

# Pinckney Dispatch



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## BOOKS and STATIONERY

Finest Line Ever Shown Now Ready for Inspection at Prices that Defy Competition, Quality Considered.

### F. A. SIGLER.

### Edward A. Bowman, The Busy Store.

We now occupy two stores in Howell, having rented the Hesse store and using it as an annex. Our Complete Lines of Winter Goods are now in and ready for you.

The immense Holiday stock is all in, marked and ready for your inspection. While our stock is large we advise early buying. Remember that we are Headquarters for everything in Holiday Goods.

Least you forget, we repeat—We can save you money.

### E. A. BOWMAN.

Grand River St. Opposite Court House  
Howell Mich.

### 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?

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For sale in Pinckney by  
**F. G. JACKSON.**  
Manufactured by the  
**SMITH SURPRISE SPRING BED CO.,**  
Lakeland, Hamburg, Mich.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Local news on page 4.  
To-day is Thanksgiving.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright Nov. 17 a daughter.  
The majority of farmers lay much to be thankful for this year.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Carr of Detroit, Nov. 19, a 7½ pound boy.  
Dr. LeBaron of Pontiac, spent Sunday with Dr. H. F. Sigler and family.  
Ed. Cook and wife are spending Thanksgiving with friends in Toledo.  
Mrs. LeBaron of Pontiac was a guest of Mrs. Lesl Sigler the past week.  
F. L. Andrews visited his mother who is ill at her home in Parshallyite the last of last week.  
Nearly \$14 was realized by the Cong'l church workers at their tea at Warren Huffs last Wednesday.  
"The Boy's Club" was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nash Friday evening.  
Brayton and Clayton Placeway will spend Thanksgiving and the vacation following with relatives in Perry.  
Mrs. W. A. Carr is in Detroit assisting in caring for her grandson, that lately came to reside with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Carr.  
Rev. R. L. Cope will return in time to take up his work again next Sunday. Regular service at 10:30 a. m. Union service at 7 p. m. to which all are invited. No service tonight.  
The 2nd division of the Ladies Aid will serve tea at the home of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cope, Wednesday Dec. 2. Tea from five until all are served. Every one cordially invited.  
The Ladies Aid Society of the Lakin appointment will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Glenn for dinner Thursday Dec. 3rd. A cordial invitation is extended to all, especially to the men.

### COUNTY FARMERS' CLUB.

The following is the program for the sixth annual meeting of the Livingston county association of farmers' clubs, which will be held in the court house, at Howell, Tuesday, Dec. 1, commencing at 10:30 a. m.:  
10:30—Singing by the club.  
Prayer.  
Secretary's report of last meeting.  
Annual report of secretary and treasurer.  
11:00—General discussion, limited to five minutes each, upon the question, "Is a College education necessary to a successful career, and should a farmer's son or daughter pursue a different course of instruction than other children?"  
Discussion.....  
.....led by A. M. Wells, Howell  
Music, Male Quartette, Messrs. Rider, Dunning, Haller and Richards.  
Music, Solo.....Rev. Adams

### AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30—Solo, with Guitar accompaniment,.....Mrs. Howard Reed  
Election of Officers.  
Election of Delegates to State Association.  
Music.....Male Quartette  
2:00—Paper, "The American Society of Equity,".....Geo. Winans, Hamburg  
3:00—General discussion of the above subject, limited to five minutes each.  
4:00—Solo.....H. F. Kice  
Question box  
Solo.....E. N. Ball  
Farmers, do you think the time has arrived for you set the price upon your labor? If so, come and lend your influence to make the American Society of Equity a grand success. On the other hand, if you still wish the other fellow to continue dictating the price of your products, come out to the county meeting and listen to what the more progressive element propose to do in paraphrasing the words of Holy writ, "Choose you this day whom ye will serve, yourself and family or the corporations." So come out to the county meeting, and invite your neighbor to come too.  
Come, everybody come, to the court house Tuesday, Dec. 1, at 10:30 a. m.  
H. E. REED, president.  
MRS. R. R. SMITH, Sec.

### STILL AFTER THE BRIDGE.

The Detroit Tribune believes in the motto "Keeping everlastingly at it brings success." On Monday they came out with the third Bridge Edition. The managers of that journal recognize the benefit a bridge would be to the city and state at large and are leaving no stones unturned to bring about its construction.  
As we have said before we wonder that the city has gone so long without it and now with its rapidly increasing commerce we cannot see how they can get along without it.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

Thanksgiving vacation Thursday and Friday.  
Patrons are invited to visit the school on Fridays.  
Mr. Miller is spending the vacation with friends in Battle Creek.  
Report cards for the 3rd month of school show that nearly all the pupils are doing satisfactory work.  
The principle had a stroke of ambition last week and washed the windows of the high school room.  
The Grammar, Intermediate and primary departments held appropriate Thanksgiving exercises Wednesday afternoon. Very pretty invitations were issued.  
A foot ball game was arranged for Wednesday afternoon among the high school scholars. Some thought it easier to remain at home to see a game than go to Ann Arbor and have to foot it home from Dexter(?)

Do not buy **Rubber Goods** until you have seen our line of Mishawaka Knit Boots and Socks. Mishawaka, Lambertville, Boston and Bangan, Snag Proof Rubbers. **Every Pair Guaranteed** to give satisfaction.

Don't fail to see our line of Ladies', Men's, Boys', Misses' and Children's Fleece and Wool Underwear before buying—we will save you money.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28**

Men's Flannelette Night Robes	50c
Ladies' Flannelette Night Robes, 89c, 99, \$1.19	
Lining Prints	5c per yd
18c Coffee	15c lb
40c Tea	30c lb

## JACKSON & CADWELL.

Mrs. Sweetman is quite ill at this writing.  
Mrs. F. G. Jackson and son Harry are visiting in Plymouth and Detroit.  
Miss Mabel Meach of Hamburg was the guest of Blanche Martin the past week.  
Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Sigler attended a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fitch Montague of Gregory.  
W. H. Cadwell of Stillwater Minn., gave his parents a pleasant surprise Saturday by making them a visit. He was on business in the northern part of the state and returned this way.  
Harvest thanksgiving services were conducted at the Cong'l church Sunday morning. There was a large congregation in attendance. The chancel displayed a choice selection of the seasons products including specimen fruits and vegetables. Other decorations tastefully arranged by Mrs. Cadwell and Mrs. Ella Jackson and were appropriate for the occasion. The pastor gave an address to the farmers. In the evening the pastor was again greeted by a large audience when he preached a sermon on "The Seventh Commandment."

### YOUNG MENS CLUB

New mattress have been secured for the gym. floor and will be a great improvement.  
A special business meeting will be held Saturday night. Closed thanksgiving. Nov. dues now payable.

### Congregational Church.

Conducted by Rev. G. W. Myino.  
Sunday Nov. 29, special service for young people and parents. Distribution of diploma's to Sunday school graduating class. Organ prelude at 10:30 prompt.

Geo. Green and wife spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Howell.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilhelm attended the Hall—Hinkley wedding Wednesday.  
Miss Florence Andrews is spending the thanksgiving vacation with relatives in Owosso.  
Meffitt Chalker who has been spending a few years in Idaho and the west, returned home the past week.  
Do not forget the roast turkey at the Caverly House today. Dinner served at 12:30. A regular old fashioned thanksgiving dinner for 35 cents.  
Mrs. H. F. Sigler leaves on Friday, via Lansing for Los Angeles California where she expects to spend the winter in company with her aunt, Mrs. May Eastman and cousin, Miss Grace Cowley of Lansing.

## BUCKWHEAT GRINDING

### Every Friday

At The

## Pinckney Flouring Mills

## You All Need

### Rubbers Overshoes Felt Boots and Socks

Why not call and see what I have and if the price suits you, you will buy. The quality will suit so will the price.

**SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY, NOV. 28**

Large Nige Bed Blankets, 50c per pair	
XXXX Coffee	10c
1 lb 40c Tea	20c
1 lb 50c Tea	30c

SALES CASH.  
**W. W. BARNARD.**

We Give a Guarantee that will Protect

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Best Cook Stoves from	\$5.00 to \$16.00
Best Heaters from	5.50 to 22.00
1, 20th-Century Soft Coal Burner The Best, Only	10.00
1 Only, Oak Laurel, No. 18, a winner, only	12.00
3 Round Oaks No. 18 good as new	5.00

We guarantee to save you money on all purchases.

## TEEPLE HARDWARE CO.



Mrs. Anderson, a prominent society woman of Jacksonville, Fla., daughter of Recorder of Deeds, West, who witnessed her signature to the following letter, praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—There are but few wives and mothers who have not at times endured agonies and such pain as only women know. I wish such women knew the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is a remarkable medicine, different in action from any I ever knew and thoroughly reliable.

"I have seen cases where women doctored for years without permanent benefit, who were cured in less than three months after taking your Vegetable Compound, while others who were chronic and incurable came out cured, happy, and in perfect health after a thorough treatment with this medicine. I have never used it myself without gaining great benefit. A few doses restores my strength and appetite, and tones up the entire system. Your medicine has been tried and found true, hence I fully endorse it."—Mrs. R. A. ANDERSON, 225 Washington St., Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. Reed, 2423 E. Cumberland St., Philadelphia, Pa., says:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to write and tell you the good I have received from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I have been a great sufferer with female trouble, trying different doctors and medicines with no benefit. Two years ago I went under an operation, and it left me in a very weak condition. I had stomach trouble, backache, headache, palpitation of the heart, and was very nervous; in fact, I ached all over. I find yours is the only medicine that reaches such troubles, and would cheerfully recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all suffering women."

When women are troubled with irregular or painful menstruation, weakness, hemorrhages, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, flatulence, general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles.

The experience and testimony of some of the most noted women of America go to prove, beyond a question, that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will correct all such trouble at once by removing the cause and restoring the organs to a healthy and normal condition. If in doubt, write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., as thousands do. Her advice is free and helpful.

No other medicine for women in the world has received such widespread and unequalled endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. Refuse to buy any substitute.

**\$5000 FORFEIT** if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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DON'T DELAY  
TAKE  
**KEMP'S BALSAM**  
THE BEST COUGH CURE

Cures Colds, Croup, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. Contains cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 50 cents and 80 cents.

**THERE IS NO SLICKER LIKE TOWER'S FISH BRAND**

Forty years ago and after many years of use on the eastern coast, Tower's Waterproof Oiled Coats were introduced in the West and were called Slickers by the pioneers and cowboys. This graphic name has come into such general use that it is frequently though wrongfully applied to many substitutes. You want the genuine. Look for the Sign of the Fish and the name Tower on the buttons.

MADE IN BLACK AND YELLOW AND SOLD BY REPRESENTATIVE TRADE THE WORLD OVER.

A. J. TOWER CO. BOSTON, MASS., U.S.A.  
TOWER CANADIAN CO. LONDON, TORONTO, CAN.

Isn't your little sister very smart? You see her? Before you let a boy sit in front of an electric fan, tie his fingers.

Amusing Mixup.

A Paris newspaper on one occasion made a blunder which excited no small amount of merriment at the expense of a man of real talent. The following paragraphs, intended to have been printed separately, were by some error so arranged that they were read consecutively: Dr. X. has been appointed head physician to the hospital de la Charite. Orders have been issued by the authorities for the immediate extension of the cemetery of Mont Parnasse. The works are being executed with the utmost dispatch.

One-half of the imports into this country are of materials for manufacture.

The congested counties of Ireland are all on the western coast.

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

To pander to the lower faculties is to paralyze the higher.

Old Sofas, Backs of Chairs, etc., can be dyed with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES.

A lawyer never mistakes the will for the deed.

If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes use Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

Silence is often the price of domestic felicity.

Plan's Cure is the best medicine we ever need for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. KNOWLES, Vancouver, Ind., Feb. 15, 1914.

Blanks—I suppose you will swear off the first of the year?

Jinks—Oh, yes; off and on, as usual.

# THE PROMOTION OF THE ADMIRAL AND OTHER SEA COMEDIES

By Morley Roberts Author of "The Goldsmen," "The Fugitives,"  
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Yet he did his duty like a man. Though many things were strange to him, he tumbled to them rapidly. One of his fads had been doing ornamental work even when he was an admiral, and he put fresh "pointing" on the poop ladder rails for Blaker in a way that brought every one to look at it. There was no one on board who could come within sight of him at any fancy work, and this so pleased Simpson that the admiral never had a cross word till they were south of the Horn. Then by chance the mate and the captain had a few words which ended in Simpson getting much the worst of the talk. As luck would have it, the admiral was the handiest to vent his spite on, and Simpson caught him a smack on the side of the head that made him see stars.

"Don't stand listenin' there to what don't concern you, you damned lazy hound," he said. And when the admiral picked himself off the deck, Simpson made a rush for him. The admiral dodged him and shot up the poop ladder. He took off his cap to the captain, while Simpson foamed on the main deck and called him in vain. At any other time Blaker would have gone for the seaman who dared to escape a thrashing for the moment by desecrating the poop, but now he was willing to annoy Simpson.

"Well, what do you want?" he roared.

The admiral made a really elegant bow.

"Well, sir, I wanted to know whether Western Ocean custom goes here. I've been told that if I can thrash your mate, I shall have his job. They say forward that that's your rule, and if so, sir, I should like your permission to send Mr. Simpson forward and take his place."

There was something so open and ingenious in the admiral that Captain Blaker, for the first time on record, burst into a shout of laughter. He went to the break of the poop and addressed the mate.

"Do you hear, Mr. Simpson?" he inquired genially.

"Send him down, sir," said Simpson.

"Are you sure you can pound him?"

Simpson gritted his teeth and foamed at the mouth.

"Kick him off the poop, sir."

The admiral spoke anxiously.

"I'm a first-class navigator, sir. Is it a bargain?"

And Blaker, who had never liked Simpson, laughed till he cried.

"Are you willing to stake everything on your fightin' abilities, Mr. Simpson?"

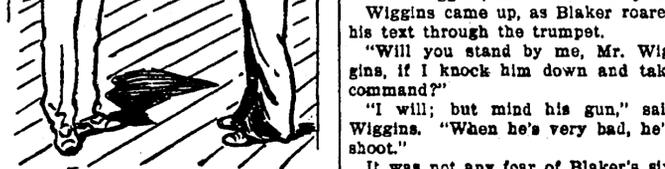
And when Simpson said "Aye" through his teeth, the admiral jumped down on the main deck.

Now, according to all precedents, the fight should have been long and arduous, with varying fortunes. But the admiral never regarded precedents, and inside of ten seconds Mr. Simpson was lying totally insensible under the spare topmast. To encounter the admiral's right was to escape death by a hair's breadth, and it took Charles Simpson, Able Seaman (vice Mr. Simpson, Chief Officer), two hours and a quarter to come to.

"And I thot he could fight," said the disgraced skipper.

"Come right up, Mr. What's-your-name; you're the man for me. There ain't no reason for you to trouble about my second mate, for Simpson could lay him out easy. All I ask of you is to work the whole crowd up good. And I don't care if you are an admiral, you are the right sort all the same. I guess that Simpson must have reckoned he struck a cyclone."

And Blaker rubbed his hands. Like Simpson at the fight between the admiral and Knight, he did not know when he had enjoyed himself more. He improved the occasion by going below and getting far too much to drink, as was his custom. And the



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And Wiggins made no objection when Simpson was called up by the admiral.

"Mr. Simpson," said the mate, "this is getting past a joke. Have you any objection to taking on your old job if I secure this preaching madman and take command?"

Simpson was "full up" of the fo'c'sle, and as he had a very wholesome admiration for the admiral, he was by

no means loath to return to his old quarters.

"I'm with you, sir. In another quarter of an hour we shall have the sticks out of her."

