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**P. H. S. Class of 1907.**

Monday evening marked another milestone in the Pinckney High school, when the class of 1907 consisting of six young people, graduated with honors and are now launched on the busy sea of life. It would be impossible for us to speak of each number on the program as each was so good that there seemed there could be no choice. Each part was rendered in excellent manner and showed that the pupils had not only worked hard themselves but their instructors must have been doing things as well. The music was furnished by the Misses Hazel Johnson, Sadie Harris and Kate Ruen and was excellent. Carl Sykes sang a solo and received an encore.

The lecture by Prof. Laird of the State Normal at Ypsilanti was a masterly effort and full of sound doctrine and education, but the entertainment had been plenty long before he commenced so that it was hard for him to hold the interest of the audience. Mr. Laird is one of the foremost educators in the state and is called the "The Little Giant." He was introduced by Daniel Murta, President of school board, who was a college mate of Prof. Laird years ago and played on the first college ball team together.

Rev. Fr. Commerford made a few brief remarks which were much to the point and were inspiring. County school commissioner, N. C. Knooihuizen was present and in a few well selected words addressed the class and presented them with their diplomas in behalf of the school board.

This ended the commencement of another class in the P. H. S. and it was a credit to board, the instructors and the pupils. The school is reaching a higher level each year and it the people of the village desire to see the education of the young progress it is for their interest to see that the same officers are again elected in July.

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**LOCAL NEWS.**

Mrs. C. P. Sykes is visiting in Detroit.

A few flags in this town were out on Flag Day.

Deacon L. Colby is quite poorly at this writing.

Mrs. Wm. Moran were in Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruen of Detroit is visiting her parents M. Ruen and wife here.

Mrs. Lyman Peck of Chelsea is visiting old friends in this village and vicinity.

There were many visitors in the village from Jackson Sunday coming in on the excursion.

W. A. Richards and wife of Howell were guests of H. G. Briggs and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Josie Harland and son of Marquette are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reason.

Rev. Fr. Commerford will deliver the oration at Stockbridge the Fourth. The citizens of that place will hear something worth listening to.

Three weeks from today is the glorious Fourth.

Clyde Thomas and bride of Howell called on friends in town last Friday.

The vote to bond Chelsea for \$30000 for a new school building carried at special election.

Joe Kennedy, who has been spending the past two weeks here, returned to Detroit Sunday.

Mart Clinton, of the U. of M., is spending the summer vacation with his parents here.

Mrs. L. H. Sigler returned home Friday after spending two weeks with friends in Lansing.

Thirty one tickets were sold from this place to Jackson last Saturday—Barnam & Bailies show.

Mrs. W. A. Haslam and daughter of Detroit are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy.

Elmer Glenn of Detroit is putting in considerable time on his Glennbrook farm, near here these days.

Messrs. Edward and August Schmidt and Miss Mae Ratz, of Howell were guests of Miss Andrews Sunday.

The legislature closed its business Wednesday, but the formal adjournment will not take place until June 29.

Several from Howell, North Lake, Gregory and Plainfield attended the childrens day exercises at the M. E. church Sunday.

Miss Cora Deveraux closed her second year of school in Dist. No. 4, Unadilla, Friday. She has been offered the school for next year. Her pupils gave her a silver butter knife and sugar shell. Ice cream and cake was served and the afternoon spent in playing croquet and ball. Hazel Hinchey received the prize for spelling and was present every day.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Finlan of Fowlerville a 9 1/2 pound girl, June 11. Mrs. Finlan was formerly Miss Mae Commiskey.

H. R. Wilkinson is in this village doing some upholstering and repairing. He is a good workman and thinks some of locating here.

The first annual commencement exercises of St. Mary's school at Chelsea will be held in St. Mary's hall at that place on Tuesday evening, June 25.

Miss Eliza R. Shier, a former resident of this place and prominent in church and temperance work, died at her home in Landrum, S. C., June 10.

We neglected last week to call attention to the ady of H. M. Williston & Co. They have put a soda fountain in their grocery and are serving sundaes and sodas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfer, who have been visiting her parents, G. W. Teeple and family the past two weeks, returned to their home in Stillwater, Minn., Friday last.

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Mrs. Estella Graham is visiting her parents, A. B. Green and wife.

Pinckney hive has accepted an invitation to meet with Dexter hive on Thursday, June 27. All members take notice. R. K.

M. C. Ruen has finished his work in the dental department of the U. of M. and is now a full fledged dentist. He went to Ann Arbor again this week to receive his "sheepskin."

Sigler Bros. ice cream parlors present an attractive appearance these days and judging from the crowd that visits there they are giving satisfaction. They are certainly bound to please their patrons.

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**CARD OF THANKS.**

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the illness and death of our husband and father. We also wish to express our thanks to those who so sympathetically rendered the music and for the floral tributes sent.

MRS. V. WIEGAND  
VOLLA WIEGAND  
GEORGE WARREN.

The Chauce Club met with Miss Lillian Boyle Thursday evening last, the girls dressing in costume. There were some fine ones and some of the girls were "dandies."

Word was received here this week that Mrs. Ethel Timmins of Port Arthur Texas, has been caring for a little daughter for a couple of weeks. Mrs. Timmins was formerly Miss Ethel Durfee of this place.

Died in Howell June 17, 1907, at the home of his daughter Mrs. L. Davis, Mr. William Hemmingway aged 93 years, 11 months and 17 days. Funeral will be held at the Cong'l church Thursday at 11 o'clock.

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**WHAT IS THE W.C.T.U. DOING?**

"Through their influence in Lansing the free lunch was abolished in saloons and the curfew ordinance was passed". So says city attorney Hood.

The Leveling Crowd.

But quite apart from one's private feeling, there is also the undoubted fact which meets one on every side, that people in the company of others are almost invariably less interesting, less individual, less tolerant, more conventional, more tiresome, less sincere, less unaffected than when they are alone; they are less themselves, in fact. The serious, quiet, suggestive person, who is delightful when he is by himself, when he talks easily and simply of all that is in his mind, becomes feebly jocular, mildly cynical, given to anecdote, given to reminiscence, in company. The bluff man becomes rude, the laughing philosopher becomes a screeching platitudinarian, the weeping philosopher becomes a gloomy poseur, the shy man becomes blent or, still worse, voluble, the talker becomes a chatterer, the sympathetic man becomes unctuous. It is the natural result of an audience, says A. C. Benson, in Atlantic. In a tete-a-tete one has only one person to think of, but when the listeners are multiplied, one feels obliged conscientiously to try and hit the taste, not of the individual, but of the type; and the type is always duller, and generally lower, than the individual. And in any case prudence warns one to abstain from any originality and not to commit oneself.

Medical Inspection of Schools.

The cordial bearing and the loving care of children will always be woman's supreme work. Our darkest sociological prophets to the contrary notwithstanding, she will never emancipate herself from those tender duties. Not very long ago the home prepared the children for schools. Now, in the somersault of conditions, the school stands in loco parentis to the children. With the children of the very poor and illiterate this is peculiarly the fact. The training, the care, the instruction, the play, which cannot be had in the home, the public school supplies. The strong manhood and efficient womanhood so vital to our material security depend today, declares Herbert D. Ward, in Woman's Home Companion, upon the quality of oversight in the school rather than upon direction and solicitude in the home. Hotel and flat life, the tenement house and congestion in our cities, the public school system and curfew law—these illustrate the decadence of the home. Our women must rush to the rescue. The first requisite of a balanced mind will always be a healthy body. . . . New York city now employs 150 physicians who visit each public school once a day, shortly after nine o'clock, to examine those children set aside by the teachers as requiring attention.

In an article in Scribner's Magazine "Americanisms," Henry Cabot Lodge will bring joy to many readers by his remarks on the word "guess," whose use in the sense of think or suppose is so derided by British critics. Mr. Lodge quotes Chaucer, Shakespeare, Gray, Coleridge, Wordsworth and Carlyle as using the word in this sense, and says: "Seriously speaking, the word 'guess' is a good old English word, and the American usage is both excellent and correct, as well as far truer to the tradition and spirit of the language than the British substitutes of 'fancy,' 'imagine,' or 'expect,' which last is grotesquely wrong because it can properly apply only to the future." With this authority behind him even the fastidious one anxious to display culture need not lament when his tongue slips and he says "I guess" instead of "I fawncy."

John Burroughs, who lives near to nature's heart in a picturesque home on the Esopus hills, overlooking the noble Hudson, has been interviewed on the subject of "nature fakers" and shows that many of the writers on the habits of birds and animals are rank humbugs and know little about the subjects regarding which they profess to speak with authority. In many matters regarding outdoor life he is thoroughly in accord with President Roosevelt, of whom he says: "The president is as competent in natural history as he is in politics. He knows our wild life like a book, and whatever he says on the subject you can take without discount." That, says Troy Times, comes straight from a man who never conceals his own opinions, and whose love for the simple and natural life cannot be exceeded.

THE PRESIDENT TO EDITORS

Roosevelt Delivers a Notable Address at Jamestown, Va.

Speaks Before the Delegates to the National Editorial Association—Touches Upon Important National Questions.

