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Choice Candies.

You can't buy candies cheaper than sugar costs. We can't afford to handle adulterated confections.

All Our CANDIES Are PURE.

You will find a choice assortment here at all times ranging in price from 10 cts. upward.

CHINA and GLASSWARE.

DRUGGIST and STATIONER.

F. A. SIGLER.

LOCAL NEWS.

Will Steptoe of Webster, was in town last Friday.

R. E. Finch and wife are visiting in Detroit this week.

Mrs Flora Grimes is the guest of Mrs. M. Nash in Detroit.

John Sigler and daughter Mae, of Leslie, visited his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Teeple, the past week.

The school officer known as assessor will be called treasurer hereafter, according to the new school law.

Reduced Prices.

Middlings \$1.00
Bran 90c
Chop Feed 1.10
Screenings 80c

Now is the time to lay in a stock of bran and middlings—soon we will not be able to make enough.

F. M. PETERS,
Prop. Pinckney Flouring Mills.

Ex-Mayor, Clark Dibble, of Flint, is the democrat nominee for state senator. He was elected mayor of Flint over a strong republican majority.

The greatest question that occupies the minds of the city and village people just now, is the question of fuel. Farmers may reap quite a harvest from wood, this winter, as at the price of coal many coal stoves will be set aside.

There is abundant proof that there is plenty of oil in Livingston county, also considerable natural gas. The engines that are used to drill for oil in the northern part of the county are run by the gas found there. Well, this is campaign year and there should be lots of gas.

A great many of the district schools have not opened yet. C. E. Foster, commissioner of schools, of Washtenaw county, says that there are more schools than teachers, and that in the graded schools also there are many vacancies. Any one desiring a position can consult with him.—Chelsea Herald

SO NEAR AND YET SO FAR.

We clip the following from the Dexter Leader which reminds us that there was once talk of an electric road in these "diggings":—

"The Leader has been informed upon excellent authority that the Hayes Angus company will build a line from Pacey's corners to Dexter this fall and that the line will be pushed through to Portage lake at once."

A NECESSITY.

For some time the amount of work we have had to do at this office crowded us to some extent and we had considered the feasibility of purchasing some kind of power. The past week things came our way and we invested in a gasoline engine which does its work in an excellent manner, and beats "kicking" all to pieces. We are now prepared for any kind of a run on the big press from 100 to 10,000. Bring along your work.

County Republican Ticket.

The republicans met in convention at Howell last Thursday and nominated the following ticket:—

Representative, Silas H. Munsell.
Sheriff, Edward Pratt.
Clerk, W. S. Lyons.
Treasurer, Walter A. Clark.
Prosecuting Attorney, Jas. A. Greene.
Register of Deeds, A. D. Thompson.
Surveyor, M. W. Bullock.
Circuit Court Com. D. D. Harger.
Both tickets are now in the field and the fight will begin.

Pinckney in It.

Of course a county ticket would not be entirely right unless Pinckney was represented. The democrats recognized this last week when they nominated Malachy Roche for register of deeds. Mr. Roche served his county four years as sheriff, and needs but little introduction at our hands as he is well and favorably known throughout the county.

His record as sheriff will certainly win him many votes, and when he is elected and installed in the office you may rest assured that any business you may have with the register of deeds will be well looked after.

Hamburg and Putnam Farmers Club.

The Hamburg and Putnam farmers club will meet for dinner at the home of Dr. H. F. Sigler on Saturday, Sept. 27. Ladies requested to bring lap boards and dishes. The following is the program.

Inst. Music,	Florence Kice
Reading,	Mrs. E. W. Kennedy
Song,	Iva Placeway
Recitation,	Jaunita Young
Paper,	Hon. G. W. Teeple
Song,	Addie Kice
Reading,	Mrs. Sarah Brown
Recitation,	Fannie Swarthout
Song,	Florence Andrews
Reading,	Mrs. Lamberton
Recitation,	L. J. Hendee
Duet,	Mesdames S. J. Kennedy and Arthur Schoenhals

FOR CONGRESS.

W. H. S. Wood of Howell received the nomination for congress on the democratic ticket last week and this gives Livingston county a chance to get a member in that august body. Mr. Wood is well known in this and Genesee county and his character has never been assailed although he has been appointed and elected to many important offices. He has been supervisor of Howell township for two terms the last term there being no candidate on the opposing ticket.

He is a gentleman and a scholar—probably one of the best read men in the county. If elected he will serve his constituents faithfully and honestly. We predict for him a big majority in this and Genesee counties.

Prett Brown and wife of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting relatives here.

Claude Markey and wife of Port Huron, visited relatives here the past week.

A great many from here went to Detroit Monday. Some went to see the President, others to see "Teddy."

J. C. Wible who has rented the photograph gallery, has moved his family into the Will Wright house on East Putnam street.

Drs. Sigler & Sigler have been having a cement walk built from the street to their office, also cement approaches to the barn.

Miss Mary Kelly after visiting several weeks at her home here and with relatives in Chicago, returned to her work in Ann Arbor Monday.

The Rev. Mrs. Shearer will give an eloquent entertainment in the near future. Watch the paper next week for particulars and program.

Chas. Reason of Bannister, was in town shaking hands with old friends last week. He expected to ship a threshing machine to Bannister but could not get a flat car.

There are 36 district schools in Washtenaw county that have an enrollment of less than 15 pupils. There are 639 such districts in the four southern tiers of counties.—Dexter Leader.

The M. E. pastors in whom Pinckney people are interested in are all returned to their old appointments. Hicks to Pinckney, Wallace to Henderson, Stephens to Plymouth and McMahon to Dearborn.

The tea served by the Church Workers of the Cong'l church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Swarthout last Wednesday evening, was largely attended and a good time enjoyed. The society took in \$11.00.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

We clip the following from the Livingston Democrat in regard to the nomination of prosecuting attorney. Those who know Mr. Shields can sanction every word of the article:—

"Two years ago the party showed its confidence in Mr. Shields in electing him to this important office by a good majority. He has shown his fitness without question. He has also shown his good judgment by refusing to make the county costs upon petty and trivial matters. Mr. Shields has fought his cases as hard as he could, but after the verdict of guilt was secured believed he had done his whole duty, as he never insisted upon malicious or unreasonable punishments, but has tried to use good judgment in all his official transactions. We predict he will be elected by a big majority."

DO YOU PLAY FINCH?

The popular game in this as well as in many of our sister villages is 'finch' a game played with 150 cards with numbers, and very interesting. Many progressive finch parties are given, and much interest taken in the game all over the state. We have a few sets of finch at this office which we sell for 35 cents. Get you a set and be in line for the long winter evenings.

Special Sale

Jabouretts and Stands

The largest line we have ever shown and at prices that will interest you.

SEE US FOR FINE CHINA WARE

Brokaw & Wilkinson.
HOWELL, MICH.

Edward A. Bowman,
DEPARTMENT STORE
HOWELL, MICHIGAN.

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Store is Now at its Best.

NOVELTIES
and
PRETTY THINGS
Attractively
Shown.



Of course you are coming to the great Free Street Fair, and we want you to make your headquarters at our store. Best place in town to buy candy. Take some home with you.

We bid you welcome.

E. A. BOWMAN.

This Season

We are showing a larger line of FALL and WINTER goods than ever before. We invite you to call and look them over. New and Elegant lines in Black Dress Goods, French Flannel Waistings, Dress Trimmings, Ladies' Dress Skirts, Hosiery, Underwear and Tennis Flannels.

Stylish Dress Shoes for Ladies at \$1.50, 1.88, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00
The best values to be had for the money. They are correct in style, with latest toes and at prices that will please you.

Men's Leather Boots, \$2.50 and \$3.00
Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.35, \$3.00 and \$3.25

Specials for Saturday, Sept. 27:

Red Alaska Salmon, 15c @ 11c
A few Men's Work Jackets @ 23c
Ladies' Print Wrappers, to close @ 79c
10 Bed Blankets, @ 59c
10-4 Comfortables @ 98c and \$1.10

F. G. JACKSON.

Corn and Bean

Harvesting Machinery.

The time is near at hand when the above machinery will be in demand. To get the best machines for the business call on

TEEPLE & CADWELL.



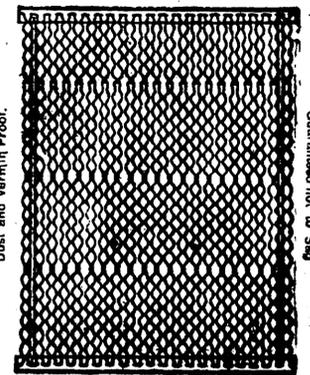
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Is the place to Get Good Meals at Right Prices. Try One of our Dinners and be Convinced.

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Do You Like a Good Bed?



The Surprise Spring Bed
Is the best in the market, regardless of the price, but it will be sold for the present at \$2.50 and \$3.00 and guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Is not this guarantee strong enough to induce you to try it?
For sale in Pinckney by G. A. Sigler & Son.

Manufactured by the SMITH SURPRISE SPRING BED CO.,
Lafayette, Hamburg, Mich.

FROM ALL OVER MICHIGAN

THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR

How the Trip Through Michigan Will Be Made.

A splendid train of six cars will bring President Roosevelt to Detroit on his western tour. In his trip through Michigan the president's train will be given the right of way with a clear track. An average speed of 50 miles an hour will be maintained, although speed will not be sought after, as, of course, the safety of the president will be the primary aim of those in charge.

Two hundred naval reserves from the Yosemite will act as the body guard of the president in the Detroit parade on Monday. They will wear the uniform of the naval militia. They will meet him at the railroad station upon his arrival. While the president was assistant secretary of the navy he came to Detroit and took a cruise on the Yosemite with the naval reserves. When the war with Spain broke out, he saw that they had a good ship because he had taken a fancy to them while here on his cruise. In the parade they will be under command of Lieutenant Commander Strathern Hendric.

The itinerary of the president's Michigan trip is as follows: His train will be delivered to the Michigan Central at Toledo by the C. H. & D., at 3:45 a. m., September 21. The train will leave Toledo at 6 a. m., arriving in Detroit at 8 a. m. sharp. He will leave at 2 p. m. on September 23 for his Indiana trip. He will be returned to the Michigan Central at Chicago on October 3, at 8:30 a. m., by the Illinois Central. He will leave Chicago at 5 a. m. on October 4, for Buchanan, Mich., arriving there at 7:40 a. m., and leaving at 7:45. The train will reach Niles at 8 a. m. and leaving at 8:05 for Dowagiac, arriving there at 8:23 and leaving for Decatur at 8:25, where a two minutes' stop will be made. It will then proceed to Lawton, arriving there at 8:55 and leaving at 8:57 for Kalamazoo, which city will be reached at 9:20. One hour will be spent in Kalamazoo. The next stop will be at Grand Rapids at 11:40. The departure will be at 12:40 for Jackson arriving there at 3:30 p. m. A 10-minute stop will be made in the prison city, after which the train will be turned over to the Lake Shore road.

A Fugitive From Justice.

It is alleged that State Senator Hiram M. High, of Ovid, is a fugitive from justice. His life had apparently been above suspicion, and when rumors began to float about that some transactions in which the senator was concerned were very shady, his friends laughed at them, and declared that High could never be guilty of any such thing.

When the evidence of some of his deals were laid before them they were thunderstruck, and a number were heard to say that henceforth it would be impossible for them to put any faith in human nature.

The exact amount of his transactions cannot be stated at present, but it is intimated that they will reach several thousand dollars, and that a number of Ovid people will be losers.

At least one instance of alleged fraudulent transactions on the part of High has come to light at Owosso, and two others are known of. The man who tells the story and vouches for its accuracy is W. Harvey Axford, hay and grain dealer, who resides at 612 West Main street, Owosso.

James Prall, of Belvidere, N. J., for whom Senator High has been loaning money, states that he has some \$22,000 invested through him, but was unable to state as to the condition of the mortgages, as he had not fully investigated them. When asked if he had found any of them paid, or part paid, he refused to state.

Two Men Asphyxiated.

Two men were found asphyxiated in a room of the Newman house, Ann Arbor, Monday morning, and there is little doubt that they are Whadyslaw Bruski and Jos. Kierzek, of Posen, Presque Isle county. A letter was found in Kierzek's pocket from Martin Crawford, of Posen, to John P. Bostwick, a druggist, at Alpena, asking that Kierzek be directed to the right party in Ann Arbor to have his eyes treated.