And all Blaker bellowed Scripture down the wind. He was still bellowing though what he bellowed wasn't Scripture, when Simpson and Wiggins took him down below after five minutes of a run in which the deposed captain showed something of his ancient form as the terror of the Western Ocean. As they went, the admiral, now promoted to being captain of a Cape Horner, picked up the battered speaking trumpet and wiped some of the blood from his face, which had been in collision.

"Up aloft with you and make those topsails fast," he roared. "Look alive, men, look alive!"

And they did look alive, for "Dicky" Dunn never needed a speaking trumpet in any wind that ever blew. When things were snugged down and the California was walking north at an easy but tremendous gait, he felt like a man again. He turned to Simpson and Wiggins with a happy smile.

"Now we're comfortable, and things are as they should be, Mr. Simpson, let the men have a tot of grog. And how's Mr. Blaker?"

"Wal," said Simpson cheerfully, "when we left him he war'n't exactly



"I tell you, he's an admiral, sure," they said.

"He's got all the ways of one, I own," said Bill, an old man-o-war's man. "I spoke to an admiral myself once, or rather he spoke to me."

"What did he say?" asked the rest of his watch.

"He said," replied Bill proudly—"he upped and said, 'You cross-eyed son of a dog, if you don't jump I'll bash the ugly head off you.' And you bet I jumped. Oh, he's all the ways of some admirals, he has."

"Well, admiral or more," said the rest of the crowd, "things goes on pleasanter than they done when you was mate, Simpson."

And Simpson grunted.

"And he gets more work out of us than you done, either, Simpson, for all you hammerin' of us."

"I'll likely be hammerin' some of you again shortly," said Simpson. And as he was cock of the walk in the fo'c'sle, whatever he was in the ship, the others dried up.

Nothing of great interest happened till they were well east of the Horn and hauled up for the northward run. And then Blaker took to religion (or what he called religion) and rum in equally undiluted doses.

"I'm a miserable sinner, I am," he said to the admiral, "but all the same I'll do my duty to the crowd."

He called them aft and preached to them for two hours. And when one man yawned he laid him out with a well-directed belaying pin.

The next day, when it breezed up heavily and they were shortening sail, he called all hands down from aloft on the ground that their souls were of more importance than the work in hand.

"Come down on deck, you miserable sinners," said Blaker, through a speaking trumpet. His voice rose triumphantly above the roar of the gale. "Come down on deck and listen to me. For, though I'm a miserable sinner, too, there's hopes for me, and for you there's none, unless you mend your ways, in accordance with what I'm telling you."

Even with the speaking trumpet he could hardly make himself heard over the roar of the increasing gale and the thunderous slatting of the topsails in the spilling-lines.

"Don't you think, sir, that they'd better make the topsails fast before you speak to them?" said the admiral.

"No, I don't," replied Blaker—"not much I don't, not by a jugful. For if one of 'em went overboard, I'd be responsible before the throne. And don't you forget it."

"Damme, he's mad," said Sir Richard—"mad as a march hare. She'll be shaking the sticks out of her soon."

He leant over the break of the poop and called up Wiggins.

"Mr. Wiggins, one word with you."

Wiggins came up, as Blaker roared his text through the trumpet.

"Will you stand by me, Mr. Wiggins, if I knock him down and take command?"

"I will; but mind his gun," said Wiggins. "When he's very bad, he'll shoot."

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Good Reason for Absence.

Prof. E. B. Shallow, who is assistant superintendent of schools, located in Brooklyn, tells this story of a peculiar excuse for absenteeism.

"One of the little boys in the kindergarten attached to School No. 9 failed to show up the other morning," he said, "but another youngster who lived in the same apartment house remarked explanatorily to the teacher: 'Timmy won't be here. His grandmother is dead and they are going to have the party to-day.'"—New York Times.

Some men seem to have the horseless brand of horse sense.



**QUICK RESULTS**

W. J. Hill, Justice of the Peace, Concord, N. C., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills proved a very efficient remedy in my case. I used them for disordered kidneys and back-ache, from which I had experienced a great deal of trouble and pain. The kidney secretions were very irregular, dark colored and full of sediment. The Pills cleared it all up and I have not had an ache in my back since taking the last dose. My health generally is improved a great deal." Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents per box.

**Rich Find of Honey.**

Two bee hunters in Woodford, Vt., recently cut down two trees and took from them about seventy pounds of honey. Another man near Manchester Center took off some of the clapboards from the house in which he lived and found three swarms of bees had located there. He took out almost 150 pounds of fine honey.

**Dish Washing in Winter.**

Housekeepers naturally dread dish washing in winter, owing to the fact that it chaps the hands and renders them hard and rough. Much of the injury, however, results from the use of impure soap. If Ivory Soap is used in washing dishes and the hands are carefully rinsed and dried, they will not chafe.—E. R. PARKER.

**Miners Strike in Utah.**

Salt Lake City, Utah, special: The first miners' strike in the history of Utah was inaugurated when 356 miners employed at the Sunnyside colliery decided to go out in sympathy with the striking miners of Colorado.

**Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold**

Lozenges Bromo Quinine Tablets. Price 25c.

**CURIOUS EYES OF ANIMALS.**

Many Species Have More Than the Regulation Pair.

Many animals possess more than two eyes which do not act together. A leech, for example, has ten eyes on the top of its head which do not work in concert, and a kind of marine worm has two eyes on the head and a row down each side of the body. Some lizards have an extra eye on the top of the head which does not act with the other two. A bee or wasp has two large compound eyes which possibly help each other and are used for near vision, and also three little simple eyes on the top of the head which are employed for seeing things a long way off.

**Effective Dunning Letter.**

King Louis or Portugal years ago promised to send Rossini a pipe of port of a vintage of which specimens have only been preserved in the royal cellars. The wine did not arrive, but the maestro was not a man to allow a promise to be forgotten. Accordingly he took up his pen and indited to his Portuguese majesty the following reminder: "You promised me some port wine, sire, and I have not arrived. Your majesty has certainly not forgotten your promise, for sovereigns never forget, but allow me to remind you that I am old and that at my age there is no time to be lost."

**BOTH FEEL**

What Proper Food Does for Both Mind and Body.

Physical health, mental health, indeed almost everything good on this earth depend in great measure upon proper food.

Without health nothing is worth while and health can be won almost every time by proper feeding on the scientific food Grape-Nuts.

A California trained nurse proved this: "Three years ago I was taken very sick, my work as a trained nurse having worn me out both in body and mind, and medicine failed to relieve me at all. After seeing a number of physicians and specialists and getting no relief I was very much discouraged and felt that I would die of general nervous and physical collapse.

"My condition was so bad I never imagined food would help me but on the advice of a friend I tried Grape-Nuts. The first package brought me so much relief that I quit the medicine and used Grape-Nuts steadily three times a day. The result was that within 6 months I had so completely regained my strength and health that I was back nursing again and I feel the improvement in my brain power just as plainly as I do in physical strength.

"After my own wonderful experience with Grape-Nuts I have recommended it to my patients with splendid success and it has worked wonders in the cases of many invalids whom I have attended professionally." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book "The Road to Well-Being."

**WORDS THAT ARE OBSOLETE.**

Letter Which Cannot Be Understood by Ordinary Mortals. The number of obsolete words that are to be found in a complete dictionary of the English language is considerably larger than the people have any idea of, says The Bits. The following letter, written by an alleged poet to an editor who had treated his poetry with derision, furnishes some ideas of them:

"Sir: You have behaved like an impetiginous scrogle! Like those who, oblivious of any moral celsitude, carry their ungility to the height of creating synonymically the found words which my polymathic genius uses with liberality to abrogate the tongues of the wastrels! Sir, you have crassly parodied my own pet words, though they were transgrams!

"I will not coarservate reproaches. I will oduce a veil over the atramental ingratitude which has chamfered even my indiscrptible heart. I am silent on the facilitation which my conjuvancy must have given when I offered to become your fantor and adminicle. I will not speak of the lippitude, the oblespy you have shown in exacerbating me, one whose genius you should have approached with mental disalcation. So I tell you without supervacaneous words, nothing will render ignoscible your conduct to me.

