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Enameled Dish Pans, each **33c**

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TUESDAY, at the GRAND TRUNK Ry., PINCKNEY

We will be at the Grand Trunk freight house every Tuesday morning, until further notice, to take in produce.

We will pay for next Tuesday's delivery

16 cts per lb. for Broilers, live weight, averaging 2 pounds
Fowls 11 cts Fresh candled Eggs 17 cts

Farmers, give us a share of your patronage. Encourage competition—it is always to your advantage.

E. G. Lambertson, Agt.

For H. L. WILLIAMS, Howell, Mich.

...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

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. W. B. Darrow has been very ill.

Bert Gibson of Jackson spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Gertrude Snyder of Howell was a guest of Mrs. Geo. Green over Sunday.

Assessment No. 253 Modern Woodmen due July 30. Neighbors give this attention.

LeRoy Lewis, expert Ann Arbor optical specialist, will be at parlors of hotel next Monday.

Robert Burns and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Parsons and little son Wilber of Jackson visited at G. D. Blands recently.

Rolland and Leonor Neynaber of Detroit are visiting at the home of Will Dunning and other relatives and friends here.

Townsend Coming.

Hon. Charles E. Townsend, candidate for U. S. senator, will make an automobile trip through Livingston county Monday July 25. Mr. Townsend is well and favorably known in this county and he will be glad to meet all his friends. The meetings will be held in the open air and he will discuss some of the political problems of the day.

Monday July 25 is the day set for the trip and you will have a chance to hear him at the following places:

Arv. Gregory 8:50 a. m. Leave 9 a. m.
Arv. Anderson 9:15 a. m. Leave 9:25.
Arv. Pinckney 9:40 a. m. Leave 10 a. m.
Arv. Hamburg 10:30 a. m. Leave 10:45.
Arv. Brighton 11:15 a. m. Leave 1 p. m.
Arv. Hartland 2 p. m. Leave 2:15 p. m.
Arv. Oak Grove 3:15 p. m. Leave 3:20.
Arv. Fowlerville 4:15 p. m. Leave 5:15.
Arv. Howell 6:15. Evening meeting at 8 p. m.

L. O. T. M. M.

A large company of LOTMM met at the regular meeting last Saturday and after thoroughly discussing the new law and rating, some, especially the younger members, felt a little better in regard to the new law, while some of the charter members expect to withdraw from the endowment benefit. Some are still undecided but will continue until the first of January, 1911, members past fifty will have to decide before the assessment call in September.

No. Hamburg Church.

Last Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Ida Hull Taylor delivered a very interesting and instructive address to an audience of more than a hundred at the North Hamburg church. Her subject was "Korea and Koreans," and as her daughter is a missionary in that field, Mrs. Taylor was able to speak almost from the standpoint of personal observation. She also brought with her numerous Korean pictures, costumes, etc., which proved very interesting.

Several missionary songs were rendered by the choir and Miss Kice favored the audience with an appropriate vocal selection.

Next Sunday the services will be conducted at the usual hour by Rev. Smith of Brighton. Everyone cordially invited.

Dr. Walter Snyder of Horton visited at A. B. Greens the past week.

Frank Peters has moved into the Campbell house on Unadilla street.

Chas. Teeple and Geo. Green with their families are camping at Portage.

Geo. Sykes came up from Detroit last week to visit friends and enjoy a few days fishing.

The Misses Viola Peters and Fannie Swarthout visited at Perry Towles in Pontiac last week.

Assessment 168 KOTM due July 30. All members in arrears July 30 will be liable to suspension.

Miss Florence Andrews is visiting at the home of C. C. Cole in Flint. She will also visit in Detroit before returning home.

Mrs. G. W. Cuy wishes to thank the many friends for her on July 4th with beautiful cards. Their kindness will never be forgotten.

The new proprietor of the flouring mills, Mr. E. E. Hoyt, arrived here Monday with his goods and will soon be settled and ready for business. Mr. Hoyt comes highly recommended and we bespeak for him a liberal patronage.

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,
Village Treas



"FILLED"

Yes, many a prescription has been filled that has caused death to the patient.

Our Bottles contain only Pure Drugs

A prescription compounded here does the work the doctor intends.

Drugs Here Are Fresh.

Prices Uniformly Low.

F. A. SIGLER.

Geo. Reason Sr. has returned from Mt. Clemens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rane were up from Whitmore over Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Cope was the guest of friends in Detroit over Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Farrington is visiting her grandson, R. Burns of Jackson.

Misses Lillian and Lucy Glenn are visiting their grandmother in Albion.

Donald Carr of Detroit is spending a few weeks with his grandparents here.

Mrs. John Martin Sr. returned home from a visit with her daughter in Ypsilanti last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beurmann of Marion were guests at the home of Mrs. J. M. Kearney Monday.

The North Lake band will again entertain the Pinckney people with several selections next Saturday evening.

Ross Read went to Toledo Saturday for a few days visit with relatives. His wife and daughter returned with him.

Miss Clara Dunn who has been enjoying a trip around the lakes returned home last Saturday for the summer vacation.

E. G. Lambertson began work this week for H. L. Williams, poultry and produce dealer of Howell. Do not fail to read their adv for it may interest you.

The many friends of Mrs. Geo. Bland Sr. reminded her of her birthday with a shower of post cards, 158 in all. They are beautiful and of all styles and she wishes to thank them all for the same.

The seven month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Wright (nee Edith Wood) died of pneumonia following whooping cough. They have the sympathy of their many friends in their bereavement.

Mrs. Lyman Peck of Flint visited friends here the past week.

