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LOCAL NEWS.

Edgar Thompson is visiting relatives in Fowlerville.

T. J. Gaul was an Ann Arbor visitor the last of last week.

Miss Flora Culhade is home from Ann Arbor for a short visit.

In spite of the cold weather farmers have been putting in their oats.

Mrs. S. J. Kennedy and Miss Belle Kennedy were in Jackson last Thursday.

The snow storm last Friday was not as pleasant April weather as we like.

Howell is full—that is the new comers cannot find empty houses to rent.

Miss Maud Mortenson visited her grand mother in Anderson the past week.

Miss Sarah Brogan left last Friday for Bad Axe where she will attend school.

Mrs. O. J. Sawyer, of Conway, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kennedy the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Miss Vera McGilvery, of Jackson, visited at the home of G. A. Sigler the past week.

Bert Green and family, of Stockbridge, were guests of his parents here over Sunday.

Fred Read having finished his work at Cleary's business college, Ypsilanti was home over Sunday.

School opened up again this week—and now for a steady and strong pull for the final examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schoenhals, of Genoa, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Smith's last Thursday.

Ralph Hess has been employed to take charge of the farm at the State Sanatorium.

The Coboctah drain was let last week for 98¢ cents per rod. The drain is only two miles long.

Much fine blooded stock is being shipped to Livingston county to add to the already valuable herds in the county.

Owing to a greater growth of the Mutual Telephone company an extra switch board has been placed in the Brighton office.

Miss Ella Murphy resigned her position as teacher in Unadilla and the vacancy is being filled by Miss Luella Warner of Howell.

Miss Jessie Green and Mrs. Estella Garham were guests of their brother, A. B. Green and family, in Stockbridge, last week.

Heretofore Hamburg Township has held its elections alternate at Hamburg village and at Pettysville schoolhouse and this year they voted to hereafter hold all elections in Hamburg village.

After a newspaper has yelled itself hoarse in an effort to persuade people to patronize home merchants and accidentally stumbles on the fact that some of these self-same business men he is endeavoring to protect are sending away for job printing or use rubber stamps for their stationary, it rather shakes his faith in mankind, and makes reciprocity look like a lead dime with a hole in it.—Ingham County Democrat.

The merchants protection association recently organized here will no doubt be extended throughout the county and eventually may cover even more territory. A rating book will be issued and the exact standing of all will be given. A man who is rated at only a small amount of property and who is prompt in paying his debts will be given the proper credit for doing so, while a wealthy man who is slow pay will also be rated as such. All dead beats will be posted and their career will be ended so far as obtaining credit is concerned.—Fowlerville Review.

OBITUARY.

Died at her home in Putnam April 4th, Mrs. James Doyle, aged 81 yrs. 2 mos. 11 days.

Bridget Murphy was born in Queens County, Ireland, Jan. 23, 1826. She came to America in 1853, settling in Geneva, New York. There in 1854 she married James Doyle and moved with him to Michigan, settling in Putnam, where she cheerfully endured the privations and hardships attendant upon pioneer life, and with patient industry helped to make a home in this new land.

She was the eldest of eight children. One brother Mr. William Murphy, of West Putnam, and one sister, Mrs. Michael Ruon, of Pinckney, survive her. There remains also to mourn her loss, four daughters, Mrs. W. S. Kennedy, of Stockbridge; Mrs. P. Kennedy, of Pinckney; Mrs. L. Chalkler and Mrs. C. Dyer of Fowlerville, and two sons, Wm., of W. Putnam, and James on the old homestead where she spent so many peaceful happy years, apart from the vanities and trivialities of the world, neither these nor idle gossip held for her any charm. Her sole purpose in life was to serve the Master faithfully here that she might merit an eternity of happiness with Him hereafter.

Since the death of her son's wife six years ago she has faithfully tried to fill a mother's place to his little daughters and lovingly have they shown their appreciation and tenderly have they sought to repay her loving care. Long will they miss the quiet, gentle, little figure, whose prayerful lips so often blessed them.

Funeral services were held in St. Mary's church, of which she was ever a devout member, Rev. Fr. Slattery of Detroit, Rev. Fr. Considine of Chelsea, and Rev. Fr. Thorntons of Howell officiating. She was laid to rest by her husband whose death occurred eight years ago.

Geo. Lumon was in Pontiac on business Monday.

Chas. Teeple and wife were in Detroit the last of last week.

The Wolverine Portland Cement Co. report a dividend of \$260,000.

Raymond Sigler and family are home from the U. of M. at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Maud Carpenter and children visited relatives near Dexter the past week.

M. C. Ruon and Martin Clinton are home from the dental school at Ann Arbor for a weeks vacation.

Harold Brown is up from Ann Arbor spending his vacation at the home of his uncle G. W. Teeple.

We notice the dry goods and grocery merchants are quoting some fine bargains—in neighboring towns.

Mrs. Hazel Kisby visited her mother here the past week. She soon leaves for her new home in Nunica.

W. C. Deveraux, of the United States weather bureau, Milwaukee, made his people here a short visit the past week.

An average of two cars per day of stoves and ovens of various patterns are turned out by the Glazier Stove works at Chelsea.

Thos Evans, Frank Ayers and Mr. McCandless, asst. editor of the U. of M. Daily, are spending their vacation camping at the Bluffs on Portage.

Lyman Peck and wife left this week for Chelsea to make a home for their two sons, Will and Emory, who are working in the Glazier Stove works.

The steam shovel has been quite busy in this vicinity the past two weeks. They are grading and leveling the track on the M. A. L. Rumors say that the work points to enter road facilities for the Grand Trunk line in the near future.

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THAW JURY DISAGREED

SEVEN WERE FOR CONVICTION
WHILE FIVE WANTED TO
ACQUIT.

STORIES FROM THE JURY.

Trial Lasted Eleven Weeks and Was
A Continual Dramatic Scene Till the
End Came.

New Trial in the Fall.

After having struggled for nearly two days to reach a verdict, the Thaw jury reported a disagreement late Friday afternoon and was immediately discharged. The final ballot stood seven for conviction of murder in the first degree and five for acquittal on the ground of insanity.

On the final ballot the jurors who voted for conviction were Foreman Deming S. Smith, George Pink, Chas. H. Pecke, Harry C. Brearley, Chas. D. Newton, Joseph H. Bolton and Bernard Gerstman.

The five who hung out for acquittal were Oscar A. Pink, Henry C. Harney, Malcolm F. Fraser, John S. Dennee and Wilbur F. Steele.

Thaw was at once taken back to the Tombs. District Attorney Jerome announced immediately after the jury's discharge that Thaw would be tried again, though not for several months.

Attorney Dennis, of California, who conducted Thaw's case in court and who in making his summing up address to the jury appealed almost directly to the "unwritten law" or "dementia Americana," as he termed it, was not in court when the jury made its report.

When the votes cast on the first ballot were counted it proved that eight of the jurors voted to convict Thaw of murder in the first degree, the other four voting to acquit on the ground of insanity. The original four who stood for acquittal were jurors Pink, Harney, Fraser and Steele.

From this time on the contest was one between these two extreme wings. There never was much hope of reconciling them. The four who originally were for acquittal never voted for anything else, while seven of the eight for murder in the first degree, remained of the same opinion, although some of them were willing to compromise if the champions of acquittal could be induced to meet them half way.

