucifix. Presently a hand was laid upon his arm. He started violently at the touch.

"It is true—a bad case," said Ivan in his ear. "Let us get away; I must speak with you at once. The physicians have given their verdict. They can do nothing!"

With a gasp of relief Prince Louis faced about, and as he turned he tottered.

"Steady, friend Louis!" said Prince Ivan in his ear and passed his arm about his waist.

He began to fear lest he should have frightened his dupe too thoroughly.

"See how he loves her!" murmured the doctors of healing, still conferring with their heads together. "Who would have believed it possible?"

"Nay, he is only much afraid," said Alexis the Deacon, the Muscovite doctor; "and small blame to him, now that the Black Death has come to Courland. In half an hour we shall hear the death knell."

"Then there is no need of us staying," said more than one learned doctor, and they moved softly towards the door. But Ivan had possessed himself of the key, and even as the hand of the first was on the latch the eyes of Alexis the Deacon glowed between his narrow red lids like sparks in tinder as he glanced at the whitening faces of the learned men of Courland.

Without the door Ivan fixed Prince Louis with his will.

"Listen," he said, speaking in low, trenchant tones, "it is indeed the Black Death (and it is like it), there is no safety for us here. We must get without walls. In an hour there will be such a panic in the city as has not been for centuries. I offer you a way of escape. My Cossacks stand horsed and ready without. Let us go with them. But the Princess Margaret must come also!"

"But—but—" Louis still objected, "the Princess Joan—she may die. That will reflect upon my honor if we all desert her. My sister will continue to attend her. They are friends. I will go with you. They are friends. I will go with you. They are friends. I will go with you."

"A light like a spear point glittered momentarily under the dark brows of the Muscovite.

"Listen, Prince Louis," he said. "Your honor is your honor. Joan of the Sword Hand and her Black Plagues are your own affair. She is your wife, not mine. I have helped you to get her back—no more. But if have bought her with a price. And look you, sir, I will not ride back to Russia empty-handed, that every petty boy and starveling self may scoff at me saying, 'He helped the Prince of Courland to win his wife, but he could not bring back one himself.' The whole city, the whole country from here to Moscow know for what cause I have so long sojourned in your capital. Now, Prince Louis, will you have me go as your friend or as your enemy?"

"Ivan—Ivan, you are my friend. Do not speak to me so! Who else is my friend if you desert me?"

"Then give me your sister!"

"The prince cast up his hand with a little gesture of despair.

"Ah," he sighed, "you do not know Margaret! She is not in my gift, or you should have had her long ago! Oh, these troubles, these troubles! When will they be at an end?"

"They are at an end now," said Prince Ivan consolingly. "Call your sister out of the chamber on a pretext. In ten minutes we shall be at the cathedral gates. In another ten she and I can be wedded according to your Roman custom. In half an hour we shall all be outside the walls. If you fear the infection you need not come near her. I will do all that is necessary. And what more natural? We will be gone before the panic breaks—you to one of your hill castles—if you do not wish to come with us to Moscow."

"And the Princess Joan?" faltered the coward.

"She is in good hands," said the prince, truthfully for once. "I pledge

you my word of honor she is in no danger. Call your sister!"

Even as he spoke he tapped lightly, turned the key in the lock and whispered, "Now!" to the Prince of Courland.

"Toll the Princess Margaret I would speak with her!" said Prince Louis. "For a moment only!" he added, fearing that otherwise she might not come.

There was a stir in the sick chamber and then quick steps were heard coming lightly across the floor. The face of the princess appeared at the door.

"Well?" she said haughtily to her brother. Prince Ivan she did not see, for he had stepped back into the dusk of the corridor. Louis beckoned his sister without.

"I must speak a word with you," he said. "I would not have these fellows hear us!" She stepped out unsuspectingly. Instantly the door was closed behind her. A dark figure slipped the key and laid his hand upon her arm.

"Help!" she cried, struggling; "help me! For God's grace, let me go!"

But from behind came four cossacks of the Prince's retinue who half-carried, half-forced her along toward the gates at which the Muscovite horses stood ready saddled. And as Margaret was carried down the passage the alarmed servants stood



"Help!" she cried, struggling, aloof from her cries, seeing that Prince Louis himself was with her. Yet she cried out unceasingly in her anger and fear, "To me, men of Courland! The cossacks carry me off—I will not go! O, God, that Conrad were here! I will not be silent! Maurice, save me!"

But the people only shrugged their shoulders even when they heard—as did the guards and the gentlemen-in-waiting, the underlings and the very porters at the palace gates. For they

thought, "They are strange folk, these Courland princes and princesses of ours, with their marriages and giving in marriage. They can never wed nor bed like other people, but must be taken by force. Well, happily it is no business of ours!"

Then at the stair foot she sank down by the sundial, almost fainting with the sudden alarm and fear, crying for the last time and yet more piercingly, "Maurice! Maurice! Come to me, Maurice!" Then above them in the palace there began a mighty clamor, the noise of blows stricken and the roar of many voices. But Ivan of Muscovy was neither to be hurried nor flurried. Impassive and determined, he swung himself into the saddle. His black charger changed his feet to take his weight and looked about to welcome him—for he, too, knew his master.

"Give the princess to me," he commanded. "Now assist Prince Louis into his saddle. To the cathedral, all of you!"

(To be continued.)

Mixing Theology and Poker.

"Few persons except clerks behind the counter know to what extent discount is given to the families of clergymen, firemen and policemen," said a floor manager in an uptown store.

"There is no doubt we are often imposed upon in this way, but there seems to be no way to prevent it."

"It is hard to question a woman's veracity when she tells you she is the wife, sister or daughter, as the case may be, of the Rev. Mr. Blank of Flat-bush, or that her husband is a fireman. We must take her word for it. The oddest case of that kind I ever saw happened last week. A young woman came around to purchase some articles for a camping outfit; said she and her mother and sisters were going to spend the summer in the Adirondacks.

"Among her purchases were six packages of playing cards at forty cents a pack and two boxes of poker chips.

"And now," she said, as she reached for her purse, please compute the usual discount for ministers. My father is the Rev. Mr. Dash of St. Circle's."

"I thought she was imposing on us, and I made an investigation. Much to my surprise, I found she was speaking the truth."—New York Press.

Returned Home to Die.

Twenty-six years ago Joseph Stacy disappeared from his home in Elliot, Me. His whereabouts remained a mystery until two weeks ago, when he suddenly presented himself in the town. He stated frankly that he had come home to die, and did so within a week after his arrival. He had been in the west most of the time since leaving home.

LIVE STOCK

Grubs in Cattle.

Last winter a good many of our readers wrote to us complaining that rumor-like bunches had appeared upon the backs of their cattle and they were at a loss to know what was the cause, while others on squeezing the lumps had found them to contain large grubs. We explained that these grubs came from the eggs of the ox-warble fly, which are deposited under the skin during fly time in summer.

That time is at hand, and we are writing this article to remind our readers that warbles can be prevented by attention to the cattle when flies are most annoying. When the warble fly comes along the cattle show every sign of terror and often stampede or run to water, where they stand all day rather than graze where flies can get at them. It seems that the fly does not care to wash the water and we presume that this is true of some of our insect pests of cattle. Despite the partial protection given by water and in all places where ponds can not be utilized by cattle warbles will be found on the backs of cattle during the early months of winter and the hunches grow rapidly until in spring they are of full size and the grub or maggot escapes, burrows into the ground, and after a time emerges as a full fledged fly to carry on the pestiferous work of its kind.

A. S. Alexander in Farmers' Review.

When it is seen that flies are most troublesome to cattle on grass we think it will surely pay to spray their backs with any one of the commercial fly repellents. These applications afford but temporary relief, but may be used two or three times a week, and will then have an appreciable effect in preventing warble fly attacks. To the same end it is well to provide shade for cattle away from barn yards and feeding yards where manure is always an attraction to flies. Let to themselves it will be observed that cattle get as far away from these places as possible during fly time, and seek the shade at a distant part of the pasture where water is to be had. A lesson should be learned from this habit of cattle and the owner will do well to provide a shady place for his stock away from the farm yard. In addition to using fly repellents daily or several times a week, if the bunch of cattle is large it has been found a good plan to wash the backs of the cattle a couple of times in late fall, using a strong brine for the purpose. This is supposed to kill the young grubs before they have attained great size and it seems to be quite effective for this purpose. Some scientists claim that the eggs of the ox-warble fly are not deposited on or under the skin of the backs of cattle, but are laid upon the skin of the fore legs and breast, where they may be easily licked off by the animal.

From the source the eggs are said to be taken into the stomach, where they hatch out and penetrate the walls of the stomach or gullet, gain access to the blood and finally work their way through the flesh and other tissues until they arrive under the skin. We do not take any stock in this alleged life-history of the ox-warble fly. We believe that the eggs are deposited under the skin and there hatch out into maggots which irritate the surrounding tissues with the prickles upon their bodies and so give rise to an inflammatory liquid in which they live and from which they derive their nourishment. They cause great suffering to their hosts when numerous and so retard growth or fattening, while it has been found by investigation that hides are seriously damaged for the purposes of the tanner and consumer of leather to the extent of many thousands of dollars annually. It is well, then, to allay the suffering of the animals as far as possible, and at the same time to prevent the loss of flesh or milk certain to follow the irritation due to numbers of large grubs under the skin of the backs of cattle. A solution of any one of the commercial coal tar dips will prove fairly effective in repelling warble flies and will last longer if mixed with oil, tar water or oil of tar in the form of an emulsion. Some have had fairly good results from kerosene emulsion, but thus far no perfect fly repeller has been hit upon that does not contain tar products such as carbolic acid, creosote, etc.

The Hardy Mule.

Hardiness is a quality that is coming more and more to value in the eyes of our farmers. The animal that is hardy can be more cheaply raised than the animal that lacks in that important quality. It is declared that the mule is more easily raised than any other farm animal intended for labor on farms of this country. He has a powerful digestion, that makes it possible for him to use the crudest hay for nourishment. Above all, the young mule does not often die from the ailments that affect the offspring of the horse. Especially in the south the mule is very profitable as a farm laborer, in spite of his bad temper under certain circumstances.

Cooling a Hot Room.

One of the quickest ways to cool a large room is to hang a towel or blanket that has been dipped in cold water in the middle of the room. The temperature will fall several degrees in a very short time. The possibilities of this arrangement are apparent, as many sheets or blankets can be used if desired.

CUTICURA GROWS HAIR.

Scalp Cleared of Dandruff and Hair Restored by One Box of Cuticura Soap and One Cake of Cuticura Soap.

A. W. Taft of Independence, Va., writing under date of Sept. 15, 1904, says: "I have had falling hair and dandruff for twelve years and could get nothing to help me. Finally I bought one box of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of Cuticura Soap, and they cleared my scalp of the dandruff and stopped the hair falling. Now my hair is growing as well as ever. I am highly pleased with Cuticura Soap as a toilet soap. (Signed) A. W. Taft, Independence, Va."

Heard Maine Had Blown Up. A few days after the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor, and while the whole world was excited over the event, a Frenchman came out of a lumber camp in New Hampshire and made his appearance in Gorham depot. Stopping up to the station agent in a state of great excitement, he asked if Maine had blown up. The agent replied that it had. Tears came into the poor fellow's eyes as he said: "I got a sister; she lives down to Rumford Fall; I suppose she blew up with him."

