

# Pinckney Dispatch.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

Geo. Hendee is giving his barn a coat of paint.

E. G. Webb and family have moved into their new house just west of town.

"Woman Against Woman" will be presented in Gregory, Monday evening, Sept. 26.

Mrs. Grace Wallace left last week for an extended visit with friends in Durand and Detroit.

Mr. Cowles of Battle Creek visited his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Miller of this place the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Howe of Northville were the guests of Thos. Clark and family last week.

C. H. Gould and wife of Conway were guests of her sister Mrs. I. S. P. Johnson and other friends here the past week.

F. M. Peters is having some repairing done on the mill, a new flume, gates, etc. T. P. McClear of Gregory is doing the work.

Mrs. A. D. and Miss Alma Swarthout of Harbor Beach are guests of their brother Mark Swarthout and other relatives here.

The county clerks are now receiving their annual allotment of deer licenses. The slaughter of deer and hunters will soon begin.

The estimated yield of wheat per acre in the state is 8 bushels, oats \$2. It is too early to give the yield of other crops but the promise is good.

Owing to poor health F. E. Wright is desirous of selling out his grocery stock and is for the present retailing groceries of all kinds at very low prices.

The Iosco ball team came over Saturday last and gathered in the scalps of the Pinckney team to the tune of 7 to 4. The game was a good one all the time.

There will be a chicken pie supper at the home of Montague Bros. Friday evening of next week Sept. 23, for the benefit of Rev. Brace. Supper 15 cents. All invited.

There are now 725 boys in the Industrial School at Lansing. They will receive a good schooling and learn a trade. That is better than many boys do who have even a better chance.

B. F. Andrews, who has been spending three months in Iowa and Nebraska, returned to Pinckney last Saturday. He is well and enjoyed his trip. He is now visiting in Parshallville and other points.

In Japan the landowners will not allow a post to be set for a fence for the reason that he wants the thirty square inches of soil on which to grow some plant. Here we give a line fence not only post room, but quite often a weed strip of six feet on either side.

Oakland county will soon have solid rural delivery.

W. H. Harris of Dexter was shaking hands with old friends here the last of last week.

Nearly 300 tickets were sold from this place to the state fair, 167 being sold on Thursday.

A good time is expected at the Carnival of Nations, at the Opera House, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 14-15.

J. H. Gaylord of near Howell purchased a carload of mules as souvenirs of the Worlds fair at St. Louis Mo. He has 'em for sale.

The Brighton Argus is now printed on a new cylinder press. Bro. Jacobs is making a good paper and needs good tools to do it with.

While calling at the home of E. W. Kennedy one day the past week, ye editor and wife enjoyed the treat of picking and eating peaches.

The project of a steam railroad from Flint via Fenton to Howell is again being taken up. It is to connect the two lines of the Pere Marquette.

Mrs. T. F. Olin of Lansing is visiting her brother, I. S. P. Johnson and assisting in the care of Mrs. Johnson, who has been very sick but is better at this writing.

A letter from G. A. Sigler, from Columbus Grove, Ohio, says the weather is very cool down there. Geo. says that Ohio is a fine state but he will take Michigan for his.

The Medical Record says the Japanese are strong because they practically eat no meat, living almost wholly on rice, with fish, eggs, vegetables and fruit. They drink weak tea and large quantities of water.

While riding into town on horseback Sunday, Byron Wellman was thrown from the horse and quite badly injured. He was unconscious for some time. We are glad to note that he is better at this writing.

They are bound to make the beet sugar industry in Shiawassee county a success. J. J. Forcier, of Bay City, is dredging out and constructing a dike around 2,000 acres of beet land. The property will be the finest beet farm in Michigan.

There will be a joint debate between Hamburg and Marion-Genoa at the stone school house district in Genoa, Saturday evening, Sept. 24. Question resolved "That the natural wonders of the New World excel those of the Old." Hamburg has the negative.

Lynford Whited of Fowlerville has been here the past week with a gang of men, setting poles, stringing wires and putting in seven new phones for the Mutual Telephone Co. The following new phones have been installed: F. M. Peters residence; Chas. Reason, residence; Will Darrow, store; C. P. Sykes, residence; H. W. Crofoot, residence; Percy Swarthout, residence; Mrs. Ella Jackson, residence.

## The State Fair

Last week was a winner for state fair association at Pontiac as the weather was excellent and the crowds larger than ever before. There was nearly 40,000 people on the grounds Thursday afternoon and a big crowd Friday.

The exhibits were larger in nearly every department than ever, there being over 2,000 more entries than last year and of the finest on earth.

The fruit exhibit from Iosco, Clare, Eaton, Cheboygan and other northern counties were fine and showed that those counties could produce something besides pine stumps.

The stock exhibit was very large and exceptionally fine. We saw that some premiums was awarded among the stockmen of this county.

In the farm implement and tool exhibits there seemed to be everything from the hand seeder to the threshing and murderous corn shredder and most of them operated by the ever present gasoline engine which is becoming almost as indispensable to the practical farmer as the bean harvester or side delivery rake. We saw one gasoline traction engine that run as well as any steam machine.

The cement mixer and cement block machine shown by Becker & Becker of Detroit, attracted considerable attention as all begin to recognize the value of cement as building material. There are already many fine homes and business blocks constructed and the time is not far distant when they will be seen everywhere.

In the matter of entertainment the association had something doing all the time and the day was not long enough to begin to see all that was on the program.

No one needed to go hungry on the grounds this year as there was plenty to eat on all sides, and one could secure a good lunch for 15 cents or a full meal for 25 cents without waiting, and all was good. Of course thousands took their dinner with them and picnic parties could be seen on every hand. It is safe to say however, that if the lunch counters are to be a sure thing every year, there would be less lunches carried.

The state fair has been held in the small city of Pontiac for several years and has been a success from the start, and we cannot see why the society should think of changing its location. We always believe in letting well enough alone. The people of Pontiac are satisfied, the patrons are satisfied, and why should not the directors be satisfied as long as it is a winner. We have no grudge against Detroit but she has her own attractions that would detract from the state fair if it was to be held there.

## Congregational Church.

Conducted by Rev. G. W. Myrle. Boys club Friday at 7:30.

Usual services tonight at 7:30.

Sunday, Sept. 25, usual service at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sermons on subjects of importance.

Sunday School Rally Day Sept. 25th at 11:30. We give a most cordial invitation to all the friends of the school to be present. We also hope that all former members of the School and all those who desire to be members will meet with us if possible. An excellent program has been prepared, come and bring some one with you.

Young Ladies Guild Monday night at the Gym, when Prof. Miller will organize a physical drill class; all young ladies interested are urged to be present at 7:30. "Colonel Carter of Carterville" will be commenced; an up-to-date story.

This church issues a special invitation to strangers to make it their Sunday home.

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Will Shehan and family of Dansville were guests of relatives here the first of the week.

## SCHOOL NOTES.

The total enrollment to date in all the departments is as follows:

H. S. .... 30  
Grammar ..... 16  
Intermediate ..... 32  
Primary ..... 32

The number of foreign pupils is 16, and 10 of these are in the high school.

All the faculty except the principal, attended the state fair last Thursday and reported an excellent time.

## Woman Against Woman

IN FIVE ACTS.

CAST

Harry Grantly.....Mr. Otis Brown  
M. T. Muggs.....Mr. Percy Swarthout  
Mr. Jessop.....Prof. Miller  
Joe Plummer.....Raymond Kennedy  
James Gordon.....Frank L. Redner  
Florence Grantly.....Mabel Swarthout  
Sally Anna Waddles.....Mabel Sigler  
Blanch Sterling.....Mrs. Frank Redner  
Saturday Sept. 24.

## M. E. Church Notes.

Service at 10:30 at the opera house followed by Sunday school.

All will be pleased to learn that Rev. Cope has been returned to the work here. We understand that Unadilla has been set off from this work and will be with Waterloo.

