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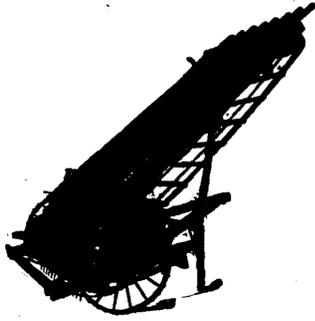
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PINCKNEY, LIVINGSTON CO., MICH., THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1910.

No 28

We Have the Agency for

The Clean Sweep Hay Loader



A time-tried combined swath and windrow machine—self adjusting from one condition to the other.

There are many reasons why you should by this loader which we would like to tell you about.

Call and see sample and let us talk it over.

BARTON & DUNBAR

Pinckney Flouring Mills Sold.

The mill property owned by F. M. Peters has been sold to H. P. Hoyt of Tecumseh, who will take possession soon. The mill will probably be run by Mr. Hoyt and a brother, who are both millers, and the people of this vicinity can be assured that they will have the best mill service possible.

Mr. Peters has been in business here for a number of years and he and his family have made many friends, who regret to have them leave. He informs us that he has not decided just where he will go or what he will do.

Auto Accident.

There seems to be an erroneous statement in regard to the auto and buggy mixup on the road from Howell to Pinckney recently. Floyd Jackson with a party of friends were on their way home from Lansing. Their lamps were lighted but not working as bright as they wished so were driving very slowly. They came suddenly into a cloud of dust and began to put on the brakes. Before they were aware a buggy loomed in front which was struck in such a manner as to throw the two ladies who were driving, out, causing the horse to jump clear of the buggy breaking thills and tugs.

The greatest wonderment is that the occupants of the buggy escaped. If there had been a light on the back of the buggy the accident would not have happened. The law compels autos to have lights both front and rear and it should also compell vehicles on the road to have the same so as to protect the auto drivers as well as themselves, as it is impossible to discern a vehicle ahead after dark and in the dust without lights.

M. E. Church Notes.

There was a good sized audience out Sunday morning although some were kept at home on account of the threatening appearance of the weather. Rev. Exelby gave a good address. The Sunday school was also well attended.

Prayer meeting tonight will be held at 7:30 standard time and in this church instead of the Cong'l church as Rev. Gates is on his vacation. Union service in this church next Sunday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Mrs. Ross Read and daughter Erma, are visiting her brother in Toledo.

Mrs. Plimpton and Mrs. Rosina Mercer were in Howell Wednesday.

Miss Tillie Hale of Williamston visited at Mrs. H. F. Sigler's Wednesday.

Harry Butler of Howell is at the Sanitarium. He is much improved in health.

Mrs. J. M. Kearney realized she had reached another mile-stone when she received over 125 post cards from her many friends, and she wishes to thank all for remembering her birthday.

The Cheese factory here is doing a good business now and the quantity of milk is increasing daily. The proprietors are after all the milk in this vicinity and are trying to establish more routes. They inform us that they are much pleased over their business here considering the difficulties which they had to overcome. They are needing more haulers and anyone who wishes such a job will do well to call at the factory at once.

NOTICE.

The tax roll of the village of Pinckney for the year 1910 is now in the hands of the village treasurer at the Pinckney Exchange Bank for collection. No taxes received after banking hours.
H. R. GEER,
261f Village Treas.



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Drugs Here Are Fresh.

Prices Uniformly Low.

F. A. SIGLER.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice Line's change of adv. Geo. Burch and family have moved to Lennox.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gardner July 7, a son.

The Cheese factory adv will be found on page 8 this week.

Next Tuesday the postmasters of Livingston will meet at Lakeland.

Blanche Martin spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. Kisby in Gregory.

Ed. T. Kearney and daughters, Gertrude and Elytha, of Jackson, Neb., are guests at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. M. Kearney.

Fred Swarhout has been laid up the past week with a badly strained wrist, the result of a slid he made at the ball game at Gregory last Monday.

Miss Kate Brogan of Howell visited friends here the past week.

Miss Flora Culbane is home from Ann Arbor to visit her people.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Green of Howell spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. E. H. Vail of Elk Rapids visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green here over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler and daughter Vivian of South Lyon visited his parents here over Sunday.

Mrs. Coffin and two children of Detroit are spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. W. Exelby.

The Paragon Refining Co. of Chicago have adv on page 4 this week advertising their fine grade of oils for automobiles and motor boats.

Henry and Helen Sellman of Ann Arbor were guests of J. C. Duan and wife a few days last week. Mr. S. returned home Monday while Miss S. will spend a few weeks more here.

School meeting passed off quietly last Monday evening with a goodly number in attendance. The reports were given after which the election of two trustees resulted in F. G. Jackson being re-elected and Guy L. Teeple to fill vacancy. John Jeffreys was appointed as janitor for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Earl Day of Owosso, whose husband is serving a term in the Detroit house of correction for selling mortgaged property at Pinckney several weeks ago, is circulating a petition among Owosso business men for his release. Mrs. Day, a thin, frail woman, says that her husband did not mean to commit any wrong when he disposed of the property and that in fighting to keep out of prison he spent all he had. Now, she declares, she is left a subject of charity with her parents.—Democrat.

...NOTICE...

Will those who have wheat stored with me for their bread please call at once and get their flour as I have sold my property here.

I wish also to respectfully ask those who have accounts with me to call and settle same.

Farmers—We have some new bags to sell at a bargain.

F. M. Peters

Safe No Danger Cheap

OIL STOVES THAT WILL NOT SMOKE

SOLD ON 30 DAYS TRIAL

**Detroit Vapor Gasoline
Detroit Vapor Oil**

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When in need of
**Staple or Fancy Groceries,
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Tobaccos, Ice Cream,
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kindly make me a call

Will pay Market Price for Butter and Eggs

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Our Stock of Summer Dry Goods is very complete.

We not only show nice variety and up-to-date goods, but name prices that are as low as can be found anywhere.

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EVERY DAY IS BARGAIN DAY

E. A. BOWMAN
Howell's Rugs Store

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PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN

INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

At various points throughout the country there are vivid recollections of the deaths due to the mysterious outbreak of infantile paralysis. Not only children, but elderly persons were among its victims. At New York those who died from the malady included a prominent business man and a priest who had visited young members of his flock afflicted with infantile paralysis and caught the illness from them. There were numerous cases in St. Paul and Minneapolis. Specialists in the Rockefeller laboratories at New York have been working on infantile paralysis for a year, using monkeys in experiments which have demonstrated that it is not due to an abnormal condition of the blood, but is an infectious disease of the spinal cord. Despite careful microscopic search for a distinctive microbe, so far none has been found. Experiments are now directed to the discovery of an antitoxin for infantile paralysis such as that which has been used with marked success in the treatment of diphtheria. The knowledge that has been gained of the nature of the disease is expected to facilitate the discovery of its cure.

It transpires that the recent report from Germany that a certificate of inspection on importations of pork from America would be deemed adequate was erroneous. The German government has not removed its interdiction in this regard. Knowing that the special inspection for trichina has been abandoned in this country, Germany will no longer request special certificates as to that disease, because it is realized that no such certificates can be produced. This, of course, leaves matters unchanged. But at present there is no worry as to exportations of American pork because a short supply of hogs and an avid market for pork have caused prices to mount to heights at which exportation is unprofitable.

A New York yachting writer remarks that the schooner Shamrock, once a proud bearer of the New York Yacht club pennant, has been "numbed" by conversion into a fishing boat with gasoline engine. The service may be humble in comparison with the royal service of a well-kept racing craft, but it is far from humble in comparison with the fate of the latest racers for the America's cup, the majority of which have gone to the scrap yard with their first paint on their plates.

A French astronomer announces that the comet which was visible recently is not Halley's, and he promises that the genuine comet will appear in August. We positively refuse to get excited over any more comet announcements. It is too late now to get anything into the magazines about an August comet, anyhow.

An immigration inspector passed a woman who could not speak the language when her parrot, weary of the parley, ejaculated, "Cut that out!" "All right," said the inspector. "Your parrot speaks English. That shows you have been in this country, as you say. You're admitted." Look for a boom in educated parrots.

Ingenuity worthy of a better cause was that of a couple of Jersey robbers who, on calling at a house and being admitted, bound and gagged the inmates, after which one joyously played the piano to deceive the neighbors while the other gathered up the loot. This is the whistler at the plow with a vengeance.