Sun Will Last Long. The gloomy predictions of the old physicists that the sun must run out of fuel in three million years is discredited. The modern physicists grant it fifty million years.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'BRIEN, 322 Third Ave., N. Y. City, Minn., Jan. 6, 1904.

Explorer Accorred Honor. The first white man to set foot upon New Zealand was Capt. Cook. The country's first governor was Capt. Hobson.

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London's Busy Streets.

A patient observer on one of the main roads near London counted the vehicles passing to and from the metropolis between 9 o'clock in the morning and 9 at night. The results were: Bicycles, 4,577; motor cars, 557; electric street cars, 407; horse vehicles, 209; total, 5,750. According to these figures the horse is rapidly being outnumbered.

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CASS CITY LODGE, No. 203, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

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CASS CITY TENT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.

Elkland Arbor, No. 31, A. O. O. G.
meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month in Oddfellows Hall. Visiting companions always welcome.

Church Directory.
BAPTIST—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting Sunday evening at 8:30. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening.

EVANGELICAL—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. A. meeting 6:30 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. All are invited.

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Correspondence.

Shabbona
Mr. Bigham of Hay Creek, is very sick.

Harvey Nique, of Oxford, now holds the position of salesman in W. F. Ehlers' store.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kerbyson are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, on the 23rd inst.

The Misses Lillie Striffler, Mina and Myrtle Orr, of Cass City, spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. O. W. Nique.

Rev. M. H. Moody, of Chevington, spent Saturday and Sunday here and preached in the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Half the ills that man is heir to come from indigestion. Barlock Blood cures stomach and tones the stomach; makes indigestion impossible.

Novesta Corners.
"The blight has struck potatoes; The rust has struck the beans; Wet weather spoiled the corn crop, And cash can not be seen."

Clarence Russell is about again. Another bee on the church last Monday.

Wm. Crawford is hauling lumber for a new barn.

Geo. Warner has bought the old Geo. Pratt farm, two miles west of Novesta.

Mrs. Anna Handley is nursing Miss Laura Warner, of Deford, who has typhoid fever.

Mrs. Warren Churchhill returned home Tuesday from Macomb county, where she has been visiting relatives.

Work has been begun on the new schoolhouse. It is to be built of cement and the Messrs. Henry, of Shabbona, are doing the work.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

Canboro.
Geo. Rockwood did business in Cass City Friday.

Geo. Parker was a business caller in Elkton last Friday.

Benj. McAlpin threshed in this vicinity the fore part of the week.

Wm. Parker, Sr., was a business caller in Linkville on Wednesday evening.

Isaac Vorhees, of Pontiac, is the guest of Miss Lydia Parker this week.

Chas. Hintze, of Linkville, was a caller in this vicinity, last Thursday evening.

A baby boy brightens the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson. Born Aug. 21st.

August Libkumann returned Monday from an extended visit with his son in Illinois.

Miss Grace McTaggart, of Sheridan, is engaged to teach the Canboro school for the coming year.

Mrs. Ed. Hinton and daughter, Miss Viola, and Miss Lizzie Parker were Cass City callers one day last week.

Mrs. Geo. Cross and son, Frank, of Brookfield, and grandson, Harold Balogh, of Detroit, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Parker, on Sunday.

Mrs. Eli Leek attended the Institute at Cass City last week.

Wm. Ashley and son, of Highland, are visiting at Dan Ashley's.

Miss Agnes McIntyre and Beatrice Hall visited at Eli Leek's Monday.

Mrs. George Cooper and three children, of Manitoba, are visiting at Jesse Cooper's.

Messrs. David Lewis and William Charter, Mrs. Charter and a sister from Pontiac, visited at Jesse Cooper's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Palmateer have returned from Detroit and will reside here as Mr. Palmateer's health would not permit of their remaining in the city.

Tuesday evening was the scene of a very pleasant gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Leek, the occasion being the fifty-sixth birthday of Mr. Leek and also the forty-fifth birthday of the pastor, Rev. R. A. Emerick. About one hundred friends and neighbors walked in and spent an enjoyable

evening. During the evening a light lunch of cake and tea was served. Before the guests departed their good will and fellowship for their host and pastor was shown by the presentation to Mr. Leek of a toilet set and to Mr. Emerick a purse.

Every man owes it to himself and his family to master a trade or profession. Read the display advertisement of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn telegraphy and be assured a position. 7-20-17

Wickware.
Mrs. Geo. Oridland is numbered with the sick.

Mrs. Wm. Fisher called on Mrs. F. Bond Friday.

H. Sansburn made a business trip to Sandusky on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Durkee called on Mrs. Wm. Bennett Friday afternoon.

Wm. D. Striffler, of Argyle, passed through Wickware Tuesday.

C. Schwaderer did business in and around Wickware on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McPhail called on friends in Argyle on Sunday.

Mrs. E. Fisher and Mrs. J. Fisher visited at John McPhail's Friday.

Mrs. G. Burt and the baby called on Mrs. John McPhail Sunday afternoon.

The Misses Ida and Belle Burt started Monday morning for their new home at Manistee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter and little Harold, of Karr's Corners, visited at John McPhail's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hakes, of Pontiac, and Miss Cassie McPhail, at Argyle, called on Mrs. John McPhail on Sunday.

Miss Cassie McPhail, of Argyle, and Mrs. Blackwood, of Duluth, Minn., passed through Wickware Monday afternoon.

L. Burt and Miss Jennie Burt, who have been visiting in and around Wickware for the past two weeks, returned to their homes Friday.

Fiendish Suffering
is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers that eat away your skin. Wm. Bell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for Ulcers, Sores and Cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found. Soothers and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at E. Ryan's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston; guaranteed."

Argyle.
Dr. Tweedie, of Sandusky, was in town Friday.

John Pratt and family visited John Hillman Sunday.

Rev. J. C. Gordon and wife were pleasant callers in town on Friday.

Mrs. R. Jackson and son, John, of Wickware, were in town on Monday.

Mrs. J. Tewksbury and daughter, of Snover, were callers in town Monday.

Mrs. A. McLaughlin and daughter, Mamie, have returned from Lexington.

Mrs. Geo. Mattison and daughter, of Melvin, are guests of Mrs. H. Meyers this week.

Miss Mary McPhail, of Bay City, is visiting her mother, Mrs. N. McPhail, this week.

Mrs. J. Brooks, and daughter, Jennie, were guests of Mrs. J. McPhail on Wednesday.

Dame Rumor says there will be a wedding east of the corners within the next fortnight.

E. Sansburn, of Wickware, was a caller in town Thursday on his way home from Sandusky.

Miss Cecil Peters was the guest of Miss Jessie Hutson, during the absence of the latter's parents.

Mrs. J. Maskell and daughter, Ellen, returned Monday from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Carsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sutherland and daughter, of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. K. Sutherland, the past week.

E. Trend and family returned to their home in Chicago, Saturday after a five weeks' visit with friends in Argyle.

Miss Gladys Hartwick, who has been so seriously ill, is convalescing under the care of Dr. A. J. Charlton.

The Misses Lottie and Rosa Belle Hempton have returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in Pigeon and Bay Port.

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The famous little pills.

Beauley.

Charlie and Fred Young did business in Cass City Tuesday.

H. F. Martin and family visited at Thos. Jarvis's Sunday.

Big ice cream social in Beauley Hall Tuesday night. D. McDonald toastmaster.

Miss Gamble, of Sebawaing, who has been visiting Mr. Reader's family, has returned home.

D. McDonald is very busy. Beauley needs a machine shop badly. Too much for one blacksmith.

Mrs. Thos. Foster, of Bad Axe, is moving to Pt. Huron, where she intends joining her husband, who is engaged with the Produce Co.

Millington McDonald starts to school next week at Rescue. Next thing will be Cass City. Beauley is represented by quite a few in the Cass City High School. Faculty, second to none.

James Dando and family, of Gagetown, were in Beauley Sunday evening, having received a telegram of the death of his wife's cousin, J. McDonald, of Teeswater, Ont., and bringing the news to friends at Beauley.

Mrs. Dyer, of Casoville, and sister Mrs. Lind, and daughter Eva, of London, Canada, Master Ashton and Miss Marguerite Dyer, took train to Owendale where they were met by Mrs. D. McDonald and taken to her home in Beauley, where they thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The first time they had met in seventeen years. First time to meet in U. S. Domains. Hope to meet again soon. Mr. Dyer is the hustling proprietor of the Casoville Critic. The paper is getting a wide circulation. Caseville is coming to the front. Beautiful for situation, and the natural scenery can not be surpassed.

Take Kodol After Eating.
After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digestant and a guaranteed cure for indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gas on the Stomach, Weak Heart, Sour Risings, Bad Breath and all Stomach troubles. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Greenleaf.
Threshing is the order of the day. Mrs. Duncan McColl is on the sick list.

Charley Rogers is the owner of a new surrey.

Miss Millie Decker is very ill with pleurisy.

John Duffield is building a fine farm residence.

Jennie Patrick is spending a few weeks at Appin.

Lottie Hempton returned from Pigeon on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sinclair visited in Bad Axe Sunday.

D. Livingston and wife were callers at A. Paul's Sunday.

R. Arthur, of Ubyly, transacted business in town last week.

John Gillies had his house moved to the new foundation Friday.

Mrs. Tom Ritter, of Bay Port, is visiting relatives here this week.

Dr. Wickware, of Cass City, made a professional call in town Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the dance at Ubyly Tuesday evening.

Miss Gertrude Haight is now assisting Mrs. R. Hempton with household duties.

Florence Duffield has returned from Elkton, where she has been visiting for several weeks.

Mrs. A. Livingston returned from Detroit Friday, where she has been visiting for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. F. Stocking, of Detroit, visited the latter's parents last week, returning home Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Flint, accompanied by Miss Allie Flint, left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Saginaw.

Duncan McColl, who has been viewing the western lands for the past three months has returned home.

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Deford.

Bert Lester is at home on a visit. "Cupes" doing well but the sorting at station hardly fair.

Benj. Sharp, of Almont, and daughter, Gale, visited in this locality.

Miss Mary Osborn, of Koylton, called on old friends east of here last week.

A. W. Canfield, wife and niece, of Avoca, St. Clair County, visited here last week.

The ice cream social at John Retherford's on the 24th, was a great success in every way.

A month of summer weather is yet required to make corn what it should be in these parts.

Beans are yellowing and not from rain or age. Seemingly there is a blight of some kind.

Jesse Sole has his house and barn eave trenched. The Bigelow firm, of Cass City, did the work.

Potatoes look well, but they are very late as a rule and must have at least a month's growing weather yet.

Several townline people attended the Sunday School picnic, held on the 23rd, in Randall's woods, Center Novesta.

Ed. Deneen, of Novesta, will move into his new house this week. It stands on the foundation of the one the cyclone swept away.

The ENTERPRISE hints that the Caro Advertiser dissembles. How could a republican sheet do otherwise? If it told the truth it would be forced to a change of heart.

We have been silent for some time because more than busy, but Benj. Sharp, formerly of here, came up from Almont last week and asked the why: "No news from Deford in ENTERPRISE?" Then we thought, if we keep still, some one will notice it just as much as if we say something, so we are going to be heard from now forth.