## PUTNAM AND HAMBURG FARMERS' CLUB.

The Hamburg and Putnam farmers club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Smith, Saturday, Sept. 24. The following is the program: Instrumental Solo, Florence Kice Reading, Mrs. E. W. Kennedy Song, Willie Nash Reading, Flo Hall Duet, Mrs. J. VanFleet, Adla Kice Recitation, Clyde Smith

## CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our thanks for the many kindnesses extended during our late bereavement. We appreciate to the fullest extent the appropriate remarks of the Rev. Mr. Crane, the beautiful music and the profusion of flowers, also the attendance of the Loyal Guard friends of Dexter. **MRS. WIRT CARPENTER AND FAMILY. CARPENTER BROTHERS. WM. HOOKER AND FAMILY.**

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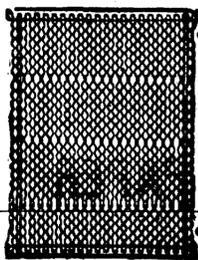
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# The News of the World Told by the Telegraph

Items of Current Interest Gathered From All Parts of the New and the Old World

## STARVATION.

### Japs Will Abandon Assault and Starve Port Arthur.

Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister in London, is quoted as saying: Before the war we demanded that Russia recognize China's sovereignty over Manchuria. Today, after our victories and expenses, we are no longer content with our demand. After the fall of Port Arthur our conditions will be still more extreme, and after taking Vladivostok they will be yet more extreme.

The next battle will be at Tie Pass. We shall continue hostilities throughout the winter. We have given up the plan of taking Port Arthur by assault and will compel its capitulation by famine. Its fall would free 30,000 men and enable them to reinforce our northern army, but we do not need them just now.

### Japs Moving Again.

Advices from Mukden and an official report to St. Petersburg indicate that the Japanese forces are again on the move. Gen. Kuropatkin's reconnaissance establish the fact that they are massing on his east flank and bodies of Japanese are moving up the Liao river valley. St. Petersburg, however, still believes that a serious engagement is not immediately at hand, but that it will require some weeks for Marshal Oyama to be in shape for another attack.

In the meantime the Russians continue to fortify Tie Pass, and statements that Kuropatkin will not abandon Mukden are received in St. Petersburg with some skepticism.

St. Petersburg expects the Japanese to now redouble their efforts before Port Arthur and another sortie of the fleet is expected.

### The Maine Election.

The Republicans of Maine were successful in the state election, their candidate for governor, William T. Cobb, of Rockland, being elected by a plurality which probably will be as high as 30,000. This estimate is based upon returns tabulated today from 350 cities, towns and plantations out of a total of 522, which give Cobb 71,085 and Cyrus W. Davis, of Waterville, Democrat, 40,160.

All the present congressmen, who are Republicans, were re-elected by pluralities ranging from 5,000 to 8,000. They are Amos L. Allen, Chas. E. Littlefield, Edwin C. Burleigh and Llewellyn Powers. Mr. Powers had the greatest opposition, defeating his Democratic opponent, W. R. Pattangall, by 6,500 votes, a reduction of his plurality from 8,800 two years ago.

### Minnesota Wins.

The state of Minnesota has at last secured title to 34 acres of swamp land on the Mesaba Range, after a contest lasting two years. State Auditor Iverson has received a communication from the secretary of the interior at Washington, in which he relieved the state's swamp land claim from conflict with the forest lien selection of F. A. Hyde & Co., plaintiffs in the action, rejecting Mr. Hyde's application. The original decision was given by the secretary more than 30 days ago with the proviso that it should become final if the plaintiff made no motion for a review within that time.

This decision, it is estimated, means approximately \$300,000 to the state in royalties from the deposits aggregating more than 2,000,000 tons.

### "A Long, Long Walk."

Louis Madrigal, a 19-year-old boy, who started from Lima, Peru, Sept. 15, 1902, has arrived at St. Louis after a walk of 7,000 miles, believed to be the longest journey ever made on foot. Madrigal is a deaf mute. He carries as a witness to his remarkable exploit a set of books, which contain the certificates of the mayors, postmasters, railroad agents and officials in more than 500 cities and towns through which he has passed on the trip. In the collection are the autographs of four presidents of Central and South American republics, the seals of several consulates of the United States and the signatures of numerous minor officials.

### CONDENSED.

A monument to the Polish patriot, Thaddeus Kosciuszko, was unveiled in Humboldt park, Chicago, Sunday. United States Senator Hopkins made the principal address.

The dearest wish of Queen Helen and King Victor Emmanuel of Italy has been granted and there is rejoicing in the royal houbdir over the safe arrival of the tiny heir to the throne.

The Hanna memorial fund has been substantially increased by a large contribution from Senator Fairbanks. It is desired to raise \$100,000 with which to erect a beautiful memorial chair.

It is planned to bring bodily to Oregon from Michigan the plant of a large logging and lumber camp of this state and to locate it about 35 miles east of Medford in southern Oregon. The name of the company is not made public.

## TO THE DEATH.

### More Troops Called Out and Baltic Fleet.

Present events show better than anything previously occurring that the war in the far east is to be literally to the death, and that all the vast resources of the Russian empire are to be cast into the scale without hesitation.

The first of these two events is the sailing of the Baltic fleet, eight battleships, four cruisers, a flotilla of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers and 12 colliers, transports and supply ships, carrying enough to enable the fleet to remain at sea without touching a port until the scene of war is reached.

The second event is the calling out of an immense additional army and a full complement of officers, to proceed to Manchuria as fast as they can be moved.

The decision of the admiralty to send out the fleet in the face of the existing situation in the far east is evidence of the temper of the government to prosecute the war to a finish.

It is understood that there was considerable divergence of expert opinion on the question of delaying the sailing of the fleet until the spring, but the emperor turned the scale in favor of immediate departure.

St. Petersburg now practically concedes that Gen. Kuropatkin is falling back to Tie Pass and no serious stand is expected at Mukden. This movement is confirmed by dispatches from Mukden, which indicate that the Russian movement is being effected slowly, but in an orderly manner. The two armies are merely keeping in touch with each other, no fighting of consequence being reported. Rain continues to fall and the roads are said to be almost impassable.

Official figures from Tokio, which place the Japanese losses during all the engagements which constituted the battle of Liao Yang at 17,500, make necessary a big reduction of the reported casualties of the great battle. According to military experts the Russian losses should not exceed those of the Japanese; in fact, as Russia was on the defensive, they should not be so great. The Tokio figures, therefore, would indicate that the total casualties were not more than 30,000.

The statement of Capt. Berlinsky that the Russian cruiser Lena, which arrived in San Francisco Sunday with foul boilers, left Vladivostok 31 days ago, has aroused considerable speculation. The average time of a fairly fast steamer from Vladivostok is from 28 to 30 days, and it is pointed out that the Lena would not have been permitted to leave Vladivostok in such condition that a month's voyage would virtually disable her. Local shipping men believe that the Lena has been so long patrolling the high seas in search of Japanese merchantmen and other vessels carrying contraband that she was forced to put in here for renovation.

It is conceded in shipping circles that the main quest of the Lena was the steamship America, which flies the Japanese flag and which would be open to capture at any place on the high sea.

### Wheat Is Up.

In Minneapolis Tuesday wheat touched \$1.27, making a new record for September. News of heavy rains in the Canadian northwest, followed by freezing temperatures last night, gave the trade a bad scare. Then came the weather report predicting a hard frost in the American northwest to-night. If this prediction is borne out, there will be heavy damage to the spring wheat that has been left by the rust. The December option went to 1.19½ and May to \$1.20½.

The wildest excitement prevailed on the Chicago board from the moment trading began. Shorts were urgent bidders for wheat, but offerings were hard to find. May opened at \$1.15½ to 1.16½. December opened at \$1.14 to \$1.14½. As trading progressed May soared to \$1.18 per bu, which is 1c higher than the record price made on August 20. In the meantime December had advanced to \$1.16 per bu.

Wheat is now higher in New York than any time since the Letter deal of 1898. Corn jumped 2c a bushel on the abnormally low temperatures and the rains in western states.

### Weds a Chinik.

After traveling 3,500 miles to become the bride of Dr. Law Keem, a Chinese physician, Miss Edith Miller will accompany her oriental husband from Chicago to Hong Kong, where she will help him build a home and a medical college modeled after American institutions. The wedding, which has just taken place, formed the climax to a romance which began nine years ago when the young Chinese and the American girl were schoolmates at Healdsburg, California.

For several years Dr. Keem has practiced medicine in Fresno, California, where Miss Miller resided. The bride and groom left immediately for the coast, whence they will sail for Hong Kong.

## SENTENCE SERMONS.

Happiness is health of heart.  
Little sins never stay small.  
Short prayers bring quick returns.  
The shallow head soon gets sore.  
A wrong is always worth forgetting.

Time knows nothing of a reverse ever.  
The money must be measured by the man.

