

# Pinckney Dispatch



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## Machine and Repair Work

We have a thoroughly equipped machine shop and are in position to do your repairing promptly and at reasonable prices.

Engine and Lathe Work a Specialty

Sharp Edge Grinding Done

Rural, Syndia and Bell Telephone Connections

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## OBITUARY.

Charlie Franklin Byer\* died at the home of his adopted parents Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Byer, just north of this village on Thursday July 13, 1905 being 17 years, 3 months and 4 days old. He was born April 8, 1888 and being left an orphan was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Byer in June, 1893, and has lived with them ever since. Being of a kind loving disposition he won his way to their hearts and was loved as their own.

He has been in poor health for several years but recently the malady took a serious turn and he only lived about two weeks. He was a regular attendant at the M. E. church and Sunday school and had a saving faith in the Saviour's love.

The funeral services were held from the church, Sunday morning, July 16, Rev. R. L. Cope officiating. His Sunday school class was present in a body six of them acting as bearers, and he was laid to rest in the cemetery here among beautiful flowers.

## In Memoriam

'Tis hard to part with those we love,  
And in the happy home above,  
His life will still live on  
In joy among the loved ones gone.  
In that happy realm above,  
They'll gently take him by the hand  
And lead him to the Saviour's land  
In that blessed home above.  
'Tis there we will our loved one find,  
Some day, some time.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many kind friends and neighbors for their kindness shown during the sickness and death of our beloved son and brother and also for the moral offering from his class and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. BYER  
and daughter MYRTLE

## The Press Club Meet

On Friday last F. L. Andrews and wife of the DISPATCH were in Detroit transacting business and attended the July meet of the Eastern Michigan Press Club. The members of the club were happily housed in the Griswold

House during the terrific storm that swept Detroit at about one o'clock, but the weather bureau took the matter in hand and by 2:30 the sun was shining and the company embarked on the City of Toledo for a trip to Star Island as the guests of C. F. Bielman, manager of the White Star line of steamers.

A business session of the club was held in the dining room of the boat going up and some changes made in the bylaws which were of benefit to the organization. At the island the club dined on fish, frogs, etc. and returned on the Tashmoo one of the largest excursion boats on the river and owned by the same line. About 65 members were present and a very pleasant and profitable meeting was held.

## Young Mens and Boys Clubs

Notwithstanding hot weather the Club Rooms are still the place of attraction these evenings. The members are much pleased with the improved arrangements.

All rules and regulations are strictly enforced and any member in arrears should not delay to see the treasurer. Wm. Kennedy Janr. Secy.

## Congregational Church.

Regular Sunday morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Topic "A Remarkable Epitaph" announced for last Sunday. Cong'l classes also pastor's class at 11:30.

Do you want a church home? Do you need help in your temptations? Do you need help in your problems? Come with us and we will greet you most cordially.

## FREE!

To Farmers and Stockmen

We have a member of

Daniel's Stock Book

and will give one absolutely free to any farmer or stockman who asks for one.

Soda Fountain and Ice Cream Parlor in Full Running Order

When in need of Anything in Our Line, Give Us a Call

If you do not see what you want, ask for it

F. A. SIGLER.

## A Severe Storm

A heavy wind and rain storm visited this section Wednesday morning. One of the maple trees on the square was broken down. A little hail fell but not enough to do any damage. Several telephones were put out of commission for a time, more fuses were burned out than from any storm before this season although the electric storm did not seem severe.

Just west of town we learn that the wind reached almost tornado velocity leveling fences, orchards, trees etc. doing considerable damage.

## M. E. Church Notes.

The fourth quarterly meeting for this conference year will be held at the M. E. church, next Sunday morning at the regular hour for service. Rev. Collins of Whitmore Lake will conduct the service and also preach in the evening. Quarterly conference Thursday evening, July 27. A good attendance of the official members is desired as there is business pertaining to the re-incorporation of the church society under the state laws.

## A Public Nuisance

Bill posters were in town Tuesday and as usual with those who receive so much per thousand for distributing such matter, they littered our streets with several thousand yellow bills the same being 10X28 inches in size. The paper went blowing down the streets but luckily no one was driving at the time so there were no frightened horses.

This promiscuous scattering of bills is a public nuisance and the council should take measures to stop it. Our citizens take pride in keeping their lawns clean and it is not very encouraging to pick it up to have some bill poster make it a dumping ground.

According to the latest report fifty-nine persons lost their lives and 3,169 suffered serious injuries—some of them will be maimed for life—celebrating the nation's birthday. This is an old story, we admit, and a little tiresome, nevertheless it is not a travesty on a civilized people?

Wouldn't it be a good thing if the government would legislate against the dynamite cracker? The old fashioned firecracker is plenty good enough, and we can show our loyalty to Uncle Sam in just the same spirit as we do now.—Stockbridge Brief.

The Livingston Herald is giving their readers a much better paper than usual, but wouldn't it be doing us justice, Brother Brewer, to put "From the Argus" at the head of your Brighton correspondence.—Brighton Argus. The Pinckney correspondence to the above paper could not have been nearer the local news in the DISPATCH if it had used the same type. We are glad to help make a newsy paper if credited once in a while.

## Just Received

A FULL CAR LOAD

First Class, A 1

ROCK  
Portland Cement

Will Sell Reasonable

W. T. MORAN.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Geo. Green was in Howell Sunday. Herbert Gillette spent Sunday in Howell.

The resorts near here are booming these days.

Harry Ayers of Detroit was in town over Sunday.

A few days of nice hay weather and it has been improved.

Miss Kitsey Brokaw, of Howell, is visiting relatives at this place.

Andrew Rusen, of Detroit, visited this week with his people here.

Mrs. A. D. Grieve who has been visiting in Howell returned Monday morning.

Lyle Younglove of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents in Marion.

Irwin Kennedy of Chelsea was the guest of his parents, Patsey Kennedy and wife Sunday.

C. C. Miller is putting in his vacation in the hay field. A good use of his athletic training.

The Misses Ilone and Wilhelmina Warner of Jackson are the guests of S. G. Teeple and wife.

The Cong'l assembly will meet at Frankfort, August 2-28. It is an ideal place for such a gathering.

Mrs. Herbert Cope joined her husband in Chicago Sunday and will travel with him for a few weeks.

Mrs. Walter Snyder and daughter of Horton spent the past week with her parents, A. B. Green and wife.

J. J. Teeple and wife and C. P. Sykes and wife spent a couple of days last week at the Teeple cottage at Portage.

It is claimed that the dreaded white ant is working in Detroit and much damage is already done to buildings and furniture.

Rev. R. L. Cope was in Jackson the past week.

Ed. Farnam was in Detroit the last of last week on business.

Mrs. Leal Sigler and party spent the past week at Base lake.

C. P. Sykes is adding a fine large porch to his residence on Mill street.

Mrs. F. G. Jackson and son Harry are visiting her parents at Northville.

Miss Jennie Haze of Adrain is visiting her mother and sister at this place.

Mrs. Geo. Green and daughter spent the past week with her parents in Howell.

Floyd Randall, formerly of this place has received an appointment to go to Washington, D. C., as private secretary to Senator Hoar.

The only "town clock" in the county will be set back 28 minutes, Aug. 1. At that time Howell joins the ranks of those who adopt standard time.

H. D. Newton of Tennessee spent the past week with his old friend R. E. Finch. Mr. Finch learned the painter's trade of Mr. Newton over 40 years ago.

There is plenty of hay yet to cut but many farmers have been obliged to cut their wheat as well. The rains put back the hay until wheat was fully ripe, this makes busy times for farmers.

Milford has commenced arrangements for a home coming week to be held in the early summer of 1906. They certainly could do nothing better for the welfare of the town and the enjoyment of the citizens.

When the water was lowered for repairs on the dam last week over 600 fine roach and sunfish were taken from the Reason pond as they were trying to get back into deep water. Nothing but large ones were kept—the smaller ones being taken to the pond and turned loose.

## BOWMAN'S

HOWELL, MICH.

Spot Cash is our plan. That's how we undersell. Helps us to underbuy. Saves you money. Has made Bowman's one of Howell's most successful stores. Visit us when you come to Howell. Every clerk stands ready to welcome you.

In many lines we carry the best stock shown in our town.

Ribbons, Laces, Corsets, Hosiery, Notions, Enamel Ware, Kitchen Goods, Toys, Dolls, Books, Crockery, China, Trunks, Etc. Etc.

E. A. BOWMAN.

The Busy Store.

Grand River St. Opposite Court House. Howell Mich.

## Congregational Church

SUNDAY MORNING, 10:30

An amazing epitaph from The Ladies' Home Journal:

"Here lies the bodies of Thomas Bond and Mary his wife. She was temperate, chaste and charitable, but was proud, peevish and passionate, etc.

Everybody Welcome

## Take Solid Comfort at Home

If you cannot get away from home for a vacation you may take solid comfort in one of our

## Four-Passenger Lawn Swings

Prices, \$5.00 to \$7.00.

6 On Hand

Teeple Hardware Co.

# Cure For The Blues

ONE MEDICINE THAT HAS NEVER FAILED

Health Fully Restored and the Joy of Life Regained

When a cheerful, bright-hearted woman is suddenly plunged into that perfection of misery, the BLUES, it is a sad picture. It is usually this way: She has been feeling "out of sorts."



for some time; head has ached and back also; has slept poorly, been quite nervous, and nearly fainted once or twice; head dizzy, and heart-beats very fast; then that bearing-down feeling, and during her menstrual period she is exceedingly despondent. Nothing pleases her. Her doctor says: "Cheer up; you have dyspepsia; you will be all right soon."

But she doesn't get "all right," and hope vanishes; then come the brooding, morbid, melancholy, everlasting BLUES.

Don't wait until your sufferings have driven you to despair, with your nerves all shattered and your courage gone, but take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. See what it did for Mrs. Rosa Adams, of 819 13th Street, Louisville, Ky., niece of the late General Roger Hanson, C.S.A. She writes:

"I cannot tell you with pen and ink what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered with female troubles, extreme nervousness, the blues, nervousness and that all-gone feeling. I was advised to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it not only cured my female derangement, but it has restored me to perfect health and strength. The buoyancy of my younger days has returned, and I do not suffer any longer with despondency as I did before. I consider Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a boon to sick and suffering women."

If you have some derangement of the female organism write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice.

**Survival of Children.**  
Out of every thousand children born 339 survive their fifth year in New Zealand, 850 in New South Wales and 844 in Victoria, as against 837 in Ireland, 762 in England and Wales, 751 in France, 614 in Austria, and 571 in Spain.

**Church Long Buried Under Sand.**  
At Soulat, in Gascony, a cross was discovered projecting above the sands. Further investigation showed that it was attached to a steeple, and later a well-preserved church of the thirteenth century was excavated. The church is now in use.

## THE TEACHER'S FOE

A LIFE ALWAYS THREATENED BY NERVOUS PROSTRATION.

One Who Broke Down from Six Years of Overwork Tells How She Escaped Misery of Enforced Idleness.