This, however, was not possible, and before the twelve men finally gave it up, the forces that fought for acquittal had won over Juror Dennee to their side.

Juror Joseph Bolton said: "There was no question of the unwritten law or of 'dementia Americana' in our deliberations. We considered the case from a purely legal standpoint. We were not swayed by emotion."

"The jury when considering the case took no stock in 'brain storms,'" said Juror Dennee. "We did not pay any undue amount of attention to the testimony of the alienists, either." Mr. Pecke said: "It was after Mr. Dennee had read some of Thaw's letters that the latter decided there was a reasonable doubt as to Thaw's sanity. Hence, then, joined the four men who stood for acquittal on the grounds of insanity."

District Attorney Jerome, as soon as the jury had been discharged, went upstairs to his office. When he got there several of the jurors were inside waiting for him. The jurors were Pecke, Pink, Dennee and Foreman Smith. A little later Juror Bolton came in carrying a little satchel. The door was locked and Mr. Jerome listened to his jurors for about twenty minutes.

They explained to him their recollection of everything that went on in the jury room. Mr. Jerome was much pleased to get an accurate account of what happened, though he refused to say anything about what the jurors had told him. They all went away after shaking hands with the district attorney.

The district attorney's manner indicated that he was not much put out over the outcome. He was asked about what he had to say as to the result.

"There is nothing that I can with propriety say about the trial," he said. "From what went on in the jury room and the way the jurors stood, it appears certain that there should be a second trial. As to the date of that trial, there is no telling now. There are fifteen prisoners in the Tombs awaiting trial on the charge of murder in the first degree, and their cases will have to be disposed of in the regular course of events before we can get to Thaw again. It certainly will not be before fall."

"As to bail, an application will, of course, be made, but I shall vigorously oppose the release of Thaw. Taking into consideration the number of jurors who voted to convict the defendant of murder in the first degree, I think it extremely unlikely that any judge would allow the application."

Mr. Francis P. Fremont, of the Fifth U. S. infantry, and a son of the late Gen. John C. Fremont, is being tried by court-martial at New York. He is charged with borrowing money on false representation as to his financial standing. Fremont is alleged to have borrowed several sums on his representation that he owned property in San Francisco, and had \$5000 in a Havana bank.

ANOTHER WESTERN CANADA RECORD.

The Way in Which a Swan River Farmer Became Wealthy.

Swan River, Manitoba, Nov. 21, 1909

Two weeks ago we gave an account of the prosperity of a farmer in Western Canada, and this week we reproduce another.

"I have been asked regarding this year's work on my farm, and I herewith willingly submit the following statement:

"Three years ago I purchased an improved farm of 186 acres on Section 9, Township 34, Range 27 west of the First Meridian—two miles from the town of Swan River.

I plowed and cropped 122 1/2 acres of land during this year (1908), 80 acres in wheat, 30 acres in oats, and 12 1/2 acres in barley.

"The cost of putting in and taking off this crop this season is as follows: Cash paid for blue stone.....\$ 1.50 Cash paid for binder twine..... 39.00 Cash paid for hired help..... 125.00 Cash paid for threshing..... 175.00

Total.....\$ 340.00

"Receipts for the year as follows—

80 acres of wheat (yielded 30 bushels per acre)—Total.....2,400 bu.

30 acres of oats (yielded 46 bushels per acre)—Total.....1,200 "

12 1/2 acres barley (48 bu. per acre)..... 600 "

Crop potatoes..... 300 "

Hay, tons..... 15

Sold.....

1,168 bu. wheat at 62c.....\$ 724.16

1,232 bu. wheat in granary at 62c..... 763.84

300 bu. barley at 35c..... 105.00

300 bu. barley in granary at 35c..... 105.00

1,200 bu. oats in granary at 25c..... 300.00

100 bu. potatoes at 30c..... 30.00

200 bu. potatoes in root house at 30c..... 60.00

1 stack of oats in sheaf for feed..... 50.00

15 tons of hay at \$3.00..... 45.00

Garden crops and vegetables..... 30.00

Total.....\$2,213.00

Cost of above, besides my own labor..... 340.50

Balance.....\$1,872.50

I have in all, 125 acres ready for crop next year, including 10 acres cleared and broken this season.

Total Assets.....

186 acres land, with house, stable and outbuildings, etc.....\$5,000.00

Implements..... 500.00

4 head of horses, and harness..... 800.00

15 head of cattle..... 375.00

20 pigs..... 200.00

Receipts of this season's crop.....1,872.50

Total.....\$8,747.50

Liabilities are.....1,000.00

Total assets.....\$7,747.50

I have made the above amount by farming in Manitoba. I think it has paid. This is my standing to-day. I am a single man, a Canadian, and 26 years of age.

For particulars how to secure low railway rates to the free homesteads of Western Canada apply to any Canadian Government agent.

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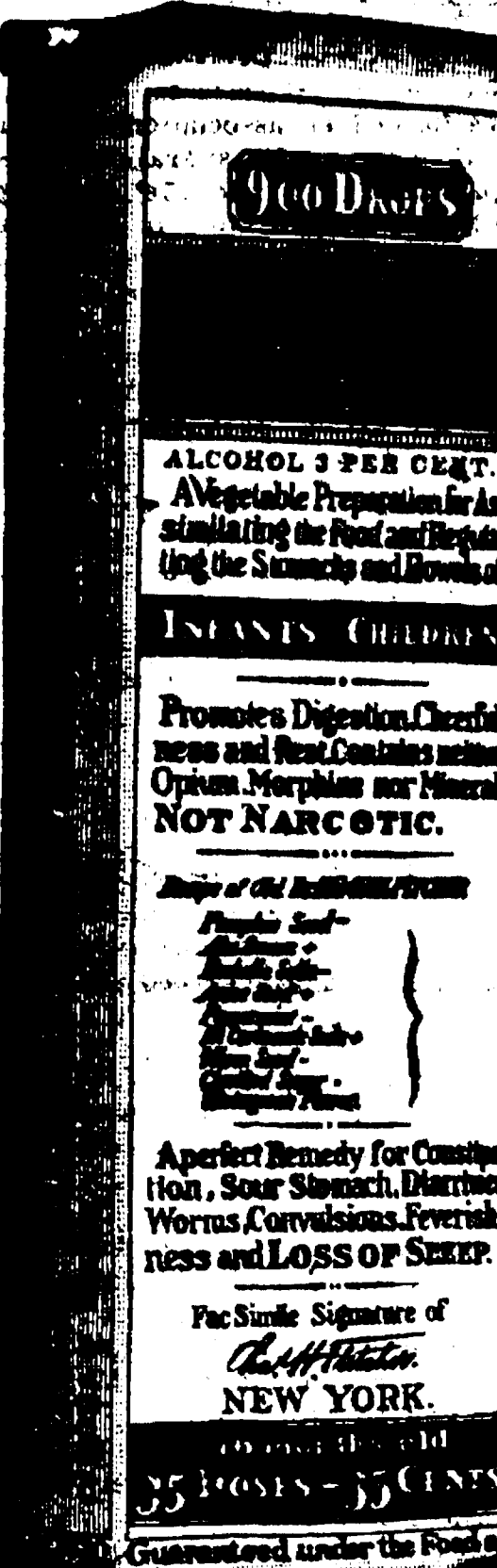
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Mrs. Milton Velzey, Grandville, says:

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Rev. A. N. Cooper, Meir, Mich., says:

I have known of your work for years. My father suffered with piles for many years. His was an aggravated case of long standing and you cured him in two treatments. My case was not so severe and you cured me more easily.