Mrs. F. L. Andrews visited at Glenbrook a couple of days last week.

Miss Pacie Hinchey was a guest of Miss Blanche Martin the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Parker spent the past week at the home of Harry Isham.

D. P. Hinchey of Perry has been spending the past week visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Carpenter of Scottsville, have been visiting at the home of his uncle, Aiden Carpenter, also at the home of Fred Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Whalian left Howell last Friday for Fingal, N. D., where he has a fine position as teacher in the public schools. A farewell reception was given them by their many friends in Howell.

For Quality For Price

BOWMAN'S

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.

Hosiery, Corsets, Summer Underwear, White Goods,

Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons and small wares in the Dry Goods line. :: ::

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Howe's Busy Store

Safe No Danger Cheap

OIL STOVES THAT WILL NOT SMOKE

SOLD ON 30 DAYS TRIAL

Detroit Vapor Gasoline
Detroit Vapor Oil

Jeepie Hardware Company

When in need of
**Staple or Fancy Groceries,
Baked Goods, Candies, Cigars,
Tobaccos, Ice Cream,
Soft Drinks, Phonographs and
Records**

kindly make me a call

Will pay Market Price for Butter and Eggs

Leo A. Monks

THE BOUDOIR

Dame Fashions' Diary

PANAMA FOR WOMEN

MOST DESIRABLE OF ALL HATS FOR WARM WEATHER.

Good Ones Now Within the Reach of All—How They Should Be Trimmed and Fastened.

Most beautiful of hats, the panama has grown to be the desire of all, masculine and feminine alike, for wear in the hottest of weather. Good Panamas are not so expensive as to be out of reach of people who are in moderate circumstances. The initial expense may be twice that of an ordinary straw hat, but the length of



life of a Panama makes it an extremely good investment.

For many generations this hat was woven in one shape by those natives of Latin America who have brought their handicraft to such perfection that all the world admires it. Then enterprising Americans who were heavy purchasers began asking for modifications of the shape and for hats woven for women especially. But the natives did not like to make a change. Their success has been built up on the old original shapes made by their fathers and they could see no good reason for changing, making new ones. Perhaps they were right, but finally they were persuaded to weave hats designed for women and we now have the Panama in sallo shapes with softly rolling or droopy brims and crowns of various forms.

To trim the Panama seems like painting the lily and adorning the rose. A band or scarf is quite enough to add to these exquisite hats. It is all they carry when quite new. But, after two or three seasons' wear, trimming helps out in concealing defects or in modifying or even concealing a crown which may look out of date. The advantage of the Panama of the



original type is that it does not get out of date.

The brims of the Panama hats are so flexible that they may be turned up or down at any point. When turned down all around, the hat is improved by a full scarf or other trimming as shown in the pictures.

The owner of a Panama may be sure it will stand a lot of wear, but not abuse. Hat pins should not be used with them. Hat fasteners, sewed to the head band inside, fasten them more securely and save the fibers from being broken by the pin point. The new pins with guide for the point may be used, but it seems almost a

crime to thrust a pin through so fine a piece of weaving, even at a single place.

SCARFS OF PRINTED CHIFFON

Wide Material Should Be Shirred Across and the Whole Lined With Soft, Thin Silk.

Charming scarfs that will be a real protection can be made from wide printed chiffon, and from three to four yards are necessary. In making the material should be shirred across the width in groups of pin tucks until the goods is only half its width. These groups are set in at intervals, leaving flowing ends.

Then the whole is lined with a soft, thin silk, the latter frilled to underlie the ends of the scarf.

The edges should be finished with marabou. Though of fragile materials, the construction of them results in a really practical and fairly substantial accessory.

A new and attractive idea in many instances is the addition of braid or a fold to all edges of a coat that forms part of a suit fashioned from white serge displaying a colored pin stripe. Often a suit of such material is apt to lack character, and this the coat edging supplies.

The color of the braid or fold is, of course, chosen to match the stripe in the serge.

In the case of the suit being worn by a short or stout woman, it will be better to omit the trimming, using something definite in color for deep collar and cuffs instead for relief.

GOOD THING FOR WORK-BOX

Useful Tray That Will Hold the Things Often Needed and Always Seeming to Be Out of Sight.

The useful tray shown in our sketch can be made to fit any work-box or basket, and it is for holding those things which, when placed loose in a work-basket, always seem to disappear at the moment they are required. A piece of stout cardboard should



be cut to fit just inside the top of the basket, and this is covered on both sides with silk and finished off at the edge with a fine silk cord.

A strap is sewn across the center under which scissors, bodkin, knitting needles, etc., may be slipped and held in their places, and on the left-hand side there is a small loop of elastic for the thumb. On either side of the tray a loop of ribbon is sewn so that the tray may be easily lifted from the basket when those things which may be underneath it are required.

Sheer Linings. Linings, when they are used at all, as beneath the soft, sheer afternoon and evening gowns, are still the thinnest possible mousseline—that crisp silk muslin, which is not chiffon, but equally sheer.

The lining is closely fitted, but with an ample allowance for all those places where the wear is heaviest. In other words, it is a fit, but not a tight one, and it is completed before the outer materials are draped upon it, or else the underarm seam alone is left basted until the outer material is draped and sewed with it.

Keep Laces Dry. Wonderful ecclesiastical laces have been ruined by being kept in damp places, and to their sacrifice is due the effort to handle elegant laces with greater care.

A dry closet or drawer or chest and a padded pasteboard roll with tissue paper between the layers are the valuable suggestions from a French lace restorer.