"I had been teaching in the city schools steadily for six years," said Miss James, whose recent return to the work from which she was driven by nervous collapse has attracted attention. "They were greatly overcrowded, especially in the primary department of which I had charge, and I had been doing the work of two teachers. The strain was too much for my nerves and two years ago the crisis came."

"I was prostrated mentally and physically, sent in my resignation and never expected to be able to resume work. It seemed to me then that I was the most miserable woman on earth. I was tortured by nervous headaches, worn out by inability to sleep, and had so little blood that I was as white as chalk."

"After my active life, it was hard to bear idleness, and terribly discouraging to keep paying out the savings of years for medicines which did me no good."

"How did you get back your health?"

"A bare chance and a lot of faith led me to a cure. After I had suffered for many months, and when I was on the very verge of despair, I happened to read an account of some cures effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The statements were so convincing that I somehow felt assured that these pills would help me. Most people, I think, buy only one box for a trial, but I purchased six boxes at once, and when I had used them up, I was indeed well and had no need of more medicine."

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills enriched my thin blood, gave me back my sleep, restored my appetite, gave me strength to walk long distances without fatigue, in fact freed me from all my numerous ailments. I have already taught for several months, and I cannot say enough in praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Miss Margaret M. James is now living at No. 123 Clay street, Dayton, Ohio. Many of her fellow teachers have also used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and are enthusiastic about their merits. Sound digestion, strength, ambition, and cheerful spirits quickly follow their use. They are sold in every drug store in the world.

# TO PROBE SCANDAL

SOME SCANDALS THAT ARE TO BE PROBED TO THE BOTTOM.

PRESIDENT ORDERS STEPS TO PUNISH GUILTY TAKEN AT ONCE.

THE GREAT PRINTING OFFICE SEEMS TO NEED SOME PURIFYING.

The Holmes Case.

President Roosevelt has determined the scandal growing out of the cotton report leaks in the department of agriculture shall be probed to the bottom. He holds that the man or men responsible for the leaks are even in a greater degree culpable than they would have been had they stolen money outright from the government. He proposes that Assistant Statistician Holmes, against whom serious allegations are made, shall be punished if it shall be found possible to secure his arrest and conviction under present laws.

The president has followed the work of the investigation conducted by Secretary Wilson with keen interest and has written Attorney General Moody as follows:

"I most earnestly hope that every effort will be made to bring Holmes to justice in connection with the cotton report scandal. Please go over the papers yourself. The man is, in my judgment, a far greater scoundrel than if he had stolen money from the government, as he used the government to deceive outsiders and to make money for himself and for others."

An Unsavory Mess.

Scandals of enormous proportions will develop in the government printing office beside which the Lanston typesetting investigation is but a gentle breeze as compared with the storm that will break over the greatest printing establishment in the world. Graft is rampant in this establishment. Some of the officials who have the purchasing power are charged with demanding a commission on the sales of supplies. Machinery which would be useful for many years, is condemned after being purchased by those who condemn it, and they in turn sell it to private business concerns at a large profit. Superfluous positions exist and persons are on the payroll who perform practically no services. Immorality exists and favorites of chiefs are given positions which involve no labor, jobs are sold on the commission basis and corruption of almost every conceivable character exists.

Roberts Prods British Lion.

The direct, unqualified statement that the British army is now as unfitted and unprepared for war as it was before the struggle with the Boers, was the bomb that Lord Roberts threw in the house of lords. The veteran field marshal in a deliberate and carefully prepared speech told the peers that he believed as a practical soldier that Great Britain's military forces are totally inadequate to uphold the empire as a first-class world power. Lack of fitness in the men and poor training were mentioned as contributory causes to this condition.

The speech was called for by Premier Balfour's statement regarding the impossibility of an invasion. Lord Roberts said the necessity of being able to repel an attack on England itself was not all, but that the country must deal with a question of infinitely great importance—the question of the life or death of the empire, the issue of which depended upon Great Britain being ready to defend her eastern possessions and at the same time take part in any affair nearer home, either of which necessitated the placing in the field of an army as large and efficient as that of any of the European countries.

The Canal "Knockers."

President Roosevelt Wednesday afternoon turned the vials of his invective loose on the "knocking" which is greeting the efforts of the United States in building the Panama canal; bitterly scored the men who have come back in panic from the isthmus with scare stories about health conditions there; prophesied confidently that the canal would be completed to the everlasting credit of American genius and perseverance, and lauded Gen. Leonard Wood for his sanitary achievements in Cuba in a way that suggested that the president may have in mind a similar task for his friend at Panama.

The address was delivered before the Associated Physicians of Long Island. Attired in a suit of rough linen and wearing a broad-brimmed Panama hat, the president arrived at Oyster Bay high school, where the meeting was held, at 3:15 p. m. After the president had retired, the session unanimously elected him and Gen. Wood members of the society.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Past 81, Rev. William H. Russell, a cottage revivalist at Asbury Park, N. J., has surrendered to Cupid. His bride is Mrs. Catharine Armour Duffey, aged 46.

## SOMERSBY IS TO BE SOLD.

Estate Where Tennyson Was Born Soon to Change Owners.

Lovers of Tennyson will be interested to hear that the Somersby estate is in the market. The center of attraction there is, of course, says the Academy, the rectory, a picturesque, rambling structure with a dining room which externally resembles a chapel. The room in which the poet first saw the light overlooked the lawn and the church, perhaps "the God's house," of "The Two Voices," where his father officiated, stands on a low hill opposite the house. The garden is full of associations of "In Memoriam," but it should be remembered that the trees are not as they were in Tennyson's time—"the towering sycamores" and "the poplars four" have gone and the whole place is a wilderness. A "gray old grange," the reputed residence of "The Northern Farmer," stands close to the rectory.

A little way from Somersby is "the brook that swerves to left and right thro' meadowy curves," passing in its course three mills, one of which may have suggested certain points in the landscape of "The Miller's Daughter." It is also the subject of the poem known as "The Brook." On the same estate is a wooded dell, deep, wild and shady, which is called "Holywell Glen." Here Tennyson wrote "Byron is Dead." It is not improbably "the dreadful hollow" which "grides and clangs its leafless ribs and iron horns" and should appeal to readers of "Maud." Not too far away is Mablethorpe, perhaps "the lover's bay" mentioned in "The Golden Supper" and the seaside resort where Tennyson for the first time saw "the hollow ocean ridges roaring into cataracts."

An Appreciation.

I am very fond of poetry—  
I couldn't possibly be more—  
Every thing I lay my hands on,  
—Modern works or ancient lore,  
But of all things I've perused  
(And indeed I've read a sight)  
Nothing seems to me so clever  
As the poetry I write.

Shakespeare? Well, he's pretty good.  
Milton? H'm, I guess he'll do.  
Pope and Browning? Just so-so.  
Keats? I've never read him through.  
Byron? Well, his style's too free.  
Tennyson? Too serious, quite.  
None of them can hold a candle  
To the poetry I write.

I can sit and read it over,  
Backward, forward, by the hour.  
Such magnificence of diction!  
Phrasing of unequalled power!  
Often over it I've pored  
Far into the still night,  
Nothing fills me with such bliss  
As the poetry I write.

Every word's a polished jewel,  
Strings of gems are every line.  
Strange that editors' opinions  
Rarely coincide with mine!  
Some day they will beg my verse  
But they'll never get a mite,  
For they won't deserve such luck  
As the poetry I write!

—Blanche Goodman.

Bath in Goldfield.

"All trouble and inconvenience growing out of the scarcity of water in the new mining camps of Nevada is rapidly disappearing," remarked Oscar J. Smith, lawyer and capitalist of Reno. "They have quite as much water in Goldfield now as will satisfy the requirements of the camp. I was down at Goldfield recently, and noticing a sign on a building which proclaimed the fact that baths were to be had there I went in and announced that I would like to get a bath. The fellow in charge handed me a ticket and took my money."

"Well, see here," said I, "I don't want a bath ticket. I want a bath."

"Oh, you'll get a bath all right," and the bathhouse manager. "Let me see your ticket, No. 813. There are about 812 people ahead of you. Come around in about three or four weeks."

—San Francisco Chronicle.

Real Bad Man Gathered In.

"I'm a woolly wolf. I've got a tall sixteen feet long and it's covered with barbed wire. The devil's broke loose; take in yer canoes, you scaly-headed, flat-heeled sons of slush tubs. My tread causes earthquakes, my breath adds milk. I can spit a blister on a wash pot and bust up a stillhouse by blowing in at the wum. The lion's loose—close yer windows. I'm a mossil of the best man that ever took a drink of Denison prohibition booze. Clean out that." These and a few other remarks of like character were indulged in by a young man last night on Main street. The young fellow is in pawn now and is looking for some farmer who needs a good cotton chopper to come and take him out of hock.

—Durant, I. T. News.

IMPORTANT TO HOUSESEEKERS

All about the industries, population, climate, etc. of any locality, U. S. or Canada. Write for "Circular D," Fidelity Reports Co., 1242 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Where the Gang Rules.

Col. Sheldon Potter, who represents reformed Philadelphia in the headship of the city's police department, was talking at a dinner party about gang rule and municipal corruption.

"Gang rule," he said, "encourages bad habits, drunkenness, a hundred evils. This was well shown in a school board meeting in a New York town. Corruption in that town was rampant and in consequence disputation was a constant feature."

## Worried by False Teeth.

Sheikh Mahomed Ali Omar Or, head of the Genlab Arabs, who has arrived at Khartum, has been presented by the sirdar with a complete set of teeth. He is extremely proud of them and hopes to amaze the rest of his tribe when he arrives home. His only misgiving is the effect on his inside. He expressed his fears in this way: "God gave me teeth and took them away when I grew old. He knows best. Now man has put new ones in. Can the doctor of the teeth tell me what is good for my inside?"

—Brooklyn Eagle.

Boomerang as Life Saver.

Attention is being devoted to the boomerang as a means of saving life at sea. The contrivance is simply a boomerang to which a swivel is attached to carry the line without twisting. With it a man can instantly throw a strong line 150 feet to 200 feet, and, as the boomerang floats it will sustain the cord on the water and give a person on the surface a chance to catch it, and be drawn to land or supported until a boat arrives. The device requires little skill to throw it accurately.

Reads Like a Miracle.

Moravia, N. Y., July 17th.—(Special)—Bordering on the miraculous is the case of Mrs. Benj. Wilson, of this place. Suffering from Sugar Diabetes, she wasted away till from weighing 200 lbs. she barely tipped the scales at 130 lbs. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her. Speaking of her cure her husband, says:

"My wife suffered everything from Sugar Diabetes. She was sick four years and doctored with two doctors, but received no benefit. She had so much pain all over her that she could not rest day or night. The doctors said that she could not live."

"Then an advertisement led me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and they helped her right from the first. Five boxes of them cured her. Dodd's Kidney Pills were a God-sent remedy to us and we recommend them to all suffering from Kidney Disease."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases, including Bright's disease, and all Kidney aches, including Rheumatism.