Not long since the writer, with many others as poor as we, made a desperate effort to help a young widow rebuild her house that had been changed to ashes by fire, and now she has deserted the domicile and cast herself into the arms of one of the sterner sex, who is moving down the western slope towards life's setting sun. All this makes us resolve that the next time we "care ourself loose" to help a widow she will have to sign papers not to wed again before there is moss on the shingles of the new dwelling.

Dangerous and Uncertain.
For sunburn, tetter and all skin and scalp diseases, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. It is a certain cure for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. It will draw the fire out of a burn and heal without leaving a scar. Boils, old sores, carbuncles, etc., are quickly cured by the use of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Accept no substitute as they are often dangerous and uncertain. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

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

Two of Many Differences.
A woman tells most when she is sad, and a man tells all when he is scared. You can jolly anything out of a woman; you can bluff a man out of his breeches.—Richmond Missourian.

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"Well," said Wymat, as he vainly tried to get into a No. 12 shoe with the aid of four shoe horns, "the clerk that sold me these shoes was right. I should have worn the box."

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J. Pierpont Morgan is trying to corner the old masters.

Why this fuss about the man who sold his wife for \$5? Wasn't she worth it?

Eggs are now said to be full of microbes. That is calculated to jar that egg-nog habit.

Baron Nathaniel Rothschild has just given \$4,000,000 to charity. Wonder where he got it?

"Starving Men Desperate," says a headline in the Washington Post. They generally are.

When girls play baseball they have to conscript one of their number to wear a mask and stomach protector.

Mr. Rockefeller is trying the Kneipp cure. If the morning dew helps his feet he will try it on the top of his head.

It appears that the Italian with whom Miss Crocker eloped has a title. This being the case, how could she help it?

In view of the recent developments in the army, the navy can hardly be blamed for putting on a slightly superior air.

How much the world thinks of a baseball player, who does not drink, smoke or swear, and who plays pretty good ball!

Philadelphia's city council proposes to investigate itself. The market price for whitewash in Philadelphia ought to rise rapidly.

Having evolved a live volcano and a defunct sea serpent, Nevada will now rest from its labors for another fifty years or so.

It has just been discovered that Jupiter has a seventh moon. Jupiter must be a poor place for private street lighting companies.

The lesson of the disastrous Zeigler expedition is that now is the time to begin organizing an expedition for the relief of Explorer Peary.

"Fads and Fancies" is expected to explain monkey dinners, and all needful points in connection with them, and furnish a list of those who attend them.

This report that whisky drinking is declining in New York will cause no surprise. Most of the members of the smart set are out of town at this season.

Granting that 10,000 persons are killed annually on the railways, do the scorching automobilists think it a laudable ambition to wish to beat that record?

The census bureau finds that there has been a steady decline in the birth rate in this country since 1860. The percentage of poor families must be decreasing.

The poet Whittier rhymed "trust" with "nursed." But we must remember that he was a New England poet, and in his neck of the woods they pronounce it "nussed."

More than 5,000 people are said to mysteriously disappear in this country every year. That's nothing to the number whose money mysteriously disappears every day.

A New York man cut his throat because he could not get his book published. By the way, we should think some of those authors would cut their throats when they saw their books in print.

Mary Mannering has canceled her theatrical engagements in order to take care of her little baby. Mary will deserve all the advertising she can get on account of this extraordinary proceeding.

An observation tower to the memory of Ethan Allen was dedicated in Vermont recently. This is creditable to the Vermonters, but a man whose country is full of his namesakes needs no other monument.

"Honesty," says a thoughtful editor, "is the one thing to be desired in office." The main thing undoubtedly; but remember how Palmerston once described a most objectionable official as "a very honest fool."

An English doctor says all the diseases that human flesh is heir to can be cured by marriage if there is a proper selection. It must, of course, be understood in this connection that such things as bow legs and cross-eyes are not diseases.

A climate that causes whiskers of mildew to grow on a corn cob pipe surely has its disadvantages. A Panama employe, who says he is helping to dig the canal with a typewriter, registers a public kick and thinks Uncle Sam's employes deserve more pay. However, only the highly paid resign.

A contemporary thinks it has discovered that a man who works all the year round, without a vacation, shorts his life. And yet the men who never work at all are always short.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

DYING IN AGONY, WIFE LEAVES ONLY A CURSE FOR HUSBAND.

NAOMI ALDRIDGE BOUND OVER ON CHARGE OF MURDER.

THE GOVERNOR'S POSITION ON THE CALLING OF A COURTMARTIAL.

A Suicide's Curse.

With the last message, "I hope my curse may go with him and his people forever," meaning her husband, Mrs. James McCarthy, wife of a wealthy farmer living near Kalamazoo, committed suicide Saturday by taking poison. Death was accompanied by terrible agony, as the woman was found in her front yard face downward, and each hand having a light grasp on a bunch of grass. Her face showed signs of the agony and the ground about her was torn up. Mrs. McCarthy was at home alone when she took the poison. Her husband had gone to a neighbor's house to get a horse to bring her to the city. Mr. McCarthy, the husband, admitted that they have been having considerable trouble, but refused to state the nature of it. He said that she has applied three times for a divorce, but each time they got together and settled the differences. They evidently had another quarrel Saturday morning, as she demanded that he bring her to the city so that they might have a settlement and part forever. The note found at the woman's side read as follows:

"The money in my purse was left me by my mother. I want that to go to my people. That much I demand of my husband, I hope my curse may go with him and his people forever. The letter also contained a request that she be buried by her brothers.

Mrs. Aldridge Bound Over.

Mrs. Naomi Aldridge was bound over to the Ogemaw county circuit court, Saturday, to stand her trial on a charge of murder. W. A. Coomer, of Freeland, testified to Mrs. Aldridge having notified the National Relief society that her child had died of appendicitis. Mrs. Davis said Mrs. Aldridge had given her little girl money to buy rat poison, and had shown no emotion when the boy died. Mrs. Barber testified to Mrs. Aldridge having had sole charge of the child during their illness. The case will come up in the circuit court on Sept. 18.

That Courtmartial.

Gov. Warner states that he has decided to be guided solely by the military board as to the course to be adopted in connection with the trouble between the Detroit militia officers. "I don't know anything about military law," he said, "and these gentlemen do, so I will do whatever they say. I have heard nothing officially about the matter yet except that Gen. McGurkin has asked me when he could meet me and talk over the matter. I expect the military board will meet in Lansing early in the week to discuss the matter."

Elijah Has His Mad Up.

"Elijah" Dowie and the hosts of Zion have broken camp at Ben Mac Dhuil, near Muskegon, and returned by boat to Zion City. It is said that the trouble arose through some of the flock demanding about the same measure of self-government as is allowed to Russian peasants. Dowie was incensed at the attack upon his autocratic authority and led the host back to the Chicago boat. He may deny the host the use of his ground at Ben Mac Dhuil for a summer camp in future, for he is mad clear through.

Powder Mills Blown Up.

The Anthony Powder works near Ishpeming, blew up Friday night, fortunately without loss of life. It is believed the explosion was caused by a fire in the engine house. The works were located 12 miles from Marquette, but the explosion was distinctly felt in the city. There were four explosions, and practically every building at the plant was destroyed. Much damage was done in both Negaunee and Ishpeming. Windows were broken in hundreds of residences, and the plate glass fronts of 20 business blocks were shattered.

George Gage had been out of work a long time at Decatur, Ill., when his home and contents were burned, his wife barely escaping with a tiny babe in her arms. He came to Battle Creek six months ago and secured work at Advance Thresher Works. Saturday evening he suddenly dropped dead.

The capsizing of the boat in which Dyer Wickham, of Kansas, and Nelson Bullis, of Gregory, went fishing on the city. Wickham was managing to save himself. Wickham was 65 years old, and is survived by a widow and two children. Arriving from Kansas on a visit to relatives, the family were attending a picnic at the lake, and were forced to witness the death of husband and father.

By picking huckleberries, David Clark and his wife, of Bedford township, have been able to deposit \$129.70 in the bank, the result of many an hour's work in the marshes.

MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

Detroit has a population of 403,512. Constable Jas. Stewart, while out at Gull Lake watching for crooks, was robbed of \$22.

The fire which started in the Cambria mine, Negaunee, a week ago is now, so far as surface indications show, extinguished.

Gene Pierce, of Benton Harbor, died Tuesday night in frightful agony, a raving maniac, the result of a fall which fractured his skull.

On account of a case of smallpox among the boarders of whom there are nearly thirty, Hotel Donaldson at North Lansing is now under quarantine.

Gen. James Carnahan, major-general of the Uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, died Thursday at his home in Woodruff place after an illness of two weeks.

Burglars entered the Fife Lake post-office in connection with the store of Dr. Lewis Walter, postmaster and merchant, and secured but \$12 in stamps.

Because the school teachers of Adrian are resigning, the board has been having a strenuous time getting a full number to start the next semester with.

Nelson Hobart, of Galien, is suing Louisa Hobart for divorce. Both are octogenarians. He alleges she constantly insults him in the presence of friends.

Eight prisoners in the Kalamazoo jail have been placed in the dark hole for throwing a tureen of soup at the turnkey. They complained of the quality of the food.

William H. Elson, superintendent of schools, declares Grand Rapids is a race-rudder city. For the past three years the school census shows a gain of but one child.

A trolley car running 20 miles an hour, ran into a wagon in the Soo Wednesday afternoon and Joseph Lalonde had both legs crushed so that he may lose them.

Niles was visited by a severe electrical storm Tuesday and the residence of James Passo was struck by lightning and all of the members of the family were shocked.

M. E. Fuller, a printer, of Traverse City, carried a peanut in his ear for some months and didn't know it until his ear pained so badly he went to a doctor and had it removed.

Simon H. Lawler, a pioneer resident, aged 60, of Battle Creek, fell dead while walking in his own yard. He had been in good health. Lawler had lived in one house 50 years.

The first fair to be held in Michigan this year will be the fifty-sixth annual fair and race meet of the Calhoun County Agricultural society, at Marshall, from September 5 to 8, inclusive.

The Grand Rapids police authorities are puzzled to know what to do with two little girls, Stella Dutilk wicz and Helen Dendelengskam who are accused of a series of small robberies.

While assisting in the unloading of the package freighter Russia, John Alloway, foreman of the Grand Trunk freight sheds at Port Huron, fell from the gangway and was carried away by the swift current.

Frank Jerry Koepek, who came recently from Detroit, shot himself Friday evening on the Monroe docks. He was out of work and despondent. The bullet entered below the chin and lodged in the brain.

Mrs. John Baron, of Lapeer, who was badly burned by the explosion of a gasoline stove on Saturday, is dead. A Kalamazoo police are looking for a young man who is accused of hugging two elderly ladies against their will.

While no one was watching, a franchise was granted along the Midland stone road from the west Bay City limits to the western county line to unknown promoters of a projected electric line. Even the official records were kept secret.

The closing of the convention of the Sailors' association of Livingston county marked a large attendance. John and Howell was again selected for the next meeting. The following officers were elected: William Horton, Fowlerville, president; A. W. Messinger, Iosco, vice-president; G. L. Fischer, Fowlerville, secretary and treasurer.

Because William Burns, of Morrii, a fireman on the Pere Marquette, became so excited on the morning of his wedding day as to forget the license when he went to claim his bride, Miss Lizzie King, who was waiting at the Hazelton Catholic church, the ceremony was postponed by the priest until evening, he having driven to Corunna and secured the necessary document.