"I want you that I will vellicate your nose if I thought that any moral hiarthrosis thereby could be performed—if I thought I should not impignorate my reputation. Go, tachygraphic scrogle, band with your crass inquisite fantors! Draw oblectations from the thought, if you can, of having synchronically lost the exsistimation of the greatest poet since Milton."

And yet all these words are to be found in the dictionary.

**Medieval Marconi.**

Several old writers mention mysterious methods of aerial communication, and Strada, an Italian antiquary who wrote during the 16th century, describes an invention having an extraordinary resemblance to Sig. Marconi's present-day wonder.

Strada says that two friends about to be separated each procured a needle magnetized at the same odestone and affixed them to swing on dials marked with the letters of the alphabet.

They agreed that, at certain specified periods after they parted, each should retire into a private apartment with this apparatus; and thereafter, by directing the needle to the letters necessary to spell out their meaning, the pair were able to convey their thoughts in an instant to one another across the continent, as Strada puts it, "over cities or mountains, seas or deserts."

This, at the last, is an astonishing forecast, and may be a fact, for to expound such a scheme at that period was to chance being burnt as a sorcerer—a risk Strada would be unlikely to run for mere fiction.—Stray Stories.

**A Song of Hope.**

Here's a think I guess you hadn't Never thought; An' if so, you hain't been happy As you ought; It's a thought to make you glad, For a t'eller can't be sad When he sees th' things a-comin' That he's sought.

This is it: Th' funder on we Moria's god, All th' brighter does th' future's Promise grow. Some keeps harpin' on th' past Wishin' a childood's joy might last—Hain't got time for any sich a Bunch o' woe.

Ev'ry day since I been livin' I have found Lots an' lots o' hope an' sunshine Scattered 'round. Life's brimful o' love an' light If a feller lives it right—Always got th' best time comin', I'll be bound.

I ain't been along th' road as Fur as some, But she's kep a-gettin' botter As I've come. 'Twill be better still next year Sure as I'm a-gettin' here—Lookin' back I'll see some mountains I have climb.

Chirk up, growler; light yer face up With a smile; Better walkin' on ahead there 'Bout a mile. Keep a-singin' songs o' hope, Never set around an' mope; For this life g'rows sweet an' sweeter All th' while.

**Singing Insects.**

Among the natural curiosities of Japan are its singing insects. The most prized of these tiny musicians is a black beetle named "suzumushi," which means "insect bell." The sound that it emits resembles that of a little silver bell of the sweetest and most delicate tone.

**Swiss Hotels.**

There are now 2,000 hotels and pensions in Switzerland, employing something like 35,000 persons during the summer season. It is estimated that 380,000 people visit Switzerland in the season and spend about \$25,000,000 there.

**The Tall and the Short.**

Norwegians and Lapps, the tallest, and the shortest people of the world, live side by side.

**Spread of Temperance.**

One man in six in the British navy is a total abstainer.

**ON READING AND TALKING.**

Books are no substitute for talk, says the Spectator. They come out of talk and go back into talk. We doubt if reading alone ever made a full man. It has been said that reading with some one else's head; but talking is thinking—if we may borrow a simile from the motor car—with the head power. A bookworm is the man of the world, so is the silent thinker to the talking thinker. The man who does not talk is a stranger upon earth. He does not know his fellows, and they do not know him, and these we do not know we cannot greatly like. "Little do men percieve what solitude is and how far it extendeth, for a crowd is not company, and faces are but a gallery of pictures, and talk but a tinkling cymbal, where there is no love." Yet a man may do heroic deeds and never talk at all in our sense of the word, and he may be a learned man and never express an opinion on any subject of the first consequence. All the same, we agree with Bacon that, inasmuch as he is shut up in himself, "closeness doth impair and a little perish his understanding."

**Bribe Boys With Cigarettes.**

Bribing boys with cigarettes to attend Bible classes is certainly a new departure. This has lately been done in an English parish, and the vicar was naturally very much incensed. One Sunday the teacher of the class distributed packets of cigarettes, and the boys said that the large attendance on that occasion was due to the promise of the cigarettes. Previously some of them had received cigars. The practice has, however, been put a stop to, owing to the vicar's strong and reasonable objection to any such system.

**Bridal Costumes in Spain.**

In Spain a bride has no girl attendants to stand at the altar with her, but instead a "madrina" or godmother; neither does she have a wedding cake nor any festive going away after the ceremony. The wedding pair depart quietly to their new home, where they remain until the following day, when they start on their honeymoon. Before departing they pay a formal visit to their respective relatives.

**A Remarkable Woman.**

Kokomo, Ind., Nov. 23.—Mrs. Anna M. Willis of this place, a charming old lady of 74 years, has given for publication a very interesting letter.

Mrs. Willis is widely known and highly respected and the recommendation she gives is well worth the consideration of anyone who may be interested. Mrs. Willis' address is R. R. No. 6, Kokomo. Her letter reads as follows:

"I have been troubled with Kidney trouble for 20 years. It was so bad that it affected my heart and my back. It hurt so that I could not get up when down, and I began to think that I would be past doing anything. I was recommended to get Doan's Kidney Pills and purchased some at the drug store of Mr. G. E. Meek. After using several boxes I was completely restored. I feel 20 years younger, and I am able to do all the usual work in the house and garden which a person who lives on the farm has to do, although I am 74 years of age."

Willis—She said that she loved me more than I knew. Lawyers have no excuse for going hungry, as the statutes have lots of provisions in them.

**\$100 Reward, \$100.**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is a new and improved method of curing the most distressing disease, Catarrh, Hilda Catarrh, Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hilda's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution in a lasting manner in doing its work. The proprietors have to much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Sent in a package of 50 cents.

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Use Pe-ru-na for Coughs, Colds, Grip and Catarrh—A Congressman's Letter.



In every country of the civilized world Sisters of Charity are known. Not only do they minister to the spiritual and intellectual needs of the charges committed to their care, but they also minister to their bodily needs.

With so many children to take care of and to protect from climate and disease, these wise and prudent Sisters have found Pe-ru-na a never failing safeguard.

Dr. Hartman receives many letters from Catholic Sisters from all over the United States. A recommend recently received from a Catholic institution in Detroit, Mich., reads as follows:

**Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:**  
Dear Sir:—"The young girl who used the Pe-ru-na was suffering from laryngitis, and loss of voice. The result of the treatment was most satisfactory. She found great relief, and after further use of the medicine we hope to be able to say she is entirely cured."  
—Sisters of Charity.

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The following letter is from Congressman Meekison, of Napoleon, Ohio: The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

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Dr. Hartman, one of the best known physicians and surgeons in the United States, was the first man to formulate Pe-ru-na. It was through his genius and perseverance that it was introduced to the medical profession of this country.

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



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**The Pinckney Dispatch.**

F. L. ANDREWS & CO. PROPRIETORS.

THURSDAY, NOV. 26, 1903.

**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 R. Darrow.

**50.00 More Than Half Fare From Chicago Via Chicago Great Western Railway.**

To points in Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas. Tickets on sale Dec. 1st and 15th, 1903; and January 5th and 19th, 1904. For further particulars apply to J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

**Cured of Piles After 40 Years.**

Mr. C. Haney, of Geneva, O., had the piles for 40 years. Doctors and dollars could do him no lasting good. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him permanently. Invaluable for cuts, burns, bruises, sprains, lacerations, eczema, tetter, salt rheum and all other skin diseases. Look for the name DeWitt on all packages—all others are cheap, worthless counterfeits. Sold by all Druggists.

Postal authorities in Great Britain are devising a plan to insure the delivery on Christmas day. They will either have a Christmas delivery stamp, or permit the sender to write, near the stamp, a word of instruction to the postal officers. In this way, mail posted several days beforehand will be delivered on Christmas day.

**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 one package of either if it fails to give satisfaction.

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

**Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.**

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

It is said that sugar beets will exterminate Canada this year.