Rev. Father Krakowski, Pastor Sacred Heart Church, Grand Rapids, says:

Having had personal experience with your new painless method of curing piles, I feel it a duty to suffering humanity to spread the news of your great work and I never lose an opportunity to do so.

Write us a full description of your case as you understand it and we will tell you just what we can do for you and how much it will cost you when you are cured. Remember you pay nothing until you are cured. We have cured over 4,000 cases without a single failure. We have a booklet explaining our treatment fully and containing letters from hundreds of people from all parts of Michigan whom we have cured, with all names and addresses given plainly so you can write direct to them and find out all about it. What we have done for others we can certainly do for you. Send for our free booklet to-day as you may never see our advertisement again.

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THE MAY VOTE.

New the Vote, Stand in the Town Hall, at 10 o'clock, on May 1st.

By the surprising vote of 55 to 1, Rep. David A. Thompson, of Detroit, being the only one—the Western two-cent fare bill was passed by the house under suspension of the rules, as had been urged by Gov. Warner and the progressive members. The debate lasted but a few minutes, and Rep. James D. Jerome, of Detroit, presided during the consideration in committee of the whole. The vote of Mr. Thompson was the feature of the performance.

The air is full of rumors of litigation talk and court contentions, but the bill contains a clause laying a penalty of \$500 a day for any railroad that does not comply with the provisions, and this penalty makes it difficult to see how a read will risk this penalty for the sake of fares.

Brother Wants the Money.

With the body of John Kingston lying in a grave in the national cemetery at Nashville, Tenn., his brother, Wm. Kingston, of Dunmaway, County of Cork, Ireland, is making an effort to secure possession of money said to have been deposited in some bank in Michigan in 1884, when John Kingston was serving in the army. A letter from Ireland says that John Kingston in 1884 placed to his brother's credit in a Michigan bank the sum of \$1,000. The name of the bank was not specified. Investigation of records at Lansing shows that John Kingston enlisted from Mendon, this county, January 18, 1864, in Co. E, First Michigan light artillery, was taken sick at Nashville, died in the hospital August 8, 1864, at the age of 20. The sum of money he is said to have deposited will have accumulated during the 45 years to a snug fortune for the Irish brother in Dunmaway.

Buried Together.

Louis Drago and Henry King, married sisters and for years lived as neighbors and grew old together in Bay City. Drago was confined to his home for weeks suffering from dropsy, and was daily visited by King. Last week King was stricken with pneumonia and he died on Tuesday. A few hours after the announcement of the death of his friend Drago passed away. On Thursday a double funeral was held at St. Joseph's church and the two life-long companions went the way of all flesh, side by side, and in their final resting places lie as they lived—neighbors.

Tribute to Alger.

The state of Michigan paid tribute to Gen. William A. Alger Wednesday morning, memorial exercises being held in the legislative hall in the capitol. The governor and his staff, the supreme court, state officials, members of the legislature and Michigan members of congress, attended, and the members of the late senator's family were present. Lieut. Gov. Kelley presided. Features of the decoration effects in the hall were the battle flags which led the forces of Gen. Alger into battle during the civil war. Regrets were read from President Roosevelt, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Secretary of War Bonaparte, Secretary of the Navy Metcalf, and Senator William Alden Smith, who is in California.

The eulogy was delivered by Hon. Don M. Dickinson.

Detroit Man on Thaw Jury.

When the Thaw jury retired for lunch Thursday, after 21 hours' deliberation, to outward appearance it seemed to stand 11 to 1, Harry Brearley, No. 6, formerly of Detroit, seemed to be at loggerheads with the other jurors, as frequently they would turn to him, and then nearest to him would be heard conversations with him. Brearley collapsed this morning, and was so fatigued, but apparently as best they might, they reached an agreement.

Cheek Look Fine.

Correspondents of the secretary of state quite generally report favorably on the condition of wheat, notwithstanding the slow growth on account of the drought, the consequent small growth before entering the winter and lack of protection by snow.

Reports concerning fruit are not flattering, correspondents in nearly all parts of the state complaining of San Jose scale, leaf blight, black knot, and the disastrous freeze of October, 1906. As compared with an average the condition of the fruits is given at between 59 for peaches and 79 for small fruit.

A Merit Camp.

Supt. R. F. Emery, of the Mackinac Island park, has proposed to military officers a merit camp at the island for the Michigan National guard. Barracks there will provide for 50 men and several officers. For proficiency men could be sent there from each company and receive instruction from the army officers during a one or two months' camp. The islanders would like to have the soldiers there and the park commission might arrange for part of the expense.

Pontiac citizens will appeal to the U. S. R. to reduce the fare from Pontiac to Cass Lake to five cents, which was the fare until the railway was beaten in a lawsuit by Bloomfield township.

Women Demand Suffrage.

Women of all classes in Geneva have formed an association to secure for themselves the suffrage. Every department of public life, and especially the right to vote in parliamentary elections. The vice president and the secretary of the association are members of the chamber of deputies, and several university professors have accepted minor offices. Many public men are giving their support to the movement.—London Tribune.

SPLENDID APRIL TONIC.

Readily Prepared at Home and Harmless to the System.

This is known as "Blood-Cleaning Time," especially among the older folks, who always take something during this month to clean the blood of impurities and build it up.

The following is the recipe as given by a well-known authority, and anyone can prepare it at home: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce, Compound Kargon, one ounce, Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Get these simple ingredients from any good pharmacy and mix by shaking well in a bottle. The dose, one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Everybody should take something to help the blood, which becomes impoverished and almost sour after the winter season, especially those who are subject to Rheumatism, Catarrh, Kidney and Bladder trouble. It is well that this tonic's use of this mixture will clear the skin of sores, pimples or blemishes.

This is sound, healthy advice, which will be appreciated by many readers.

HAD NERVE, BUT NO MONEY.

Unlucky Man's Modest Request for Pecuniary Assistance.

Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, while in New Orleans a few months ago, took the opportunity of going to the races. During the afternoon he cashed several tickets, the result of good guesses. He was feeling happy after the last race, and started for the automobile which was to convey him back to his hotel. As he was about to climb into the machine he felt a hand on his arm, and a man shouted in his ear:

"Hello, Hitchcock, how are you? Hear you put a crimp in the bookies today?"

Hitchcock blushed and shook hands sheepishly, not recognizing the man, and not wishing to show it.

"Say, I want to speak to you confidentially," said the stranger.

"All right; what is it?" asked the comedian.

"Well, I am up against some hard luck today. They cleaned me and I want to get home. Now, don't let any one of these people see you, but slip me enough for car fare, will you?"

"Sure," said Hitchcock, placing his hand in his pocket. Then he paused and queried: "Where do you live?"

"Vancouver," was the answer.

Hitchcock took a flying leap for his machine, and unless the visitors at New Orleans are more glib, the impudently one is still looking for car fare.—Harper's Weekly.

ROMANTIC DEVONSHIRE.

The Land Made Famous by Philipotts' Novels.

