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LOCAL NEWS.

This is quite like winter. John Dinkel has returned home from Detroit.

Gale Johnson was home from Detroit this week.

Maccabee entertainment this Friday evening—remember the date.

There is an interesting letter on page 4 from E. R. Stackable.

Dr. Harry Haze of Lansing was the guest of relatives in this place over Sunday.

Rev. A. A. Wall of Salem preached at the Cong'l church last Sunday morning and evening.

Sleigh-bells were heard in town for the first time this season, Tuesday. A little more snow now would make fine sleighing.

Mrs. Mains, who has been at the sanitarium for several weeks with her son, returned to her home in Williamston the last of last week.

The mercury went about the lowest Tuesday night of any time this winter. Some registered 8 below zero, but many were from 10 to 16 below.

Assessment No. 89 of the LOTMM is now due and must be paid before Feb. 1, 1907. Addie Placeway, F. K.

A son was born to Rev. D. C. Littlejohn and wife Tuesday night.

Mrs. Thos. Terbune of Howell is taking treatment at the sanitarium here.

The opera house managers are having the interior of the building decorated. L. E. Smith is doing the work.

The different departments of the school here have been having examinations this week so that part of the pupils have been having a vacation part of the time.

This section was visited Saturday night and Sunday by a cold wave and wind storm—in fact a regular blizzard. The only damage we learn of is the destruction of the windmills on the farms of W. H. Placeway and Thos Clark and a board blew from D. H. Mowers' woodshed through the side of C. E. Henry's residence.

A. W. Wilsey of Detroit was in town the first of the week and doctor-ed up a good many gasoline lamps. He will be here again the first of next week and install a Pitner system of lights in the office and rooms of the Dispatch. Anyone having lamps that need repairing, cleaning or need new lamps had better have them on hand at that time.

Maccabee entertainment Friday evening, January 25.

Monroe and Muskrats

EASTERN MICHIGAN PRESS CLUB BANQUET-ED IN THE HISTORIC CITY

On the invitation of the Merchant's and Manufacturers Club of Monroe, the Eastern Michigan Press Club enjoyed a trip to that historic city, on Friday last, the occasion of their regular mid-winter meeting. About 150 editors, with their wives, daughters or sweethearts, were present and passed very pleasant and profitable afternoon and evening.

Outside of those who have made history a study, are probably none who realize that Monroe was one of the first places settled in this state. It is noted the state over, and in fact in several other states, as a "nursery city" and well it may be, for there is but few if any other places in the United States where there are larger or better nurseries.

The Press Club were the guests of the D. U. R. from Detroit to Monroe, a special car being placed at their disposal by the company. They left Detroit at 12-15 and arrived in Monroe at about 2 o'clock, where they were taken in tow by the reception committee and given a souvenir ribbon, with a real Indian arrow attached. Twenty carriages were at once provided for and a trip was made through the town. A. B. Bragdon, Jr. of the Record-Commercial, was everywhere present to see that every member of the Press Club enjoyed themselves.

The first stop was made at the home of General Custer at Monroe and Second street, and in which the party was deeply interested; the Monroe Foundry & Furnace Co., where souvenirs were distributed; Memorial place where the state erected a monument for the brave Kentucky soldiers who fell at the massacre of the Raisin, 1813; Altenheim institute, erected for aged Lutheran people; the homestead of Col. Francis Navarro, where Gen. Winchester is thought to have taken refuge after the massacre; the Monroe Stone Co., where a battery blast was arranged and discharged and 50 car loads of stone was released.

One of the interesting places visited was the large paper and cardboard factory where, not only the cardboard is made but the same is made up into boxes of every description all printed ready for the articles they are to contain. A visit was also made to the store rooms of Ilgenfritz Son's nursery where the ladies were given

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Farmers' Institutes

There are to be four one day institutes held in this county in February with speakers from the state to assist the local talent. Dates and places as follows:

- Feb. 8, Cong'l church, Tyrone.
- Feb. 9, opera house, Brighton.
- Feb. 11, Oak Grove.
- Feb. 12, Parker's Corners, Iosco.

The regular round-up of institutes for the county, at court house in Howell, Feb. 19 and 20.

M. E. Church Notes.

There was the usual services Sunday morning but owing to the severe weather and wind not a very large number were out. The weather continued so bad in the evening that there was no service.

The attendance at Sunday school was the smallest in months—48. The lessons in the Old Testament are proving very interesting.

The second quarterly conference will be held Saturday evening, Feb. 2, when a good attendance is desired.

The special services are still being continued and much good is resulting. Miss Minnie Best, of Detroit, is here this week assisting with her excellent voice. She will be remembered by all as she was here several weeks last winter and made many friends.

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Attention Maccabees

AND ALL OTHER BEES

The largest swarm of bees in the County will be found at the Pinckney Opera House, Friday evening, when Finney's Colored Orchestra, of Detroit, with seven pieces of music, will capture the whole bunch, not even one will try to escape. It will be wonderful how easy it can be done. Come and see for yourselves.

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January 1, 1907

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"I had the care of the best doctor in town but became so better until a friend told me one day how she had been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to try them. I soon felt better and continued using them until I was entirely cured. They built me up again to perfect health and I use them now whenever I feel at all sick and they always help me."

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BUILT OF FOSSIL BONES.

Queerest House in the World Is in Wyoming.

"The queerest house in the world," said a zoologist, "is undoubtedly the famous Bone cabin of Wyoming, near the Medicine Bow river. This cabin's foundations are built of fossil bones.

"Bones of dinosaurs jaws of the diplodocus, teeth of the brontosaurus, knuckles of the ichthyosaurus, vertebrae of the camarasaurus, chunks of the barosaurus, the cetiosaurus, the brachiosaurus, the stegosaurus, the the ornitholestes or bird-catching dinosaur—all entered into this wonderful cabin's foundations, making it the most curious and the most costly edifice, not excepting the Pennsylvania capitol, in America.

"This hut was built by a Mexican sheep-herder, who had happened by chance on the grandest extinct animal bed in the world. This was a plot of about 50 yards square wherein lay in rich profusion the bones of all the animals of the reptilian age. The heaviest and the lightest, the largest and the smallest, the most tranquil and the most ferocious lay side by side.

"The place was evidently once a river bar, and the dead bodies that floated down the stream were here arrested, to lie for hundreds of thousands of years till a sheep-herder came along, and, rooting among the bones as big as bowlders, set about the building of the world's queerest cabin."

A woman gets almost as much satisfaction out of a good cry as a man does out of a "smile."

WHITE BREAD

Makes Trouble for People with Weak Intestinal Digestion.

A lady in a Wis. town employed a physician who instructed her not to eat white bread for two years. She tells the details of her sickness and she certainly was a sick woman.

"In the year 1887 I gave out from overwork, and until 1901 I remained an invalid in bed a great part of the time. Had different doctors but nothing seemed to help. I suffered from cerebro-spinal congestion, female trouble and serious stomach and bowel trouble. My husband called a new doctor and after having gone without any food for 10 days the doctor ordered Grape-Nuts for me. I could eat the new food from the very first mouthful. The doctor kept me on Grape-Nuts and the only medicine was a little glycerine to heal the alimentary canal.

"When I was up again doctor told me to eat Grape-Nuts twice a day, and no white bread for two years. I got well in good time and have gained in strength so I can do my own work again.

"My brain has been helped so much, and I know that the Grape-Nuts food did this, too. I found I had been made ill because I was not fed right, that is I did not properly digest white bread and some other food I tried to live on.

"I have never been without Grape-Nuts food since and eat it every day. You may publish this letter if you like so it will help someone else." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Pinckney Dispatch.

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PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN

Make Marriage Engagements Public.