The love that is never wasted soon withers.  
Heavenly mindedness is not earthly blindness.

A creed makes a good chart but a poor track.  
No amount of polish can make a pearl out of a pebble.

If the fool would follow up his folly he would soon forsake it.  
The wind does not whistle through the barn that is full of wheat.

The lights of this world are not doing their shining before mirrors.  
A man cannot have his interest in sin and keep his principle clean.

Prayer is only a pillow at night when it has been an endeavor all day.  
If you are doing no good to others you are doing much harm to yourself.

Sanctification is a good deal more than feeling sore on the rest of creation.

The man who stands on his head always thinks he is holding up the world.

It is always easier to fight the dead sins of yesterday than to face the living ones of to-day.—Chicago Tribune.

## WEATHER LORE.

Parrots whistling indicate rain.  
Martens fly low before and during rain.

Clamorous as a parrot against rain.—Shakespeare.  
Gulinea fowls squall more than usual before rain.

When cranes make a great noise or scream, expect rain.

Who trusts himself to women sad to waves  
Should never hazard what he fears to lose.  
Men are more eloquent than women made.  
But women are more powerful to persuade.—Randolph.

## JOTTINGS.

Prudery is a wig often used to cover a bald character.  
By wearing a silk tie many a rogue is able to pass as a gentleman.

The best way to feel for the poor is by putting your hand in your pocket.  
Instead of wearing a laurel wreath the modern poet lets his hair grow long.

A woman always has to get some other woman to help her keep a secret.

If a woman is homely she tries to persuade herself that she has a classical face.  
The longer a bride can avoid doing the cooking the longer the honeymoon will last.

Speaking of investments, the heiress who invests her money in a title usually makes a bad case.

It is a wise woman who can refrain from reminding her husband of a fool thing he said during conversation.

If a man doesn't marry a woman because she is pretty or because she has money, it is a pretty sure sign that he's in love with her.

## THE AMATEUR PHILOSOPHER.

One difference between a beautiful grass widow and a diamond containing a flaw is that the stone generally has to be marked down.

There is nothing quite so pathetic as a girl who has reached the point where she is ready to say, "Yes thank you," to the first man who crooks his finger at her.

When a woman gets to be a grandmother the only real enjoyment she can have is in talking about the desperate things men did after she broke their hearts when she was a girl.

Life is like the turning of a wheel, and it takes about four generations to complete a revolution. The first one wants the money, the second finds out how to make it, the third learns how to spend it, and the fourth has to discover how to get along without it.

## WOMAN.

Love and love only is the loan for love.—Pope.  
Hope not to find a friend  
But that has found a friend in thee.—Pope.

Love is a star whose gentle ray  
Beams constant o'er our lonely way.—Pope.

She's beautiful, therefore to be wooed.  
She's a woman, therefore to be won.—Pope.

Be still, sad heart, and cease repining.  
Behind the cloud is the sun still shining.—Langfellow.

Wedlock's a saucy, sad, familiar state  
Where folks are very apt to scold and hate.—Volcot.

The ruling passion, be it what it will.  
The ruling passion conquers reason still.—Pope.

Of earthly goods, the best is a good wife,  
A bad, the bitterest curse of human life.—Simonides.

Love never fails to master what he finds.  
The fool he lightens and the wise he blinds.—Lryden.

That man that has a tongue, I say is no man,  
If with his tongue he cannot win a woman.—Shakespeare.

If to her share some female errors fall  
Look on her face and you'll forget them all.—Pope.

Men must be taught as if you taught them not,  
And things unknown proposed as things forgot.—Pope.

The world was sad—the garden was a wild,  
And man, the hermit, sighed—till woman smiled.—Campbell.

Here's a sigh for those who love me,  
And a smile for those who hate,  
And, whatever sky's above me,  
Here's a heart for every fate.—Byron.

The maid that loves  
Goes out to sea upon a shattered plank  
And nuts trust in miracles for safety.



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THURSDAY, SEPT. 22, 1904.

### Tramping in France.

One tramps because he likes to tramp, not to save money. Nevertheless in Normandy, and the same is true of nearly every other section of France except Savoy and the Cote d'Azur, one must make a distinct effort to spend while tramping more than 7 francs a day, or \$1.40. Nearly all the auberges and many of the smaller hotels give comfortable rooms for 30 cents a night and so extra charges, the petit déjeuner for 10 cents and a prix fixe déjeuner and dinner for 30 cents each. In a word, 7 francs (\$1.40) a day represents luxury, 4 to 6 comfort and 3 to 4 the essential. To bring the average per day below 3 francs and keep moving it is necessary to go to the length of buying provisions at the stores and sleeping sometimes in the open air and in granges, a method which is not without its special piquancy, as I know from experience, but which it would be hazardous if not unpardonable to recommend.—Alvan F. Sanborn in Booklovers' Magazine.

### 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 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 bottle free at F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

### The Oriental Thief.

Even in common robbery the orient has picturesque ways peculiar to itself. A Burmese woman traveling in a third class compartment by the day train recently was reclining in the carriage with one of her arms out of the window somewhere near Sitkwin, on the Burma state railway, when some one came along the footboard and cut her arm clean off, apparently with a sharp sword. On the lost hand were rings with the usual accompaniment of bangles.

### Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such in brief was the condition of an old soldier by the name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with Kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies, "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by F. A. Sigler's drug store.

### A Kanaka Canoe.

The early Kanakas built their fast sailing canoes out of the body of a single tree, hollowing it out and staying the edges with strips of hard wood. These strips extended to the ends and covered a space at both stem and stern. The triangular sails were made of fine matting, and the little craft was steered by an outrigger. The ruling chiefs and their families traveled in large double canoes, with a raised platform in the center for passengers.

The building of a canoe was a very serious business. Offerings were made to the gods, and prayers were especially addressed to the fisherman's tutelary saint. A priest finally stood with the owner at the bow of the canoe and recited the last prayer in unbroken silence; death and disaster were sure to follow if any extraneous noise disturbed the scene.—New York Times.

### What is Life.

In the last analysis nobody knows but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangements of the organs, result in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjust this. It's gentle yet thorough. Only 25c at F. A. Sigler's.

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It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household-necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in which insures a quick recovery.

For sale by F. A. Sigler.

### Advertising.

There is one impartial critic of advertising. He never passes judgment upon publicity from the standpoint of grammar or art. He considers all the difficulties of advertiser, medium and readers in giving his verdict. What he says is final, and every one of his conclusions is valuable in making future ads. more productive. He is a true expert. His name is Results.—Printers' Ink.

### In Praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, says John Hamlett of Eagle Pass, Texas. I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting any relief when my friend C. Johnson a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this great remedy in the hands of mankind.

For sale by F. A. Sigler.

### A Better Place Below.

The occupants of a store recently moved their business a short distance down the same street, hanging up in the window of the premises they had just vacated the following notice: "Have moved to a better place below."—Philadelphia Press.

### NOTICE.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Down's Elixir if it does not cure any cough, cold, whooping cough, or throat trouble. We also guarantee Down's Elixir to cure consumption, when used according to directions, or money back. A full dose on going to bed and small doses during the day will cure the most severe cold, and stop the most distressing cough.

F. A. Sigler.

W. B. Darrow.

### A Habit Stanley Had.

It was remarked of the late Sir H. M. Stanley, during his last visit to New York, that he stood all the time with his back to the wall during receptions, instead of standing out where people would pass behind him. Lady Stanley laughingly explained that this was an old habit contracted in Africa; that Stanley always stood with his back against a tree or a barricade when brought in contact with the savages, and it had become such a habit with him that he took that position no matter where he was.

### Stomach Trouble.

"I have been troubled with my stomach for the past four years," says Dr. 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.

# PHILIPPINES AT WORLD'S FAIR

Complete Exhibition of Island People and Industries Covers Forty-seven Acres and is Independent of Larger Show.

Not even in the heart of Manila city could there be found forty-seven acres of Philippine territory as interesting as that amount of space covered by the islands' display at the World's Fair. Here is an exposition within an exposition, a little wheel that revolves independently of the larger one encompassing it.

Scores of buildings are filled with exhibits, native life is depicted by as many different villages as there are tribes on the islands, military drills are given by Philippine troops, and concerts are rendered by native bands. For its amusement features the Philippine exposition has the humorous Igor-



SOUTH ENTRANCE PALACE OF LIBERAL ARTS, WORLD'S FAIR.

rote, who dines on dog meat, and visitors are entertained by Visayan actors and actresses. Nothing is lacking to make the show complete.