It may become necessary for a benign government to arrange a system of pensions for those who are killed or wounded in the war the automobile is waging on the human race.

A New Jersey man received \$200 for a tooth he lost in a fight with a street car conductor. This is one of the modest as well as most expensive cases of dentistry on record.

According to a physician everybody will be crazy in 2175, if the present ratio of increase does not decline. That will be a great year for musical comedies.

A Pittsburg sculptor arrested on a Paris street wore nothing but a pair of socks. He probably thought he was at home and sufficiently clothed in smoke.

THE SONG OF THE COUNTRY



"How dry I am, how dry I am; Nobody knows how dry I am."

INDICTED AS JURY TAMPERER

CHICAGO GROCER CHARGED WITH TRYING TO CORRUPT.

Indictment Furnishes Sensation in Legislative Bribery Scandal—Browne's Case Continued.

Chicago.—A fresh sensation in connection with the legislative bribery scandal arose when State's Attorney Wayman Wednesday announced that an indictment had been voted charging John A. Maloy, a grocer, with attempting to corrupt Oscar T. Morford, a juror in the recent trial of Lee O'Neil Browne.

Morford, his wife and his father, Thorough Morford, testified before the grand jury. Mrs. Morford testified that shortly after the Browne jury had been sworn, she went to Maloy's grocery within the neighborhood in which the Morfords live. Maloy, she said, gave her two cigars, which he asked her to give to her husband, who had been accepted on the jury. Maloy asked her to use her influence to persuade her husband to vote for the acquittal of Browne, holding out as a reward of doing so that Morford would not have to work for a railroad any more as he would get a lump of money.

By agreement between counsel the retrial of the case of Lee O'Neil Browne, charged with bribing Representative Charles A. White to vote for William Lorimer for United States senator, was continued to July 20.

DEATH IN TORNADO'S PATH

Hits Circus and Shatters Tent, Killing One—Levels Crops—Wires Are Down.

Watertown, S. D.—One dead and a score injured, the main tent and menagerie tent of Ringling's circus in ruins and two horses killed is the result of a tornado here.

The spectators had barely left the tent when the first blast ripped the canvas into ribbons. The canvas caught fire from the lamps and was carried blazing into the air by the gale.

It was the heaviest hailstorm ever witnessed in the Red river valley.

It extended over the northern part of Grand Forks county and across Polk county, Minnesota.

In some sections the crops were pounded down to the ground and leaves were stripped from the trees.

Details are meager, as all wires are down west.

Reports received from Breckenridge, Minn., Grand Forks, N. D., Sioux Falls and Brookings, in South Dakota, tell of bad storms and much damage inside the storm belt, but details are lacking.

NAVY HEADS ARE FORCED OUT

Captains Veder, Wright and Underwood Make Way for "New Blood"—Selections Cause Surprise.

Washington.—"Plucked" from the active list of the navy, Captains D. W. Veder, Edmund B. Underwood and Edward Everett Wright were retired. The trio of compulsory transfers completes the quota of fourteen vacancies necessary in the active list to permit promotions under the "new blood" provisions of the naval personnel act. The selections made by the board of five admirals surprised naval officers.

WRECK DEATHS NUMBER 23

Big Four Officials Place Blame for Railroad Accident at Middletown on Train Dispatcher.

Cincinnati, July 6.—Three names were added to the list of killed in the wreck on the C. H. & D. tracks near Middletown, and the death of two more, which is expected by the physicians, will bring the number up to 25. William Anninger of Springfield, an unidentified white man now at Middletown, and Evelyn Lloyd of Round Point, Me., who died at the Dayton hospital, complete the list of those who lost their lives as a result of somebody's blunder.

Officials of the Big Four say that the cause of the wreck can be found in the fact that train dispatcher Smith of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road in Dayton, is alleged to have "busted" or revoked an order giving the freight train until 1:07 p. m. to make the siding at Poasttown, and is said to have failed to give the passenger a copy of this order. Had he given Pilot Wall a copy of this order the passenger train would have remained at Poast-Town until the freight passed it. General Manager Gould of the C. H. & D., replying to the statements made here by Wall, says the case was something like that, but he would not say so positively.

An eleven-months-old baby hurled 100 feet from the telescoped second car of the wreck was found alive in a near-by corn field many hours after the accident. The baby was orphaned by the wreck, both parents having been killed in the wreck.

HUGHES FOR CHIEF JUSTICE

Governor Will Probably Succeed Melville W. Fuller As Head of Supreme Court.

Washington.—With the death of Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller and the probable retirement of Associate Justice William H. Moody of the Supreme court, President Taft will have two vacancies in that court to fill within the next few months.

It is generally believed that Gov. Charles E. Hughes of New York, who has been confirmed as an associate justice, will be promoted to chief justice, and that Lloyd W. Bowers of Chicago, solicitor general of the department of justice, will be appointed justice in his place. The other alternative suggested is that Mr. Bowers be made chief justice, it having been understood here for some time that the president considered him qualified in all legal respects for the place. It is known, however, that President Taft has considered Governor Hughes also in this connection so far as his abilities are concerned.

YOUNG TAFT IS EXONERATED

State Commissioners Find That President's Son Was Not Responsible for Auto Accident.

Beverly, Mass.—President Taft was informed that the state highway commissioners have completed their investigation into the accident in which Robert Taft, son of the president, ran down with an automobile Dr. Gregorio, an Italian laborer.

Young Mr. Taft is completely exonerated, the commissioners deciding that he was in no way responsible for the accident and the president will be informed that his son may have an automobile license as soon as he cares to apply for it.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Capt. Albert Gleaves, aide to Assistant Secretary of the Navy Winthrop, has been selected to take command of the big battleship North Dakota.

Merchandise of an appraised value of \$981,962,392 entered the port of New York during the fiscal year ending June 30 as against \$798,303,279 in 1909. This is a new record.

Commander Robert E. Peary has sent an invitation to former President Theodore Roosevelt, to visit the explorer's summer home, on Eagle Island, Casco Bay, some time this summer.

A boiler in the basement of the three-story wooden building, occupied by the Jenkins Brothers' steam laundry, at Laconia, N. H., blew up, seriously injuring 15 women employees. The building was demolished.

The operating revenues of the Louisville & Nashville railroad for the fiscal year, which ended with the month of June, are in excess of \$52,000,000. The statement shows an increase over last year in gross earnings of \$7,000,000.

Fire badly damaged the five-story silk mill occupied by the Manhattan Ribbon Co., at Paterson, N. J. Although there were 25 employees in the building at the time the fire started all escaped. The loss is estimated at \$250,000.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer has refused to allow a battleship to participate in a contest with an aeroplane as a feature of the Aero club meet, on the ground that to do so would furnish foreign governments with data on U. S. methods.

Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, now in command of the department of the east, probably will assume his duties as chief of staff of the army next week. The war department has received no word concerning his movements since it was advised through the state department of his departure from Montevideo about a month or so ago for New York by way of Southampton, and indicating his arrival in this country about July 10.

Twenty Killed, Many Injured in Wreck.

Twenty persons were killed outright, three probably fatally hurt, and half a dozen seriously injured in a head-on collision between a freight and passenger train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad at Middletown, O. Of the killed 19 were passengers. The other victim was a member of the passenger crew.

The trains were the Cincinnati section of the Twentieth Century limited on the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad (Big Four) and the second section of a freight train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road. The latter was attempting to make a siding to give the passenger train a clear track, when the flying limited, traveling 50 miles an hour, flashed around a curve and crashed into it.

Rain Brings Relief.

The drought of a month was broken at Calumet by a thunderstorm coming shortly after midnight Saturday and lasting nine hours. The fierce down-pour saved the village of Ontonagon from destruction. The farmers were driven in large numbers from their homes, many losing property and stock. Fires all over northern Michigan were checked by rain last night.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT.—Cattle—Market 15¢ to 25¢ higher than last week; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$6 to 6.25; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$5.25 to 6; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$4.50 to 5.50; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$4 to 4.50; choice fat cows, \$4.50 to 4.75; good fat cows, \$3.75 to 4.25; common cows, \$3 to 3.50; canners, \$2.75 to 3; choice heavy bulls, \$4.50 to 4.75; fat to good openers, \$3.75 to 4.40; stock bulls, \$3.50 to 4; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.50 to 5; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4 to 4.50; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.50 to 4; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$2.50 to 3.75; stock heifers, \$3.25 to 3.75; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$4 to 5; common milkers, \$2.50 to 3.5.