Hope for the best—prepare for the worst—and take what comes. The best husbands, like the biggest fish, are those that get away.

Don't Let Baby Cry.

When baby cries, something is probably wrong with its stomach, or other digestive organs, and no time should be lost in giving it a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. This is the only safe laxative medicine for Babies and Children, and should always be kept in the house. It contains no injurious ingredients, and can do nothing but good. Try it. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Dress is sometimes a matter of form and form is often a matter of dress.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE 64 page treatise and treatise. Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 281 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The best and safest bower for true love is a cottage.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, the Great Kidney and Liver Cure, World Famous. Write Dr. Kennedy, 2800, Roadout, N. Y., for free sample bottle.

Good Lord, didn't you make us for thy angels' jester?

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. ENDALL, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 19, 1900.

Even angel cake can bring a dyspeptic devilish dreams.

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

Trouble sethlm visits those who do not expect it.

# "Yes" Churches School Houses and Homes

Alabastine

A Best Cement in white and best not rub or stain. Prevents disease germs and vermin. No washing of walls after once applied. Any one can brush it on—mix with solid water. Plain tinting and whitening, and the most elaborate relief, stained work and ironing may be done with it. Other finishes (bearing fanciful names and prices) with hot water do not have the essential property of Alabastine. They are suds on with water or other natural material, which settles, feeding disease germs, racking, scaling and spalling walls, ceilings, etc. Such finishes must be washed off every year—costly. Only Alabastine is permanent. In 4 weeks, it is ready to use. It is the best, most durable, and most beautiful. It is used in decorating and our artists' services in making color plans, free.

ALABASTINE COMPANY, Grand Rapids, Mich., or 106 Water St., N. Y.

FREE! FOR HOT WEATHER

## Mull's Grape Tonic

TO ALL WHO WRITE FOR IT NOW

It will protect you against the dangers of heat

Constipation or Depriving Bowels  
Cases Diarrhea, Cholera, Etc.

Blood Disorders, Skin Eruptions,  
Bad Complexion, Sun Strokes,  
Heat Prostration, Etc., Etc.

Diarrhea, Cholera, Bowel Trouble, Etc., are symptoms of Constipation. Constipation means practically dead intestines and poisoned blood. Constipation is most dangerous during hot weather on account of its tendency to irritability—prostration, etc. If you suddenly check dysentery—fatal blood poisons may result—a physio weakness and does not remove the cause, makes you worse. Dysentery, Cholera, Bowel Troubles, Etc., disappear when Constipation is cured.

Revive and strengthen the intestines or bowels before they decay from inactivity and contact with rotting food. THIS MULL'S GRAPE TONIC was put on the American market there was no cure for constipation.

We will now prove to you that MULL'S GRAPE TONIC will protect you against heat prostration and heat stroke. It cures Constipation, Stomach and Bowel Trouble. It acts as food to the blood and intestines, cleanses and strengthens them and ejects the poison and decayed matter. MULL'S GRAPE TONIC is nearly 50 per cent grape juice which is a splendid tonic for the system during hot weather.

WRITE FOR THIS FREE BOTTLE TODAY  
Good for Ailing Children and Nursing Mothers

FREE COUPON

Send this coupon with your name and address and your druggist will send you a free bottle of Mull's Grape Tonic, Stomach Tonic and Constipation Cure, to:

MULL'S GRAPE TONIC CO.,  
148 Third Avenue, Book Island, Illinois

Give Full Address and Write Plainly  
The \$1.00 bottle contains nearly three times the 50c size. At drug stores.

The genuine has a date and number stamped on the label—take no other from your druggist.

## \$25.00 Cream Separator

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A story is told in Paris of a diplomatist who represented a South American republic a few years ago. There had been so many revolutions at home that the financiers there had no time to send him his salary. But he took this misfortune philosophically, sold all the furniture of the legation except a bed, a table and some chairs and occupied one room with his principal attaché, who cooked the meals. Anyone who called early on the minister would probably find him cleaning the boots. "What would you have?" he would say, waving a boot expressively. "My poor country is in another crisis and has forgotten us again. But when I go back I shall make a revolution and appoint myself president. Then we shall have our reward for all this self-denial."

**Boy's Toothache Cure.**

A novel form of cure for toothache was invented recently by a schoolboy in an Eastern village. He drove a tack into a comrade's tooth, and the cure was effective for two or three months. When the tooth was ultimately extracted, the tack was found to be so securely fixed in the substance of the tooth that it could not be taken out.

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**When Coffee Shows What It Has Been Doing.**

"Of late years coffee has disagreed with me," writes a matron from Rome, N. Y.; "it's lightest punishment was to make me 'loggy' and dizzy, and it seemed to thicken up my blood."

"The heaviest was when it upset my stomach completely, destroying my appetite and making me nervous and irritable, and sent me to my bed. After one of these attacks, in which I nearly lost my life, I concluded to quit and try Postum Food Coffee."

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**GENERAL WOOD**

**OPERATED ON, BUT DOING WELL TO CLEAN UP PANAMA.**

Reports from Pocomet, Cape Cod, say that Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood has just undergone the delicate surgical operation of trepanning to remove a bony growth on his head. The operation, it is said, was entirely successful, and the general is making rapid progress toward recovery. It was made necessary by a mishap several years ago, when Maj.-Gen. Wood received a severe blow on the head by accident. A swelling developed but surgeons were soon able to determine that it was not of cancerous growth and not in the least likely to have any permanent ill effects. Gossip is current in Washington since President Roosevelt's speech at Oyster Bay Wednesday, that the president plans to send Gen. Wood to Panama to clean up the isthmus as he did Cuba.

**Depew Caught in Tangle.**

The New York World says: "Revelations far more startling than those in the report of Supt. Hendricks are contained in the testimony taken in the state insurance department's investigation of the Equitable Life Assurance society."

"Senator Chauncey M. Depew testified that the Depew Improvement Co., in which he was interested, obtained a loan from the Equitable of \$250,000 on property which the state insurance department valued at only \$150,000. He admitted that neither principal nor interest had been paid, and that the Equitable had been forced to foreclose."

"He admitted that as a member of the executive committee of the Equitable, he had not advised this loan, but had voted for it. He confessed to making a promise that the Equitable should be made whole, but in the same breath said that promise was not legally binding."

"Jacob H. Schiff, confronted with records of the Equitable that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. had sold a large amount of Union Pacific preferred stock to the society, swore that these records were false. He confessed that he had been a dummy director, but said that since the Equitable scandal developed, he had bought five shares of the stock paying \$2,000 a share."

**Root's Sacrifice.**

Seldom in the history of the government has a man made the financial sacrifice that Elihu Root will make in taking up the portfolio of state laid down by John Hay. In accepting the \$8,000 salary of a cabinet officer he must give up fees, estimated to have been within the year, at least \$250,000. A cabinet officer recently said Mr. Root was making \$275,000 a year. In Washington his living expenses will probably reach \$40,000.

**Kansas Oil Fight Lost.**

The law passed by the legislature last winter appropriating \$410,000 to build an important oil refinery at Peru, Kas., was on Friday declared unconstitutional by the state supreme court in an opinion rendered by Associate Justice Greene.

The oil refinery law was considered one of the most direct blows struck at the Standard Oil Co. by the last legislature, which adopted several measures tending to restrict that concern in the handling of the Kansas product.

**Bank Solvent.**

It is now believed that the Vicksburg Exchange bank, now in the hands of Receiver S. B. Monroe, of Kalamazoo, will be found solvent. It is said that \$60,000 worth of good collateral has been found and that no wrongdoing has been discovered. The receivership is now alleged to be illegal, as it is said bankruptcy proceedings cannot be taken against an insane person. A girl was born to Mrs. Page at the family home Thursday.

**Eight Are Dead.**

Eight men were blown to pieces and two others were injured by the premature explosion of a big blast of rock powder on the Pennsylvania railroad improvements near New Cumberland, Penna.

**CONDENSED NEWS.**

Hot weather caused 13 deaths in New York Thursday.

J. R. Wright, Columbus, Kas., has quit the Baptist ministry to go on the stage in New York in a new Biblical play.

G. Gould, 70, Newark, N. J., was attacked and nearly killed by mosquitoes. Passersby rescued him in the nick of time.

Four more deaths and 41 prostrations were caused by the heat in New York. Pittsburgh had nine prostrations and six drownings.

The crown of Norway will be accepted by Prince Charles of Denmark if King Christian consents on his return to Copenhagen next week.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles is being boomed by Massachusetts Democrats for governor, to succeed Gov. Douglass, who says he won't run again.

Banker F. G. Bigelow's assets were \$288,644 and his liabilities \$2,191,989, according to the appraising committee appointed to investigate his affairs.

Tom Lawson tells people at Minneapolis that he has several millions of dollars that he made wrongfully, and that "when the time comes" he'll give them back to the people.

Albert Urfer, 14, and Chas. Fee, 11, have been arrested near Lima, O., and are charged with obstructing the Penna. railway track. They say that they "wanted to see a wreck."

**A WOMAN'S MISERY.**

Mrs. John La Rue, of 115 Paterson Avenue, Paterson, N. J., says: "I was troubled for about nine years, and what I suffered no one will ever know. I used about every known remedy that is said to be good for kidney complaint, but without deriving permanent relief. Often when alone in the house the back ache has been so bad that it brought tears to my eyes. The pain at times was so intense that I was compelled to give up my household duties and lie down. There were headaches, dizziness and blood rushing to my head to cause bleeding at the nose. The first box of Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me so much that I continued the treatment. The stinging pain in the small of my back, the rushes of blood to the head and other symptoms disappeared."



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Brevity is said to be the soul of wit, but the man who is short doesn't feel funny.

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Whose advanced years have caused a general weakened condition of their bodily functions, causing indigestion, constipation, sluggish or torpid liver or impoverished blood? There is no remedy in the wide world that will tone up the worn-out system like Marvin's Cascara Chocolate Tablets. By their tonic effect upon the tiny cells that constitute the muscular coat of the bowels the loss of tone is repaired, the normal secretions are stimulated, the circulation of good healthy blood in the intestinal walls is re-established, and instead of a sluggish, unhealthy state of the whole digestive apparatus, the patient is restored to his old-time vigor. These tablets are purely vegetable and can be taken without any nauseating effect into the most delicate stomach. We want every afflicted person to try these tablets at our expense. Send us your name and address and we will gladly mail you a free sample. Put up in metal boxes, 25 doses, 25 cents at druggists. MARVIN REMEDY CO., Detroit, Mich.

How many a peach hath the disposition of a lemon.