The Administration building is a replica of the government offices in Manila, while the Art and Education building reproduces in miniature the cathedral within the walled city, even the mellowed tints of age being faithfully rendered. A section of the ancient but still serviceable town wall has been reconstructed to serve the double purpose of a gateway to the show and a museum of arms and war relics. The other main edifices are types of Filipino homes, being built of undressed timber, bamboo and rattan, with thatched roofs and broad verandas.

Then there are the tribal villages nesting under the trees, some of the houses perched high up among the boughs, others on piles above the waters of the Arrowhead lake, all of them actual dwellings fashioned of native materials by native workmanship and illustrating the manners, customs and pursuits of their occupants. Here are women weaving a coarse cloth on a rude hand loom, others making baskets, others tending irrigated fields of rice. One group of men are in village council, trying an offender according to their tribal laws; others are slowly moving in a circular dance to the thump of tom-toms and the clang of brass gongs; others, again, are smelting iron by the aid of a primitive but most ingenious bellows, the constituent parts of which are a bamboo tube and an airtight mop of feathers working therein like the piston of a syringe. And these are but a few of an almost endless variety of life pictures.

The ethnological problem is a somewhat complicated one; but, although there are no fewer than sixteen races represented among the village dwellers, the scouts and the constabulary, each face speaking its own dialect and following its own customs, all may be roughly classified into four groups—the true aboriginals or non-Malays, the pagan Malays, the Christian Malays and the Mohammedan Malays.

The first are the dwarf Negritos, with dark skins and woolly heads, wearers of scanty raiment, proficient in the use of the bow and poisoned arrow, a race of nomads and forest dwellers, pagans pure and simple. They live in their own stockaded village.

Next to them are the Igorrotes, whose origin is traced back to the first wave of Malay invasion. Here, again, we have scanty clothing, amounting almost to nudity, but copper colored skins, long wavy tresses, pleasant featured faces and fine physiques, even though the stature be small. Among these pagan Malays are the head hunters and the dog eaters. They are savages, yet have their code of laws and a knowledge of several primitive industries.

The Christian Malays, produced by the second wave of invasion, are represented by the Visayans, a tall and

handsome race, dressing well, living in pretty houses, skilled in weaving, dyeing, basket making, hat making, wood carving and other handicrafts, musicians of no mean merit, the one group of natives who came early and thoroughly under the influence of the early Spanish settlers.

Very different are the Moros, who swept into the islands from the Malay peninsula last of all, bringing with them their Mohammedan religion, also a knowledge of gunpowder acquired with the Koran from the Arabs—fanatics like their teachers, pirates, blood-thirsty, treacherous and vindictive fellows, ever at war among themselves and with the whole outside world. Despite their ferocity they are a clever race, dress handsomely, have their sultans and their slaves and are expert seamen, while long continued pillage on the high seas has surrounded them with many of the luxuries and conveniences of western civilization.

The buildings of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries show all the varied natural products, also the extremely primitive processes as yet in vogue, while in the Women's building we are introduced to a number of native manufactures, including the beautiful fabrics from the jute, banana and pineapple fibers. This information is collated in the Building of Commerce, where a unique and most effective method of exhibiting is followed. In one hall are samples of all the articles produced for export, among which manila fiber, of course, holds the chief place of prominence, while in a second hall are all the manufactures from every country that are imported and find a ready market among the populace. Thus the business man gets a dual lesson. He sees what he can profitably take from the islands, and also what he may profitably send to them. When it is added that a large number of representative Filipinos have been brought over to visit the Exposition and study American business methods and manufactures, it will be recognized that great benefit both to the islands and to the world at large must result from this work of mutual enlightenment.

### A Loophole.

Lovell—Do you think a man should tell his fiancée all the indiscretions of his past life? Cynthus—Yes. Then perhaps she wouldn't marry him.—Brooklyn Life.

### Amended.

He—You are the only—She—Ahem! He—I should say—you are the prettiest girl I ever loved.

National enthusiasm is the great nursery of genius.—Tuckerman.

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Tennyson and Spiritualism. The world might have lost some of its choicest poetry had a certain spiritualist had his way. It was Frederick Tennyson, who was so impressed by spirit rapping that his head had become as much turned as the table whose waltzings used so to delight him. He desired his brother, the poet laureate, to give up everything to propagate spiritualism. Frederick told the old story of an unmusical girl made to play music by invisible influence and of a stout old gentleman who was suddenly picked up and whizzed through the thickness of solid walls all in a moment to be found in a courtyard of a house a mile and a half distant whose gates were closed and locked. The poet did believe there was something in spiritualism—there is a remarkable letter of his to Queen Victoria on the subject—but he could not swallow the story of the fat old gentleman's travels. So he contented himself with poetry and let spiritualism alone.

The DISPATCH Job Department would like to print your envelopes.

### Has Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it highly.—Joseph McElhiney, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by F. A. Sigler.

### MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, made by Julia A. Mountain in the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, to William P. Van Winkle of Howell, Livingston County, Michigan, dated September 12, A. D. 1902, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Livingston, State of Michigan, September 13, 1902, in Liber 92 of Mortgages, on page 164 thereof, an undivided one-half interest in which mortgage was duly assigned on September 13, 1902, by the said William P. Van Winkle to Frank Bailey of Howell, Michigan, which assignment was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds on the same date last aforesaid in Liber 90 of Mortgages on page 156 thereof, it being expressly provided in said mortgage that should any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof on any day when the same is made payable by the terms of said mortgage, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of thirty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of the said thirty days, the principal sum mentioned in said mortgage, with all arrearage of interest thereon, should, at the option of the said mortgagee, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter and default having been made in the payment of three installments of interest of eighteen dollars (\$18.00) each, which, by the terms of said mortgage, became due and payable on the twelfth day of March, 1903; on the twelfth day of September, 1903, and on the twelfth day of March, 1904, respectively, and more than thirty days having elapsed since each of said installments of interest became due and payable, and the same or any part thereof not having been paid, the said mortgagee and assignee, by virtue of the option in said mortgage contained, do consider, elect and declare the said principal sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00), secured by said mortgage and remaining unpaid, with all arrearage of interest thereon, to be due and payable immediately. There is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of three hundred thirty-five dollars and seventy-seven cents (\$335.77), and no proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that on Friday, the fourth day of November, A. D. 1904, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the west front door of the Court House in the village of Howell, in said county, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, in which said mortgaged premises to be sold are situated, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue to the highest bidder of the premises contained in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be required to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage; with interest and legal costs, including an attorney fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) provided for in said mortgage, that is to say, the lands, premises and property situated in the Township of Howell, County of Livingston and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The undivided one-seventh interest in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, the north half of the northwest fractional quarter and the west half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section number thirty (30); the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, the southeast quarter of the southwest fractional quarter, the east half of the northeast quarter, the east half of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section number nineteen (19), all in township number three (3) north, of range number four (4) east, and containing in all two hundred sixty-eight (268) acres of land, more or less, the whole of said above described premises being occupied, mortgaged and used as one parcel and farm. Dated at Howell, Michigan, August 8, A. D. 1904.

WILLIAM P. VAN WINKLE, Mortgagee.  
FRANK BAILEY, Assignee.  
WILLIAM P. VAN WINKLE, Attorney for Mortgagee and Assignee. t 44

**Homeowners Excursions.**  
The Chicago Great Western railway will on the first and third Tuesday up to Oct. 18 sell tickets to points in Alberta, Arizona, Assiniboia, Canadian Northwest, Colorado, Indian Territory Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota Oklahoma, Saskatchewan, Texas Utah and Wyoming. For further information apply to any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer G.P.A., Chicago Ill.

**He Broke Out.**  
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**HON. GEORGE S. LADD.**  
and several years ago originated tableaux for the first four degrees, which are extensively used in Massachusetts. Mr. Ladd was born in Sturbridge, Mass., where he has lived all his life. He has been honored by his town with many important offices, and in November, 1902, he was elected to represent his district in the state legislature.

