

# Pinckney Dispatch.



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## LOCAL NEWS.

Village election comes March 14 this year.

Mrs. Rosina Mercer is spending a few weeks in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. K. H. Crane of Hartland has been visiting old friends here the past week.

Note the advertisement of the Stock Sale on Glenbrook Stock Farm in this issue.

You cannot fail to see the adv. in this issue by Armstrong & Barron of Howell—page 4.

The farmers around Oak Grove are going into the sugar beet business the coming season.

J. C. Dinkel has been improving his store the past week by adding some new show cases.

Some of our correspondence reached us a little late last week owing to the fact that the rural carriers did not make their trips Tuesday.

We are glad to state that John Mortenson, who was so badly burned a few weeks ago by putting gasoline on the fire, is readily improving and will soon be out.

The North Lake Band concert that was to have been held at the opera house here last Saturday evening was postponed until Saturday evening of this week. Same program.

Livingston county so far has never had an electric road only on paper, but if reports are true there are at least four headed this way and all of them look well so far—on paper.

We see by the Stockbridge Brief that Dr. A. B. Green of that place formerly of Pinckney, has purchased the dental business of a doctor in Jackson and will take possession April 1, 1910.

Roy Sprague has secured the agency for the Maxwell automobile for Livingston and Shiawassee counties and will make his headquarters at Fowler, while carrying several cars in stock—Democrat.

We issued bills from this office the past week for an auction sale held by Will Dunbar, on the Burgess farm northwest of Pinckney next Thursday afternoon, March 10. See bills and adv in this issue.

Claude Johnson of Toledo visited his cottage at Portage Lake one day last week and found that it had been broken into and many things taken. Mr. Johnson says that if the parties who did the job will call next season at closing time he will give them what they want and save them stealing it.

Perry Towle was in Pontiac the last of last week and the first of this. Mr. and Mrs. Towle have sold their farm to Bert Nash and son Orville, and expect to move to Pontiac. Orville Nash and wife will move to the Towle farm about April 1st.

Geo. Reason Jr. has so far recovered from his operation as to walk out.

Miss Nellie Fish of Gregory visited her people here the first of the week.

Roy Darwin of Lansing visited relatives and friends here over Sunday.

Harry Haze of Lansing was the guest of Dr. C. L. Sigler a couple of days the past week.

Miss Josephine Harris of Dundee spent a couple of days the past week with her people near here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Wright of Flint, Feb. 22 a girl, instead of a boy as was stated in last weeks paper.

E. C. Glenn and James Williams of Detroit were guests of F. L. Andrews and family Saturday evening and Sunday.

On account of the lecture March 9, the ladies of the M. E. church will serve dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morten Mortenson Thursday, March 10. Everybody invited.

The Cong'l Sunday school will hold a social at the home of Wm. Clark out of town, Friday evening of this week, March 4. An excellent program will be rendered for the nourishment of the mind and an excellent lunch for the nourishment of the body. Everybody invited to come and have a sociable time for 10 cents. Teams at postoffice at 6:30.

The rain of Saturday and the warm weather of Sunday and Monday set the ice and snow to running and the sleighing got very thin in many places, in fact there were some places where there was mud for several rods. The ground was frozen so hard that it was a hard matter for the water to get away, consequently where there was any chance the water was high and much damage done. Of course Pinckney did not suffer from these causes.

A letter received from Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Briggs states that they are still at Everett but have visited in Seattle. By the tone of their letter it seems they are somewhere near ready to return to Pinckney but will probably remain until April at least. They have had some snow—three or four inches but it did not last. The ground has hardly frozen. This is some different than three months of sleighing and ice on the lakes two feet thick. They also send a paper that gives a writeup of the resources of Everett and the surrounding country.

## Caucus Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the citizens of the village of Pinckney will meet in caucus at the town hall in the said village on Saturday, March 5th, 1910, for the purpose of placing in nomination officers for the village to be voted upon at the election to be held March 14, 1910, and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting. COMMITTEE

## Obituary.

Mr. Erie P. Campbell was born at Rush, Monroe Co., N. Y., Oct. 14, 1825 and died at Pinckney, Mich., Feb. 23, 1910 being 84 yrs. 4 mo. 9 days of age. His boyhood days were spent in Rush, N. Y. He married Miss Sara West in 1847 and to this union were born four children: One girl, Ella, who died in 1854, and three sons, William L. of Woodstock, Ill., Charles L. and Erie Eugene both of Pinckney, Mich. Mr. Campbell married for his second wife, Miss Clara Houghton in 1878, who died Sept. 6, 1908. Mr. Campbell has one sister living at Moneyoid Falls, N. Y.

Our brother in his early days cleared a small farm near Romeo, Mich. from which place he moved to Pinckney in 1872. He joined the Cong'l church of Pinckney, Apr. 6, 1876, where he has been a regular worshipper for many years and from which he was buried. Mr. Campbell enjoyed good health, save the loss of both eyes, until about Christmas of last year, since which time he has been in declining health.

Last Thursday evening he sat at the table as usual with the family and after he had been served he said that he was feeling poorly. He was helped to his bed where he realized that his last moments had come. He bid farewell to his family and told them that he must go and passed to his reward within 20 minutes from the time he began to feel badly. Brother Campbell leaves to mourn his loss, his three sons and one sister besides a great number of friends and neighbors.

The funeral was held from the Cong'l church Saturday morning, Rev. A. G. Gates officiating.

It matters not when the righteous fall asleep—death cannot come untimely to him who is fit to die. The less of this cold world the more of heaven; the brighter life, the earlier immortality. A. G. G.

## The Last for this Season.

The Midland Jubilee Singers with six cultured and refined voices will give the final grand climax to our extra fine Lecture course Wednesday March 9th.

Wherever this company has appeared this season they have captured the audience with their refined wholesome jokes, chorus selections, duets and quartettes. Their closing grand opera and grand finale which will be given as a fitting close has never failed to fill each soul with supreme delight.

Let no person in reach of Pinckney, be so unfortunate as to miss this fine musical treat, from the very lips of the sons and daughters of our Dusky Southland.

Doors will be opened at 7 o'clock; Entertainment at 8 o'clock sharp. Remember the date—March 9th.

## To Our Readers.

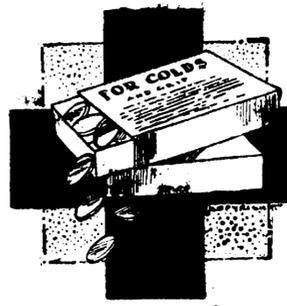
This week we are notifying all our subscribers whose time has already expired or expires before the first day of April, 1910.

The law compels us to keep our subscription accounts closed up to within one year and while it costs us many dollars to send statements you can help us much by being prompt in settlement.

This week we are notifying all by the blue mark around this item and if you send in promptly it will save us sending you a statement the first of next month. There are a few who have asked us to continue their paper for a time and this is the only way we can do so for any length of time. So please write us to continue or send the money.