About the only practicable improvement in marriage is that suggested by a Kansas legislator, who is going to introduce a bill compelling the publication of marriage engagements for 30 days preceding the ceremony. This, of course, is already the custom in some circles of society, where marriage engagements are invariably made public. Among the Jews engagements are regarded as only one degree less sacred than marriage itself. In Europe the laws of most countries compel the publication of banns of marriage, so that the whole community is made aware that matrimony is contemplated and any impediment to the match may be discovered. But among a large majority of people in the United States no such provision is made. Hasty marriages are frequent, and even when engagements are of some length they are not always acknowledged. This, of course, makes deception easy, and even crime. A man may marry 40 wives, as Hoch did, says the Chicago Journal, and unless some unusual circumstance arises he may escape detection. A law compelling the publication of marriage engagements would undoubtedly lessen the evils attending matrimony in this country. If for 30 days before the knot is tied the news were circulated and discussed by everybody interested, many a bad marriage would be prevented and much suffering would be avoided. Marriage is a very important event in human life, and the state should take every means to make it safe.

No Good Definition of Death.

Tests for death occupy considerable space in medico-legal literature, and yet they leave much to be desired in the way of certainty. There is astonishingly little evidence that anyone is ever buried alive, and even if true, suffocation would prevent regaining consciousness. The stories of suffering revealed by opened coffins are merely old wives' tales of stormy winter evenings when weird shadows were cast by the fireplace, but they have created a popular idea that burial alive is common and that we must have a sure test for death. Yet there is no good definition of death, and we can never have a test for the unknown. To Loeb and his school, life of protoplasm is merely the total of its reactions as a chemical machine—a theory already venerable with age, but no nearer proof than it was 2,500 years ago. Resuscitation of those apparently dead has been fairly common, declares the American Medicine. The startling thought has been announced that perhaps they were really dead, that the body had ceased its activities and "team work" was ended. It was like a factory in which work had stopped, but the workmen were still standing around idle though ready to begin if the machine were started again. It needed some one to turn on the steam, or correct some defect or breakdown.

California Architecture.

One glance at the long low corridor of Santa Barbara Mission, of San Juan Capistrano; another at the solid adobe walls of such a house as the old Morris residence in Los Angeles, and you know where the modern American California found the models upon which she has based many of her most beautiful buildings, says Travel Magazine. If the mission fathers from Spain had not built their missions on that coast; if their followers had not built their adobe houses surrounding the missions, the Californian of to-day would have a different style of architecture.

Mr. Lewis-James, the leading barytone in the Moody-Manners Opera company, a noted English organization, has had an interesting history. He was born in Aberdare, South Wales, and went to work in a coal pit when he was 12 years old. He sang in local concerts and competitions which are popular among the Welsh, and eventually achieved such prestige in his home neighborhood that he was urged to study music seriously. This he did for two years, while continuing his work as a coal miner. Then the Carl Rosa company visited Cardiff, and Mr. James sang privately for the director, who engaged him at once for three years, and afterward he joined the Moody-Manners company.

OPPOSES UNION OF TEACHERS.



Nicholas Murray Butler, who recently told the Chicago school board it was breeding anarchy by recognizing the Teachers' Federation and said that all unions among employees of the public are dangerous, is a noted educator and president of Columbia university in New York city. It has been said on good authority that in the event of either Senator Platt or Depew resigning Prof. Butler would succeed to the position.

A year ago Prof. Butler made a trip to Germany. He breakfasted with the kaiser and suggested an interchange of professors which has since resulted in President Roosevelt sending an American educator to a Berlin university. Prof. Butler's observations led him to believe that Germany's recent wonderful advances are due to "fads" in the schools. He said:

"I believe in what are called the fads and trills—in other words, the teaching of physical culture, of manual training, of drawing, of that which trains the hand and eye. There is a growing sentiment in favor of such education and within ten years the personnel of the teachers will be so changed that these branches will be generally adopted. They will be taught, too, not in a perfunctory or lackadaisical way, but by teachers who believe in them. It will, of course, be hard for those instructors who were brought up with the idea of teaching only certain things to follow this new idea."

Prof. Butler is 44 years old and the author of several leading educational works.

FRENCH GIRL ARTIST WINS FAME



Although she is only 25, and, one might think, altogether too pretty to be a real genius, no one can question the claim of Mlle. Louise Lavrut to be one of the most gifted women artists of the day.

Having won some of the highest honors in the French art world Mlle. Lavrut recently went to London to give an exhibition of her paintings, and, considering her great ability and the fact that she has the backing of the king himself, it is not surprising that her visit proved more or less of a triumph. Commissions for portraits of leading members of the fashionable world are coming in faster than they can be executed by the young French artist.

The story of Mlle. Lavrut's career is a truly wonderful tale. She showed an aptitude for drawing soon after she began to walk. When at school at the Legion of Honor establishment, as a young child she was allowed to draw with crayons, and her studies attracted the attention of Jules Lefebvre, who was at that time one of the visiting professors. He watched the child, and finally, after much opposition, from her family secured permission for her to attend the Julian academy.

After a thorough grounding in the elementary art there she was allowed to enter the ateliers of Jules Lefebvre and Robert Fleury. When 11 years old her first picture was exhibited at the Salon. She was kept hard at work in the studios of her two masters, until at 15 her picture was that year's Salon brought her an honorable mention. Then she established her own studio and began taking commissions.

The next year she received the bronze medal for the third best picture in the Salon. The municipality of Rheims bought the picture, success continued to come rapidly. Mlle. Lavrut was made an officer of the academy, was next promoted to Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, and last year won the blue ribbon of the art world, the gold medal of the French Salon for the best portrait of the year. The French government then bought several of her pictures, and she became the rage in Paris. Her gold medal picture is a portrait of the two daughters of the President's parents.

Value of Goat's Milk.

Italy is a country noted for its unexcelled condition, and yet we find the infantile mortality 66 per cent less than in our own country, and there, too, tuberculosis is seldom found. Italy is decidedly a goat country, and there the feeding bottle is scarcely heard of. It is not an uncommon sight there to see an infant or small child drawing its drink straight from the little goat which has been brought on to the steps of the house for the purpose.

Good-to-Look At.

A girl with magnificent red hair looked delightful in a dress, serge with a copper colored sash, perched on her beautiful hair and two copper buckles at her waist and copper colored kid shoes and stockings. These shoes, it may be remarked, are made in the most practical shades and kids, and can be cleaned with preparations specially made for them, and the colored stockings are everywhere to be had of suitable warmth.

Japan's Iron Coinage.

In Japan an iron coinage, begun about 1636, has existed up to the present day. A curious coin made of a mixture of silver and copper was long in use in Japan. It varied in size from a small pea to a large bean. Lead coins were also used there for five centuries. Glass was employed as a substance for coin for many centuries in Egypt, while wooden money is mentioned in many of the Buddhist writings.

Not Asking Much.

London bachelors expect their women friends to entertain them, they accept their hospitality, but they rarely offer anything in return. Even a cup of tea and a stroll in the park, or to a picture gallery, is all that is required.—Queen.

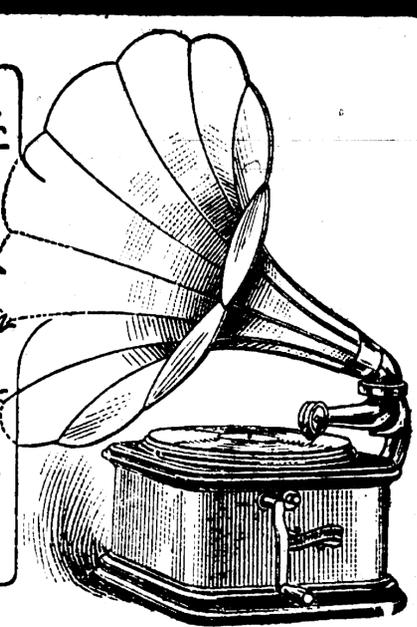
The World's Worst Coachman.

It is a great reproach to us as a nation of horsemen and horse lovers that while our London cabmen are perhaps the best drivers in the world, our society coachmen are probably the very worst.—Cavalry Journal.

Incorruptible Jurist.

The Portuguese say of an incorruptible man: "He does not wear gloves," which recalls the story of Sir Thomas More, who was presented by a grateful client with a pair of gloves filled with coins. He wrote: "As it were against courtesy to refuse your New Year's gift, I am content to take the gloves, but I utterly refuse their filling."—Sunday Magazine.

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SERIAL STORY

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A Tale of the Old West.

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Author of "The Spenders."

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CHAPTER XII.—Continued.