**The County Deputy.**  
From an article in the Rural New Yorker by J. W. Darrow we make the following extract:  
The growth of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry depends very largely on the efficiency of the work performed by the county deputies. This is one of the most important positions in the Order, and the best men in each county, the best organizers, the most influential and energetic, the ablest in mental equipment, should be chosen as deputies. Much depends on the grange getting the right start, and without a faithful, intelligent and hard working deputy thus to start it the chances are that it will have a puny, weakly growth. No grange should be organized and then left alone "to work out its own salvation." The wise deputy will make frequent visits upon it for instruction and to help in various ways. Once started right, its progress will be easier and surer.

**Ohio's Co-operative Department.**  
The Ohio state grange co-operative department is a live institution. Prizes were offered by that grange for the four subordinate granges whose purchases were greatest during the year. What they did is an index of what the trade of the granges of Ohio is worth or would be worth did every grange make so good a use of the opportunity offered through this department as these four granges have made the past year. The combined purchases of these four granges amounted to \$15,349.17, the average of which would be \$3,837.29. There are more than 400 granges in Ohio. Suppose 400 of them had each averaged \$3,000 worth of trade orders for our financial agent to contract for last year—\$1,200,000 worth of business. This would make the Ohio state grange trade worth contracting to supply, in the opinion of the Ohio Farmer.

**The Grange a Teacher.**  
Elbert Hubbard says, "The teacher is one who makes two ideas grow where there was only one before." In his definition is correct the grange must come near being a teacher of men. The benefit we derive from a grange meeting is not so much the number of abstract facts we pick up from the discussions as it is in the impulse it gives us to think for ourselves. Anything which will crack our shell of indifference and mediocrity and set us thinking for ourselves is worth while. It is not necessary that we accept as gospel all the statements we hear in the grange meeting. It makes us think we will be able to sift the wheat from the chaff, and it will prevent us getting into a rut and will all the time lead us toward ultimate truth.—G. A. F.

**Grangers as Students.**  
Michigan state grange has adopted James' "Practical Agriculture" as a textbook for lecture work during the present year. The lecturer of the state grange will have the co-operation of the professors and teachers of agriculture at the Michigan State Agricultural college in assisting in presenting the

subjects of the several chapters so that the granges may obtain the most practical value possible from the use of the book. Two hundred and twenty-three copies of the textbook used last year were sent to subordinate granges in that state, and a much larger number will probably be called for. Thus are slowly forming the habits of study in the farm home.

The average cost of grange insurance in New York state per thousand for three years is \$6.74. The average amount carried for three years is \$58,738.632.

**Banners at a Chinaman's Funeral.**  
When a rich and important Chinaman dies his funeral is conducted with much pomp and splendor. His friends and relatives instead of sending wreaths send innumerable banners. These are made of white silk, with inscriptions beautifully worked in black velvet, and express the sender's good wishes to the deceased himself or to the members of the family for many generations. On the day of the funeral these banners are carried by hired men, who are all dressed alike for the occasion. After the funeral, which lasts several hours at the cemetery, is over the banners are all brought back and eventually grace the rooms of the late Chinaman's house.—Shanghai Times.

**Alimony.**  
Johnny—Pa, what is alimony? Pa—Alimony is the pension paid to the best fighter.—Exchange.

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**SOCIETIES.**  
The A. O. H. Society of this place, meets every third Sunday in the P. M. at Matthew Hall. John Tuomey and M. T. Kelly, County Delegates.  
The W. C. T. U. meets the first Friday of each month at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Dr. H. F. Sigler. Everyone interested in temperance is cordially invited. Mrs. Leal Sigler, Pres; Mrs. Etta Durfee, Secretary.  
The C. T. A. and B. Society of this place, meet every third Saturday evening in the P. M. at new hall. John Donohue, President.  
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**Kangaroo and Buffalo.**  
A curious contest between a kangaroo and a buffalo took place in a large zoological park in the north of England. The two animals, after breaking loose from their inclosure, met face to face in an open space in the park. Without any preliminary quarrel, the bull made a furious onslaught on the kangaroo, which at first contented itself with an endeavor to avoid the charge.

After a few moments, however, the bull's attentions became altogether too personal to pass unrebuked, and, using its hoofs as battering rams, the kangaroo belabored the buffalo in the most effective manner. Roaring and bellowing, the irate buffalo made repeated attempts to gore its antagonist to death, but with scant success, the kangaroo proving a most "slippery" foe. The fray waxed furious for over an hour, at the end of which time the buffalo retired, not before, however, its carcass bore unmistakable signs of the kangaroo's attentions.

**It Wasn't Plate.**  
She was admiring the silver service. "Family plate, I suppose?" she suggested.  
Mrs. De Swell drew herself up haughtily. "Plate!" she exclaimed. "Plate! There isn't a bit of that plate. It's solid, every piece of it."—New York Press.

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For Grand Rapids, North and West,  
9:25 a. m., 2:19 p. m., 6:15 p. m.  
For Saginaw and Bay City,  
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No. 27 Passenger.....3:55 A. M.  
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# DARKEST RUSSIA

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## CHAPTER XVI—Continued.

The wolves were closing in upon him. They were on all sides, a famished, howling pack of devils, their white fangs and fiery eyes showing with horrible distinctness as they sprang at him.

The rifle, swung with all his strength from left to right, and from right to left, cleared a path for him and no sooner did one of the brutes fall than a score of its fellows literally fell in places.

Alexis was becoming exhausted. It was too much for him in his weakened state.

One of the wolves, one larger than the rest, made a bound for his throat, but before it reached him sank in death agony with a bullet in its brain.

At the same moment, by the overturned sleigh, Alexis caught sight of the object of his heroic quest.

It was a woman! With white face she stood there, revolver in hand, her back protected by the sleigh. Shot after shot rang out, and as each time, with unerring arm, the bullet lodged in the body of a wolf, she gained a moment's respite from the cowardly brutes.

But the end was bound to come. The last shot but one had been fired.

As if by some devilish instinct the wolves seemed to know that their victim was now defenseless, and they prepared for a rush in all the strength of their numbers.

With a howl that could have been heard a league another pack of the brutes had come down from the hills and joined the others.

Then it was that the helpless woman uttered the wild shriek of agony that had reached the ears of her rescuer—had reached even to the courier in the etape.

Alexis sprang forward. He found that the arm was a magazine rifle, and with a prayer of thankfulness he opened fire. Shot after shot, a perfect fusillade followed, and half a dozen of the brutes were lying bleeding in the snow.

Another moment and he had reached the woman. His face was covered with blood, his arms were torn, but he clasped her by a strong effort and began the retreat to a place of safety.

Repulsed by the shots, the wolves had given way for a time, and then had made a simultaneous rush to feast on the carcasses of those slain by Alexis.

But the feast did not last long. Maddened more than ever by the taste of blood, they sprang after Alexis and his now unconscious burden.

"He has saved him!" shouted the courier at the moment, as he caught sight of Alexis, and then as he looked again he exclaimed: "My God, it is a woman! Men, men! to the rescue!"

The soldiers waited no longer. The fact that a woman was in danger seemed to awaken all that was manly in their natures and they rushed to the rescue.

Another moment and it would have been too late.

A volley met the first of the ferocious, maddened brutes. The pack halted for a moment, and gave a long howl of rage. Another volley checked



another forward movement. Alexis staggered along with his burden.

Two of the soldiers sprang to his side.

The doors of the etape were thrown open.

In another moment, bruised and bleeding and faint, Alexis Nazimoff staggered into the room; the courier held out his arms to receive the senseless woman from her rescuer. Alexis, with a sigh of unutterable relief, breathed a prayer of thanks, and then as he gave the courier the woman whose life he had saved his brain reeled, the light faded from his eyes, his knees trembled, a shudder passed

through his frame, and he fell at full length on the floor. He had fainted!

## CHAPTER XVII.

### The Courier's Mission.

The courier bore the insensible form of the woman into the room occupied by Cobb and the baroness.

As the door closed behind him, Karsicheff turned quickly to Nicholas and said in a whisper: "I have a plan—wait!"

Then ordering the guard to resume their arms he gave the command to march the prisoners to the kameras. Alexis had revived sufficiently to move, and was supported by two of the Cossacks.

The injuries of Alexis were fortunately slight. The fangs of the wolves had reached him in one or two places on the arms and on one cheek, but the latter proved to be a mere scratch, though sufficient to draw blood, and the clothing had protected the arms. In answer to eager inquiries he explained that he did not see the face of the woman he had rescued, because just as he reached her she almost fell into his arms and in his struggle during the retreat he had not heard her speak.