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## Pinckney Dispatch

FRANK L. ANDREWS, Publisher.  
PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN

### WHAT IS HAZING?

A bill has been framed in the senate committee on military affairs prescribing regulations that shall govern the dismissal of West Point cadets for the practice of "hazing," and defining in explicit language what is meant by the term itself. It seems that the dictionary definitions have not proved satisfactory either to the senate committee or to the executive heads of the war department, and in lieu of a satisfactory translation of the comprehensive term it becomes necessary for the law givers to frame one for themselves. It is in many cases easier to offer an example than a synonym, says Philadelphia Ledger. Anyone knows "hazing" when he sees it, and every thoughtful person deprecates the brutal disregard of another's feelings that is involved in the reprehensible practice. No definition would be complete that failed to take into consideration the fact that mental anguish is sometimes much more painful than physical sufferings. A man's—or boy's—mind may be hazed not less effectually than his body. In order to "haze" successfully it is not necessary to use instruments of torture. Some of the most brutal instances of hazing on record have been those in which the imagination of the chosen victim has been ingeniously assailed by the soul-harrowing dread of things that did not happen.

The figures showing the gold production of the world for 1909, while not complete, prove that the great output of recent years has been kept up. The actual production during 1908 was \$443,434,527. The estimated total for 1909, based on official returns from the leading countries for 11 months, is \$457,567,280, an increase of \$14,132,753, or 3.2 per cent., over the preceding twelvemonth. The Transvaal in South Africa leads off, with \$151,900,000 against \$145,819,016 in 1908. The United States ranks second with \$96,500,000 against \$94,560,000. With one or two exceptions every country in the list produced more gold last year than in 1908. Further comparison shows that the gain has been in an almost unbroken ratio during the last 20 years, for which period there has been a fourfold gain in the world's supply. The figures have economic significance and study of them may serve to explain some of the changes that are being wrought in the world's monetary system.

The meanness of the short-measure trick is conspicuously exemplified in the report that consumers in New York city alone are annually cheated out of 14,000,000 quarts of milk for which they pay—and, according to recent evidence, pay exorbitantly—but which they do not receive because the bottles in which the milk is delivered are under full size. The milk sold in this manner goes for the most part to poor persons and furnishes a large proportion of the sustenance of children. Short measure in this instance therefore means robbing those whose lot is already hard enough and who have to pay heavily for every necessary of life. If there is not a method of reaching the conscienceless persons who perpetrate such despicable frauds certainly the law should remedy the defect.

A Russian bank has been started at Buenos Ayres, the capital of Argentina, and a line of steamships from St. Petersburg to South America is projected, owing to the large and increasing trade of Russia with that country. All the other leading European nations have an important commerce with South America, which is pushed with all the energy possible and with the application of every practicable method, including subsidized steamers, liberal exchange arrangements and the maintenance of well-stocked agencies in South America, with employees carefully trained for their duties, and with strict regard for South American tastes and desires in the character and quality of goods.

Even in this rushing age you can't blame a man for standing still when he is in the storm center of such formidable elements as a street car, a whirl of automobiles, a part of the flying squadron of motorcycles, trucks, carriages, bicycles and express wagons. Then to be ordered to move on by a big policeman with a stuffed club, the stuffing being of lead assaying better than 90 per cent., excuses thought confusion.

## POOR DEAL IN HIGH FINANCE

Farmer Divided Profits with the Sellers of Dressed Meat, and Lost Money.

Speaking of the present prosperity of the farmer, Assemblyman Warren Pine of Riverside related a little story at Trenton the other day which would seem to indicate the agriculturist is not always far-seeing with regard to his finances.

Some time ago, Mr. Pine said, he was on a train and overheard the conversation of two farmers who were on their way to Trenton. First they talked about the dry spell they had last summer, then the game laws, and finally one of them remarked that he had heard that Josh Hankins had had his annual hog killing.

"Yaas," returned the other with a chuckle, "and he didn't do a gosh dasted thing but bunko himself good an' plenty."

"How did he bunko himself?" queried the first, wondering. "He got a good price fer 'em, didn't he?"

"Yaas," answered the second, with another gleeful chuckle, "that was ther whole derved trouble. He got such a good price fer 'em that he sold ther whole bloomin' lot, an' didn't keep none for his own eatin'."

"Ye hev kind o' got me, Bill," was the puzzled response of the first. "Ye will hev ter come again."

"It is as easy ter see as slippin' off a greased log," said Bill. "He sold all them hogs at \$10 a hundred, an' now he is buyin' them back fer his table in pork chops an' scrapple lots at somethin' like 20 cents a pound."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

### THE WORST.



Mrs. Blink—The worst is yet to come.  
Mr. Blink—What time does your mother arrive?

### Opera the Great Leveler.

At one of the Wagner operas a few days ago a woman nudged her friend and said: "Who's that distinguished man bowing to you over there?" Her friend looked in the direction designated and smiled in a return greeting. "That's my butcher," she said. "I see him here quite often. When I go marketing in the morning we always discuss the opera. He's a German, you know, and really knows a lot about other things besides cutting meat."—New York Sun.

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Herbert M. Wilson, of the United States geological survey, places the annual damage and waste by smoke in the United States at \$500,000,000 in the large cities alone, or about \$6 to each man, woman and child of the population.

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### Natural Supposition.

"I am going to burn coal hereafter."  
"Hereafter? I thought Old Nick would attend to the heat problem for you then."

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If It's Your Eye Use Pettit's Eye Salve, for inflammation, styes, itching lids, eye aches, defects of vision and sensitivity to strong lights. All Druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Answer me quick, what help, what hand, do you stretch o'er destruction's brink?—Browning.

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One should take care not to grow too wise for so great a pleasure of life as laughter.—Addison.

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Take from my mouth the wish of happy years.—Shakespeare.

## 21 MEAT KINGS ARE INDICTED

JERSEY CITY, N. J., PROSECUTOR SAYS HE'LL BRING WESTERNERS EAST FOR TRIAL.

MAXIMUM PENALTY THREE YEARS IN PENITENTIARY AND FINE OF \$1,000.

Two Armour, Three Swifts and Three Morris Among Those Charged With Cornering Food Supply.

### Corporations.

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### Individuals.

J. Ogden Armour, A. Watson Armour, Louis F. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Charles H. Swift, Edward Morris, Ira N. Morris, Arthur Meeker, Edward Tilden, L. A. Canton, Thomas E. Wilson, Thomas J. Connors, F. A. Fowler, L. H. Heyman, James E. Hatigate, Jr., George J. Edwards, Frederick B. Cooper, J. E. Hartwell, Henry B. Darlington, A. A. Fuller, Lemuel C. Patterson.

The beef trust of the United States, embracing six great packing companies and 21 packers, several of them multi-millionaires, socially and industrially prominent, were indicted by a grand jury in Hudson county, New Jersey, charged with conspiracy in limiting the supply of meat and poultry.

The indictment is drawn under the laws of New Jersey, which provide, on conviction, a maximum penalty of three years in the penitentiary or a \$1,000 fine, or both. The offense is extraditable, which means that practically all the meat barons of this country must either successfully resist extradition, or come to Jersey City for trial.

### Justice Harlan Attacked.

An attack upon Supreme Court Justice Harlan for activities before a house committee in behalf of a bill to extend government assistance to the George Washington university was made yesterday by President E. J. James, of the University of Illinois, before the house committee on agriculture.

Declaring that he understood Justice Harlan had been on the pay roll of the university at a salary of from \$2,000 to \$3,000, Mr. James said:

"It seems to be that it is not quite proper for a justice of the supreme court to urge upon congress, among whose members are many men who practice in his court and who may be beholden to him for favors, that they should make appropriations for the benefit of a private institution on whose pay roll the justice has been for the better part of a generation."