"They moved down to Jackson County, Missouri, too," concluded his informant, thus adding to the name. They had gone to set up their home in the very Zion that the Gentiles with so much bloodshed had wrested from the Saints.

Even when the first anger cooled and he could face the thing calmly in all its deeper aspects, he was still very bitter. While he had stanchly kept himself for her, cherishing with a single heart all the old memories of her dearness, she had been a wife these seven years—the wife, moreover, of a mob-leader whose minions had put them out of their home, and then wantonly tossed his father like a dead branch into the waters. She had loved this unformed murderer—his little Prue—perhaps borne him children, while he, Joel Rae, had been all too scrupulously true to her memory, fighting against even the pleased look at a woman; fighting—only the One above could know with what desperate valor—against the warm-hearted girl with the gray eyes and the red lips, who laughed in her knowledge that she drew him—fighting her away for a sentimental fragment, until she had married another.

Now when he might have let himself turn to her, his heart freed of the image of that yellow-haired girl so long cherished, this other was the wife of Elder Pixley—the fifth wife—and an unloving wife as he knew.

She had sought him before the marriage, and there had been some wholly frank and simple talk between them. It had ended by his advising her to marry Elder Pixley so that she might be saved into the Kingdom, and by her replying, with the old reckless laugh, a little dry and strained, and with the wonderful gray eyes full upon him,—"Oh, I'll marry him! Small difference to me what man of them I marry at all, now!" And while he, by a mighty effort, had held down his arms and let her turn away, the woman for whose memory he did it was the wife of an enemy, caring nothing for his fidelity, sure to feel not more than amused pity for him should she ever know of it. Surely, it had been a brave struggle—for nothing.

But again the saving thought came that he was being tried for a purpose, for some great work. And now it seemed that the time of it must be near. As to what it was there could be little question: it must be to free his people forever from Gentile aggression or interference. Everything pointed to that. He was to be entrusted with great powers, and be made a Lion of the Lord to lead them to their rightful glory.

CHAPTER XIII.

How the Saints Were Brought to Repentance.

He put his torch to the tinder of irreligion at the next Sunday meeting after his return. There were no premonitions, no warnings, no signs.

A few of the Elders had preceded him to rejoice at the escape of the last hand-cart party from death in the mountains; and Brigham, after giving the newcomers some practical hints about their shelter during the winter now upon them, had invited Elder Rae to address the congregation.

He arose and came uncertainly forward, apparently weak, able hardly to stand without leaning upon the desk in front of him; his face waxen and drawn, hollowed at the cheeks and temples, his long hands thin to transparency. Life was betrayed in him only by the eyes. These burned darkly, far back under his brows, and flashed fiercely, as his glance darted swiftly from side to side.

At first he spoke weakly and slowly, his opening words almost inaudible, so that the throng of people before him leaned forward in sympathetic intentness, and silence became absolute in the great hall except for the high quavering of his tones. But then came a miracle of reinvigoration. Little by little his voice swelled until it was full, sonorous, richly warm and compelling, the words

pouring from him with a fluency that enchained. Little by little his leaning, drooping posture of weakness became one of towering strength, the head flung back, the gestures free and potent. Little by little his burning eyes seemed to send their flash and glow through all his body, so that he became a creature of life and fire.

They heaved each word now, but still they leaned forward as when he spoke at first, inaudibly—caught thrilled and breathless in his spell, even to the Elders, Priests, and Apostles sitting near him. Nor was his manner alone impressive. His words were new. He was calling them sinners and covenant-breakers, guilty of pride, covetousness, contention, lying, stealing, moral uncleanness—and launching upon them the curse of Israel's God unless they should repent.

Such was the opening gun in what became known as the "reformation." The conditions had been ripe for it, and in that very moment a fever of repentance spread through the 2,000 people who had covered under his words. Alike with the people below, the leaders about him had been fired with his spirit, and when he sat down each of them arose in turn and echoed his words, denouncing the people for their sins and exhorting them to repentance.

After another hour of this excitement, priests and people became alike demoralized, and the meeting broke up in a confusion of terror.

As the doors of the tabernacle flew open, and the Saints pushed out of that stifling atmosphere of denuncia-

like the arms of some automaton over which his mind had control.

Not until night fell did the hymns cease and the crowd dwindle away. The air grew colder, and he began to feel pain again, the water cutting against his legs like a blade. Little groups were now hurrying off in the darkness, and the last Saint he had baptized was standing for the moment, chill and dripping, on the bank.

Seeing there was no one else to come, he staggered out of the stream where he had stood for three hours, finding his feet curiously clumsy and uncontrollable. Below him in the stream another Elder still waited to baptize a man and woman; but those who had been above him in the river were gone, and his own work was done.

He had been hearing footsteps behind him, crawling rapidly over the packed snow-path. He might have to ask for help to reach his home. Even as the steps came closer, he felt himself swaying. He leaned over on the fence, but to his amazement that wayed, too, and threw him back. Then he felt himself falling toward the street; but the creaking steps ceased, now by his side, and he felt under him something soft but firm—something that did not sway as the fence had unaccountably done. With his balance thus regained, he discovered the thing that held him to be a woman's arm. A woman's face looked close into his, and then she spoke.

"You are so cold. I knew you would be. And I waited—I wanted to do for you—let me!"



He Put Out His Arms and Drew Her to Him.

tion, a cry came to the lips of the dozen that first escaped:

"To the river—the waters of baptism!"

The words were being taken up by others until the cry had run back through the crowd to the leaders, still talking in excited groups about the pulpit. These comprehended when they heard it, and straightway a line of conscience-stricken Saints was headed toward the river:

There in the icy Jordan, on that chill December afternoon, when the snows lay thick on the ground, the leaders stood and buried the sinful ones anew in the cleansing waters. From the sinners themselves came cries of self-accusation; from the crowd on the banks came the strains of hymns to fortify them for the icy ordeal and the public confession.

There in the freezing current stood Joel Rae until long after the December sun had gone below the Ogürh hills, performing his office of baptism, and reviving hope in those his words had smitten with fear.

His strength already depleted by the long march with the hand-cart party and by the exhausting strain of the day, he was early chilled by the water into which he plunged the repentant sinners. For the last hour that he stood in the stream, his whole body was numb; he had ceased to feel life in his feet, and his arms worked with a mechanical stiffness

At once there came back to him the vision of a white-faced woman in the crowd along the river bank, staring at him out of deep, gray eyes under heavy, black brows.

"Mara—Mara!"

"Yes, yes—you are so cold!"

"But you must not stand so close—see, I am wet—you will be chilled!"

"But you are already chilled; your clothes are freezing on you; and you were falling just now. Can you walk?"

"Yes—yes—my house is yonder."

"I know; it's far; it's beyond the square. You must come with me."

"But your house is still farther!"

She had started him now, with a firm grasp of his arm, walking beside him in the deep snow, and trying to keep him in the narrow path.

"No—I am staying here with Hubert Plimon's two babies, while the mother has gone to Provo where Hubert lies sick. See—the light there. Come with me—here's the gate—you shall be warmed."

Slowly and with many stumblings, leaning upon her strong arm, he made his way to the cabin door. She pushed it open before him and he felt the great warm breath of the room rush out upon him. Then he was inside, swaying again uncertainly upon his feet. In the hovering light that came from the fireplace he saw the bed in the far corner where the two small children were sleeping, saw

Mara with her back to the door, facing him breathlessly, saw the heavy shadows all about; but he was conscious of hardly more than the vast heavenly warmth that rolled out from the fire and enfolded him and made him drunk.

Again he would have fallen, but she steadied him down on to a wide couch covered with buffalo robes, beside the big fireplace; and here he fell at once into a stupor. She drew out the couch so that it caught more of the heat, pulled off the water-soaked boots and the stiffened coat, wrapped him in a blanket which she warmed before the fire, and covered him still again with one of the buffalo robes.

She went then to bring food and to make a hot drink, which she strengthened with brandy poured from a little silver flask.