Charles Canepi, eight years old, of Yonkers, N. Y., has been in an unbroken trance-like sleep for more than four months, and it is probable a consultation of specialists in nervous diseases will be called to investigate the case. April 6 last, while whirling around a lamp, he became dizzy, fell to the ground and struck on the back of his head. Two days later he lapsed into unconsciousness.

Chairman Shonts, of the Isthmian canal commission, dined with President Roosevelt Sunday, and announced the appointment of W. G. Bied, of the Rock Island railroad, as superintendent of the Panama railroad, to succeed Supt. Prescott. The salary is \$6,000 a year.

Albert Kobler, a Pere Marquette railway employe, was found drowned at Elk Rapids, Friday. He was 19 years of age.

An attempt was made to wreck a train on the Northwestern railroad, at Birch Creek by placing a farmer's wagon across the tracks. The engine pilot was wrecked and the wagon smashed. No one was hurt.

At the close of the annual convention of the Michigan Federation of Colored Women, held in Grand Rapids, a telegram was sent to President Roosevelt, thanking him for the stand he had at numerous times taken in the colored race question.

HANGS BY A THREAD

JAPS WILL NOT INSIST ON INDEMNITY, IT IS SAID.

WILL RUSSIA BE MISLED AND CONSIDER THIS A SIGN OF WEAKNESS?

THE JAPANESE AND RUSSIAN PRESS SEEM TO BE MORE WARLIKE.

Ambassador Meyer on Saturday communicated to President Roosevelt Emperor Nicholas's last word and his ultimatum that Russia will not pay one penny of indemnity to Japan in any guise whatsoever. Russia is ready to agree to a division of Sakhalin, Japan retaining that portion previously belonging to her and Russia retaining the northern portion. Russia will pay for the maintenance of her prisoners, but will make no other concession in addition to those already made. If Japan does not accede to these terms, peace is impossible and the war will continue.

The hope of peace centers on two things: The fact that every day's delay makes for peace, and the incessant effort of the president to bring about some sort of a compromise.

It is reported that several days ago President Roosevelt was authorized on behalf of Japan to waive all claim for indemnity or reimbursement for the cost of the war, and to cede back to Russia the north half of Sakhalin island, leaving the "redemption" price of the same to the arbitration of a mixed commission.

This statement was transmitted to the Russian ambassador at St. Petersburg.

There is reason to believe that this proposition on behalf of Japan was not clearly understood at Peterhof, but was supposed to be a revival of the effort of Japan to secure an indemnity under the guise of purchase money for the fraction of Sakhalin.

It is believed a conference which was held Sunday evening between Messrs. Witte and Takahira was for the purpose of clearing up the situation and it is now not improbable that following the precedent of its ally, Great Britain, Japan will agree to settle the whole question of the redemption price of Sakhalin as the Dogger Bank troubles were adjusted.

The Japanese contention is that Sakhalin island is de facto Japanese territory and that Russia has no means at her command for its present recovery. It is understood that Mr. Witte has accepted this view in principle, and expressed his judgment that Russia should pay something in the nature of redemption money.

If Japan now absolutely withdraws her bill for the "cost of the war" the basis of an accord may be reached. One of the chief remaining dangers would undoubtedly be a false gauging at St. Petersburg of Japan's attitude.

The conciliatory spirit Japan displayed in her counterproposal of Wednesday—If now emphasized by a still further concession—is apt to be interpreted at St. Petersburg as a symptom of great weakness and might only serve to make the czar and his advisors at Peterhof more obdurate. But such a proposition before him, Mr. Witte could once more assert himself and throw his own masterful personality into the scale.

The Russian and Japanese press are more warlike in tone, the St. Petersburg Svet declaring that peace would be acceptable only if a Japanese fleet were threatening St. Petersburg and a Japanese army occupying Moscow.

Asks Rockefeller to Help.

Owing to the reports from Petersburg indicating that the question of peace between Russia and Japan hinges solely on Russia paying an indemnity to Japan, the Paris Matin has marked a remarkable appeal to John D. Rockefeller, at Cleveland, O. The appeal, in part, follows:

"The question of money threatens to unloose afresh and with redoubled violence the scourge of war. President Roosevelt is making noble and heroic efforts to end a struggle between two nations whose populations amount to one-seventh of the entire population of the globe. His initiative honors America in the opinion of civilized nations.

"The question arises as to whether another American would not share the glory of President Roosevelt and complete his work by overcoming the sole obstacle now hindering peace. He would thus demonstrate the might of money in powerful and generous hands.

"The Matin constituting itself spokesman for this sentiment, addresses the richest citizen in the world.

The appeal concludes with lengthy arguments showing the immense benefits such an act would confer upon civilization.

A man thought to be W. Rowen, of Sublette, Ill., got up in a pew in the First Baptist church in Minneapolis Sunday, just as the preacher had concluded his sermon, and fired a bullet through his heart, dying instantly. Many women became greatly frightened.

"Regenerator of the country," is the title bestowed on President Nord of Hayti by the Haytian government. A \$5,000 piece of property accompanies the title.

While digging at Seventeenth street and the East river, New York, a gang of Italian laborers unearthed an old pot containing 1,500 copper pennies of the reign of George II.

The bookmakers got the \$40,000 he stole from the D. P. Morgan estate, said James P. Hennessey, cashier of the estate in New York, in confessing to being that amount short in his accounts.

LOST \$20,000.

MANIPULATION OF PERE MARQUETTE VOUCHERS CLAIMED.

Edwin Murdoch, a clerk in the auditor's department of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton-Pere Marquette railroad, has been arrested, charged with a plot to rob that railroad through the skilled and systematic manipulation of vouchers of the company.

F. J. McLane, confidential secretary of Vice President Russell Harding, says: "Murdoch, who has been in our employ a few months, was assisted in the crooked manipulation of vouchers by his brother, Theodore Murdoch, of Chicago, who is now missing. There were other persons in the plot and only \$2,000 was secured by the crooked work. Other fraudulent vouchers, both amounting to about \$10,000, were detected in time to prevent payment being made on them. The \$20,000 voucher was cashed in Denver, Col., by Theodore through having himself identified in some way."

Other reports say the company has been swindled out of at least \$20,000.

The Detroit Murder Trial.

The trial of the two men charged with the murder of Pawnbroker Moyer in Detroit began on Thursday morning, the defense having used every challenge possible in the selection of the jury. The men and Mrs. Ellison, the woman in the case who had some of the blame for the murder, were identified in some way.

Byron Ellison, husband of the woman who is expected to be the star witness in the Moyer murder trial, paid a third visit to his wife at the Central police station Saturday night. In the lower corridor he was introduced to Marshal Rice, of Independence, Mo., who knows both men well and identified them.

Mr. Ellison asked Rice what he knew of Mrs. Ellison's connection with the case and later the two retired to where Mrs. Ellison was confined. In the presence of Marshal Rice Ellison again urged his wife to tell the truth when it came time for her to testify.

"Tell the truth, Kattie," said the husband, "tell all you know about this and I'll stay by you to the last."

An Unhappy Ending.

Fritz Osman, farmer, living in Blumfield township, committed suicide Saturday afternoon. About two years ago he married for a third wife a widow who owned the farm where they lived. Their married life was unhappy. Before Moyerman took the poison, Fritz Osman was a member of the Sons of Hermann and had laid down under a tree. He died upbraiding his wife for driving him to suicide.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Two hundred Americans, members of the 20th Infantry, circus troupe, are stranded in France.

Cholera has appeared in Manila and two United States soldiers have died there of the dread disease.

Seven companies of the Tennessee national guard have been ordered to Tracy City, where striking miners are threatening trouble.

Twenty Mexican laborers were killed and a number injured by the premature explosion of a quantity of dynamite at the Port works at Marzanillo recently.

An Adam and Eve colony, the members of which for the most part wear birthday costumes and subsist on fruits and spring water, is flourishing at Butler, N. J.

The Rev. Charles T. Pfeiffer, aged 30, pastor of Calvary P. E. church in Cairo, N. Y., took as a bride in Philadelphia Miss Alice A. Hall, aged 15, of Germantown, Pa.

To get the family estate Clarence Brown, aged 20, a full-blooded Indian, of Stonewall, I. T., killed his father, mother and brother while they slept. Clarence is in jail.

Percy Pembroke, a 16-year-old San Francisco boy, has confessed that he held up, murdered and robbed Thomas Cook, a neighbor, all because he wanted a little spending money.

A powerful phonograph in an adjoining apartment house has nearly disrupted the San Francisco Polytechnic high school and has caused an appeal from the principal to the board of education.

A deadly feud among Italian laborers near Dublin, W. Va., has resulted in the dynamiting of a hut in which nine Italians were sleeping. They were blown to shreds, and there is no clue to the murderers.

A record trip from New York to Hong Kong has been made by the steamer Sutton Hall, which covered 11,580 miles in 48 days. Counting out time lost in coaling en route, the ship averaged 250 miles a day.

Riley W. Allen, trustee of the First Baptist church of Williamsport, Pa., has offered to be one of five men to have his life insured for \$10,000 in favor of the church, the congregation to pay the premiums.

A woman clerk, not employed in the bureau of statistics, but hired by "Cotton Leaf" Holmes to help him with the last tobacco acreage report, put the tobacco market in a panic by increasing tenfold the acreage in the dark tobacco district of Kentucky. Mistakes in multiplication were the cause.

After a quarrel with Edward Newman, her sweetheart since childhood, Margaret West, the beauty of Asheville, N. C., became engaged to Marley Baker. They were to be married Wednesday, but that morning a message to Miss West arrived which read: "If you love me meet me at noon in Wilson, Ed." She went to Wilson, a neighboring town, and married Newman at once. She sent her regrets to Baker by wire.

Gov. William T. Cobb of Maine was knocked out at Rockland by being hit on the head by a falling awning beam. It was a ten-minute beauty sleep, but didn't hurt him much.

NATIONAL MATTERS

ON THE BOTTOM OF LONG ISLAND SOUND IN THE PLUNGER.

THE PRESIDENT TRIES LIFE ON A SUBMARINE FOR A TIME.

CABINET CHANGES MAY INCLUDE MR. NEWBERRY, OF MICHIGAN.

President Roosevelt late Friday made a descent in Long Island sound on board the submarine torpedo boat Plunger, the crack submarine of the navy. He was aboard the vessel about three hours. At one time the little boat was submerged for 50 minutes and in that time was put through all of the submarine tests of which she is capable.

Soon after the vessel reached the necessary depth of water she was directed downward until she rested on the bottom of the sound. Then the mechanism of the craft was explained minutely to the president by Lieut. Nelson, so that afterward experienced no difficulty in understanding the maneuvers.

While the president thus was resting on the bottom of the sound in a submarine boat, a storm 40 feet above him was raging unnoticed. The rain descended in torrents and the nor'easter whipped the surface of the water into big rollers, but it was as quiet and peaceful where the president sat as an easy chair would be.

Lieut. Nelson made his boat perform the remarkable feat of diving to a depth of 20 feet, and while going full speed at that depth, reversing her course. The complete turn occupied only one minute.

Subsequently the engines were stopped and the vessel was submerged to a depth of 40 feet. There she was kept motionless—a demonstration of her ability to remain in that position for hours while waiting an opportunity to launch one of her torpedoes at a vessel of a blockading squadron which might be passing or repassing a given point.