Veal Calves—Market, 50¢ to 75¢ higher than last week; close; best, \$3.50 to 9; others, \$4.50 to 7.50.

Milk cows and springers steady. Sheep and lambs—Lambs, 75¢ to \$1.10; sheep, steady; best lambs, \$3 to 3.25; fair lambs, \$2.70; light to common lambs, \$2.45 to 2.75; fat to good sheep, \$4 to 4.25; culls and common, \$2.50 to 3.

Hogs—Market 10¢ to 15¢ higher on good grades; pigs, heavy, steady; range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$3.50 to 3.60; pigs, \$3.25 to 3.50; yorkers, \$3.50; heavy, \$3.40; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle—1 car; strong.

Hogs—10 cars; strong; heavy, \$3.60 to 3.70; yorkers, \$3.90 to 3.95; pigs, \$3.10 to 3.20.

Sheep—2 cars; steady; spring lambs, \$3; yearlings, \$3.50 to 3.25; wethers, \$3 to 3.25; ewes, \$4.25 to 4.50.

Calves—\$5 to 9.

Grain, Etc.

WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.03 1-2; July opened without change at \$1.03 1-4, declined to 1.02 3-4 and closed at \$1.03; September opened at \$1.04 3-4 and declined to \$1.03 1-2; December opened at \$1.08 1-2 and declined to \$1.05 1-2; No. 1 white, \$1.03 1-2.

CORN—Cash No. 3 white, 1 car at 66 1-2c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 64c; cash No. 2, 63 1-2c; No. 2 yellow, 65c; No. 3 yellow, 64 1-2c.

OATS—Standard, 1 car at 41c; 1 at 41 1-4c; September, 40c; No. 3 white, 1 car at 40 1-2c; 2 at 40 3-4c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 40 1-2c.

RYE—Cash, No. 1, 78c.

BEANS—Cash, \$2.22; October, \$2.05; November, \$2.

CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, \$7; October, \$6.70; March, \$6.80.

FEEDS—In 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lot: Bran, \$2.5; coarse middlings, \$2.4; fine middlings, \$2.8; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$2.7; corn and oat chop, \$2.4 per ton.

FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$5.70; ordinary patent, \$5.50; straight, \$5.45; clear, \$4.90; pure rye, \$4.50; spring patent, \$5.90 per barrel in wood, jobbing lots.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Sault Ste. Marie.—After refloating lighted ore in the steamer La Belle the lighter Reliance left the Soo for the steamer Black Rock, ashore near Cheboygan. The barge Aurora will be detained until the lighter returns from the Black Rock. While coming up Little Rapids, below the Soo, the steamer John A. Donaldson's wheel chains parted. She took a sheer and was driven hard on a pile of rocks at the side of the channel. She is out about five feet and her entire bottom forward is badly torn. She is full of water forward. The Donaldson is loaded with coal. It may be three or four days before wrecking operations can be started on account of the only lighter in this section being in use on the Black Rock.

Saginaw.—At the annual session of the Saengerfest of the Lake Erie circuit, held here, the following officers were reelected: President, W. E. Berger, Saginaw; first vice-president, W. M. Fromm, Cleveland; secretary, Emil Lohse, Erie, Pa.; treasurer, J. W. Kock, Detroit; district delegate to international saengerfest, Ernest Hadke, Waterloo, Ont.

South Haven.—Fire, originating in the clothing store of Max Shlowitz, entailed a property loss of \$6,000. The losses are as follows: W. A. Newcome, owner of building, \$3,000, with \$1,000 insurance; Max Shlowitz, clothier, \$2,700, with \$1,000 insurance; J. Greenman, barber, \$300; Combs' restaurant, \$400.

Shepherd.—Creech's drug store was entirely destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$5,000, with insurance of \$3,600. Origin of the fire is unknown.

South Haven.—Fire of unknown origin caused a loss of \$10,000 to the business houses of W. A. Newcombe, J. H. Johnson, J. A. Combs and Max Shlowitz.

Flint.—Assistant Fire Chief George E. Taylor has been dismissed from duty by the fire commission. His dismissal is the result of a fight which recently occurred between two members of the department.

Marquette.—A special committee of the board of supervisors has decreed that the able-bodied prisoners in the county jail shall be employed on highway and quarry work whenever they can be used to advantage.

Marquette.—Abelard Nesault drank carbolic acid, mistaking it for whisky, and died.

Grand Rapids.—After a desperate struggle with a friend who tried to restrain him, W. H. Titus of Oklahoma City, Okla., jumped overboard from the steamer Holland en route from Chicago to Holland, Mich., and was drowned. Titus, who was thirty-nine years old, was suffering from nervous prostration.

Fenton.—Missing from his home in Tyrone township, three miles south of the village, early Sunday morning, a search was instituted for Joseph Buzzard, forty-eight, a farmer. Homer, the eight-year-old son, went into a barn near the house and found the lifeless body of his father suspended from a rope tied to the rafters. For several months Mr. Buzzard had been ill and had domestic difficulties. There are eight children ranging in age from two to twenty-one years.

Grand Rapids.—Susie Vance, 50 years old, drank horse liniment yesterday. Physicians used the stomach pump with apparent success, but the woman died. She is said to have been slightly demented.

Grand Rapids.—Three prostrations from the heat were reported when the mercury jumped from 53 to 85 degrees. They were Katherine Dilla, 34; Mrs. Grace Methol, a waitress, and Henry Brant.

Owosso.—Rev. George Laughton, pastor of the Baptist church, sustained five fractured ribs and a splintered ankle, while carrying a heavy storm door to the second floor of the parsonage. Laughton fell down stairs.

Kalamazoo.—Mrs. Christian Wiedmayer was so badly burned by an explosion of gunpowder that had been spilled under a swing in which she was sitting that she may not recover. Sparks from a firecracker ignited the powder.

Saginaw.—Mrs. William Martin is prostrated over the disappearance of her 14-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, who left home with Hazel Moore, same age, shortly after her 11-year-old brother disappeared. The police are seeking all three.

St. Joseph.—In plain sight of several hundred bathers and spectators, Benjamin Mendelsohn of Chicago was drowned in Lake Michigan, making the total drowned in the state this season 42. The undertow caught the Chicagoan as he was bathing and pulled him down.

Lansing.—Prof. M. E. Cooley of the University of Michigan and an assistant were here conferring with conferring with the state railway commission relative to an appraisal of the properties of the water power concerns, which have asked the commission for authority to issue bonds.

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A decidedly new order of things is coming to pass and is going to put the peoples servants on a merit basis, from the lowest to the highest.

The past few weeks is the sort of weather that causes one gratefully to recall to mind the fact that it was Dolly Madison who invented ice cream.

A Frightful Wreck

of train automobile or buggy may cause cuts, bruises, abrasions, sprains or wounds that demand Bucklens Arnica Salve—earths greatest healer. Quick relief and prompt cure results. For burns, boils, sores of all kinds, eczema, chapped hands and lips, sore eyes or corns, its supreme. Surest pile cure. 25c at F. A. Siglers.

It isn't a far step from obscurity to president for the man who renders the people conscientious and faithful service and whose watchword is DUTY.

There was no shouting crowd on hand to greet John D. after his seven months trip and the party was hurried into automobiles and rushed to Forest Hill. John D. said he was glad to be back in Cleveland and was more glad his friends had arranged his reception so that the maddening crowd was not on hand.

Those Pies of Boyhood.

How delicious were the pies of boyhood. No pies can ever taste so good. What's changed? the pies? No, its you. You've lost the strong healthy stomach, the vigorous liver, the active kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood. Your digestion is poor and you blame the food. What's needed? A complete toning up by Electric Bitters of all organs of digestion—Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, bowels—try them. They'll restore your boyhood appetite and appreciation of food and fairly saturate your body with new health, strength and vigor. 50c at F. A. Siglers.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Howell has two or three factories on the string now and is trying to land them.

A large quantity of real estate was transferred Saturday during the severe wind storm.

Rain falls on the unjust as well as the just—we were glad to get a little shower this week.