Presently she aroused him to drink the hot liquor, and then, after another blank of stupor, she aroused him again to eat. He could take but little of the food, but called for more of the drink, and felt the soul of it thrill along his frozen nerves until they awoke, sharpened, alert, and eager. He lay so, with closed eyes a little time, floating in an ecstasy that seemed to be half stupor and half keenest sensibility. Then he opened his eyes. She was kneeling by the couch on which he lay. He felt her soft, quick breathing, and noted the unnatural shining of her eyes and lips where the firelight fell upon them. All at once he threw out his arms and drew her to him with such a shuddering rush of power that she cried aloud in quick alarm—but the cry was smothered under his kisses.

For ages the transport seemed to endure, the little world of his senses whirling madly through an illimitable space of sensuous light, his lips melting upon hers, his neck bending in the circle of pulsing warmth that her soft arms wove about it, his own arms crushing to his breast with frenzied fervor the whole yielding splendor of her womanhood. A moment so, then he fell back upon the couch, all his body quivering under the ecstasy from her parted lips, his triumphant senses rioting insolently through the gray, cold garden of his vows.

And then, as he lay so, there started with electric quickness, from some sudden coldness of recollection, the image of Prue. Sharp and vivid it shone from this chill of truth like a glittering star from the clean winter sky outside. Prue was before him with the tender blue of her eyes and the fleecy gold of her hair and her joy of a child—her little figure shrugging and nestling in his arms in happy faith—calling as she had called to him that morning—"Joel—Joel—Joel!"

He shivered in this flood of cold, relentless light, yet unflinchingly did he keep his face turned full upon the truth it revealed.

He sat up on the couch, looking about the little room curiously, as one recovering consciousness in strange surroundings. Then he began slowly to pull on the wet boots that she had placed near the fire.

When he stood up, put on his coat, and reached for his hat, she came to him, hesitating, timid.

"You are so cold! If you would only stay here—I am afraid you will be sick."

He answered very gently: "It is better to go. I am strong again, now."

"I would—I would not be near you—and I am afraid for you to go out again in the cold."

He smiled a little. "Nothing can hurt me now—I am strong."

He opened the door, breathing his fill of the icy air that rushed in. He stepped outside, then turned to her. She stood in the doorway, the light from the room melting the darkness about them.

They looked long at each other. Then in a sudden impulse of gratitude, of generous feeling toward her, he put out his arm and drew her to him. She was cold, impassive. He bent over and kissed her closed, unresponding lips. As he drew away, her hand caught his wrist for a second.

"I'm glad!" she said.

He tried to answer, but could only say, "Good night, Mara!"

Then he turned, drew the wide collar of his coat well up, and went down the narrow path through the snow. She stood, framed in the light of the doorway, leaning out to look after him until he was lost in the darkness.

As she stepped back and closed the door, a man, who had halted by a tree in front of the next house when the door first opened, walked on again.

It had been a great day, but, for one cause or another, it came near to being one of the last days of the man who had made it great.

Late the next afternoon, Joel Rae was found in his cabin by a messenger from Brigham. He had presumably lain there unattended since the night before, and now he was delirious and sick unto death; raving of the sins of the Saints, and of his great work of reformation. So tenderly sympathetic was his mind, said those who came to care for him, that in his delirium he ranked himself among the lowest of sinners in Zion, imploring them to take him out and bury him in the waters of baptism so that he might again be worthy to preach them the Word of God.

He was at once given every care, and for six weeks was not left alone night or day; the good mothers in Israel vying with each other in kindly offices for the sick Elder, and the men praying daily that he might not be taken so soon after his great work had begun.

The fifth wife of Elder Pixley came once to sit by his bedside, but when she heard him rave of some great sin that lay black upon his soul, beseeching forgiveness for it while the tears rained down his fevered face, she had professed that his suffering sickened her so she could not stay. Thereafter she had contented herself with inquiring at his door each day—until the day when they told her that the sickness was broken; that he was again rational and doubtless would soon be well. After that she went no more; which was not unnatural, for Elder Pixley was about to return from his three years' mission abroad, and there was much to do in the community-house in preparation for the master's coming.

But the long sickness of the young Elder did not in any manner stay the great movement he had inaugurated. From that first Sunday the reformation spread until it had reached every corner of the new Zion. The leaders took up the accusing cry—the Elders, Bishops, High Priests, and Counselors. Missionaries were appointed for the outlying settlements, and meetings were held daily in every center, with a general renewing of covenants.

Brigham, who had warmly seconded Joel Rae's opening discourse, was now, not unnaturally, the leader of the reformation, and in his preaching to the Saints while Joel Rae lay sick he committed no faults of vagueness. For profane swearing he rebuked his people: "You Elders in Israel will go to the canyons for wood, get a little brush-whipped, and then curse and swear—damn and curse your oxen and swear by Him who created you. You rip and curse as bad as any pirates ever did!"

For the sin of cattle-stealing he denounced them. A fence high enough to keep out cattle-thieves, he told them, must be high enough to keep out the Devil.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



Skill More Than Strength

Latter is of Little Avail in Properly Ruling Horse.

Strength has nothing to do with hands, or rather, it is a distinct drawback to their acquirement. The weakling must use other means to attain his ends; the strong man disdains the delicate effects which make for everything of the best in horsemanship. A little 80-pound boy will control perfectly a rattle-brained race horse that no man could hold by main strength; a slight woman will guide four horses as few men can—it is the combination of the attributes named that enables them to do it.

Appropriate biting has much to do with success, but the novice is apt to

proceed to the extremes of severity in his desire to get that delicacy of touch and promptness of response which he thinks should follow sharp restraint. The reverse of this should always be the rule, and the horse should be constantly tried with lighter biting effects until the least possible restraint is employed. Hands and mouths vary from day to day, according to various circumstances of irritability and sensitiveness, and no one arrangement is likely to be for the best interests of both biped and quadruped. A balanced horse is always a light-mouthed horse, and it is "up to" the driver or rider to find what best brings about this result. No balanced hand can pull; no puller is in balance.—Owing.

If the government would compel the railroads to carry their mail as cheaply as they do the express the postal deficiency would be raised in a few months. The government should have as good a rate for transportation as the express companies but instead it pays several times as much. The express companies must get better terms from the railroads than the government.

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If the raid on slot machines that started in Chelsea last week was extended over the United States it would save millions of dollars to the working people. Hundreds of men play these machines with their last nickel while their wives take in washings to support the family.

Cured of Lung Trouble

It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption, writes C. O. Floyd a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. guaranteed at F. A. Sigler's drug store. Prices 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

It is to be hoped that the legislature will study long and well before they change the law regarding the dispensation of the primary school fund. Instead of transferring any of the money to the colleges there had better be a law passed making the minimum amount paid to any teacher in the state \$40 per month and use the money to pay them. Many of the teachers are seeking other employment as the wages paid in most cases is a disgrace to the districts and the state as well. The state demands a teacher to pass a high grade of examination but offers no inducement in regard to pay.

I had tried everything for my baby until Dr. Lyle recommended Cascasweet. I can truthfully say it is the best medicine I ever used for babies. My little baby was a mere skeleton from stomach trouble—so bad that she did not notice anything, but is now entirely well and we can almost see her grow.—Nannie L. Taylor, Bedford Va. Cascasweet is Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

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Clean Young Men.

There are plenty of bright young men in the country whose hands have not been soiled by the dirt of latter day politics. It will be a good thing for the state and for the nation to have them come forward and take an active part in public affairs. It will be a good thing for any party that recognizes them and gives them proper encouragement.—Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

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An Interesting Letter

FROM E. R. STACKABLE, LONDON, ENGLAND

The following letter was received by Robt. Stackable of near here, the past week from his son, E. R. Stackable, who is U. S. Emigrant collector for the Hawaiian Islands and is now in England. As Ed. was a former Pinckney boy our readers will be interested.

London, Eng., Dec. 30, 1906.

Dear father and all the family:

I have not had a letter from the old home for months, but I trust that you are all enjoying good health.

I hear that my first steamer with about 1340 persons on reached Honolulu on Dec. 1, after a sea trip of about 14000 miles, and all went well I am pleased to say.

This charter of the steamer alone cost \$51,225 and other expenses ran up to about a total of \$67,400. This is quite a small sum of money. I landed this lot about \$35 a head less than any other lot of Emigrants that have been shipped to Hawaiian from the same place and counting the men only at about \$120 per man than any previous lot. The passports cost about \$12 now and they cost but \$5.75 when the previous shipments were made and with this handicap, I am glad to say that I have made a record that will stand for some time.