Tuesday Nov. 17, H. Gregory took in 1 1/2 ton of poultry at Gregory.

The new Masonic hall at Stockbridge will be dedicated about the holidays.

The railroads of the United States receive nearly \$70,000,000 a year for carrying the mails.

Henry Whipple proprietor of the Commercial hotel in Howell has sold to W. R. Peak of Chatham, Ont.

Representative Smith of Illinois has introduced a bill in the National House of Representatives to reduce letter postage to one cent, and Representatives of Michigan has offered one providing for post check notes of the denominations of \$1, \$4, and \$5.

The National Portland Cement Co. met Tuesday Nov. 17 in Ann Arbor and the engineer submitted his plans for buildings and equipments. The stockholders are enthusiastic over the future of the company. The plant will be operated at Zukey Lake.

One man lying near Stockbridge estimated the total cost of two acres of sugar beets, this year, to be \$77. The yield was 640 bushels and at the lowest figures he expected to receive \$85.50. He did the work himself, so the only real money he was out was the cost of the seed.

Putman township received \$865. of the primary school money. This is a much larger amount than formerly and is caused by the inheritance taxes all being paid into this fund. Livingston county has paid inheritance tax into the state treasury since last January the sum of \$1,718.50.

**A Good Name.**

From personal experience I testify that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are unequalled as a liver pill. They are rightly named because they give strength and energy and do their work with ease—W. T. Easton, Boerne, Tex. Thousands of people are using these tiny little pills in preference to all others, because they are so pleasant and effectual. They cure biliousness, torpid liver, jaundice, sick headache, constipation, etc. They do not purge and weaken, but cleanse and strengthen. Sold by all Druggists.

**WANTED**—The Subscription due on the DISPATCH.

**Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, prevents pneumonia.**

**W. C. T. U.**

Edited by the W. C. T. U. of Pinckney

The county of Dunklin, in Missouri, carried local option by the magnificent majority of 952. Temperance workers are jubilant over this great victory.

The town of Hope, Indiana, having been dry one year, and the grass not having taken root in the streets, the citizens of the town have raised a guarantee fund of \$3,000 to keep the town dry. This is pretty good evidence that prohibition does not kill a town.

The residence of Abraham Showalter, of Keystone, Ind., a prominent anti-saloon worker, was entirely destroyed by dynamite Sept. 3. The home of Fred Rohrer, the editor of Berne Witness, Indiana, was almost entirely demolished by dynamite early on the morning of Sept. 10. These are characteristic saloon tactics.

William T. Wardwell, a leading New York philanthropist, has recently donated a building site valued at \$125,000 and fronting on Central park, to the Red Cross hospital which uses no alcohol in its surgical or medical cases, its experience having demonstrated that alcohol is not only unnecessary, but injurious in medicine, and that it can wholly be dispensed with profitably. It is this attitude of the Red Cross hospital which attracted Mr. Wardwell's benefaction toward it.

**The Best Liniment.**

"Chamberlain's Pain Balm is considered the best liniment on the market," writes Post and Bliss, of Georgia, Vt. "No other liniment will heal a cut or bruise so promptly. No other affords such quick relief from rheumatic pains. No other is so valuable for joint pains like lame back and pains in the chest. Give this liniment a trial and you will never wish to be without it."

For sale by F. A. Sigler.

An agent from an Ypsilanti publishing house canvassed this town for printing, quite thorough last week—also the farmers in the vicinity of Galesburg purchased a car load of groceries in lots varying from two to ten pounds of various articles. They were purchased from canvassers who traveled the neighborhood from house to house. The goods were delivered on Monday and the purchasers find they could have bought of the home merchants at a saving of from 10 to 25 per cent.

**A Scientific Discovery.**

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or over-loaded. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood.

Sold by all Druggists.

**A Tree That Grows Dishes.**

There is a tree in the West Indies that the natives say "grows dishes." It looks like an apple tree. They call the calabash. It bears very large leaves and large white blossoms. It grows right from the trunk and has many branches. After the flower comes the fruit, just as our apples or peaches do. But this fruit is in the shape of a gourd, only stronger and much larger, sometimes a foot in diameter. Now, see what a use the people of that country make of this fruit. The shell is so hard that all sorts of big and little dishes and drinking cups can be carved out of it. Even pots and kettles are made and used over the fire, but of course they cannot last as long as our iron ones.

For sick headache try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets; they will ward off the attack if taken in time.

**One Minute Cough Cure For Coughs, Colds and Croup.**

**FROM SOUTH AFRICA. New Way of Using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.**

Mr. Arthur Chapman writing from Durban, Natal, South Africa, says: "As a proof that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a cure suitable for old and young, I pen you the following: A neighbor of mine had a child just over two months old. It had a very bad cough and the parents did not know what to give it. I suggested that if they would get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and put some upon the dummy teat the baby was sucking it would no doubt cure the child. This they did and brought about a quick relief and cured the baby." This remedy is For sale by F. A. Sigler.

**Bird Migration.**

After years of study devoted to the topic Professor Alfred Newton of Cambridge stated that without doubt bird migration is the greatest mystery in the entire animal kingdom. "a mystery," he added, "that can be no more explained by the modern man of science than by the simple minded savage of antiquity."

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is Pleasant to Take.**

The finest quality of granulated loaf sugar is used in the manufacture of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and the roots used in its preparation give it a flavor similar to maple syrup, making it quite pleasant to take. Mr. W. L. Roderick, Poolesville, Md., in speaking of this remedy, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with my children for several years and can truthfully say it is the best preparation of the kind I know of. The children like to take it and it has no injurious after effect."

For sale by F. A. Sigler.

**True Love.**

Milly—I'm writing to Dolly. Have you any message for her? Tilly—What! Writing to that horrid creature? Well, give her my love.

Some persons do first, think afterward and repent forever.—Secker.

**Doesn't Respect Old Age.**

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. 25, at F. A. Sigler's drug store.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Livingston, SS.**

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Howell, on Saturday the 21st day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate, in the Matter of the Estate of

PETER KELLEY, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Elizabeth Kelley, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to G. W. Teeple or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Friday, the 18th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Pinckney DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, 3 successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

EUGENE A. STOWE, Judge of Probate.

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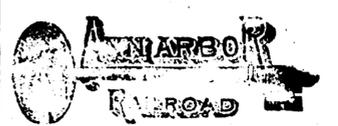
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 "Put it with the real estate trans-  
 actions," said the city editor, as he wrote  
 "Continued on the forty-fourth page"  
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**A Remarkable Case.**

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mr. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind. who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I ran down in weight from 145 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength."  
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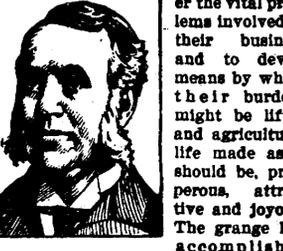
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 Press Correspondent New York State Grange

**BROADENING THE FIELD.**

Some Suggestions by the Hon. George T. Powell on New Lines of Work.  
 [Special Correspondence.]

The inception and organization of the grange came through a recognition of the needs of the agricultural class of our country at a time when its interests were very seriously depressed. At the close of the civil war farms were generally heavily mortgaged, and farmers were staggering under the burden of debt.

The work of the grange was to bring farmers together in an organized capacity to consider the vital problems involved in their business and to devise means by which their burdens might be lifted and agricultural life made as it should be, prosperous, attractive and joyous.



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The good it has done cannot be measured, but new problems are constantly arising, and it is the present and future that have to be considered now and not the past.

While there is a better degree of prosperity at present in agriculture than for many years past, it is not as general as it ought to be. In sections where specialties in farming are followed, which call for a higher degree of knowledge and intelligence, there has been a marked advance in prosperity, but there is a large number of farmers at present in different sections of our country who are struggling with adverse conditions and are little better off than were those at the close of the civil war. The evidence of this is found in the vast tracts of farming land that are offered for sale at prices ranging from \$10 to \$20 per acre in all of our eastern states. Upon land so offered for sale there is a ruinous decadence going on, farm buildings are running down, fences are past repair, farm tenant houses are empty and decaying, roads are not worked, and the rural schoolhouses are in many instances without teachers or children.