But it was the presence of Cobb—so entirely unlooked for, and so unexpected—that furnished them a topic which kept them wondering for hours. That Cobb's presence had something to do with them, they felt certain, but now that he was here, how were they to let him know that they were near? It is the rule on the highroad to the mines for convoys to march two days and rest one; and as this was their resting place, they felt sure that the morning's light would bring some means of letting Cobb know that they were in the stockade.

But what had brought Cobb and the baroness—for they felt sure it was the baroness, Cobb having spoken of his wife—to that out of the way place? That was the puzzler, and it was to account for that fact that both Alexis and Ivan taxed their imagination.

While they are in suspense we will enlighten our readers.

General Cobb, after his marriage to the baroness, found himself in a position where he could afford to give up all the business interests that formerly occupied his time. From the moment Alexis had left St. Petersburg he had but one object in view—that was to rescue his friend from the horrors of Siberian exile, and if possible restore him to the position from which a chain of adverse circumstances had so cruelly deposed him.

Or, if that were not possible, it was the intention of Cobb, the rescue of Alexis once effected, to take him to America, the baroness having expressed a strong desire to give up her residence in Europe and make her home in the country of her husband.

Cobb's plans for the rescue of Alexis were warmly seconded by his wife, and it was determined to make an effort to effect the rescue of Ilda and Ivan at the same time as Alexis.

The blow to the pride of Count Nazimoff, who had seen his son sentenced like a common convict, had been a severe one, and shortly after his son had arrived in Siberia the count was seized by a severe illness, the result of the shock he had suffered. On his recovery his feelings had undergone a marked change. The tenderness and sympathy shown him on every hand had softened his nature, and the hard pride had now given place to a pitiful yearning for the son he had loved so well. Hence it was that when Gen. Cobb, having heard of Kirschin's confession, and having brought influence to bear to verify the truth of the conspirator's story, appeared before Count Nazimoff to plead the cause of his son, he met with a reception the warmth of which pleased him.

An imperial commissioner was sent to each of the convicts captured in the Nihilist rendezvous. They were closely questioned as to the events that had taken place on that eventful night, and their stories, one and all, served to exonerate Alexis and Olga and Ilda, and to lift from the shoulders of Ivan the responsibility for any complicity in or sympathy with the extreme Nihilists who sought the assassination of the czar.

So it was that after months of persistent and diligent exertion General Cobb had the assurance that the subject had at length reached the czar, with a strong probability that the imperial clemency so earnestly sought would not be denied.

But even if his efforts in this direction failed, Cobb had made up his mind that he would still succeed. He secured through the American minister an imperial passport to Siberia, and a letter from the authorities giving him, as an American traveler favorably disposed and friendly to the Russian government, the right to visit

prisons and other privileges not usually accorded. This letter, addressed to officials throughout Siberia, directed them to extend all aid and assistance to General Cobb and his wife and her companion, Caroline Cobb, who were to travel across Siberia if need be. And before he left St. Petersburg a passport for Caroline Cobb was in his possession.

We pass over the long journey of Cobb and his wife. After many adventures and more hardships they reached Stralensk and there discovered Ilda. The letters which Cobb had in his possession made him a welcome guest at the house of the commandant at Stralensk and they had but little difficulty in obtaining a private conversation with Ilda. It was from Ilda they learned to their great delight that Ivan and Alexis were at Chitka and that they could reach that place with comparative ease. It was while on their journey to Chitka that their sleigh was overturned and they were attacked by the wolves almost within shouting distance of the etape where Karsicheff was in command.

Karsicheff and Nicholas, after the doors of the stockade had closed on the convicts, returned to the house.

"Be on your guard, father," urged Nicholas, "you have made a danger-



ous enemy of the courier, and the slightest mistake may prove our ruin. Try to conciliate him—anything, so there can be no pretext for his going to extremes. Think what would be the consequences if he should make a report to the czar."

Karsicheff said nothing. He knew he had committed a grievous mistake in defying the courier and he felt ill at ease. The presence of Cobb and the baroness, too, was an additional source of danger. What if Cobb should discover the presence of Alexis! That he had not done so already was little short of a miracle. But if he should discover him and appeal to the courier for Alexis—especially after Alexis himself had won the heart of the courier—there was no question as to the result. Certainly the courier would never leave Alexis and Ivan in his power.

The object now was to blind the courier if possible, to keep Cobb from the knowledge of the presence of Alexis, and to have matters remain in statu quo until the courier and the hated American should depart.

Katherine entered the room. She had discovered the identity of Cobb and the baroness.

"Those people here," she said, "threatens danger. We must be on our guard all the time. A chance word may betray us into trouble that will cost us dearly."

"Olga?" asked Karsicheff. "She is asleep," answered the countess, "and I would shed no tear if she never would wake. Her cursed folly has helped to put us where we are. What is your plan about—about them?" she asked, pointing in the direction of the convict quarters.

"We must wait until the courier departs. His presence—"

Karsicheff stopped suddenly. The door leading to the sleeping apartments opened and the courier entered the room.

Producing his notebook, the courier in a peremptory tone demanded:

"What is the name of that brave fellow who saved the woman from the wolves?"

"I do not know it," replied Karsicheff.

"Then consult your lists and find out," was the sharp rejoinder.

Nicholas saw that his father was again getting on dangerous ground.

He determined to come to his assistance.

"I know the name," he said, looking meaningly at his father, "the name is Alexis."

"Alexis Petroffsky," said Katherine. "I asked it from the brave fellow before I bound his wound and gave him some medicine."

"Where is he now?" asked the courier. "He is—"

"Asleep—soundly sleeping," said Katherine; "he begged me not to disturb him until morning."

(To be continued.)



**A Domestic Mystery.**  
Teacher was explaining the meaning of the word recuperate.

"Now, Willie," she said, "if your father worked hard all day he would be tired and all worn out, wouldn't he?"

"Yes'm."  
"Then when night comes and his work is over for the day, what does he do?"

"That's what ma wants to know."

**Brotherly Love.**  
"Marie, what do you want for a birthday present?"  
"A piano."  
"And you, Donald, what do you want?"

"I want an automobile, so as to be able to get out of the way quickly when Marie begins to play."

**No Cause for Alarm.**  
"Such conduct," said the teacher to a rebellious pupil, "will eventually bring your father's gray hairs in sorrow to the grave."  
"Don't you believe it," replied the incorrigible youngster. "The governor wears a wig. See?"

**Information Wanted.**  
"Are you going to marry that naval captain?" asked five-year-old Margie of her grown up sister.

"Yes, dear," was the reply.  
"And if he should die," continued Margie, "will you wear seaweeds and be a mermaid widow?"

**Fly Fishing.**



"Just one kiss before I go, dearest," pleaded the leap-year girl.  
"No," replied the young man, firmly. "Lips that touch hairpins shall never touch mine."

**Never Done.**  
Mrs. Scraggs—That cook simply will not broil steak right. I've told her over and over again, and here it is just as raw as ever.

Mr. Scraggs—I'm not surprised. You have often said that woman's work is never done.

**Credit Due the Wife.**  
"Your wife tells me that she takes large credit for your success in business."

"She's right. Nobody could have met her expenses on a small income."  
—Detroit Free Press.

**The Doctor's Scrawls.**  
Druggist—But I advertised for a prescription clerk. You say you've had no experience in the drug business?

Applicant—No, but I'm just the man for you. My specialty has been Egyptology, and I'm great at deciphering hieroglyphics.

**Slight Mistake.**  
Singleton—Did you know your wife long before you married her?

Weddely—For twenty years—I thought; but I didn't.

**Why He Objected.**



The Lady—But, my poor man, you must surely object to the company you meet in the station cells.

Gritty George—I do, mum. Dere was a couple of rich chawwurs looked up for fast driving last night, an' dar soft talk made me sick.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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**The Old-Time "Nanna."**

A writer in a recent number of the Queen expresses the opinion (which is shared by many other people) that children are not one whit better brought up by the smart, white-trooked, certificated nurses so much sought after nowadays than they were by the comfortable "Nanna" of the days gone by. The old nurse still holds a place in the hearts of the men and women who knew her loving care when they were children, and they will never forget her "treats" that used to delight their hearts. "Best of all," says a woman, "was lantern tea, when all the lights were put out, and the nursery was illuminated by penny tin lanterns, containing colored candles, which cast weird shadows on the solemn faces round the festive board."