Jamestown, Va.—The following is the address of President Roosevelt before the National Editorial Association at the exposition here:

It is of course a mere truism to say that no other body of our countrymen wield as extensive an influence as those who write for the daily press and for the periodicals. It is also a truism to say that such power implies the gravest responsibility, and the man exercising it should hold himself accountable, and should be held by others accountable, precisely as if he occupied any other position of public trust. I do not intend to dwell upon your duties today, save that I shall permit myself to point out one matter where it seems to me that the need of our people is vital. It is essential that the man in public life and the man who writes in the public press shall both of them, if they are really good servants of the people, be prompt to assuage wrongdoing and wickedness. But in thus assuaging wrongdoing and wickedness, there are two conditions to be fulfilled, because if unfulfilled, harm and not good will result. In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hyperbole or exaggeration; for to assail a decent man for something of which he is innocent is to give aid and comfort to every scoundrel, while indulgence in hysterical exaggeration serves to weaken, not strengthen, the statement of truth. In the second place, be sure that you base your judgment on conduct and not on the social or economic position of the individual with whom you are dealing.

So much for what I have to say to you in your capacity of molders and guides of public thought. In addition I want to speak to you on two great movements in our public life which I feel must necessarily occupy no inconsiderable part of the time of our public men in the near future. One of these is the question of, in certain ways, reshaping our system of taxation so as to make it bear most heavily on those most capable of supporting the strain. The other is the question of utilizing the natural resources of the nation in the way that will be of most benefit to the nation as a whole.

Need of Foresight.

In utilizing and conserving the natural resources of the nation the one characteristic more essential than any other is foresight. Unfortunately, foresight is not usually characteristic of a young and vigorous people, and it is obviously not a marked characteristic of us in the United States. Yet assuredly it should be the growing nation with a future which takes the long look ahead, and no other nation is growing so rapidly as ours or has a future so full of promise. No other nation enjoys so wonderful a measure of present prosperity which can of right be treated as an earnest of future success, and for no other are the rewards of foresight so great, so certain, and so easily foretold.

The conservation of our natural resources and their proper use constitute the fundamental problem which underlies almost every other problem of our national life. Unless we maintain an adequate material basis for our civilization, we can not maintain the institutions in which we take so great and just a pride, and to waste and destroy our natural resources means to undermine this material basis. During the last five years efforts have been made in several new directions in the government service to get our people to look ahead, to exercise foresight, and to substitute a planned and orderly development of our resources in the place of a haphazard striving for immediate profit. The effort has been made through several agencies. In 1902 the reclamation service began to develop the larger opportunities of the western half of our country for irrigation. The work includes all the states from the great plains through the Rocky mountains to the Pacific slope. It has been conducted with the clear and definite purpose of using the valuable water resources of the public land for the greatest good for the greatest number in the long run; in other words, for the purpose of putting upon the land permanent home makers who will use and develop it for themselves and for their children and children's children. There has been opposition, of course, to this work of reclamation service, for we have been obliged to antagonize certain men whose interest it was to exhaust for their own temporary personal profit natural resources which ought to be developed through use, so as to be conserved for the permanent common advantage of the people as a whole. But there will be no halt in the work of preserving the waters which head in the Rocky mountain region so as to make them of most use to the people as a whole; for the policy is essential to our national welfare.

Operations of Land Laws.

The public lands of the United States should be utilized in similar fashion. Our present public land laws were passed when there was a vast surplus of vacant public land. The chief desire was to secure settlers thereon, and comparatively slight attention was paid as to exactly how the lands were disposed of in detail. In consequence, lax execution of the laws became the rule both in the land office and in the public mind, and land frauds were common and little noted. This was especially true when a system originally designed for the fertile and well-watered regions of the middle west was applied to the dryer regions of the great plains and to the mountains and the Pacific coast. In these regions the system lent itself to fraud, and much land passed out of the hands of the government without passing into the hands of the home maker. The department of the interior and the department of justice joined in prosecuting the offenders against the law; but both the law and its administration were defective and needed to be changed. Three years ago a public lands commission was appointed to scrutinize the law and the facts and to recommend a remedy. Their ex-

amination specifically showed the existence of great frauds upon the public domain, and their recommendations for changes in the law were made with the design of conserving the natural resources of every part of the public land by putting it to its best use. Attention was especially called to the prevention of settlement by the passage of great areas of public lands into the hands of a few men, and to the enormous waste caused by unrestricted grazing on the open range; a system of using the natural forage on the public domain which amounts to putting a premium on its destruction. The recommendations of the public lands commission were sound, for they were especially in the interest of the actual home maker; and where the small home maker could not utilize the land, it was provided that the government should keep control of it so that it could not be monopolized by a few wealthy men. Congress has not yet acted upon these recommendations, except for the repeal of the iniquitous lie-land law. But the recommendations are so just and proper, so essential to our national welfare, that I believe they will surely ultimately be adopted.

In 1891 congress authorized the president to create national forests in the public domain. These forests reserves remained for a long time in charge of the general land office, which had no men properly trained in forestry. But another department, that of agriculture, possessed the trained men. In other words, the government forests were without foresters and the government foresters without forests. Waste of effort and waste of forests inevitably followed. Finally the situation was ended in 1905 by the creation of the United States forest service, which has stopped the waste, conserved the resources of the national forests, and made them useful; so that our forests are now being managed on a coherent plan, and in a way that augurs well for the future.

Preserve Mineral Resources.

The mineral fuels of the entire United States have already passed into the hands of large private owners, and those of the west are rapidly following. This should not be, for such mineral resources belong in a peculiar degree to the whole people. Under private control there is much waste from the shortsighted methods of working, and the complete utilization is often sacrificed for a greater immediate profit. The mineral fuels under our present conditions are as essential to our prosperity as the forests will always be. The difference is that the supply is definitely limited, for coal does not grow and trees do. It is obvious that the mineral fuels should be conserved, not wasted, and that enough of them should remain in the hands of the government to protect the people against unjust or extortionate prices so far as that can still be done. What has been accomplished in the regulation of the great oil fields of the Indian territory offers a striking example of the good results of such a policy. Last summer, accordingly, I withdrew most of the coal-bearing public lands temporarily from disposal, and asked for the legislation necessary to protect the public interest by the conservation of the mineral fuels; that is, for the power to keep the coal, oil, and gas rights under proper regulation. No such legislation was passed, but I still hope that we shall ultimately get it.

Prevention of Frauds.

For several years we have been doing everything in our power to prevent fraud upon the public land. What can be done under the present laws has now being done through the joint action of the interior department and the department of justice. But fully to accomplish the prevention of fraud there is need of further legislation and especially of a sufficient appropriation to permit the department of the interior to examine certain classes of entries on the ground before they pass into private ownership. The appropriation asked for last winter, if granted, would have put an end to the squandering of the public domain, while it would have prevented any need of causing hardship to individual settlers by holding up their claims. However, the appropriation was not given us, and in consequence it is not possible to secure, as I would like to secure, the natural resources of the public land from fraud, waste and encroachment.

So much for what we are trying to do in utilizing our public lands for the public. In securing the use of the water, the forage, the coal and the timber for the public. In all four movements my chief adviser, and the man first to suggest to me the courses which have actually proved so beneficial, was Mr. Gifford Pinchot, the chief of the national forest service. Mr. Pinchot also suggested to me a movement supplementary to all of these movements, one which will itself lead the way in the general movement which he represents and with which he is actively identified, for the conservation of all our natural resources. This was the appointment of the inland waterways commission.

The inability of the railroads of the United States to meet the demands upon them has drawn public attention forcibly to the use of our waterways for transportation. But it is obvious that this is only one of their many uses, and that a planned and orderly development is impossible except by taking into account all the services they are capable of rendering. It was upon this ground that the inland waterways commission was recently appointed. Their duty is to propose a comprehensive plan for the improvement and utilization of those great waterways which are the great potential highways of the country. Their duty is also to bring together the points of view of all users of streams, and to submit a general plan for the development and conservation of the

waterways of the United States. Clearly it is impossible for the waterways commission to accomplish its great task without considering the relation of stream navigation and use of streams to the conservation and use of the natural resources of the country. (First time) the object development and planned conservative use of all our natural resources is presented as a single problem. One by one the individual tasks in this great problem have already been undertaken. One by one in practical fashion the methods of dealing with them were worked out. National irrigation has proved itself a success by its actual working. Again, actual experience has shown that the national forests will fulfill the larger purpose for which they were created. All who have thoughtfully studied the subject have come to see that the solution of the public lands question lies with the home maker, with the settler who lives on his land and that government control of the mineral fuels and the public grazing lands is necessary and inevitable. Each of these conclusions represented a movement of vast importance which would confer large benefits upon the nation, but which stood by itself. They are connected together into one great fundamental problem—that of the conservation of all our natural resources. Upon the wise solution of this, much of our future obviously depends. Even such questions as the regulation of railway rates and the control of corporations are in reality subsidiary to the primal problem of the preservation in the interests of the whole people of the resources that nature has given us. If we fail to solve this problem, no skill in solving the others will in the end avail us very greatly. Now as to the matter of taxation. Most great civilized countries have an income tax and an inheritance tax. In my judgment both should be part of our system of federal taxation. I speak diffidently about the income tax because one scheme for an income tax was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court by a five to four vote; and in addition it is a difficult tax to administer in its practical workings, and great care would have to be exercised to see that it was not evaded by the very man whom it is most desirable to have taxed, for if so evaded it would of course be worse than no tax at all, as the least desirable of all taxes is the tax which bears heavily upon the honest man. Compared with the dishonest man. Nevertheless, a graduated income tax of the proper type would be a desirable permanent feature of federal taxation, and I still hope that one may be devised which the supreme court will declare constitutional.