The grange needs to transfer its work more actively to these sections, to gather together the scattered and discouraged farmers and what is left of their families. A campaign of real education must be begun; the entire forces of the community must be enlisted, the industrial, the educational and religious, for with these dead or inactive no progress is possible in a community, but with them aroused and active growth will be experienced even with the most adverse surroundings.

The first important work, then, is to carry grange work into the scattered territory, for first of all some form of organization is necessary for systematic work. Then some clearly defined work for the upbuilding of the town should be begun, and the first in importance is its educational interests. The public school can do much, but it must be a live one, and it should contribute more than has been done to the real life and interests of the town. Schools should be a more potent factor in a community and do more for it than teaching in a perfunctory manner the English branches. The grange can with great profit study the needs of the community and then aid in putting the school upon such a working basis as to contribute largely to them. This will naturally lead to the improvement of roads, for the isolated rural school is gone forever, and good roads are a necessity not only for the farmer, but for the daily transportation of his children to and from a strong central school. Road construction becomes a vital problem for the grange to study and work out. Then follow the many questions of the improvement of the farm, the soil, stock, markets, taxation and of great importance official representation in local as in state and national legislation. The grange should be more definite in its object and more direct in its work, and every new grange organized upon this basis will in time revolutionize any community in which its work is vigorously and intelligently conducted.

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# NEWS OF THE WORLD

## A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

### Fired From the White House.

Carrie Nation, the Kansas amacher, was forcibly ejected from the White House Thursday, after vainly endeavoring to see the president.

She created quite a scene on the streets afterwards. Holding up her right hand, she shouted: "I am going to pray for a prohibition president, one who will represent the people and not the brewers."

Mrs. Nation called at the White House about 10 o'clock and asked to be admitted to the president's office. Secretary Loeb sent out word that the president was busy.

"I'll wait," she said, and sat down on one of the sofas in the front office. After remaining about a half hour, while various other visitors were being admitted, she walked into Secretary Loeb's office.

"I demand to see the president. I am a mother and represent the mothers of America," she said. "I want to ask the president why he brought a dive into Kansas when he took his western tour."

Secretary Loeb called in two officers and told them to eject her. She resisted removal, and they were compelled to drag her out.

### Strange Finds of Stolen Goods.

Several hundreds of dollars worth of plunder was found in the streets and alleys of Bellefontaine, O., Sunday morning, and the police attribute it to the search which has been inaugurated by the Big Four railway into the wholesale thefts of merchandise from cars, between Bellefontaine and Indianapolis, and which has resulted in the arrest of a half dozen conductors, brakemen and switchmen at Indianapolis.

The police think that the plunder was brought during the night by railroad employes, and dumped about over town to avoid suspicion from other quarters. In the lot of goods found there were shoes, shirts, millinery and almost every sort of merchandise.

Officials of the Big Four say the arrests at Indianapolis are not all that will be made, and predict that the investigation will extend over all parts of the system.

### Daring Escape.

Four prisoners escaped from the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus by climbing to the roof of a cell block, through a ventilator, and sliding down a rope made of strips of leather belting, to the lawn in front of the prison.

The escape of the prisoners was a daring one. The cell block from which they made their exit is in the front of the big prison, and the men dropped to the ground beneath a window in the warden's office, where the lights were burning brightly. A trusted prisoner, seated at a desk near the window, saw the last man, who fell before he reached the end of the rope, limp away in the darkness. The alarm was given and a posse of prison guards, armed with Winchesters, immediately started in pursuit.

### Gruesome Sight.

Fifty thousand dollars is the estimated loss to the Northwestern university caused by a fire which gutted the fifth and sixth floors of the medical and dental college, occupying the building which formerly was known as the Tremont hotel.

Thirty bodies were in the dissecting room on the top floor. Some had been dismembered and all presented a gruesome sight after the flames had been extinguished, the water poured over them having frozen. The interior of the structure throughout was damaged by water and smoke.

The Tremont hotel building was purchased by the university two years ago at a cost of \$500,000, and \$300,000 was spent in refitting it for college purposes.

### Alarm for Kaiser.

The semi-official newspaper, the Postdamer Correspondenz, announces that the physicians of Emperor William have given him permission to spend Christmas at home, but have ordered him to go south immediately afterward. His majesty will take a long stay in Italy and the Rivera to recruit his health. This report has revived a hundredfold all the alarm caused by the recent operation on the kaiser's throat.

The Correspondenz recalls that Emperor Frederick, after a similar operation, was sent to San Remo only to receive his death sentence there from cancer specialists.

### Near Zero and No Coal.

Three degrees above zero was recorded in Denver this morning. At Pueblo the thermometer touched zero and mountain towns report temperatures ranging from 10 to 13 below zero. Because of the coal miners' strike many families are short of coal and retail dealers cannot fill orders until coal arrives from the east.

Grover Cleveland and his friends who were running with him on the preserves of the Back Bay Gun club, in Princess Anne county, Va., have had poor luck. They got almost no game and they have rendered themselves liable to prosecution by neglecting to take out a \$10 license as required by the laws of Virginia for non-residents.

### Panama Canal Treaty.

The treaty between the United States of America and the new republic of Panama for the construction of the isthmian canal was signed by Secretary of State Hay and Minister Bunau-Varilla at Secretary Hay's residence Thursday.

It has been decided that the treaty shall be ratified at Panama. The Panama commission will sail December 1 for that state, arriving there on the 7th. It is expected that between that date and December 10 the treaty will be ratified by the United States senate.

The United States by this treaty is given absolute sovereignty over the canal zone, the republic of Panama ceding to the United States whatever land or lands throughout the state the United States government shall find necessary in building and operating the canal.

The treaty consists of about 25 articles, the principal provisions of which are as follows:

Absolute United States sovereignty over a strip of land at least 8 to 10 miles wide.

Perpetual grant of right of way instead of a term lease.

American legal and military jurisdiction throughout canal zone.

Permission to United States to fortify terminals and police canal with troops.

Cities of Panama and Colon to retain their municipal autonomy under the republic of Panama, but to maintain such police and sanitary conditions as the United States shall demand.

The United States is to pay the isthmian republic \$10,000,000.

The canal is to be neutral and open to all nations on equal terms.

### ECHOES FROM PANAMA.

The U. S. battleship Maine has arrived at Colon.

Gen. Reyes, Holguin and Ospina, leaders in Colombia, have been sent to Panama on a peace mission to try to induce the isthmians to return to the Colombian federation. The privileges of a United States warship have been offered to Gen. Reyes to reach Panama should he so desire.

The president's yacht, Mayflower, has arrived at Panama with Rear Admiral Walker, who is to investigate the situation for the president; Rear Admiral Coghlan, who is to take command of the United States fleet on the Atlantic side, and Consul General Guder. The latter was given an enthusiastic reception by the Panamanians.

The Hamburg-American line steamer Scotia, which arrived off Colon on Sunday and which was believed to have on board the Colombian Gen. Reyes, had among her passengers a number of prominent Colombians who formed a peace commission from the department of Bolivar, but Gen. Reyes was not on board.

The revenues of the new republic if economically administered promise to meet all expenses. These revenues consist of the 10 per cent ad valorem duty on imports, slaughter house taxes, liquor licenses and similar sources of income, as well as the fair yearly sums derived from those holding a monopoly of the tobacco business, from the gambling privileges at Panama and Colon and from the lottery.

### American Greeting.

Rear Admiral Walker, who is practically President Roosevelt's representative on the isthmus, and Consul General Guder, who is there to direct the relations of the United States with the de facto government, called at the palace and in the name of the United States government paid their respects to the members of the Junta. Admiral Walker presented a letter from President Roosevelt and there were mutual exchanges of good wishes. Otherwise the visit was quite unremarkable.