I have been in Italy, (Rome) France, (Paris) Spain, (Madrid) and in several of the smaller cities in each of the countries named, and have seen a good deal of Europe, but I would like very much to see Honolulu.

It snowed here in London on the morning of the 26th, about 6 inches and has been snowing off and on ever since. The most severe weather, so I am told, since 1881.

I have been granted another leave of absence for three months, or till May 7, 1907.

You cannot ship Emigrants like you can freight, and the responsibility one assumes when he signs a charter for a steamer involving, say, \$50,000.00 rests rather heavy on ones shoulders.

Am now trying to secure a suitable steamer to send to Malago, southern Spain, for January 30th, to carry from 1500 to 2000 spaniards to Honolulu, and am having a most difficult thing to find a proper steamer at reasonable rate, although there are steamers enough at anchor in Southampton and London if placed end on end I believe to reach from the home to Pinckney at least. Steamer after steamer from 500 to 650 ft. long.

This is a most lonely large city, and I never thought I could get so homesick at my age as I have been here.

Hoping this may find you all well and happy and wishing one and all a Happy New Year, I remain your loving son.

E. R. S.

Luminous Paint as Night Lights.

The connection between earthquakes and luminous paint would hardly be apparent to any one without explanation. It nevertheless exists, and the use to which it is put invests it with the utmost importance just for the few critical moments of the shock. In the Philippine Islands, where earthquakes are not uncommon, small metallic plates coated with luminous paint are so placed about the premises that at the first warning the inmates are quickly guided to the door and thus to the street. In Manila it is laid on in patches about the bedrooms and staircases, serving as guides for the door handles and the stairs, night lights being considered especially dangerous, as likely to set fire to the falling houses and thus to roast the inmates in their own homes.

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Drone Beetles.

Drone beetles have a reputation for weather wisdom among country folk, who regard a flight of beetles as a sign of fine weather. M. Fabre, a French naturalist, wishing to ascertain if this supposition was correct, caged a number of beetles. One fine evening when everything indicated equally fine weather for the following day not a beetle flew about. In fact, during the night a storm broke out, and rain fell all next day. Another evening, when there were no signs of fine weather, the beetles flew about in all directions. During the night the clouds vanished, and next day there was brilliant sunshine. According to M. Fabre, drone beetles during three months are living barometers, more deserving of credence than physical instruments, their keen sensitiveness to the electric tension of the atmosphere being much greater than that of mercury. It has even been demonstrated that drone beetles are affected by atmospheric disturbances a long way off and that they sometimes grow restless when there is a storm more than sixty miles away.

Wise Counsel from the South

"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blackenship of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at F. A. Sigler's drug store. Price 50c.

The Sonnet Writers.

The fashion of sonnet writing was at its height in the sixteenth century when Ronsard, the French "prince of poets" in his own country and generation, wrote over 900 sonnets, a total which appears only to have been exceeded by Gomez de Quevedo, the Spanish Voltaire, who is said to have written over 1,000. Fortunately for sonnet lovers some of the best poets have been prolific sonneteers. Petrarch, who created the classic model which later poets imitated, wrote 315. Camoens is responsible for 352, Sir Phillip Sidney wrote 108, Spenser 88 and Dante 80. English sonnets were first written by Sir Thomas Wyatt (1503-42) and Henry Howard, earl of Surrey (1517-47), and the first appearance of any in book form was in a rare publication briefly known as "Tottle's Miscellany," the full title being "Songs and Sonnettes written by the Right Honourable Lorde Henry Howard, late Earle of Surrey, and other." The greatest sonneteers of our language are Shakespeare, Milton, Wordsworth and Rossetti.—London Standard.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin a box of salve can save much discomfort. In buying salve look for the name on the box to avoid any imitations and be sure you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve. Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

Tonics.

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The Light That Failed.

It was by an accident that Mr. Kipling got his famous title, "The Light That Failed." He had almost decided to call the novel "The Failure," although he was dissatisfied with this. One evening as he was sitting in his study reading by lamplight the light went suddenly down—almost failed, in fact. In a second Kipling jumped up, exclaiming excitedly, "By Jove, I've got it!" Pointing to the lamp, he said "The Light That Failed."—London Standard.

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Monroe and Muskrats

a carnation and all were treated to an apple of the "lady apple" variety, and it is claimed there is only one tree in existence. The fruit was small like a crab apple but of a very fine flavor. This is the nursery for which Burt Rodgers is the agent who is so well known here.

Perhaps the most interesting and pleasant place visited was St. Mary's Academy and College where we were made most welcome by Mother Superior and her assistance. It was the first organization ever invited as a body to visit the community and the honor was much appreciated by the guests. An entertainment of marked excellency had been arranged for the visitors, and was given by the students of the college in the auditorium of the institution.

After the entertainment the guests were shown through the different halls, study rooms, art gallery, private rooms etc, and the students were on the lookout for friends from home. Ye editor and daughter were the especial guests of the Misses Kuhn, of Gregory, Miss Brogan, of Stockbridge, and Miss Bessie Bohn, of Detroit.

At the visit to the Greening Nursery offices light refreshments were served, the ladies were presented with fine boxes of bon bons, and every one was given a "Baby Rambler" rose bush as souvenirs.

It was already dark when the party was taken by the M. & M. club to the Maccabe Temple where a banquet was served to them. Monroe's fame in the banquet line has been disseminated from the Atlantic to the Pacific of late years owing to the unique "Muskrat" feasts, which its Yacht Club makes an annual feature, and the fact that it is the home of the Lotus, that beautiful flower being found in its natural state only here and on the river Nile. While the Lotus was not in blossom during our visit the juicy muskrat was fully ripe and in evidence. Although the average editor fails in a good many points to qualify as a yachtman, yet on this occasion the succulent and toothsome muskrat formed one of the principal features of the menu. There was a trifle of hesitation on the part of some of the editorial fraternity about making any gustatory attempt upon the morsel, probably the misnomer "rat" may have had something to do with it, but their squeamishness was speedily overcome and those who had never before made acquaintance with the little game animal as an article of food very soon became enthusiasts and unblushingly demanded "more." Many a guest took home a "wish bone" as a souvenir. The taste of the meat is similar to the wild duck and equally as good.

At 9:30 the guests took the car for the return trip with many pleasant thoughts of the trip to one of the oldest cities of the state. While not the largest trip of the press club it certainly was one of the most pleasant, and the people of Monroe will always have a warm place in the hearts of every member present.

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Notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1907, and on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock a.m. of each day at the residence of Clarence Bishop in the township of Green Oak, in said county, to receive and examine such claims. Dated: Howell, Mich. January 18th, A. D. 1907. Clarence Bishop } Commissioners on Claims Timothy Burke }

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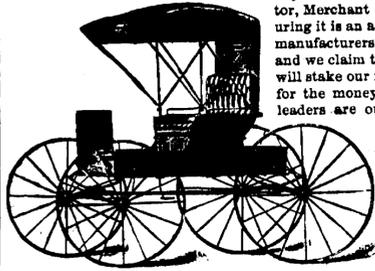
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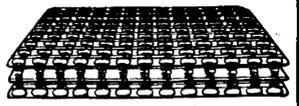


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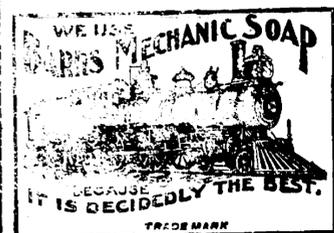
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Finney's orchestra, of Detroit, will furnish music for the entire Maccabee entertainment January 25.

The Fowlerville fair association has a balance of \$2,578 in the treasury. The fair will be held earlier the coming fall, being arranged for Sept. 24-27.

In the yard of A. M. Wells in the east part of town is a rose bush with three beautiful pink blossoms. This odd rose is known as the winter rose and blooms in the dead of the winter.—Republican.