DESSERTS FROM PINEAPPLE

Fritters, Souffle, Cream and Log Cabin Are Four Dainty Dishes Made From This Appetizing Fruit.

Pineapple Fritters.—Make a batter with one egg, beaten separately. To the yolk add one-half cup of milk, pinch of salt and enough flour to make a stiff batter, the beaten white and one-half teaspoon of baking powder. Open a can of the best sliced pineapple. Cut each slice of pineapple in two, dip in the batter and fry in hot lard. Drain, sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve. Fresh fruit is much nicer if obtainable than the canned.

Pineapple Souffle.—Melt two ounces of butter in a stewpan, put in three ounces of fine flour, mix with half pint of milk, boil until it thickens; have ready three ounces of pineapple cut small, the same quantity of sugar; put with the cooked mixture, add one by one the yolks of three eggs, then the whites beaten to a stiff froth; make a sauce with one cup of pineapple juice, half cupful of cut pineapple. Cook the pudding three-quarters of an hour.

Pineapple Cream.—Select one ripe pineapple, pare, remove the "eyes," grate, add sugar (pound for pound, or a little less, but it must be sweet, as freezing destroys some of the effects of the sugar.) Allow one pint of cream to each pint of pulp and sugar, and freeze. Be sure and have all the ingredients icy cold before combining them.

Pineapple Log Cabin.—Select a large ripe pineapple, pare, eye and cut into slices about a fourth of an inch thick. Cut these across into half-inch strips. Sprinkle thickly with sugar and set in a cold place until time to serve. Then carefully drain off the sirup and arrange the strips six deep in log cabin fashion on small china plates. Sprinkle each strip with powdered sugar and freshly grated coconut. Fill the center with fine ripe red raspberries and pour over them the sirup which has been drained from the pineapple.

To Roast a Leg of Veal.

Wash well and have leg of veal boned and filled with stuffing. Take a deep iron kettle and put layers of sliced onion, carrots and turnips; add one teaspoonful of salt, four round peppers, four cloves, four bay leaves, and on this lay the meat and put three slices of salt pork on the meat and put wooden toothpicks to hold them in place; then add one pint of water, cover the kettle tight and put in a hot oven for three hours. When done, take out the roast and put on a platter with the vegetables around. Serve strained gravy separately.

Stuffing for Roast.—Three cupfuls stale bread crumbs, two onions chopped fine, one teaspoonful salt, one-half teaspoonful of white pepper, two tablespoonfuls chopped parsley and one-half cupful melted butter.

Breakfast in the Bedroom.

The summer hostess considers carefully the question of the breakfast tray: for there are many guests whose custom it is to partake of this meal in bed, or at least in their own rooms. In the ease of dressing gown and informal coiffure, and a dainty means of serving this bedroom breakfast must be provided beforehand. In a large country house two footmen are usually kept busy from eight o'clock until ten in the morning, carrying breakfast trays about, and special china is usually supplied for these trays—rather small cups and dainty cream, sugar and coffee receptacles in individual size.

Sagging Cane Seats.

If the seats of cane chairs sag, turn them upside down, wash well with soapy water, soaking so as to thoroughly wet them. In drying they will stiffen almost to their normal state. It is well to begin this treatment before the seats have sagged badly, and if kept up the chairs will wear a long time.

French Beef Stew.

Two and one-half pounds beef cut from the round, one-fourth pound suet, four onions and one can tomatoes. Cut steak and suet into small thick pieces. Cook slowly. When about half done, add onions and tomatoes. Season with one tablespoonful sugar (if tomatoes are quite acid). One teaspoonful salt and one-half teaspoonful each of cloves, cinnamon and red pepper. Before taking from fire, thicken with one tablespoonful of flour rubbed smooth with water. Serve on thick slices of well-buttered toast.

Rubber Hint.

The ladies all know how tiresome it is to wear rubbers around in the stores while shopping on a rainy day. To overcome this pin two safety pins to the underside of petticoat in the back convenient to the bottom to fasten them to while in the stores and they will avoid a great deal of weariness.

An Ostrichman.

The South African government employs a veterinarian to study the diseases of ostriches.

MANY TASTY DISHES

RECIPES WHICH WILL BE RELISHED BY JADED APPETITES.

Delicious Dinner Salad, Chantilly Tarts With Fresh Strawberries—How to Prepare Boiled Lettuce and Other Hints to the Cook.

Dinner Salad.—For a dinner salad shred a small head of cabbage and let it stand in ice water for an hour or two. Just before it is to be served drain and dry it, mix it with very finely cut white celery—enough to give it a celery flavor—and toss it thoroughly in the following dressing: Rub a bowl with the cut side of a piece of garlic, put in a salt spoonful of salt, a dash of pepper, a drop of tabasco sauce and six tablespoonfuls of olive oil. When the ingredients are blended add a tablespoonful of tarragon vinegar and emulsify.

Boiled Lettuce.—Boiled lettuce is little known to the average housekeeper, but it has many friends among Europeans. The heads should be cleaned, washed and tied so that the leaves will be close together. Put the lettuce heads in a large saucepan in which they will be apart and cook them in boiling salted water until tender. Lift them carefully from the pan, drain them and press free of water. Put them in a circle on a round dish and cover with a sauce made of melted butter seasoned with salt, pepper and a little vinegar. Or it may be served with cream sauce.

Home Made Bonbons.—Colored bonbons, home made, are served with tea instead of cube sugar. They are usually flavored with lemon. Tea with lemon clears the complexion. For exhaustion tea should be drunk clear and sipped very slowly.