Mr. Newberry, of Detroit, for postmaster general. This is given as President Roosevelt's new arrangement for his cabinet. It will be remembered that when Mr. Newberry was given the appointment of assistant secretary of the navy, with it came the understanding that when Secretary Paul Morton stepped out, Newberry was to be promoted to the head of the department.

Morton went out, but Charles A. Bonaparte took his place. This selection is said to have been brought about by Morton himself. He was a close personal friend of Bonaparte, whom he told that when he stepped out of office he would put in a good word to the president for his friend. He did that, and the president was so taken up with the friend, as well as anything Morton had to say about Bonaparte, that he stepped out, and Newberry was to be promoted to the head of the department.

That will make the second time a Detroit man will have filled that cabinet position, Don M. Dickinson having been postmaster general in President Cleveland's cabinet.

Starving Spain.

Heartrending reports continue to reach the provincial authorities from the outlying famine-stricken districts in Spain. The latest reports received are from Osuna and Almorcia, the respective mayors of which notify the authorities that their resources are exhausted and that they are unable to further assist the famished laborers and the women and children, as the distress is too acute.

At Eliza the population has looted the bakers' stores.

The mortality among infants and aged persons is attaining terrifying proportions and in many localities the working people are living on roots. The government has organized public works on a small scale, employing about 600 men, but this is a mere drop in the ocean of misery, as a moderate calculation shows that 200,000 are out of employment.

Robbed a Priest.

Upon the statement made to the police by Rev. Benedict Rosinski, a Catholic priest of St. Stanislas church, Cleveland, that he had been held prisoner for twenty-four hours, without food, and forced to sign two notes for \$500 each, and two checks for like amounts, which had been since cashed besides being robbed of \$30 and some jewelry, two men and a woman were arrested Saturday. The woman is said to have lured the priest to her room in Cedar avenue, by pretending to be ill and in need of spiritual consolation, and the men are said to have rushed in upon them and held Rev. Rosinski prisoner until he had satisfied their demands.

John C. Christy, once county commissioner and poor director of Beaver county, Pennsylvania, a friend of Senator Quay, has just been sent to jail, his aged wife to the poorhouse of which he once had charge. His fortune was swept away by indorsing notes for a "friend."

Not content with their tips and pay, it is charged, systematic collusion between the waiters, checkers and captains of the Hotel Astor in New York, has been going on for some time, the management losing \$200 a day by the thefts. A number of arrests have been made and confessions taken.

HOCH WINS.

TO HAVE A NEW TRIAL—JUST ESCAPED HANGING.

Johann Hoch, the man of many wives, convicted of the murder of one of them, and under sentence of death, has escaped the gallows. He was to have been hanged in Chicago, Friday, but a supersedeas was issued Thursday on an order of Justice Magruder of the supreme court. The justice said that he had carefully examined the record presented by Hoch's attorneys, and his study of it satisfied him that there was enough doubt to justify a review of the case by the supreme court. The case will come up at the October term.

Hoch has been confident that the sentence of hanging would not be inflicted. He had very little to say when informed of the action of the justice. Jailor Whitman asserted it was the first time in his experience that a prisoner has exhibited no concern about his fate the day previous to execution.

Shaken Up.

Illinois was shaken by an earthquake shortly after 11 o'clock last night, the most severe in recent years. The shock, in the southern part of the state, especially in the region surrounding East St. Louis, was severe enough to rattle the chimneys and cause dogs to bark as if in alarm and children to awaken and cry. Houses creaked and in many instances their occupants rushed out in terror, fearing that the straining beams and joists would give away. As far north as Springfield the chimneys in those districts fell. Further north it grew less perceptible, until in the region of Chicago it was not noticed.

Not only Illinois, but western Kentucky and parts of Tennessee and Indiana were shaken. Messages from the different points in those states say that three distinct shocks, in quick succession, were felt. The waves of earth motion seemed to be from east to west.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—The demand for all kinds of cattle seems extremely active, the gain over last week being from 10 to 25 cents per pound. Stock and feeders were particularly active, several buyers from outside being present. Milch cows were scarce, fair quality at \$22.50 to \$25.00; veal calves were active and higher at \$5 to \$7.25 per cwt.

Hogs.—Light hogs, \$6.10 to \$6.20; pigs, \$6.00 to \$6.10; light Yorkers, \$6.00 to \$6.20; roughs, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

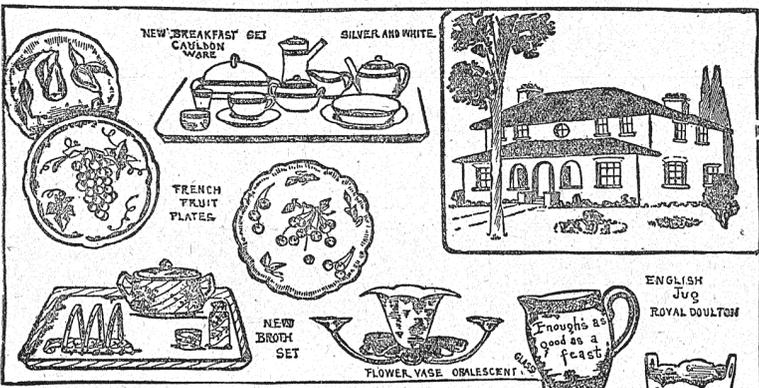
Sheep.—Best wethers, \$7.50 to \$7.75; fair to good lambs, \$6.00 to \$6.25; yearlings, \$4.50 to \$5.00; fair to good butchers' sheep, \$3.50 to \$4.00; culls and common, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Chicago.—Good to prime steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; hogs, \$6.25 to \$6.50; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.00; calves, \$3.25 to \$4.00; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.00; pigs, \$4.00 to \$4.50; Texas fed steers, \$3.25 to \$4.00; western steers, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

Cattle.—Best wethers, \$7.00 to \$7.50; fair to good heavy, \$6.50 to \$7.00; light, \$5.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$6.00 to \$6.50; sheep, \$3.25 to \$4.00; fair to choice mixed, \$4.75 to \$5.10; native best, \$5.00 to \$5.50.

East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$5.00 to \$5.50; fair to good, \$4.50 to \$5.00; shipping steers, \$4.75 to \$5.00;

Novel and Attractive Table-Ware Designs From the Artistic Potter



At no season of the year do the shops have a more attractive display of crockery and table furnishings than just now. Many of the satisfactory standard patterns in breakfast, dinner and tea sets are being shown, and as they are all carried in what the dealers call open stock, they may be purchased in any quantity, from a tea cup or a plate to complete a broken set to as many dozen pieces as may be needed. One of the new patterns to be seen this year is the Yorkshire ware, particularly suitable for clubs or houses where everything is on a very large scale. The background is rather a deep cream, almost yellow, with decorations of flowers in conventional designs done in deep red and blues and greens, the whole effect being so striking that it requires space, and for that reason is much more suitable for dining rooms of large dimensions than for small rooms which require fittings of daintier design and color.

A design particularly suitable for these smaller dining rooms is Dresden ware, with a cream background and a clearly defined pattern of flowers in a medium blue, or Bedford ware, the design of which is similar to the old willow pattern, except that the colors are red and blue instead of blue only.

French faience is a comparatively new ware, having many attractive possibilities. Like most things French, it is dainty in both color and design, the figures being slightly raised and the surface rather highly glazed. The fruit plates shown in the above illustration are of this ware and as will be seen the edges are irregularly scalloped instead of being perfectly smooth. Welsh rabbit sets in this ware include beside the plate of delicate green with delightfully vague little rabbits hopping about on them, beer mugs to match of a most fascinating shape, and the whole set of twelve plates and mugs comes in a case which is a clever imitation of a huge Edam cheese. Following out this same idea there are sets of orange plates, the decorations of which are oranges in pale mints yellows, with a

gigantic orange for a case, and watermelon plates whose decorations are only watermelons that holds them.

Among the styles of china were particularly suitable for summer time foods are the well known but very appropriate salad sets, consisting of a deep bowl and plates of green ware resembling lettuce leaves. These sets have two good qualities; they are attractive to the eye and they are very reasonable in price, and while not so much of a novelty as some other large designs, their good qualities are lasting. The newer salad bowls have perforated bottoms and are set in deep plates. These perforations allow any moisture to drip through, so that ice may be placed in the bowl and the salad kept cold and crisp without becoming too wet. An ice bowl made with this same improvement is also shown in the illustration.

Other novelties which seem to be growing in favor are grape fruit glasses and caviar sets. These, as seen in the illustration, are long stemmed glasses filled with crushed ice, into which the smaller glasses holding the caviar or grape fruit are placed. Some of these glasses are of the most elaborate designs of Bohemian glass, with raised gold decorations and are correspondingly expensive, but they also come in plain glass at more reasonable prices.

A breakfast set is shown above in the new Cauldon ware, whose plain white surface, relieved only by wide bands of silver, makes it most acceptable for summer use, particularly in a house the object of whose general color scheme is to give an effect of coolness and airiness. Washstand sets, as well as table ware, are also to be had in this white and silver design, and in an all-white bedroom a set of Cauldon ware carries out the general effect in a way that is most satisfactory.

Especially attractive to those who admire the old fashioned Wedgwood ware are the tea sets now shown in brown wedgwood. The old blue and



the more delicate shades in Wedgwood are, of course, well known, but the brown seems to be rather a novelty, and is decidedly pretty, the white figures standing out clearly against the dark background and forming a unique contrast. The teapot sugar bowl and cream pitcher are, however, more satisfactory for general use than the cups, as it does not seem quite appetizing to drink out of a cup of so somber a shade as brown.

Among the novelties recently seen in glassware there was an opalescent flower vase of unusual design. The vase proper was in the form of a leaf, and the delicate colors in the glass, with the opaque base representing a leaf and the branches formed by the buds, make a most effective decoration for the center of the table. For use in a low, flat bowl, to be filled with short-stemmed flowers that have a tendency to slide out of sight, there is a clever arrangement that looks like a coarse wire netting, which fits into the bowl, through which the stems of the flowers are to be thrust. By using this the same effect of a mass of flowers can be obtained, and only about half the quantity of flowers need be used.

A number of new and pretty designs in cut glass bonbon dishes are exhibited, one of the most attractive being in the shape of a three-leaf clover; and speaking of clover, there was seen in one of the large crockery shops the other day an ice tub of some sort of white ware, with decorations of green clover leaves, one of the coolest and most summery looking articles imaginable.

GIFT TO ORPHANS OF GOTHAM

J. Watts de Peyster Transfers His Country Mansion to Institution.
Gen. J. Watts de Peyster, the Red Hook philanthropist, for a consideration of \$1 has transferred Rose Hill, his country seat in Dutchess county, to the Watts Orphan House of Yonkers. Gen. de Peyster is now living there in retirement.

The domain is extensive, says the New York Times. Its name is derived from the country place of the owner's great-grandfather, John Watts, Sr., who gave the title Rose Hill to a large section of northwest New York half a century ago. The property at Red Hook includes a mansion of the old English country style, 114 feet long by 87 deep, with a tower in the rear containing a library of between 30,000 and 40,000 volumes of special interest to the bibliophile and curio hunter and a magnificent collection of firearms, swords and bronzes.