The A. E. Fletcher Co., of Stockbridge, are closing out as Mr. Fletcher has purchased a stock of goods in Jackson and will take possession Feb. 10. He has been in business at Stockbridge for eight years.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of the Jackson Bank Sentinel, a monthly, issued in the interests of the Bank of Dakota County, Jackson, Neb. by Ed. T. Kearney, was received at this office this week. Mr. Kearney is always doing something out of the ordinary and believes in the use of printers ink.

J. Daniels of Iosco, has a horse that after taking the children to school 1 1/2 miles returns home alone through two gates and turns two corners then waits at the barn to be unhitched. At 3:30 in the afternoon it is again sent to the school house after the children. Really horse sense.

Pinckney Gazette.

H. H. Swarthout handed us the past week Vol. 1, No. 1, of the Gazette published in Pinckney Dec. 6, 1879. It is a three column four-page paper and was published by C. E. Placeway.

There were many advertisers then, but none of them are doing business here now under the same firm name. G. W. Reepke was Notary Public with office in the Mann store. H. F. Sigler & Bro. were druggists, and Haze and Sigler were the physicians, Dolan & Tuomey grocery dealers. These were the only ones mentioned who are even here at the present time. We see by the locals that Dud Coste was driving a stage between Pinckney and Howell. At that time there was a balance in the state treasury Nov. 29, of \$373,722.53. James Marble had been north hunting. The Pinckney band cleared \$80 at Brighton.

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BOY WAS SOMEWHAT MIXED.

Had Wrong Idea of the Sound to Be Removed.

Deacon Allen Sheldon, who recently passed away, was universally respected by all who knew him, and his stories were listened to with much delight, says a writer in the Boston Herald. He used to tell the following with a great deal of interest:

When a very small boy he asked his father to let him go with him to the town meeting. He went, with the promise that when he returned he would tell the folks what happened.

In those days the church was supported by a tax on every property holder. Whatever of interest came up for the church had to be voted on at the town meeting.

The pastor being feeble and his voice not strong, an article in the town warrant called for the removal of the sounding board from over the pastor's head, since it acted as an extinguisher, and not as originally planned. When Allen returned he told his mother about the sounding board, and said:

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DEVASTATED KINGSTON

KINGSTON'S DEAD NUMBER TWO THOUSAND ALL OF WHOM ARE NATIVES.

ALL AMERICANS ESCAPED.

Order Being Restored By American And English Marines—Getting The People Outside The City.

The Stricken City.

Order is slowly coming out of chaos in the stricken city of Kingston, although there is still a very great and distressing shortage of both water and food supplies. The former is the greatest immediate danger, so far as the survivors are concerned, as it is a very difficult task for the officials to keep the ignorant negroes from drinking the water that is in the stagnant pools on the outskirts.

However, as rapidly as possible Gov. Swettenham is driving the survivors away from the city to temporary camps, and they will be kept there until the debris can be cleared away and the houses that still stand be made fit for habitation. At the request of the British government, Admiral Davis landed a party of sailors and marines from the Missouri and Indiana. Co-operating with the British forces available, these troops have made great headway with the excited populace. Partial martial law prevails, but the military is being used principally to direct the work of clearing away the ruins. Dynamite is being used to blow up the wreckage.

The assurance that several shiploads of supplies are on the way has inspired hope and patience, and the general outlook accordingly is distinctly favorable.

It is now feared that the death list will total close to 2,000. An official report just issued says that over 700 bodies have been buried, that the remains of 1,017 more have been identified and that many more are still missing.

News from the navy department at Washington that no Americans had been killed or injured in Jamaica up to Thursday night has been received by B. G. Chapman, of Detroit.

Mrs. Chapman, her son Ben, and her sister, Mrs. R. H. Higbee, of St. Louis, were in Jamaica at the time of the earthquake. Phillip H. Gray will sail for Jamaica Monday, in search of his mother, Mrs. John S. Gray, and Miss Emma Hayward, unless they are heard from before Monday.

E. Donald Roberts fears for the safety of his father, Edmund D. Roberts, Hartford, Ct., who is in Jamaica.

Ralph W. Armstrong has heard nothing from his brother-in-law, William E. Clark, but has noticed the names of two of his friends in the list of the injured.

Nineteen Killed, Thirty Injured.

A car of powder on the Big Four siding at Sandford, Ind., exploded Saturday night wrecking a west bound passenger train. The wreckage was burned. The freight train carrying the car of powder also was destroyed. Nineteen persons were killed and thirty injured. A boy who walked to the wreck from St. Marys, Ind., reported that nearly every one of the passengers was killed. The boy also reported that the car of powder was standing over a new pipe line from the Casey, Ill., field; that gas had been escaping from the pipe and had probably filled the car of powder. Sparks from the passenger locomotive are supposed to have ignited the gas and caused the explosion of the powder.

Navigation, so Louisville reports, is at a complete standstill from Pittsburgh to Cairo, and little hope is held out for an early amelioration of conditions. It is estimated that more than 2,000 people are homeless on "The Point," and in Shippingsport alone, and the exodus from these two low-lying suburbs continues. The city council will appropriate money to relieve flood sufferers.

Many streams in southeastern Kansas and in western and central Missouri are out of their banks. The most serious trouble so far reported is at and near Winfield, Kas., where the Wannut river is rising a foot an hour. The St. Louis and San Francisco tracks for nearly a mile and the Frisco bridge are washed out.

The river at Wheeling, W. Va., Saturday night was 31 feet 2 inches and rising two inches an hour. It is expected to rise 48 hours longer and the community has prepared for 38 feet of water, four feet above the danger line. The fair ground and baseball park are completely under water. The Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad has suspended operations, no trains being in or out today.

Starving Lad's Plea.

Begging to be sent to the Lansing reformatory where he might have a chance to break away from his evil life, 14-year-old Bennie Cross told Justice Oosterbaan, of Muskegon, that he stole to keep from starving. He took a bed quilt and saddle, pawned them for a few cents and bought provisions. In spite of the criminal life he has led for several years the boy's manly bearing impressed the judge. He was taken to Lansing.

THE FLOODS.

Fifteen Thousand Homeless, Great Destruction Of Property Results—Latest Reports.

With the crest of the flood not yet in sight and a prospect of a near approach to the immense loss from high water of February, 1884, attempts were made to estimate the losses from this present flood in Cincinnati and environs.

The commission houses, which are principally located in the lowlands now under water, have already suffered damage estimated at \$100,000. Many thousands will be lost by factories through enforced idleness and unproductiveness, and more than 40,000 idle men will lose their wages during the continuance of the present high stage of the river.

Not less than 15,000 people have been driven from their homes in Cincinnati and in the Kentucky suburbs, most of them being forced to depend on charity for their food and lodging.

Nearly 50 squares in Newport, over a dozen in Covington and a large section in the east and west ends and in Mill Creek sections of Cincinnati are under water.

These are conservative estimates of present conditions and suffering, and the worst is yet to come. "Above 65 feet" is the conservative prediction of the official forecast as to the probable crest of the flood, but the report from up the river caused him to express a fear this afternoon that much worse was in store.

The immense stretch of the river, silently and remorselessly carrying before it all manner of property, was watched all day by thousands of people from both banks and from the high buildings, while strenuous efforts were made by hundreds of men to carry to places of safety those whose homes had been invaded by the flood, or some of the household effects from the flooded homes. For better handling relief work, Mayor Dempsey this afternoon divided the city into four relief sections.

Reports from river cities both above and below Cincinnati continued to come in with pleading for help and food. Some of the nearer flooded town refugees came to this city and are lodged wherever quarters could be found. Portsmouth saw the breaking of the flood embankments and the people fled in terror to the highlands. The high water from the Scioto is being added to the flood in the Ohio at that point, and the flood from the other tributaries holding back the regular high water from higher up the river so that the second rise seems sure to overtake the main flood and increase its damage.

Foraker's Bluff.

Senator Blackburn on Thursday "called" Senator Foraker's bluff yesterday when he disclaimed any intention of attacking the president in his resolution calling for an investigation of the evidence in the discharge of the negro troops in the Brownsville affair. Senator Foraker said he did not care as to the language of the resolution, that the scope of his resolution was not such as to bring into the investigation the question of the president's power.

Senator Blackburn offered an amendment to Foraker's resolution, disclaiming any intention on the part of the senate to question the president's right to discharge the negro troops.