An Alpena dispatch says: Kierzek was 30 years old, and leaves a widow and four children. Bruski was 18, and single. Kierzek's widow is Bruski's sister. Both left Alpena Saturday at midnight for Ann Arbor for eye treatment. They had both been afflicted about two months, and were prosperous farmers. Their relatives have been notified and some of them will arrange for returning the bodies.

Roosevelt's Party.

A message received Monday by Assistant City Clerk George T. Gaston, chairman of the Detroit executive committee having in charge the Spanish War Veterans' convention, states that President Roosevelt's party will number from 30 to 35 persons, and asked that arrangements be made for the care of the party at the hotels.

"We will have plenty of money to care for the entertainment of the city's guests, whatever number may come," said Chairman Gaston, after an executive session of the committee in the mayor's office this noon.

Inmate Husband's Mad Act.

Miss Phoebe Grant Stephens, of Saginaw, was united in marriage to Chas. B. Babson, of Atlin, British Columbia, said to be the owner of two of the best gold mines in that district. It is alleged that the acquaintance was the result of a matrimonial advertisement. He awakened her at 2:45 Sunday morning and asked her to light the lamp. He acted strangely and said that she had revolutionized him and that she must go with him at once to Rev. W. H. Gallagher, who performed the wedding ceremony, and tell him about it. She wanted to dress, but he said she must go just as she was. He could not understand who locked the door and broke it open, cutting his hands on the glass.

He walked around the streets, holding her by the arm and yelling that he had been revolutionized. He saw a light in Frank Flewelling's residence and said it was Gallagher's. He tore down the screen and broke in the door, when the owner knocked him down with a cane.

The bride took this opportunity to escape and ran through a woodyard. The insane man then went to the river and walked in, swam nearly across, and the bridge tender who offered help was told to go to it.

When he returned with a rope the man had disappeared. Officers dragged the river all day without results. He was only partially dressed. He had a large sum of money with him in currency and gold in nuggets valued at several hundred dollars.

A Romantic Career.

Mrs. Grace Briggs Robinson Goodlander died at the residence of her parents in Lapeer Tuesday night. She was the wife of David W. Goodlander, assistant freight agent of the Grand Trunk railway at Flint. Although but 20 years of age, Mrs. Goodlander had had more than her share of romance.

Grace Briggs was a pretty girl and popular in social circles here. The announcement of her engagement to a wealthy mine owner in the west, and her subsequent departure for that section of the country to marry Robinson caused quite a local sensation.

The developments following her marriage, however, caused even a greater sensation. Before the marriage ceremony was performed Grace insisted on \$50,000 in gilt edged mining stocks being made over to her for her own use. Robinson willingly acceded to the girl's demand.

Six months later came the news that the young bride had deserted her husband and was on her way home. This was followed by the news of her arrest at Cleveland, O., at the instigation of her husband, who had begun suit to recover the \$50,000 stock dowry. The courts threw out his case, and the bride hung on to the cash. Shortly afterwards she created a third sensation by securing a divorce, which was followed by her marriage to Goodlander.

A Brutal Murder.

In the presence of half a hundred people Neil Sinclair shot and killed Henry Keys at Eckerman, U. P., Thursday morning. Sinclair is now lodged in the county jail at Sault Ste. Marie.

Sinclair and Keys had been drinking in a saloon nearly all night, and this morning got into an altercation. Sinclair left, saying: "I will shoot you." He went to his house and returned a few minutes later with a rifle. Keys was at that time standing in front of the saloon. When within six feet of his victim, Sinclair stopped, raised the rifle to his shoulder and fired. The bullet took effect in Keys' brain, killing him almost instantly.

A big crowd stood around at the time and two of them, Soucer and Framer by name, gave chase. When Sinclair was overtaken he fought stubbornly, using the butt of his rifle. He was aided by his brother, but was finally overpowered and taken to a train and brought to the Soo.

The deed is described by those who saw it as most cold-blooded. Sinclair has nothing to say since his capture.

State Senator High Missing.

Mrs. High, wife of State Senator Hiram M. High, of Ovid, Mich., and her friends, are considerably worried over Mr. High's absence. Some days ago he dropped out of sight, and not a trace of him has been found.

Senator High left his homestead on Sept. 4, saying that he was going to visit his sick brother in Guthrie, Okla. He came direct to Detroit, and after spending a short time here left for his destination Friday, Sept. 12. He arrived safely in Chicago, and there sent a telegram home to his wife, telling her that he would write immediately upon his arrival in Guthrie. These few words were the last she heard from him.

A dispatch was sent to his brother asking him if Senator High had reached there, but as yet no reply has been received. There has been no intimation as yet that he has met any mishap, but there is a great deal of anxiety as to the outcome.

Judge Derrand Speaks.

Judge Derrand is now able to frame words and can speak loudly, although he is not attempting long sentences. His physicians say he will soon be able to speak well again.

The Easy Divorcée.

A jury in the case of Mrs. Arrilla Griswold vs. Frank Hulburt, of DuPont, divorced in the Circuit Court, after being out 12 hours. Of the 12 jurors, only one, Dr. Samuel Snyder, of Owosso, held out against giving Mrs. Griswold a verdict. The plaintiff sued for \$10,000 damages because she alleged that her son, Ward Griswold, a minor, had obtained liquor at Hulburt's saloon last February. While drunk on this liquor he robbed a store of his uncle, M. V. Russell, and received a sentence of one year in prison.

Receiv Arraigned.

E. S. Rece, of Kalamazoo, was arraigned before Justice Plackney, in Lansing, on a charge of being one of the conspirators in the famous military clothing steal. Rece waived examination and was bound over to the Circuit Court for trial. He gave \$10,000 bail. It is believed Rece will plead guilty.

STATE NEWS CONDENSED.

The schoolhouses of Coldwater are seriously overcrowded, and a fifth building may have to be erected.

John Jenkins, mine captain at the Newport mine, and alderman of the eighth ward, Ironwood, was killed in an accident at the mine.

The condition of United States Senator Thomas R. Bard, who is dangerously ill of pneumonia at his home in Los Angeles, Cal., is slightly better.

The body of Wm. Heuley, who has been missing from his home in Free-land for several days, has been found near the county house. He had committed suicide by cutting his throat.

Hersey and vicinity was visited Sunday night by one of the most severe frosts ever experienced in September. Corn and potatoes are badly damaged and will be a very light crop in Oscoda county.

James Noru, of Standish, has just purchased all the pine and hardwood timber belonging to the Rifle River Lumber company, including their mill and stock on Rifle river. Consideration, \$6,000.

Adjt.-Gen. Fowler, of the National G. A. R., says that veterans need not worry about being provided with free quarters at the national encampment. Ample provision will be made to care for every one.

Detective Northgraves, of London, Wednesday took Fred Butler back to Ontario. Butler was arrested in Flint charged with stealing six head of cattle and confessed his guilt, going back without requisition.

Fred Miller was accidentally killed at Grand Rapids, Minn., while hunting. He was 29 years old. He had lived in Saginaw all his life until seven years ago and was well known. He leaves a sister in Saginaw, Mrs. George Spindler.

Arthur Myers, a foreman in Patterson's No. 3 carriage factory, in Flint, undertook to show an employe how to manipulate a machine. When he got through he had a thumb on which the ligaments had been torn loose.

A movement is on foot among operatives in the factories at Battle Creek to buy a farm near the city limits and plant it, making a co-operative village. The land comprises 40 acres, and it is intended that 40 families shall occupy one acre each.

Fred Butler, of Strathroy, Ont., charged with stealing cattle, was arrested in Flint Monday by Chief Carton, on the advice of London, Ont., authorities. He admits his guilt and will return without extradition papers. He took his arrest hard.

F. R. Spencer, former representative in the state legislature from Dowagiac, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Injudicious investments got him into debt, and he ultimately lost all his possessions. He is now an employe at the Round Oak stove factory.

Roy Hopper, the Grand Blanc arsonist, was taken to Marquette Monday. He has been very morose, and on four different occasions has hidden the knives sent with his food. A close watch was kept to prevent the prisoner from inflicting injury upon himself.

No trace has yet been found of Chas. B. Babson, the gold mine owner who came 4,000 miles from his home in British Columbia to marry Miss Phoebe Stephens, of Saginaw. The mystery is the talk of the town. He had a small fortune in his pockets.

Samuel Halajlu, an Armenian, who is employed at an Ann Arbor hotel, first came to the United States 14 years ago. After becoming naturalized, he returned to Armenia, was arrested and condemned to death. Dr. J. B. Angell, then minister to Turkey, secured his release.

Israel Delano and Roland Hill have been arrested at Kalamazoo, charged with statutory assault, the victim being Lea, the 13-year-old daughter of David B. Horton, with whom both men have boarded. The girl was an inmate of the reformatory at Adrian for a couple of years, having returned in April.

Thirteen keepers of Saginaw resorts where the liquor law was alleged to have been violated, were recently arrested. On conclusion of the first case Prosecuting Attorney O'Keefe moved that all the cases be dismissed, which was done. The jury in the first case stood 11 for acquittal and 1 for conviction.

The family of Charles Williams of Jackson is sorely afflicted. One of his children is just recovering from a serious illness; Mrs. Williams is at death's door from typhoid fever; Wednesday another child scalded itself so badly it may die, and to cap the climax Williams is confined in jail, he having shown signs of being mentally unbalanced.

THE NEWS OF THE WORLD

HENDERSON RETIRES.

The speaker's reasons for withdrawing from the race.

Speaker Henderson, finding that his views in respect to the treatment of trusts by reducing the tariff in whole or in part, are not in accord with the views of many of his party in Iowa, has declined to accept the nomination for congress, and has withdrawn from the race.

Mr. Henderson gave out an address which stated his views on the tariff and trust questions, and because these views, in his opinion, are not in accord with the state platform and with the opinions of prominent members of his party, he declines to accept the nomination. The address is "To the Republican voters of the third Iowa district." He says, being a Republican he is a protectionist, and if he ever entertained a doubt as to wisdom of a protective policy, a hasty comparison between the present and the past would blot out such doubt. He then speaks with satisfaction of the tariff planks of the last two national platforms. Continuing, he says:

"For three years I have advocated giving control of trusts to congress. In my judgment, proper supervision can never be had until congress has power to treat them. I am glad to see from speeches made by our fearless and upright chief executive, that he is advocating federal control over these corporations, and while in some quarters they may sneer at it, I have not seen any proposition yet, except this, that seems at all likely to bring relief."

The Republican state convention, held in the latter part of July, took strong grounds on the question of reduction of tariff on goods whose production in this country is controlled by trusts, making the following declaration on that subject:

"We favor * * * any modifications of the tariff schedules that may be required to prevent their affording shelter to monopoly."

The Boxers Up Again.

China is on the verge of another Boxer uprising, which may equal that of 1900, according to mail advices received at the state department from Minister Conger. The troubles appear to arise principally from extortionate taxation, combined with resentment against the presence of missionaries, thus justifying the judgment of the department of state, which pointed out to the powers that the demand for excessive indemnities would result in serious internal troubles in China.

Minister Conger presented to the Chinese foreign office a letter from Dr. Cairright, the American missionary of Cheng-Tu-Fu, describing the massacre of native Christians there. Dr. Cairright says that 11 converts were killed by Boxers and that the local officials refused to take measures against the Boxers. The missionaries were guarded by troops and were unable to leave the mission buildings except when escorted by soldiers. Dr. Cairright's recent telegrams say the situation is worse.

Murdered or What?

Nicholas Fish, millionaire, diplomat and descendant of one of the best known of American families, died at the Roosevelt hospital Monday morning, the result of an injury received in Ehrhard's saloon, 205 West Thirty-fourth street, New York. Whether he was murdered or fell, the police have not yet determined. Conflicting stories are told. Fish had a quarrel with a private detective named Thomas J. Sharkey, who joined the banker at a table where he had been for several hours drinking with Mrs. Libby J. Phillips and Mrs. Nellie Casey.

Mr. Fish's injuries were at first supposed to have been caused by a fall, but under investigation by city detectives, were found to have been the result of a most brutal assault.

Ohio's Volcano.

People living in Paint Creek valley, Ohio, are alarmed over the appearance of smoke and sulphurous gases from Copperas mountain. Ever since the first eruption of Mount Pelee smoke has issued from the mountain at intervals, but only within the past few days have the smoke and gas become especially noticeable and many attribute it to the recent eruptions in Martinique. Investigation shows that the state in the mountain has become hot and some of it has become a dull red from the action of the heat. The smoke issues from the side and not the top of the mountain and scientists will be asked to make a thorough investigation.