Philipotts has made us familiar with romantic Devonshire, in his fascinating novels, "The River," "Children of the Mist," etc. The characters are very human; the people there drink coffee with the same results as elsewhere. A writer at Rock House, Orchard Hill, Bideford, North Devon, states:

"For 30 years I drank coffee for breakfast and dinner but some 5 years ago I found that it was producing indigestion and heart-burn, and was making me restless at night. These symptoms were followed by brain fog and a sluggish mental condition.

"When I realized this, I made up my mind to quit drinking coffee and having read of Postum, I concluded to try it. I had it carefully made, according to directions, and found to my agreeable surprise at the end of a week, that I no longer suffered from either indigestion, heart-burn, or brain fog, and that I could drink it at night and secure restful and refreshing sleep.

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POPULAR APPROVAL OF THEFT.

English Writer Sees Significance in Clarification of Robbers.

The idea of private property has never been fully accepted by the masses of the people, and never had their cordial approval as an institution, says a writer in the London News. The most popular songs and ballads of our nation in all ages, it may be noted, have been those which described sympathetically attacks on private property, from the Robin Hood cycle to the broadsheets, in which Turpin and Sheppard were made heroes.

Even nowadays the literature that really touches the people, the literature that the educated classes seldom so much as see exposed for sale, the literature that is sold in the small "general" shop in the back street, and costs fewer pennies than the novel we know costs shillings, still very largely deals with the romantic exploits of the robber. He is never a villain; he is noble and generous to a fault; but he is convinced of the impropriety of persons having too much money.

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Town Belle Criticized.

A town belle got off the train at a small town between Atchison and Topeka last night, says Ed Howe. She shook hands with her left hand; wore a larger hat than the girls who met her, wore pretty loud clothes, chewed gum and when she hit the clinder platform of her home town a lot of people grinned at her and said: "Hello, there!" This town belle was not bad looking, but she couldn't keep her mouth closed even when she was not talking.—Kansas City Journal.

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The various cities are poking fun at Pittsburg which had to go all over the country to find it is twenty eight good citizens but still Pittsburg has not yet furnished a member of the Ananias club.

Rest is the great restorer. We tire our muscles by exercise and then rest to restore them; yet a great many of us do not stop to think how little rest we give our stomachs. As a usual thing no part of our bodies is so generally overworked as our digestive organs. A tired and overworked stomach will give signs of distress to which we pay no heed until at last Dyspepsia takes hold. Indigestion is just a warning, and if we heed the warning we can easily avoid further consequences. KODOL is a most thorough stomach relief. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach the needed rest and greatly assists in restoring it to its normal activity and usefulness. KODOL is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. It is here—
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Bitten by a Spider.

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Notice of Letting of Drain Contract.

Notice is hereby given, That I, FRANK E. MOWERS, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Livingston and State of Michigan, will, on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1907, at the Residence of William McDowell in the Township of Marion, in said County of Livingston at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as "Marion Number Three Drain" located and established in the Township of Marion in said County of Livingston and described as follows, to-wit:

MARION NUMBER 3 DRAIN.

Minutes of survey of center line of a drain in the township of Marion Livingston County, Michigan, to be known as Marion No. 3 Drain. Commencing at a stake marked "O" standing on Section line and 15 c, 80 l, S. of the N. W. Cor. Sec. 24, T. 2 N. R. 4 E. Michigan and thence running up stream on the N. & N. W. & said Sec. 24.

Bearings of the Courses	Distance from the Commencement	Length of the Courses	Number of Angles	Number of Stakes	Width on Top	Depth	Distance on Each Land	Descriptions of Land Crossed
N 77 1/2° e.....	0							
	2	74	2	74	1	22.35	6.45	O. The commencement, 3.10 from bottom Grade is 4 ft to the mile whole dist.
	2					123.28	6.76	
Thence n 56 1/2° e	6					228.38	8.46	
Thence n 15 1/2° e	8					332.40	9.80	
Thence n 2° e.....	10					426.94	7.98	4.57 from bottom of st 4
	12					521.17	7.46	
	12	84	4	84	4	625.38	7.46	
Thence n 11 1/2° w	14					726.70	7.90	
	16					823.40	6.80	
	18					926.22	7.74	
	19	53						Cross sec line 5 c 8 l e sec cors On n 1/2 w 1/2 sec 24, Mrs. Johnsons which is left here and enter sw 1/2 sec 13, A. C. Wright.
Thence n 3 1/2° e.....	19	69	6	85	5	1021.79	5.23	
	20					1123.19	6.73	
	22					1223.70	6.90	
	24					1331.83	9.61	
	26					1425.14	7.38	
	28					1526.08	7.36	
	30					1626.22	7.74	
	32					1725.50	7.50	
	34					1827.66	8.82	
	36					1930.21	9.07	
	38					2029.85	8.95	
	40					2127.42	8.14	
	42					2229.61	8.87	
	44					2326.10	7.70	
	46					2425.62	7.54	
	48					2526.43	7.81	
	50					2625.62	2.54	
	52					2726.34	7.78	
	54							
	55	35	31	6				Enter lake 5.55 below top water.
Thence n 28 1/2° w	59					8023.64	6.88	Leave lake 16 r in lake
Thence n.....	60	15	5	15	7	3122.35	6.45	40 52 Cross 1/2 line 5 c 32 l e 1/2 post On sw 1/2 sec 13 which leaves here and enter w 1/2 n w 1/2 sec 13 McDowell's.
	62					3221.30	6.10	
	64					3320.76	5.92	
Thence w.....	66					3420.58	5.88	
	68	50	7	35		3521.15	6.05	
	70					3620.31	5.77	
	72	82						Cross sec line 7 c 35 l n of 1/2 Post.
	73					3718.00	4.91	12 67 On w 1/2 n w 1/2 sec 13 which is left here and enter ne 1/2 sec 14 land of W. K. Sexton. St. 37 end of ditch from top water.
								18 On ne 1/2 sec 14. Also run down stream from said commencement St. O 6 c for an outlet.
								On e 1/2 of ne 1/2 sec 23 land of Peter Fitzsimmons and C. E. Bullock.

Making total distance of 79 C. less 4 C. in lake—making 75 C. to be dug—all of said ditch being connected together forming one complete and entire drain.

Station stakes and grade hubs are placed every 2 chains measured from commencement to end except from st 36 to st 37 is 1 C. and are numbered separately and consecutively up stream, and are placed on the left bank and 12 feet from the center line. Angle stakes are numbered consecutively, and are set 12 feet from the center line.

All angles are to be turned at an easy grade by cutting a rod each way from the angle on a curve or circle. The total width required for the right of way is 40 feet on each side of the center line.

All excavations are to be removed, at least 4 feet from the edge of the drain, and spread.

The bottom width to be at least 3 feet.

Openings are to be left through the excavations at most desired points so as not to obstruct the flow of water from the outside into said ditch.

The slope of the sides to be 1 1/2 feet outwards to one foot in height from the bottom.

The depth of the ditch, and width on top, are measured from a level with the top of the grade hubs set by the station stakes.

The same specifications apply to the 24 rods down stream from the commencement for an outlet. The Highways are to be crossed at right angles to the same.

As to culverts, or sluices, and the removal of the tile, the same will be announced at time of letting.

Survey finished Feby. 16th, A. D. 1907.