Inheritance Tax.

In my judgment, however, the inheritance tax is but a better method of taxing and far more important for the purpose I have in view—the purpose of having the swollen fortunes of the country bear in proportion to their size a constantly increasing burden of taxation. These fortunes exist solely because of the protection given the owners by the public. They are a constant source of care and anxiety to the public and it is eminently just that they should be forced to pay heavily for the protection given them. It is, of course, elementary that the nation has the absolute right to decide as to the terms upon which any man shall receive a bequest or devise from another. We have repeatedly placed such laws on our own statute books and they have not been declared unconstitutional by the courts. I believe that the tax should contain the progressive principle. Whatever any individual receives, whether by gift, bequest, or devise, in life or in death, should, after a certain amount is reached, be increasingly burdened; and the rate of taxation should be increased in proportion to the remoteness of blood of the man receiving from the man giving or devising. The principle of this progressive taxation of inheritance has not only been authoritatively recognized by the legislation of congress, but it is now unequivocally adopted in the leading civilized nations of the world—in, for instance, Great Britain, France and Germany. Switzerland led off with the imposition of a graduated progressive rate. Great Britain was the first of the great nations to follow suit, and within the last few years both France and Germany have adopted the principle. In Great Britain all estates worth \$5,000 or less are practically exempt from death duties, while the increase is such that when an estate exceeds \$5,000,000 in value and passes to a distant kinsman or stranger in blood the government receives nearly 18 per cent. In France, under the progressive system, so much of an inheritance as exceeds \$10,000,000 pays over 20 per cent to the state if it passes to a distant relative, and five per cent if it passes to a direct heir. In Germany very small inheritances are exempt, but the tax is so sharply progressive that an inheritance of \$250,000, if it goes to distant relatives, is taxed at the rate of about 25 per cent. The German law is of special interest, because it makes the inheritance tax an imperial measure, while allotting to the individual states of the empire a portion of the proceeds and permitting them to impose taxes in addition to those imposed by the imperial government. In the United States the national government has more than once imposed inheritance taxes in addition to those imposed by the states, and in the last instance about one-half of the states levied such taxes concurrently with the national government, making a combined maximum rate, in some cases as high as 25 per cent. And, as a matter of fact, several states had imposed inheritance tax laws for the first time while the national law was still in force and unreppealed. The French law has one feature which is to be heartily commended. The progressive principle is so applied that each higher rate is imposed only on the excess above the amount subject to the next lower rate. This plan is peculiarly adapted to the working out of the theory of using the inheritance tax for the purpose of limiting the size of inheritable fortunes, since the progressive increase in the rates, according to this mode, may be carried to its logical conclusion in a maximum rate of nearly 100 per cent for the amount in excess of a specified sum, without being confiscatory as to the rest of the inheritance; for each increase in rate would apply only to the amount above a certain maximum.

ORCHARD CONFESSES

STORY OF CRIME TOLD AT HAYWOOD TRIAL

Chief Witness for the Prosecution Tells of Wholesale Murder Schemes in Which He Was Involved.

Boise, Idaho.—Alfred Horsley, a Harry Orchard, the actual assassin Frank Steunenberg, went on the stand as a witness against William D. Haywood, and made public confession of a long chain of brutal, revolting crimes, done, he said, at the inspiration and for the pay of the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners. The victims marked for death at his hands according to his testimony were:

Fred Bradley, retired mine official, San Francisco; blown half way across street and maimed for life by bomb concealed by Orchard under doorstep; also object of poison plot. Motive, revenge.

Sherman Bell, adjutant-general of Colorado national guard, Denver; waylaid by Orchard and other assassins who sought his life; escaped. Motive, revenge for activity in putting down strike lawlessness.

Justice Gabbert of supreme court of Colorado, Denver; bomb placed in his pathway exploded by another man, who was blown to pieces. Motive, decisions against Moyer.

Gov. Peabody of Colorado, Denver; bomb placed in front of his home to kill him by Orchard failed to explode by accident. Motive, upholding law in strikes.

David Moffatt, president of First National bank of Denver; Adams and Orchard tracked him with guns, but he escaped. Motive, supposed activity on side of mine owners.

Judge Goddard, Denver. Motive, declared eight-hour bill unconstitutional.

Frank Steunenberg, former governor of Idaho; Caldwell. Blown to pieces by bomb placed at gate of home by Orchard.

An undertaking by the special prosecutors for the state that they would, by later proof and connection, legitimize his testimony opened the way like a floodgate to the whole diabolical story and Orchard went on from crime recital to crime recital, each succeeding one seemingly more revolting than those that had come before. Here are a few of the interesting points from his story:

"Haywood told me the blowing up of the (Vindicator) mine was a fine piece of work. Moyer gave me \$200 and Haywood paid me \$300 for blowing up the mine.

"Haywood and Moyer both told me I could not get too fierce to suit them—to go ahead and blow up everything I could think of—to get some of the soldiers if possible."

"Moyer and Pettibone wanted to know if I could not work up some scheme to assassinate Gov. Peabody of Colorado."

"Haywood thought Steve Adams was the best man for the work. Pettibone gave us some sawed-off shotguns and shells loaded with buckshot. We kept after Peabody for three weeks, when Haywood told me to lay off for awhile."

"Haywood, Pettibone and Simpkins then wanted something pulled off at Cripple Creek. We planned to blow up the Independence depot. The depot was wrecked and 12 or 14 men killed. The next day Pettibone gave me \$200. Adams told me he got \$200."

He swore that the assassination of Steunenberg was first suggested by Haywood, was jointly plotted by Haywood, Moyer, Pettibone and himself was financed by Haywood and was executed by himself after the failure of an attempt in which Jack Simpkins had participated.

Orchard lifted the total of his own murdered victims to 18, and detailed the circumstances under which he tried to murder former Gov. Peabody Judge Goddard, Justice Gabbert, Gen Sherman Bell, Dave Moffatt and Frank Herne. Incidentally, he confessed to a plan to kidnap the child of one of his former associates.

Orchard's Story Unshaken.

Boise, Idaho.—Counsel for William D. Haywood continued their attack on the testimony of Harry Orchard at both sessions of the trial Friday, and centered their strongest assault on the events beginning with the explosion in the Vindicator mine and ending with the earlier meetings between the witness and the leaders of the Federation of Miners in Denver. To the extent that traffic with "the other side" in the war of labor and capital in Colorado was discreditable they succeeded in discrediting the witness.

Orchard stood the test and strain very well and held tenaciously to the story he related Wednesday and Thursday.



Although congress has closed, President Roosevelt is still cutting wood.

**Remarkable Rescue.**

The truth is stranger than fiction, has once more been demonstrated in the little town of Fedora, Tenn., the residence of G. V. Pepper. He writes: "I was in bed, entirely disabled with hemorrhages of the lungs and throat. Doctors failed to help me, and all hope had fled when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. Then instant relief came. The coughing soon ceased; the bleeding diminished rapidly, and in three weeks I was able to go to work." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c. and \$1. at F. A. Sigler's Drug store. Trial bottle free.

President Roosevelt says the "best crop of all is a crop of children." That depends on whether they are your own or your neighbors' children.

**The Magic No. 3.**

Number three is a wonderful mascot for Geo. H. Parris, of Cedar Grove, Me., according to a letter which reads: "After suffering much with liver and kidney trouble, and becoming greatly discouraged by the failure to find relief, I tried Electric Bitters, and as a result I am a well man to-day. The first bottle relieved and three bottles completed the cure." Guaranteed best on earth for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by F. A. Sigler, Druggist—50c.

Mr. Bryan is very outspoken against the third term idea and says even two terms are too much, but it is difficult to pry him away from the one term idea.

There is no case of indigestion, no matter how irritable or how obstinate that will not be speedily relieved by the use of Kodol. The main factor in curing the stomach of any disorder is rest, and the only way to get rest is to actually digest the food for the stomach itself. Kodol will do it. It is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids containing the very same juices found in a healthy stomach. It conforms to the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

The old saying that "things will come out in a wash," is being proven in the "washing" now going on in Boise, Idaho. Some horribly dirty linen is being exposed that will undoubtedly find an end in the electric chair.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—what my Pink Pain Tablets can do. I will mail you free, a Trial Package of them—Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets. Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, Period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by All Dealers.

The Canadian blue law under which the sale of Sunday newspapers may be punished with a fine of \$250 or two months' imprisonment has gone into effect. There are fully 20,000 American papers sold in the Dominion on Sunday, it is said, and this trade is entirely wiped out.

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

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

The state W. C. T. U. which convened in the the Central M. E. church at Lansing June 4 was one of the most successful conventions ever held by the society. Thirty three years ago this month the Michigan Union was organized in the Capitol City. Only 2 delegates represented the 9 unions then in existence, now nearly 500 representatives were present from the 10,000 women who belong to the unions in the state.

Tuesday evening the convention was welcomed by City Attorney O. J. Hood in behalf of the city, by Supt. E. P. Cummings for the schools and the churches were represented by Rev. W. A. Minty, pastor of the Cong'l church. Then there were speeches of welcome from the Y. M. C. A., the Missionary societies and the local Unions. B. B. Johnson of the Y. M. C. A. said, "While you ladies are in prayers, we are down town trying to answer those prayers. With our fine new building there is no excuse for any young man to go to the the saloon for entertainment."