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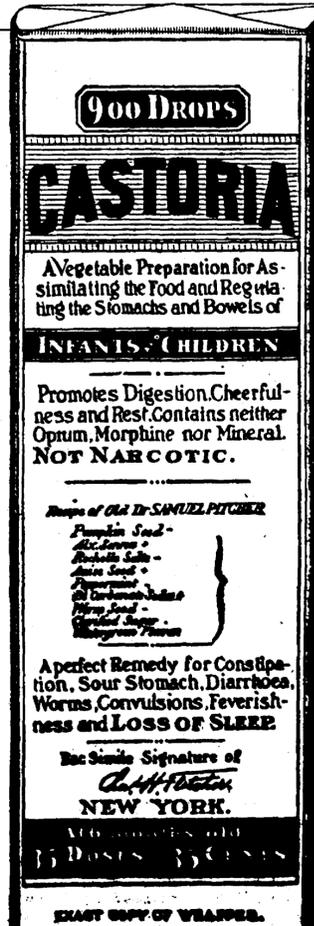


**Don't Poison Baby.**

**FORTY YEARS AGO** almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and A FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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- Dr. J. J. Mackey, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I consider your Castoria an excellent preparation for children, being composed of reliable medicines and pleasant to the taste. A good remedy for all disturbances of the digestive organs."
- Dr. Howard James, of New York City, says: "It is with great pleasure that I desire to testify to the medicinal virtue of your Castoria. I have used it with marked benefit in the case of my own daughter, and have obtained excellent results from its administration to other children in my practice."



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The project of a tunnel between England and France under the channel has been revived.

Sakalin Island has been taken by the Japanese and if Russia does not conclude to ask for an armistice pretty soon there will be mighty little left to discuss at that peace conference.

Even more remarkable than Japan's ability to raise money is the fact that in spite of the war there has come no material depression in industrial and commercial lines at home, the nation today being in a prosperous condition.

Every year, according to the statistics just gathered, in the neighborhood of 70,000 persons are killed and considerably over a million seriously injured while engaged in or connected with industrial pursuits. Modern industry kills and maims far more people than fall in actual warfare.

Michigan, on the whole, is deserving of the compliment paid her by the Chicago Tribune, which, after an exhaustive survey of the United States, pronounced this state one of six out of the whole nation that is free from graft. Those who tried it were severely dealt with in this state and others fear to begin operation.

There is no desire by this country to discriminate against those who, coming from other lands, seek a home among us, desirous of casting their lot with the nation and upholding its institutions but few crimes against the government are more despicable than that of fraudulent naturalization and no punishment is too severe for those found guilty.

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

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

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

Danish physicians have formed a temperance society, and have issued a warning, setting forth the effect of alcohol on the human body, which is posted in all the railway stations of the country.

The fat in beer drinkers is composed of these albuminous residues which, having been alcoholized, resist the action of the various solvents in the system, and therefore being neither fit for use in the body nor reducible to a form in which they can be excreted, they have to be stored away so as to prevent obstruction to the circulation; hence so long as there is room they are packed away, much of them under the skin, and thus the fat and healthy appearance of the beer drinker. When there is no more room under the skin, the fat has to be deposited in the interior of the body, and hence the common disease of fatty degeneration of the heart, kidneys, etc.—Dr. Gustafson.

After the most terrible contest against the saloon ever known on the Pacific coast, the no-saloon ordinance was defeated at Los Angeles by 8,349 to 15,497. The vote was exceedingly heavy. People generally estimated that 16,000 to 20,000 votes would be polled, but none thought that 24,000 ballots would be cast on the proposition. The great outpouring of voters was due to a great extent to the big machine which the saloon leaders had built up and which sailed under the name of the Los Angeles Business Men's Association. The saloons kept in the background. Never before had one-half the work been done in an election in Los Angeles. Day after day, the daily papers contained quarter, half and full page advertisements, not only of the liquor dealers operating under the alias of the Los Angeles Business Men's Association, but of the Anti-Saloon League as well. Day after day the Los Angeles Express, one of the chief dailies of the city, devoted pages to the struggle, doing a magnificent work for the prohibition cause. Nearly every day a splendid cartoon was given which revealed the saloon in its true light, hiding behind the mask of the "Business Men's Association." While the no-saloon ordinance lost, the battle was not without its good result. Not in ten years of ordinary agitation could such an amount of education have been accomplished as was the result of these weeks of effort.

**The Diamond Cure**

The latest news from Paris, is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which gave instant relief and affected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure, throat and lung troubles. At F. A. Sigler's drug store; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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**TICKETED TO MATRIMONY**

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"I'm sorry I joked about the little poem," he pleaded contritely. "Make up, and I'll never say anything like that again."

"You will not have the opportunity, Jimmy Garrison," she scolded. "Take back your ring, and I'm never going to speak to you again."

"I say," he cried, "don't take it like that. You'll have to speak to me again."

"Never!" she retorted firmly. "If I do I'll!"

"Take back the ring," urged Jimmy before she could finish.

"Yes," Grace Burton assented, "if I ever speak to you again I'll take back the ring."

Jimmy looked at her ruefully as she turned away.

But the next day there seemed small chance of an early reconciliation, for it was announced that Grace was to spend the winter with an aunt in Los Angeles and was to start in a few days. It was rather short notice, but Mr. Burton had been suddenly called to Europe, and he could not take both Mrs. Burton and Grace.

Secretly Grace was sorry that she had permitted herself to become so angry over Jimmy's jokes about her little poem which the local paper had printed, but she was stubborn, and after a final appeal Jimmy yielded to fate and announced that he would leave that night for Chicago.

Apparently he went further afield than that, for a few mornings later the Overland rolled into Omaha, and there was Jimmy on the station platform waiting to take passage. Grace gasped as the porter ushered him into a section a few numbers ahead of her own, but to outward appearances she was absolutely ignorant of his presence.

She fidgeted about uneasily through the twenty minute wait in the station, while he regarded her with the unconcern of a stranger, and she was glad when the train got under way again and he had gone forward to the smoker.

He was back presently, though, and was in his section when the new conductor came through. Jimmy promptly handed up his ticket, but there was some delay when Grace surrendered the check for her transportation, given to the conductor overnight.

"You had a pass, didn't you?" asked the conductor as he glanced at the number on her check and selected an envelope from the package he carried. "Can you identify yourself?"

She glanced through her pocketbook, but there was nothing which could serve to identify her, and through some mischance she had not signed the ticket, as she should have done, when it had been given to her.

"Unless you can show some identification I shall have to collect a cash fare," the conductor said sharply, noticing her helplessness.

"I can't," she stammered. "I have not that much money with me."

"Any one on board who can identify you?" Clearly he was growing suspicious. Grace was desperate.

"That gentleman up front knows me," she said slowly, indicating Jimmy. The conductor went forward, and she watched him curiously. It was odd that Jimmy, who had evidently taken this train to tease her, was to be of some real service to her instead.

But somehow the conductor's face did not express satisfaction as he came back down the aisle.

"I suppose you are convinced now?" said Grace, with a confidence she did not feel, as he stopped at her seat.

"He says he knows the real Miss Burton," said the conductor, eying her sharply.

There was an odd little gasp of anger as Miss Burton sprang to her feet and unsteadily made her way down the aisle, the conductor following. "Jimmy Garrison," she demanded, "do you mean to tell this conductor that you don't know me?"

"Never said it," said Jimmy calmly. "He asked me if I could identify Miss Burton, and I said I knew Miss Burton."

"Well?" she said in a puzzled tone. "Possibly," explained Jimmy blandly, "he might have gathered from my tone that I did not see Miss Burton on the car."

"You mean," she corrected, "that you wanted to make me ask you to identify me."

"Yes," said Jimmy solemnly, offering a ring. "I thought you might speak to me."

For the first time it flashed upon her what "business" had drawn Jimmy west, and while he was assuring the conductor that she was Miss Burton she flew back to her seat and sat there with flaming cheeks. Jimmy followed her as soon as he had disposed of the conductor.

"Sweetheart," he said tenderly, "it was a mean trick to play, but I knew I simply had to make you speak before you got out to Los Angeles, and as my cousin is superintendent of this division I got him to order the pass watched for."

"But how did I get a pass?" she demanded.

"I gave it to your father, and he gave us his blessing," Jimmy explained. "He begged me out by telegraphing when you left home."

"Everybody is scheming against me," she cried as she buried her face in her hands in an agony of wounded pride.

"I release you from your promise," he said shamefully. "I won't win you by bullying."

She peeped shyly at him between her fingers. "All's fair in love and war," she quoted, smiling through her tears. GEORGE HEMINGWAY.

**Shocked the Queen.**

The queen of Denmark once paid a visit to the Danish colony of Iceland, where the good old bishop exerted himself to the utmost to show her everything that was worth seeing. The queen paid many compliments to her host, and having learned that he was a family man graciously inquired how many children he had. It happens that the Danish word for "children" is almost identical in sound with the Icelandic word for "sheep," so that the worthy bishop, whose knowledge of Danish was not so complete as it might have been, understood her majesty to ask how many sheep he owned and promptly answered:

"Two hundred."

"Two hundred children!" cried the queen, astounded. "How can you possibly maintain such a number?"

"Easily enough, please your majesty," replied the prelate, with a cheerful smile. "In the summer I turn them out upon the hills to grass, and when winter comes I kill and eat them!"

**The Miserable Moors.**

The lives lived by the Moors are, without perhaps any exception, the most precarious and miserable that can be imagined. The poor man is thrown into prison for sums he never possessed and can never pay, the rich to be squeezed of all he possesses, while those only can hope to escape who are members of families sufficiently powerful to arouse the fears of the local governor should he attempt extortion and not sufficiently powerful to stir up the jealousy and avarice of the sultan. Even the governors of the provinces suffer themselves as they make others suffer, for just as they squeeze the agriculturist and the peasant so are they in turn squeezed by the sultan and his viziers, and should they fail by constant presents to maintain a good opinion at the court they can expect only imprisonment and often death.



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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Livingston SS.  
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The undersigned having been appointed, by the Judge of Probate of said county, commissioner on claims in the matter of said estate, and four months from the 27th day of June, A. D. 1905 having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment:  
Notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1905 and on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1905 at ten o'clock a. m. of each day, at the store of A. C. Watson, in the township of Unadilla in said county, to receive and examine such claims.  
Dated, Howell, June 27, A. D. 1905.  
A. C. Watson, Commissioner on Claims.  
Ryal Barnum, on Claims.

STATE OF MICHIGAN: The Probate Court for the County of Livingston. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Howell in said County, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1905. Present Hon. Arthur A. Montague, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of CHARLOTTE E. NOBLE, deceased.  
Fitch C. Montague having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and codicil now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration be granted to himself or some other suitable person.  
Thereupon it is ordered that on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the PINCKNEY DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.  
Arthur A. Montague  
Judge of Probate

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**CARTON'S FIRST FARE**

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 For the third time a coachman called to Carton to move along that others might drive up to the curb, and with a muttered expression of disgust at the length of time it took Fred Howell to select a cigar Hugh Carton ran his automobile across the street and fell in line behind two other cars drawn up beside the square. He did not notice that the others belonged to a slight seeing company until a musical voice inquired what his terms were.

Carton looked down into the face of an exceedingly pretty girl and flashed a glance at the cars ahead. In an instant he comprehended the situation. "Dollar an hour," he said gruffly, touching his leather cap with what he congratulated himself was a good imitation of a chauffeur's salute.