The Leake and Watts Orphans' house, which will take the handsome estate after Gen. Peyster's death, is the natural beneficiary in the absence of the latter's descent from the founder.

The gift, is another item in a long list of benevolences of Gen. de Peyster. In the few years he has given thousands of dollars to charity. It is believed that at his death his large fortune will be divided among the institutions he has founded or aided. He is now 80 years of age.

He has established a home for girls at Tivoli and a sanitarium for consumptives and training school for boys at Verbank. He has also given New York a statue of Col. Abraham de Peyster, which stands in Bowling Green. The colonel was the first chief justice of the colony of New York.

DEATH OF POPULAR AUTHOR

Passing of Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge Brings Grief to Many.

Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge, authoress and editor of St. Nicholas Magazine, died at her summer home in Tannersville, N. Y., Aug. 21. She has been ailing for some months. Mrs. Dodge was one of the best known women editors in America and the book that made her famous was "Hans Brinker; or, the Silver Skates," which had a large sale and was translated into sev-



eral languages. She was born in New York city and her father was the associate of poets, scientists, statesmen and painters. About thirty-five years ago Mrs. Dodge was left a widow, with two promising boys. As it was necessary to rely on her personal exertions, she adopted the profession of literature and succeeded. She wrote many sketches, stories and poems for the magazines.

Turkish Sultan's Fortress Kitchen.

The private kitchen of the sultan of Turkey is a veritable fortress, consisting of a small chamber situated to the right of the great entrance, and is guarded by barred windows and an armor-plate door. The cook officiates under the ever-watchful eye of the Isardjli bechi, one of the most weighty functionaries in Yildiz palace at Constantinople for the health, and very life even, of the ruler is at his mercy. When cooked, each dish is fastened with red sealing wax, bearing the official seal of the Isardjli, and remains hermetically closed until the seals are broken in the sultan's own presence. His majesty's life is passed in a long series of elaborate precautions. However, in spite of the care he takes of his health, Abdul Hamid, after a reign of twenty-five years, looks prematurely old and broken. His weakness is extreme and his body so thin that it is little more than a skeleton.

Led Norwegian Revolution.

A correspondent at Christiania describes the four leaders of the Norwegian revolution—Michelsen, Berner, Lovland and Nansen. Michelsen, minister of state, is the real head of the movement. He is a merchant, much interested in his business, overworked and in such poor health that he thinks of leaving Christiania because of its enervating climate. Berner, president of the storting, is a man in the late sixties, old-fashioned in attire, deliberate in speech and action and stubbornly tenacious of his purposes. Lovland, minister of the exterior, is a farmer's son. He was a school teacher and an editor before he entered politics. He is a consummate diplomat, who knows particularly how to bide his time. As for Nansen, he helped chiefly by lending his popular name to the movement. He is, as he always was, a dreamer, and has no political aspirations.

SIMPLE RULES OF HEALTH Prevention of Disease, Rather Than Cure, Should Be the Aim

Flies as Carriers of Disease.

In an address before the California Health Association, Dr. Cobb called the attention of the medical profession to the necessity of an active crusade against the common house fly.

This pestiferous insect has many chances to communicate disease from one person to another. In cholera epidemics it has been shown that flies are the means of spreading the disease by infecting the food.

Whenever large bodies of men go into camp, typhoid fever is almost certain to break out, even though the water supply is carefully protected from contamination. Such outbreaks are due to fly-infection of the food supply. Scattered cases of typhoid fever in country settlements are more often the result of fly infection than of water infection.

Dr. Cobb believes that tuberculosis is communicated not only through the lungs by means of contaminated dust, but that the greater source of infection is by means of the fly planting sputum on the food from its feet, wings, and excretions. This infection by flies has been proved very clearly.

When the habits of the fly are considered, it is not unreasonable to believe that this insect is an important factor in the spread of disease. They swarm upon decaying vegetable matter, manure piles, the filth of the streets, privy vaults, and every possible source of infection. Follow them then to the street vendors of fruit and candy, the bakery, butchershop and restaurant, and even to the family table, especially of the poor, and it is not difficult to understand the ease with which germs of all kinds are conveyed to the food.

It may be affirmed, however that in the process of cooking, the bacteria will be killed. This is granted, but it is not here that the danger lies. It is from food which is eaten raw, or which has been cooked and upon which the fly afterward alights that the greatest danger of infection occurs. The longer this food remains uncooked after this contamination, the greater the probability that a colony has grown, thereby increasing the dosage of infection.

It is in the homes of the poor that the greatest danger arises. The poor nearly universally leave their tables set with cold food left from the previous meal. Upon this food flies assemble in great numbers, and from time to time the children help themselves, the remainder of the food being served at the next meal. It is therefore necessary to combine for the extermination of this pest. Housewives especially should be careful to prevent this source of dangerous infection.

A Window Tent.

A medical journal describes a window tent devised for the open air treatment of tuberculosis. It consists of a frame to fit the lower half of the window, to which is attached inside the window an awning of water-proof duck, stretched in a quarter-circle. The bed is placed parallel with the window, so that the invalid's head and shoulders are within the awning, entrance being made through a flap in the side of the tent. The lower edges of the duck at the head and side of the bed are long enough to tuck under the mattress, and thus air from the room is thoroughly excluded. The frame of the tent does not quite fill the lower half of the window; for the escape of warm air from the room there is left a space of three inches, which can be reduced at will. For protection from storms the roof of the tent projects slightly beyond the window, and a roller blind is placed inside the window.

Do Not Wave the Handkerchief.

At a meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in Cincinnati, one of the speakers was welcomed with the usual Chautauquan flutter of handkerchiefs throughout the auditorium, and the compliment was accepted with proper satisfaction. Soon afterwards, says Good Housekeeping, an inconveniently practical and learned delegate created quite a sensation by declaring that this handkerchief salute was a most unhygienic performance, which was quite competent to account for the colds and coughs that it was apparent had a wide distribution among the delegates. It was moved that the delegates, "like sensible people, keep their handkerchiefs in their pockets, where they belonged, except when in necessary use, and that the saluting be done with little silk flags provided for the purpose."

The proposition met with lively opposition, and it was argued against with no little acerbity, but in the end common sense and faith in the microphone theory triumphed, and the motion was carried by a vote of one hundred and thirty-four to ninety-one. That this reform has already "taken hold" is attested by the fact that when a party of woman suffrage delegates departed for Europe they were waved away by a fluttering cloud of little flags. In commenting on this the Medical Record says, "It is a grave sanitary question whether the handkerchief does not do more harm than good, as it is ordinarily used. Most nasal catarrhs are of a grip origin. Worse than the nasal discharges are the expectorations that find their way into the pocket. The good women in the convention certainly deserve great credit for calling attention to the dangers of the handkerchief."

Hay-Making for Fun at Eighty.

A press dispatch from Bridgeport, Conn., gives an interesting account of the oldest twins in the country, Julius and Junius Benham, who recently celebrated their eightieth birthday hay-making on their farm in Seymour.

"Hay-making is great fun," said Junius, "and I feel as if I could mow away hay up in the peak of the peak of the barn as I used to in days long ago, and mowin' away hay is about the hottest work there is to be found in summer."

The Benham twins are remarkable men. They are far from being invalids, though they have arrived at the age when most persons are usually feeble. Beginning life as apprentices to a mason, they worked up and later became builders and contractors.

Some years ago the Benhams gave up building and settled down to the care of the real estate they had acquired in their long residence in Bridgeport. Every morning at eight o'clock the twins will be found at their office opening their mail and preparing to drive about the city to collect rents and look after their property.

"We always got up early in the morning," said Junius, when spoken to about the hour of rising, "and we can't get out of the habit."

The twins are in excellent health. "People ought to be cheerful if they want to live to be old," said Julius. "Look at brother Junius and me. No boys of the present day ever had as hard a time to get along as we did when we started, but we had what a good many boys of to-day do not have. Our mother gave us iron constitutions, the greatest present a mother can give to her boys, and we had been taught to live according to the simple and clean rules of the country. We lived clean lives always. We never drank liquor nor used tobacco. Money spent for such things is worse than money thrown away, but many of the boys to-day seem to think they can't be men unless they drink liquor and use tobacco. Why, we would never have lived to celebrate our eightieth birthday if it had not been that we lived right lives. You can enjoy yourself without going contrary to Nature's laws. There is plenty of harmless fun in the world, but it seems to me that people are looking for the fun nowadays that hurts rather than helps."

The Starvation Cure.

Starvation as a means of cure is by no means a new idea. It is very old. Most good things are old, and things altogether new are seldom good. Very few original discoveries are made nowadays.

Long fasting is one of the most effective means of securing thoroughgoing constitutional reconstruction. It compels the body to feed upon itself. In the rebuilding, defects may be left out, and healthy conditions may be re-established.

But this result may be secured by other and generally safer means. It is not so much the withholding of food, but of certain elements of food, which secures the benefits of fasting. It is the protoids, from which the system in diseased condition manufactures the poisons, which give rise to rheumatism, biliousness, neurasthenia and gout. When protoids are withheld, the formation of poisons soon ceases of necessity, and thus the disturbed functions return to their normal state and the health is restored.

By a diet of fruit this condition may be secured as readily as, perhaps more readily than, by any other means. The fruit diet is really proteid starvation, as fruits contain practically no protoids.

Certainly a fruit diet is far more agreeable than total abstinence from food. Fruits contain the predigested food elements which do not clog the system, and which are valuable in sustaining the strength.

Fasting is a good thing in certain cases; but long fasts are rarely needed, and a fruit diet is preferable in all essential particulars, except in certain cases in which fruit acids are irritating, as in gastric ulcer.

The Need for Recreation.

Rest restores again the energy which has been consumed in work. So long as one is able to restore his lost energy by sleep and rest, he cannot become neurasthenic. But when a man comes to the point where he can no longer restore by rest or sleep the loss of energy which has occurred, he necessarily becomes neurasthenic, because his nerve cells remain chronically in that exhausted condition.

This is the reason a vacation sometimes does so much for one, completely replenishing the exhausted store of energy and saving one from a complete breakdown.

A good many men look forward for months to their annual vacation of three weeks in the summer, as their salvation. For five or six months afterward they enjoy very good health. Then their store of energy is exhausted, and the next six months are simply misery waiting for the breathing spell to come again. When the business man finds at the end of his three weeks' vacation that he has not yet recovered his natural energy, and he has to go back to his work in almost the same condition in which and is going to have a tremendous, perhaps an irreparable, breakdown, if he keeps on in that way. When a man discovers that he has reached that point he ought to stop at once.

Scorn for Man.

The expression of serene happiness that is rarely absent from the faces of nuns and all women who have severed their relation from man entirely ought to convince the skeptical that we do not owe all our enjoyment in life to the patronage of the Lord of Creation, ought to check him from saying, at every opportunity: "Of course, no woman is ever satisfied till she has secured a husband."

Modern Manners.

In our childhood our garrulity was checked by the words: "There are some things which ladies and gentlemen do not talk about. We seem to have brought frankness to a fine art; and with this general relaxation of conversational principles, we nowadays disregard all the older conventions of address.—Lady Helen Forbes in Black and White.

Castles in Spain.

The term "Castles in Spain" is derived from the French, Chateaux d'Espagne, and means day dreams or visions of happiness or prosperity to come. The use of the term is based on the fact that there are no castles in Spain. In the same way the term "Greek Kalends" means "never," because there were no such things as Greek Kalends.