Maurice Darrow has been helping out at the meat market and lunch counter the past two weeks.

We are glad to note that Samuel Gilchrist is much improved in health and was on the streets last week.

The Birmingham LOTMM have disbanded, sold their property and divided the money. Distasteful at the new rulings.

A ten-year old son of Wells Bennett and another lad at Howell, tied a rope around their waists and when an auto came along one boy ran across the street in front of the machine. Consequence was some badly frightened people and some boys that think they do not care for any more such fun.

James Scutley of the railroad commission and Rate expert R. R. Darwin went to Indianapolis last week to attend a conference of the railroad commissions of Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois to formulate a protest against the railroads of the country putting into effect the proposed increase in interstate freight rates, pending a time when the several commissions can examine the new schedules. Several protests have been received by the the state commission against the new rates for Michigan, among which was one from the state traffic association.

The trade territory of a town is not at all dependent upon the distance to neighboring trading points. The trade territory depends upon the enterprise of the merchants and the residents of the town. If a town does not reach after trade it will come only as fast as it has to, and it will grow as it is forced to. But if the merchants go after business in the surrounding country, advertising in every possible way, and making good every word of their advertising, trade will come from an ever increasing radius, the town will gain a reputation for being awake and it will forge to the front. It is the men in the town and not altogether the men living within a certain number of miles from it that makes the town a good town or otherwise.—Ex.

Notice.

As required by the laws of Michigan.

To owners, possessors or occupiers of land or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any land in this state, notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds on any land in the township of Putnam, in the county of Livingston, or within the limits of any highway passing by or through such lands must be cut down and destroyed on or before the first day of July and again on or before the first day of September.

C. L. CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of the Township of Putnam, County of Livingston.
June 21st, 1910.

It is reported from Milwaukee thru usual associated press service that the city council of Milwaukee have decided to close up 104 saloons in that city which in the opinion of the city council "have not been properly conducted." Will those persons who have been beating toms toms up and down the highways of this state and elsewhere in the ranks of the sob squab over the denial of personal rights and the confiscation of property please take note of the fact that the city council of the greatest beer-making and beer selling municipality on earth closed 104 saloons because they thought they ought to be closed. And they did this without even asking the consent of the people.

Special Meeting.

WHEREAS, more than ten members of the Livingston County Mutual Fire Insurance Company have asked in writing that a special meeting of the members of said company be called for the purpose of considering the payment of a loss sustained by fire by Ellen Ryan of the township of Deerfield, Livingston county, Michigan; and also for the purpose of considering the payment of a loss by Candis Major, also of the said township of Deerfield, said county and state.

THEREFORE, in pursuance of said petition and the by-laws of said company NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Meeting of the Livingston County Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the Court House in the village of Howell on Saturday the 16th day of July, 1910, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of considering the payment of said loss sustained by fire by the said Ellen Ryan, and also the loss sustained by Candis Major.

Dated Howell, Mich., July 8th, 1910
By Order of the Board of Directors
WILLIAM J. LARKIN,
Secretary.

When Beau Nash and Wesley Met.

Beau Nash, though but an indifferent churchgoer, not only went to hear Whitefield preach, but attended a service at Bath held by John Wesley. The incident is related in Southey's "Life of Wesley."

"While he was preaching this remarkable personage entered the room, came close to the preacher and demanded of him by what authority he was acting. Wesley made answer, 'By that of Jesus Christ, conveyed to me by the present archbishop of Canterbury, when he laid his hands upon me and said, "Take thou authority to preach the gospel." Nash then affirmed that he was acting contrary to the laws. 'Besides,' said he, 'your preaching frightens people out of their wits.' 'Sir,' replied Wesley, 'did you ever hear me preach?' 'No,' said the master of ceremonies. 'How, then, can you judge of what you never heard?' Nash made answer, 'By common report.' 'Sir,' said Wesley, 'is not your name Nash? I dare not judge of you by common report. I think it not enough to judge by.'"

To Save You Time.

Have you ever noticed that when reading you waste a certain amount of time in turning from the end of one line to the beginning of the next? Long ago, when the world was not so busy as now, columns were of a much greater width. Since then they have been narrowed more and more.

Of course in an hour's reading little time is lost, but in a lifetime it is likely to be considerable. Realizing this, some one has suggested that type should be arranged as follows. You read to the end of the line, drop the eyes and read backward:

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the end of each
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done"

The argument is that practice will make perfect. Five minutes' practice is usually found more than sufficient for most people.—Pearson's.

The Power of Napoleon.

The desperate struggle to do something worth while is the very thing which draws out our reserve forces and develops latent power, says Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine. Without this struggle many people would never have discovered their real selves. Napoleon was never so resourceful, never so level headed, never had that vigorous mental grasp, was never able to make such powerful combinations, as when he was driven to desperation. It was when all bridges were burned behind him and there was no possibility of retreat that the possible Napoleon came to the rescue. Napoleon said of his great general Messena that he never showed his mettle until he saw the wounded and dead falling all around him in battle. Then the lion in him was aroused, and he fought like a demon.

Enlightenment.

"Father," remarked Johnny after deep thought, "suppose I should knock this jug off the table and catch it, then I wouldn't catch it, would I?"

"N-no, I suppose not," his father slowly said.

"But," continued Johnny, still toying with the jug, "if I should knock it off and not catch it, then I would catch it, wouldn't I?"

"Yes, you would!" his father grimly returned, this time with quick decision.

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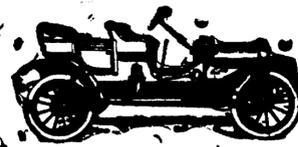
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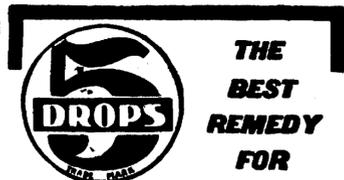
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Meaning of Cemetery.

It is not correct to say that "cemetery" means the "city of the dead." The word is from the Greek "koimeterion," meaning sleeping place, not the place of the dead. There is nothing in the etymology of the word to warrant us in thinking that it was originally intended to convey the idea that the departed were really dead any more than there is in the old Hebrew term for cemetery, "bethaim," the house of the living.—Exchange.

The wrong and injustice being perpetrated day after day in Michigan in the saloon counties of the state thru compelling the men and boys brought before city and village courts to provide for the payment of fines as punishment for arrests for drunkenness is deserving of more attention than has been given it. In nine cases out of ten the keepers of saloons sold whiskey and beer to the men who were later arrested for drunkenness with full knowledge of the fact that they soon would be drunk and in all probability would be arrested and would have to pay fines. It is further true that in a majority of these cases the money to pay these fines either comes directly out of the pockets of the wife or children at home or it limits their home support to that extent. Isn't it cowardly and an act of extreme injustice to punish the family for an offence participated in by two men, one already almost drunk and irresponsible, and the other sober and selfish and fully aware of the inevitable results of his action. It is because the people of Michigan and people everywhere are coming to understand the share of the saloon in such happenings that the demand is being made with increasing emphasis that it must go.



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Shooting Jack Rabbits.

"Jack rabbits in Kansas are just as numerous as they were the day the first covered wagon moved across it toward the Rocky mountains," said a Kansas farmer. "It appears to me they are galloping around in greater numbers than ever. Did you ever try to exterminate a jack rabbit? If you never did you've something to learn about shooting."

"A jack rabbit's movement starts with a spring in the air. He lands on all fours, and the intervening space from the time he jumps and the time he lights is just about nothing, but he covers from ten to fifteen feet with every jump. There's only one way to take 'em alive and that is to leave the top off a pasture well overnight. Next morning there'll be plenty, because jack rabbits will jump into any kind of a hole that's open. They seem to have a fondness for dried out wells. They outrun the average dog with ease, but can't beat the greyhound. Shooting them on the run is as difficult as shooting birds on the wing, possibly more difficult. Possibly 25,000 are killed in Kansas every year, and yet they seem just as numerous as ever."—St. Paul Dispatch.

He Found It Was.

Judge (to prisoner)—You are charged with having seriously injured your wife by inclosing her in a folding bed. What have you to say for yourself? Prisoner—Your honor, I wished to see if it was possible to shut her up.

The Rescue.

The Major—What's this I hear, David, about your nearly saving a man from drowning? David—I did save 'im from drownin', only the life buoy 'it 'im on the 'ead and killed 'im.—London Tatler.