It is the custom for the convention to leave a memorial of the meeting in the city in which the convention was held. A picture of Frances E. Willard late national president, was presented to the Y. M. C. A.

(Continued next week.)

The State Republican says that twelve years ago Mr. Theodore Roosevelt spoke in Lansing and it required a fife and drum to draw a crowd to hear him. The same man came again and it required soldiers and policemen to keep the crowds back.

A prompt, pleasant, good remedy for coughs and colds, is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. It is especially recommended for babies and children, but good for every member of the family. It contains no opiates and does not constipate. Contains honey and tar and tastes nearly as good as maple syrup. Children like it. Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

A country editor, known personally to his public, yields more influence through his thousand subscribers than does a city editor, personally unknown, through his 100,000 subscribers.—Wm. Jennings Bryan.

When you feel the need of a pill take a DeWitt's Little early Riser. Small pill, safe pill, sure pill. Easy to take—pleasant and effective. Drives away headaches. Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

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**Daily up to Nov. 30.**  
VARIOUS ROUTES  
**SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y.** July 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 - Knights Templar.  
**PHILADELPHIA, PA.** July 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 - B. P. O. E.  
**BOSTON, MASS.** July 25, 26, 27 and 29 - N.E. Old Home Week.

Special Inducements in low round trip rates to the West and Northwest.  
Round trip Summer Tourist tickets to Principal Canadian and New England points on sale daily after June 1st. Return limit, October 31st. Liberal stop-overs.  
Full particulars at local ticket office.

**FAIR CLOSED SUNDAY**

But Will Be Open Every Evening

**NEW PREMIUM LIST OUT**

The Beautiful Michigan Building at the St. Louis World's Fair Now Stands in the Foreground of the Michigan State Fair.

Despite the adverse comment of people who were not in possession of the true facts, the State Fair of 1907 will be conducted on the same orderly and broad basis that has characterized the exhibitions held by the Michigan Agricultural society in the past. Every attraction on the grounds will have to come up to the high standard set by the executive committee or the permit under which it will be given access to the grounds will be revoked. It is the aim of the society to make the great Michigan fair an event to be looked forward to by those enjoying keen and exciting contests of speed, the opportunity to study the products and natural resources of the Wolverine state, and high-class entertainments.

In 1906 the fair was open on Sunday. It was the desire of the management to give those who could not get out to the grounds on week days an opportunity of viewing the exhibits that had been gathered from all parts of this great state. The Sunday program was in keeping with the day. There were sacred concerts, both in the afternoon and evening, while no shows of any kind were operated and all boisterousness was sternly repressed.

The fair of 1907 will be closed upon Sunday. This action was taken, not because the previous openings of the fair on this day had not borne out every contention made by the executive committee as to the advantages that would accrue to those who could not visit the fair at any other time, but simply to silence the criticism that came from many quarters, and to weld into a compact unit those who were giving the society's officers their support.

**MICHIGAN BUILDING AT STATE FAIR.**

Standing conspicuously in the foreground as one approaches the main entrance to the State Fair grounds, Detroit, is the magnificent structure that entertained thousands of visitors to the Louisiana Purchase exposition under the name of the Michigan Building. As one views the grounds from the Woodward avenue approach its tall columns, airy verandas, and ornate architecture show the care that was expended by the St. Louis commissioners who selected the plans before its erection in St. Louis.

After the long journey from St. Louis to Detroit, and reconstructed it is even more beautiful and graceful than when erected in the Missouri city. It is now a permanent structure, while when first built the walls were of staff and intended to stand only for a few short months. While at St. Louis the building stood upon a temporary foundation consisting of a few piles, today it is on a solid foundation and there is not the slightest danger of the structure sagging, for no expense was spared when it became a companion structure to the glass and brick buildings nearby.

Early in 1905 the St. Louis fair commissioners offered the building to the officers of the Michigan Agricultural society for the sum of \$1,250. The original contract price had been \$16,000 and in addition to this the contractors stood a loss of \$4,000 due to the high wages that were paid during the fair. The offer was eagerly accepted, but before the building was finally erected in Detroit the society paid out an additional \$17,000.

This year the entire upper floor will be devoted to the art collection which will be under the direction of Prof. A. H. Griffith, director of the Detroit Museum of Art. Part of the lower floor will be devoted to the mineral exhibit, of which Rep. W. J. Galbraith, of Calumet, will be the superintendent. This exhibit promises to be the finest collection of mining products ever shown in the history of the world.

In the Michigan building friends can meet friends, and seek rest on its cool verandas. The views in all directions are worth patiently sitting in a steamer chair and studying as the kaleidoscope of life and activity passes before one's view.

**NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT AT STATE FAIR.**

In connection with the night attractions to be offered at the State Fair at Detroit this year, the inspiring and brilliant pyrotechnic spectacle, "The Eruption of Vesuvius," will be the feature.

Nothing so elaborate has ever before been attempted by Henry J. Pain. The magnitude of the production can best be appreciated when it is seen.

A large grove of forest trees on the State Fair grounds this year will provide abundant shade, and afford a cool place where visitors who do not care to lunch at any of the numerous restaurants may eat their lunches and enjoy a picnic dinner with friends. The grove is remote from the more frequented places and free from dirt, noise and other annoyances.

Farmers visiting the State Fair should make a special effort to see the display of corn. The products of Michigan cornfields will be gathered from every section of the state and be displayed under one roof.

**Atmospheric Weight.**

At the sea level, with the barometer marking 30 inches and the thermometer 62 degrees F., a cubic foot of pure dry air weighs about 535 grains troy. The weight of a cubic foot of water vapor under the same conditions is only 322 grains. When vapor is mixed with dry air, therefore, the resulting compound is lighter—that is to say, damp air is lighter than dry air. In stormy weather the air is lighter than it is in fair weather and not heavier, as many persons suppose. When smoke hangs about the surface of the earth, it shows that the air is lighter than the smoke. When the air is dry, it is heavier than the smoke, and the latter therefore ascends. The weight of the earth's atmosphere, or, in other words, the pressure exerted upon the earth by the atmosphere, is about the same as would be exerted by a flood of water thirty-three feet in height over the globe. At the sea level the pressure of the atmosphere is about fifteen pounds to the square inch. A man of ordinary size thus bears all the time a pressure of about 30,000 pounds, but he does not feel it, because the pressure is exerted in every direction—above, below and around him—and because his body is filled with air and other fluids that press outward, thus maintaining a state of equilibrium.

**The Story of a Word.**

A comparison of old editions of Scott's "Monastery" with one of later date will reveal a slight alteration in the text of a sentence in the tenth chapter. For the word "morse" another is substituted. A tale of comedy attaches to the word which has gone. "Hardened wretch," says Father Eustace, "art thou but this instant delivered from death, and dost thou so soon morse thoughts of slaughter?" The origin of the word morse seems sorely to have troubled the etymologists. Two learned correspondents of Notes and Queries, Mr. Wheatley tells us, accounted for the word. One explained it as "to prime," as when one primes a musket, from O. Fr. "amorce," powder for the touchhole (Cotgrave), and the other by "to bite" (Lat. "mordere"); hence "to indulge in biting, stinging or gnawing thoughts of slaughter." On the other side were those who said that the word was a misprint for something else. "That the word as a misprint should have been printed and read by millions for fifty years without being challenged and altered exceeds the bounds of probability," exclaimed the apologists for morse. But when the manuscript was examined there "nurse" was the word, plainly written.—St. James' Gazette.

**A Bride's Dilemma.**

A humorous romance is reported from Natal, where a youthful Hindoo bride was recently called upon to choose between her husband and her jewels. The case came before the Durban police court in the first instance, where the bride's parents, says the Natal Mercury, accused her husband of abducting her while under thirteen years of age. The bride, however, claimed to be eighteen, and the magistrate dismissed the case. Outside the court a tug of war took place between the two parties for the possession of the bride, in the course of which it appeared that what her parents particularly desired was not herself, but her jewelry. A sergeant of police then sat in judgment and decided that the jewelry belonged to the parents, and the girl must choose between her husband and her bracelets. After some cogitation she chose the husband, who promptly unfastened the bangles from her arms and handed them to her parents.

The "Glass," the Michigan Palace of the State Fair will be enlarged this year and will contain the greatest number of clean, refined, and instructive entertainments ever seen in Michigan. A fine list of shows has been arranged for and attractions may be seen ranging from the "deep sea" divers to the smallest man in the world.

Among the entertainments that have been provided for young and old will be: Trained animals, a real Gipsy camp where the fortune telling seer can be consulted, the razzle-dazzle merry-go-round, both steam and electric, a zoo and many others. Fair offices in charge of the "Glass" will revoke the permit of any attraction that does not come up to the high standard of moral tone that they have set.

The bureau of information at the State Fair will be located near the main entrance this year. This bureau will furnish visitors the names, location and rates of many excellent boarding and rooming houses in Detroit, as well as to direct them to hotels and restaurants. It is the wish of the fair officials that out of town visitors feel free to consult this bureau for information of any kind, which will be promptly and gladly furnished.

The beautiful stained glass window in the Michigan building showing a life size figure of Father Marquette is one of the most beautiful and artistic examples of stained glass work ever seen in Michigan. It is just at the turn in the stairway of the building and can be seen on the way to the art exhibit.

**He Fired the Stick.**

"I have fired the walking-stick I've carried over 40 years, on account of a sore that resisted every kind of treatment, until I tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve; that has healed the sore and made me a happy man," writes John Garrett, of North Mills, N. C. Guaranteed for Piles, Burns, etc., by F. A. Sigler, druggist. 25c.