Stuffed White Cherries.—White cherries stuffed with cream cheese and served in lettuce leaves with mayonnaise are delicious for the salad course, but are not recommended for the family where there is "one maid and six small children."

Chantilly Tarts.—Chantilly tarts are excellent made with fresh strawberries. The shells are made of puff paste. The strawberries should be sweetened and allowed to stand in the sunshine for fifteen or twenty minutes. Both the strawberries and the shells should then be set on the ice and when cold put together and the berries covered with a rosette of whipped cream.

A Fireless Cooker.—A new fireless cooker, made of heavy tinned copper, with heavy sheet aluminum kettles, claims many merits because of its materials and insulation. With the cooker goes a pamphlet giving the time required for cooking the various cereals, meats, fish, fruits, vegetables and desserts.

Cake for Children.—Cakes that the children are "crazy about" call for a cupful of sugar, a cupful of rolled oats and an egg beaten with the sugar. At the last stir in a handful of stoned raisins and vanilla and drop on greased pans by the teaspoonfuls. Bake in a slow oven.

Strawberry Sponge.—Strawberry sponge is made as follows: Soak half a box of gelatine in a cup and a half of cold water. Add a cupful of sugar and when the jelly is cold, but before it begins to thicken, stir in a pint of strawberries that have been mashed and rubbed through a sieve. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs and when the mixture is thoroughly blended turn into one large or several small individual molds and place on the ice. Serve with cream.

Almond Cake Filling.—For almond cake filling beat the whites of two eggs stiff and whip into them a cupful and three-quarters of powdered sugar. Add half a pound of almonds that have been blanched and mortared to a paste with a little sugar and flavor lightly with vanilla. The frosting should be beaten very thoroughly after the nuts go in.

Mint Jelly.

Mint jelly with lamb is a pleasant substitute for the usual mint sauce. Wash a handful of mint leaves and boil in a pint of water, a cupful of vinegar and a cupful of granulated sugar until the flavor has been extracted; add one-fourth teaspoon each of salt and paprika and one-fourth package of gelatine that has been standing for some time in cold water. Pour into small molds to harden or use a large mold and cut into small cubes when ready to serve.

Spiced Beef.

Five pounds of the shank boiled five hours with celery seed to taste; when boiled, drain off the gelatine and chop meat very fine. If you have not got a food chopper, add pepper and salt to taste, then put into a cloth on a platter, cover it with the cloth and press it.

The Philosopher of Folly.

"A chaffing dish party," says the Philosopher of Folly, "is a good deal like a souse party, only you send for the doctor instead of the police."

MORE PINKHAM CURES

Added to the Long List due to This Famous Remedy.

Oronogo, Mo.—"I was simply a nervous wreck. I could not walk across the floor without my heart fluttering and I could not even receive a letter. Every month I had such a bearing down sensation, as if the lower parts would fall out. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done my nerves a great deal of good and has also relieved the bearing down. I recommended it to some friends and two of them have been greatly benefited by it."—Mrs. MAE McKINNEY, Oronogo, Mo.

Another Grateful Woman. St. Louis, Mo.—"I was bothered terribly with a female weakness and had backache, bearing down pains and pains in lower parts. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound regularly and used the Sensitive Wash and now I have no more troubles that way."—Mrs. AL. HERRICK, 822 Prescott Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ill, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pain, backache, that bearing-down feeling, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result is worth millions to many suffering women.

Incorruptible.

The lady of the house hesitated. "Are my answers all right?" she asked.

"Yes, madam," replied the census man.

"Didn't bother you a bit, did it?"

"No, madam."

"Feel under some obligations to me, don't you?"

"Yes, madam."

"Then, perhaps you won't mind telling me how old the woman next door claims to be?"

"Good day, madam," said the census man.

Didn't Care for Expenses.

They were seated at the breakfast table.

"John, dear," said the young wife, "this is my birthday."

"I'm glad you mentioned it, darling," rejoined her husband. "I'll buy you a present the first thing when I get downtown."

"Well," she said, "I hope you won't get any cheap 98-cent affair."

"Of course I won't," he replied.

"Why, I would be ashamed to present you with anything that cost less than a dollar."

Refinement of Assurance.

Busy Business Man (rately)—Sir, I didn't ask you to sit down!

Persistent Salesman (settling back comfortably)—That's all right—no apology is necessary. I knew it was only an oversight.—Harper's Weekly.

Don't try to get to heaven—that is selfish. Try to make a heaven of this earth for others, and you'll get there with both faith and work.

A Dream of Ease—

Post Toasties

NO COOKING!

An economical hot weather luxury—food that pleases and satisfies at any meal. So good you'll want more.

Served right from the package with cream or milk. Especially pleasing with fresh berries.

"The Memory Lingers"

Figs. 10c and 15c

Sold by Grocers

Postum Cereal Co., Limited

Battle Creek, Mich.

FARM GARDEN

CREATE LOVE FOR THE FARM

Farmers' Co-Operative Demonstration Work Has Solved Problems of Agricultural Life.

(By S. A. KNAPP.)
One of the greatest problems before the American people has been how to interest in rural life and attach to the farm the young man who has acquired a capacity for leadership. The loss of rural leaders by emigration to the city has been one of the most serious retrogressive factors in our whole civilization. The Farmers' Co-operative demonstration work has solved the problem. These young men left the farm because they were repelled by the hardships, excessive toil, and meager gains on the farm and were allured by a seemingly greater opportunity to acquire wealth, influence and position in the city. The demonstration work undertakes to create in the schoolboy a love of the farm and a new hope by showing the wonderful possibilities of the soil when properly managed and the ease with which wealth and distinction are achieved in rural life when science and art join hands. This is worked out by the co-operation of the demonstration workers, the county superintendent of public instruction, and the teachers.