Justice Harlan's son, Dr. R. D. Harlan, defended his father against the attack, saying:

"I am sure that my honored father," he said, "approaching, perhaps, the close of his life at fourscore years, is safe from any aspersion of his motives in this matter. The people of Washington will hardly believe that he is actuated by any motive other than that of simple justice."

### Found the Slayer at Last.

The story of a father's three-year search in two continents for the slayer of his daughter was revealed when Kleebrites Hiotis, 20 years old, was arrested, with the aid of a government immigration inspector.

According to the police, the prisoner admitted his identity and confessed to killing the girl, Filippet Damaskis, 17 years old, but insisted that the tragedy was accidental.

"He loved my daughter," said Peter Damaskis, the slain girl's father, "but my wife did not want him for a son-in-law. They quarreled and Hiotis killed the girl."

The tragedy was enacted at Paleopolion, in Greece, July 21, 1907, according to Damaskis. A celebration was being held following the marriage of a sister of Hiotis. During a dance the Damaskis girl fell dead with a bullet in her neck. She had been dancing with a rival of Hiotis.

Hiotis came to America immediately after the shooting and has lived in Chicago for six months. Damaskis pursued him and caused his arrest after a three-year search.

### NEWS IN BRIEF.

President Taft will be the principal speaker at the banquet of the League of Republican State Clubs in Washington on April 9.

Herds of goats and sheep are soon to be sent from the United States to Japan for the use of the Japanese government in developing stock raising.

Nearly 200 butchers with little markets on the east and west sides of New York have been forced out of business during the past three months by the high cost of meat, according to Chas. Young, secretary of the Retail Butchers' association. "I expect that 500 of them will be forced to close by the beef trust," he says.

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# SERIAL STORY

## The LAST VOYAGE of the DONNA ISABEL

By Randall Parrish

Author of "Bob Hampton of Flacker," etc.

Illustrations by Dearborn Melvill

### SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, an adventurer, a Massachusetts man marooned by authorities at Valparaiso, Chile. Being interested in mining operations in Bolivia, he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding. At his hotel his attention was attracted by an Englishman and a young woman. Stephens rescued the young woman from a drunken officer. He was thanked by her. Admiral of the Peruvian navy confronted Stephens, told him that war had been declared between Chile and Peru and offered him the office of captain. He desired that that night the Esmeralda, a Chilean vessel, should be captured. Stephens accepted the commission. Stephens met a motley crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions. They boarded the vessel. They successfully captured the vessel supposed to be the Esmeralda, through strategy. Capt. Stephens gave directions for the departure of the craft. He entered the cabin and discovered the English woman and her maid. Stephens quickly learned the wrong vessel had been captured. It was Lord Darlington's private yacht, the lord's wife and maid being aboard. He explained the situation to her ladyship. Then First Mate Tuttle laid bare the plot, saying that the Sea Queen had been taken in order to go to the Antarctic circle. Tuttle explained that on a former voyage he had learned that the Donna Isabel was lost in 1753. He had found it frozen in a huge case of ice on an island and contained much gold.

### CHAPTER X.—Continued.

The change in the man speaking held me breathless; his cant, his usually oily method of utterance had merged into an earnestness full of fascination.

"Well, that was about all, sir," his voice sinking back into commonplace. "In two hours we were out of sight, an' feelin' our way through a blinin' snow squall. But it was such a ruin thing, discoverin' them islands out there all uncharted, with that queer ghost ship perchin' on 'em, that I wrote down the latitude an' longitude an' the hooker's name in my log-book. We was about three weeks makin' the West Falklands, where I shipped a few more hands, an' then bore away north for home."

He drew a plug of tobacco from out his coat-tail pocket, cut off what he needed, and stowed it away in his cheek. He ran his fingers through his thin hair, and resumed:

"About 18 months later I was back with the ol' Betsy in the South Pacific. One night, with the moon shinin', hardly a ripple anywhere, my mate run her nose onto a rock, a couple o' hundred miles south o' Easter Island, an' in less than 20 minutes the bark had gone down like a stone. We made Easter Island in the boats without much trouble, but it wasn't so easy to get away. I had six weeks of it before I got a chance, an' then I shipped afore the mast on a sandalwood trader. De Nova here was mate, an' finally, huntin' goods to peddle among the islanders, we sailed into Valparaiso, an' the most of us shipped out. Well, by that time I wasn't thinkin' very often about that ice-ship down in the Antarctic; I was hustlin' for some sort o' berth to take me back to the States. But one night, down in Rodriguez' back room, where I hung out, I got to talkin' with a gambler named Francisco—the same smooth duck who introduced himself as De Castillo to you, sir. He was an educated man, an' seemed to like to hear me talk, an' among other sea yarns I happened to tell him this one. He seemed mighty interested, although he wasn't never given to seafarin'."

"I asked me a whole pile o' fool questions. Finally he wanted to meet me again alone the next day.

"Well, havin' nothin' better to do, I was there when he came, an' he showed up with a queer-lookin', big ol' book, the cover half ripped off, under his arm. Then he made me tell him that yarn over again, and describe the ship jest exactly as I remembered it. Then, when I'd got through, an' told him everything I could dig out o' my memory, he opened up that book o' his on the table, an' damme, sir, if he didn't show me a picture of that same ol' hooker, plain as life, only everything was trim an' shipshape on board, with the masts up an' the sails drawn. The name was printed underneath, too—Donna Isabel, Cadiz.

"That book he showed me was

printed in Spanish—not just like what you see to-day, sir, but the letterin' all rough, as though it had been cut out o' wood, but the fellow showed me the date when it was printed, an' it read 'Seville, 1779,' plain enough. Francisco wrote out in English what he said was printed there about this Donna Isabel; an' there it is, sir, in his own handwritin'."

He took the paper out of his inner coat pocket and spread it open on the table before us. De Nova and Anderson leaned forward eagerly to look at it, but Tuttle shoved it along toward me.

"Read it out loud, sir," he said, his voice trembling. The writing was not clear, and I held it up to the light.

"Galleon Donna Isabel, ship-rigged, 950 tons, Amador, Master, built 1730, home port Cadiz. Sailed Guayaquil for Valencia, June 11, 1753; crew numbered 32, passengers 17, including five women; carried treasure, in gold ingots and pieces of eight, valued at 3,000,000 pesos, consigned by Candamo, presidente, to department of the west, receipted for by Salvatore, government agent. Spoken by ship Conquistador, Sanchez, master, July 16, 1753, 80 degrees 20 minutes west and 47 degrees 15 minutes south; all well. Lost at sea; no report."

I put down the paper, and looked across at Tuttle; he sat motionless, his head in his hands. I confess the tale had affected me strangely, and I could not doubt that the man honestly believed every word he had uttered. Yet it was far too marvelous ever to



He Drove His Sheath Knife Half to the Hilt into the Table.

be true; too impossible; too wildly romantic. It must have been a hallucination, an optical illusion born from a mirage of fog and sun in those frozen seas. Over 3,000,000 pesos, locked within the eternal ice for 126 years! Over 3,000,000 pesos, guarded by the dead for a century amid that grim desolation of created sea! God! It was simply unthinkable, and I even ventured to smile at the credulity of the men about me; yet I did it with set jaws and lips parched and dry. What if it was all true? I felt the blood boiling up through my veins, every extremity tingling with the fever of it. Over 3,000,000 pesos! Merciful mother! it was the ransom of a king; it was the temptation of hell! I know not how I controlled my voice so as to question calmly, for, even as I first spoke, I noticed how my hands trembled where they rested on the outspread map.