"I shall want you about three hours," she said simply and waited while he sprang down and opened the door in the back of the tonneau. In another moment they were speeding up the street.

From the corner of his eye he caught a glimpse of Fred Howell standing on the hotel steps, and his conscience smote him. He had promised Howell a run, but still it was not his fault that it took his friend so long to pick out cigars while he remained outside to be tempted by the prettiest girl he had ever seen.

He could take Howell out at any time. This was his one chance with the pretty girl. Perhaps after a while he could tell her that he was not a professional chauffeur. Before they had gone half a mile he had built an air castle in which his first fare was established as chateleine, and then suddenly the fare wrecked his castle.

"Turn down the next street to 274," she ordered, and obediently Carton drew up. "I want to send my mother out for a drive," she said sweetly. "Give her a good view of the city and keep the rest for yourself."

She ran up the steps, while Carton stared blankly at the five dollar bill she had thrust into his hand. For a moment he was tempted to follow her up the steps, give the money to a servant and drive off. Then came the comforting reflection that perhaps it might be easier to establish himself with the mother than with the daughter, and he waited.

A few moments later he was sorry he had not done so, for down the steps came one of the most eccentric figures he had ever seen. Her clothes bore the stamp of seasons gone before, and a hideous blue veil screened a face sharp and angular.

She fixed herself comfortably in the seat, and with a querulous, "Don't go too fast, young man," they started.

It was torture to Hugh to skim through the residential district with this old figure in the tonneau, and more than one surprised glance followed the automobile and the oddly assorted pair. Even the hope of being able to win the old lady's favor vanished when, after several attempts to engage her in conversation, she leaned forward and in her high pitched voice said: "It's no use to talk to me, young man; I'm deaf, and I wish you would not turn round; you make me nervous, you can't see where you are going."

He heaved a sigh of relief when at last he deposited her before her own door and was free to escape. He did not even catch a glimpse of the girl who had loved him to his fate.

It was late when he entered the Howells' drawing room that evening. The butler was just announcing dinner, and there was barely time to make hurried greeting to his hostess and offer his arm to his companion.

Before each plate on the long table stood a characteristic favor, and the laughter was long and loud when he picked up the tiny silver and gilt cigarette holder fashioned in the form of an automobile that stood at his plate. The laughter became a shriek when, on lifting the lid, he discovered a five dollar bill in stage money.

As bravely as he could he faced the storm of laughter and jeering remarks which followed, but not until he caught sight of Howell at the other end of the table, fairly convulsed with mirth, did he discover the secret of his undoing, for beside the joker, red and unsmiling, was his fare of the morning.

When they had all returned to the drawing room balm was poured upon his wounded feelings, for the girl came up to him.

"I want to apologize to you, Mr. Carton," she said bravely, "for my innocent complicity in the joke my cousin has played upon you."

"I am Mabel Norton, Fred's cousin, and it was he who pointed you out to me and recommended you as the most careful of the public drivers. I assure you that I had no idea that he was playing a joke upon me."

"It is all right," said Carton, "I was playing a joke upon you, you see? I had no business to do it, but well," he went on, "I thought that maybe—after a while—I might be able to tell

you that you were my guest and not my fare. Anyway—perhaps—well, I hope your mother enjoyed the ride."

After that things progressed favorably. Following the first trip, Carton's automobile was at the door of 274 every pleasant afternoon. It was in the automobile, indeed, that she promised to become Mrs. Carton, and they have decided upon an automobile trip for the honeymoon. Fred Howell has already ordered a new twenty-four horsepower machine as a wedding present, but Mabel declares that she prefers the one in which her lover earned his first fare. Carton agrees with her, but he spells it f-a-i-r. JAMES ANDERSON.

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## LOSSES OF FARMERS BY CUT WORMS REACH MANY THOUSANDS.

## JACKSON HAS A WALKING CLUB COMPOSED OF LADIES ONLY.

## PERE MARQUETTE ENGINE ON PASSENGER TRAIN GOES IN DITCH.

## Ex-Senator McGinley Dead.

Death, caused by pneumonia, came suddenly to ex-State Senator Chas. H. McGinley, who passed away at a little resort in the Adirondack mountains near where he was born and raised and where he was spending the summer with his wife and daughter. Senator McGinley has been a figure in Detroit politics and in the criminal law practice since he moved there at the close of the legislative session of 1895. Before that he was active in the politics of the Thumb, and was twice elected to the senate from Minden City, serving in the sessions of 1893 and 1895. He was born in New York in 1856, was married at Hague, N. Y., to Miss Effie Harrison in 1876, and soon afterwards came to Michigan, locating first at Forresterville, where he ran a drug store while he studied law, being admitted to the bar and removing to Minden City in 1879. He was a member of the Odd Fellows, the Masons, the Maccabees and the Knights of Pythias.

## P. M. Engine in Ditch.

The engine of the regular Pere Marquette passenger train for Saginaw, leaving Bay City at 8:40 a. m., left the rails four miles south of the latter city while going at a rate of about forty miles an hour, and Engineer Alex. Neiderstadt, one of the oldest employes of the Pere Marquette, was killed. Fireman John H. Quirk, of Saginaw, was slightly injured. The regular train from Saginaw arrived half an hour later and passengers were transferred. The body of Neiderstadt was taken to Saginaw, where his home was. A woman in one of the coaches was severely injured by being thrown against the back of a seat, but she was taken from the train by friends and the railroad officials were unable to learn her name. How Quirk escaped death is a marvel, but he did. He absolutely refuses to talk about the accident.

## Alma Collegians Suffer Typhoid.

The sudden and serious illness of about a dozen students and professors of Alma College, all having been brought low with typhoid fever, has caused physicians to investigate the cause of such a remarkable occurrence during the past few days. During the investigations the perplexity was deepened by the report from students at their homes throughout the state that many more were victims of the epidemic. The fact that all have fallen ill at about the same time has led the doctors to pronounce the disease the result of the commencement dinner at the college, at which 250 people were present. The ice cream may have been polluted with the deadly germs. Students at Princeton and elsewhere, who were visiting their alma mater at the time, have not escaped the workings of the pest-germs.

## Jackson's Walkers.

Jackson probably has the first ladies' walking club organized in the United States—the Sunshine Walking club—which is certainly the only uniformed ladies' walking club. It was organized last November and has 30 members in Jackson and three in Bay City. Mrs. Patrick O'Connor, the enthusiastic president, was the winner of a silver loving cup in the races held here recently. From former delicate health, Mrs. O'Connor has grown to be a healthy young woman, which she ascribes directly to the systematic outdoor exercise which she has taken. The club uniform is a short blue skirt, white shirt waist and blue cap, the club flower pink carnation, the colors pink and white.

## The Cut Worm Ravages.

The farmers of Muskegon county seem to have fought the army cut worm till they have conquered the pest for this season and it has done at least \$25,000 damage to the crops. Eggleston, Moorland, Sullivan and Ravenna townships, lying along low lands, have been touched and mint, corn, hay and nearly all the green stuff lying in the path of the small white army worm have been nipped off at the roots. Not in 25 years has such destruction been known. Coming close on the heels of the cloudburst of a month ago, Muskegon county farmers are despondent and find crops nearly all ruined.

## P. M. Bridge Down.

The high bridge of the Pere Marquette railroad over Rabbit river collapsed as a freight train was passing over. The locomotive and two cars passing over in safety, but two cars loaded with gravel crashed through and lie in the river. The balance of the train remained on the north end of the bridge.

## STATE BRIEFS.

Clarence Vanderbeck, of Shepherd, aged 9, hit a dynamite cap with a hammer and he is minus one eye now.

The body of Arthur Walker, who was drowned last fall, was washed ashore south of Lexington Friday.

Application to the work of perfecting a patent beet puller has driven Nelson H. Hill, of Lansing, violently insane.

Mrs. Alfred Gifford, of Flint township, fell over a piece of carpet and sustained a broken hip. Her condition is serious.

George Hopkins caught 147 turtles in a small lake on his farm near Coldwater and received over \$100 for them in Chicago.

An insane man, half clad, was captured between Menominee and Iron Mountain. No one knows who he is or where he came from.

On the occasion of the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne, Wednesday, 5,000 Orangemen were entertained in Sault Ste. Marie. The parade was a mile long.

Monroe council has voted down a resolution for a special election to vote on bonding the city for \$65,000 for building a trunk sewer on the south side.

The Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette railway, and the Cleveland Cliffs Iron Co. have sold 60,000 acres of land to the Upper Peninsula Land Co., of Detroit, for \$75,000.

Bert Keiser is under arrest at Battle Creek charged with abandoning his 12-year-old daughter. Keiser formerly lived in Athens, and his wife died in the Kalamazoo asylum.

George E. Wood, a well known lumberman of the middle west, former owner of large timber holdings and a saw mill in Muskegon's halcyon days, is dead at Chicago.

Mrs. Sarah M. Hand and her daughter, Mrs. Charles S. Thompson, of Grand Rapids, died within an hour of each other. Mrs. Hand was 74 and Mrs. Thompson 50 years of age.

Elaborate arrangements are being made for the good roads convention in Port Huron August 29, 30, 31. A feature of the convention will be a display of 500 automobiles.

Dr. Ames Bartow, of Michigan, told the National Children's Home society, in annual conference at St. Paul, that there are really no bad boys, but that some boys are misunderstood.

Battle Creek police have ceased investigating the origin of the fire that burned the sanitarium barns last week, because Dr. Kellogg says the fire must have originated accidentally.

The ladies omitted to exercise their privilege of voting at the election for school trustees at Midland, and, as a consequence, there was little interest in the result. Last year 50 ladies voted.

While playing with a pistol that he did not know was loaded, Bennie Roberts, the 9-year-old son of Rev. Roberts, of the Third Reformed church, Kalamazoo, was shot through the hand.

The Lansing Arbeiter society entertained several hundred guests from other cities at the dedication of their new hall. Charles Werner, of Detroit, president of the state society, made an address.

Col. C. V. R. Pond, superintendent of rural free delivery for Michigan, after a conference with the postmasters and carriers of the county, said that Shiassee will be given solid rural delivery.

Charles Miller, an aged man from Mass City, fell under a moving train at Wausaukee, had the toes of one foot severed, one ear cut off, his nose broken and was otherwise injured. He may die.

Richard R. Thompson, secretary for the past two years of the University Christian association, Ann Arbor, has resigned and will enter the Union Theological Seminary in New York next fall.

At a conference on Monday the differences in the management of the Manistiquette, Marquette & Northern railway were settled, and the old board of directors will continue to serve for the present.

Engine No. 752, on the Lake Shore, was derailed and tipped over at Jonesville. Engineer and fireman crawled out uninjured. The whistling of the engine drew a crowd of 300 or 400 in a few minutes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, well-to-do Williams township farmers, have been married 45 years and in 22 years of this time they were parents of 22 children, with no twins. Twenty of the 22 are now living.