Another Murder Mystery.

The nude body of a young woman was found Thursday in the Morris canal between Newark and Jersey City, and was later identified by Joseph Pulitzer, of 160 West Forty-sixth street, Manhattan, as that of his wife Annie, who had been missing since Tuesday. An attempt had been made to sink the body with a 20-pound weight attached to a long hitching strap, the other end of which was tied around the waist. A long stab wound was found in the abdomen and the woman's skull was fractured. After the identification Pulitzer was detained by the police.

Detectives of New York, Jersey City and other nearby cities are working together to unravel the mystery.

A Coal Mine Tragedy.

Eleven bodies have been recovered from the Big Four mine of the Algoma Coal & Coke Co., at Norfolk, W. Va., where 17 miners were imprisoned beyond hope of rescue by an explosion of gas and powder. Of the bodies found 10 were negroes and the other was James Lester, engineer.

Immediately after the disaster the gas and smoke became so thick that all rescuing parties were driven back. H. F. Frankfield, a mine boss, and George Gaspie, a Hun miner, succeeded in crawling over the fallen coal and state after the explosion the lights of the rescuing party and were taken out alive, although badly burned and nearly suffocated by smoldering smoke. An accumulation of gas is supposed to have caught fire from the lamp of a miner, and this in turn fired six kegs of blasting powder that had been stored luck in the mine.

The explosion knocked down all of the brattices for a quarter of a mile back toward the mine entrance, thus cutting out all the air from the imprisoned men.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The forest fires in Washington state, according to the best information, are dying down.

The body of Joseph Green, a prominent Toledo citizen, was found in a slough near Nibley, N. D.

The coal-miners' and barquette factory of the Teah, Coal Co., at Stockton, Cal., have been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$200,000.

The Navajo tribe of Indians in Arizona, numbering 20,000 men, women and children, are facing starvation, owing to long drought and the barren country.

The Kansas City express on the Wattegan Wea and Riverside, six miles, in 251 seconds, the first mile in 52 seconds and the sixth in 30, a rate of 100 miles an hour.

Marlin Butzer, a young Bohemian, living in Chicago, killed himself by cutting his throat rather than be arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct preferred by his mother.

A treasury warrant for \$39,800, appropriated by congress, has been forwarded to Mrs. Ida McKinley for salary which would have been due the late president on July 1, 1902.

All criminal and civil trials have been indefinitely postponed in Franklin county, Ohio, as the result of the declaration of the Supreme Court of the state against special legislation.

A San Francisco paper says that Charles Becker, the "king of forgers," now in San Quentin prison, has been offered a good position in a Chicago bank when he shall be set free.

The condition of Marie Henriette, queen of the Belgians, is hopeless and King Leopold will probably be obliged to shorten his visit at Begueres-de-Luncheon, France, in consequence.

Broken brakes caused a collision between three elevated trains in South Chicago, five persons being seriously injured, two cars wrecked, and three loads of passengers pulled-stricken.

The United States initiative in protesting to the countries which are parties to the treaty of Berlin of 1876 against the treatment of Jews in Roumania meets with approval in England.

The Wisconsin Methodist Episcopal conference in Milwaukee authorized a letter to President Roosevelt calling for a denial of the report that he had asked the Vatican to create Archbishop Ireland a cardinal.

Prof. Eugene Dille, a well-known teacher of Trafalgar, Ind., who disappeared two months ago, was found at Fair Oakes, Miss. away, delirious from the re-opening of a fracture of the skull sustained several years ago.

The Whitehall Company, of the New York state militia, has been ordered to Fort Edward and Sandhill to protect the property of the Hudson Valley Electric Railway Co., employes of which system are on strike. Some violence has occurred and more trouble is feared.

Gen. Joseph Wheeler, who recently returned from France, where he watched the maneuvers of the French army, was very much impressed with the French cavalry and says that, without doubt, the French artillery is the best in the world, better even than our own.

Gen. Bruce, a notorious Indian outlaw, who choked into unconsciousness and layed alive Victoria Maria, a young Indian woman, was captured by Indians in southern Nevada. He was dragged to death by horses and his body was buried.

Decayed meat, treated chemically to hide its condition, and other doctored meats were sold in St. Louis and the other large cities of the country between August, 1890, and May, 1902, by the members of the packers' trust, according to testimony of Thomas L. O'Sullivan, meat and live stock inspector of St. Louis, in the beef trust inquiry.

The postponement of the departure from England of the Canadian minister of finance, W. E. Fielding, is said to be due to the forwardness of the negotiations looking to the establishment of a Canadian-British steamship line which, he and his colleagues can subsidize to the extent of \$750,000 yearly without further appeal to the Dominion parliament.

The Wayfarer

He had no crown upon his head
When he first met me by the way,
His feet upon the thorns had bled,
His eyes were sudden gray.

But in his eyes, stars, moon and sun
Were seen.
He came, his empty hands outstretched;
I gave to him with glad good-will,
And since my pitying heart rebelled
That he should have to die,
I took his gold head to my breast
For rest.

When in his empty hands were piled
With all gifts craved in dreams of mine,
And every word the pilgrim child
Spoke seemed to me a sign;
Joy, Meantime's Desire and Peace most
Fair.

Fell there,
For my great pity in his stress
Because that, sad and bare, he went,
I now am clad with happiness
And rich in sweet content;
'Twas Love, the King, who crossed
my way.

To-day,
—Ethna Carbery in Lippincott's.

A Modern Love Story.

BY VICTOR H. SMALLEY.

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It was on the broad, cool veranda
of the spacious Grand Hotel at Mackinac Island. Scores of fashionably
costumed guests were enjoying the cool,
invigorating breezes wafted from that
big body of water in front of them,
Lake Michigan. The orchestra was
in the midst of a dreamy waltz from
Strauss, and the environment was one
of peaceful languor.

Occasionally the quiet serenity
of the place would be happily interrupted
by a burst of laughter from a group
of young men and women lounging
on the steps leading up to the porch
from the driveway below. A trap or
two, laden with pretty, fresh-looking
girls in white, and lazy, lolling fellows
in blue serge, rattled by, and a few
horsemen and equestriennes ambled
past.

A girl stepped out from the office
and walked slowly down the veranda,
glancing from right to left in search
of a vacant chair. She appeared to be
about twenty years of age, was about
medium height and very fair. Her
face was decidedly pretty, with almost
"Gibsonian" features. Her hair was
almost golden—Tiffan, some would call
it. She walked gracefully, and attracted
considerable attention as she
passed along the piazza.

An unoccupied rocker finally caught
the girl's eye, and she settled down
into it with a little sigh of contentment.
Seated directly at the right of
the girl was a woman of striking
appearance. The "chappies" referred to
her as "stunning"; the middle-aged
men called her an "out and out beauty,"
while the old gray-whiskered fellows
rolled their eyes ecstatically and
said nothing.

The object of this astonishing
amount of admiration was a brunette
in the true sense of the word, and
divinely beautiful. She was of about
medium height and a trifle above the
medium weight, but the slight
superfluity of avoirdupois only accentuated
her charms. Her finely shaped head
was set upon a throat so symmetrical,
so proud and white, that she appeared
to be taller than she really was. Her
complexion was of the Southern type,
olive, with a delicate tinge of rosy hue.
Her eyes were the most attractive of
her many charms. They were large,
luminous, dark as a starless night, and
a fringe of long jet lashes almost hid
them from sight.

As the blonde girl seated herself,
her dark-haired neighbor eyed her
curiously, penetratingly. The glance



Were in the midst of an animated tete-a-tete.

was returned, and both smiled in a
friendly manner. Soon they were in
the midst of an animated tete-a-tete,
the girl doing most of the talking,
while her companion proved to be a
good listener.

The girl said she was from the
North. She was the only daughter of
rich parents, and had just arrived at
Mackinac. No, she hardly knew any-
one, and did feel a trifle lonely. Her

parents were ardent golfists, and were
at that moment deeply engrossed in
the popular game.

They made a striking couple, these
two women of such different types of
beauty, and they were freely com-
mented upon by the passers-by. The
girl chatted away volubly, and was
surprised to find herself making a con-
fident of her new friend. The large
black eyes seemed so friendly and
sympathizing that the girl opened her
heart in a way that all girls do. She
had been away from home so long,



"He's my husband."

and had been so long apart from her
chums and intimates, that she felt
happy in the possession of a new
friend who seemed so interested in her
girlish adventures and confidences. At
first she spoke only of her school days
at Smith, but was soon telling of her
love-affairs, an ample amount always
being the property of every winsome
miss who has passed her twentieth
birthday.

"But I am really and truly in love,
now," she went on, coloring prettily.
"I met him on the 'Maize' on our
way here from Chicago. He is very
handsome and is quite a good deal
older than I. I first saw him in the
dining saloon; he sat opposite me, and
was so polite and courteous in hand-
ling such things that were out of my
reach. He looked at me rather per-
sistently, I should think. Once, when
he passed me the salad, our hands
touched, and I fancied that he tried to
squeeze mine.

"That evening our folks played cards
in the cabin, and I went out on the
deck to enjoy the beautiful night. It
is simply glorious on Lake Michigan
after dark! I drew up my chair at
the stern of the boat, behind a big
wheel which is never used, and be-
gan to doze and dream of—well, I
thought of him.

"Suddenly I felt a thrill shoot
through me, and I actually believe my
heart stood still. I knew he was near.
It was so dark I could scarcely see
my hand in front of my face, yet I
was positive he was approaching.
Presently I heard his voice, and he
said:

"Pardon me, little friend, if I
seem rude; but I am lonely, and you
do not appear to be very well enter-
tained, either. May I sit down and
chat with you. Misery loves company,
you know."

"Oh, I know I should have sent him
away, but I didn't, and we talked for
over an hour. He was so interesting,
and seemed to be very cultured and
a great traveler. He spoke of Paris
and Calcutta in the same breath, and
entertained me greatly with his remi-
niscences. How I did hate to go in!
But I knew that I had already broken
too many rules of propriety, so I bade
him good-night and went to my state-
room.

"Did he kiss me?" The girl averted
her face and her lips trembled as she
answered frankly, "Yes, and I am not
sorry, either."

"Well," she continued, "I did not
see much of him next day, as I was

with my parents almost all of the
time. I caught a glimpse of him at
the dock when we landed here, and
he raised his hat as he shook hands
with me and said:

"Good-by, little friend; we shall
meet again."

"I saw him a few minutes later as
he jumped into a carriage, and—"

The girl stopped suddenly. Her
hands, clasped together, trembled per-
ceptibly, and her face was suffused
with a crimson blush. She was look-
ing towards the driveway, where a
horse and his rider came slowly up
the path. The rider was a man of
about forty. His brown, curly hair
was streaked about the temples with
gray. He was tall, looked every inch
an athlete, and rode with the grace
and ease of a trained trooper.

The dark-eyed woman followed the
gaze of her companion, and when she
caught sight of the handsome rider
her face lighted up with an amused
smile, and she waved her hand fami-
liarly. The rider touched his whip
to his hat, and smiled.

"There," faltered the girl; "that is
he."

"Who?" asked her new friend.
"Why, he whom I met on the boat—
the man I love," returned the girl im-
petuously.

"Ah, my dear," said the brunette,
smiling compassionately, "you mustn't
mind him, you know."

"Then you know him?"

"Slightly; he's my husband."

NO POUND WEIGHTS IN TROY.

Measure Exists Only in the School
Books and Not With Jewelers.

"Did it ever occur to you," said a
college professor to a Chicago gold-
smith, "that you have no such thing
as a pound weight?"

It had, but the professor is willing
to bet that not one graduate of a high
school out of twenty has an idea that
there is not a metal weight of twelve
ounces to represent the Troy pound.
But there is no such thing. Twelve
Troy ounces make a pound, but there
is no such material unit of measure-
ment. There are the grain, the scruple,
the drachm, and the ounce
weights, but nothing more. The man
who has ten pounds of gold in reality
has only 120 ounces, and for him to
go into the gold market and speak of
gold by the pound would be for him to
be laughed at.

Incidentally these units of measure-
ment in the Troy scale look a good
deal more like Greek or Chinese coins
than they look like weights. For the
average high school graduate to pick
up a set of these weights would be to
bewilder him.

It is the contemplation of such ab-
surdities of the English tables of
weights and measures that bring the
student to the metric system as the
same solution of it all.