**NEW PREMIUM LIST OUT.**

Replete with information the 1907 list of premiums that will be given by the Michigan Agricultural Society at the State Fair in Detroit, August 29 to September 6, will be mailed to live stock dealers, farmers and manufacturers early in June. The premium list will be in the form of a 124-page book and will be as attractive as the printer's art can make it.

The book will show a marked increase in the number of prizes that will be given to exhibitors this year, and will contain useful and varied information that will be essential to every person visiting the Fair.

Among the illustrations in the book will be likenesses of President Postal, Secretary Butterfield, General Manager Charles Floyd, and General Superintendent A. J. Doherty, of the new grounds, the Michigan building, and the immense exposition hall and horticultural building.

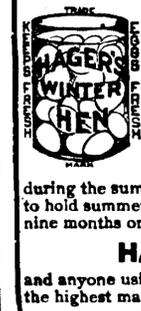
In the book will be the announcement of the details that have been worked out in order to take care of the greatly increased attendance that is expected this fall. Provisions that have been made for the comfort of visitors will be outlined, while a number of pages will be devoted to information particularly valuable to the exhibitor. This book will be sent to anyone on application.

For scratches, burns, cuts, insect bites and the many little hurts common to every family, DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel Salve is the best remedy. It is soothing, cooling, cleansing and healing. Be sure to get DeWitt's. Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

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Instant relief to sufferers of  
**Rheumatism, Kidney Trouble, Stomach Disorders.**  
Get a bottle to-day. Is purely a vegetable compound. Mild in effect but one of the most effectual remedies known for restoring the entire system. It is derived from nature, not compound of drugs and chemicals that only allay the pain, but cures to stay cured after all so-called "scientific" treatments have failed.  
For sale by druggists. Send for circulars. Address,  
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under most any conditions. There is a lot of money to be made in the egg business if conditions are right. There is no reason why Farmers and Poultry Raisers should not make just as good profits on their investments as any other line of business, and it is possible for them to do so. The price of eggs during the winter months is double and sometimes more than double that paid during the summer months. The only way to take advantage of this advance is to hold summer eggs for winter prices. That fresh eggs can be kept from six to nine months or more has been proven by careful testing with  
**HAGER'S EGG PRESERVATIVE**  
and anyone using this Preservative need never sell a dozen eggs for anything but the highest market price. Send for Sample and Circulars telling you all about it.  
**HAGER EGG PRESERVING CO., - St. Louis, Mo.**





# MICHIGAN EVENTS NOTED

## THE TAX COMMISSION'S WORK TO KEEP IT BUSY FOR MANY WEEKS.

### UNJUST TAXATION CRIES

#### Michigan Farmer's Fifteen Sons Help Him in Farming—Family of Thirty Children Blessed His Home.

#### The Tax Problem.

The tax commission is finding considerable work outlined for it by citizens and corporations complaining of unequal valuations fixed by assessing officers.

Secretary Wells H. Brown will go to Bellaire to investigate the complaint of a large power company that its assessment is unreasonable and excessive. He will also visit Rapid City, where it is claimed much property has been left off the assessment rolls. One complainant from a tannery company at Cheboygan calls into question nearly all the assessments in the township of Inverness.

The Detroit United Railway has filed objections to its assessment in Ypsilanti, and the Benton Harbor & South Bend Railway Co. complains of an excessive assessment in all the townships through which the road runs. Another electric company that seeks to obtain a lower assessment is the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon Electric Railway Co.

#### No Race Suicide.

Probably the largest family in the county, and probably the greatest number of living children of any man in Michigan. Thirty children have been born to him by his two wives, the first having six, and his present spouse being the mother of 24. She is 15 years old, and Methner is 63 years of age. With his 200-acre farm, Mr. Methner is able to employ his boys to advantage, 15 of them at present assisting him with his farm work. Methner traveled to Lansing on May 31, to tell President Roosevelt about his family, but the secret service men looked upon him with suspicion, and kept him outside the lines.

#### Made Deaf and Dumb.

David Buckeloo, son of Henry Buckeloo, of Grand Rapids, who was struck by lightning, will probably be left deaf and dumb. He recovered consciousness eighteen hours after being struck down. Physicians say there is every indication that he will not be able to hear or speak again.

The forest fires which raged north and west of Alpena for three days, destroying the lumber camps of Albert Lough and threatening the club house of the Turtle Lake club, have been extinguished by heavy rains.

#### Pastor's Wife Is Dead.

Mrs. D. C. Fleming, wife of one of Charlotte's pastors, died Saturday under peculiar circumstances. Mrs. Fleming was taken ill at the supper table and doctors thought she was suffering from ptomaine poisoning from eating ice cream, but as others were not taken sick the doctors on further investigation pronounced her death due to a ruptured blood vessel. Rev. Fleming has held pastorates at Lakeview, Petoskey, Vassar, Freeport and other Michigan towns. Five children survive.

#### Saw Son Killed.

Abraham Verlee, aged 8 years, son of Peter Verlee, of Vreeland, a few miles southeast of Grand Rapids, ran in front of a Grand Rapids & Holland interurban car late Thursday afternoon, and was instantly killed. The little fellow was playing ball, and his father sat on the porch of their home, watching him. He saw the car bearing down on his child, but was speechless with horror and could do nothing, seemingly being riveted to the spot.

#### Sparrow Bounties.

Last fall the board of supervisors of Genesee county created a fund for the payment of bounties for sparrow heads on the basis of 2 cents apiece, to offset the effect of the repeal of the state sparrow bounty law. The local bounty system has been in vogue for six months and the total expense up to date has been \$920, representing a reduction of over 46,000 in the sparrow population of the county.

#### Burned to Death.

Miss Sine Richards, of Saulte Ste. Marie, was running a sewing machine at night when a lamp fell to the floor. She tried to extinguish the flames by sitting on the lamp, but her clothing took fire and she ran into the street covered with flames. A neighbor rushed to the rescue, throwing his coat around her when she fell to the ground. She was taken to the hospital, where she died in great agony.

#### Howland Convicted.

Frank Howland, who shot Charles B. Carroll, of Marcellus, in his wife's room in Laporte, Ind., has been found guilty of intent to murder, and must serve a term of two to 21 years. Carroll has three bullets in his body and physicians say he cannot survive one year. Judge Dodge instructed the jury that the "unwritten law" should not be considered. Howland's parents are prominent Grand Rapids people.

## LOVE LOST.

### Man Aged 74 Sues Youth of 48 for Alienating Wife's Affection.

Peter Esterle, aged 74, charges Charles E. Karchner, aged 45, with the alienation of the affections of his wife, who is 73 years of age. He demands \$10,000 damages. The parties reside in Kent county.

According to the court records Esterle a year ago gave Karchner a deed to his property in Lowell on his agreeing to pay a mortgage of \$250 and give the Esterles a home for the rest of their lives. Esterle avers that after a short time Karchner induced his aged wife to consent to sending him to the poorhouse while she was to be given a home by Karchner.

Esterle told his story to Prosecutor Brown, of Grand Rapids, who ordered Karchner to return the deed and Karchner was given a mortgage for \$250 to cover the amount he had paid. At the first opportunity Karchner foreclosed and the property was being sold at auction from the city hall steps when the papers alleging alienation were served on Karchner. He stopped the sale and it was adjourned for two weeks. The Esterles have lived together for 47 years.

## MILLIONS.

### The State Expenditures Grow to Large Proportions.

The total expenditures of the present legislature will amount to practically \$9,500,000, according to Rep. Morrice, acting chairman of the ways and means committee of the house. The previous legislature made up a budget of \$7,300,000. Necessary increase of expenditures to maintain the state institutions and keep up with the growth of the state, are ascribed as the reason for the increase of \$2,200,000 in expenditures over that necessary two years ago.

The so-called general budget, which provides for the expenses of the state departments, will amount to approximately \$2,500,000, according to the estimates now before the ways and means committee. Two years ago that budget was complete at \$1,125,000 and Gov. Warner is of the opinion that about the same amount should provide for the departments this year.

Today the appropriation bills for the big schools of the state were reported out. The committee recommended that there be given the university approximately \$650,287 in the form of a 3.8 mill tax instead of the 1.2 mill tax as was asked by the university's friends, and which would have netted that institution about \$800,000.

### Prisoner Skipped.

Sheriff A. L. Briggs, of Monroe county, appealed to local officials for assistance in recapturing Spencer Brookfield, alias William Ash, a prisoner who escaped about 11 o'clock Thursday morning in Detroit, while being taken to the penitentiary at Jackson.

Briggs and his prisoner came to Detroit on an electric car and were to leave on the first Jackson car. His hands were manacled and his light overcoat had been thrown over his arms to cover the cuffs. He had stepped upon the platform of the car, the sheriff just ahead of him, when he suddenly turned and jumped to the ground and ran. The officer followed the fleeing man from the car and gave chase, but was unable to overtake him.

The missing prisoner is described as 30 years old, wearing a black coat, light trousers, brown derby hat, patent leather shoes and bow glasses.

### A Triple Operation.

A triple operation was performed upon George Taylor, the Grand Rapids carpenter who fell from a scaffolding across a wire charged with 19,000 volts of alternating electric current on May 20. Taylor's left arm, through which the current entered his body, and the toes of both feet, where the current passed out, became affected with dry gangrene and had to be amputated.