Mrs. Adolph Vastrou of Lapeer sustained two broken ribs and serious internal injuries by being thrown from a buggy. Her babe was picked up for dead, but recovered. Three other children were slightly injured.

Dus-Kew-Rera is the name of a new association that has just filed articles of incorporation and will establish a big summer resort at Long Point, Muskegon county, Chicago and Minneapolis capitalists are the stockholders.

The board of county auditors of Ann Arbor had smallpox bills amounting to \$1,500, but are holding up part of them, on the grounds that each village should bear its own expense in the matter of fumigation. Advice is being awaited from state officials.

It is a very unusual proceeding to pray for rain to stop, but special services for that purpose were held at St. Augustine's Catholic church, at Kalamazoo. One of the finest hay crops in the history of this section of the state has been completely ruined by wet weather.

## SYSTEM THAT DIDN'T WORK

### Fatal Flaw in Young Man's Scheme for Remembering Names and Faces

Some of the feats in remembering names and faces of persons only seen once performed by bank clerks and persons in similar positions are astonishing, but it is a fact that very few of them owe this faculty to any of the artificial systems of mnemonics so widely advertised. Either the gift is a natural one or is acquired at the expense of much hard work.

The cashier of a downtown bank who is noted for his memory for names and faces got talking the other day about his faculty and confessed that it had been acquired with much labor.

"When I was a young fellow," he said, "I was secretary to the president of a New Jersey bank, and I made up my mind that a good memory for names and faces would be a valuable asset, and set to work to supply what nature had not given me. I invested \$50 in an elaborate system of mnemonics, and the first opportunity I had to use it was when my employer

sent me to a hardware store on a personal errand.

"My system consisted in associating the man in my mind with some simple article connected with his trade and prefixing or suffixing a letter or more as necessary. For instance, Sanders the grocer would be associated in my mind with sand, and I would of course remember to add the three letters needed to form his name.

"Well, I framed up a plan on this system to remember the hardware man's name, and in two weeks I came back again. My system was working beautifully. I walked in as brisk as you please and hailed my friend.

"How are you, Mr. Snalls?" I said. "Something in the man's face made me fear that there had been a slip somewhere. 'Are you not Mr. Snalls?' I asked.

"Young man," he said, "you are too blamed fresh. My name is Stacks."

## GREAT SCHEME THAT FAILED

### Uncle Joe's Brilliant Idea to Escape Conscripted Foiled by Stupidity of Medical Agents

"Speaking of conscripts," said the sailor, as he laid down a book on Russia, "did I ever tell you about my Uncle Joe?"

"Well, Uncle Joe, in the time of the Civil War, had a friend named Hiram Haines. Hiram was conscripted, but when he came to take the medical examination, he didn't pass. The doctors said he was no good for a soldier. They said he wasn't strong enough to fight.

"Hiram told Uncle Joe about this, and Uncle Joe said, after thinking a little while:

"'Look a-here, Hi, I'm conscripted, too, and my examination is set for next Thursday. What's the matter with you taking it in my name? I'd pass sure, if I took it myself, for I'm as strong as an ox. But if you took it for me, fakin', you know, why I'd get off.'

### Scott and the Simple Life.

Sir Walter Scott was an outdoors man, as he had been a tramping boy, says McClure's. It is impossible to think of him without his horses and dogs. His duties as sheriff took him across country continually, and he always had more months out of Edinburgh than in it, notwithstanding his court clerkship. He was thus in constant contact with Scotch life and country, and he never lost or relaxed his first impulse to know and see with his eyes, so far as eyes

"But the risk," says Hiram. "Think of the risk, Joe. Oh, by Jimmy, no, I couldn't do it."

"There ain't no risk," says Uncle Joe. "In these confused times, with the army doctors examinin' thousands of conscripts a day, there ain't no risk whatever. Come on, Hiram. Oblige me. I'll give you \$200 if you do."

"Such a lump of money as that brought Hiram to terms. He said he'd take the examination in Uncle Joe's name, and sure enough, he done it, first gettin' his pay in advance. He wasn't detected, either. But, by jingo, this time the doctors passed him. This time they declared him sound in wind and limb, and the makin' of a first-rate soldier.

"That is why Uncle Joe has been so down on war all his life. He lost, you see, \$200, and had to fight four years."

could see it, all the local history. He was also in love with the genius of Scotland as it was stamped in the people of all sorts and conditions. Human nature, the rough, hard article free from its alloy of the town, was treasure trove to him. On those annual "raids into Liddesdale," and on many another journey, he made himself master of this book of truth out of which came so much of the character, anecdote and phrase that are most sterling, real and humorous in his books.

## GEORGIA SAYINGS.

Every man thinks that judgment day is so far away he wouldn't be in any hurry about repenting.

Let us continue, to hope for the best, and, some of these days, we may find a little time to work for it.

The best operation is as nothing to the song of the man who whistles on the highway to good times.

When a man doesn't smoke generally his wife has a good reason for it.

A man acts as proud over holding the last trump as if he had invented cards.

Girls would never wear low shoes if it weren't for the ribbons or buckles on them.

It takes a good deal of sense not to make people say you think you have more than you have.

It is always safe to flatter anybody; even if it makes him suspicious of your purpose he believes you.

It is no use trying to pretend you are a hero when you step on a collar button with your bare foot.

Graduating exercises are easy for girls because the audience judges how well they have done by how pretty they look.

There never was a woman who didn't say a piece of jewelry she has cost more than it did and a hat less. —New York Press.

### THE MILCREEK PHILOSOPHER.

Force in assertion often passes for force in facts.

Enthusiasm is the tribute deferred; hope pays to a losing nine.

The modern reading is: "Trust in God and keep your torpedo boats in action."

The hand that rocked the cradle is now the hand that goes to the mothers' congress.

On the question of the evil of tainted donations, can it be said that Rockefeller is the root of money?

Statistics seem to show that it is better to have loved and been divorced than never to have had a proposal. —Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

It's pretty hard for the rock-ribbed old Democrat who named his son after Andy Jackson, to see the young fellow walk up and vote the Republican ticket.

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# THE MISSING MAN

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## CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

"Them curtains will be in the wash-tub a Monday, though 'tain't a great while sence I washed 'em; but I will keep neat if I don't do nothin' else. See, here's his brush, with a few hairs sticking to it," and she held up one for the inspection of Mrs. Hamilton, who sat spellbound, it seemed to Mrs. Fry. What was the cause? She knew many months later, but not then. "There ain't no light color to the roots on't," said Mrs. Fry, striving to attract her regard.

No, there was not. The hair showed no indication of having been colored. "Perhaps he attends to it every day," said Mrs. Hamilton, arousing herself and shaking off the occult influences of the room.

"Well, then, the hair dye must be 'round handy. Shall I look in the trunk? The lock is broke, I see."

But Mrs. Hamilton stood looking out the window and apparently did not hear her, for she did not reply. Mr. Fry lifted the cover and began to rummage the trunk.

"Not a thing here that would color a rat's whiskers," she said. "You look."

"Oh, no," said Constance, shrinking. "You are right, I presume."

"Well, here's one of them marked shirts I told you about. Ain't that H. A.?"

Constance came eagerly forward and looked at the initials put on with indelible ink.

"Yes, you are right. The letters are H. A. If they indicate his name it can't be Primus Edes."

"Wall, you see there ain't no dye-stuff in the room, an' do signs of none," said Mrs. Fry, straightening the room a little preparatory to leaving it. "Do you want to look any more?"

"No," said Constance, rising from her seat at the window as if to follow her from the room. But as she passed the bureau she deftly extracted from the hair-brush the few strands that clung there, and with them hidden in

"You may count on Mr. Hawkes opinion as reliable," said Mr. Hollis. "Is it what you expected to learn?"

"Hardly. I suspect the one who sent it to me thought it might be colored," replied Swan.

The detective answered Mrs. Hamilton's inquiries in person and he could see she was relieved somewhat when she learned what Hawkes had said. Indeed, she told him so. At his request she told him the few facts she had learned regarding Primus Edes, which, however, did not appear to impress him much until the matter of the marked shirts came up.

"I suspect such things—always did," he said, "for I never knew people of the sort to count in a suspected person. Guilty people, or those with anything to conceal, don't give one name and carry about articles of clothing marked with contradictory initials."

"I should think your reasoning good," said Constance, much impressed. "Perhaps Dan Fry is right in thinking that some one gave him the articles."

"I will find out if I can," said the detective. And he did to his own satisfaction that very day, for he learned that Dan had asked the question already, and been answered to all appearances truthfully. "A stranger gave them to him," he said.

"He is a harmless person, you can see that," said Swan, "and an ignorant one. Dan Fry says he cannot write nor read, but is anxious to learn. I saw a copy that Dan wrote for him and the fellow tried to follow. Here it is. All capitals! Down here he has put some of the letters together. C-O-N-

Your name, as I live, Mrs. Hamilton, I remember you signed your letter Constance Hamilton."

"Yes," said Constance, woefully ashamed of the miserable scrawl which told so much to the keen-eyed detective.

"He is evidently trying to learn how to write your name first of all," and he looked at her hesitatingly. "Do you think—may I ask—"

mother, and he hurries me to school 'so I won't be late." Incontestable proofs to Perley, but not to his mother, though she could not think wholly ill of him. Indeed, the time was coming when she was to feel inexpressibly grateful to him.

One day Perley did not return as usual from school, and for some time his mother was not alarmed, as she supposed he had called to see his friend Edes, but by six o'clock Mrs. Hamilton experienced a sudden thrill of fear that he had not returned.

She went to the mill at once and to her uncle's office, but he had not seen Perley.

"Where does Mr. Edes work, the one who boards at Mrs. Fry's? Perley may be with him."

"Edes? Oh, he takes away from the saw. I will go with you."

It was the first time she had ever spoken to him, she thought, for all this wild questioning of her heart and of other people. But it was but for an instant this occurred to her, for she was not a little alarmed about Perley.

"I will go out and hunt him up," he said, putting on his coat that lay near on a pile of shavings. "I saw him this morning, not since then."

"Oh, if he should have fallen into the water!" cried Constance. "Have you any idea where he can be?"

"No, but I will find him," he said, confidently. "I will find him."

Mr. Carter looked at him in some surprise. "Well, I hope you can get him home before nightfall. He may be somewhere in the neighborhood with the other children."

Inquiries were made through the village, but no trace of the little fellow could be found. Nothing had been seen of him since he stood in the yard at the close of school; but one little girl professed to have heard him say he was going after beechnuts. With this clue a company of men and boys at nightfall started to scour the woods with lanterns and torches. Constance, nearly frenzied by this time, sat with tightly clenched hands, listening for any sound she might hear from the direction of the woods. Clare had cried herself to sleep on the sofa, and Mr. Carter walked nervously about the yard and down to the edge of the woods a score of times.

"I wonder where Edes went. I didn't see him with the men," he said to Constance.

"Did you not?" she asked, lifting a white face to his for a moment. "He seemed confident he could find Perley, uncle."