FUTURE OF NAVAL WARFARE

English Periodical Tells How Bat-
tles Will Be Fought.

In the next naval battle the ships
engaged will be arranged in three cat-
egories. Nearest to the enemy's ar-
ray will be the battleships, drawn up
in one line in close order as of old;
they will, as a rule, follow each other,
just in the same way as did the ships
of a century ago, but at a high speed
in lieu of a low one. Unlike the old
timers, the modern battleships will
not come to close quarters. They will
use their guns, not at musket-shot
range, or, say 200 yards, but at ranges
approaching 3,000 to 4,000 yards. They
will not come within 2,000 yards of
their opponent, lest they be torpedoed.
Farther from the enemy than the bat-
tle line will be the cruisers, trusting
mainly to guns, as do their heavy
consorts, but keeping at a greater
range, in order to get the protection
which distance will always give. If
a favorable chance offers, they might
support the torpedo craft in a dash
at the enemy's battle line. Out of
range altogether will be the torpedo
craft, ready to dash in if a favorable
opportunity offers, but taking no risks
early in the action lest their use-
fulness should be lost when their ser-
vices are required.—Blackwood's Mag-
azine.

The London Sewer Hunter.

The London sewer hunter before
commencing operations provides him-
self with a bullseye lantern, a canvas
apron and a pole some seven or eight
feet in length, having an iron attach-
ment at one end somewhat in the
shape of a hoe. For greater conveni-
ence the lantern is invariably fixed to
the right shoulder, so that when walk-
ing the light is thrown ahead, and
when stooping its rays shine directly
to their feet. Thus accoutered they
walk slowly along through the mud,
feeling with their naked feet for any
thing unusual, at the same time rak-
ing the accumulation from the walls
and picking from the crevices any ar-
ticle they see. Nothing is allowed to
escape them, no matter what its value
provided it is not valueless. Old iron,
pieces of rope, bones, current coin
of the realm and articles of plate and
jewelry—all is good fish which comes
to the hunter's net.

An alpenstock for a mountain; com-
mon sense for philosophy.

Fought the Hangman.

Peter Hernia was hanged in the
county jail at Hackensack, N. J., Fri-
day, for the murder of Barney Kanter,
a butcher, but before his execution
was accomplished, Hernia made a desper-
ate fight.

When two deputy sheriffs ap-
proached him to strip his arms, he
suddenly tore off two brass brackets
on the side of his cell and, getting into
the corridor, leaped over a partition.
He then tore off a piece of lead pipe
and crouching in a corner shouted that
he would brain anyone that came near
him.

By this time the jail was in an up-
roar. The sheriff and his deputies
were at first puzzled as to how to deal
with the murderer and disarm him,
but finally turned a hose on him.
Hernia was finally overpowered and
securely strapped. He was then
placed in a chair and carried to the
gallows, his clothing dripping wet.

Thirty Dead—Misery Appalling.

Thirty dead, an unestimated number
missing and probably burned, and
many hundreds homeless are the trag-
ic known results to date of the vast
forest fires which are devastating Ore-
gon and Washington. The value of
the property already destroyed is in
the millions and still the flames sweep
on. The misery of those who have
escaped sudden death by fire is appal-
ling. One whole party of survivors
was found clad only in gunny sacks
and even the more fortunate of the
refugees are ruined so far as this
world's goods go.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27.
DETROIT OPERA HOUSE—"Foxy Grandpa"
Saturday Matinee at 2; Evenings at 8.
LYCUM THEATRE—"Al Wilson"—Saturday
Matinee 2; Evenings, 8:30, 10:30 and 12:30.
WHITNEY THEATRE—"In Convict Stripes"
Matinee, 1:30, 2:30; Evenings, 10:30, 12:30.
WONDERLAND—Afternoons, 2:15; 10:30 to 12:30;
Evenings, 8:15; 10:30 to 12:30.

BASE BALL.

Below we publish the standing of
the American and National league clubs
up to and including the games played
on Friday, September 19, 1902.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Per cent.
Philadelphia	78	50	.600
St. Louis	78	54	.588
Boston	72	57	.558
Chicago	69	76	.475
Cleveland	66	62	.516
Washington	57	71	.445
Detroit	48	79	.378
Baltimore	47	81	.367

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Per cent.
Pittsburg	97	51	.654
Brooklyn	90	59	.604
Boston	85	63	.574
Cincinnati	64	65	.496
Chicago	62	67	.481
St. Louis	55	70	.438
Philadelphia	51	76	.406
New York	48	80	.375

THE MARKETS.

East Buffalo—Cattle—Receipts, 125;
steady; prime steers, \$7.50; good to
choice, \$6.75; common to best butchers
steers, \$5.50; heifers, \$5.75; cows, \$2.50
to \$3.00; calves, \$2.50; hogs, \$5.00; pig-
gers, \$3.50; stockers, \$3.40; stock
heifers, \$2.75; 50; veals, good to choice,
\$7.50; 50; others, \$5.00 to 7.50.
Hogs—Heavy, \$7.00; medium, \$7.00;
7.50; yorkers, \$6.50; light, \$7.00;
pigs, \$7.00; 50; 50; 50; 50; 50; 50;
\$5.00; grassers, \$7.00; dairies, \$7.00;
7.50.
Sheep—Top lambs, \$5.00; 55; fair to
good, \$5.25; 40; culls to common, \$4.00;
yearlings, \$4.50; 40; others, \$4.00; 35;
\$3.50; 35; sheep, top mixed, \$3.75; fair
to good, \$3.50; 30; culls to common,
\$1.75; 30.

Chicago, cattle—Good to prime steers,
\$7.50; 55; poor to medium, \$4.50; stockers
and feeders, \$2.50; 25; cows, \$1.50; 25;
heifers, \$2.50; 25; calves, \$2.50; 25; Texas fed steers,
\$3.40; 50; western steers, \$3.75; 50;
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$7.50; 50;
good to choice, \$7.50; 50; rough
heavy, \$7.00; 50; light, \$7.50; 50; bulk of
sales, \$7.50; 55.
Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$3.50;
4; fair to choice mixed, \$2.50; 35; native
lambs, \$2.50; 35.

Grain.

Detroit, wheat—No. 1 white, 77c bid; No.
2 red, 5 cars at 77c; September, 5.00 bu. at
72c; Dec. 12,000 bu. at 72c; 5,000 bu. at
72c; 5,000 bu. at 72c, closing nominal
at 72c; No. 3 red, 4 cars at 68c; mixed
winter, 72c; by sample, 1 car at 72c; 2 at
61c; 2 at 62c; 1 at 60c; per bu.
Corn—No. 3 mixed, 61c; No. 3 yellow,
5 cars at 54c per bu.
Oats—No. 3 white, 4 cars at 31c; Sep-
tember, 31c; No. 4 white, 2c asked.
Rye—No. 2 spot, 3 cars at 51c; closing
nominal at 51c; No. 2 rye, 4c bid; bid.
Beans—Spot and September, \$1.83 asked;
October, \$1.75 bid; November, 3 cars at
\$1.70; prime spot, \$1.60 per bu.
Chicago, wheat—No. 2 spring, 72c; 74c;
No. 3, 62c; No. 2 red, 73c; 73c; Corn,
No. 2, 58c; No. 3, 57c; No. 2 yellow, 54c;
Oats—No. 2, 24c; No. 3 white, 30c;
Rye—No. 2, 50c.

Produce.

Butter—Creameries, extra, 24c; 22c; fir-
st, 20c; 21c; fancy selected dairy, 18c; 17c;
good to choice, 16c; 15c; baker's grades, 11c;
Eggs—Candied, fresh receipts, 19c; 20c;
at mark, 18c; 15c; per doz.
Evaporated apples—2 1/2c per lb; sun-
dried, 4c; 4c; per lb.
Peas—Yellow fancy, \$1.75; A. A., \$1.50;
A, \$1.25; common, 50c; 70c per bu.
Apples—Common, 25c; 70c per bbl; fancy,
\$1.00; 75 per bbl.
Honey—No. 1 white, 12c; light amber,
10c; dark amber, 8c; extracted, 6c;
6c; per lb.
Cheese—New full cream, 11c; 11c; brick,
11c; 11c.
Onions—Michigan, 40c; 50c per bu.
Peas—Bartlett, fan-y, 50c; 70c per bu.
Potatoes—40c; 50c per bu.
Wool—Detroit buyers are paying the fol-
lowing prices: Medium and coarse, un-
washed, 10c; fine do, 12c; hucks, 10c; un-
washed tags, 6c; per lb.
Detroit, Cattle—Trade dull, supply heavy.
Light tidy heifers in demand; rough, half-
fat steers were dull and lower. Stockers
and feeders were extremely dull and hard
to sell.
Prime milkers and well-bred springers
were strong and active at 12c; 12c each;
common cows were dull at 10c; 10c each;
veal calves strong and active at 12c; 12c;
per cwt.
Sheep—Best lambs, 5c; light to good, and
good mixed lots, \$3.75; 4; yearlings, \$3.40;
\$3.50; culls and common, \$2.50; 2.50;
fat Yorkers, \$2.75; 15; pigs and stables hogs,
\$2.50; 75; rough hogs, 20c; stags, one-
third off; cripples, \$1 per cwt off.

THE SENSE OF HUMOR.

Happy is the Man Who Possesses It
in Reason.

Largely a sense of humor is one of
the most precious gifts that can be
bestowed to a human being. He is
not necessarily a better man for hav-
ing it, but he is a happier one. It
renders him indifferent to good or bad
fortunes. It enables him to enjoy his
own discomfiture. Blessed with this
sense he is never unduly elated or
cast down. No one can ruffle his tem-
per. No abuse disturbs his equanimity.
Boredom does not bore him. Humbugs do
not impose on him. Sentimental gush
does not influence him. The follies
of the moment have no hold on him.
Titles and decorations are but child-
ish baubles in his eyes. Prejudice
does not warp his judgment. He is
never in conceit or out of conceit with
himself. He abhors all dogmatism.
The world is a stage on which actors
strut and fret for his edification and
amusement, and he pursues the even
currents of his way, invulnerable, fol-
lowing what is right and proper accord-
ing to his lights, but utterly indifferent
whether what he does finds approval
or disapproval from others. If Hamlet
had any sense of humor he would not
have been a nuisance to himself and
to all surrounding him.—London
Truth.

Undisputed for Half a Century.

It is a remarkable fact, which for
half a century has not once been dis-
puted, that St. Jacobs Oil never fails
to cure shooting pains in the arms,
legs, sides, back or breast, or soreness
in any part of the body.

It has for fifty years been guaran-
teed by the proprietors, St. Jacobs Oil
Ltd., Baltimore, Md., to promptly cure
lameness, sciatica, rheumatism, lum-
bago, stiff and swollen joints, stiff
back, and all pains in the hips and
loins, strains, bruises, burns, scalds,
toothache, chilblains, and all aches
and pains.

St. Jacobs Oil costs 25 cts and 50
cts; sold wherever a druggist is found.

Spain Expels Derouleda.

San Sebastian, Spain, cable: The
government of Spain has ordered that
Paul Derouleda, the French political
conspirator, be expelled from the coun-
try, and the exile accordingly left with-
out stating his destination.

Ping-Pong Cause for Divorce.

Thomas Ford, a Southsea, Eng-
land, boarding housekeeper, who stated that
his wife sat up late to play ping-pong
obtained a decree recently in the di-
vorce court.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-
Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new
shoes easy. Cures swollen, hot, aching,
aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and
bunions. All druggists and shoe stores,
25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Ad-
dress Allen S. Ousted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Gas Kills Hotel Guests.

Ann Arbor, Mich., special: L. W.
Bruski and Joseph Kiersak of Posen,
Mich., were found dead on the floor
of a room in the Newman house. It
is supposed that they turned on the gas.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.

Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse
in the Children's Home in New York. Cures
Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Dis-
orders, colic, and regulates the bowels and
Destroys Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials.
At all druggists, 25 cents. Sample FREE. Ad-
dress Allen S. Ousted, LeRoy, New York.

Never borrow trouble. If the evil is

not to come, it is useless, and so much
waste; if it is to come, best keep all
your strength to meet it.—Tryon Ed-
wards.