Did Not See It Before.

Miss Eastside—That is a lovely gown, but haven't I seen it before? Miss Westside—No; I think not. I have only worn it at a very few smart affairs this season.

Mr. Sunderland

By WALTER PARKINSON

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Miss Councilman doted on the novels of Clarence Sunderland. He had a faculty for taking a motif from the realm of sin and treating it so ingeniously that it held the reader spell-bound and so deftly that the horrible features were kept in the background. Mr. Sunderland received many letters from readers of his works asking questions about some point of especial interest to the writer. Among those who wrote him was Miss Councilman, wishing to know if he intended Abel Maxey, one of his characters, for a good or a bad man. Mr. Sunderland replied that, although Maxey had poisoned three different people, he intended him for a good man. The story had been written with a purpose, that purpose being to work out a theory.

Miss Councilman's admiration for the author was in proportion to her want of understanding of his meaning. There must be great depth to an intellect that could see good in a triple murder, and she knew there was profundity in the theory worked out in the novel, for she did not understand a word of it. She wrote again to Mr. Sunderland, and his reply, in which the word "ganglia" occurred several times—a word she had never heard before—increased her admiration for him tenfold.

The correspondence went on till a meeting was arranged between the correspondents. They were to meet at the office of Mr. Sunderland's publishers. Miss Councilman did not live in the city. She was a denizen of the country. So on the appointed day she took a train to keep the appointment. In seats adjoining hers were two men who from their rough costume looked as if they belonged rather in the baggage car.

"Spudgeon," said one of these men to the other, "what are you going to do with Harberg?"

The man addressed looked furtively about him, then replied in a low tone: "Kill him."

Miss Councilman started. She glanced at the speaker, and, whether he bore the marks of a villain or whether her imagination pictured him as such, he certainly looked murderous.

"How you going to do it?"

"I tell you, Krinkle," said Spudgeon, "the trouble in the way?"

Here the door was opened, and the rattle of the train prevented the listener from hearing any more of the reply. The next bit of the conversation she heard was from Krinkle.

"I've only been obliged to kill three persons."

"That's nothing. I've killed twelve. When you've killed that many you're up a stump for a new way of doing the job."

"I've no business to do that kind of work. It gets on my nerves. What I do takes an awful hold of me. I can't sleep nights. I see the ghosts of those I've murdered, and they make me crawl."

"Humph! Mine don't trouble me."

Then they fell to speaking of something else. A diver had gone to the bottom of a reservoir full of water, been caught in the mouth of an escape pipe and sucked in. The conversationists had gone to the spot for the purpose evidently of enjoying the agony of those who were interested in the poor creature below, for they talked over every terrible feature as though they enjoyed it.

All this was too much for Miss Councilman's nerves. She arose and went to the other end of the car. She wondered if she had not better speak to the conductor. Could he know that he had two such ogres aboard his train? Certainly the police should be informed. Nevertheless she dared not have anything to do with the matter. The man Spudgeon before confessing that he was going to put Harberg out of the way had given her a look as though he feared she might hear him. He would discover sooner or later that she had given him away and would probably kill her. This last consideration decided her to hold her tongue in novels she had admired those who risked death for justice's sake, but when it came to giving her own life for the cause she was not to be counted on. So she sat shivering in a corner till the train rolled into the terminal and waited till the two ogres had got out before she dared leave the car.

Miss Councilman took a cab and was driven to the publishers. Sending in her card to the senior partner, she was ushered into his private office.

"Ah, Miss Councilman! Miss Councilman, this is Mr. Sunderland."

Mr. Sunderland advanced, with a smile. Miss Councilman shrank away.

"Spudgeon!" she gasped.

"That's my real name," replied the gentleman. "It's so fearfully homely that I write under another."

"But the people!"—She could not go on.

"What people?"

"You have murdered!" The gentleman burst into a laugh. "I recognize you," he said, "for the young lady who sat by Mr. Krinkle and me on the train. We are both scoundrels and have to commit many murders—on paper. We had been studying from real life at the scene of an accident and were dressed for the purpose."

Miss Councilman was disillusioned. Without one word she turned on her heel and left the two men dumfounded. Returning to her home, she dropped novel reading and never again sought to know an author.

A Merited Rebuke.

At the age of eighty-six Mme. Reynolds still found much zest in life, and, having retained all her faculties, she felt that a few of the physical disabilities of her age were of small account and portended nothing. Her nephew Thomas was a man of much worth, but of a certain tactlessness of speech, which always roused the ire of his aunt.

A few weeks before the old lady's eighty-seventh birthday Thomas, who had been overweighed with business cares for years, started on a trip round the world which was to consume two years.

"I've come to say goodby," he announced when he appeared at his aunt's house in a town fifty miles distant from his home. "I'm starting round the world next week, and as I'm to be gone two years and perhaps longer I thought I might not ever—well, you understand, I wanted to be sure to see you once more."

The old lady leaned forward, fixing him with her beaklike eyes.

"Thomas," she said imperatively, "do you mean to tell me the doctor doesn't think you'll live to get back?"

—Youth's Companion.

A Jcker Among Birds.

The bluejay is a practical joker. It is his habit to conceal himself in a mass of leaves near the spot where small birds are accustomed to gather and when they are enjoying themselves in their own fashion to suddenly frighten them almost to death by screaming out like a hawk. Of course they scatter in every direction, and when they do so the mischievous rascal gives vent to a cackle that sounds very much like a laugh.

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JACK'S TEMPTATION

By WILLIAM ALFRED COREY

"Up there, the range finder stands, the gunner's mate was explaining to an interested group about him, and the aim is taken through these two little tubes which are fitted with lenses. By means of this wheel the muzzle of the gun is raised or lowered and this other one is to swing it laterally as the man taking aim directs. This gun is effective at sixteen miles."

Pulling a lever, he swung back the breech block and, letting the visitors peer into the bore of the great weapon, he was showing them the process of charging the gun when he suddenly stopped, turned pale and trembled as though in mortal fear.

Women are proverbially quicker witted than men. At least the woman was in this instance; and Floretta Williams quickly and tactfully relieved the tension of the situation by extending a delicately gloved hand to the discomfited gunner with the words: "Why, Mr. Masters! How amazed I am to meet you!"

And then turning to her party, she said, with perfect grace and composure, "Mr. Masters, let me introduce my uncle, Mr. Gilson of Los Angeles; and these young ladies are my cousins, Miss May Colson, Mr. Masters, and Miss Angelotta Gilson." Then, to her friends, she explained, "Mr. Masters is a former friend of mine from Kansas."

The young lady's presence of mind had been so well and charmingly shown that probably none in the party except Jack Masters himself, not even the young lady's cousins, though it takes a woman to read a woman, detected a vague something in Floretta Williams' manner that indicated her desire not so much to show cordiality to the embarrassed gunner as to relieve the general strain.

However, the situation relieved, young Masters pulled himself together and devoted all his attention to Miss Williams, his former Kansas friend, and her party.

Two hours were spent in inspecting the wonders of the great battleship. The gunner took them everywhere, above and below, forward and aft, explaining the mysteries of turret and tower, gun and bridge, signals and codes and flags, details as to discipline and routine, the how and the why and the why not in a thousand different particulars, and with infinite patience.

Often, as Jack Masters tried to catch Floretta Williams' eye, he often failed. No; once she did look at him, but it was when he had addressed her as "Floretta," and the look had said with a plainness he could not misunderstand, "I am Miss Williams, please," and he had humbly swallowed the rebuke.

But even as he talked of the navy and of the things of war, his mind was far away, both in point of space and time. As he was explaining to them the wireless message system in use on the ship, memory was bringing to his mind wireless messages from a village among corn and wheat fields; of faces of friends, of harvest field and schoolroom and pleasure party, and then of the sudden end of it all; of an insane fit of jealousy, a penciled goodbye that had been a stab in the heart of love, and then of the new life with its suspense, its hopelessness and its trailing burden of guilty conscience.

And here she was by his side; here on the quarterdeck of the Kansas, the woman whose heart he had wounded in a moment of causeless frenzy—and he could get no word from her. She was interested only in the ship.

The time had come for Miss Williams and her party to go, and the Mariposa's signal was already blowing.

"Floretta—Miss Williams," he stammered, with the earnestness of desperation in his voice, "I must have a word with you before you go."