"Is that all?"

Tuttle nodded his head, uplifting his eyes questioningly to mine.

"That's the whole of it, sir. What do you think?"

"That's more than I know, Mr. Tuttle. Perhaps you dreamed, perhaps Francisco lied. I should have liked to see that book."

I bent lower over the chart, staring at the red cross.

"What was it you men wanted me for?"

"To operate the steamer, sir; the rest of us aboard only understand sailin' vessels."

"Yes, or course; but why did you happen to choose a steamer for the job? There were plenty of sailing craft lying in the harbor easier to steal than this yacht."

"Very true, but it happened to be steam power we wanted. Here is about how we figured it, sir. First place, we had to get away quickly out of those portions of the sea where they'd be most likely to hunt for us. We're outlaws, an' every ship sailin' under a flag is an enemy. Well, sir, what chance would a sailin' vessel have in such a chase? We needed somethin' that would show 'em a clean pair o' heels—somethin' that would give 'em a run for their money. That's what this yacht can do; she's pokin' it now at sixteen."

"Yes; you've got the advantage," I confessed, "so long as your coal lasts. But you can't put in anywhere for a new supply—what then?"

He turned partially about, and winked at De Nova; the fellow glanced back at him, but burst in eagerly:

"Oh, we're not quite so green as all

sat, Mons. Stephens, an' I t'ink we got zis t'ing plan' out jus' 'bout right. We steam so till we get maybe far 'nough south were 'dy q'at look' for us. How it be 130 degrees west an' 40 degrees south? Nobody t'ink we 'go zere—non, non. We got coal plenty for zat, an' zen have bunch left. I know; I try it. No more need push her elzer after we leave ze Ferdinandez—we be well ahead zen. Zen we rig up ze schooner sails, an' make ze next t'ousan' mile w'izout burn' a pound. You see how it do? Ze danjaire was not, for in zat ocean we meet nossing but maybe ze whale ship."

"You understand what he means, sir?" went on Tuttle, as the creole paused for breath. "Once well ahead we can fall back on canvas, and save the coal. But we'll need the steam power down there to hold her off an' on by the island while we do the job. It's a mighty nasty bit o' water, an' a sailin' vessel is apt to get pinched in the ice. But with a steamer we can hold her to it, however the wind blows."

I looked at the fellow with greater respect. Evidently he had considered every angle of the desperate game he was playing.

"Your scheme certainly sounds reasonable enough," I admitted, almost reluctantly. "And the chances are you will get there all right. But suppose you do; suppose you discover this mysterious island; suppose you find there the galleon as you say; suppose you even succeed in getting aboard, and into possession of the treasure—what then? Don't you know you're bound to be caught the minute you come out of the Antarctic, into any ocean patrolled by the fleets of the world? You have committed piracy—a crime against the nations—and the civilized world will unite to hunt you down."

"That's another reason why we had to have a steamer," he explained, calmly. "You just remarked that they'd be lookin' for the Sea Queen to come back. Well, let 'em look; they won't never see her, sir. Once we get that gold under hatches, an' back as far as that rock they call Dougherty Island—an' that's only a run o' maybe 500 miles—I'll engage to make over this here Sea Queen so that her own captain wouldn't know her 50 feet away. How? I'd strip the engines out o' her, h'ist the stack overboard, tear down the bridge an' wheel-house, rig her as a barkentine, change every line o' paint fore an' aft, an' then wreck her somewhere along the east Patagonian coast, or maybe the Falklands. It would be nothin' but a bloomin' whaler gone ashore, an' afore anybody finds out different, we'll be scattered to hell an' back."

I was obliged to acknowledge to myself that it was not an impossible plan. Eliminating the chance of accident or some unusually bad luck, success appeared not only possible, but probable.

"Did you think all that out yourself, Mr. Tuttle?"

"Well, Francisco suggested considerable, but we did it together."

"Where is he? on board?"

The mate laughed, his eyes expressive of contempt.

"Not much, he hadn't the nerve. He's a schemer all right, but a blame coward."

"But suppose he gets to talking back there in Valparaiso?"

It was big Bill Anderson who answered me, disgusted with our long controversy.

"Oh, to hell wid Francisco!" he broke in, gruffly. "It's w'at you're goin' to do we want to know. Francisco'll hold his gaff well enough. He expects a bit of the swag, an', besides, I let him know what was comin' to him if he let his tongue wag. I had him right, let me tell ye. An', damme, Mr. Stephens, the bully in him breakin' all bounds, 'if it ain't



### Not a Dealer in Flattery

#### African Native Gave Straight Answer to Straight Question.

The negroes of Africa are simple and direct in speech. It never occurs to them, writes Mr. R. H. Milligan in "The Jungle Folk in Africa," that the purpose of language is to conceal thought, and to commiserate the African for his color is a waste of sympathy. In illustration of this Mr. Milligan gives an amusing conversation with one of his pupils.

One day, when I was talking to Bodeji, something in the course of the conversation prompted me to ask him whether he would like to be a white man. He replied respectfully but emphatically in the negative. I wished to know his reason. He hesitated to tell me; but I was insistent, and at last he replied:

"Well, we think we are better-lookin'."

I gasped when I thought of the vastly ill-looking faces I had seen in the jungles, and in apology for myself, I said:

"But you have not seen us in our

comin' the same way to any other duffer who goes back on us this trip. That's what talks!" He jerked his sheath-knife from his belt, and, with one fierce lunge, drove it half to the hilt into the table, his brute eyes scowling threateningly into mine.

### CHAPTER XI.

In Which I Explain to Her Ladyship. I gazed directly into his bullying eyes with a depth of contempt I made no slightest effort to disguise. Then I arose deliberately to my feet.

"Anderson, pluck that knife out and put it back in your belt."

"I'm damned if—"

"Do as I say quick, you surly brute," I interrupted, sternly. "Not another word. I'm in command here yet, and you'll obey orders, or I'll make you."

He understood I meant it, with his innate cowardice plainly apparent, yet did not yield until Tuttle interferred with a sarcastic laugh.

"The captain isn't exactly the sort to be handled in that kind o' way, Bill," he said, smoothly. "He's a deep-water sailor, not a land-shark, but I guess he's likely ready enough by this time to say what he's willin' to do."

The entire situation seemed to unroll before me like a panorama as I stood there, hastily making-up my mind for action. I was aloft on the high seas, absolutely powerless to resist the set purpose of these men surrounding me, all rendered desperate by greed. Much as I despised Anderson, I comprehended that his threat was no idle one; nor did I possess a single comrade on board who would stand at my back. I was utterly alone; nay, worse even than alone—with two women dependent upon me. If I outwardly agreed with these rascals, and thus retained semblance of command over them, I might possibly preserve all our lives; I could, at least for the present, protect the women from insult, perhaps from danger.