No woman's guardian angel treats
her right if she doesn't tell her when
the frost will hurt her palm if she
leaves it out on the porch over night.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, soothes the gums, reduces in-
flammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

The reason some folks "lose their mind"
must be that they have given others "a
piece of their mind" so often, they have
none left for themselves.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All
druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

There never was a day that did not bring
its own opportunity for doing what never
could have been done before, and never can
again.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible
plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's
Ointment cures quickly and permanently.
At any drug store, 50 cents.

Our incomes are like our shoes; if too
small, they gall and pinch us; but if too
large, they cause us to stumble and trip—

Takes the burn out; heals the wound;
cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil,
the household remedy.

Good temper, like a sunny day, sheds a
brightness over everything. It is the sweet-
ener of toil and the soother of disquietude.

If you wish beautiful, clean, white clothes
use Red Cross Ball Soap. Large 3 lb.
package, 5 cents.

Would you know how to give? Put your-
self in the place of him who receives.

I am sure Pina's Care for Ovaries will save
my life three years ago.—Mrs. T. P. Doan,
Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

A small but good-paying business plant is
better than an unproductive family tree.

The Pluckey Dispatch.

F. L. ANDREWS & CO. PROPRIETORS.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 25, 1902.

FALL EXCURSIONS

Via Grand Trunk Railway System.

Boston and return, single fare for the round trip. Going dates Oct. 7th to 11th inclusive. Extension of limit until Nov. 12th on payment of 50c at Boston.

Washington and return one cent per mile each way account G.A.R. Going dates Oct. 3d to 6th inclusive. Extension of limit until Nov. 3rd on payment of 50c at Washington.

New York and return at very low fares. Going dates Oct. 3rd to 6th inclusive. Return limit Oct. 14th 1902.

San Francisco, Portland, Spokane and Salt Lake City one way second class settlers tickets will be sold to those points at a very low fare during September and October.

For further information call on your local agent or write to Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Chicago, Ill. t41

REWARD.

We the undersigned druggists, offer a reward of 50 cents to any person who purchases of us, two 25c boxes of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters Tablets, if it fails to cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache, jaundice, loss of appetite, sour stomach, dyspepsia, liver complaint, or any of the diseases for which it is recommended. Price 25 cents for either tablets or liquid. We will also refund the money on on package of either if it fails to give satisfaction.

F. A. Sigler,
W. B. Darrow,

Neither Fear Nor Favor.

A tactful refusal is sometimes hard to compass; yet a "no" may contain a sifter savor than many an assent. There is a story of Archbishop Whately, who was walking in a London city park one day with a curate and Charles Lever, the novelist.

The archbishop was greatly interested in mushrooms, and he picked one and ate a piece of it, at the same time handing a bit to the curate.

"What do you think of that, Mr. A.?" he asked.

The curate did not especially like it, and moreover he was not sure whether it could be safely eaten. Nevertheless, this was his superior in office, a man who must not be offended.

"I think, my lord," said he, obsequiously, "if it had a little pepper and salt it would be delicious."

"Here, Lever," said the archbishop, "you taste it and see what you think of it."

"Many thanks, your grace," said Lever, calmly, "but I am not a clergyman. It is true that I have a brother in holy orders, but he is not in your grace's diocese."

The archbishop laughed, better pleased with this cleverness of evasion than by a dull acquiescence, and ate the mushroom himself.

A Boy's Wild Ride for Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at F. A. Sigler's drug store.

Two Sad Things.

I have just fallen upon the two saddest secrets of the disease which troubles the age we live in—the envious hatred of him who suffers want and the selfish forgetfulness of him who lives in affluence.—"Journal of a Happy Man."

A Matchless Face.

Ida—She thinks she has a matchless face.
May—I agree with her. She will never make a match as long as she has it.—Chicago News.

ARABIAN COURTSHIP.

Sworn Secrecy Envelops the Wooing and Winning of the Girl.

An Arab loves as none but an Arab can love, but he is also mightily excitable and easily won. An Arab sees a girl bearing water or brushwood and in a moment, almost at a glance, is as madly in love as if he had passed years of courtship. He thinks of nothing else, cares and dreams of nothing else but the girl he loves, and not infrequently, if he is disappointed in his affection, he pines and dies. In order to commence his suit he sends for a member of the girl's tribe and, first insuring his secrecy by a solemn oath, confesses his love and entreats his confidant to arrange an interview.

The confidant goes to the girl, gives her a flower or a blade of grass and says: "Swear by him who made this flower and us also that you will not reveal to any one that which I am about to unfold to you."

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Don't let a cold run at this season. Summer colds are the hardest kind to cure and if neglected may linger along for months. A long seige like this will pull down the strongest constitution. One Minute Cough Cure will break up the attack at once. Safe sure, acts at once. Cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. The children like it. At W. B. Darrow's.

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The English walnut is said to be the most profitable of all nut bearing trees. When in full vigor, they will yield about 300 pounds of nuts to the tree. The nuts sell on an average at about fourpence per pound. If only twenty-seven trees are planted on an acre, the income would be about £135 per acre.—London Answers.

A Remarkable Record.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a remarkable record. It has been in use for over thirty years, during which time many million bottles have been sold and used. It has long been the standard and main reliance in the treatment of croup in thousands of homes, yet during all this time no case has ever been reported to the manufacturers in which it failed to effect a cure. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even as soon as the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is pleasant to take, many children like it. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by F. A. Sigler.

Man's Greatest Enemy.

"Fatigue is one of the greatest enemies of the human race," says a writer in Ainslee's. "Modern physiology shows that it is the cause of nearly half and perhaps more of the several hundred catalogued diseases that prey upon man. In our age, with its high pressure, its hot and bitter competition and the unrelenting struggle for survival, its moral and physical ravages are steadily increasing. Cities, in which an ever larger proportion of our people dwell, are biological hothouses and, for some, furnaces, forcing development prematurely and encouraging late hours and excitement and consuming nerve and brain."

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This is not a gentle word—but when you think how liable you are not to purchase for 75c the only remedy universally known and a remedy that has had the largest sale of any medicine in the world since 1868 for the cure and treatment of Consumption and Throat and Lung troubles without losing its great popularity all these years, you will be thankful we called your attention to Boschee's German Syrup. There are so many ordinary cough remedies made by druggists and others that are cheap and good for light colds perhaps, but for severe Coughs, Bronchitis, Croup—and especially for Consumption, where is difficult expectoration and coughing during the nights and mornings, there is nothing like German Syrup. Sold by all druggists in the civilized world.
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See Mistake.

Two elderly women and an old man, evident strangers in the city and who were carefully guarding a huge telescope between them, stood in front of the Grand for an hour the other day, waiting for some kind-soul to direct them to the residence of a friend they had come to visit. The noise and bustle of the city evidently confused them, and they stood bewildered, not knowing which way to turn. Finally one of the women plucked up courage to address a man who was passing, saying: "Could you tell me where Will Blank lives?"

"Who?" inquired the man.

"Why, Will Blank. He used to live next door to us at Elinton, and we have come in to see him."

The man had to acknowledge he had never even heard of Will Blank, and the old lady turned away with a scornful smile, saying, "Oh, I thought perhaps you lived here."—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Take care of the Stomach.

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No profession has advanced more rapidly of late than surgery, but it should not be used except where absolutely necessary. In cases of piles for example, it is seldom needed. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures quickly and permanently. Unequaled for cuts, burns, bruises, wounds, skin diseases. Accept no counterfeits. "I was so troubled with bleeding piles that I lost much blood and strength," says J. C. Phillips, Paris, Ill. "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me in a short time." Soothes and heals. At W. B. Darrow's.

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The gentle art of speeding a parting guest is not new. The story from Hertfordshire, as told in the "Victoria County History" series, reveals the method tried on King James I. Hunting had taken the place of state affairs in the monarch's affections, and one morning a favorite hound was missing. The dog appeared the next day, bearing a message tied to his neck: "Good Mr. Jowler, we pray you speak to the king for us (he hearing you every day and so doth not us) that it will please his majesty to go back to London, for else the country will be undone, all our provisions spent already."



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Lava Streams.

It is scientifically reported that the lava streams from Vesuvius in 1868 were so hot twelve years later that steam was issuing from the cracks and crevices, while the lava beds from the eruption of Etna in 1787 were found to be steaming hot just below the top crust as late as 1840. But still more remarkable are the scientific reports of the volcano Jorullo, in Mexico. This sent forth immense streams of lava in 1759. In 1780 the lava beds were examined by a party of scientists, and it was found that a stick thrust into the crevices instantly ignited, although there was no discomfort experienced in walking on the hardened crust. Again some forty years after the eruption it was visited by scientists and reported to be steaming in many places, and even eighty-seven years after the eruption two columns of steaming vapor were found to be issuing from the crevices. Sometimes the upper crust of such a stream of lava cools so that plants and lichens find precarious growth on the surface, while a few feet beneath the lava is almost red-hot.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Thirty-fifth Judicial Circuit, in Chancery.
Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, in Chancery, at Howell Michigan, on the 18th day of August, A. D., 1902
JOHN C. CUNNINGHAM, Complainant,
vs.
MARY C. B. CUNNINGHAM, Defendant.
On reading and filing due proof by affidavit that the said Mary C. B. Cunningham has left her last known place of residence in the state of Michigan and departed therefrom and her place of residence cannot be ascertained on motion of W. H. S. Wood, solicitor for said complainant.
It is ordered that the said defendant Mary C. B. Cunningham appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause within five months from date of this order and that in default thereof the said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendant Mary C. B. Cunningham.
And it is further ordered that this order be published once in each week for six successive weeks in the PUCKEY DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in said county of Livingston the first publication to be within twenty days from the date of this order.
DAVID D. HANSEN, Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county of Livingston.
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In effect May 25, 1902.

Trains leave South Lyon as follows:

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10:16 a. m., 2:19 p. m., 8:58 p. m.

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For Saginaw and Bay City,
10:16 a. m., 2:19 p. m., 8:58 p. m.

For Toledo and South,
10:16 a. m., 2:19 p. m., 8:58 p. m.

FRANK BAY, H. F. MOELLER,
Agent, South Lyon. G. P. A., Detroit.

MORTGAGE SALE.
Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date the 21st day of January, 1899, made by L. C. Bennett and Fanny Bennett, his wife, to William Potterton and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of Livingston in the State of Michigan, on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1899, in Liber eighty-three (83) of Mortgages on pages 496 and 497, by the non-payment of the principal and interest due thereon by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due for principal and interest at the date of this notice the sum of two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and forty cents (\$237.40) and also an attorney fee therein provided; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the amount due and secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; Notice is therefore hereby given, that on Saturday the 29th day of November, 1902, at one o'clock in the afternoon there will be sold at the Western front door of the Court House in the village of Howell, in the County of Livingston, and state of Michigan (said court house being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston is held) at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage as above set forth with interest thereon, and the attorney fee and costs, charges, and expense allowed by law and as provided for in said mortgage.
The description of the premises to be sold is as follows:
One (1) acre of land from the West part of the Southwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) in township one (1) North of Range Ave (6) East, said acre of land being in the Southwest quarter of the above described land and described as follows:
Commencing at the Southwest corner of section twenty-five (25) going east eight (8) rods, thence north twenty (20) rods, thence west eight (8) rods to section line, thence south along said section line to place of beginning.
Dated September 2, 1902.
WILLIAM POTTERTON, Mortgagee.
BENNETT & BENNETT,
Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Went Him One Better.
A well known Glasgow divine related the following anecdote, showing that the ready wit of a countryman was more than a match for him:
He was going to the country for his holidays and was in a railway train when a young man entered. In a short time the young man commenced a conversation, in the course of which the clergyman asked the youth what he wanted.
"I am a coupler, sir," was the reply.
"A coupler? So am I," replied the clergyman with a laugh.
The youth looked at him for a moment and then burst into a fit of laughing.
"Oh, I see; you're a minister," he said. "Ye marry folks. But I gang for the same as ye. I built couplers all my life."
The clergyman laughed heartily and acknowledged that the youth had the better of the rally.

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A young man bashfully approached a popular official a few days ago and said:

"Judge, I have come to ask your advice. You have always been like a father to me, and I have now come to you in a very important matter. I am thinking of getting married."
"Well, young man," interrupted the judge, "if you are thinking of getting married go do it right away. Don't wait, because the girl might not be willing this time tomorrow."
"But, you see," protested the youth, "I'm afraid I'm not able to take care of her."

"Tut, tut," deprecatingly retorted the judge. "Why, when I got married I was twenty-one years old and \$1,800 in debt."