"So he did. Constance. Well, the night is warm, and Perley won't be apt to suffer much except in his feelings," said Mr. Carter as cheerfully as he could.

"Oh, but my baby out in the dark woods all alone!" and a rush of tears checked her words.

Mr. Carter choked at the thought and started off again down the street, this time followed by Constance, who fancied she saw lights coming toward the village.

Yes, lights, and shouts, and cheers. "They have found him," cried Mr. Carter, hurrying away, and Constance, faint with sudden joy, though she almost feared to give it room, was forced to loiter for a moment.

Not many rods away now came the tramp of forty men and boys who held their torches high above their heads and made the village ring with a prolonged shout as soon as they left the woods and entered it. Mrs. Hamilton, with wildly beating heart, was at the entrance to the bridge, made darker by the flashing torches beyond its range. As she entered it she saw far away a man with something in his arms, who no sooner saw Mrs. Hamilton than he said, in a voice so overcharged with feeling that it vibrated upon her nerves like an electric shock, "I found him. I knew I should. He lay fast asleep with his head on his arm, in a hollow shut in by tall trees. But I found him."

"Oh, thank you, thank you! My baby, my baby!" taking the boy, still sleepy, into her arms and covering his face with kisses. "Poor little darling, to get lost!"

"No one could find him but me," said the man again, with his childlike air, as if longing to be praised again and again, an air strangely at variance with his thought-seamed brow and well shaped head.

After this, it was impossible to one of so grateful, a disposition as Constance to be unmindful of Primus Edes. She felt that he had a claim on her kindness which it was a pleasure as well as a duty to requite.

With one so absent-minded it would be easy, she fancied, to make changes in his surroundings which he would never notice except in a vague way, or suspect that they came through her. By gradual evolution, therefore, his room at Mrs. Fry's came to wear the dainty look that white drapery, pictures and books could give it. Next, as cool weather approached, a stove mysteriously found its way there, and a comfortable dressing gown or loose coat, if he chose to call it that, was found hanging in the closet.

(To be continued.)

"It's easier to criticize people than it is to appreciate them."

# CZAR AT PETERHOF

## THE CZAR'S UNHAPPY LIFE IN A GLOOMY PALACE OF PETERHOFF.

### NO ONE ALLOWED TO COME NEAR THE UNINVITING PLACE.

### THE NEW PEACE ENVOY AND HIS FITNESS FOR THE MISSION.

Nicholas II. is at Peterhof, on the Gulf of Finland. An angular, ugly tower, painted muddy yellow, topped by an eagle-crowned flagstaff, is all that can be seen of his abode. All that can be seen of his court is an unromantic individual in shirtsleeves, brushing his hair before a looking glass in the tower window. It needs keen eyes and a field glass to see even these. The shore at Peterhof is muddy, stone strewn, flat and overgrown with weeds. To bathe one must go several hundred yards from the shore. Straight in front of the palace, running half a mile into the sea, is a flimsy wooden pier, and on this pier—one at the end and one half way along—are two blue-roofed bathing boxes used by the czar's immediate family. From the shore the whole process can be seen; and Peterhof takes advantage of the occasion by crowding to the waters' edge and exclaiming excitedly when the late grand duchesses trot along the pier to the nearest bathing box.

The precautions taken for the czar's safety are wonderful. Workmen whose antecedents are unknown are not allowed to settle either in old or new Peterhof. The names of all prospective lodgers or boarders must first be submitted to the police. For nearly a quarter of a mile along the west wall of the park trees and shrubs have been cut down in order to give the sentries a clear line of vision and thus it will be impossible for marauders to climb the walls.

Between the palace and the vast brick barracks to the northwest telephone wires have been set up. Every day stories are circulated as to innocent interlopers being shot by grenadiers or sabred by Cossacks.

### Destruction of Karsakorsk.

An eye-witness of the Japanese bombardment of Karsakorsk wires that the Russian forts were silenced on July 7, after the exchange of a very few shots. The piers, warehouses and other buildings were set on fire and the conflagration was reflected by the foggy atmosphere, converting the sky into one mass of blood red color. The Japanese army landed amidst the fire, which was fast spreading to the forts. The infantry quickly captured the forts, from the tops of which the bewildered inhabitants were seen fleeing in every direction, carrying what property they could remove. The fires were not subdued for over 48 hours.

The sunken cruiser Novik, which was destroyed by the Japanese at Karsakorsk last August, and the ruined town and forts are sad witnesses of the rapidity with which destruction is wrought in modern warfare.

### Jap Peace Envoys' Route.

President James J. Hill, of the Great Northern railway, is personally arranging the itinerary for the Japanese peace plenipotentiaries, in their journey from Seattle to Washington. The party, which is headed by Baron Kuroki, will arrive at Seattle on the steamer Minnesota July 29. They will travel eastward over the Great Northern to Duluth, where they will embark on the steamer Northwest for Buffalo, via the great lakes. At Buffalo the party will be taken by the Pennsylvania railway to Washington, arriving there early in August.

### Manipulation of Statistics.

Secretary Wilson has begun an inquiry into the question of the alleged manipulation of tobacco crop statistics in the interests of the trust. Pending the investigation the publication of the tobacco statistics of the several districts will be held up, although the regular monthly figures by states will be given out.

### NEWS IN BRIEF.

The cost of living, according to the latest bulletin issued by the bureau of labor, is more than twice as much as it was in 1890.

Cloudburst near Petersburg, Ind., leveled hills. In one case a hill was leveled into a valley covering a 20-acre field of oats with three feet of new soil.

The "System" will get a short rest, Tom Lawson's throat being so sore after his Topeka, Kan., speech that a physician there ordered him to be quiet for a few days.

Orin Steinberger, aged 40, an artist of Urbana, O., says he has been entirely cured of consumption by living like his simian ancestors in the branches of a spreading tree.

Peary's Arctic ship Roosevelt tried to sail from Portland, Me., without the usual clearance papers, and a fine of \$500 was imposed by government officials. The Peary Arctic club makes a strenuous kick.

## DISFIGURING ULCER

People Looked at Her in Amusement—Pronounced Incurable—Face Now Clear as Ever—Thanks God for Cuticura.

Mrs. P. Hackett, of 400 Van Buren St., Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I wish to give thanks for the marvelous cure of my mother by Cuticura. She had a severe ulcer, which physicians had pronounced incurable. It was a terrible disfigurement, and people would stand in amazement and look after her. After there was no hope from doctors she began using Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, and now, thank God, she is completely cured, and her face is as smooth and clear as ever."

### DOG INCAPABLE OF DECEIT.

Nature Such That He Cannot Hide His Emotions.

"There is one peculiar thing about dogs," remarked a well known local fancier and huntsman, "and that is you never saw one pant and wag his tail at the same time. A dog is not capable of a double emotion. He can't growl and wag his tail at the same time, for it is impossible for him to be mad at one end and glad at the other.

"If a dog is glad to see his master he will bark and wag his tail. If he wants to get into the house he will paw at the door, whine and wag his tail, but they are all symptoms of one and the same emotion. But if his master opens the door he will cease to show anxiety immediately by whining and will show pleasure only by the wagging of his tail.

"In order to get a man's temper one must watch his eyes, but for a dog's you have to watch his tail. The dog is likewise incapable of deceit and hence he is nothing of a politician. He deceives no one, not even his master. If he is overjoyed every emotion is indicative of that fact, and his whole makeup gives ample testimony to it. If he is displeased or angered it is the same way."—Houston Post

### Overcomes Obstacle in Plating.

A Brussels chemist is stated to have succeeded in overcoming the obstacles to covering with silver and gold plating lace, embroidery, fine wood carving and other non-conducting articles.

### To Make Barley Water.

Barley water is simply made; wash half a cup of pearl barley and place in a saucepan with two quarts of water. Boil it for two hours until the barley is perfectly soft, stirring it and skimming it occasionally, strain it before using. This may be sweetened and flavored with lemon juice.

### FROM SAME BOX

#### Where the Foods Come From.

"Look here, waiter, honest now, don't you dip every one of these flaked breakfast foods out of the same box?" "Well, yes, boss, we duz, all 'cept Grape-Nuts, cause that don't look like the others and people know 'zackly what Grape-Nuts looks like. But there's 'bout a dozen different ones named on the bill of fare and they are all thin rolled flakes so it don't make any difference which one a man calls for, we just take out the order from one box."

This talk led to an investigation. Dozens of factories sprung up about three years ago, making various kinds of breakfast foods, seeking to take the business of the original prepared breakfast food—Grape-Nuts. These concerns after a precarious existence, nearly all failed, leaving thousands of boxes of their foods in mills and warehouses. These were in several instances bought up for a song by speculators and sold out to grocers and hotels for little or nothing. The process of working off this old stock has been slow. One will see the names on menus of flaked foods that went out of business a year and a half or two years ago. In a few cases where the abandoned factories have been bought up, there is an effort to resuscitate the defunct, and by copying the style of advertising of Grape-Nuts, seek to influence people to purchase. But the public has been educated to the fact that all these thin flaked foods are simply soaked wheat or oats rolled thin and dried out and packed. They are not prepared like Grape-Nuts, in which the thorough baking and other operations which turn the starch part of the wheat and barley into sugar, occupy many hours and result in a food so digestible that small infants thrive on it, while it also contains the selected elements of Phosphate of Potash and Albumen that unite in the body to produce the soft gray substance in brain and nerve centers. There's a reason for Grape-Nuts, and there have been many imitations, a few of the article itself, but many more of the kind and character of the advertising. Imitators are always counterfeiters and their printed and written statements cannot be expected to be different than their goods.

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Yes, lights and shouts and cheers.

her hand went down into the sitting room, as she thought, unobserved; but Mrs. Fry had seen the act as she chanced to glance back, and wondered.

Mrs. Hamilton's first act after returning home and removing her wraps was to write to Swan and send him the three strands of hair, neatly gummed to a paper.

"The hair," she wrote, "was combed from the head of a person resembling my husband in some respects. Do not mistake me. I do not believe the man to be Mr. Hamilton, but I wish to know that he is not. Please submit the hair to a specialist in such matters, if such a one can be found, and learn whether it has ever been dyed."

Swan knew of no specialist in such matters, but he felt convinced that a practiced dealer in human hair might give him points of elucidation. Accordingly he went to the large establishment of Springer & Hollis on Washington street, Boston, and as it chanced was fortunate enough to see Mr. Hollis and state his errand to him. "There is one person in this building on whose judgment you may rely, Ambrose, tell Mr. Hawkes to step this way."

In a moment a quiet, gentlemanly individual made his way toward them. Mr. Hollis showed him the strands of hair, after introducing the detective and stating his errand.

Mr. Hawkes took it and disappeared with it for a few moments. When he handed it back to Swan the detective fancied it to be slightly wet.

"Well," said he, interrogatively. "It has never been colored. It is the natural shade."

"Ask what you wish," she answered with an effort.

"Then perhaps you will tell me whether he seems to regard you with more than ordinary interest?"