Solomon a Lover of Trees.

Solomon had a passion for trees. Indeed, he is credited with being the first who had transplanted to the home soil those from other parts of the world. Judea in its day was famous for its balsam, the favorite plant of the queen of Sheba, and she, knowing Solomon's liking for transplanting, is said to have presented him with a root of it.

Deep Interest in Snakes.

The South McAlester News makes the following significant offer to its subscribers: A handsome poem wrought in indelible ink on footmade paper will be sent to the first 'old subscriber' who can tell us for a fact just where a snake's head leaves off and his tail begins."

Sold Grant of Land Cheap.

The immigrant who was the first in Australia to receive a grant of land was a German named Schaffer. He was given fifty acres in the city of Sydney, and sold them in 1807 for twenty gallons of rum. Shortly afterwards the land was valued at \$500,000.

"Bridal Cake" of Brittany.

Conspicuous among the adornments of the bridal feast in Brittany is an artistic and elaborate butter structure, as fanciful and elegant as the most beautiful bridal cake, and into this structure the guests stick stick sticks bearing coins of gold or silver.

Wedding Ring Mottoes.

Occasionally, among learned lovers, the wedding ring mottoes are in foreign or dead languages—"Prends moi tel que je suis" ("Take me just as I am!"), "Semper fidelis" ("Always faithful!"), "Uno je servavi" ("I will serve one lady!").

Last Recorded Sea Mirage.

The last recorded sea mirage of note occurred in the Baltic Sea in May, 1854, when the image of the whole English Baltic fleet of nineteen vessels was seen, inverted in the air, from a distance of thirty miles.

Work the Source of True Happiness.

"I suppose some advantages do attach to money, or people would not give themselves so much trouble to gain it; but, believe me, the truest source of happiness is—work!"—The late Baron Rothschild.

Girls by Parcel Post.

A woman of Lancashire, England, sent this note to the local postmaster: "Will you please send me word if I can send two girls to—(a Yorkshire town)—by parcel post, and how much will it cost?"

Protest Against Church Music.

In 1862 the first proposal to banish music from church services was made by the Council of Trent, on the grounds that the style of music had become too frivolous.

American Vines Increase Yield.

Introduction of American vines in French vineyards has increased the yield from sixteen to twenty-two barrels an acre to from thirty-eight to forty-eight barrels.

Amateur Signifies Lover.

The word "amateur," originally French, from the Latin "amator," a lover means a lover of any particular art, but not a professional follower of it.

A Cool Place.

A farmhouse near Minehead, Somerset, England, is situated in so deep a hollow that for three months of the year the sun's rays do not fall upon it.

Armor for Motorists.

A London curio dealer has in his window a placard reading: "Several bits of armor for sale—suitable for motorists."

Up to You to Try Again.

If others have more advantages than you, go to work all the harder and get a share.

Corals Long in Use.

The use of corals by infants while teething is at least 200 years old.

JUST A TRIVIAL OVERSIGHT.

Young Lady Typewriter Had Forgotten Only One Thing.

Edward Moffett, the labor editor, who has gone with Chairman Shonts to Panama, was talking one day last month to a reporter.

"Good labor, skilled labor," he said, "will always command a high wage. It is in good, skilled labor's interest that I am going to Panama, and what I find out there will be, I believe, of benefit equally to the canal commission and to the men I represent.

"The men I represent," said Mr. Moffett, "are skilled men. They are not like the young lady typewriter whom a Camden politician hired.

"This politician was preparing to deliver a four-hour speech on municipal corruption or some such topic. He spent a week in getting his notes together and reading up articles. Then, one hot afternoon, he sat down with the young woman typewriter and began to read off the speech as he was to speak it at the meeting.

"She didn't take shorthand notes. She said she didn't need to. Instead, she took the speech direct on the machine.

"So on and on he spoke, fingering his notes thoughtfully, and clackety-clackety-clackety the typewriter, keeping up with him bravely.

"The sun rolled westward and sank a red wafar and golden flame as this lengthy ended.

"Then the politician sighed with relief, got up and lit a cigar. He was glad to be through.

"But the young lady typewriter said in a calm voice:

"Would you mind repeating that speech all over again? I forgot to put any paper in the machine."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Unlucky Friday.

Bishop McCabe relates the following story:

"Once upon a time I was in a railroad accident. It was one of the only two I have ever experienced, and I have traveled over 750,000 miles on trains and steamers, three times as far as from here to the moon.

"A broken wheel threw the train off the track. The car I was in was shattered very much. Seated just ahead of me was an elderly lady who was suffering from rheumatism. It was necessary to change cars. I helped her off the car, carried her valise, and gave her the support of my arm. Behind us came a noble looking English lady with her husband by her side.

BOUND TO SING IT.

Preacher's Rhythmical Remarks Followed by Congregation.

Ex-Congressman Harry Libby of Virginia tells a story of John Randolph of Roanoke, which has never been printed. Randolph had employed a preacher named Clopton to deliver some sermons to the negroes in his chapel on the plantation. One Sunday when the weather was very cold the preacher was giving out the hymns, two lines at a time, when he saw a negro put his foot on the red-hot stove, and called to him: "You rascal, you; you'll burn your shoe."

That fitted rhyme and meter, and the negroes sang it. The preacher smiled and explained: "My colored friends, indeed you're wrong; I didn't intend that for the song."

The negroes also sang this verse very piously, and then the preacher impatiently shouted at them: "I hope you will not sing again, until I have time to explain." And this they sang with strenuous earnestness, so that Clopton gave up in despair, took up his Bible, announced a text and delivered a sermon which was not so rhythmical as his other utterances.

An Anecdote of Dumas.

Dumas pere, who was proud of the prices he received for his work, was once boasting of the fact.

"Beyond a doubt," he remarked, "I am the best paid of living men of letters; I receive 30 sous a line."

"Indeed, monsieur?" said a bystander. "I never worked for less than \$5,000 a line. What do you think of that?"

"You are joking," responded Dumas, in irritation.

"Not at all."

"For what do you receive such rates per line?"

"For constructing railways," was the answer.—Harper's Weekly.

From Earth's Far Corners

Shipping from All Over the World Brings Merchandise to the Harbor of New York to Find American Market.

To present to the mind an easily conjured picture of New York harbor one might make the comparison of the upturned right hand, with the long, straight forefinger for the lower stretch of the Hudson, with the thumb, joint turned out, standing for the bent East river and the palm of the hand representing upper New York bay, says Harper's.

Together make up the harbor of New York. As Hudson river shelters most of the North Atlantic liners while in port, so does East river harbor those that go to make up the truly foreign fleets. Here they are, pier after pier of them—the steamers that go to the far countries. Mind the roll—Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Peru, west coast of Africa, Australia, India, China, Japan. And bark again to the call of the ports—Rio Janeiro, Buenos Ayres, Valparaiso, St. Paul de Loanda, Cape Town, Tamatave, Sydney, Singapore, Hongkong, Yokohama. And the strange stuff of their cargoes—rubber from

From Earth's Far Corners

The Amazon swamps—see the naked Indians tapping the trees and the slimy reptiles in the shadowy ooze—horn and tallow from the pampas—mark the centauro-like vaquero and his whirling riata—gold dust, ivory, palm oil from the west coast. Dreams for you there! Palm oil and gold dust and ivory; elephants and sacrificial fires and trains of captive slaves; hemp, tea, silks and smuggled opium—and do not believe that opium is not smuggled into New York harbor to this day. You think of all that and your imagination flames.

The gentlemen in the pilot houses are not always in placid moods. Wild-eyed men glare from their pilot houses aloft, like eagles from their eyries, and pass the time of day. Says one: "Where'd y' think you're going? Back, will you!"

And the other: "Back? Me back? Me?"

"You! Yes, you, you sloop-eyed, slack-mouthed, spine-twisted, freshwater goob—you square-head, fatherless!" And so on, detailing irremediable flaws in the genealogy, after which both back down and avert the impending collision.

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Local Happenings.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. E. W. Keating on Friday afternoon, Sept. 8th, at three o'clock.

"The Abundant Life: how get it? how use it?" will be the Epworth League topic for next Sunday evening. Mrs. I. A. Fritz will lead.

There will be another excursion to Detroit on Sunday, the usual excursion fare prevailing and the train leaving here at the usual time.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. I. A. Fritz next Wednesday. Tea will be served at the usual hour to which all are cordially invited.

Charles and Luke Robinson, of Muskoka, Ont., have been visiting their brothers, Willard, of Wilmet, and W. J. of Flynn, whom they had not seen for twenty-nine years.

Mr. and Mrs. X. A. Boomhower and daughter, of Uby, Mrs. Burke and daughter, of Cleveland, O., and Mrs. Boomhower, of Greenleaf, were guests at the home of Mrs. Alex. Gillies on Monday.

A special rate of 55c. for adults and 30c. for children will be made for the German Jubilee at Pigeon, by the P. O. & N. R. R., to-day and to-morrow. Tickets good on train No. 1 until Sept. 2nd.

John Waldon, Greenleaf township; Daniel Urquhart, Evergreen township; Peter McCarty, Argyle; John Grinski-Austin, are among the jurors drawn for the September term of court at Sanilac Centre.

On Sept. 5th, the P. O. & N. R. R. will give excursion rates to Pontiac of one fare for the round trip and 50c. additional for admission to the Eastern Michigan Fair, Sept. 5, 6, 7 and 8. Tickets good not later than the 9th.

E. Ryan has purchased the Jesse Withers residence property on Houghton Street west, just vacated by E. H. Lincoln, and expects his household effects as well as his wife and daughter here this week to take immediate occupancy.

Rev. E. H. Bradfield has been in town a part of the week but as he has not yet completed his vacation, there will be no preaching service at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday. Regular services will begin on the following Sunday.

E. S. White, of Elmwood, reports a yield of 754 bushels of oats from ten acres. Four acres produced 78½ bushels to the acre weighing 37 lbs. to the bushel, while the remaining six acres gave 73½ bushels to the acre weighing 44 lbs. to the bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bridges, of Richmond, Va., who have been spending a fortnight with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, southeast of town, called on friends in town on Friday. Mr. Bridges now holds the position of Special Examiner with the Pension Bureau.

Wooley and Lauderbach have the contract for placing the stone abutments for the bridge to be placed over the Cass River, east and north of town, and have already started the work. N. Gable will officiate as nightwatch while Mr. Wooley is engaged on this contract.

Miss Gertrude McDonald, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDonald, north of town, for some time, returned on Monday to Toronto, where she resides with an aunt. Her brother, Lawrence, accompanied her and expects to remain for some time.

Geo. A. Smith, of Pontiac, was in town again on Monday and after looking the ground over carefully has decided to locate here, bringing his well-equipped plant for gunsmith and repair work of all kinds. He will decide this week upon a building and will move in about two weeks' time.

Our village marshal, W. M. Morris, has fully decided to put a stop to the uproarious conduct which has become too common in town of late, and accordingly has been issuing summonses galore for young men to appear before Justice E. B. Landon and answer for their conduct last Saturday evening. About a dozen have responded, pleaded guilty and paid fines and there are about as many more yet to hear from. The charges vary from that of disorderly conduct to drunkenness and the use of indecent language. The marshal had warned a number of these young men, who paid no heed to his caution, and more stringent methods became necessary. Some of those implicated belong to our town, while others come from the vicinity of Gagetown, Deford and elsewhere. The disturbance seems to have started at McLellan's dance hall, but much of the noise was made on the street. The marshal is very emphatic in saying that he is going to put a stop to the nuisance and those who have been misbehaving would be wise to take his warning.