"Is that so?" exclaimed the other, with happy encouragement gleaming from his eye. "And I suppose you must now be worth about—"
"And now," concluded the judge, "I'm only \$3,000 in debt."
"The young man has not yet married."—Paducah (Ky.) Sun.

African Snakes.
The African cobra is regarded somewhat reverently by the natives of that country, who once a year kill a cobra de capello and hang its skin to the branch of a tree, tail downward. Then all the children born during the last year are brought out and made to touch the skin. This the parents think puts them under the serpent's protection. The cobra de capello divides with the horned viper of Africa the questionable honor of being the "worm of the Nile," to whose venomous tooth Cleopatra's death was due.

The Kaffirs use the venom of this snake's cousin, the puff adder, to poison their arrows, and when they have any small quantity left they swallow it, having a theory that it will protect them from the bad effects of future bites. The Snake tribe of the Punjab say that the bites of snakes do not hurt them, and if they find a dead serpent they dress it in clothes and give it a superb funeral.

Why Americans Drink.
Pleasurable, emotional excitement is a great inducement to drink. It is like a stimulant of work is liable to leave the muscles and nerves tense and overstrained. We often see people whose faces are flushed and showing that inspiration impulses continue to flow out from the brain centers after toll is over. We Americans lack the very words gemuth and esprit and it is very hard for us to entirely forget the struggle for existence in social intercourse. The careful studies of Partridge and others show that the desire for this kind of unbending is one of the chief causes that lead Americans to drink, because they have lost the power to feel the normal exhilaration which inspiration stimulates. Instinct points to this as a great boon, and so it is sought over cups and glasses in the conviviality that comes from artificial stimulation. A little more rollicking jollity, with jest and quip with congenial friends, the tale, the song, perhaps the quiet, harmless game that does not overtax the system—of all this we have too little in our sterner American life, with its tendencies to overtonicity and cramps of will and attention.

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Very careful experiments have been made to test the delicacy of the sense of smell in human beings. A series of solutions of five different substances was prepared, each series being so arranged that every solution was of half the strength of the preceding one. These series were extended by successive dilutions till it was impossible to detect the odors. The order of the bottles containing these solutions was completely disarranged, and the test consisted in the attempt to classify them by the sense of smell alone.

An equal number of male and female observers were selected from the best apothecaries' shops, and each was required to arrange the bottles. The males were able to detect the smell of the nitrate of amyl in the solution of 1 part to 783,000 of water, and the females were able to detect it in the solution of 1 part to 311,000 of water. The oil of wintergreen was detected in about the same proportion and to the same extent of dilution. There was, therefore, a very great preponderance in favor of the males as to the sensitiveness and discrimination of the sense of smell. This is certainly an astounding fact.—Gentleman's Magazine.

Not Doomed for Life.
"I was treated for three years by good doctors," writes, W. A. Greer, McConneville, O., "for piles and fistula but when all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me in two weeks. Cures burns, bruises, cuts, corns, sores eruptions, salt rheum, piles or no pay. 25c at F. A. Sigler's drug store.

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A young Yorkshire collier, anxious to pop the question to a girl whom he honestly admired, but not having the courage to ask her straight out, adopted a method of sounding her which romantic people will be inclined to think rather too practical.

"Jessie, my lass," he said nervously, "Ah've insured my life."
"Has ta, lad?" said the damsel indifferently.
"Aye, an' Ah'm thinkin' Ah'm a fool for doin' it."
"How's ta mak that art?"
"Why, supposin' Ah get killed in t' pit, where does ta think t' money'll go?"
"Why, to thy ferther, for sure."
"True enough, an' it ain't fair. It ought to be paid to my wife."
"To thy wife! Why, tha hasn't got one, Bill."
"That's just it," cried Bill in a burst of confidence. "Tha're a nice lass, Jessie, an' Ah want thee to have that money."
"Why couldn't ta say so at fust?" cried Jessie joyfully.
Then the happy couple embraced and trotted off to break the news to Jessie's mother.—Pearson's.

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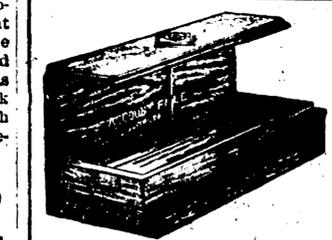


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FRICKNEY MICHIGAN

Japan is after war vessels...

It appears to be greatly in need of a good, energetic mother-in-law.

Bartholin was not the only man whose remains might be identified by his jaw.

After escaping Miss Deacon the crown prince of Germany has bought an automobile.

The London Saturday Review must be a welcome visitor at William Waldorf Astor's house.

The wise man never judges a political situation by the length of the torchlight procession.

It isn't every motorman that can boast of having had a presidential fist shaken under his nose.

Poor old Niagara. Almost any ham can go through without getting killed. What attraction is left?

This is an off year in politics, but the ping-pong craze is doing its best to make up the deficiency.

Probably Rudyard Kipling's idea of heaven is that it is a place where you don't meet any of your relatives.

Sir Thomas Lipton continues to regard the cup as one of the best advertisements available for his business.

If all the stories we hear about John W. Gates are true, how does it happen that anybody else has any money?

They say that there is just as much bicycling as ever, but the bicycle trust doesn't seem to be able to prove it.

That boy in Iowa who committed suicide rather than go to school would not have been benefited much by an education.

Japan's courtesy in waiving all claim to Wake Island is appreciated. Uncle Sam needs the rock for use as a telegraph pole.

It is getting to be more or less unwise to pick up a newspaper without finding the headline, "Killed by an Automobile," in it.

The editor of the London Saturday Review has to keep a file handy to lite on whenever he happens to think of the United States.

The anarchists are making another still hunt for the king of Italy and hope to catch him either in an automobile or a trolley car.

It cost a Chicago broker \$24,771 to talk with J. P. Morgan three minutes. Some men insist on having the best even if it does come high.

Perhaps the Prophet Amos had the early part of the twentieth century in view when he said: "And the songs of the temple shall be howlings in that day."

The doctors say that the Illinois girl who took arsenic to improve her complexion now has a chance of life. Condition of complexion not reported.

That Washington youth of a hundred years who soundly thrashed a boy of twenty-five proved as ably as he could that a man is only as old as he fights.

A red ribbon stretched across the window is claimed to be an effective bar to mosquitoes. A sledgehammer stretched across the insect is also absolutely sure.

A Milwaukee man has a quart of pearls, and is happy. One hundred and forty-four thousand other Milwaukee men have a quart of beer and are just as happy.

It is now asserted that Saratoga is the wickedest place in the world. The contention must be based on the old fashioned idea that it is wicked to take people's money from them by gambling.

Ten young men and an equal number of young women have formed a celibacy club in New York. The society editors will now watch for cards announcing the approach of at least ten weddings.

From the Congo comes news of the discovery of an octopus, which seizes its human victims and eats nothing but their brains. The young Belgian officer who made the report escaped unharmed.

The Klondyke Gold Mystery

By JOHN R. ...

Author of "The Mystery of the ..."

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CHAPTER IX (Continued)

"Why have you been so long in Alaska?"

"I could not get away," was the answer.

"And you have escaped?"

"Yes."

"Then come with us to the camp on the Klondyke."

"Klondyke—I've heard of it; they often talk about it when they think me asleep, but I do not always sleep when I seem to."

Paul was filled with delight, for there was a chance to unravel the mystery in which he was involved.

Another silence fell on the group, broken by Paul asking:

"Do you know a miner named Glum?"

"Glum—Glum—no."

"Glum Ralston."

The old man again shook his head, declaring he had never known such a person.

From what Glum Ralston had told him he was confident that this mysterious hermit of the woods was the long-lost captain who had followed the Indians to the place where they said gold in great quantities was found.

But when the mysterious hermit disclaimed any knowledge of him at all he was quite as far away from the solution of the problem as he had been before.

Next morning the party resumed their march guided by the sun, which shone a portion of the day.

Paul and the hermit were constantly together, and hourly grew more and more friendly, until, as the noble nature of the hermit unfolded itself, Paul came to love him.

He was known to the hermit by his sobriquet of Crack-lash, for he had been called by no other name since his arrival in Alaska.

Paul was hourly entwining himself about the rugged heart of the old man.

One night when they had halted and the Indians were building a fire for the night the hermit said:

"Crack-lash, you impress me strangely. I don't know why, but I have grown to love you as if you were my nearest relative.

When my own dear boy grows up to manhood I could only wish that he would make as noble a man."

Paul, deeply impressed with the old man's sad story, expressed a hope that he would soon be able to leave Alaska and reach his home, and that his wife and child might yet be alive to welcome him.

Their stock of provisions were running short. One day the Indians came on the trail of a moose and were anxious to start on its trail.

Paul gave them permission to go, while he and the hermit kindled the fire and prepared to make themselves comfortable for the night.

The prisoner as usual sat in sullen silence, with his back against a tree and his eyes fixed on the fire.

Paul and the hermit sat engaged in earnest conversation. The former was talking in a low tone, telling how he had been robbed by the prisoner and three others, and followed them into the forest.

He was in the midst of his narrative when two objects suddenly appeared before them, each with a Winchester rifle and said:

"Surrender or you are dead men."

Resistance was useless; they were prisoners almost before they knew it.

CHAPTER X

Paul Learns That Laura Is in Alaska.

"He, he, he!" chuckled Ned Padgett, rubbing his hands gleefully at seeing the tables turned.

"You have in sight, mate, in good time. Must 'a' had fair winds."

Paul had no difficulty in making out the two men, companions of the third, whom he had met on other occasions.

As these were the men who had robbed him and whom he and old Glum had chased in the forest, there was little mercy to expect from them.

With thongs of seal-skin Paul and the hermit were quickly tied hand and fast, and told they must move on before the Indians returned.

As it was dark and the snow falling rapidly, there was little danger of even the Indians following on their trail, shrewd as they were in such experiences.

The night was dark and the snow falling, so it was difficult traveling.

A strip of walrus hide was tied about the arms of each above their elbows and fastened about their backs.

They were heavily loaded, and threatened with the knotted stick which Ned carried in his hand when they staggered under their heavy loads.

On, on and on they staggered through the darkness, and over the uneven ground.

At last Paul, utterly exhausted, sank down at the foot of a tree.

"Get up! Go on!" cried one of their captors.

"I cannot."

"Ye he!" cried Padgett and raised his club.

But one of his companions quickly interposed with:

"Hold on, Ned. Don't be a fool, now, and throw away every chance we have."

"What ye gold 't' do?" asked Ned.

"We're too far away for the Metlakatians to overtake us, so we will go into camp and wait till morning."

A roaring fire was built against the side of a great stone which reared its snow-capped head a hundred feet into the air.

Paul's pack was removed from his back and he laid on a blanket in front of the fire with the hermit by his side.

The rascal named Morris came to the old man's side and said:

"You said you could not give up that secret if you wished."

"I did."

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Morris stared at him for a moment with wide open eyes and gasped:

"I don't understand you, Cap; you are talkin' in riddles."

"I care very little whether you understand me or not," the old man defiantly answered.

"The secret is lost. It was written in cipher on a walrus hide and the walrus hide is lost."

It was some time before the idea could get through the thick skulls of the ex-sailors, but when they came to fully comprehend the loss they roared like madmen.

Ned seized his knotted stick and swore he would brain them both, but his more cool companion interfered, saying:

"It may all be a trick. After all it may be only a trick to throw us off the trail.

If we decide for the old cuss to pass in his checks, let it be done deliberately and give him time to reflect."

So Padgett decided to let them live and trust to some chance to reveal the hiding place of the money.

Paul had heard the above conversation between their captors and waiting for an opportunity to speak with the hermit when he would not be overheard by them, whispered:

"Is the walrus hide you referred to the one left in the cavern where you took me?"

"Yes."

"I took it."

"You?" There was an expression on the old man's face almost fierce as he asked the question.

"Yes, I took it."

"What did you do with it?"

"Gave it to the miner who was with me before I fell from the precipice and whom I found after leaving the cavern. He said he had seen it before."

"Where?"

"The Indians who had enticed his captain away in search of gold had some such hide, only there had been painted added to it since."

The hermit turned, and fixing his great, earnest eyes on him in astonishment, asked:

"His captain—had he been a sailor?"

"Yes, sir."

"In what seas?"

"Almost all over the world, but his last voyage was in a sealing schooner to St. Paul Island, Alaska, and this coast."

"What was this sailor's name?"

"He is called old Glum."

"No other name?"

"I believe Glum Ralston is his name, but after all his real name, I don't think, is known.