**Irish Village of Baltimore.**

Baltimore, in Maryland, gets its name from a small and unostentatious fishing village in Ireland. The word Baltimore signifies the "village that grew up about the big house" and the derivation is plain when one sees the ivy-covered ruins of the very remarkable big house that was once the stronghold of the O'Driscolls. It is situated upon an imposing height, a sentinel over the numerous little dwellings that have sprung up and increased in the vicinity of its wrecked and deserted life. From the village of Baltimore enormous catches of mackerel are sent to America.

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**The Reason Why.**

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When a man's sunstruck he faints but when he's moonstruck he proposes.

**HANKS USED SEA WATER.**

Very Little Use to Deny the Milk Was Diluted.

Julius Kruttschmitt of San Francisco, the general manager of the Southern Pacific Railroad, recently gave out the largest single order for steel rails that the business world has ever known.

A reporter, in discussing this order with Mr. Kruttschmitt, called it a "daring one."

"No," said the railroad magnate, smiling, "there was nothing daring about it. Daring things are those that have in them something risky, something insecure. For instance, you might term 'daring' the well-known action of Hanks, the milkman, in the millionaire's house."

"Hanks, the milkman?" said the reporter, puzzled.

"Yes, Hanks, the milkman. He, one morning, forgot to water his milk. In the hall of his best customer he remembered this omission. A huge tub of fine, clear water stood on the floor by his side. There was no one to spy on him, and thrice, before the maid brought up the jugs, Hanks diluted his milk with a large measure filled from the tub. Then he served the young woman calmly and went on.

"As he was following down the next area the first customer's footman beckoned to him. He returned, and was ushered into the presence of the customer himself, a millionaire.

"Hanks," said the gentleman, "I prefer hereafter to water my own milk."

"Well, sir," said Hanks, "it's useless to deny the thing, for I suppose you were watching me while—"

"No," said the millionaire. "No one was watching you. But the fact is, Hanks, the children are taking medicinal baths, and the tub in the hall was full of sea water."

**Some Very Odd Plants.**

There are few plants that have not been utilized in one way or another by mankind for food, paper, drugs, or in other ways. Among many not so well known may be mentioned the Japanese wax tree, bearing bunches of fruit growing like grapes which contain a species of wax used in making candles. Another tree, found in the Pacific islands and known as the candle nut, yields a large quantity of oil, while the kernels are strung together on a stick and lighted as a candle. The fruit of the candle tree is between three and four feet in length and about an inch in diameter, and of a yellowish color. As they are seen hanging from the tree they present the appearance of a number of wax candles. The telegraph plant, which grows in India, is a slender, erect shrub, so called because of some resemblance to signals in the motion of its trifoliate leaves—the two side ones rising and falling alternately for a time, and then resting. Sometimes many of the leaves are in motion, and sometimes only a few, the greatest activity being in the early morning, and not depending on the wind.—Atlanta Constitution.

**Absence.**

I saw him once, once only: years have sped,  
But still his image dwells within my heart.  
So handsome then I thought him, so well bred,  
It seemed a grief to me that we should part.  
He wore his well-cut garments with an air  
That would have well become a royal prince.  
He left me, though, and filled me with despair.  
I haven't seen him since.

His smile was like a ray of sunshine bright;  
It warmed my heart when he first smiled on me.  
His hearty greeting gave me much delight.  
His hand-clasp was as warm as it could be.  
No flabby pressure of the fingers, but a grip so hard and strong it made me wince.  
I look on this as fate's unkindest cut; I haven't seen him since.

I hear his voice, so musical and low,  
So soft and so persuasive that I thrill  
At the remembrance. I should not, I know,  
Have given up my fifty-dollar bill,  
But at the time full little did I reckon.  
So much embarrassment did he evince,  
I cashed that fascinating stranger's check.  
I haven't seen him since.

**Remembers Seeing Napoleon.**

One of the most interesting links between the present and the past is a man who can remember seeing Napoleon cross the Alps. His name is Ignace Botta and he is 105 years old. His health is good and his memory is perfect, though he has led a hard life, sleeping in the open and living on bread and fruit. He may be seen every day in the streets of Cannes, selling brooms which he makes himself, and he has never begged and never come into conflict with the police. Some years ago he was persuaded to enter an asylum for old men, but he could not stand the confinement.

"Big Bill" Devery's Saloon.

"Big Bill" Devery, formerly chief of police in New York, is now a business rival of Bishop Potter. He has opened a saloon and will sell whisky at "a dime a throw—just the same as the bish," he explains. Mr. Devery even goes the length of saying that when a man needs a drink real badly he can have it on credit. His refectory is to be at Rockaway Beach and is to be known as "The Pump."



Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

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It is clearly shown in this young lady's letter that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will certainly cure the sufferings of women; and when one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of the countless hundreds which we are continually publishing in the newspapers of this country, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine must be admitted by all; and for the absolute cure of all kinds of female ills no substitute can possibly take its place. Women should bear this important fact in mind when they go into a drug store, and be sure not to accept anything that is claimed to be "just as good" as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for no other medicine for female ills has made so many actual cures.

**How Another Sufferer Was Cured.**

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"I feel very grateful to you and will recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all. It has now been four years since I had the last spell of nervous prostration. I only weighed ninety-eight pounds at that time; now I weigh one hundred and twenty-three. I consider your Vegetable Compound the finest remedy made. Thanking you many times for the benefit I received from your medicine, I remain, Yours truly, Mrs. J. H. FARMER, 2809 Elliott Ave., St. Louis, Mo."

Remember Mrs. Pinkham's advice is free and all sick women are foolish if they do not ask for it. She speaks from the widest experience, and has helped multitudes of women.

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**WEST MARION.**

Henry Smith has a sick horse.  
Counsel has a number of  
scholars.  
Geo. Bland and wife spent Sunday with her parents.  
Geo. Bullis and wife attended the state fair last week.  
The rain Saturday night wet a  
lot of beans.  
Mrs. Secord and grandson Wil-  
son called on Mrs. Rockwood Sunday.  
Geo. Grayham, wife and two daughters of Coleman visited at W. B. Millers last week.  
There are some that are preparing for cold weather, judging from the repaired wood house and silo on this street.

**NORTH LAKE.**

North Lake was well represented at the State Fair last week.  
Geo. Webb is attending the exhibition at St. Louis this week.  
Miss Jessie Brown of Chelsea is at her brother William's for a few days.  
R. C. Glenn is something like the weather, he has been all over for a time.  
Miss Mary Whalian is welling the rod at North Lake school this winter.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lantis of Stockbridge spent Sunday at E. W. Daniels.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hoag of Ypsilanti were the guests of O. P. Noah Saturday and Sunday.  
Wm. Browns two children have been under the doctors care the past week, but are better at this writing.

**SOUTH MARION.**

N. Pacey has erected a barn 16x50.  
Tim Hayes is working for Kerry Roach.  
A good many from here went to the state fair.  
Clyde Lyne visited friends in Ingham county.  
F. O. Beach and wife called on Wirt Smith Sunday.  
Irving Hart and wife visited at D. D. Carr's Sunday.  
F. N. Burgess is occupying his new house these days.  
Grace Blair and Gladys Daily visited Edna Abbott Sunday.  
Edna Abbott is on the gain from a long siege with typhoid fever.  
Wm. Chambers and wife visited his brother John in East Putnam Sunday.  
Lightning struck Mr. Lyne's barn last Sunday and did a small amount of damage.

**NORTH HAMBURG.**

Jas. Boylan and wife attended the state fair and report it fine.  
Mrs. Clark of Washington is visiting her sister Mrs. Gartrelle.  
Mrs. Nellie Drewry of Howell is visiting her mother Mrs. Jacob Kice.  
Rev. Myne has returned from his vacation—seems good to hear his voice again.  
Next Sunday is rally and review day at the North Hamburg church.  
Shake off the lingering lassitude of summer, leave no disheartening breaks in the ranks—be in your place.  
The farmers are busy in their bean harvest; some have drawn but the major part are still sheking up and trying to secure the few they are blessed with, in good shape.