Senator Foraker, however, opposed the amendment and immediately entered upon a speech denying the president's power.

It is believed that the amendment will delay the final vote on the resolution.

Does Not Want the Money.

Vice-President Fairbanks doesn't want his salary raised. He has told Senator Cullom, of the senate conference committee on the legislative appropriation bill, that he will think it a favor if the conference committee stands out against any attempt to have retained in the bill the house provision which raises the salary of the vice-president to \$12,000 a year.

Mr. Fairbanks' request puts the committee in a queer box. The provision also raises the salary of the speaker and the cabinet officers and it will look bad to raise the salary of the speaker and the rest and not the vice-president. The request may prevent the others from getting the money they think they earn.

The Shah Crowned.

The coronation of Mohammed Ali Mirza as shah of Persia took place at Teheran Saturday afternoon with impressive ceremonies and a brilliant display of Oriental grandeur. The scene within the throne room as the shah ascended the famous peacock throne of gold, set with jewels, surrounded by princes, nobles and mullahs, was one of rare magnificence. The ceremony began shortly after noon, at which hour the high court dignitaries and the foreign diplomatic representatives assembled in an ante-room of the palace. From this room they were conducted to the throne room, which is popularly called the "museum," owing to the Persian treasures it contains.

Governor Is Stronger.

Gov. Fred M. Warner is gaining strength rapidly. Thursday he was able to sit up in his room for several hours. By Sunday, it is thought, he will be able to leave his room and get down stairs in his residence in Farmington.

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Life Without Mind.

The possibility of life without mind, while not subject to positive proof, is a theory that has gained considerable strength recently through its advocacy by Dr. L. Laloy, librarian of the Academy of Sciences, Paris. He believes that many of the smaller living organisms, such as insects, are mere moving machines, having no more intelligence than may be ascribed to plants. He refers to the well known fact that insects are attracted by light, often to their own destruction, and ascribes it to the same cause that inclines the plant to grow toward the light.

AWFUL EFFECT OF ECZEMA.

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"Our little girl, one year and a half old, was taken with eczema or that was what the doctor called it. We called in the family doctor, and he gave some tablets and said she would be all right in a few days. The eczema grew worse and we called in doctor No. 2. He said she was teething, as soon as the teeth were through she would be all right. But she still grew worse. Doctor No. 3 said it was eczema. By this time she was nothing but a yellow, greenish sore. Well, he said he could help her, so we let him try it about a week. One morning we discovered a little yellow pimple on one of her eyes. Of course we phoned for doctor No. 3. He came over and looked her over, and said that he could not do anything more for her, that we had better take her to some eye specialist, since it was an ulcer. So we went to Oswego to doctor No. 4, and he said the eyesight was gone, but that he could help it. We thought we would try doctor No. 5. Well, that proved the same, only he charged \$10 more than doctor No. 4. We were nearly discouraged. I saw one of the Cuticura advertisements in the paper and thought we would try the Cuticura Treatment, so I went and purchased a set of Cuticura Remedies, which cost me \$1, and in three days our daughter, who had been sick about eight months, showed great improvement, and in one week all sores had disappeared. Of course it could not restore the eyesight, but if we had used Cuticura in time I am confident that it would have saved the eye. We think there is no remedy so good for any skin trouble or impurity of the blood as Cuticura. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott, R. F. D. No. 9, Fulton, Oswego Co., N. Y., August 17, 1906."

Keeps Young by Outdoor Exercise.

Although James Bryce, the new British ambassador to this country, is 68 years old, he has not by any means exhausted his physical energies or his fondness for exercise in the open. His favorite recreation is mountain climbing, and he is president of the English Alpine club.

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A very pretty compliment was paid by his fellow-townsmen to President Fallieres of France upon the occasion of his visit to his birthplace, the little town of Mezin. To widen the street the house in which the President was born had been pulled down some years ago. What was to be done? The people of Mezin put their heads together and when their distinguished fellow citizen arrived, imagine his delight at finding an exact reproduction of his old home in papier mache! It was perfect, down to the very furniture, part of which had been collected from the country around and part reproduced in facsimile. The president thanked his friends in a voice broken with emotion, and tears actually streamed down his cheeks as he finished his little speech.

The late French president, M. Loubet, was once the recipient of an interesting present. It consisted of an immense album filled with thousands of press cuttings relating to his visits to Italy and to England. The album, which is of enormous size and richly bound, contains not only cuttings, but photographs and illustrations of all kinds. It forms, indeed, a complete chronicle of his life written by many different people, and in more than a dozen different languages.

In India the native rajahs consider it the highest possible compliment to be presented with fine specimens of wild beasts, and consequently both King Edward and the prince of Wales has been the recipient of many gifts of this description. But when, one fine day, two splendid tigers arrived unexpectedly at Sandringham, King Edward was driven to remonstrate. "I have accommodation," he said, "for horses, dogs, cows, cats, mice, and even rats, but I must draw the line at tigers."

An odd gift was received by the crown prince of Germany upon his coming of age. A deputation of butchers attended, bearing an enormous and magnificent steak, upon the surface of which was worked in their greetings to the future monarch.

The late Prince Bismarck once received from some miners in Westphalia a bust of himself, carved in coal, and it is said that this odd present was always carefully preserved by him and looked upon somewhat in the light of a luck bringer.

A complaint which had serious results was paid to an actor named Hanson at a little mining town in British Columbia. The audience was so stirred by Mr. Hanson's acting that some persons began throwing presents upon the stage, like speculators at a Spanish bullfight. One burly miner, having nothing else handy, hurled a lump of gold ore. Unluckily it hit the actor on the head and knocked him down. He was badly injured, and it was weeks before he was able to play again.

Perhaps the oddest idea of paying a compliment belongs to a tribe of Indians on the Alaskan coast. When a chief wishes to do honor to a distinguished visitor he invites him to a "potlatch," or feast. Then when all have eaten their fill the chief goes to the edge of the cliff and solemnly casts into the sea as many of his possessions as he thinks he can afford. This is held to be the highest form of compliment and much superior to merely giving presents to the guest.

Probably.

"Ten years ago he used to stick to her like her shadow. I suppose that was due to the fact that he was younger then."

"Somewhat; but due more to the fact that she was younger then."—Houston Post.

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Marryat—Nonsense! I didn't have a cent when I married and I'm getting along fine now.

Lovett—That so? Installment plan? Marryat—Yes, and we've only been married and keeping house for a year and I've got the engagement ring all paid for now.

Immediate Concerns.

"So you have dismissed your fortune teller?"

"Yes," answered the czar.

"Have you ceased to worry about the future?"

"I'm so busy dodging the present that I don't have time to think about the future."

A Word of Approval.

"Do you think your congressman does \$5,000 worth of work every year?"

"That ain't the point," answered Farmer Cornstossel. "We're grateful to him for not costing us \$50,000 or so in mistakes."

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When James P. Magenis was chief deputy in the internal revenue service he was stricken with a severe attack of typhoid fever, and it was some weeks before he was able to resume his duties.

Before his illness his hair was luxuriant, but after it a bald spot began to show, which was noticed by a deputy, who spoke to him about it. "Pardon me, Jim," he said, "but you are getting bald, and you know a head of hair like yours is quite a novelty these days."

"Yes," said Magenis, "I have been told my hair was quite a novelty, but do you know," he said, and a gleam of fun was in his eye, "I notice since my illness, that every time I run my hand over the top of my head the novelty is wearing off."

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"By the tower of London—no!" roared George, as he sharpened his lance. "You haven't a spinning wheel for a husband."

Two hours later George returned from the fray with his armor battered and torn.

"Dearest Priscilla," he said, softly, "will thou not put a few patches on my dress suit?"

"No, George," replied Priscilla, sweetly. "You haven't a blacksmith for a wife."

And the bold knight was so humiliated he went over to Ye Frozen Heart tavern and stood the tavern-keeper off for a tankard.