The visit of Admiral Walker and Mr. Guder has been construed by the Junta and by the people of Panama as a formal official recognition of the new republic and has provoked many expressions of satisfaction and congratulations upon the new order of things. It is understood that Admiral Walker will report to President Roosevelt on the isthmian situation and act in an advisory capacity to Mr. Guder.

### New Find of Jesus' Words.

Biblical students are greatly interested in the archaeological discoveries of Dr. Bernard Grenfell, who has unearthed certain papyrus buried in a Ptolemaic necropolis, south of Cairo. These papyrus consist of a collection of sayings of Jesus Christ and are apparently addressed to St. Thomas. Because of the fact that they are at some variance with accepted texts, much discussion has been fomented. Dr. Grenfell at a meeting of the Egypt Exploration fund today, made public some of the documents. They are a general introduction with the word "Jesus saith."

The ends of the lines are in many cases obliterated. One of the sayings reads, "Let not him that seeketh cease from his search until he find and when he finds he shall wonder; and when he reaches the kingdom, he shall have rest."

A pearl fisher of Western Australia has found a pearl whose value is estimated at \$75,000.



Japanese and Germans have the same average brain weight.

French is the language of more than a million of the three and a half million of Canadians.

Some splendid specimens of turquoise stones are being found in the mines on the Upper Klug River, Victoria, Australia.

Blank verse was first introduced into English poetry by Henry Howard, Earl of Surrey, in a translation of Virgil's "Aeneid," in 1547.

Inside bands for hats is another use to which wool is put. It is said to be warm in winter, cool in summer and to absorb the perspiration.

It is becoming quite popular in London for men to do the work of housemaids. Most of them are foreigners who are anxious to learn the English language.

The National Museum of Belgrade has come into possession of a collection of 68,000 Roman copper coins recently unearthed near a Servian village. The oldest of them belong in the time of Caracalla.

In the seventeenth century Vienna was better supplied with newspapers than any other European city. Strange to say, the one which lived longest, the Corriere Ordinario, as its name indicates, was printed in the Italian language.

In the district of Grasse, in the Riviera, there are thirty-five perfume factories, which sell about \$1,000,000 worth of flower essences a year. It takes 1000 kilogrammes of roses, worth nearly \$800, to make one quart of essence of roses.

The Chatham Islands are a group in the South Pacific, 380 miles east of New Zealand, of which a colony they form a part. They are mainly used for cattle and sheep breeding for the purpose of supplying markets and other vessels calling to refit and take in stores.

British Gulana is said to be the most cosmopolitan of British colonies, the population consisting of an admixture of Dutch, French, British and American colonists, East Indian coolies, Chinese, Spaniards, Portuguese, Germans, Scandinavians and the aborigines of the country.

A nest of young rabbits was plowed up in Kansas, and a little girl took them home, but after getting tired of her pets she decided to feed them to the old family cat. She has a number of kittens. Instead of the cat eating them, she is raising them. The cat seems to think as much of the rabbits as she does of her kittens.

The Farmer Who Was Hired to Plow.

A boy drove a load of hay up a terrace in front of a farmer's house, and the load tipped over. The boy, after some difficulty, managed to unhitch the horses and to tie them to a fence; then he went and rapped at the farmer's door, and asked him to come out and help him to pitch on the load.

"We are just sitting down to dinner, my boy," the farmer replied, "Won't you come in and join us?"

"I'd like to," said the boy, "but I am afraid father wouldn't like it."

"Oh, he won't mind; you can work better after dinner." So the boy went in. After dinner a cup of tea was served.

"Won't you have a cup of tea, my boy?" asked the farmer.

"I'd like one, but I am afraid father wouldn't like it."

"Oh, come on, take a cup of tea; it won't hurt you." So the boy finally drank the tea.

"Sit down now," said the farmer. "We will read the newspaper for a few minutes; we don't want to go to work directly after dinner."

"I'd like to," said the boy, "but I am afraid father won't like it."

"Afraid your father won't like it?" asked the farmer. "You must have an awfully particular father; he don't seem to like anything. I'd like to see him. Where is he?"

"Oh," said the boy, "he is under the load of hay!"—Harper's Magazine.

### Businesslike Pope.

The Pope, having learned that there has been mismanagement in the matter of Peter's pence, which is the chief source of revenue of the papacy, has reorganized that department and cashiered several of the employes. He has also appointed a lay director from the Italian band to replace the aged Cardinal Moeani, who hitherto has had charge of the fund. The Pope who is considered very easy-going, is displaying unexpected energy in straightening out matters at the Vatican, and the Vatican clique finds it most unpalatable.

### Fishes and Sound.

The sense of hearing in fishes is still a matter of uncertainty. They have no ears resembling those of the higher animals, but they are sensitive to sound in some degree, although it is doubtful if this can be called hearing. Late experiments by Dr. Zenneck, of Strasburg, show something of the degree of sensitiveness. The sound of a bell in the water caused roach, dace and bleak to dart away if within ten

feet, or to show signs of disturbance if within twenty-five feet. When the bell was muffled and in a pool the fish were slightly disturbed.

### Eve's Automobile.

One night when Adam came home from the brick yard, where he had been molding clay to make Cain a dog house, Eve met him with outstretched arms.

"Poor dear," she simpered, "is he tired most to death?" and she kissed him on the nose.

"I haven't a cent," said Adam, dodging and keeping his hand on his pocketbook.

"Addie, won't you get your 'Eve' an automobile for Christmas?" cajoled



EVE'S AUTOMOBILE.

Eve, hugging him close and tickling his ear with her bow-cat-hers.

"Automobile!" gasped Adam, "what's the matter with the old baby carriage? It was good enough for Cain. It surely ought to be good enough for—"

Eve blushed, and drowned the remainder of his sentence in the autumn leaf yoke of her shell-bark dress.

"Not that, Addie, but a real automobile that runs with gasoline and says 'choo! choo! choo!' like that—and has a dear of a handle for steering—and four big leather seats all cushioned with springs—and a red coat of paint with orange stripes—and—and—"

"And what!" demanded Adam.

Just then a fox squirrel dropped a pecan on Adam's bald head and he awoke with a start!

"Tuh!" he ejaculated, "I knew something would happen like this if I didn't stop reading that story of Rip Van Winkle backwards!"

And when Abel came the old baby carriage was the only automobile in the Land of Paradise.

Do you really believe Eve ever wore a leaf yoke in her shellbark dress?

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**IOSCO.**

Hugh Ward lost a valuable horse Monday.

Henry Mangles moved to near Howell, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walters and son James will spend Thanksgiving at Collins.

Will Greening has hired Guy Smally for a year. He will occupy Mr. Greenings tenant house.

**PETTYSVILLE.**

S. G. Teeple was in Toledo Sunday.

The last "fish train" for the season came up from Toledo Sunday.

Mrs. Barber of Conway, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. W. Conway.

Mrs. J. W. Placeway visited her sisters in Stockbridge and White Oak a few days this week.

S. G. Teeple and wife spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Warner of Jackson.

**WEST MARION.**

Two cases of scarlet fever.

School closed for two weeks.

Mrs. Henry Smith is visiting friends in Canada.

Miss Etta AanBuren is visiting friends at Owosso.

The LAS gave a Thanksgiving dinner today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewell.

Mrs. M. A. Rockwood of Fenwick Mont Calm county and Mrs. J. M. Lockwood of Leoni, were guests of Mrs. Rockwood last week.

**EAST PUTNAM.**

F. A. Hall was in Howell Saturday.

Fred Fish is visiting friends in Detroit.

Alex Pearson is home from the U. of M. for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Mrs. Jas. Fitch entertained Mrs. Backus of Stockbridge Thursday of last week.

Miss Myrta Hall of Williamston is spending a week with her mother in this place.

Burr Fitch expects to leave this week for Mineville, N. Y. where he has secured a position as book-keeper with a mining company.

**SOUTH MARION.**

John Carr lost a valuable horse Tuesday.

We are glad to hear that A. A. Stowe is able to be around.