The superintendent and teachers organize the schoolboys over ten years of age into clubs; the demonstration work furnishes the plan of organization and the instructions (which the boys agree to observe); the respective parents furnish land, teams and implements; the merchants and bankers provide the prizes, and the local papers give the publicity. Each boy must personally work one acre under the same regulations governing all other contestants. The result of 300 to 400 boys entering such a contest in a county arouses intense interest. The boy learns the best way to raise corn or cotton and his appreciation of the farm is greatly enhanced.

The boys in the corn contest of one county in Mississippi last year averaged a production of 74 bushels of corn per acre, while the farmers averaged less than 20. In South Carolina one boy raised 152 1/2 bushels on a measured acre, while the state average was 16.

PLANS FOR COUNTRY HOUSE

Outline of Residence Well Laid Out for Convenience and Economy of Space and Neatness.

(By J. C. SHAWVER.)
This beautiful residence is equally adaptable to country or city. It is large and well laid out for convenience and economy of space inside and neat and attractive outside.

There are 10 rooms: The reception room is 12x16 feet, the dining-room



Front View.

16x16 feet is connected with the parlor by a grille. The kitchen is 12x12 with a pantry 8x12 feet. The bedroom downstairs is 10x16 feet, with a closet under the stairs. The parlor is

To Get Rid of Ants.

To rid your garden of ants effectually, you must first find the location of the nests. They can then be easily destroyed by benzoin, gasoline, bisulphide of carbon or boiling water.

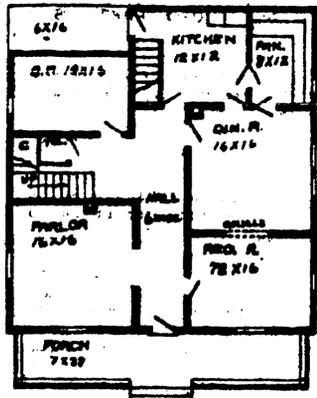
The large ants which sometimes make their nests above the surface of the grass on the lawn should be destroyed by bisulphide of carbon. Punch a number of holes in the nests and pour a teaspoonful of carbon down each hole. Throw a dark blanket over the holes for a few moments, then remove it and explode the carbon by means of a light at the end of a pole. The slight explosions drive the fumes down through the underground tunnels and destroy the ants.

Care of Cucumbers.

Cucumbers for pickling may be planted as late as the middle of July. Bordeaux mixture three ounces to a gallon of water is an effective remedy for the yellow-striped beetle which attacks cucumbers, melons and squashes in the early summer, and is also the preventive for blight.

If you have only a few vines the

16x16 feet. All of these rooms open off the main hall and a telephone booth is also provided in the hall, un-

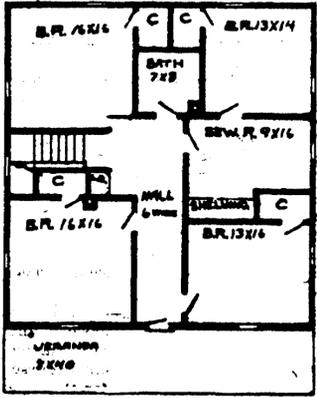


First Floor.

der the stairway, which is open with newel posts and railing.

Access to the basement is made by way of a stairway leading down from the kitchen.

Upstairs are four large bedrooms, bath and sewing rooms, with ample



Second Story.

closets provided for all. There is also a linen closet in the hall.

FARM NOTES

There is one sure way of preventing large weeds from growing in the garden—kill all the small ones.

White onions are very much better keepers than the yellow variety, although the latter grow larger.

The best garden-seed are not always found in the packages on which are found the prettiest pictures.

It is best to sow grass seed with a drill on light sandy or sandy loam soils, as it is less likely to dry out in dry seasons.

Arsenate of lead will not destroy the black squash-bug and other sucking insects. They must be picked off by hand and squashed.

The extensive root systems of grass crops, especially clovers, open up the subsoil, increase the supply of humus and are of great value to the soil.

Coal-ashes contain no fertilizing value and our experience is that they only serve to pack the soil instead of making it friable. Wood ashes are different.

The average wheat yield of America is only about 14 bushel to the acre while in England the land that has been farmed for hundreds of years averages about 30 bushels.

In the mild climates lettuce may be set out in the fall in beds protected by glass or cloth and this delicious vegetable may be had through most of the winter months.

If other remedies fail, spray the cucumber-vines with arsenate of lead. It destroys the yellow-striped beetle, which is the most dangerous enemy of the cucumber, and requires the most vigilant watching.

bugs may be brushed into a shallow pan and at once transferred to a pail of water containing a tablespoonful of kerosene, which finishes them. This can only be done very early in the morning or after sundown. They are very active during sunshine, but semi-dormant in the early hours of the day.

Value of Drainage.

Drainage prevents loss of crops and labor from stagnant water; permits air to circulate more freely through the soil, carrying with it fertilizing properties, making a warmer soil that can be cultivated early, for dry soil works easier than wet, roots go down deeper in it and get a greater supply of plant food and more moisture in a dry season. Drainage also prevents baking and cracking.

Neatness in Garden.

Too much stress cannot be laid upon neatness in the garden. If faded flowers and fallen leaves are allowed to accumulate the charm that should characterize it is gone, and no amount of bloom can make up for the lack of care which is thus made manifest.

HE LIVED IN THE CITY.



Papa—Why can't we see the moon in the daytime?
Jimmie—Cause they don't light it up until after dark.