Mrs. Etta N. Gartrelle returned from her western trip recently, looking greatly improved in health.  
James Burroughs had the misfortune to cut his hand last week, making it necessary to take some stitches. Dr. Sigler dressed the wound.  
On Wednesday Sept. 14th the L. A. S. of North Hamburg met at "Oak Lodge" the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carpenter. The president, Miss Addie Kice, being absent Mrs. Henry Shoenhalls, of Genoa filled the place in a very able manner. After a brief programme of music and readings, supper was announced whereat Mr. C. remarked that for the third meal in the day, it was the best his wife had provided for him in months, and it was ready on time too. Mrs. Charles Steward, treasurer, was on hand as usual to care for the financial part, amounting to \$6, and the company dispersed feeling better for having been there.

**ANDERSON.**

Verne Jeffery is quite sick with tonsillitis.  
Sydney Sprout has gone to Albion to attend college.  
Lilah Diew spent the first of the week at Jas. Hoff's.  
Jas. McCarty of Bunker Hill spent Sunday with Wm. Ledwidge.  
Chas. Hoff attended the Howlett-Rockwood wedding Tuesday evening.  
Will Singleton and wife visited at Olive Brailey's Saturday night and Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps of Stockbridge spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Smith.  
Mrs. C. M. Wood and Mrs. Julia Pangborn returned home last week after spending several weeks with Mr. W's son Dwight, at Caro.

**WEST PUTNAM.**

Wells White spent the past week with friends in Hamburg.  
A number from here enjoyed the sights at Pontiac last week.  
Dan Denton of Gregory was a pleasant caller in these parts Sunday.  
Miss Mame Brady teaches in the Cordley district the coming year.  
Fred Campbell of Pinckney called on Will Doyle one day last week.  
Mrs. John Murphy of Jackson is spending a few weeks at Wm. Murphy's.  
Arthur Swarthout of Pinckney spent the first of the week with friends here.  
Mrs. Wellington Vancamp and daughter Mildred of Leslie are visiting at G. W. Bates'.  
Mrs. Wm. Gardner and daughter Emma spent the first of the week with friends near Dexter.

While returning from Pinckney last Thursday evening, Frank Ray's horse became unmanageable as he was meeting a rig and a general mix-up ensued. Although for a time things looked rather exciting, both parties escaped serious injuries. However, Frank's buggy is a thing of the past.  
John Harris visited relatives in Pontiac last week.  
Mrs. Hattie Holmes of Lansing is the guest of Mrs. Janet Webb.  
Mrs. Pluma Millar is visiting her parents, Dr. Dubois and wife.  
Miss Anna Gibney of Detroit visited Thos. and Alice Gibney last week.

**UNADILLA.**

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Miss Anna Gibney of Detroit visited Thos. and Alice Gibney last week.

Mrs. John Watson and daughter spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Stapish of Detroit.  
Unadilla and Fulmer's Corners played ball here Saturday—score 12 to 2 in favor of Unadilla.  
Mrs. Evans and son Roy and wife of Chelsea, were the guests of Verna Evans and wife Sunday.  
The missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Willis Pickell, Wednesday, Sept. 28.  
Nelson Bullis and wife, Fred Marshall and wife and A. C. Watson and wife spent last Thursday in Detroit and attended the state fair at Pontiac Friday.

**PLAINFIELD.**

Flora Smith visited Mrs. McGee Saturday.  
E. L. Topping is making a few improvements on his residence this week.  
Mrs. Hicks of Gregory is assisting Mrs. Dyer with her housework this week.  
Will Watter's new house is nearly completed, also Mr. Longnecker's house.  
Chas. Walker returns to Ypsilanti next week to resume his studies at the Normal.  
Sunday school next Sunday at 9:30. Services at the Presbyterian church at 7:30 p. m.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. VanSyckle are making a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Spooner of Battle Creek.  
Members of Plainfield hive, 511, please remember the next meeting will be Wednesday, Sept 28. Assessment 73 now due.  
The Grangers of Plainfield are having very interesting meetings of late, nearly every evening finding a nice program or something else "for the good of the order".

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

"Woman Against Woman" Saturday night.  
"Woman Against Woman," opera house, Sept. 24.  
Mike Fitzsimmons and Ross Read returned from St. Louis last week.  
Ladies of the Maccabees—Assessment No. 73 is due and must be paid before Oct. 1.  
A lady in Chelsea has started quite a large bed of ginseng and the outcome will be watched.  
The popular society drama, "Woman Against Woman" at the opera house Saturday, Sept. 22.  
W. A. Nixon and wife returned the past week from a visit in Detroit. Mr. Nixon enjoyed a day's sport of fishing at St. Clair Flats while there.  
Fat people sometimes reduce their flesh by going without their regular meals. In like manner the man who has too much business can reduce it by stopping his advertising.  
Yes, we have made arrangements to sell those paper weights with a scene of Main street, Pinckney, inside. They form a very pretty souvenir of the village. Price 15 cents. By mail 25 cents.  
E. T. Kearney, of Jackson, Neb., has just sold a herd of cattle at auction that brought him \$5,500. He will net from this sale and the other farm products over \$7,000 this season. Evidently Ed has a good farm and some fine stock.  
Fenton business men, alive to their best interests have subscribed money for the grading down of a big hill near that village making it easier for farmers to haul produce to that market. Their example could be followed in many other villages to good advantage.  
R. D. Roche and Jas. A. Greene of Howell, were both in town the first of the week looking after their political interests. Mr. Roche is candidate for prosecuting attorney on the democratic ticket and Mr. Greene on the republican. They are both former Putnam township young men and good lawyers.

Mrs. Stella Graham and daughter Ethel, returned the first of the week from a visit in Dexter.  
Mrs. A. H. Campbell, of Rochester, N. Y., is the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Brokaw and Miss Cate.  
The rain of Saturday night was followed Tuesday night by a severe frost. It is getting the time of the year for such things.  
These cold mornings reminds us that we shall need some of the promised wood. Please do not wait until winter is over.  
The Home Missionary societies held a very interesting and profitable meeting last week Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Sarah Brown.  
Miss Meda Lamborn who has been working for Mrs. C. L. Sigler for some time, returned to her home Wednesday. She will commence work in Ann Arbor, Oct. 1.

It is the request of the cemetery committee that all who have not paid their subscription to the improvement fund, do so at once so that matters can be settled up. The work for this season has been done, and well done, and the committee deserve much credit and should not be troubled for lack of funds.  
The Ladies of the M. E. church have been to considerable expense in beautifying their church and are now preparing a "Carnival of Nations" to be held at the opera house Sept. 14 and 15, to raise funds for that purpose. All the friends of the society will confer a great favor if they contribute something for the different sale booths. Many have already done so. Full particulars next week.  
Only four more weeks before the Cong'l church Fair. Now is the time to work for it. Good and faithful work is what counts; let everyone do their best in the future as in the past. Help the good work along and all will feel better for having done what they could. New booth designs this year, come and see them. But before the Fair see "Woman Against Woman" Saturday evening at the Opera House Sept. 24.  
The open season for game so far as pertains to this vicinity, is as follows: Ducks and all waterfowl, October 1 to November 30 inclusive; fox, black and gray squirrels, October 12 to November 30, inclusive; partridge, quail and woodcock, October 20 to November 30, inclusive; mink skunk and muskrats must not be taken during September and October. The use of ferrets to hunt rabbits is prohibited in this and adjacent counties and the sale of any game is unlawful.  
The publishers of "I Wait Alone for You" the most popular, sympathetic ballad of the day, by the late W. Wesley Wells, have sent us a copy of his last song, "My Mercedes" which has just been published and which he composed a few weeks before his death. We predict for it a larger sale than "I Wait Alone For You". It is simply beautiful, easy to play, melodious, and a perfect adaption of exquisite words to a beautiful melody. The publishers, J. W. Jenkins' Sons of Kansas City, Mo., are making a special price of 25 cents per copy. To our readers who have not already gotten "I Wait Alone For You", they will send both for fifty cents.

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**Business Pointers.**

**FOR SALE.**  
Grapes for sale—enquire of DANIEL RICHARDS.  
Remember the hop at the Dexter opera house Sept. 23, Friday evening. Refreshments a-la-carte. Dance bill 50 cents.  
CHAMBERLAIN & LEMMON, Mngrs.  
**NOTICE.**  
We are now ready to grind apples for cider, at the Pettysville mill.  
Wm. Hooker.

**WANTED.**  
Apprentice girl to learn Dress-making at once. Enquire Mrs. C. L. Grimes, Pinckney, Mich.

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New milch cow. Cow due to calve in September. Two registered Short-horn bulls. F. E. BACKUS, R. F. D. No. 3 Howell. Liv. Mutual Phone.

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