By order of FRANK E. MOWERS, County Drain Commissioner.

MILES W. BULLOCK, Surveyor.

Said job will be let in one or more sections. The section at the outlet of the said Drain will be let first, and the remaining sections, if any, in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said Drain, in the office of the County Drain Commissioner of the said County of Livingston, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security, for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. No person will be permitted to bid until he first deposits the sum of fifty dollars either in cash or certified check with the Drain Commissioner, conditioned that he will enter into contract for the faithful performance of said job. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is Further Hereby Given, That at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter, to which I, the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Marion Number Three Drain Special Assessment District," and the appointment thereof will be announced by me and will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz:

Section 13.

1/2 of sw 1/2 of n w 1/2; E 1/2 of sw 1/2 of n w 1/2; S 1/2 of n w 1/2; W 1/2 of se 1/2; S w 1/2.

Section 14.

S 1/2 of ne 1/2; N 1/2 of se 1/2; N 1/2 of se 1/2 of se 1/2; S 1/2 of se 1/2 of se 1/2.

Section 24.

N 1/2 of n w 1/2.

The above lands are all located in Township 2 North of Range 4 East Michigan. Township of Marion at Large.

Now, Therefore, All unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you William McDowell, Thomas Gordon, Mary C. Gordon, W. K. Sexton, Charles O'Connor, Wesley J. Wiley, Margaret Johnson, Harry Harmon, M. Lorane Lonsbury, Charles Welker, Arthur Wright, Josephine Wright, and you John Musson, supervisor of the Township of Marion, and you George Wright, highway commissioner of the Township of Marion, are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said hearing may be adjourned, I shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said "Marion Number Three Drain," in the manner hereinbefore stated; and also, that at such time of letting from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, the assessment for benefits and the lands comprised within the Marion Number Three Drain Special Assessment Districts will be subject to review.

And You and Each of You, Owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such letting as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated Howell, Mich.
April 13th, A. D. 1907.

FRANK E. MOWERS,
County Drain Commissioner of the
County of Livingston.

Good Roads.

The "First Biennial Report of the State Highway Commissioner" came to our desk the past week and on looking over its contents we find that they meet the exact view we have, now and then, placed before our people—that is—better highways, plenty of material and prison labor that will be a benefit to the state. The report shows some cuts of Macadam roads which have been built in different parts of the state. It states that in the northern part of Michigan there are mountains of trap rock. In Keweenaw county alone there is enough rock to macadamize all the roads in the United States, and it is said that at the mouth of Little Montreal river in that county is enough stone to keep all the convicts of Michigan busy crushing for the next 200 years.

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Therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the West front door of the Court House in the village of Howell in said County of Livingston that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston on Saturday the 18th day of July A. D. 1907 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the principal and interest due on said mortgage, the Attorney fee provided therein and costs of said sale, of the following described premises, to wit: commencing twenty rods East of the Northwest corner of Section twenty two (22) in township four (4) North of Range five (5) East Michigan, running thence South eight rods thence East sixty rods thence North eight rods thence West to beginning containing three acres of land.

HENRY THEIBOLT, JR.,
Assignee of the Mortgagee.

Dated, Howell, April 4, 1907.
WM. P. VANWINKLE,
Attorney for Assignee.

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 March, A. D. 1907.

Present, Hon. Arthur A. Montague, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of **SILAS S. RICHMOND**, deceased.

George L. Richmond having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate, be granted to George L. Richmond or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 28th day of April, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be 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 circulated in said county.

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SERIAL STORY

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CHAPTER XXXI.—Continued.

When Follett came riding back that evening he saw that Prudence had been troubled. The candle-light showed sadness in her dark eyes and in the weighted corners of her mouth. He was moved to take her in his arms and soothe her as he had seen mothers do with some sorry little children. But instead of this he questioned her father sharply when their worn-out mattresses had been put before the side of the fireplace for the night. The little man told him frankly the cause of her grief. There was something compelling in the other's way of asking questions. When the thing had been made plain, Follett looked at him indignantly.

"Do you mean to say that you let her go on thinking that about herself?"

"I told her that her father and mother had been rightly married."

"Didn't she think you were fooling her in some way?"

"I can't be sure."

"She must have, or she wouldn't be so down in the mouth now. Why didn't you tell her the truth?"

"If only—if only she could go on thinking I am her father—only a little while."

Follett spoke with the ring of a sudden resolution in his voice.

"Now, I'll tell you one thing, Mr. Man, something has got to be done by some one. I can't do it because I'm tied by a promise, and so I reckon you ought to."

"Just a little time! Oh, if you only had the knives cut me on every side, the fires burn all through me!"

"Well, think of the knives cutting that girl—making her believe she has to be ashamed of her mother. You go to sleep now, and try to lie quiet; there ain't anything here to hurt you. But I'll tell you one thing—you've got to go the mark."

CHAPTER XXXII.

The Mission Service in Box Canyon Is Suspended.

Follett waited with a new eagerness next day for their walk to the canyon. But Prudence, looking at him with eyes that sorrow was clouding, said that she could not go. He felt a sharp new excitement against the man who was letting her suffer rather than betray himself, and he again resolved that this man must be made to "go the mark," to "take his needles," and that, meantime, the deceived girl must be effectually reassured. Something must be said to take away the hurt that was tugging at the corners of her smile to draw them down. To this end he pleaded with her not to deprive him of the day's lesson, especially as the time was now at hand when he must leave. And so ably did he word his appeal to her sense of duty that at last she consented to go.

Once in the canyon, however, where the pines had stored away the cool gloom of the night against the day's heat, she was glad she had come. For, better than being alone with that strange, new hurt, was it to have by her side this friendly young man, who somehow made her feel as if it were right and safe to lean upon him, despite his unregenerate condition. And presently there, in the zeal of saving his soul, she was almost happy again.

Yet he seemed, to-day to be impatient under the teaching, and more than once she felt that he was on the point of interrupting the lesson to some end of his own.

He seemed insufficiently impressed even with the knowledge of astronomy displayed by the prophets of the Book of Mormon, hearing, without a quiver of interest, that when at Joshua's command the sun seemed to stand still upon Gibeon and the moon in the valley of Ajalon, the real facts were that the earth merely paused in its revolutions upon its own axis and about the sun. Without a question he thus heard Ptolemy refuted and the discoveries of Copernicus anticipated 2,000 years before that investigator was born. He was indeed deplorably inattentive. She suspected, from the quick glances she gave him,

that he had no understanding at all of what she read. Yet in this she did him injustice, for now she came to the passage: "They all did swear unto him that whoso should vary from the assistance which Akish desired should lose his head; and whoso should divulge whatsoever thing Akish should make known unto them should lose his life." This time he sat up.

"There it is again—they don't mind losing their heads. They were sure the fightingest men—don't you think so now?"

As he went on talking she laid the book down and leaned back against the trunk of the big pine under which they sat. He seemed to be saying something that he had been revolving in his mind while she read.

"I'd hate to have you think you have been wasting your time on me this summer, but I'm afraid I'm just too downright unsanctified."

"Oh, don't say that!" she cried.

"I couldn't even join your church."

Her face became full of alarm.

"Only for just one thing;—I don't

care very much for this having so many wives."

She was relieved at once. "If that's all—I don't approve of it myself. You wouldn't have to."