WEAK KIDNEYS WEAKEN THE WHOLE BODY.

No chain is stronger than its weakest link. No man is stronger than his kidneys. Overwork, colds, strains, etc., weaken the kidneys and the whole body suffers. Don't neglect the slightest kidney ailment. Begin using



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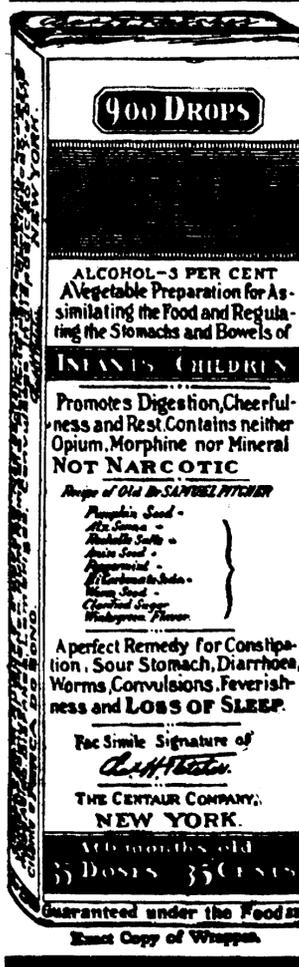
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The colonel is going to pick a man for governor of New York. This looks like a little matter that ought to be left to the plain people.

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A German professor says that man is descended from four varieties of apes, and some we know of haven't improved on the varieties very much either.

In response to a petition with the signatures of 50,000 voters attached to it, the Democratic executive committee of Texas, has decided to submit at the coming state primary election the proposition as to whether or not the legislature shall submit to the voters a state-wide prohibition amendment to the constitution.

Those Pies of Boyhood.

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A Hard Question.

Bobby—What was the hardest question the teacher asked you today?
Johnny—She asked me whether I'd rather be licked with a ruler or a strap.
—Chicago News.

County Newspapers.

It occurred to us last week as we ran over our forty or fifty exchanges, to note the moral tone of them. These papers are of all sizes and grades, from every variety of town, and are edited by practical men who are pretty well acquainted with the world, the flesh and the devil. In not one of them did we find a semblance of defence for whiskey. In not one of them was there a trace of vulgarity, and none taught or justified dishonesty. Neither could we find a sneer at purity, religion or at the better things of life. In many of them were bits of excellent advice, little homely sermons on temperance, frugality and industry. All of them were loyal to the home town, and advocated honest principles in government and individuals. Wherever there was mention of the public schools it was in terms of praise. To be sure here and there was some fun poked at glams, some scorn at pretense. But the note in every one of these two score papers was for decency, progress, enlightenment, morality. And of these editors, we know many of them personally, and of all those we know not one is a drinking man, not one is a gambler, not one is a libertine. Most of them are well read, most of them good judges of people and events. A pretty decent lot they are; in fact we doubt if any other profession can offer a higher—or even as high a—showing. Besides all this the country editor is proverbially liberal, free hearted in every way. No stray printer goes away hungry if he has a quarter. No public subscription list ever passes him without his mite. He gives freely of time and space to the public welfare. This is not an effort to throw a bouquet at our contemporaries, but, with Paul, we believe every man should manify his calling, and we are proud of ours.—Press and Printer.

An unusual degree of publicity has been given to the fact that the proprietor of a little bakery business at Coldwater has filed a petition in bankruptcy. It has been heralded that local option was the cause of the bakery's failure. The total amount involved in the bakery business was but a few hundred dollars, according to the statements of liabilities made, hardly more than has been spent for whiskey and beer in Coldwater in some single days of the saloon period there. And the closing up of the saloons has decreased the demand for food in Coldwater, has it, and lessened the ability of families to buy bread? Such a statement carries with it its own denial too clearly to need any added comment. It has been noted in other local option cities that legitimate bakeries have most thrived through the closing of the saloons and that of the money saved from the hands of the barkeeper much of it goes to the baker and the grocer and the butcher. It was not the closing of the saloons that disturbed the little bakery at Coldwater. The more that incident is inquired into the less use will be made of it in opposition to local option.

Hopeless.

Lawyer—You don't like the jury?
Defendant—I do not. No. 1 is my tailor, No. 3 is my grocer, No. 5 is my milk and egg dealer and No. 7 is my wife's first husband. What chance have I got?—St. Paul Dispatch.

Expressed Differently.

"Madam, you ought to go to a warmer climate."
"For once, doctor, you and my husband are agreed, but he expresses the idea in more emphatic language."
—New York Press.

Claims to Be Paid.

The outcome of the special meeting of the Livingston County Mutual Fire Insurance Co., which was called last Saturday at Howell, resulted in a unanimous vote to pay the claims of the Major and Ryan losses.

In both cases the property was owned in joint by husband and wife and insured in the name of the husband. After the death of the husbands, the widows continued to pay assessments until the losses occurred. Their names not appearing on the policies or company rolls, the directors could not pay and the company is not legally liable.

After a lengthy discussion favoring payment a motion was made that the officers pay these claims out of the funds on hand, and not a dissenting vote was given. The only point raised was the legality of the payment. It now stands the policy holders in the insurance company in hand to see that their policies are made out jointly.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

A few took in the Buffalo Bill show at Jackson last week.

The cooler weather is a relief but we would like about 48 hours of steady rain.

Born to Dr. Norman Wilson and wife of Manchester, Iowa, a daughter July 18.

The dates for the home coming at Howell are set for August 31 and September 1st.

If a man comes begging to you, claiming to have operators paralysis, just tie the dog loose.