"Well, Mr. Tuttle," I said, quietly, "I may as well return you my answer one time as another. I don't give a tinker's damn for Anderson's threats, and I don't altogether put much faith in your yarn. But perhaps it's worth taking a chance at. What is to be my authority on board, providin' I agree to go with you?"

"You're the captain."

"Absolutely in command?"

He shifted about, appearing a trifle disconcerted under my rapid questioning.

"Well, yes; in everything concernin' the discipline an' sailin' of the yacht," he explained. "There won't be no fuss about that job, sir. But we ain't a regular article crew, bein' that we're all here on shares in the enterprise, an' so, as regards the purpose of the voyage, it'll have to be decided by majority vote. However, that don't need make no trouble."

"What is to be my share if you find the treasure?"

He thrust his head out of the window nearest him, looking up and down the deck; then he leaned across the table toward me, lowering his voice until it was little more than whisper.

"You get one-fifth, sir; the four of us here get one-fifth each; the other fifth is to be divided among the crew. Ain't that fair enough, sir?"

"It would appear so; yet there is still another matter of some importance to be decided first. There are two women on board; how about them?"

"What!" The vibrant excitement of his high-pitched nasal voice was echoed by the others.

"This steam-yacht we have stolen was the property of the earl of Darlington," I explained. "Lady Darlington and her maid are still on board, in the cabin aft."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### QUICK ACTION PRESCRIPTION CURES COLDS IN A DAY

What is said to be the best and quickest prescription known to medical science for colds and coughs is as follows: "Get two ounces of Glycerine and half an ounce of Concentrated Pine compound. Then get half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful of this mixture after each meal and at bed time. Shake the bottle well each time." This has cured hundreds here. Be sure to get only the genuine Concentrated Pine. Each half ounce bottle comes put up in a tin screw-top case. Any druggist has it on hand or will quickly get it from his wholesale house. Don't use the weaker pine preparations.

#### A Pause in Devotions.

"Mabel," called her father, outside her bedroom door. There was no answer, so he called again. Still no reply. He pushed open the door, which was not completely shut, and reaching for the button, turned on the lights. Then he saw Mabel. She was kneeling at the side of her bed in her nightgown, in the attitude of prayer—the attitude, that is, as to kneeling. But she had raised her head at the interruption and paused in her devotions to blaze at him with a face flushed with impatience.

"Gee whiz, daddy! Can't a woman say her prayers?"

Then she bowed her head again, piously, and daddy, properly rebuked, slipped noiselessly away.

#### He Had No Objection.

"We—we want you to marry us," said the blushing young man, indicating a young woman with downcast eyes and smiling face who stood a step behind him.

"Come in," said the minister, and he endeavored to ease their embarrassment for a moment; but he soon decided that it was useless to try.

"Will you be married with a ring?" he inquired.

The young man turned a helpless gaze on his companion, and then looked at the minister.

"If you've got one to spare and it can come out o' the two dollars, I guess she'd like it," he said at last.—National Food Magazine.

#### Sunday School's Want Ad.

There is a church in Brooklyn that has adopted a novel scheme for enlarging its Sunday school. It advertises for boys and girls to come to it. In the shop windows in the neighborhood of the church one may see placards, such as are used for advertising entertainments of various kinds, that bear the legend:

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#### A GOOD CHANGE

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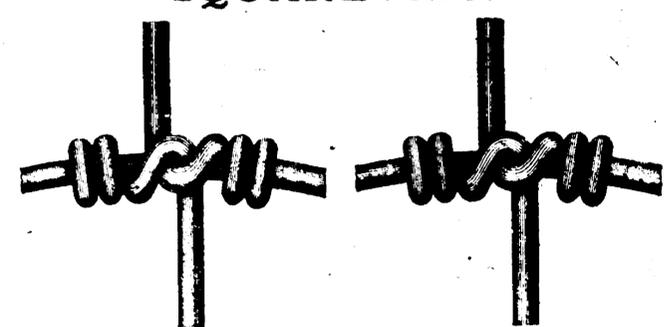
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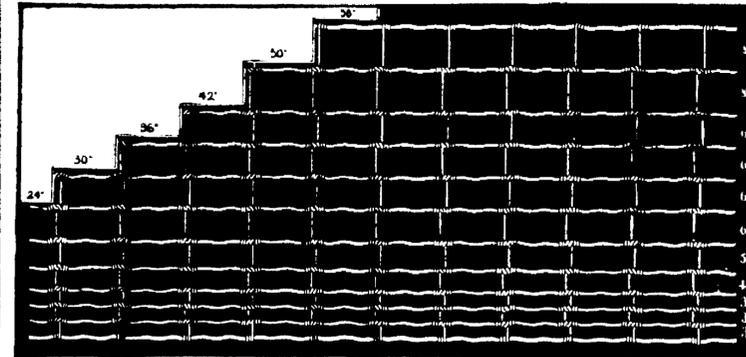


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50	11	33c	42c	39c	49c
47	10	32c	39c	38c	48c
42	10	31c	38c	37c	46c
49	9	30c	37c	36c	45c
36	9	29c	36c	35c	42c
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In pronouncing sentence Monday on Fred W. Johnson, proprietor of the Holly Inn, for violating the local option law, Judge George W. Smith, of the Oakland circuit, gave emphatic approval of the law, declaring that the people will not go back to the legalized sale of liquor. Judge Smith sentenced Johnson to sixty-five days in the Detroit house of correction and \$100 fine and costs, with the alternative of six months in the house of correction.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN:** The Probate Court for the County of Livingston. At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the village of Howell in said county on the 11th day of February A. D. 1910. Present, Arthur A. Montague, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of **William Grisson, deceased** J. L. Kisby having filed in said court his final account as administrator of said estate and his petition praying for the allowance thereof. It is ordered that Friday the 11th day of March A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the PINCKNEY DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. **ARTHUR A. MONTAGUE, Judge of Probate.**

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**State of Michigan,** the probate court for the county of Livingston. At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Howell in said county, on the 11th day of February A. D. 1910. Present, Hon. Arthur A. Montague, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of **MARY L. RICHMOND, deceased.** George L. Richmond having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate, be granted to himself or to some other suitable person. It is ordered that the 11th day of March A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the PINCKNEY DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. **ARTHUR A. MONTAGUE, Judge of Probate.**

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**Mortgage Sale.**

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, wherein the power of sale herein contained has become operative, made and executed by John Donaldson and Olive Donaldson, his wife, (and signed by Olivia Donaldson) of Putnam, Livingston County, Michigan, to Horea Rogers, of Rochester, Monroe County, State of New York, bearing date the sixteenth day of January A. D. 1902 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Livingston, State of Michigan, on the eighteenth day of January A. D. 1902 in Liber 78 of Mortgages on pages 58 and 59 and which mortgage was duly assigned by written assignment bearing date April 13th A. D. 1908 by the Executor of the last will and testament of Horea Rogers, deceased, to Olive Donaldson which assignment was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the aforesaid County of Livingston in Liber 97 of Mortgages on page 28 thereof: Upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of seven hundred and eighty five dollars and ninety five cents and the sum of thirty dollars, the Attorney fee provided for therein. And no suit either at law or equity having been taken to recover the money due on said mortgage. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage as aforesaid, and the costs of sale by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the Statute in such case made and provided, I shall, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, on Saturday the fourteenth day of May A. D. 1910 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the Court house in the village of Howell in the County of Livingston and State of Michigan (that being the place for holding the Circuit court for the said County of Livingston) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof, as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with all legal costs of such sale and the attorney fee provided in said mortgage and the interest which shall hereafter accrue on said mortgage; said premises being particularly described as follows, to wit: The east half of the south west quarter of section twenty-one (21), in township one (1) north of range four (4) east, Michigan, containing Eighty Acres of land more or less.