"Oh, that's what you say now—" he spoke with an air of shrewdness and suspicion—"but when I got in

member coming into the church might think at first he could get along without so many wives. He might say: "Well, now, I draw a line in this marrying business. I'll never take more than two or three wives, or maybe four." He might even be so taken up with one lady that he'd say: "I won't ever marry a second wife—not for some time yet, that is—not for two or three years, till she begins to get kind of houseworn." But then after he's taken his second, the others would come easy. Say he marries, first time, a tall, slim, dark girl,—he looked at her musingly, while she gazed intently into the stream in front of them.

"—and then say he meets a little bit of a thing, kind of heavy-set like, with this light yellow hair and pretty light blue eyes, that he saw one Sunday at church—"

Her dark face was flushed now in pained wonder.

"—why then it's so easy to keep on and marry others, with the preachers all preaching it from the pulpit."

"But you wouldn't have to."

"No, you wouldn't have to marry anyone after the second—after this little blonde—but you'd have to marry her because it says here that you shall abide the law or ye shall be damned, saith the Lord God."

He pulled himself along the ground closer to her, and went on again in

as many wives as those old codgers down there below, would you?"

"No—I'm sure you shouldn't have but one. Oh, you couldn't marry more than one, could you?" She turned her eyes for the first time upon him, and he saw that some inward warmth seemed to be melting them.

"Well, I'd hate to disappoint you if you were my sister, but there's the word of the Lord—"

"Oh, but could you anyway, even if you didn't have a sister, and there was no one but her to think of?"

He appeared to debate with himself cautiously.

"Well, now, I must say your teaching has taken a powerful hold on me this summer—" he reached under her arm and caught her other hand. "You've been like a sister to me, and made me think about these things pretty deep and serious. I don't know if I could get what you've taught me out of my mind or not."

"But how could you ever marry another wife?"

"Well, a man don't like to think he's going to the bad place when he dies, all on account of not marrying a few more times. It sort of takes the ambition out of him."

"Oh, it couldn't be right!"

"Well, now, I'll do as you say. Do I forget all these things you've been teaching me, and settle down with one wife—or do I come into the Kingdom and lash the cinches of my glory good and plenty by marrying whenever I get time to build a new end on the house, like old man Wright does?"

She was silent.

"Like a sister would tell a brother," he urged, with a tighter pressure of her two hands. "But this seemed to recall another trouble to her mind."

"I—I'm not fit to be your sister—don't talk of it—you don't know—"

Her voice broke, and he had to release her hand. Whereupon he put his own back up against the pine tree, reached his arm about her, and had her head upon his shoulder.

"There, there now!"

"But you don't know."

"Well, I do know—so just you straighten out that face. I do know. I tell you. Now, don't cry and I'll fix it all right, I promise you."

"But you don't even know what my trouble is."

"I do—it's about your father and mother—when they were married."

"How did you know?"

"I can't tell you now, but I will soon. Look here, you can believe what I tell you, can't you?"

"Yes, I can do that."

"Well, then, you listen. Your father and mother were married in the right way, and there wasn't a single bit of crookedness about it. I wouldn't tell you if I didn't know and couldn't prove it to you in a little while. Say, there's one of our wagon trains coming along here toward Salt Lake next Monday. It's coming out of its way on purpose to pick me up. I'll promise to have it proved to you by that time. Now, is that fair? Can you believe me?"

She looked up at him, her face bright again.

"Oh, I do believe you! You don't know how glad you make me. It was an awful thing—oh, you are a dear—and full upon his lips she kissed the astounded young man, holding him fast with an arm about his neck. "You've made me all over new—I was feeling so wretched—and, of course, I can't see how you know anything about it, but I know you are telling the truth." Again she kissed him.

Thought it Time to Stop

Wonders of the Telephone Too Much for Sitting Bull.

C. J. H. Woodbury, the engineering expert of the telephone company, told the boot and shoe men the other night the true version of the Sitting Bull and telephone story, says the Boston Herald. Sitting Bull had been captured by the United States troops and was held in close confinement. So also was another obstreperous Indian, held in confinement at a post about 100 miles away. The officer in charge of Sitting Bull had been chasing the Indians for two months, and was wondering what he would do with the captive. In an inspired moment he decided to arrange an interview between the two Indians over the telephone. After the necessary ringing up Sitting Bull was asked if he cared to talk into the machine. He talked into it for several minutes and did a heap of listening also.

He put down the instrument finally, and for hours was even more gloomy than usual, at last beginning to talk to himself, something very rare for the Indian. Asked if he was dissatisfied with his accommodations or if there was anything he could do for him he broke forth at last:

"No, I'm finished. It's all right when the white man's plaything talks the white man's language, but when it learns to talk the red man's tongue it's time to stop."

It is believed in the west, where the incident is fairly well known, that this talk over the telephone between

with the utmost cordiality. Then she stood up to arrange her hair, her face full of the joy of this assurance. The young man saw that she had forgotten both him and his religious perplexities, and he did not wish her to be entirely diverted of concern for him at this moment.

"But how about me? Here I am, lost if I do and lost if I don't. You better sit down here again and stop there isn't some way I can get that crown of glory."

She sat down by him; instantly sobered from her own joy, and calmly gave him a hand to hold.

"Well, I'll tell you," she said, frankly. "You wait awhile. Don't do anything right away. I'll have to ask father." And then as he reached over to pick up the Book of Mormon—"No, let's not read any more to-day. Let's sit a little while and only think about things." She was so free from embarrassment that he began to doubt if he had been so very deeply clever, after all, in suggesting the relationship between them. But after she had mused awhile, she seemed to perceive for the first time that he was very earnestly holding both of her hands. She blushed, and suddenly withdrew them. Whereat he was more pleased than when she had passively let them be. He approached the matter of salvation for himself once more.

"Of course, I can wait awhile for you to find out the rights of this thing, but I'm afraid I can't be baptized even if you tell me to be—even if you want me to obey the Lord and marry some pretty little light-complected, yellow-haired thing afterwards—after I'd married my first wife. Fact is, I don't believe I could. Probably I'd care so much for the first one that I'd have blinders on for all the other women in the world. She'd have me tied down with the red ribbon in her hair—" he touched the red ribbon in her own by way of illustration—"just like I can tie the biggest steer you ever saw with that little silk rag of mine—hold him, two hind legs and one fore, so he can't budge an inch. I'd just like to see some little, short, kind of plump, pretty yellow-haired thing come between us."

For an instant she looked such warm, almost indignant approval that he believed she was about to express an opinion of her own in the matter, but she stayed silent, looking away instead with a little movement of having swallowed something.

"And you, too, if you were my sister, do you think I'd want you married to a man who'd begin to look around for some one else as soon as he got you? No, sir—you deserve some decent young fellow who'd love you all to pieces day in and day out, and never so much as look at this little yellow-haired girl—even if she was almost as pretty as you."

But she was not to be led into rendering any hasty decision which might affect his eternal salvation. Moreover, she was embarrassed and disturbed.

"We must go," she said, rising before he could help her. When they had picked their way down to the mouth of the canyon, he walked behind her, she turned back and said: "Of course you could marry that little yellow-haired girl with the blue eyes first, the one you're thinking so much about—the little short, fat thing with a doll-baby face—"

But he only answered: "Oh, well, if you get me into your church it wouldn't make a bit of difference whether I took her first or second."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

the two Indians had a considerable influence in shortening the Indian wars.