In this country nearly everybody goes by some nickname, and I fancy that Glum Ralston was only a nickname."

"Might have been Jack Ralston."

"Well, since you mention it, I believe I once heard him say his real name was Jack Ralston; however, I will not be sure."

The hermit was very calm. Paul waited a long time for him to answer, but the old man was silent as the grave.

Then two of their captors came near where they were sitting, and they dared not talk anymore.

Their journey was very painful and difficult. Grown desperate, Paul had determined to escape from their captors even if he had to kill them.

One day they reached a great, gloomy cavern which extended to an unfathomable depth in the earth.

Their captors had pine knots on the wall about the cavern, and lighting two of these went back to where there were piles of dead grass and a table of stone on which lay a pack of greasy cards.

Here they took up their abode.

Several days passed, and then Morris and Padgett left the cavern in charge of Tom Ambrose, who tied the prisoners every night, established a deadline in the cavern in daytime, and swore he would shoot the first one who attempted to cross it.

Two or three weeks had elapsed, for in that dangerous night and day were one, when the two men came back and with them another whom Morris seemed to have known.

He introduced the newcomer to Tom Ambrose as a friend fresh from San Francisco.

Padgett took Paul to where the

stranger sat on a mass of hide and the latter asked:

"Is your name Paul Miller?"

"Yes."

"Are you from Fresno, California?"

"I am."

"Do you know Laura Kean?"

"I do; what of her? His whole frame was trembling with anxiety and emotion."

"She is in Alaska. Just landed a few days ago at Juneau in company with Mr. Theodore Lackland."

"It is a lie—a lie!" roared Paul, he side himself with rage and indignation.

"It's a lie and I will arrest it down your throat!"

Before anyone knew what he intended he had his informant by the throat and hurled him to the ground.

The guards came to the relief of their companion. Paul was quickly torn away from him and his hands bound.

He lay upon the dead grass piled in the cavern. His mind was in a whirl and he kept saying to himself:

"Can it be possible? No, no, it is not possible. The whole world may be false, but Laura is not. Come to Alaska in company with this man—no, it is not true."

A thousand tumultuous emotions were stirring his breast as he lay on the dried grass, striving to persuade himself that after all this was some horrible dream.

The man whom he had assaulted in company with Padgett and Morris approached him. Morris handed Paul a letter in the well-known handwriting of Laura Kean.

It was dated at Juneau and addressed to Paul's mother in Fresno. The letter was brief, saying she had just arrived, and would rest a day or two before proceeding farther.

"Isn't that evidence?" asked Morris.

"Yes; but she did not come with him."

"Oh no; he came on another ship."

Then he lied when he said they came together."

Morris laughed a cold, sardonic laugh, and in a voice that seemed to have all the evil of a demon in it, answered:

"Though they came on different ships from America, there is but one train going to the Klondyke and both will be in that train. The chances are she knows no one but him, and you know Lackland's feelings towards the girl. When he starts to win he wins; he's got millions to work with, and if it's necessary to buy the entire pack train off he can do it."

Paul Miller groaned aloud, but made no answer. He realized how great her danger and how utterly hopeless he was to aid her.

"Now you can save her," said Morris.

"Save her? My Heaven, how! What other infernal scheme have you on hand?"

"You were overheard talking with the old man about a walrus hide. From what you said it was understood you knew something about it. If you will give us information that will lead to finding it, you shall be given your liberty and be taken to this young lady, Laura Kean."

"I cannot," groaned Paul.

"Why?"

"I don't know where it is."

"What did you do with it?" asked Morris, his face expressing the deepest concern.

"I gave it to another. Where he is or what he has done with it I do not know."

A look of disappointment swept over the faces of the captors at this announcement. They retired to near the entrance of the cavern and there held a consultation.

"It's all a pack of lies," cried Padgett. "We've been twenty years in these woods waitin' 't' grab that pile, an' no nearer to it now than before. Knock out their brains an' go away is what I say."

Tom Ambrose, though equally as much a villain as his companion, urged moderation. During all the years the unprincipled rascals had struggled to get possession of their captive's secret, Tom had acted as a brake to fiery Ned's temper.

"We have a hold on the old man," one of the plotters at last declared. "He can be made to tell where the gold is cached."

"But he don't know."

"He does know. He must know."

"Well, what good'll that do? Hain't we been the last eighteen or twenty years tryin' to open the hatches o' the old capen, who's as close-mouthed as a clam? We've threatened 't' hang him—done everything any one kin, but it's all no use."

"We got a stronger pull now than ever."

"What is it?"

"Come here."

His companions gathered about him and he spread his arms around their shoulders and began to reveal the plan which emanated from his wonderful brain—a plan that was diabolical, but promised success.

(To be continued.)

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Wisdom didn't die wid Solomon, patience wid Job, nor meekness wid Jesus. Come ter think of it, Solomon wasn't as wise as what he looked he was; Moses was fur him, look, on Job was de biggest growler in de country.

I don't spend any time at all in gwoshin' at de weather. When it's cold, I thank God for fire—er I got any, an' I ax Him fer wood, er I ain't. Den, w'en de summer is hot enough ter make folks think er de hereafter, I bless God dat I'm ten mile mule freezin', an' dat palmetto fan is cheap.

No matter whether de world is roun' or flat, de sum in total er de whole business is—we're on de green side er it, en de very bes' thing we kin do is ter plant shade trees fer swammer in strong shelters fer winter.

Atlanta Constitution.

Tramps Murder a Woman.

Beatrice, Neb., special: Mrs. Kate Fournell of Steinhauser was assaulted by tramps, who then murdered her and dragged her body into the yard, where they set fire to the clothing, which was consumed.

Mad Crazy Spells.

West Pembroke, Me., Sept. 22.—The thirteen-year-old daughter of Mrs. A. L. Smith suffered with a peculiar affliction which her mother describes as follows:

"It is two years now since she was first taken with crazy spells.

"They kept on coming at intervals and I could get nothing to do her any good.

"The doctors gave me no encouragement. They all said they could not help her.

"The crazy spell would last about nine days, then she would be well about nine days, but would eat very little and was very yellow. Even the whites of her eyes were yellow.

"I heard that Dodd's Kidney Pills were a great remedy for young girls and decided to try them.

"After taking one box she was completely restored and she has not had one bad spell since. Of course we continued to use the pills and she used altogether five boxes last fall.

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"Her case was certainly a remarkable one and we are very thankful to Dodd's Kidney Pills for the great good they have done my daughter."

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EXPERIENCE SURE TO TELL.

Refuge Would Be Given to Women if Controversy Ceases. In the matter of suffrage for women or continuation for boys and girls, nothing but experiment freely made, and judged upon by its results, can give us the verdict by which the people will abide, as the Boston Christian Register says. Gov. Long made a wise remark at the Unitarian festival in Boston when he said: "I sometimes wish our woman suffrage friends that, if they would not go to the legislature for ten years, if they would drop the subject entirely, and let it lie fallow, and ten years from now start it as a new thing, it would strike everybody as so simply plain and right that any person, whether man or woman, who bore a part of the burdens of the government should have a voice in it, they would carry their case without an argument." As a believer in this movement, he held that, taken out of the field of controversy, it would justify itself to the minds of the people. Whether so or not, that which the people believe in they will enforce, and that which they do not believe in cannot be forced upon them.

ONLY TIME HE EVER WORKED.

Gilded Youth Proudly Points to One Mark in His Life. "I don't believe that you ever worked a day in your life," said the young man whose father's shattered fortunes had compelled him to go out into the world and earn his bread. The other young man, whose father still had his money, turned rather uneasily at this attack, and then he said with some spirit: "You don't know what you are talking about, that's all. It's simply a case of sour grapes with you. 'Do you mean to say that you ever worked?' retorted the other. 'I do,' said the son of the rich man. 'And when did you ever work?' interrupted the recently poor youth. 'When I was about seven months old,' was the answer. 'You see, I swallowed a yeast cake.' 'Well, I guess that is the only reason you're swell, then,' said his companion as he turned on his heel.

WANTED THE SAME AGREEMENT.

Financial Acumen Shown by Woman Pleased P. D. Armour. "Diamond Joe" Reynolds relates this story of the late Philip Armour of Chicago, who, in answer to an inquiry if he was not often troubled by those in need of assistance, answered: "Every day, I have one impetuous near relative who is forever importuning me for help. Finally I shut down on him. A few days ago when he came to this office I refused to see him. He went home and pestered me with letters. Finally I told my financial man to write him that if he would agree not to worry me for two years I would let him have \$500. He wrote back, 'Make it five years and \$1,000.' 'That was so like an Armour,' said Mr. Armour, with a chuckle, 'that I let him have it. Well, in about two weeks I got a letter from his wife saying that, as she had not been a party to the contract, she hoped I would make the same arrangement with her.'—New York Times.

An Australian Statesman. The erratic Earl of Hopeton is a warm friend of Sir George Dibbs of Sydney, the man who has occupied the center of the political stage in Australia for many years. He has been premier several times, as well as colonial treasurer and colonial secretary. He is six feet four inches in his socks, and there is not a more expert blacksmith on the island continent. He and Lady Dibbs have been blessed with fifteen children. When a stranger visits him it is his delight to put a bit of brass or other metal in his lathe and turn out a pair of studs or sleeve buttons. He built his own windmill, his launch, his brick kitchen and his grape arbors, and would as lief kick an obstreperous politician out of his house as to go a-fishing. His launch he built in jail while undergoing punishment for refusing to pay costs in a libel suit. For twelve months he was incarcerated, but he declares he never had a better time. He is 63 years old and immensely rich.

History, Rewritten. Queen Elizabeth had refused to reconsider the death warrant of Mary Queen of Scots. "No," she insisted, "my mind is made up." "I think your face is, too," instantly retorted the captive sovereign.

Richard, having done his turn at Bosworth Field, was wildly applauded. "How nobly he carried himself!" exclaimed Norfolk. "No wonder," replied Catesby, with a grin, "he had a horseless carriage."

Diogenes had been taking baths for his complexion. "But why," asked his friends, "do you carry the tub on your shoulder?" "To make a liar," replied the old cynic, "of the fool who said it must stand on its own bottom."



Mrs. Emma E. Felch, Treasurer Fond du Lac, Wis., Social Economic Club, Tells How She was Cured of Irregular and Painful Menstruation by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

No other medicine for female ills in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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Over-pleasure is as hard on the muscles and joints as over-work. The best thing to do to get the body right after a long bicycle ride is to rub the sore, stiff parts well with Mexican Mustang Liniment. No better remedy made for bruises, cuts and chafing.

New Army Field Carriage. F. L. Allen, of Washington, has invented a field carriage which will convey ammunition, water and hospital litters. Such a combination, however, cannot reasonably claim the protection of the Red Cross.

HAMLINS WIZARD OIL SORE THROAT

A Boon to Humanity
Mr. Thomas J. Coughlan of Lakeland, N. Y., in a letter says: "I have derived great benefit from the use of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters when suffering from indigestion and loss of appetite." It certainly is a boon to humanity. Sold in liquid or tablets at 25 cents.
H. W. Johnson, Ltd., Props., Burlington, Vt.

If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

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\$10,000 profits per acre. Largest Garden in America. Address: **R. E. BARNARD, Houston, Mo.**

\$500 Will be paid for any case that DR. KEITH'S Liqueur, Tobacco and Cigarette Remedies in liquid form will not cure, either with or without the patient's knowledge; 50¢ and \$1. Tablets form also. Guaranteed by all druggists. Write DR. H. C. KEITH, 2911 Monroe St., Toledo, Ohio.

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Fifty Drown.
Madras, British India, cable: An English mail train yesterday, 205 miles from this city, dashed over a bridge which had been undermined by floods. Fifty passengers and four soldiers were drowned.

Delays Naming Archbishop.
Rome cable: It is said on high authority that the nomination of an archbishop of Chicago to succeed the late Most Rev. Patrick A. Feehan will not be made until November.

Volcanoes Awake.
Manila cablegram: The Macon, Taal and Balusan volcanoes are unusually active. The Balusan volcano had been inactive for years. No seismic disturbances have resulted.