"Why should you?" she returned coldly. "You are nothing more to me. And you told me five years ago that I was nothing more to you. What is there to change it?"

"Oh, Flo," pleaded Jack, taking her reluctant hand and leading her to a secluded corner by a gun carriage, "dear Flo, I have been miserable ever since I left you and I have suffered a thousand deaths."

"It was misery of your own making, and if it was death you brought it on yourself," she said. "I gave you no cause to write me that terrible letter. There was a forbidding hardness in her voice and manner that chilled the sailor's heart."

"Flo," he urged as the last whistle was blowing, "I have forty-eight hours' shore leave beginning to-morrow morning; may I call on you and have a frank talk? Don't refuse," he pleaded, "give me one chance."

"I have no objection to your call-

ing," she said, handing him a card as he helped her down the gangway and onto the deck of the Mariposa, "but don't presume too much."

In the heart of the sailor lad standing on the quarterdeck of the battleship, and watching the Mariposa steaming away toward her landing, there raged a greater storm than he had ever known at sea. He had regretted his insane jealousy and cruel letter of farewell almost immediately; but the feeling that he had himself made the case hopeless had kept him from communicating with Floretta and, more to shake off the past than for anything else, he had joined the navy and embarked on an entirely new life. But now, he had met her face to face, had heard her voice, had felt the magic of her presence, had learned that she was still free, and the former love had suddenly leaped up and taken him by storm.

For a time the old love transformed the gunner. It sank in his ears, rioted in his blood and danced along every nerve. She, of all women, was found again, was near him and there was still hope when he had supposed hope was dead. He would live for her! He would possess her yet.

But when? And then there fell a cloud. There was the navy, and he had three years yet to serve and his ship was to cruise around the world! It would take him away from her. Would it? No! By all the gods, it should not! He would desert first, cost what it would. He would give up everything, risk everything, name honor, manhood—everything, if necessary, to be with the woman he loved.

The next morning Jack Masters called at the address Floretta had given him. She cordially welcomed him, as did also her relatives, the Gilsons.

There was a long drive, luncheon, an afternoon matinee, dinner and an evening concert. It was late that night before Jack got the opportunity he longed for, the opportunity to talk with Floretta. Drawing her to a seat beside him on the lawn of the Gilson residence, he told her again of his love, of his repentance for the past, of what he had suffered in atonement and of his hope to win and be worthy of her love.

"But Jack," said Floretta, "your heart may be right, but you are not free. You belong to the navy."

It stung him and he burst out with: "Hang the navy! I'll quit it. It's irksome, anyway. I'll quit it and live for you."

She looked at him in wide-eyed astonishment. "Quit it," she echoed, "quit the navy? That's desertion, Jack. You certainly are beside yourself."

"Lots of them do it," he said sullenly.

"That is no justification," she returned. And then, after a moment, in which neither spoke, she went on as with a mind made up. "Jack, you are impulsive as you always were, and you lack judgment, as you always did. You have many good qualities—she put a hand on his shoulder—"but you lack coolness and caution. You left me when we were soon to be married, left me in a mere pique, without cause, to suffer humiliation and ridicule. And now you want to come back to me under circumstances that would only cause added suffering and humiliation to both of us. You certainly know that desertion from the navy or army is a serious crime, and one severely punished. You would have to change your name and completely hide your identity to escape punishment, and that would be unbearable humiliation to us both. If discovered

Goats for Underbrush. The forestry department has turned 300 Angora goats on the mountain slopes in the west in the hope that they will keep the weeds from growing on the firebreaks. This work has been a serious expense and the goats are an experiment.

Improving the Hen. Farmers are learning how to coax the American hen to make the most of her opportunities. The agricultural department reports that 78 per cent. of all eggs set last year were hatched, and the mortality of hen-hatched chickens was only 10 1/2 per cent.

Remedy Suggested. Two million rats, some of them two feet in length, are threatening to overrun Summit, N. J. Instead of counting and measuring the restive rodents the board of health ought to kill a few. —Pittsburg Gazette.

Library Suggestion. The public library of every town, according to Josiah H. Benton, whose experience in library management gives him a right to speak, should contain a town scrapbook, in which every article, paragraph and item that appears in any newspaper in regard to that municipality should be carefully gathered. In that way a surprisingly good local history will gradually grow up. When the time comes for an actual written history, this material will be of great direct and suggestive value. He would have the librarian keep a scrapbook and either through an arrangement with a press clipping bureau or by personal attention to it see that every such allusion to the town finds its way into the reservoir. This is a suggestion of very large merit. Those who adopt it will have occasion to congratulate themselves in the future upon their foresight, and they will make many inquirers and investigators of coming years their debtors.

Reveals Fault in System. Incident Shows Need of Visiting Some Patients After Their Discharge From Hospital.

"I give you my child, I give you my child!" cried a poor Yiddish mother, swaying and moaning in her despair, yet grasping at a last frail hope as she caught sight of the familiar face of the nurse. Twice the baby had been discharged from the hospital almost well. She had just brought him back for the third time. While the "little fellow lay gasping out his life in the children's ward, the agonized mother went distractedly on to tell how, on the advice of a neighbor, she had fed the tiny convalescent on sausage! Even as she spoke the end came. Ignorance of a few fundamental laws of health had triumphed over a mother's love and quickly undone the skilled work of the hospital. In and out of our hospitals and dispensaries every year pass thousands of children in like conditions, where a little after care and teaching would avert per-

manent hurt or death. How much of the splendid work of our hospitals is thus undone.

This instance, cited by Garnet Isabel Pelton in the Survey shows the great need in hospital work for the visiting of patients at their homes after their discharge to prevent the wasting of life which results from snapping the connection between hospital and patient at a critical point.

Quite Evident. The man could name all the state governors, but not a single league pitcher.

"I shall naturalize you," said the judge, "but you are far from being assimilated into an American citizen as yet."

How He Does It. How do you keep your wife so good natured?"

"I tell her 20 times a day that she's not as fat as the other large women we meet."—Detroit Free Press.

Household Consternation. "Charley, dear!" exclaimed young Mrs. Torkins, "the baby has swallowed a gold dollar!"

"Great heavens! Something must be done. There will be no end to the cost of living if he gets habits like that!"

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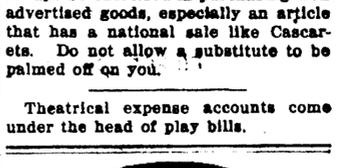
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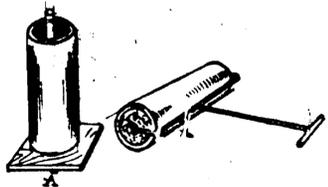
A Hopperdozer.

ners over the field and the grasshoppers either jump in or try to jump over, in which case they strike the cloth at the back and fall back into the oil. A mere touch of the oil kills them; it may take a half a minute if the insect falls directly into it or it may take half an hour if the insect simply alights on the banner moistened with the oil, but no matter whether the insect dies immediately or takes a little time, it is sure to die eventually. The great majority of the hoppers that jump into the pan, jump out again at once, but they die just as certainly and almost as quickly as if they remained.

DURABLE ROLLER FOR GARDEN

May Be Made of Piece of Tiling With Vacant Space Filled in With Cement and Stones.

A durable garden roller may be made of a piece of tiling. It should be burnt to a glaze and the best size is about two feet in diameter. Set it upon a board and place a piece of gas pipe directly through the center, passing it two inches through a hole in the board. It should project above the tile the same distance. Fill in the



Garden Roller.

open tile to the top with cement mixed with some broken stones or bits of brick or crockery. Face the ends with the clear mixture of sand and cement. Your blacksmith will make a handle for a dollar and you will have an excellent and handy roller.

Water for Sheep.

Sheep drink very little water and some persons claim that they drink none at all. In some parts of England, flockmasters do not permit their ewes to drink water during the gestation period. In this country, which is much drier and where sheep get little moisture from the pasture, clean water is necessary at all times.

Water for Bees.

Plenty of water is absolutely necessary for bees; an abundant supply should be provided, to obviate the necessity of their going to streams and contaminated pools a long distance away. In brood rearing, bees make little progress without plenty of water.

Feed for Young Bull.