Dated Howell, Mich., February 8th, A. D. 1910.  
OLIVIA DONALDSON,  
Assignee of Mortgage

WILLIS L. LYONS,  
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.

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**HAS COME INTO HER OWN**

Spinster of To-Day by No Means the Crabbed Old Maid of the "Comic" Papers.

The day of the typical crabbed old maid is passed. Even the comic papers have ceased to make fun of spinsterhood in this guise. Her place has been taken by the independent woman who quickly enough finds her own niche in the world, and who generally has plenty of common sense to spare for the benefit of others.

The old maid of to-day finds a whole realm of interest awaiting her, and plenty of work which she cares to do. No longer is she condemned to solitude and a cat, no longer is spinsterhood regarded as a term of reproach and looked upon as a condition to be ashamed of.

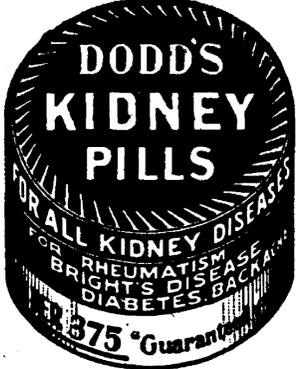
Look at any of the big charities, any of the numerous boards of management, and you will see the old maid triumphant and at her best, happy enough in her work and her efforts to help humanity.

**Nothing New.**

"Congratulations! I hear one of your daughters is engaged. Which one is it?"

"Get out! It's only Bessie again!"

—Meggendorfer Blaetter.



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To Become Known as Consumers' Supply Co.—The Use For So Large a Fund.

The Commonwealth Power Co., of Jackson, W. A. Foote, president, has applied to the state railroad commission for a hearing. It wants to become the "Consumers' Supply Co." They would issue bonds for \$35,000,000, as follows:

\$2,679,000 to be issued to pay part of the purchase price of property to be acquired; \$6,071,000 to be reserved to retire outstanding bonds, the Grand Rapids-Muskegon and the Grand Rapids Edison Co. debentures; the properties of these companies to be purchased; \$26,250,000 to be reserved in trust to be issued to pay for operation and extensions.

The companies to be bought are: Jackson Light & Power Co.; Pontiac Power Co.; Flint Electric Co.; Saginaw Power Co.; Bay City Power Co.; and the Au Sable Electric Co. Common stock to the extent of \$8,500,000; preferred stock \$1,119,000, and bonds of \$2,679,000 will be issued and delivered in payment for these properties.

The commission will give the company a hearing in March.

The Commonwealth Power Co. was incorporated in 1904 under the laws of Maine, with an authorized capital of \$7,500,000. They were admitted to Michigan in 1905.

**To the Courts.**

That the proposed settlement of the \$6,000,000 case of the Michigan Central railroad against the state, and the \$4,500,000 suit of the state against the railroad, will not meet the approval of the state board of auditors was more than ever indicated when Land Commissioner Huntley Russell said: "I am not in favor of a private settlement of a public suit, and I think that the courts should decide this matter."

"In that way everyone in the state will have a complete record of the affair."

It is understood that Governor Warner is in favor of settling the cases, but thinks the road should add another \$50,000 to the amount, as the \$125,000 does not cover the expense of the attorneys aiding the state in its defense of the suit. Secretary of State Martindale has expressed himself against the settlement. The other member of the board, State Treasurer Sleeper, has not stated his position.

**Genesee Prisoners to Make Roads.**

According to plans developed at a meeting of the board of supervisors, such townships, villages and cities of Genesee county as desire road improvements may have them without the expenditure of very much money. The board decided that on the written application of the road commissioner of any city, village or township, it will be the duty of the sheriff to deliver to the applicant a squad of not less than three prisoners serving jail sentences, and they working under a deputy appointed by the sheriff shall repair the roads in said locality. The expense of the deputy and the transportation of the prisoners to and from the jail shall be paid out of the highway fund.

**Now a Skunk Farm.**

An odorless skunk ranch is planned by Charles Higby, a Walnut Lake farmer. Higby believes that the price of fur will have advanced so much in the next two years that it will pay to raise furbearing animals for the sake of their pelts.

He has already trapped a number of skunks, which he has staked in barrels about his farm. As soon as he has acquired 20 he plans to establish a skunk preserve on his farm, which will embrace six acres. Higby claims to have discovered a preparation which will actually make a skunk odorless and therefore inoffensive to the most delicate nostrils.

**Lineman Electrocuted.**

Clinging to the cross-arm of a 60-foot electric light pole, two employees of the Flint Electric company held the dead body of Charles Potter, a fellow lineman, until it could be lowered to the ground.

Potter, while at work near the top of the pole, came in contact with a live wire. At an office near by he was worked over for some time by doctors, but they failed to produce respiration. Potter went to Flint about a year ago from Muskegon. He was 28 years old and unmarried.

A Memphis, Tenn., dispatch brings the information that Lant K. Salisbury has launched a syndicate to purchase 500,000 acres of Mississippi timberland.

**STATE BRIEFS.**

The finding of a human skull in the possession of a dog had caused some excitement in Lansing. The skull has been turned over to the police.

The state military board has announced that Battery A, of the Michigan field artillery, will be given a cross-country walk from Detroit to Lansing this summer.

Michael Biggs, a retired farmer and old soldier, of Dundee, drawing a good pension, went out to his barn and hung himself while the family were getting dinner Friday. He was in poor health.

Mrs. Ada Cumming, who disappeared with her grandchild, Alice Stewart, was located Thursday at Sarnia, Ont., and returned to Port Huron. The child was turned over to the Salvation Army.

Mrs. Herschel Countryman, whose husband was sentenced to prison for wife abandonment, was found wandering about the streets of Flint, demented. She is being cared for at the home of a friend.

Theodore Shavey, a Clinton county farmer, was found guilty, at Lansing, of selling diluted milk and sentenced to pay a fine of \$15 and \$25.20 costs. He declares that he will appeal the case to the supreme court.

A valuable collection of old firearms is in possession of Oswald Unger, of Port Huron. Mr. Unger's father was a gunsmith and manufactured many of the guns which were used by George Washington's army.

Urged along by local women's clubs, the Grand Rapids police have determined to construe the new cigarette law in a new light. Hereafter smokers will be lightly dealt with, but those selling cigarettes to customers will be given the limit of the law.

Charles Frederickson and his son, George, of Mason, were sentenced to spend from 7½ to 15 years in Jackson for committing a statutory offense against the daughter of the former, Mike, another son, received from one to five years in Ionia on a similar charge.

Arthur M. Hume, grand master of the grand lodge of Michigan Masons, announces that nothing has been done toward the building of a new Masonic home to replace the one destroyed by fire at East Grand Rapids. The matter will be taken up at the annual meeting in May.