Pleasantly Effective.
Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take, pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills are a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of the ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Cure Jaundice. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Best \$1.00 Undershirt on earth at A. A. Hitchcock's.

Advertised Letters

Unclaimed letters in the Cass City Postoffice for the week ending Aug. 19th, 1905.

M. W. Madge;
Donald McIntyre;
Minnie Powell.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on 9-11-05 if not delivered before.

H. S. WICKWARE, P. M.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms of indigestion and biliousness to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at E. Ryan's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston; price 25c.

We are in receipt of information from the State Agricultural Society that the new grounds and buildings in Detroit will be ready for the State Fair, Sept. 11 to 16. It may be recalled that the Michigan building from the St. Louis World's Fair was moved to Detroit. This is already rebuilt. The race track is a new mile course. There will be, in addition to comprehensive and exhaustive exhibits of every State product, entertainment in the way of races, the fall of Port Arthur by Paine's fireworks, each evening; ascensions by Knabenshue's airship, etc. The Woodward Avenue electric cars run to the grounds. We are assured that this year's State Fair will far exceed past efforts, and everyone knows how advisable it is to spend some time in such a city as Detroit.

THE ORIGINAL.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparations will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. All druggists, of Cass City, F. A. Francis, Kingston.

In the Beginning.

"I tell you, Singleton, you don't know the joys and felicities of a contented married life, the happy flight of years, the long, restful calm of—"
"How long have you been married?"
"Just a month."

BIG BALL PLAY.

Two Games Here Next Monday

On Monday next two games of base ball will be played at the Driving Park and may be witnessed for one price of admission—the price to be charged being 25c. and 15c.

The games are to be played between Marlette and Cass City teams, both of which have an established reputation as fast players. The first game will be called at 1:30 local time.

All lovers of the sport should turn out and witness these games, as in all probability they will be among the best of the season and well worth the price of admission. Remember the day—next Monday.

QUIET WEDDING

Yesterday at noon, occurred the wedding of Miss Isabelle MacArthur, daughter of Jas. MacArthur, corner of Houghton and Oak Streets, to Frederic F. Platz, of Rogers City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. H. Bradfield, of the Presbyterian Church, in the presence of the members of the family only. Mr. and Mrs. Platz left by the afternoon train for a lake trip to Buffalo, after which they will return to Rogers City, where the groom is interested largely in lumbering. They expect, however, in the near future to go to Louisiana where Mr. Platz will manage the interests of a lumber company. The bride is most highly respected here, where she received her earlier education, graduated from our High School, has taught in our schools and in several towns of the state besides, latterly at Rogers City, where she was elected as a member of the County Board of Examiners. Her many friends extend the warmest congratulations.

Sweet Release.

Mrs. Jno. Anker, whose maiden name was Mary E. Higgins, who has been an intense sufferer from cancer for several years, undergoing repeated operations and trying various treatments hoping to find relief, on Tuesday morning passed to the Haven of Rest, aged forty-two years. She had recently been stopping with her father-in-law, John Anker, four miles west and two miles north of Cass City, where she died. Her husband holds a position with a large lumbering concern at Duluth, but has devoted most of his time for nearly two years trying to find some means of relieving his wife's suffering. The funeral services will be held to-day, a brief service being held at the home at noon, and the regular service at the M. E. Church here at three o'clock. Rev. J. W. Fenn officiating. Deceased was admitted to membership in that society a number of years ago and had left her membership here during her absence from this section. While her many friends mourn her early demise all must feel thankful that her sufferings are over.

Handel's Appetite.

Handel was blessed with a wonderful appetite, and many are the amusing accounts, true or otherwise, as to the means taken by his owner for its indulgence. His gastronomic propensities were frequently the object of satire, and in one caricature the composer is represented as sitting on a beer barrel. A ham and a pair of fowls are attached to the pipes of an organ, a turbot lies upon a pile of books, and the floor of the apartment is strewn with oyster shells. It is more likely that his adventures in the wild stories concerning his eating and drinking powers than that they had any foundation in literal fact. No one would probably order a dinner for three persons for instance, and because it was being kept back for the company to arrive blurt out to the astonished waiter: "I am de company. Bring up de tinner brettissimo."

Sniping in Warfare.

The method of sniping in warfare is as follows: Three men set out, two in one direction and one in another. The single man, when he believes he is in the neighborhood of the enemy, lets off his rifle, no matter in what direction, and thus draws the fire of the sentry. Immediately the two other stalkers fire into the space lit up by the discharge. When this goes on, all round the camp the result is constant alarm at night time. Soldiers are warned not to reply to a sniper, but the temptation is well nigh irresistible. Their exertions, however, meet with little success, for snipers generally stalk the sentries from behind stones. —London Globe.

Gasoline for Power.

At the beginning of the twentieth century we find gasoline even in its infancy threatening to supersede coal as a producer of motive power, light, and heat. As a competitor of steam it has already supplanted its old and well-tried rival in the smaller units, especially in marine use, and we daily note its adoption in new fields. Unlike many producers of power which have appeared in the past two decades, it has universally proved a commercial success to whatever purpose adapted. Although most people have some idea in a vague way of what gasoline really is, few understand its true composition. Without entering into a detailed description of the process of producing it, we can perhaps best explain to the layman that it is a product of crude oil, or petroleum, obtained during the process of distillation. In refining the crude petroleum we extract different grades of oils in their turn, and in this process we come to the lighter and more volatile products known as gasoline, naphtha, and benzine, the difference being but a few degrees in their specific gravity.

In the use of gasoline for power purposes we have to employ mechanical means to control and convert its energies; thus, we have the motor known as the gas or gasoline engine. The gasoline engine as now made is an adaptation of the steam engine, employing the gas produced by gasoline as a means of energy. Contrary to the general understanding, the gas or gasoline engine is but a high pressure calorific motor. The power in the gasoline motor is derived by igniting the gas produced in the cylinder, which in turn by its heat expands, the atmosphere imparting energy to the piston by its expansion. A common error is the supposition that the explosion of the gas produces the power, the same as a blow from a hammer, whereas it is the heat generated by the ignition of the compressed gases acting expansively.—From "The Age of Gasoline," by F. K. Grain, M. E., in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for September.

Soothing and Cooling.

The salve that heals without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No remedy effects such speedy relief. It draws out inflammation, soothes, cools and heals all cuts, burns and bruises. A sure cure for Piles and skin diseases. DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of counterfeits, they are dangerous. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

HO! FOR RACES.

There will be no protracted waits between Races. The Port Huron Driving Park Association has inaugurated a new departure in connection with its annual race meeting this year, having secured some special forms of amusement which will help to dispel the monotony of a wait between races. There will be five days' racing and four races each day from September 4 to 8 inclusive. Among the side attractions will be Madam Maranette, queen of the saddle, who will give an exhibition of fancy riding; D. H. Harris and Master Johnny Harris, with eight horses, holding the world's records for high jumps and fancy gaited horses; Prof. H. S. Jamison, of New York, with five of the best trick dogs in the country. One of these canines will make a jump of 52 feet with the parachute and without.

Blank Verse.

Blank or unrhymed is that form of heroic verse which is commonly employed in English dramatic and epic poetry. It was introduced by the Earl of Surrey, who died in 1547, in his translation of the second and fourth books of "Æneid." It was first employed in the drama in Sackville and Norton's tragedy of "Ferrex and Porrex," which was printed in 1555, but it was not till Marlowe adopted it in his play of "Tamburlaine the Great" that it became the form regularly employed in the metrical drama, which it has since, with only occasional intervals, remained. After Milton's use of it in "Paradise Lost," it was widely extended to many other classes of composition.

Cumber

Mrs. Ed. Hewlet and son, Charles, returned to Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. Mills' sister and husband, of Urban, visited in Cumber last Sunday. Mrs. Tom Brown and daughter, Edna, visited at Ephriam Hunt's last Sunday.

Dr. A. N. Johnson preached to an appreciative audience on Sunday last at Freiburgers.

A number of farmers round Cumber are through harvesting and are beginning their fall ploughing.

Harry Lang, who has spent his vacation with his grandparents, returned to Detroit last Tuesday to attend school.

Wallace C. Greenleaf, of Cleveland, Ohio, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Greenleaf, of Cumber, for the past week has returned to his home. His many friends will be pleased to hear that he has taken his diploma as an electrical engineer and holds a lucrative position. He owns his beautiful home in the Forest City.

Growth of the Hair.

The influence of diet on the growth of hair has often been discussed. It has been shown that starchy mixtures, milk and many other foods recognized as being highly nutritious are, in fact, some death to hair growth. Chemical analysis proves that the hair is composed of 5 per cent of sulphur and its ash of 20 per cent of silicon and 10 per cent of iron and manganese. The foods which contain the largest per cent of the above named elements are meat, oatmeal and Graham. Henry pointedly says, "Nations which eat most meat have the most hair."

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cronwell, Valley Street, Saugerties, N. Y.

New Robe Blankets at A. A. Hitchcock's.

Cass City Markets.

Wheat No. 1 white	74
Wheat No. 2 red	76
Oats No. 3 white	24
Barley	1 40
Beans, Hand picked	5 50
Peas	5 50
Clover Seed	5 00
Com., pressed, per ton	7 00
Hay, pressed four	9 00
Wool, unwashed	16
Butter	15
Eggs, per doz.	16
Hogs, dressed per cwt.	6 50
Live Hogs, per cwt.	4 75
Beef, dressed, per cwt.	6 00
Sheep, live weight, per cwt.	4 50
Lamb, per cwt.	4 50
Cutlery, per lb.	10
Turkeys, per lb.	7
Ducks, per lb.	5
Geese, per lb.	5
Potatoes per bu.	60
Hides	6

MARKETS AT ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily, per cwt.	3 00
Graham Flour, per cwt.	3 00
Carosota, per cwt.	3 50
Buckwheat flour	2 00
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Feed, per cwt.	1 25
Meal, per cwt.	1 10
Brans, per cwt.	1 30
Oil Meal	1 25

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A few choice white Plymouth Buggy for sale at a bargain. Also two Poultry Exhibition and a Rose Cutter for poultry. What have you to exchange. A. A. P. McDowell.

FARM of 164 acres for sale. Good land, easy terms. First-class buildings. Will sell from 80 acres up. Three fourths of mile west of village limits. Might take small farm in exchange. 8-31-05. o. w.-3 JAMES MACARTHUR.

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FOR SALE—1 light wagon, 1 set heavy harness. 8-31-05. A. A. HITCHCOCK.

FOR SALE—Pair of work horses and driver. Will sell cheap. Also building known as pea harvester factory for sale or rent. What have you to exchange. A. D. MEAD. 8-31-05.

POST—On Saturday Aug. 19th a roll of bills \$1 amounting to \$40 in Cass City. Finder please take at this office and receive reward. 8-31-05.

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Is arriving and we can show you Up-to-date Shoes at the lowest prices. We carry the "Hood Brand" of Rubbers. That means as good as you can buy.
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