The young bull intended for use will come into service sooner if given a daily ration of bran and oats in connection with good pasture grass. Keep the young bull tame by feeding him daily and petting him; but, as he grows older, take no chance with his good nature, however tame he may have been when young.

Hum of the Bee.

The hum of the bees give the farmstead a homelike significance. The busy bee is a type for emulation and they should be found on every farm. This is taking no account of the fact that bees produce honey which is profitable, and they render much assistance in fertilizing the stigmas of flowers on fruit trees.

Don't Neglect the Garden.

When the work of planting and cultivating farm crops is pressing the garden is apt to be neglected. This should never be done. Garden plants are tender and cannot bear neglect. The garden should be cultivated frequently and the plants forced to early maturity.

TO TRANSFER BEE COLONIES

Easy and Simple Directions Given Below are Followed—Impressments Needed.

(By W. R. WRIGHT, Oklahoma Experiment Station.) Many persons who desire to transfer their bees do not understand the best method to use to make the operation a success, hence detailed directions are given below.

Secure a bee veil, a smoker, a long-bladed knife, the wire from an old broom or two, a pair of wire pliers and either two or three rods of old cotton cloth, some matches, a piece of stout string, an ax or hatchet, and a pair of gloves, if you wish to protect your hands from possible stings.

Place the new hive near the colony to be transferred and have about half of the frames full of foundation; the remaining four or five frames are to be reserved for holding comb taken, a little later, from the old hive.

The wires may be passed around the frames lengthwise, but such an arrangement will make it necessary to remove the frames from the hive at a later date, after the combs, which have been held in place by the wires, have been securely fastened to the frames.

After starting a good smoke in the bee smoker, putting on the bee veil and gloves, tying down the trouser legs, one is all ready to make the transfer. An assistant is desirable, but not a necessity.

Take from the new hive the frames that are to contain the combs to be cut from the old hive, and place them on a wide board or a small table.

Now go to the colony and puff in some smoke at the entrance, then jar the hive by light blows, then puff in more smoke and jar the hive again.

This should be done four or five times to cause the bees to fill themselves with honey. Bees with well-filled honey sacks are not inclined to sting. A forenoon hour of some pleasant day should be chosen for this operation.

There are some advantages in wrapping strings about frames instead of using wires, for the bees will remove the strings, while the wires will remain until removed by the apiarist.

A small whisk broom or turkey feather will be a great aid in encouraging the bees to travel in the right direction.

After the preliminary smoking and drumming the hive should be turned bottom up and an empty box put on top, and the drumming and smoking continued until most of the bees have passed up into the box.

The new hive, now standing where the old hive stood, will soon have returning workers rushing in and out, so the new hive should be supplied with combs from the old ones as quickly as possible; then the box of bees should be shaken into the top or onto a board or paper in front. Care should be taken that not many bees are crushed and that nearly all get into the new hive, or the queen may be lost, bringing about failure. Scraps of honey should be carried to the house and honey drips carefully washed up, or there may be a bad case of robbing.



Plant the rows all one way—north and south—so the sun can strike both sides.

Keep the hoe going in dry weather and you will not need the watering pot often.

The wheel-hoe will save many a backache and do the work of three hand hoes.

Making a good garden is a man's job. Do not leave the hard work to the women folks.

Wild strawberries have the most delicious flavor. They are easily transplanted to the garden.

Cauliflower can be grown more easily than cabbage. It is always in demand and at good prices.

A handful of grain dug into an ant hill will bring the chickens to it and then good-by to the insects.

Do not plant short rows but let them run the whole length of the garden if need be—why not?

Do not molest the bees after they get to work, and give them an abundance of room in which to store honey.

The agricultural department figures out that the annual waste of barn yard manure on American farms, aggregated \$125,000,000.

The use of comb foundation has made possible the production of straight brood and extract combs and marketable comb honey.

A plant of Swiss chard sown adjoining the poultry yard will supply greens all summer provided the fowls are not allowed to eat it more than an hour a day.

Don't keep bees unless you mean to give them the proper care and attention. If you can't do that you had better leave some one else keep the bees and buy your honey from him.

A BAD THING TO NEGLECT.

Don't neglect the kidneys when you notice lack of control over the secretions. Passages become too frequent or scanty; urine is discolored and sediment appears. No medicine for such troubles like Doan's Kidney Pills. They quickly remove kidney disorders.



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HIS WISH.



Mrs. Henpeck—Ah Henry, when I'm gone you'll never get another wife like me.

Mr. Henpeck (sotto voce)—I hope not.

He Rose to It.

"Do you know," said a little boy of five to a companion the other day, "my father and I know everything. What I don't know my father knows, and what my father don't know I know."

"All right! Let's see, then," replied the older child, skeptically. "Where's Asia?"

It was a stiff one, but the youngster never faltered.

"Well, that," he answered coolly, "is one of the things my father knows."—Harper's Bazaar.

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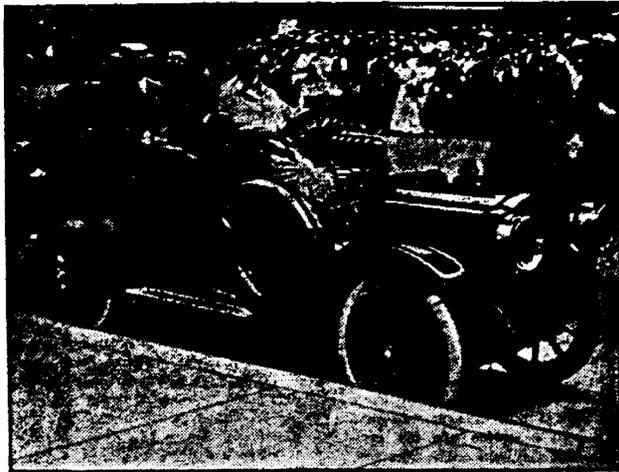
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Theodore Roosevelt and Party in White Steamer.)

After fifteen months' absence, exactly as scheduled, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt disembarked from the Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, Saturday morning, June 18, at 11 a. m. To the keen disappointment of a large group of newspaper correspondents, Mr. Roosevelt absolutely refused, as heretofore, to be interviewed or to talk on political subjects, but his rapid fire of questions showed the same virile interest in public affairs as before.

If the welcome tendered by the vast throng may be considered a criterion upon which to base a "return from Elba," surely there was no discordant note in the immense reception-parade, nor in the wildly clamorous crowd which cheered at every glimpse and hung on his very word.

The incidents of the day in New York were many, but perhaps none better illustrated the nervous energy and vitality of the man, the near-mania to be up-and-doing, which he has brought back to us, than the discarding of horses and carriages for the swifter and more reliable automobiles. The moment the Roosevelt family and

immediate party landed, they were whisked away in White Steamers to the home of Mrs. Douglas Robinson at 433 Fifth avenue. A little later, when the procession reached the corner of Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, Colonel Roosevelt again showed his preference for the motor car in general and the White cars in particular, when he, Cornelius Vanderbilt and Collector Loeb transferred from their carriage to White Steamers, which were in waiting for them.

After luncheon at Mr. Robinson's house, the entire party, including Colonel Roosevelt, again entered White cars and were driven to Long Island City, where they were to take a special train to the ex-President's home at Oyster Bay.

The supremacy of the White cars with the Roosevelt party was again demonstrated on Sunday, when the party was driven to church in the White Steamers, and a group of some forty prominent Rough Riders were taken in a White Gasoline Truck to a clambake at the Travers Island clubhouse of the New York Athletic Club.



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Among Our Correspondents

SOUTH MARION.

John Gardner went to Jackson on the excursion Sunday.

Guy Abbott of Lansing spent Sunday at L. H. Newmans.

Mrs. Met. Gallop is entertaining her sister from Jackson.

Miss Norma Vaughn of Pinckney is visiting Kittie Brogan.

Lillian Buhl of Gregory is visiting her cousin Florence Burgess

Mrs. John Gardner and Mrs. L. H. Newman spent Sunday in Lansing.

Norman Bruff of East Cohoctah is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Will Bland.

Geo. Leavey and Percy Daley spent Sunday with Raymond Brogan.

Mrs. Sweetman of Pinckney spent last week with Chris Brogan and family.

Arthur Glenn and family of Howell visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Glenn last week.

Mrs. Geo. Bland Sr. had a post card shower recently, receiving one hundred and fifty eight cards.

Mrs. Irving Hart and son Lauren of East Marion visited her brother, John Carr, last Sunday.