At the conclusion of the two days' session of the Michigan state editors the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, H. H. Fitzgerald, Flint; vice-president, Harry Coleman, Pontiac; secretary, H. A. Hopkins, St. Clair; treasurer, W. R. Cook, Hastings.

The J. A. Mitchell dry goods stock was damaged to the extent of \$40,000 and the Mohr Clothing Co., the Loose Furniture Co. and the Adler Cigar Co. of Battle Creek, was spoiled by smoke when a fire broke out in the Mitchell basement. Mitchell was in Detroit at the time of the fire.

Statistics show that the recent ruling of the state dairy and food department relative to the amount of butter fat to be used in the manufacture of ice cream has caused manufacturers of that article to spend \$78,000 extra to bring their product within requirements.

For deserting his wife and 4-year-old daughter several months ago, causing her to become despondent and throw the babe into the Flint river, Herschel Countryman was Wednesday sentenced to from 18 months to three years in Ionia, with a recommendation of the maximum term.

Because of the accumulation of ice at the harbor entrance and about the breakwater considerable difficulty is being experienced in the operation of the ferries, at Ludington. Passengers in some instances have been compelled to walk to the shore. Car ferry captains report that there is 20 miles of ice on Lake Michigan.

Senator Burrows told President Taft that he wants a Michigan man appointed a member of the customs court established by the tariff law. Senator Burrows declines to name the Michigan man he has in mind, because, probably, naming him at this time might stir up a host of others who would want the job if Michigan is to be given an appointment.

The Sheffield Car Co., a branch of the Fairbanks, Morse Co., opened a new machine shop at Three Rivers, 600x100 feet in size, with a dance. Two thousand people attended. Eight hundred people danced. Ex-Senator E. B. Linsley, secretary of the firm, made a speech. This new shop will employ nearly 600 more men and will bring a great many families to the city.

With 110 members, professional photographers of Michigan organized at Lansing. The chief purpose of the organization is to raise the standard of the art in the state. Following were elected officers: President, J. H. Brubaker, Grand Rapids; first vice-president, F. B. LeClear, Lansing; second vice-president, J. M. Reidesma, Kalamazoo; secretary, Harry E. Nix, Big Rapids; treasurer, Imes, Lansing.

Exhibits of prize-winning corn from various sections of the lower peninsula were exhibited last week at the M. A. C. in connection with the sixth annual meeting of the Michigan Corn Improvement association. The purpose is to arouse a greater interest in growing a better quality of corn and also to show where the best qualities are grown. Prominent corn growers from all over the state were in attendance.

**Premature Repentance.**  
The sick man seized his wife's hand in his feeble grasp. "Name—tell me the whole, awful truth at once," he begged, gaspingly. "Oh, William!" cried his wife, "it's all right, at last! The crisis is past and the doctor assures us that you will recover!"

"Is he absolutely sure of that, my dear?" "Perfectly."  
"Well, then, darling, please do this for me at once—Run and telephone to my partner that I didn't mean what I said yesterday about not foreclosing that mortgage. He'll understand that I must have been out of my head."

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**Appropriate.**  
"How shall I set this ad. for the minstrel show?"  
"How? Why, in black-faced type, you dummy."

**LOCAL OPTION** and the Acme home treatment for drunkenness is the surest and safest way to rid any community of liquor. Write E. Fortin, Dickey Bldg., Chicago, for a free trial of the Acme treatment.

Many a saint would have less trouble wrestling with the devil if he would get out and wrestle with a ball for an hour or two.

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

Many a man has kicked himself out of a good job.

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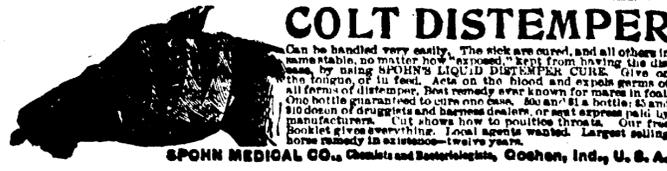
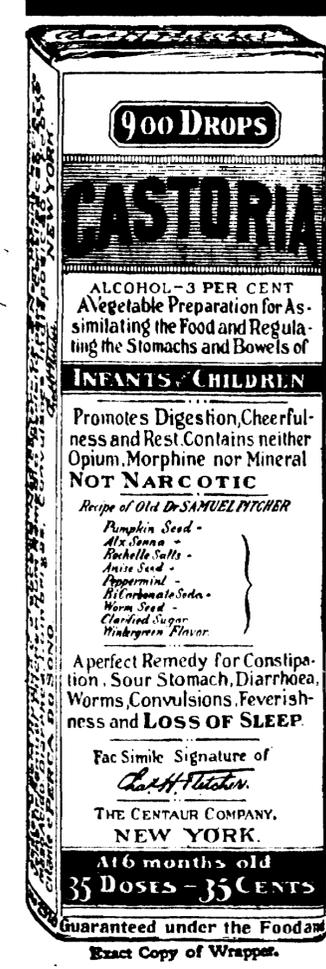
Chicago, Ill.—"I was troubled with falling and inflammation, and the doctors said I could not get well unless I had an operation. I knew I could not stand the strain of one, so I wrote to you sometime ago about my health and you told me what to do. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier I am to-day a well woman."—Mrs. WILLIAM A. HRENS, 938 W. 21st St., Chicago, Ill.

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If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

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### SOUTH MARION.

Mrs. Milo Abbott of Detroit is visiting at I. J. Abbotts.  
Mae Brogan spent the last of last week at Will Brogan's in Anderson.  
N. Pacey and F. N. Burgess attended the Day trial at Howell last week.  
John Gardner is the possessor of a fine team of horses purchased of Will Fuller.  
Claude White and Guy Abbott attended a skating party in Howell one evening last week.  
W. H. Bland has been under the doctors care for the past week but is some better at this writing.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Brogan and Mrs. Max Ledwidge dined at Chris Brogan's Thursday last.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Russell and children of Illinois who are visiting at H. G. Bucknells, spent Saturday at Clyde Lines.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hall of Iosco and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bland visited at F. N. Burgess' last Sunday.  
Howlett Bros. of Gregory are putting some much needed improvements on the buildings of the farm they recently purchased of Fred Daniels.

### Business Pointers.

#### FOR SALE.

House, barn, and three business lots.  
t 10 Mrs. M. E. Plimpton.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN: The Probate Court for  
the County of Livingston. At a session of  
said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Vil-  
lage of Howell, in said county, on the 1st day of  
March A. D. 1910.

Present: ARTHUR A. MONTAGUE, Judge of  
Probate. In the matter of the estate of  
Alfred Hayner, deceased

Clyde Hayner having filed in said court his pe-  
tition praying that the time for the presentation  
of claims against said estate be limited and that a  
time and place be appointed to receive, examine  
adjust all claims and demands against said de-  
ceased by and before said court.

It is ordered that four months from this date be  
allowed for creditors to present claims against  
said estate.

It is further ordered that the 2nd day of July  
A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the fore-  
noon, at said probate office, be and is hereby ap-  
pointed for the examination and adjustment of  
all claims and demands against said deceased.

ARTHUR A. MONTAGUE,  
Judge of Probate.

### SOUTH GREGORY.

Frank Ovitt is again carrying  
mail.