Pinckney gardens are doomed—rain in all directions but never a drop here. Six miles northwest complaint of two much rain.

A young lad by the name of Freeman of Ann Arbor accidentally shot himself through the fleshy part of his arm at Lakeland last week.

If a merchant wants business he will advertise for it; if not, he has no kick coming is another merchant goes after his trade by advertising.

Frank Newman, mail carrier, started to make his first trip with his auto last Thursday, but got as far as Petyville when the thing balked. He phoned for a rig to come and get him and the auto was hauled in later.

The electric road is now practically an assured thing. The promoters announce that the route is decided upon. It will come out Warren ave. from Detroit, taking in Plymouth, Northville and South Lyon, thence on to Lansing via Howell and Fowlerville.

Harvey Brockway and Antony Sculley went out to Mr. Sculley's farm a few days ago to do some haying. When they went to eat their dinner they found that a young skunk had beaten them there and was settled nicely in the dinner pail. They didn't even eat what the skunk had left.—Tidings.

Geo. W. Sykes of Detroit and Ed. T. Kearney of Jackson, Neb., accompanied by John Teeple and Edytha Kearney spent a day fishing at Silver lake last week. The (tails) of fish which they brought back with them would cover a page of the Dispatch, but we forbear. Ed of course let a 14 pounder (or less) get away, but several would weigh a pound which George brought home. We can prove they caught the fish for we enjoyed a meal out of the catch.

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.

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Don't fail to come to town Saturday night—the North Lake band will entertain you.

South Lyon Citizens met last week and organized a fire department. A good thing for any town to have.

We are still of the same mind that vehicles drawn by horses should carry a light at night as well as an auto.

Howell school board has raised the high school rates of tuition from \$16 to \$20 and Brighton from \$14 to \$15.

Several grown people, who could, borrowed children and attended the Sun Bros. show at Howell last Friday.

Frank Crandall of Howell is being suggested for the nomination of Representative to the State Legislature on the Republican ticket.

The new municipal building which is being erected in New York will cost \$10,000,000. The foundation extends to the maximum depth of 144 feet which is the deepest in the world. A new subway is to be built that will run underneath the mammoth structure.

No Satisfying Her.

"Women are hard to understand."
"Think so?"
"Yes; I told her she carried her age well, and she was offended."
"You don't say?"
"Yes, and then I told her she didn't carry it well, and she wouldn't speak."
—Philadelphia Record.

Misnamed.

Wife—I say, do you know the girl in the flat above us won a piano at the charity bazaar lottery yesterday?
Husband—A piano? Great Scott! And that's what they call a charity bazaar!—Meggendorfer Blatter.

Ever Faithful.

"He's always wanting to borrow money from me."
"A fair weather friend merely?"
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—Pittsburg Post.



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Ringling Bros. Worlds Greatest Show to be there on Tuesday Aug. 2.

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This will be the only opportunity this year of seeing the best of all circus entertainments. This is the show that amazed New York City with its extensive new menagerie. Its parade is the longest and most superb spectacle that ever passed thru the streets of any city on earth. On April 3, 1888, the five brothers gave their first performance in their home town, Baraboo, Wis., on the public square. They made their own tent and their own ring properties. The audience sat on planks borrowed from a lumber yard. They had but one horse. From that little one ring affair to their stupendous organization the history of the Ringling Brothers reads like a fairy tale. They began with nothing. They now own the greatest amusement enterprise in all history.

The reason of their success is no secret. It is a peculiar combination of the right kind of talent and a policy of uprightness in dealing with the public. Even during its early days it was a good show. It was small but it was an earnest endeavor. Without capital the five young men struggled against the bitterest opposition. They won the confidence of the public and have always deserved it. A very few years after that first performance their rivals began to sit up and take serious notice when mention of the Ringling brothers was made. They realized they had an opposing force to compete with that had come to stay. In a few years more the Ringling show took first place among the tent shows of America. There is where it will always stay. It has become the leader in the art of entertainment.

Among the many European features offered this year are the Schuman horses from the Circus Schuman at Berlin, Scheveningen and Frankfurt. Albert Schuman, a trainer of horses, is the most wonderful man in history. He has made ten millions of dollars exhibiting the animals he has trained. Tourists travel many miles out of their way to visit his institutions in Germany. There are fifteen animals in his act. They enter the arena concealed in large beer barrels piled on an immense brewery wagon. They are not discovered by the audience until they kick the heads out of the barrels and jump into the ring. They begin their act by pulling the hungs from kegs, drawing a beer-like fluid from the tap and drinking it from big glasses. They roll each other around in barrels. They waltz in time to music. They scip the rope and smoke pipes. From the beginning to the end of their act they remain standing on their hind feet.

Another great act is presented by the Saxon trio of the worlds strongest men. Two of them form the pillars of a bridge over which passes an automobile with six passengers. Still other novel and great acts are presented by the Lorch family of acrobats from Germany,—the great Alexis family of serialists, Robledo, the Spanish wizard of the wire, the Dutton family of riders, and the greatest company of clowns in the world. The new parade is a marvel of beauty. The new menagerie is a complete collection of animals.

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Which Parish?

By HELOISE BROGTON

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The farm of Jules Stubeaux was located on the intersection of two lines marking boundary intersections. Indeed, there was a point where he could stand on a corner of four parishes. Jules was a sly dog and if pressed by the bailiff to pay for things he had bought from the stores in the village near by would keep them in a state of uncertainty as to which parish had jurisdiction in his case. He knew them all and knew which parish to stand on to avoid arrest when he saw one of them coming for the purpose.