No More Arguments for Him.

It was the blissful half-hour after dinner and a group of workmen were beguiling the time with an argument on some question or other.

An interesting knock had been reached when one of the men on the losing side turned to a mate, who had remained silent during the whole of the debate.

"Ere, Bill," he said, "you're pretty good at a argument. What's your opinion?"

"I ain't a-goin' to say," said Bill. "I threshed the matter out afore with Dick Grey."

"Ah!" said the other, artfully, hoping to entice him into the fray, "and what did you arrive at?"

"Well, eventually," said Bill, "Dick arrived at the ospital an' I arrived at the police station."—Stray Stories.

Harry Lehr's Witticisms.

A "Lebric," as the witticisms of Harry Lehr are called, recently went the rounds of Newport. At a dinner where Robert Goetz said of a young millionaire: "He drank entirely too much. He was ruining his life. I am glad to see that he has sworn off. He drinks nothing but soda water now." But he wears yellow glasses," said Mr. Lehr, "to make himself think that it's champagne."



He Took Her Small Brown Hand in His.

you'd throw up my duty to me constant about building up the kingdom. Oh, I know how it's done! I've heard your preachers talk enough."

"But it isn't necessary. I wouldn't—I don't think it would be at all nice of you."

He looked at her with warm sympathy. "You poor ignorant girl! Not to know your own religion! I read in that book there about this marrying business only the other day. Just hand me that one."

She handed him the "Book of Doctrine and Covenants" from which she had occasionally taught him the Lord's word, as revealed to Joseph Smith. The revelation on celestial marriage had never been among her selections. He turned to it now.

"Here, right in the very first of it—" and she heard, with a sinking heart—"Therefore prepare thyself to receive and obey the instructions which I am about to give unto you; for all those who have this law revealed unto them must obey the same; for behold, I reveal unto you a new and everlasting covenant; and if ye abide not that covenant, then are ye damned; for no one can reject this covenant and be permitted to enter into my glory."

"There, now!"

"I never read it," she faltered.

"And don't you know they preach in the tabernacle that anybody who rejects polygamy will be damned?"

"My father never preached that."

"Well, he knows it—ask him."

It was proving to be a hard day for her.

what seemed to be an extremity of doubt:

"Now, I don't want to be lost, and yet I don't want to have a whole lot of wives like Brigham or that old coot we see so often on the road. So what am I going to do? I might think I'd get along with three or four, but you never can tell what religion will do to a man when he really gets it."

He reached for her small brown hand that still held the Book of Mormon open on her lap, and took it in both his own. He went on, appealingly:

"Now, you try to tell me right—like as if I was your own brother—tell me as a sister. Try to put yourself in the place of the girl I'd marry first—no, don't; it seems more like your sister if I hold it this way—and try to think how she'd feel when I brought home my second. Would that be doing square by her? Wouldn't it sort of get her on the back? But if I join your church and don't do that, I might as well be one of those low-down Free-will Baptists or Episcopalians. Come, now, tell me true, letting on that you're my sister."

She had not looked at him since he began, nor did she now.

"Oh, I don't know—I don't know—it's all so mixed! I thought you could be saved without that."

"There is the word of God against me."

"I wouldn't want you to marry that way—if I were your sister."

"That's right now, try to feel like a sister. You wouldn't want me to have



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Among Our Correspondents

WEST PUTNAM.

Albert Dinkel of Anderson spent Sunday at Will Dunbar's.

Mrs. H. B. Gardner who has been ill the past week, is some better.

E. Cranna and wife of Unadilla visited at Will Dunbar's the first of the week.

Ella Murphy began the spring term of school in the Sprout District Monday.

C. Brogan and family and John Monks and wife were guests at D. M. Monk's Sunday.

Mrs. A. R. Hurd, of Elmira, was called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Murphy.

Mrs. Murphy, who has been very sick from paralysis at A. G. Wilson's in Anderson, was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Harris, Monday. At the present writing she is no better.

When you need a pill, take a pill, and be sure it's an Early Riser. De Witt's Little Early Risers are safe, sure satisfactory pills. The pills with a reputation. They do not gripe or sicken. They are here

Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

NORTH HAMBURG.

Roy Schoenhals, of Howell, visited friends of this place Sunday.

Hiram Smith, of the U. of M. visited his people the first of the week.

The Young Peoples Lit. Club meets at the home of Jesse Henry Saturday evening of this week.

Mrs. Jas. Nash was elected as delegate to the convention held at Leslie this week and Mrs. Ida VanFleet alternate.

The Putnam and Hamburg Farmers Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cady, Saturday, April 27th.

Rev. Gates gave an interesting talk to the people of N. Hamburg Sunday and was very much appreciated by all who heard him.

The North Hamburg social and Literary Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry, Saturday evening, April 20.

The following is the program:

Singing	Roll Call.	Club
Solo	Fanny Rolison	
Rec.	Una Bennett	
Music	Phonograph	
Symposium	Lorena Black, Adda Kice, Lulu Benham, Hiram Smith.	
Solo	Howard Harris	
Music	Phonograph	

UNADILLA.

Mrs. Ed. Cranna was in Stockbridge last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Dunbar spent Sunday at Mr. Gilberts.

Roy Palmer was in Ann Arbor last week for medical treatment.

Miss Blanche Cobb of Stockbridge is the guest of Aris Barton this week.

School opened this week with Miss Warner, of Howell as teacher.

Addie Holmes and family of Stockbridge visited last week at S. G. Palmers.

Mrs. Mills spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Collins, of Stockbridge.

The Presby. Society will give a maple syrup social at the hall on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Huddler has returned from an extended visit with her son at Mosherville.

Mrs. L. N. McClear of Gregory and Miss Julia Gibney, of Detroit spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ed. Doody.

ANDERSON FARMERS' CLUB.

The Anderson Farmers Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Caskey Saturday, April 13th. There was a good attendance and a general good time was enjoyed.

After the president called the meeting to order. Secretary's report was read and approved. The program consisted of recitations by Misses Germaine Ledwidge and Edna Webb and a paper by Mrs. Macomber. Miss Clare Ledwidge was appointed to act on the Program Committee in place of Mrs. Chas. Hoff.

It was decided to have supper at the May meeting. No refreshment slips are to be sent out but members are to furnish the eatables as usual.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of George M. Greiner May 11th.

Secretary.

A Sudden Call.

Word was received here Wednesday noon of the sudden death of Mr. Lyman Peck. Mr. Peck has been in poor health for several years but did not seem worse than usual when he and his wife left in an easy carriage for their new home in Chelsea which the sons had provided them with. The ride and exposure to the damp air, together with his advanced years, 74, proved too much for him as he died a few hours after reaching Chelsea. Mr. Peck has lived several years in and near Pinckney and has always been an earnest christian. His funeral will be held near Plainfield, their former home, Friday at 1 o'clock, Rev. D. C. Littlejohn of this place will officiate. A wife, two sons and one daughter are left to mourn.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

It is rumored that we are to have a resident dentist in town again.

The electric railroad project for the northeast corner of this county is said not to be dead yet.

Miss Anna Brogan went to Bad Axe the past week to become housekeeper for Rev. Fr. Van Dyke.