Albert Miller and family returned to their home in Lansing Monday after spending a few days with Fred Burgess and family.

WEST PUTNAM.

Ed Speers and wife spent Sunday at Wm. Doyles.

H. B. Gardner was in Detroit Wednesday on business.

John McIntyre who has been very ill is slowly improving.

John Dinkle and W. B. Gardner were in Howell Tuesday.

Mabel Monks has returned from a visit with friends in Canada.

Mrs. O. P. Noah of North Lake visited Mrs. Wm. Gardner Tuesday.

The owner of Sleepy Hollow Stock Farm is the possessor of twin calves.

Arla Gardner is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Otis Webb in Unadilla.

WEST MARION.

Mrs. Will Bland visited her parents Sunday.

Most of the farmers are through haying this week.

Mrs. P. H. Smith entertained friends from Owosso and Iosco Sunday.

A little son came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shubel Moore July 9th.

R. D. Rockwood returned to his home at Williamston Tuesday to assist in haying.

The exercises at the East Marion Sunday school convention were fine and well attended.

The little daughter of Orange Backus fell from a swing recently and broke her arm. She is getting along nicely now.

During Saturdays storm, the M. P. church at Parkers Corners and one of Walter Gorton's barns were struck by lightning.

The much needed rain reached here Saturday afternoon accompanied by wind and lightning. At W. B. Millers the wind blew in the west side of the silo and the lightning struck the south end of the barn, doing but little damage. Mr. M. considers himself very fortunate that the barn was not burned or none of the five horses in the barn were not killed. The lightning also killed a horse for Frank Burden and a cow for John Reddinger.

SOUTH IOSCO.

William Butler and family ride in a new auto.

Miss Larenia Jensen entertained her cousin last week.

Miss Anna Berry of Fowlerville visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry last week.

Mrs. David Smith of Detroit visited her mother Mrs. Eliza Kuhu last week.

Miss Bertha Harrington of Webberville is the guest of her sister Mrs. Joe Roberts at present.

The Misses Harrington and Caskey called on the Misses Beatrice and Kathryn Lamborn Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Caskey of Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roberts and daughter visited at Truman Wainwrights Sunday.

A Versatile Garden.

The dwellers in a seaport town of Massachusetts are justly proud of their gardens. It remained for a visitor from a tiny village "way round the Cape" to say the first slightly disparaging word of these gardens "Isn't this beautiful?" his hostess asked as she paused under a rose arbor and looked back over the stately ranks of larkspur, monk's hood, hollyhocks and many other favorites.

"It's a handsome garden—of its kind," said the visitor dispassionately, "but it ain't quite up to the mark when you consider our gardens."

"Indeed!" and the lady looked at him, too amazed to be angry. "What sort of gardens have you, please?" "Well," said her Cape visitor calmly, "what we call a good garden is one where you can start out with two big baskets and a hoe, step through the flower garden part, past the vegetables, down to the water; dig your clams first, pick your sweet corn, lay your posies on top o' that and hand the whole lot over at the kitchen door. There's your shore dinner and trimmings all from one garden."—Youth's Companion.

The Wise Woodpecker.

In California the woodpecker stores acorns away, although he never eats them. He bores several holes, differing slightly in size, at the fall of the year invariably in a pine tree. Then he finds an acorn, which he adjusts to one of the holes prepared for its reception. But he does not eat the acorn, for, as a rule, he is not a vegetarian. His object in storing away the acorns exhibits foresight and a knowledge of results more akin to reason than to instinct. The succeeding winter the acorns remain intact, but, becoming saturated, are predisposed to decay, when they are attacked by maggots, which seem to delight in this special food. It is then that the woodpecker reaps the harvest his wisdom has provided at a time when, the ground being covered with snow, he would experience difficulty otherwise in obtaining suitable or palatable food.—Cleveland Leader.

Not Tending to Business.

A country doctor was recently called upon to visit a patient some way from his office. Driving to where the sick man lived, he tied his horse to a tree in front of the house and started to walk across the ground. It happened that work was in progress on a new well, of which the doctor knew nothing until he found himself sinking into the earth. He fell just far enough to be unable to get out of the hole unassisted and lustily yelled for help.

When he was finally pulled up the hired man remarked to him: "I say, doc, you had no business down there."

"No; I don't think I had," replied the doctor.

"Don't you know," continued the hired man, "you ought leave the well alone and take care of the sick?"—Lippincott's.

Inherited Dreams.

A medical scientist claims that many dreams are really hereditary—that is to say, they come down to us from ancestors. Many persons have a dream which they dream over and over again. This and some others that are frequent, according to the authority referred to, are inherited. The doctor observed, for instance, that a child of six years after an attack of typhoid fever saw in its slumber a figure clad in black, which advanced to the foot of the bed and fixed upon him its shining eyes. It was found that the father of the child had frequently dreamed that dream, although he had never mentioned it to his child. The grandfather dreamed the same dream, although he had told no one about it. Evidently there is more than our philosophy can fathom in "the stuff that dreams are made of."

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

See F. M. Peters adv on page 1.

Mrs. David Stoddard made a brief call on Miss Nichols on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Dopydy spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents.

A great deal of damage was done throughout the county in last Saturday's storm.

Miss Kate Brown is home from her school work in Chicago for the summer vacation.

Gersham Swarthout had a stroke of paralysis Tuesday night. He is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Sarah Brown and daughter Kate left this week for a three weeks outing at Bay View.

Mrs. Will Dunning and son Myron are visiting in Detroit and attending the Elks Convention.

Miss Alma Lovell of Detroit has been a guest at the home of F. D. Johnson the past week.

The Misses Ella Blair and Lola Moran are spending the week with Mrs. J. B. Buckley in Iosco.

Ralph Hess of Bowling Green, Ohio, is at the Sanitarium recovering from a serious surgical operation.

Mrs. Walter Snyder and daughter Eulalie of Horton are visiting the Green families here this week.

A letter was received by relatives here last week from Glendon Richards stating that he was in Alexandria, Egypt.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Brown and family of Lansing are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cadwell at Happy Thought cottage, Portage lake.

Miss Edna Bunker of Munith has returned to her home after a brief stay at the Sanitarium where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Rev. Fr. Comerford attended the Catholic convention in Detroit the past week. He reports a very interesting time although the hot weather lessened the pleasure.

Miss Florence Andrews, in running the auto into the garage recently, did not stop the machine quick enough, and went in so forceably as to break a leg—of the stove.

Mrs. O. W. Haze wishes to thank the many friends who so kindly remembered her birthday. 132 cards were received from six different states and also beautiful flowers from Pontiac and local friends.

Albert Dinkel, who was injured last winter in Detroit by falling on the ice and who has been spending the past two months with relatives here, was able to return to Detroit Tuesday and resume his position on the street car line.

A little three year old child of Albin Pfau, Supervisor of Iosco, got hold of a bottle of carbolic acid last week and a hurry call over the phone for Dr. Sigler was made, who told them to give him some alcohol immediately. The result was that when the doctor arrived, the child was out of danger.

Cherries and other fruit wanted at this office.

Michael Roche had his silo damaged in the storm last Saturday.

F. L. Andrews writes that he is enjoying the fat of the land in the mountains in northeast Georgia.

One of the prettiest cars seen on the streets since the preparations for the Elks convention at Detroit began appeared Saturday. It was a handsomely decorated Catercar and was tendered the use of the officials during the convention by George Reason, branch manager of the Catercar company. During the Elks week it will be an official car. The entire car is painted in a beautiful shade of purple and is trimmed with white. The upholstery and cushions are all pure white leather tufted with purple buttons and fastened with purple headed tassels.

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Long Coil Door Springs 5c
Sliding Window Screens, 25c, 30c
New Hammocks and Croquet Sets
Fine Grade Gents White Foot Socks, 10c pair
20 per cent reduction on Express Wagons this month
Japanese Silk Fans 5c, 10c
Good Talcum Powder, 10c bottle
Blue and White Preserve Kettles, 13c to 75c
Janet Enameled Ware, guaranteed, all sizes
Picnic Napkins, decorated, 5c doz
Tin Picnic Cups, 1c
Wood Picnic Plates 8c doz
Heavy Teaspoons, trimmed, 10c set
Horse Muzzles, 5c
Moth Balls, 5c a box

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