Mrs. Hannah Mann of Jackson is visiting at N. Pacey's this week.

Edna Stowe was the guest of her brother Orla of Iosco Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Bland visited her father Henry Smith last Saturday.

N. Pacey and family are entertaining Mrs. Ann Gilks of Howell this week.

Winnifred Reynolds who has been having a siege with catarrh of the appendix, is on the gain.

John Dinkle assisted George Bland with his corn husking one day last week. John is a hustler.

Rev. Stowe of Unadilla filled the vacancy at the Lakin appointment for Rev. Cope last Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Williston who has been nursing a sore hand for the past month, is better at this writing.

Mrs. Frank Knoop and sons, Erwin and Arnold, visited her brother near Fowlerville a few days last week.

**ANDERSON.**

Several from this place attended the Ideal Entertainers at Gregory Monday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. White Sunday, a daughter.

Sam'l Wilson is home from the U. of M. to spend Thanksgiving.

Eugene Smith and Wm. Singleton were in Stockbridge Tuesday.

Edith Wood of Battle Creek is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Julia Pangborn is visiting at Darius Pangborns near Hamburg.

Mrs. Hattie Stevenson visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Phelps of Stockbridge Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Holmes, wife and son Marble who have been visiting Mrs. H's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Marble, returned home the last of last week.

Mrs. B. Singleton and two grand-daughters Lila and Myra of Stockbridge visited Mrs. S's children Mrs. C. A. Frost and Wm. Singleton the last of last week.

Mr. Conway of near Lansing has moved his family into the house recently vacated by Mrs. Hattie Hoff she having gone to live where her son Robbie can attend school.

**UNADILLA.**

Thos. Harker of So. Lyon was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Wm. Pyper, wife and daughter, Erma, were in Chelsea last Thursday.

Rev. Crawford of Detroit will preach in the Presby. church next Sunday evening.

Miss Mabel Hartsuff started for Redmond Wash. Tuesday where she expects to spend a year.

The oyster supper last Wednesday night was well attended and a good time is the report by all.

The M. E. ladies will hold a church fair at the basement of the church next week Thursday and Friday afternoon and evening, Dec. 3rd and 4th. Chicken pie will be served Thursday night and oysters Friday. Everyone come and buy your Christmas presents.

**NORTH LAKE.**

Our school is out the rest of the week.

Remember the social at E. W. Daniels' Friday evening of this week.

Herman Hudson has ordered a new corn husker which will save many cold fingers as there is a good deal of corn out yet.

The new crop of beans are now ready for market in this vicinity. The yield is from 9 to 25 bushels per acre. R. C. Glenn claims the largest yield—685 bushels, enough for 21,920 gallons of soup.

Mary, wife of Jas. Reilly died early Tuesday morning Nov. 24 after a lingering illness with cancer. She was the mother of fifteen children of which ten are now living and have the sympathy of the entire community. The funeral will be held on Friday at St. Mary's church in Chelsea.

**PLAINFIELD.**

There will be service in Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Bean Threshers, Corn Huskers and etc. are plentiful around here this week.

R. C. Frazier and wife are visiting their daughter Mrs. Isham near Leslie.

Frank Beadle and Eunice Hatt of Stockbridge were married last week Wednesday evening.

The L. O. T. M. will hold an experience social next Friday eve. Nov. 27. Chicken pie will be served. Bill 15 cents.

William S. Braley, after a short illness passed away Nov. 11th, aged 80 years and four days. He was born in Albion, N. Y. where he lived until 1858 when he came to Mich. and located on the farm just east of town which has since been his home. In March 1855 occurred his marriage with Miss B. L. Beal of Ann Arbor and to them were born four children all living near town. Mrs. F. L. Wright, Elmer, Lottie and Mrs. E. L. Topping.

Mrs. Braley died in Ang. 1898. He was a loyal member of the M. P. church where the funeral was held Saturday a. m. Nov. 14, his pastor Rev. W. S. Ostrander officiating. B. B. Braley and W. H. Nichols of Albion N. Y., Wm. Packard and Mrs. Darwin Eldridge of Macedon N. Y., Mrs. J. A. Braley and daughter Esther of Ann Arbor, Mrs. J. E. Forn and Mrs. F. T. Stimson also of Ann Arbor were among those present at the service. After fifty busy years in this place he leaves many friends who with the family mourn their loss.

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

Miss Anna Dolan of Detroit was in town Tuesday on business.

As we go to press there is the appearance of a coming storm.

H. G. Briggs and wife spent Thanksgiving with friends in Ypsilanti.

Edd Wilber of Howell was in town Wednesday looking after telephone matters.

Mrs. G. F. Burgess of Muith was the guest of Mrs. A. J. Wilhelm Monday and Tuesday.

A good many are making arrangements to go to the hotel to dinner to-day—roast turkey.

Wednesday Nov. 25 at the home of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hall of Marion occurred the marriage of their daughter May to Bert Hinkley.

The proprietors of this paper are very thankful to those who have responded to the call of money due—also thankful to those who are thinking about it.

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**NEW OFFICERS**

The WCTU met with Mrs. Cadwell Tuesday p. m. The following officers were elected and appointed:

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- 1st Vice Pres., Miss L. M. Coe.
- 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. R. L. Cope.
- 3rd Vice Pres., Mrs. Charlotte Gilchrist.
- Sec. Mrs. Stella Graham.
- Treas., Mrs. Desda Wilhelm.
- Supt. Press, Mrs. Hattie Decker.
- Supt. Flower Dept., Mrs. Elvina Cadwell.
- Supt. Scientific Instruction, Mrs. Jennie Barton.
- Supt. Literature, Mrs. Ada Clark.
- Committee on Program, Mesdames Stella Graham, Elvina Cadwell, R. L. Cope, Frank Peters.

**PUTNAM AND HAMBURG FARMERS' CLUB.**

The Putnam and Hamburg farmers club will hold their annual oyster dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCluskey, Saturday Nov. 28, 1903, at 10:30 sharp. The following program will be rendered:

- Singing by the club from Rural Songster
- Recitation, Una Bennett
- Vocal solo, Mrs. Samuel Kennedy
- Paper, Iva Placeway
- Duet, Mrs. Ida VanFleet, Adda Kice
- Recitation, Clyde Bennett
- Inst. solo, Florence Kice
- Paper, Mrs. Jas. Nash
- Solo, Will Nash
- Election of officers
- Singing by Club

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The statute book holds quite a series of enactments designed to prevent anything in the nature of what we know as a "corner" or "combine." "Regrating" was a criminal offense, and so was "forestalling." The former consisted of buying and selling the same day in the same market or near it, and the latter implied the purchase of merchandise on the way to market or before the hour at which the market commenced, with the intention of selling at a profit, while it was also "forestalling" to circulate rumors calculated to raise the prices of commodities.

Though these laws have fallen into desuetude, they were in force in our grandfathers' time. At Preston, for instance, there were prosecutions almost up to the accession of Queen Victoria.

**Poisonous Daby Snakes.**

The young of the poisonous species of serpents, deserted from the very first by the parent snakes, are as dangerous as if full grown from the moment they enter the world. The proprietor of a Philadelphia museum learned this to his cost. In a big glass case partitioned through the middle by a wire screen there lived side by side an eleven foot anaconda (of the constrictor family) and a colony of cotton mouth moccasins. It was impossible for the moccasins to glide through the narrow meshes of the screen or even to venture an occasional "strike" at their large and peaceful neighbor. But during the night a brood of young cotton mouths unexpectedly appeared—babes, not five inches long. They squirmed through the meshes of the partition and before they had been two hours in this world were gliding joyfully over the lifeless body of the huge constrictor, which lay poisoned by the youngsters' fangs.

Carried a Live Shark Ashore. Jonathan Fowler, a Massachusetts fisherman, once walked out knee deep through the mud and silt of a sea-shore at low tide to a shark left by the retreating waters, shouldered it and brought it alive on his back to the shore. The shark weighed 500 pounds, quite a load, considering that it was not the most portable of articles and that the man had to wade through mud.

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