The Farmington Enterprise Herald has changed hands, W. J. Mills and wife having sold out to Calvin Goss.

The Howell Street Fair committee will give \$100 of its funds to help make the bridge north of Howell which crosses the mill race wider and more passable.

The first two weeks of April has proven the most severe steady weather we have experienced in years—here's hoping we shall have a change for the sake of our coal bin.

As we go to press we learn of the death of Mrs. Greer, aged 70 years. She has been a resident of Pinckney for many years until about two weeks ago when she moved to Pontiac with her son James.

Bernard Glenn is home in North Putnam from the U. of M. during vacation, he called on friends in town Tuesday. Mr. Glenn has one more year in Ann Arbor and then he may have the privilege of adding M. D. to his name.

Mrs. E. L. Moore was here this week assisted by Dr. Walter Moore and wife of Ann Arbor, packing and settling up business matters. She went to Bad City where she will make it her home for the present. The sympathy of the people are with her in this her great trial.

The merchant who has no use for a local paper is the merchant who has stationary etc. furnished free from some factory or firm that wishes to advertise its wares. The merchant who wishes to keep the mail order business out of his territory must fight them with their own weapon—advertising, advertise.

The bill in regard to the two cent railroad fare for the Ry. lines of southern Michigan, and the three cent fare for upper Michigan has become a law. Now the people in the upper peninsula have started a campaign to secure two cent fares on the leading roads. It has been discovered that the earnings of the biggest lines is heavier than many of the southern Michigan lines.

A Letter.

Los Angeles, Cal.,
March 25, 1907.

I have just read the article in the Detroit Free Press (under date of March 16, 1907,) by the Hon. A. J. Sawyer of Ann Arbor, concerning the removal of part or all of the Medical Department of the University of Michigan to Detroit. I do not hesitate to say that Mr. Sawyer's article, for choice of words, diction and absolute truthfulness, is the best by far of all the many productions I have read in the last twenty-five years concerning the removal of part or all of the medical department of the University to Detroit.

I may state I entered the Medical Department in 1880 and graduated in 1883. From 1883 to 1901 I was a member of the faculty, and for many years (until my health failed from overwork) was Professor of Diseases of Women.

While I was connected with the University, I considered it my duty to keep abreast of the times in the very rapidly growing science of medicine, as I was teaching those who were to go out into the broad arena and administer to poor suffering humanity what seemed best for them, while they were handicapped by that dreaded monster, disease (nothing more dreaded except the "final reaper"). For that reason I took many post-graduate courses in the United States and Europe. I know the faculty well in the Medical Department of the University, and I know that, with very few exceptions, they are progressive, up-to-date and conscientious physicians. I am also thoroughly informed as to the teaching in the Medical Department and have considerable knowledge of Detroit's medical opportunities (classified?).

I have met graduates of the University Medical Department in almost every state and territory in the United States and many parts of Europe, and state positively that I believe the consensus of opinion concerning them is, taken collectively, in comparison with all other practitioners of medicine that seventy five per cent of them (wherever found) are "outrunning" all others in the real science of medicine and in the application of medical and surgical principles to alleviate pain and disease. Detroit has very many most excellent practical and conscientious physicians, but it is also noted all over the United States for being a center for medical politicians and "wire pullers" in medical politics. Recently some of these physicians and excellent politicians (medically speaking) have come to the surface and "bubbled over" and the "gallery people" to whom they are playing are encoring them. But listen! The intelligent, thoughtful people of Michigan, and those without a big axe to grind, or two or more little ones, will, after careful and thoughtful consideration, decide this question of removal of part or all of the Medical Department to Detroit—and decide it correctly.

I am not in the practice of medicine at present, but wish, in a humble way, to make a suggestion as to what seems to me (after considerable thought) the best solution of this great and very important problem in the Michigan Medical Arena. It is this: Continue to give the same thorough, up to date instruction in the Medical Department and require that within two years (more or less, according to faculty decision) after graduation (applicable to all Medical Schools), a certificate

must be presented to the faculty showing at least six, nine or twelve months post graduate work in some good post graduate school (not by any means confined to the Detroit clinics) diploma to be withheld and license to be granted for the time until such a certificate as before mentioned is presented to the faculty.

I believe in post graduate courses, but not in Detroit, when New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Chicago and European clinics are so far superior.

Very respectfully and thoughtfully,

JAMES N. MARTIN, M. D.
Los Angeles, California.

The Price of Health.

"The price of health in a malarious district is just 25 cents; the cost of a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Ella Slayton, of Noland, Ark. New Life Pills cleanse gently and impart new life and vigor to the system. 25c. Satisfactory guaranteed at F. A. Sigler's druggist.

THE CRAFTY WOLF.

Stories of His Man Eating Feats Said to Be Untrue.

A skeptical person calling himself St. Croix has been trying to find out whether wolves and bears are maligned by the popular stories of their man eating ways and writes his conclusions for Recreation.

First he tried running down the stories told in newspaper dispatches. Pooled in this effort, he turned to the Indians. They knew the gray wolf, having wintered and summered with him. Had they ever known of an Indian being killed by one? No, but Mingan was very crafty and very much to be dreaded.

Quite so. But, once for all, had he ever to their knowledge killed a man? No, but they had heard—So he went always the same intangible, unconfirmed rumor and the same absence of proof.

"Now for a few facts as to the wolf," writes St. Croix. "He can't eight days without food and can then eat forty pounds of meat at a sitting, so the Indians say. This is pretty fair for an animal weighing but eighty pounds. Yet we do not know the length of the sitting.

"The wolf will not venture on glare ice; he never crosses a lake until there is enough snow to hide the ice. To wetting his feet he is as averse as the domestic cat. He will not kill his game in the shelter of the forest, always driving it into some open place for the kill.

"When chasing a deer, he goes at a leisurely lope, sitting down at intervals to give the most dolorous and bloodcurdling howls. This drives the poor victim into a wild gallop and soon exhausts it, and as the wolf never tires he is sure sooner or later to catch up with the quarry.

"In winter the deer often makes for some wild rapid, into which it plunges, knowing that the wolf will not follow. Too often the deer drowns, but he has such a death than one by the wolf.

"In summer a couple of wolves will secure all the deer they need by very simple tactics. Having put up the quarry, one wolf drives it by easy stages to some little lake—I speak now of the Laurentian country—and on reaching the shore the deer plunges unhesitatingly in, for its instinct tells it the enemy will not dare to follow.

"So on it swims, while the pursuer sits on his haunches and howls dismally, no doubt because he sees his dinner escaping. At length the tired deer drags itself wearily from the water and shakes the drops from its coat on the sun warmed strand. Then the companion wolf, which has waylaid its coming, springs at its throat, and when the first wolf joins him they have a gorge that makes them independent of fate for a whole week."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

There is a little wolf and a little rabbit in every man.

One way to be unhappy is to envy the happiness of others.

A lucky man always points with pride to his good judgment.

How many things there are in a grocery store you never will call for!

If you want to oblige a friend, do something for him his way instead of your own way.

A great many people see themselves as others see them, but they don't believe what they see.

Ever occur to you that many of your sorrows are silly sorrows—that is, sorrows that are not important?

Education is a great thing, no doubt, but the best housekeepers didn't get their knowledge out of books.—Acheson Globe.