The amputation of all the members had to be performed at the same time to shorten the time of anesthesia and four doctors were employed. Only the toes were removed so as to enable Taylor to retain full use of his feet, if possible further amputation may be required.

### A Deposition.

Representative Ward has signified his willingness to make a statement to Prosecutor Robinson, of Detroit, concerning the death of Edith Presley.

Mr. Ward is still too weak, physically, to undergo the fatigue of a railroad trip and it is thought that matters can be arranged so that Mr. Robinson will take the legislator's deposition in Lansing or in Bancroft, Mr. Ward's home.

## STATE NEWS BRIEFS.

On special request of Congressman DiKema, the acting secretary of war has issued an order asking Gen. McKenzie to give Congressman DiKema the flood report of the federal board of engineers, Grand Rapids is to have the benefit of the government engineer's suggestions, but the report cannot be made public.

Ira F. Clark, of Boston, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Charlotte Webster, aged 82 years, of Deerfield. He is 79 years old, hale and hearty and has just returned from Denver, Col., where he attended, as a delegate, a reunion of the Sons of the American Revolution. There are only 14 Sons of the American Revolution in the United States.

## Campaign Against Rats.

The French sanitary is preparing a campaign against the rats which swarm in seaport towns and undoubtedly spread the infection of various devastating diseases in their passage from one country to another on board ship. It is announced that it will soon be compulsory for every vessel entering a French harbor from certain other ports to have all its rats exterminated.

## PURIFIED LIFE INSURANCE.

### Benefits from New Law, Which Remains Substantially Unchanged.

Through the influence of Gov. Hughes, the New York Legislature decided to make no radical changes in the new insurance law. It was pointed out by Gov. Hughes that the New York law has already accomplished widespread reforms, with proportionate benefits to policyholders, and that it should be given a thorough trial before any amendments were seriously considered. It is estimated that the cost of the mismanagement of the past did not average more than 20 cents to each policyholder, while the benefits to present and future policyholders will amount to many times more and be cumulative besides. The speed craze of the big companies and the excessive cost of securing new business was the most extravagant evil of the old management. Under the new regime the cost of new business has already been greatly reduced, along with other economies.

The showing made by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in its report for 1906 was a strong argument against meddling with the new law. In the Equitable alone there was a saving of over \$2,000,000 in expenses, besides an increase in the income from the Society's assets amounting to as much more. The ratios of the Equitable's total expenses to its total income was 19.42% in 1904, 17.38% in 1905, and only 14.43% in 1906. The dividends paid to Equitable policyholders in 1906 amounted to \$7,239,734, which was an increase of more than 9% over 1905.

While the Equitable made a better showing than any other big company, all reported radical economies and under such conditions the Legislature wisely decided to leave the law substantially as it stands.

## FAILED IN SMALL THINGS.

### Congressman Evidently Was No Hero to His Wife.

There is a certain congressman who, whatever authority he may hold in the councils of state, is of comparatively minor importance in his own household. Indeed, it has been unkindly intimated that his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Representative and Mrs. Blank had been to Baltimore one afternoon. When they left the train at Washington, on their return, Mrs. Blank discovered that her umbrella, which had been entrusted to the care of her husband, was missing.

"Where's my umbrella?" she demanded.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten it, my dear," meekly answered the congressman. "It must still be in the train."

"In the train!" snorted the lady. "And to think that the affairs of the nation are entrusted to a man who doesn't know enough to take care of a woman's umbrella!"—Success Magazine.

### Quaker Wit.

A fashionable woman decked with a profusion of jewelry, as a substitute, perhaps, for her scantiness of clothes, heard her complaining of the cold. Shivering in her lace bonnet and shawl, she exclaimed, "What shall I do to get warm?"

"I really don't know," replied the Quaker solemnly, "unless thou put on another breastpin."—Sunday Magazine.

## WENT TO TEA

### And it Wound Her Bobbin.

Tea drinking frequently affects people as badly as coffee. A lady in Salisbury, Md., says that she was compelled to abandon the use of coffee a good many years ago, because it threatened to ruin her health and that she went over to tea drinking, but finally, she had dyspepsia so bad that she had lost twenty-five pounds and no food seemed to agree with her.

She further says: "As this time I was induced to take up the famous food drink, Postum, and was so much pleased with the results that I have never been without it since. I commenced to improve at once, regained my twenty-five pounds of flesh and went some beyond my usual weight."

"I know Postum to be good, pure and healthful, and there never was an article, and never will be, I believe, that does so surely take the place of coffee, as Postum Food Coffee. The beauty of it all is that it is satisfying and wonderfully nourishing. I feel as if I could not sing its praises too loud." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

## DID THEIR DUTY.

### How Steven Montgomery and Men Met Death.

Colonel East and his assistants made an inspection of the Minnesota's launch which was sunk with the midshipmen and crew a week ago. After a careful examination, it was found that the launch, while bound from the Jamestown exposition grounds to the battleship Connecticut, at Anchor of Old Point, had run into a steel hawser, such as are used in towing gigantic car floats used by the railroads.

It was found that the brass prow of the launch showed signs of having struck the hawser. The latter then, no doubt, passed under the keel of the tiny craft. When the cable struck that part of the boat it came in contact with the condenser pipes. They were torn away, and the shock threw the launch over on its starboard side. The tiny craft then was hurled to the bottom of Hampton Roads and became the tomb of its eleven occupants.

Part of the hull of the launch was crushed in by the impact with the cable, but the steamboat inspectors and the members of the naval board of inquiry expressed the unanimous opinion that the ill-fated vessel was not struck by a barge or tug, but had collided with the cable between the tug and car float.

The developments established the fact that the men charged with the navigation of the launch were at their posts and did their duty when the fatal collision occurred.

### Senator Morgan Dead.

United States Senator John Tyler Morgan, of Alabama, for 30 years a Democratic member of the upper house of congress, chairman of the senate committee on inter-state canals, and prominent as a brigadier-general in the confederate army, died Tuesday night.

Senator Morgan had been in bad health for a number of years. He suffered from angina pectoris, which finally caused his death. At the death bed were his daughters, Miss Mary Morgan and Miss Corolla Morgan, both of Washington, and his secretary J. O. Jones.

### An Earthquake Theory.

A dispatch from Montgomery City, Mo., says: Dr. Thomas Jefferson Jackson See, astronomer of the United States naval observatory at Mare Island, Cal., now in that city, visiting his old boyhood home, says he has discovered the one common cause of earthquakes—the leakage of the ocean bottom, which gives rise to steam beneath the earth's crust.

He also points out that the chief danger of the agitations is along the sea coast.

"It seems to be clearly proved," said Dr. See, "that the earth is not contracting, but that the effects of cooling of the globe are insensible. The earth may be slightly expanding. San Francisco is not likely to have another earthquake in 100 years."

### Fell 250 Feet.

Three freight cars broke from a Grand Trunk train of 14 cars Saturday in the middle of the lower steel arch bridge and plunged into the Niagara rapids, 250 feet below. In leaving the track they damaged both the upper and lower decks of the bridge to a considerable extent.

When the cars struck the water they were not badly damaged, but the current of the rapids carried them to the whirlpool, where they were broken to pieces. A brakeman had a narrow escape.

### Gone to Oyster Bay.

President Roosevelt has gone to Oyster Bay for the summer. The party which left Washington included Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Cowles, wife of Rear-Admiral Cowles, Secretary and Mrs. Loeb and Mr. McLatta. The president hopes to pass a very quiet summer at Oyster Bay, and according to present plans with probably not more than one exception he will remain there continuously until he leaves for Canton, O., for the unveiling of the McKinley memorial monument, September 30.

### The Deadly Fourth.

The state department of health has issued to all local boards of health a statement showing that 44 deaths have occurred in Michigan in celebrating Independence day in four years. Attention is called to the extreme danger to children in handling fireworks and assistance is asked in enforcing the law against the sale of fireworks and firearms to minors. Local officers are asked to pass ordinances and to post the statements of the health officer as to the cause and the danger of tetanus.

### Convicted the Mayor.

Mayor Eugene A. Schmitz, of San Francisco, was found guilty Thursday by the jury in the extortion case of the French restaurants. The verdict was a surprise, as the testimony had made a fair case against Abe Ruef, while the only thing against Schmitz was Ruef's declaration that he divided the retainer with the mayor. Schmitz emphatically denied this, and as Ruef's testimony evidently was forced few expected more than a disagreement.

### Cloud Burst Fatal.

The Black Hills have been entirely cut off from communication with the outside world since the evening of the 12th. A rain and hail storm, lasting six hours, washed out the railroad bridges and tracks and destroyed telegraph wires. Three persons are known to have lost their lives.

## AT A WARDEN'S HOIST.

### Darkey Servant Meets Chaining Under the Chair.

A traveling man stopped recently at a little country hamlet some miles from a large city to call a merchant a bill of goods. There was only one hotel in the place, and this had an unsavory reputation. He had only one night to stay, however, so he concluded to make the best of a bad bargain.

He went to his room early, and feeling the need of some hot water to remove the stains of his journey, cast his eye upon a small electric button, which, of course, was conspicuous by its absence.

He supposed to think that he had seen a negro porter behind, and sticking his head out of the door, he yelled lustily:

"Hey, you black rascal, come up here!"

"Yas'r, yas'r, I's comin'," was the quick response, and a moment later the old darkey appeared before the drummer, bowing obsequiously, cap in hand.