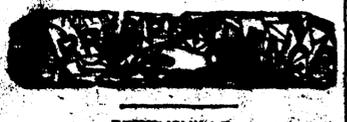
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EVERY CHILD BORN INTO THE WORLD with an inherited tendency to distressing, disfiguring humours of the skin, scalp, and blood, becomes an object of the most tender solicitude, not only because of its suffering but because of the dreadful fear that the disfiguration is to be lifelong and mar its future happiness and prosperity. Hence it becomes the duty of mothers of such afflicted children to acquaint themselves with the best, the purest, and most effective treatment available, viz., **THE CUTICURA TREATMENT.**

Warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle, gentle anointings with CUTICURA OINTMENT, to instantly allay itching, irritation, and inflammation, and soothe and heal, are all that can be desired for the alleviation of the suffering of skin-tortured infants and children and the comfort of worn-out, worried mothers. A single set is often sufficient to cure when the best physicians fail.

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PETTYSVILLE.

Low Shehan was in Jackson Sunday.

Gene Mercer was in Howell Saturday.

Frank Barton and family visited friends here Sunday.

Wm. McQuillan was in Webberville on business Saturday.

Mrs. Will McQuillan was under the doctor's care the past week.

Rolla Peters returned to her studies at the U. of M., Monday.

Ross Read of Pinckney, was a guest of Arthur Swarouth, over Sunday.

James Hayner, of Hamburg, called on friends here the first of the week.

Florence Andrews, of Pinckney, visited Beth Swarouth the last of last week.

Miss Bessie Wright and Miss Iva Davis, of Fowlerville, were guests at J. W. Placeway's the past week.

For a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by F. A. Sigler.

WEST PUTNAM.

Ella Murphy is visiting friends in Jackson.

Cyrus Gardner returned to the U. of M. Monday.

Sadie Harris is attending the University of Music at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. G. W. Bates visited her son Harrison at Gregory, Saturday.

Ethel Graham of Pinckney, spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Laura Doyle.

Nellie Gardner has a position in a millinery store in Jackson and left for there last week.

Kirk VanWinkle, wife and daughter Clare, spent Sunday at Jas. Marble's in Anderson.

The Misses Pacia and Dede Hinchey of Anderson called on friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. Chas. Holmes and son Marble, of Lansing, visited her sister, Mrs. Kirk VanWinkle the past week.

A Card.

I, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. I also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

Will B. Darrow.

Albumenized Milk.

Albumenized milk is a most nourishing drink for an invalid, and in hot weather, taken at intervals of three hours between breakfast and a 6 o'clock dinner, would be all the nourishment required by a person in health. Drop the white of one egg in a glass, add two-thirds of a cupful of milk, cover and shake until thoroughly mixed. Strain into another glass and serve.

Both Blunt.

"I'm too practical to do as heroes do in books, Miss Slight, so I'll just ask you bluntly, will you be my wife?" "No, thank you, Mr. Terse. I myself don't believe in those silly bookish notions, and as the silly heroines always say yes, why, I'll tell you bluntly, no, sir, I won't!"

Just Cries.

"What makes the baby cry?" asked the little visitor. "Oh," explained Ethel, "our baby doesn't have to have anything to make it cry."—Chicago Post.

Footnote Favors a Texan.

"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c at F. A. Sigler's drug store.

A MAN AGAINST A KING.

The most curious thing that ever happened in the history of the world was the war between a man and a king.

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The extraordinary part of the story is that the grocer kept the war up for nearly six years practically single handed and even went to the extremity of declaring war on his own sovereign in the meantime before he was caught. He burned farms and even villages, employed mercenaries after the fashion of the times and made himself the terror of the district. He was finally influenced to stop hostilities by Luther, and after he had taken the sacrament from his hands he was betrayed into a further act of hostility by treachery and, being captured, suffered death on the wheel after refusing an act of grace which granted him the painless and honorable death of the sword. The story is perhaps the strangest of all the romances of that romantic age.

He Saw the Joke.

Here is a true story of a curious personality well known to many professional men in London today: He is a Scot, whose business ability is above the average, but everything he does is done with the air of a man constantly wrestling with some problem of the soul. He rarely speaks unless spoken to. He never smiles, and his eyes have a fixed but intense expression. One day he was returning to London with several companions. The whole party were Scotch, but the companions were of general type. One of them told a humorous tale, over which the rest laughed uproariously. Not so the human problem. He sat in a corner of the railway carriage glowering at his mirthful friends. Half an hour afterward, however, when all were standing at a street corner before separating he took one aside and said solemnly and slowly: "Ye would observe that I did na' laugh at yond' story. Well, I saw the joke. Ye might not think it, but I have a keen sense of humor."—London News.

An Impossible Task.

The committee waited upon the successful man. "Your fame has preceded you," they said as he entered the room. He smiled serenely. "I am rather well known," he admitted modestly. "You have given names to sleeping cars, new cigars, health foods and games—names that have pleased the public and your patrons?" The successful man bowed. "Well," said the spokesman, "we have a new baby at our house, and we have come to you to select a name that will please her parents, sisters and brothers, grandparents, cousins, uncles, aunts and friends of the family and herself later on." The successful man frowned sternly. "Sir," he said, "I do not undertake the impossible!"—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Telling the Weather From Mists.

The motion of mists, rapid or slow, was regarded as one of the best methods of foretelling the approach of rain or snow. When there was a mist before the rise of the full moon, if clouds were seen in the west before the sun rose or there was a mist in the fields before sunrise, wet weather was expected. When the mists vanished rapidly and the moon seemed to rise faster than usual, fine weather was sure to gladden the hearts of the merry-makers on the succeeding day. When the winds changed and the clouds flew along on "tail," the farmers predicted a storm.

What He Wrote On.

"Hello, Starveling! How is literature?" "First rate." "Writing anything now?" "Yes, a book." "What on?" "An empty stomach principally. You couldn't lend me the price of a dinner, could you?"

Stomach Trouble.

"I have been troubled with my stomach for the past four years," says D. L. Beach, of Clover Nook Farm, Greenfield, Mass., "A few days ago I was induced to buy a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I have taken part of them and feel a great deal better." If you have any trouble with your stomach try a box of these Tablets. You are certain to be pleased with the result. Price 25 cents. For sale by F. A. Sigler.

HARDY SUWAROFF.

Four Battles of One of Russia's Great Military Commanders.

Suwaroff, Russia's great military commander, was a little man, insignificant in everything but that intangible power of mind and character with which physical strength is never to be compared. He had been sickly in his youth, but became hardy under the stimulus of cold bathing and the benefits of a plain diet. Buckets of cold water were thrown over him in the morning, and his table was served with fare which guests would fain have refused, but dared not lest he should think them effeminate. He despised dress and delighted in drilling his men in shirt sleeves, sometimes with his stockings literally "down at the heel." But his hardihood of life and action had its effect on the men he commanded. He was often up and about by midnight and would salute the first soldier whom he saw moving with a piercing cockerow in commendation of his early rising. During the first Polish war he had given orders for an attack at cockcrow, and a spy in the camp carried the news to the enemy. The attack, however, really took place at 9 o'clock in the evening, when the arrangement had been made, for Suwaroff, suspecting treachery, had then turned out his troops by his well known crowing. The enemy, expecting the event in the morning, were entirely unprepared and fell easy victims to his forethought.

"Tomorrow morning," said he to his troops on the evening before the storming of Ismail, "an hour before day-break I mean to get up. I shall wash and dress myself, say my prayers, give one good cockerow and then capture Ismail."

Curious Translation Errors.

Some amusing errors are made by translators. An Italian paper turned Kipling's "Absentminded Beggar" into a "Distracted Mendicant." Another Italian editor who translated a passage from an English paper about a man who had killed his wife with a poker added an ingenious footnote to say, "We do not know with certainty whether this thing 'poker' be a domestic or surgical instrument." The desperate expedient of the French translator of Cooper's "Spy," who had to explain how a horse could be hitched "to a locust," is worth recalling. He had never heard of locust trees and rendered the word by "sauterelle," or grasshopper. Feeling that this needed some explanation, he appended a footnote explaining that grasshoppers grew to a gigantic size in the United States and that it was the custom to place a stuffed specimen at the door of every mansion for the convenience of visitors, who hitched their horses to it.

The Bluejay.

One may pet or patronize, according to one's nature, a chipping sparrow, bluebird or phoebe, but he is indeed well coated with self esteem who does not feel a sense of inferiority in the presence of a jay. He is such a shrewd, independent and aggressive creature that one is inevitably led to the belief that he is more of a success as a bird than most men are as men. Conspicuous by voice and action during the fall and winter, when other birds are quietest, he becomes silent when other birds are most vocal. If he has a love song, it is reserved for the ear of his mate. At this season he even controls his fondness for owl baiting and with it his vituperative gifts. The robin, the catbird and the thrasher seem eager to betray the location of their nests to every passerby, but the bluejay gives no evidence of the site of his habitation by being seen in its vicinity.—Frank M. Chapman in Century.

"You Cannot Push a Man Far Up a Tree."



You cannot drive purchases to any particular store. You can win them by convincing arguments.

A convincing argument attractively displayed in the advertising columns of this paper will reach the eyes of hundreds of buyers in this community.

Additional Local.

J. J. Briggs and family were the guests of Brighton friends Sunday.

Fred Yeas and Miss Mabelle Daley of Howell visited at A. J. Wilhelm's Sunday.

David VanHorn of Pettysville was in town one day last week with a very sore hand—felon.

O. P. Sykes is home from Blissfield again this week and finishing up the plumbing on our heating plant.

We see the name of our former townsman, Jas. A. Greene is on the republican ticket for prosecuting attorney.

Do not think that just because we have put in a steam heating plant we do not need any wood—bring it along just as you promised us.

Either the mails went amiss this week or our correspondents have all rained in—they certainly could not have gone to the fairs (?)

The new engine in this office has attracted almost as much attention as any other stranger in a small town. It is not very big but is business.

The weather so far has been very bad for both the state fair at Pontiac and the street fair at Howell. It has rained almost interruptedly since they opened and the grounds must be in very bad shape.

BASE BALL TOURNAMENT.

Bills have been issued from this office this week announcing a ball tournament to be held here Friday of next week, Oct. 8. The following games are scheduled:

- 10 a. m. Stockbridge vs Anderson.
 - 1 p. m. Brighton vs Iosco.
 - 3 p. m. Winners vs Winners.
- There will be a big dance in the evening to which all are invited. Let everyone come to this, the last game of the season.

Baths in Finland.

One of the greatest trials a visitor in Finland has to endure is a Finnish bath. The method of procedure is unique. Diverged of outer clothing and attired in a light and airy cotton garment, you are slung in a sort of hammock composed of cord above a large receptacle like the boilers in public laundries. This is almost filled with cold water, into which at the right moment is flung a large redhot brick or piece of iron, which of course causes an overwhelming rush of steam to ascend and almost choke you. Then when that process has gone on sufficiently long you are shaken out of your hammock, immersed in cold water, and after very drastic treatment you resume your raiment, sadder and wiser than before your novel experience.

Low Rates West.

One way or round trip to Minnesota, North Dakota and Montana, etc., via the Chicago Great Western Railway. Tickets on sale daily during September and October. Full information free. For further particulars inquire of the Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. 744



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Photos at the Following Prices:

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Family Groups at residences a specialty.

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Proprietor.

Fair Warning.
He (nervously)—Who is that tapping around overhead?
She—That's papa. He always gets restless toward morning—down and downy.

Alone One's Inspiration.
"When a man gets good at 'med.' said Uncle Eben, "he's liable to 'magus' he's a volcano when he ain't snuffin but a Greecracker."—Washington Star.

The hide of the hippopotamus in some parts is fully two inches thick.

Mr. D. P. Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Summer counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attend by two physicians who gave him little, if any relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by F. A. Sigler.

Subscribe for Dispatch.

Items of Interest.

For Sale.
A farm of 50 acres, good house, small barn, granary and carriage house, good well, fair fences. Enquire at this office.

For Sale.
20 acres of land. House, small stable, apple trees, and well, fronting on Base lake and the Huron river, good land and excellent lots for summer cottages. Address Mrs. M. A. Cobb, Pinckney.

Found.
A light-weight overcoat just east of the village of Pinckney. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

Pettysville cider mills are ready to make cider any time.
W. Hooker.

NOTICE.
I will be at my shop ready to do all kinds of blacksmith work from now on.
F. K. BOYLAN.

Tonsillitis, Pharyngitis, all the Catarrhal diseases of the throat and mucous membranes yield certainly and quickly to the curative action of Neak's Catarrh Tablets. A pleasant tasting Tablet—no greasy, disagreeable douches, spray or irritating snuff.

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Tintypes of you and your best girl while you wait.

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