Mrs. J. Daniels is not very well  
at present.

C. J. Williams is visiting near  
Ann Arbor.

Mr. Worden is quite sick with  
rheumatism.

Mrs. Harrison Bates is ill at  
this writing.

L. R. Williams and wife called  
at L. Wordens Sunday.

Frank Goodwin visited at Fred  
Marshalls last Thursday.

Mrs. Whitehead and son Frank  
visited at Geo. Goodwins one day  
last week.

L. R. Williams and wife were  
in Chelsea last Thursday and  
Friday on business.

### SOUTH IOSCO.

L. T. Lamborn is in Howell on jury.

Mrs. David Roberts is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Caskey and family  
visited at Nick Burleys.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Wainwright visited  
Mrs. Geo. Baker Sunday.

Mrs. Burley of Webberville visited her  
son Nick Burley last week.

Miss Bertha Harrington is visiting her  
sister Mrs. Joe Roberts at present.

We were glad to hear that Miss Edna  
Ward was able to return home Sunday.

Miss F. Beatrice Lamborn is spending  
her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Geo.  
Mowers.

### IOSCO.

Miss Edith Lillywhite called on Mrs. L.  
C. Gardner Tuesday.

The youngest son of Chas. Sharp is very  
sick with pneumonia.

Chas. Teachout will move to the W. S.  
Earl farm this spring.

Geo. Bullis and family of Marion visited  
at Henry Hutsons Sunday.

Jas. Stackable of Gregory completed the  
term of school in the Mapes district last  
Friday.

Blanche and Ethel Harford of Stock-  
bridge visited Alice Longnecker the first of  
the week.

Floyd Lillywhite has completed his  
work for W. C. Greening and is home for  
the season.

James Phillips who has been in very  
poor health this winter is somewhat im-  
proved at present.

Mrs. Chas. H. Elliott died of pneumo-  
nia at her home Sunday. She is survived  
by a kind husband and four children who  
have the sympathy of all. The funeral  
was held Tuesday; interment in the Mapes  
cemetery.

Mrs. Porter Pulling of Dexter visited  
her husband at L. C. Gardner's last week.  
Mr. Pulling is doing an extensive business  
sawing timber in this township this winter.

### PLAINFIELD.

Plainfield hive regular meeting March 9.

Mrs. S. T. Wasson was on the sick list  
last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Caskey visited at E.  
L. Toppings last Sunday.

Ella Montague visited her sister Ev-  
Jacobs part of last week.

Miss Gladys Clarke spent Sunday with  
her parents at Stockbridge.

Maccabee oyster supper at the hall  
Thursday March 3rd. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft VanSyckel of Iosco  
visited relatives here the first of the week.

The W. F. M. S. will meet at the hall  
for dinner Thursday March 17th. All are  
cordially invited

All who attended the drama given at  
the hall last Wednesday and Thursday  
evenings agree in pronouncing it a good  
play and well acted. The company feel  
they made a success of it. Proceeds  
\$92.

### UNADILLA.

John Harris of Chelsea was home over  
Sunday.

Wm. Stevenson of North Lake spent  
Sunday at Janet Webbs.

J. D. Colton and wife of Chelsea were  
in town one day last week.

Ethel Peck of Plainfield spent Saturday  
and Sunday at Jas. Bartons.

L. Chamberlain and wife of Webster  
visited at Otis Webbs Friday.

J. D. Watson and family of Detroit  
spent Sunday at A. C. Watsons.

The skating rink opened here last week  
and will run Wednesday and Friday even-  
ings of each week under the management  
of A. C. Watson and G. A. Peyer.

P. W. Watts of Webster spent last week  
with his sister Mrs. Jas. Webb.

The LAS of the Fresh, chapel met with  
Mrs. Willis Pickell Wednesday for dinner.

Mrs. Roy Hadley spent the first of the  
week with her parents Z. A. Hartnuff and  
wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank May entertained a  
company of 80 young people at a dinner  
party last Wednesday.

Roy Palmer and bride returned from a  
two weeks trip Tuesday and on Wednes-  
day evening they were tendered a reception  
by the grooms parents S. G. Palmer and  
wife.

### ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

March came in all right  
Bert Roobe was in Howell Tuesday  
on business.

You will find the DISPATCH is full of  
news as usual.

Fisherman report some good catches  
of fish these days.

Mrs. M. Lavey and son Lorenzo  
were Anderson visitors Tuesday.

W. H. Harris has sold his place here  
to John VanHorn of Pettysville.

Detroit Times 1 year and map of  
Michigan \$2. Geo. McQuade, agent.

The "Y's" met with Miss Benham  
Tuesday evening. The next meeting  
will be held the first Tuesday in April  
at the home of Mrs. Exelby.

The 4:35 train on the Air Line was  
about four hours late last Thursday  
on account of a broken journal just  
outside the wheel near Jackson.

Mr and Mrs. Wirt Smith who re-  
cently returned from over a years stay  
in Washington state, were guests at  
the home of C. J. Teeple Tuesday.

Probably the largest load of beans  
that was ever brought to this market  
was that delivered to Stewarts elevat-  
or last Thursday by Ben Hacker. The  
load weighed out 102 bushel and 15  
lbs. and brought Mr. Hacker the sum  
of \$204.50.—Brighton Ar.;us.

### Cong'l Church Notes

The C. E. extend a hearty welcome  
to all to attend the half hour service  
Sunday evening next before the regu-  
lar union meeting. Topic, Christ Our  
Guide. Consecration meeting. Mrs.  
Carrie Towle leader. Program for  
the evening: Young peoples chorus;  
prayer; solo, Miss Kice; scripture les-  
son: duett, Orville Tupper and daugh-  
ter Fern; quartette, mixed voices; pa-  
per, Clella Fish; boys male quartette;  
solo, Miss Hurchiel; two minute talk,  
Rev. Exelby; duett, Misses Swarthout  
and Peter; two minute talk, Rev.  
Gates; roll call; collection; duett Miss  
Kice and Mr. Tupper; mispah.

### M. E. Church Notes.

There was not a very large attend-  
ance at the morning services as  
the rain of the previous evening had  
made the walks and roads very slip-  
pery again. There were 54 who re-  
mained to Sunday school and a collec-  
tion of nearly \$1.50.

The union service was held here in  
the evening Rev. Gates preaching an  
historical sermon, using many illus-  
trations and making the comparisons  
as found in some of the situations of  
today. A large chorus choir rendered  
music.

The union prayer meeting will be  
held at this church Thursday evening  
(tonight) and all are requested to  
attend. There were about 40 out last  
week, let us see if the number cannot  
be made to come up to 50 this week.

### School Notes.

Florence Kice visited the High room  
one day last week.

The high school have been having  
some exams the past week

Fred Read and Leo Lavey were  
callers at the school Monday.

The Grammar room pupils are very  
much interested in a series of contests  
which began last Friday afternoon,  
when the 7th grade defeated the 8th  
in a spelling contest. The 8th graders  
have challenged the 7th for a spelling  
contest and than the 7th grade  
challenged the 8th for a cyphering  
contest. These contests are causing  
much excitement in the two grades and  
will be held some Friday afternoon in  
the near future.

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Jersey cow new milch	Double Harness nearly new
Jersey cow giving milk	Large size U. S. Cream Separator
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