"I want some hot water, and I want it quick," said the drummer.

"Yis' powerful sorry, boss, powerful sorry," replied the negro, his voice trembling. "We ain't got no hot watab, but I kin hot yuh some."

## BLACK, ITCHING SPOTS ON FACE.

### Physician Called It Eczema in Worst Form—But Last Desperate Cure—Cuticura Remedies Cured Her.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black spotsches all over my face and a few covering my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering, to such an extent that I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of ——. After a thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in the worst form. Their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a single set of the Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that every spotch was entirely gone. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema since; which was three years ago. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 444 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, 1907."

### His Idea of a Good Time.

The retired contractor sighed as he got into his dress suit and thought of the elaborate dinner and the opera that were to come.

"Some day," he said, "I'll git real desprit, an' then do you know what I'll do?"

"Something terrible, no doubt," replied his ambitious wife.

"I suppose it wouldn't look well in print," he admitted, "but I can't help that. What I'll do will be to throw away these high-priced cigars, put on some old clothes, go out an' come in by the back way an' smoke a quarter pound of cut-up chewin' tobacco in a cob pipe while I'm talkin' things over with the coachman in the barn."—The Bohemian.

### The Eternal Woman.

It is because it is always impossible to know how a woman will act, to grasp the workings of her mind, to pierce the veil that hides the innermost recesses of her soul, that she has held such complete sway over man. He can never definitely rely upon her. —London World.

Don't Sneeze Your Head Off. Krause's Cold Capsules will cure you almost instantly. At all Druggists, 25c.

When duty is clear, to put one's self questions about it is to suffer defeat.—Victor Hugo.

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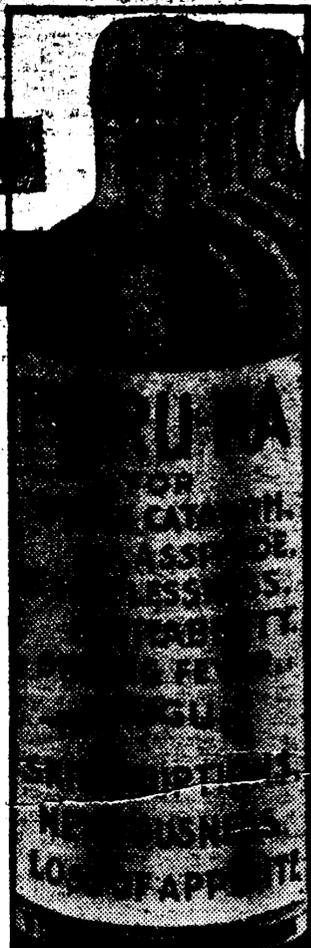
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# HEALTH NOTES FOR JUNE.



Spring Catarrh is a well defined Spring disease. The usual symptoms are given above. A Bottle of Pe-ru-na taken in time will promptly arrest the course of the disease known as Spring Catarrh.



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## ROMANCE OF NAVAL CRAFT.

Interesting History of a Ship and Yacht Called Dorothea

Among the vessels assigned to the naval militia is one with a history. It seems that many years ago, when it was the custom of the insurance underwriters to put up at auction vessels that had been long overdue and not heard from, a young apprentice in Philadelphia happened to attend one of these auctions at which a large ship named the Dorothea was put up for sale.

The vessel had taken aboard a very valuable cargo, which would go with the ship to the successful bidder, but the very fact that the property was so valuable had kept the underwriters from selling the craft until long after it had become generally believed that she was a total wreck.

Consequently the auctioneer cried the good ship Dorothea many times without getting a bid. Finally the young apprentice jokingly bid five dollars, as nobody would bid higher, the vessel and her cargo were knocked down to him. Imagine the astonishment of the maritime world when the Dorothea was reported sailing into Delaware bay.

The apprentice sold his prize for enough to start him in business, and for years the house thus formed was one of the leaders in enterprise and resources in the Quaker city. But at all times the head of the firm and his family successors made a point of owning and operating a ship named the Dorothea, which name also was given the oldest daughter in each succeeding generation.

Shortly before the Spanish war, however, the third head of the house was in failing health, and the only hope of saving his life, he was advised, was to live at sea. Accordingly he gave an order to the Cramps for a large and luxuriously appointed yacht, to be called the Dorothea, of course, and no expense was spared in her construction and equipment.

Unfortunately, death came to the owner before his yacht was finally finished and the government paid a fancy price for the Dorothea early in 1898.

With the close of the war there was no purely naval duty for which the Dorothea was fitted, and yet the government did not wish to sell her because there was no possibility of getting a price for her anything like what she had cost. She was accordingly laid up at the League Island navy yard until, says the Chicago Chronicle, the Illinois Naval reserves succeeded in convincing the navy department that they were entitled to her.

### The Value of a Smile.

It is wonderful what an effect a bright look or smile may have on one we meet. If we only knew just how much good it may do, we should always try to carry smiles about with us.

The little woman who goes about the street with such a bright, happy face and cheery word for all she knows, seems to have the effect of sunshine, says Chicago Journal. When she does her shopping everyone seems to brighten and respond to her happy greeting as naturally as a flower opens to the sunlight.

A little smile, a look of sympathy, are things that cost nothing, and we know from our experience how just one may brighten a whole day.

Life is hard at best, so let us do all we can to brighten the lives of others, and thus brighten our own lives.

### The Retort Unkind.

Gerald—Man is descended from the monkey.  
Geraldine—I don't think you are any improvement upon your ancestors.—N. Y. Press.

### The Devil's Wiles.

The devil entangles youth with beauty, the miser with gold, the ambitious with power, the learned with false doctrine.

### Vain Search for Cannon.

A tradition still survives in Luzerne county, Pennsylvania, that when Gen. John Sullivan marched through that region in 1779 on his expedition against the Indian confederacy of Central New York he buried some superfluous brass cannon along the Wilkesbarre mountain. To search for these revolutionary relics a number of the best known citizens of Ashley have formed themselves into an historical society. Recently the members scoured the mountain in the vicinity of Laurel run, but could find no relics except a few Indian arrow points.

### Uneasy.

"Will your books stand a heavenly audit?" asked the minister.  
The magnate in the congregation squirmed uneasily.  
He knew that an unbiased audit wholly earthly would jar him hard enough.—Philadelphia Ledger.

### In the Dark.

"Don't you think that doctor comes oftener than he needs to?"  
"How should I know what his needs are?"—Life.

## SUFFERED TORTURE.

Racked with Pain, Day and Night, for Years.

Wm. H. Walter, engineer, of Chatham, Ill., writes:

"Kidney disease was lurking in my system for years. I had torturing pain in the side and back and the urine was dark and full of sediment. I was racked with pain day and night, could not sleep or eat well, and finally became crippled and bent over with rheumatism. Doan's Kidney Pills brought quick relief, and in time, cured me. Though I lost 40 pounds, I now weigh 200, more than ever before."

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## SYMPATHY FOR THE FISH.

Upton Sinclair's Amazing Parable on Charity of the Rich.

Upton Sinclair, in an address before a body of Chicago Socialists, said of charity:

"The average charity, the charity of the rich, seems rather futile to me. The rich oppress the poor enormously, then they help them slightly. It is like the young lady angler.

"Why," said a man to this young lady, 'do you always carry a bottle of liniment with you on your fishing excursions?'

She sighed.  
"I am sorry," she said plaintively, 'for the poor little fish. And so, when I take one off the hook, I always rub its cut mouth with some liniment.'"

### The Lie According to Mr. Dooley.

"A lie may be as simple as th' truth. Th' fact iv th' matter is that th' rale thruth is niver simple. What we call thruth an' pass around fr'im hand to hand is only a kind iv a currency that we use fr' convenience. There are a good many counterfeiters an' a lot iv th' counterfeiters mus' be in circulation. I haven't anny question that I take in many iv thim ever me intellection bar ivry day, an' pass out not a few. Some iv th' counterfeiters has as much precious metal in thim as th' rale goods, on'y they don't bear th' government stamp."—From Dissertations by Mr. Dooley.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and restoring nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
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### The Web of Life.

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One needs no letters that he large ourselves.—George Eliot.

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### So He Rang Off.

"And you didn't propose to her?"  
"No."  
"Why?"  
"I was leading right up to it, but suddenly noted that her voice had a sort of previous-engagement ring."—Smart Set.

Man is not the enemy of woman; circumstances are the victors of men.—Dumas.

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## WORKING WOMEN, WHAT THEY SHOULD KNOW



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Women for the most part spend their lives at home, and it is these women who are willing and ambitious that their homes shall be kept neat and pretty, their children well dressed and tidy, who do their own cooking, sweeping, dusting and often washing, ironing and sewing for the entire family, who call for our sympathy.

Truly the work of such a woman is "never done" and is it any wonder that she breaks down at the end of a few years, the back begins to ache, there is a displacement, inflammation or ulceration of the abdominal organs, a female weakness is brought on, and the struggle of that wife and mother to continue her duties is pitiful.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, is the exact medicine a woman needs whose strength is overtaxed. It keeps the feminine organs in a strong and healthy condition. In preparing for childbirth and recuperating therefrom it is most efficient. It carries a woman safely through the change of life and in making her strong and well assists her to be a good wife and mother.