"I am afraid he does," and Mrs. Hamilton mentioned the fact of his having watched her house many times, but forbore to speak of his glances at church, though not that he had touched her little girl's hair.

Swan smiled a little, but looked puzzled.

"I should dismiss the matter from my thoughts if I were you, madam," he said, after a little thought. "This man evidently has no connection with the subject of your husband's disappearance. He has seen you and admired you, that is all."

A simple solution of a great mystery, thought Constance, if only she could believe it. It looked plausible after she had thought of it awhile, and she was indignant with herself that she had allowed so slight a matter to ruffle her, when she was already borne down by such heavy burdens.

Primus Edes did not come to her house now. She never saw him except at church, and then he did not glance at her. But he did at Perley, and one Sabbath the boy surprised her by leaving her side and walking off with Primus Edes. When reprimanded by his mother he only said:

"Oh, I know him. I've seen him lots, and I like him. He has made me a kite, and now he's at work on a ship for me."

"But is he a good man, Perley?" asked she, seriously.

"Oh, yes. He says I must mind my



### CHILSON

Frieda Dammann is on the sick list.

Henry Gebringer Sundayed in Howell as usual.

Mrs. Donna Mercer and Blongia Larkin spent Sunday at Lakeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Howell called on her brother Albert Smith and family the forepart of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Docking, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dammann and Mr. and Mrs. F. Dammann of Hamburg spent Sunday at H. Dammann's.

Alden Carpenter left Thursday of last week for Denver, Colorado, to return with his daughter Mrs. C. Fisher who went there in the spring with hopes of regaining her health but has instead rapidly failed and is at present very low. They are expected back about Thursday.

### WEST PUTNAM

Irvin Kennedy of Chelsea was home over Sunday.

Miss Joie Harris of Ypsilanti was home over Sunday.

Mrs. VanBlarcum of Howell is visiting her son Bert of this place.

Mrs. Anna Barton of Howell spent the week with her sister Mrs. Wm. Doyle.

Edwin Woodard of South Lyon visited at Mrs. L. B. White's the first of the week.

Frances Kelley of Chelsea visited relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Casper Volmer has been entertaining his brother George and family of Ohio, this week.

The Misses Alice and Jennie McGinness of Dexter spent last week with Miss Fannie Monks.

### PLAINFIELD

E. N. Bradley visited his sisters here last Sunday.

Farmers are at last rejoicing over the good haying weather.

E. L. Topping and family left last Monday for a visit in N. York.

Mrs. W. Watters has been under the Doctor's care since Saturday night.

John Longnecker helped his father do his haying last week but is back in Topping's store now.

Lottie Bradley visited Mrs. F. L. Wright last Saturday. Mrs. W. has been sick nearly two weeks.

### ANDERSON

Grace Furgason of Flint is visiting Gladys Daley.

Mollie Wilson is home from Big Rapids for a vacation.

John Dinkel of Plymouth spent Sunday under the parental roof.

The Big Four of Anderson will serve ice cream at the store Saturday night.

Mrs. Julia Pangborn has gone for a few days visit with relatives at Lakeland and Howell.

Mrs. Eugene Smith, daughter Flossie and Mrs. Hattie Stephenson visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps of Stockbridge Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Galway returned to her home in Lansing Friday after spending a couple of weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hoff.

Several from this place expect to attend the wedding of Lucius Wilson formerly of this place and Lillie Pope of Detroit Wednesday evening.

**BANNER SALVE**  
The most healing salve in the world.

**The Mantlepiece Bottle Experiment.**  
You find yourself on a picnic perhaps without a corkscrew and with a lot of bottles, all of them with corks in them. Hardly anybody knows what to do. The solution of the difficulty is, however, it seems, perfectly simple: "Place the bottle, cork downward, upon the edge of an ordinary mantlepiece, readying it, of course, with the hand. Then with a slight impulse turn it so that it falls upon the ground on its base. Pick it up, and you will find that the cork has started. It is sometimes necessary to repeat the operation before the cork can be withdrawn with the fingers. A first experiment with a full bottle of water tightly corked is advisable. A fall direct from that height will have no desirable result." The present writer can testify to the efficacy of this "minor art." He had, it is true, to arrange his picnic in an ordinary room so as to have the mantlepiece handy. But there was no difficulty after turning the bottle on its base, "with a slight impulse," in extracting the cork from the ruins. There was no need to repeat the operation.—London Spectator.

### May Weddings.

May weddings are supposed by many persons to be unlucky. It is a heritage from the ancient Romans. A May bride, says Ovid, is short lived, his explanation being that the month included the celebration of the Lemuria in honor of the dead. Apart from any evil omen, such a time of mourning would interfere with the bathing and toilet arrangements that were proper preliminaries to weddings. Plutarch suggests that, as April was the month of Venus and June that of Juno, to select May was to slight those nuptial goddesses and that June, as the month of the young (juniores), was preferable to May, the month of the old (majores). Ovid's "Mense maias-mais-nubere vulgus ait" (there is a popular saying that wicked women wed in May) was inscribed on the gate of Holyrood when Mary, queen of Scots, married Bothwell in May, 1567. What followed strengthened Scottish belief in May's unluckiness.

### The Term "Crony."

Every one uses the term "crony" in the sense of "chum" or "pal," and the phrase "old cronies" has become specially familiar, but it is doubtful whether the original word bore any reference to friendship. The new English dictionary puts down its origin to academic slang and quotes the immortal Pepys for the earliest instances of its use. Quite recently, however, an old letter of a still earlier date has come to light, in which a scholar is described as "content to destroy his body with night labors and everlasting study to overtake his chronyles and contemporaries." From this it would seem clear that the word was a bit of university jargon, used to denote students of the same date and coined from the Greek word that appears in the terms "chronology," "chronometer," "chronograph," that are connected with time.

### Sheridan's Trap.

Any interruption while he was making a speech always caused Richard Brinsley Sheridan considerable annoyance. On one occasion the dramatist showed his displeasure of a fellow member of the house of commons who kept crying out "Hear, hear" every few minutes. During a certain debate Sheridan took occasion to describe a political contemporary who wished to play rogue, but had only sense enough to act fool. "Where," exclaimed he, with great emphasis—"where shall we find a more foolish knave or a more knavish fool than he?" "Hear, hear," was shouted by the troublesome member.

Sheridan turned and, thanking the honorable member for the prompt information, sat down amid a general roar of laughter.

### Tactful.

Mrs. John Sherwood was as famous for her exquisite nature as for her fine style. At a dinner one night at the time when her novel "The Transplanted Rose" was having a wide circulation her neighbor turned and asked in perfect good faith the almost incredible question, "Mrs. Sherwood, do you know who wrote 'The Transplanted Rose?'" "It sounds as though it might be Hardy," laughed the gifted woman without a trace of ill nature.—Woman's Home Companion.

### The Property Man's Troubles.

The company was playing "Romeo and Juliet" the other day, and in the balcony scene a cannon went off. The property man was sent for, who explained that it was a cannon which should have gone off in the performance of "Henry V." two days before. That property man was spoken to more in sorrow than in anger.—From an Address by F. R. Benson in London.

### Unvarnished Opinions.

Artist No. 1—My landscape's absolutely ruined by a lurid portrait. Artist No. 2—Yes, the hanging's pretty slipped this year. They've put me next to the crudest thing in the show. Artist No. 3 (coming up)—Hello! I see they've hung you two chaps together!

### ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Mrs. L. Kennedy is quite poorly at this writing.

H. W. Crofoot has been entertaining his mother from Adrian the past week.

J. W. Placeway lost a good hammer the past week and would be thankful for its return.

Miss Florence Kice of Hamburg was the guest of Miss Blanch Martin a few days last week.

A building especially built for a postoffice is to be one of the additions to Milford. The government has taken it in hand.

Chas. Reason and son Claude arrived here from Pontiac, Monday, and are getting their threshing outfit ready for the seasons run.

Mrs. Almira Chapman, of Clarkson N. Y. and Mrs. Rosetta Chapman, of Syracuse N. Y., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stickle.

A card from Miss Franc Burch is dated at Cheboygan where she gives a recital, July 25. She has been spending a week at Mackinac Island.

Work has been commenced putting down a cement walk on the south side of Unadilla street in front of the residences of F. D. Johnson, E. R. Brown and R. E. Finch.

Miss Viola Gerou who has been the guest of Rev. Cope and family for the past few weeks, was called home by a telegram Wednesday, stating that her mother had been hurt.

Do not forget that the ladies of the M. E. church will serve supper at the home of Mrs. Fred Bowman on Friday of this week, from 5 until all are served. Everybody welcome.

Beginning July 1, the Detroit Times takes on the exclusive evening newspaper franchise of the Hearst News Syndicate, which adds to the efficient telegraph service of this paper the splendid news-gathering facilities of the Hearst newspapers, stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The putting in of this leased wire secures for The Times' readers the most ample and far-reaching survey of the news field of the world ever provided by a Detroit paper. The paper has made an excellent showing the past six months.

As we go to press we learn that Mike Farley is under the Doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sharpey of Dexter spent Sunday at J. D. White's.

Assessment No. 79 is now due and must be paid before July 31st.  
Cora Wright F. K.  
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### A Chance for Someone

An examination will be held at Pontiac, Michigan on or before the first of next September for the purpose of naming a Principal and two Alternates with a view of selecting a Cadet to the U. S. Military Academy for the 6th Congressional District of Michigan. The Principal and two Alternates must report at Fort Sheridan, Ill., for examination on the first of May 1906.

Each applicant must be a resident of the District and between the ages of 17 and 23 years. If you desire to take the examination, I suggest that before doing so you have a thorough physical examination with special reference to your eyes, ears and nose.

I shall be glad to have all applicants write me promptly at Pontiac, Michigan and I will send you a copy of the instructions and date of examination.  
Samuel W. Smith

### The Bargain Installment.

Mrs. Suburbs—The conductor was awfully nice coming out on the train. He gave me a double seat. Husband—But you couldn't sit on two seats. Mrs. Suburbs—No, but I was more satisfied anyway. It seemed as if I was getting more for my money.—Detroit Free Press.

### The Effect of Discipline.

"Just see how the chickens mind the old hen, Robby," said Mrs. Norris to her son. "Watch them run to her when she calls them."

"I suppose she sat on them when they were little," remarked the infant phenomenon reflectively.

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"Oh, I shouldn't mind her," said the other woman easily. "If you want revenge just look at her with one of those short waisted, pudgy daughters on either side at the assembly and not a man on the horizon."  
"M-m!" said the aggrieved one. "Yes, she does look funny; but, my dear, did you realize you said 'on either side' instead of 'on each side'?" Of course if they were on either side they'd—well, they couldn't be, you see I knew you wouldn't mind having me speak of it, for I've noticed you make that little error occasionally, and it's so easy to form a habit."

**A Proportionate Income.**  
Brush—So Pinxit is painting miniatures? How is he getting on? Palets—Oh, he's making a miniature living.—Washington Post.

### NOTICE

The village tax roll is now in my hands and I am ready to receive taxes at any time.  
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