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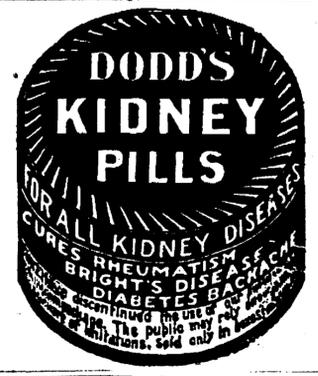
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Among Our Correspondents

NORTH HAMBURG.

Mrs. Perry Towle has been suffering from a severe cold.
Mrs. Henry Kice is visiting friends in Walkerville, Ont.

Mr. Richard Haddock went to Princeton, Ill. Thursday evening to visit friends and to return with his wife who has been visiting there for a few weeks.

Following is the program for the Farmer's club at Silas Swarthout's Saturday of this week:

- Reading.....Mrs. George VanHorn
 - Recitation.....Hazel Whitlock
 - Solo.....Mrs. Guy Hall
 - Reading.....Mrs. E. W. Kennedy
 - Recitation.....Glenn Smith
 - Solo.....Fanny Swarthout
 - Reading.....John Chambers
 - Solo.....Florence Kice
 - Reading.....E. J. McCluskey
 - Singing.....Club
- Please bring lapboards and dishes.

The North Hamburg Literary Club will meet Jan. 27, 1907 at the home of S. E. Swarthout. The following program will be given:

- Music, Club
- Roll Call
- Secretary's Report
- Inst. Solo, Hazel Switzer
- Club Bulletin, Glen Smith
- Duet, Carlton and Mrs. Barnard
- Rec., Mrs. Carrie Van Horn.
- Inst. Solo, May Pitkin
- Reading, Clare Switzer
- Solo, Fanna Rolison
- Rec. Sada Swarthout
- Inst. Duet, Fern Hendee
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WEST PUTNAM.

H. B. Gardner was in Howell Tuesday.

Glenn Gardner of Detroit was home over Sunday.

D. M. Monks and Nellie Gardner were in Howell, Friday.

Thomas Cooper and wife of Jackson spent a few days at Mrs. Coopers.

Paul and Kitty Brogan spent Sunday at John Harris.

Clara Van Winkle is sick with the measles.

The third meeting of the Al Fresco club was held at the home of John M. Harris, Sat. evening. Regardless of the weather the usual good crowd was present. The president, Glenn Gardner of Detroit, favored us with his presence and called the meeting to order, after roll call and report by the secretary, it was with a feeling of regret that the president resigned his office, and Will Dunbar was unanimously elected to fill vacancy.

The program consisted of vocal and instrumental selections and was very much appreciated. After refreshments were served a cocodrum contest was arranged, the chiefs being Miss Nella Gardner and Miss Grace Gardner which resulted in a tie. Among other amusements was a bubble race, the prizes being awarded Miss Lela Monks and Fred Leland. Interest in the club seems to be increasing and the young people of West Putnam are to be congratulated on the organization of this club. The club then adjourned to hold the next meeting Wednesday evening, Jan. 23, at the home of D. M. Monks.

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CHILSON

Mrs. Margaret Case is still very low.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dammann spent Sunday in Hamburg.

Mr. R. Dwillard spent Sunday at the home of Mr. H. Martin.

Miss Lena Musch is recovering nicely from an attack of measles.

Miss Grace Nuendorf, of Howell called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Truhn's eldest son is reported to be quite sick.

Louis Sweeney and Guy Russell have accepted positions as breakemen on the A. A. Ry.

Louis and Charles Hussee returned to their home in Webberville, after spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. H. Dammann.

SOUTH MARION.

Arthur Glenn is in Stockbridge this week on business.

I. J. Abbott went to Parker's Corners last Saturday on business.

Miss May Brogan of Howell is visiting her parents of this place for a week.

Gladys Daley is unable to return to her school at Howell on account of illness.

Wm. White and family and E. Reynolds and family visited at Mr. Pool's of Chubb's Corners last Friday night.

Mrs. George Bland Jr., Mrs. A. Farrington, and Mrs. George Bland Sr. visited a Mrs. D. D. Carr Tuesday.

Walter Glover, of Fowlerville, trouble boy for the Liv. Telephone Co., stayed with N. Pacey Monday night.

Some of the Marion young people who attended the Al Fresco Club had to stay all night on account of bad weather.

The telephone line at this place got out of order Sunday and Monday and there was a panic because people could not talk. All right now.

John Stoddard and a friend of Howell, started for the Gleaner banquet at H. Miller's of Iosco, and broke their buggy near C. Brogan's and had to borrow one to finish the trip.

IOSCO.

Mrs. E. E. Philips is quite sick.

B. W. Harford is cutting wood on his new farm.

Miss Clella Stowe spent Tuesday night with Nina Hutson.

Miss Ethel Smith and Temple Smith are home from Fowlerville school with the measles.

A short but severe wind storm visited this section Saturday evening last, doing considerable damage by way of tearing down fences, overturning stacks, demolishing windmills. At Tim Ishams the wind took the shingles off the horse barn, blew in the big barn door, and also broke and opened the parlor door. This was followed by a quiet rain till about 2 a. m. Sunday when the wind again rose to almost a dangerous height and continued all day.

PLAINFIELD.

Mrs. Harding has been visiting her daughter in Pinckney the past week.

A 10 pound son arrived at the home of Harry Jacobs and wife, January 18.

The Presbt. LAS met with Mrs. S. G. Topping last Thursday in this month. Dinner will be served and all are invited.

Rev. J. W. Gray of Adrian, will preach the dedicatory sermon in the M. P. church, Sunday, January 27th, at 10 o'clock.

Did you notice the change in the weather the first of the week. A carpet was put on the floor of the new church last Monday by the LAS.

COLLINS PLAINS

Roy Palmer is sick with the grip.

Roy Palmer is clerking for A. C. Watson.

Chandler Lane is visiting relatives and friends here.

John Rockwell was in this neighborhood Monday.

W. B. Collins was in Detroit last Friday on business.

Gorton Bros. threshed corn for Eliner Jaycox, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. B. Collins was in Stockbridge last Friday.

Ed. Steinar visited his sister, Mrs. Steve Hadley, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pickell made a trip to Stockbridge last Friday.

Richard Mackinber, Jim Cook, and Steve Hadley were Chelsea visitors last Thursday.

Emmet Hadley and family visited his sister, Mrs. Lon Clark, in Stockbridge last Saturday.

Mr. Cooper is visiting his sister Mrs. Geo. Goodwin, and assisting with the revival meetings in Unadilla.

Fred Whited died at his home near Williamsville, Saturday night, Jan. 12 of typhoid pneumonia.

Mrs. Friend Williams, daughter Myra, and son Carl of Stockbridge visited at Richard Mackinders, Monday.

Austin Buhl who has lately been living at Du Bois hotel in Gregory, has been taken to the county farm.

Wm. Stowe and wife of Unadilla and F. G. Stowe and family of Stockbridge expect to leave for Tennessee in the near future where they will make their future home.

Jay Hadley and Miss Bernice Brich were married in Chelsea Wednesday, Jan. 9, Rev. Fr. Conside officiating.

Mrs. R. H. Mackinder, Mrs. F. W. Mackinder and children of Anderson visited her sister, Mrs. Richard Mackinder, over Sunday.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

We are glad to report that C. Sykes is able to get out again after being confined to the house for a few weeks.

Seats are selling rapidly for the Maccabee entertainment this Friday evening. Tickets on sale at Sigler's Drug store.

Geo. Reason Jr. has bills out for an auction sale of household goods at his residence here on Saturday afternoon, January 26. The bill also appears in this paper.

We are glad to report that George Lumm is able to sit up, but is still very lame and sore from his encounter with the shaft in the mill as mentioned in our last issue.

Master Hollis Sigler is very sick at the present writing His mother, Mrs. C. L. Sigler has also been under the care of the physician. There seems to be a good deal of illness in the county.

Miss Mary Brogan entertained the Chance Club at her home, Tuesday evening. Busy tongues and busy fingers, together with the pleasant entertainment and light refreshments furnished by the hostess, made the evening pass very pleasantly.

Finney's Colored Orchestra, of Detroit, (7 pieces) is the topic principal among the people now-a-days. Every one wants to hear them.

LOST—on the street between the M. E. church and the Brogan home, a sterling silver stick pin, please leave at this office.

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