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"I suffered severely with pain every month and also a pain in my left side. My doctor prescribed for me but did me no good; a friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I wrote you in regard to my condition. I followed your advice and am a perfectly well woman. The pains have all disappeared and I cannot recommend your medicine too highly."  
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**Among Our Correspondents**

**WEST PUTNAM.**

D. M. Monks was in Detroit Tuesday.

Thomas Cooper of Jackson visited his mother Sunday.

Twelve men began work on Will Gardner's barn Tuesday.

Dr. J. W. Monks of Howell spent Sunday with his parents.

Wm. Doyle spent a few days of last week with friends in Lansing.

Mrs. Wm. Murphy and daughter Bessie, were in Jackson Saturday.

Michael Dunne of Jackson visited relatives here the first of the week.

Bert Van Blaricum sold a valuable horse to Howell parties this week.

Robert Kelly and Will Cooper attended the show at Jackson Saturday.

H. B. Gardner and daughter, Arla, have returned from a weeks visit in Lansing.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. I am still taking the pills as I want a perfect cure." Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, which are unequalled for Backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A weeks treatment for 25 cents.

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**HOWELL.**

June 27 is the date of the Methodist excursion to Detroit.

A daughter of W. H. S. Wood will teach in the Corunna high school the coming year.

Arrangements have been completed by the lecture committee for their seasons course.

The few warm days makes the citizen with the the summer cottage think of hieing himself away. Better wait until after July 4.

The business college has the promise of being a larger success the coming year than last. F. M. Dye has been retained as instructor and superintendent.

Arthur Garland sent Alma college a gift of \$500 last week to provide for a scholarship in memory of his daughter, Hazel B. Garland, for some worthy student in the kindergarten department.

The legislature gave the State sanitorium at this place a frost. Instead of the \$140,000 asked for to put the institution in good running shape, they cut off the \$100,000 and made the amount \$40,000.

**EAST PUTNAM.**

Fred Fish was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Fisk entertained friends from Jackson Sunday.

Berkley Isham of Gregory visited friends in this place Sunday.

Miss. Mayme Fish in home from her school work at Corunna.

Wm. Fisk and R. W. Lake took in the excursion to Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Hall visited near Stockbridge from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Ebna Tiplady spent a portion of this week with Mrs. Louis Shehan.

Mrs. Dennis Shehan of Genoa visited her sister, Mrs. Arthur Shehan one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hicks of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Swarthout and Mrs. Emma Burgess and daughter of Pinckney were entertained Sunday at Bert Hick's.

**IOSCO.**

Listen for the Wedding bells.

Miss Mae Bickford spent last Saturday with Mrs. Greening.

Mrs. Haviland entertained friends from Webberville last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Stowe attended commencement at Ypsilanti last week.

Mrs. Haviland and Mrs. Greening spent Tuesday with friends in Stockbridge.

Mesdames Bradley and Messenger visited Mrs. F. A. Gardner one day last week.

Chas. Mapes and wife visited his brother Horace and family at Stockbridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gardner attended I.O.O.F. memorial service at Stockbridge Sunday last.

Miss Hazel Stowe graduated with honors from Ypsilanti High School last Thursday. She is now at home.

**LAKELAND.**

Mrs. Kice visited her son Charles Smith last week.

Mr. S. Cooper of Howell was shaking hands with old friends last week.

We understand that any one can go from Lakeland to Ann Arbor and back the same day for 40 cents, on the A. A. Ry.

Mr. O. Clark while working in the ice house fell off the runway between the ice house and the car they were loading, and jarred him up a little.

Clyde and Hiram Smith, of the U of M are home for a short time.

Miss Viola Bergen is assisting Mrs. Rinehart at the Lakeland House.

Born to Guy Smith and wife, of Detroit, an eight pound daughter, June 15.

Mr. Briggs and wife, of Pinckney, visited at James Henry's last Tuesday.

Miss Winnie Peters visited her parents, Wm. Peter's and wife, over Sunday.

Mr. S. VanHorn and wife are entertaining Mrs. VanHorn's aunt this week.

Connie Cook has returned from the south and will spend a part of the season at his cottage.

Peter Coniway and wife entertained her niece and family from Webberville, last Sunday.

Mrs. John Strain, of Detroit, was a guest of her parents, Chas. Smith and wife, the past week.

Jesse Henry is shipping ice in good earnest these warm days with quite a gang of men, and yet cannot fill the orders.

Mr. E. Wines and wife, Mr. Doan and wife, of Ann Arbor, also Rube Blade, spent Sunday with their parents, Geo. Blade and wife.

We have been wondering of late what made C. G. Smith wear such a broad smile, and was passing around cigars, but have just learned he is grandpa.

Mrs. Ray Tompkins and mother Mrs. Larkin, was called to Ann Arbor, last week, to see Mrs. Tompkin's sister, Mattie who was very sick with heart trouble, but is reported better at this writing.

**NORTH HAMBURG.**

Chas Burroughs and family visited her people Sunday.

Clyde and Hiram Smith are home for their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hooker are the proud parents of a boy.

Jno. VanHorn and family spent Saturday with friends in Hamburg.

Laurence Dunning had the misfortune to sprain his wrist last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Salmon return to their home in Bronton, N. J., this week.

Children's day at the Cong. church in North Hamburg Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Bert Benham and a friend from Ann Arbor were guests of his people over Sunday.

**PLAINFIELD.**

Wirt Watson, of Jackson, visited at R. G. Chipman's, last Sunday.

Maccabee ice-cream sale at the hall again this week Saturday evening.

Pearl Ostrander entertained a lady friend from Howell, the first of the week.

Miss Agnes McGee, of California, visited her brother, W. C. McGee, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Conk returned last Friday from Chelsea where they have been caring for a sick sister.

The Maccabees succeeded in selling ten gallons of ice cream at their birthday party last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Calking, state president of the WCTU gave an interesting talk at the Presb't church Sunday evening.

Rev. John Vine, pastor of the Baptist church at Gregory, and Miss Suie E. Brearley were married last Wednesday, June 12, by Rev. Thomas Denman.

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

Perry plant was in Detroit one day this week.

Nice rain Tuesday evening and it does not look settled yet.

Geo. F. Green has been going lame this week as the result of stepping on a rusty nail.

Mrs. Harrie Palmer of Blissfield, is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green.

Dr. H. F. Sigler and Rev. Littlejohn were in Ann Arbor Wednesday. Dr. Sigler attended the reunion of his medical class.

Guy Teeple has commenced drawing stone for the foundation of a new residence on his lot recently purchased between W. A. Carr's and E. J. Briggs.

Instead of going away this summer, did it ever occur to you to take your vacation at home and do some of those things you have always thought you would do if you only had time.

The Anderson farmers club met at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Dinkel June 8 and was largely attended. A short program was rendered. After supper had been served the meeting adjourned.

A gasoline stove in the kitchen at the home of Jacob Bowers run over Tuesday afternoon and caused quite a little blaze. However there was plenty of help handy and the fire was extinguished before it had gained much headway and the damage was slight.

For several weeks past the work of preparation of the steel and concrete for the new railroad bridge over the Cedar river just west of this place has been in progress and the work was completed and rested on a substructure ready to be slid over upon the foundations on Sunday, but on Friday of last week, the substructure gave way, being undermined by the water, and the heavy mass slid into the river, making a heavy loss as much of the work will be lost.—Review.

**The School Exhibit**

The annual exhibit of the work accomplished in the different grades of the school here took place at the High School rooms Tuesday and Wednesday. This has proven an interesting part of Commencement week for several years, and this year was no exception.

None of the grades are left out, but from the first division to the 12th grade each scholar has their work on exhibition, and the best of it is not "special" work for the exhibit but is the work of their every day studies, and from the drawing of "the Sun Bonnett Babies" in the first grades, to the drawings of physiology and geometry classes in the high school there is a marked improvement.

Commissioner Knooihuizen was present and expressed himself as highly pleased with the work and says that it should be done in all the schools in the state but it is done only a few, Pinckney being the only one in the county and he was proud of the showing. It could not help but do good where ever carried out.

**LOST**

Tuesday evening, a pair of long silk gloves. Please leave at this office.

**Cong'l Church Notes**

The attendance was not as large as usual last Sunday on account of the children's exercises at the M. E. church. The sermon by the pastor was one of the best he has preached. Several were heard to say, "That sermon must be repeated in the near future." We are glad Mr. Gates will kindly consent to this request and we hope those who did not hear it last Sunday will be present when it is repeated.

The Thursday evening are growing in interest each. Everybody welcome.

Now that Childrens day is over, let every one take up the Sunday school work with a determination to make this the banner year for the Pinckney Cong'l Sunday school. This can be accomplished by every one taking part.

A Christian Endeavor Society was organized last Friday evening. We trust this will be a great help to the church in days to come, as it has been in the past.

Service next Sunday Morning and evening as usual. Morning, "The Hand of God." Evening, "The Hand of Russia." All are welcome.

**M. E. Church Notes.**

The church was packed to its utmost capacity Sunday morning for the childrens day exercises. The program was excellent and went off without a hitch. It was a little long so there was no session of Sunday school. The church was nicely decorated with ferns and flowers. The collection amounted to over \$12.

The prayer meetings are being kept up in good shape at this season but there is still room for others to come in and join. Come once in a while and it will do us all good.

"This little pig went to market" doesn't amuse tonight. Baby's not well; what's the matter, her dear little cheeks are so white; Poor little tummy is aching, naughty old pain go away, Cascasweet mother must give her, then she'll be bright as the day. It is here  
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