His daughter, Anita, was a very pretty girl of eighteen whose short peasant skirt displayed a well turned ankle and whose black eye was full of mischief. Her father employed a farm hand during the harvesting, and Anita got all the fun she desired by coquetting with this person till the harvest was over and he went elsewhere, when she would tell him that she was very sorry, but she could not possibly love him well enough to marry him. This was very amusing to Anita and very hard on the farm hand.

One day just as the harvest was commencing a fine looking young fellow, Antoine Perrine, came along and was hired, as usual, by the farmer. Anita surveyed him from a window while he was talking near the barn with her father and thought that she would have a better time flirting with him than any one she had ever tackled. So the next day, when Antoine was mowing, she went out to him with a biscuit and a glass of wine for his refreshment. She saw at once by the way he looked at her that she had impressed him, and after sympathizing with him for being obliged to work in the hot sun she went back to the house very much pleased with herself and him.

Antoine was no fool. He had heard of the coquetry of the farmer's pretty daughter and, furthermore, that when she married she would have a very snug dot. Indeed, he was the son of a well to do former living some twenty leagues away and had hired himself out with the especial design of winning her in order to take revenge upon her for the damage she had done his fellow men. Nevertheless when he saw her he thought he would like to win her for keeps.

The affair went through the usual course. At the close of the harvest season Antoine declared his love, and Anita replied in the usual way. Antoine accepted her refusal and departed. He had no sooner gone than the girl discovered that this was a very different affair from any of the others and that she had been caught in her own trap. But unfortunately she did not discover this till Antoine had gone. That night she wept bitter tears, because even if she were not too proud to call him back she had no means of doing so, for she did not know whither he had gone.

The next morning while dressing she looked out of her window and was horrified to see the body of a man hanging from a tree that stood alone near the intersecting lines of the four parishes. Dressing herself, she ran out to the tree, but before she got there a man who was passing stopped and looked up at the body. When Anita came up she fainted. The suicide was Antoine.

When she came to herself the stranger was administering to her necessities.

"Cut him down!" she cried in agony. "No, mademoiselle. To do that might lead to serious complications. I have sent a boy to report the fact to the local guard. There he comes now." The local guard came hurrying up to the tree, which was rapidly being surrounded by a crowd of people. He felt of the body and, finding it warm, said:

"He may be alive."

"Cut him down quick!" again cried Anita.

"If I mistake not," said the guard, "at this point four parishes join. I do not think the suicide is in my parish. I will inform the special guard of the parish in which he hangs."

He went away for the purpose, and Anita implored those standing about to take down the suicide in order that if he were not dead he might be resuscitated. But no one would take the responsibility from the shoulders of the authorities. Since she was a girl and had no means of doing the work she was obliged to wait for the special guard of the proper parish. After awhile he came hurrying along with the man who had summoned him. The two got out a map and began a spirited discussion as to which parish had a legal right to attend to the matter. At last they arrived at the conclusion that the tree was in one parish and the man was hanging over the other. This led to a further discussion as to which of the two parishes had jurisdiction.

The disputants finally decided that they were entirely wrong as to their position and that both tree and body were in a parish the guard of which had not been summoned.

At this point the corpse gave a kick. The crowd started back. Then the corpse put his hand in his pocket, pulled out a knife and, reaching up, cut the rope just above his head and dropped to the ground. The rope had been passed beneath his coat under his arms.

Anita on seeing that she had been tricked flew away to the house, but he followed her, and they were soon clasped in a lovers' embrace.

He Contributed.

Missionary—Do you ever contribute money for the heathen in foreign lands, sir? Millionaire—Oh, yes. Both my daughters married foreign noblemen.

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PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN

MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE.

The question of divorces has been under careful consideration for many centuries. The Pharisees tempted Christ by asking his judgment on the Mosaic law of divorce, and received an answer direct and fundamental. It has been a serious, a continuous, a vexatious question from time immemorial, says Newark News. All governments, clerical and civil, have tried to settle it and have failed. Our own government and each of the states and all the courts have for many years been trying to establish uniform divorce laws, and to discourage divorces, as much as possible. Yet they are increasing instead of diminishing. A few denominations will not tolerate divorces, but the civil laws recognize them. From the point of view of the latter the innocent party to divorce proceedings is guilty of no offense, ought not to be held in dishonor and should be permitted to marry again. It is the abuse of the divorce laws by immoral, unconscionable, undesirable citizens that has brought the most serious dishonor upon the dissolution of the marriage contract. The Reformed synod's attitude with reference to innocent parties in necessary divorce proceedings accords with general public sentiment. What should be done to the guilty ones is yet under discussion.

The bill advocated by the Audubon societies of the state of New York, forbidding the sale within this state of the plumage of any wild bird which is protected within New York, has passed the legislature and is awaiting the governor's signature. We trust it will receive his approval, says Rochester Herald. For many years the Audubon societies have labored unceasingly to educate the people of this state to the economic as well as the sentimental value of wild bird life. Their progress has been very slow. The rural communities of the state, even the fruit-raising sections of western New York, have been afflicted with almost incredible ignorance of the usefulness of birds. Farmers' boys often rob birds' nests of their eggs, and amuse themselves by aiming their newly acquired firearms at birds of every kind. It is seldom that a word of censure is heard from the male parent, whose property the young mischief-maker is hastening to destroy.

A porous plaster worth \$50 is something of a novelty in the curative agency line. A druggist in Middletown, N. Y., is the possessor of this valuable article, and he is about to send it to the treasury department at Washington to be redeemed. The worthy druggist was troubled with a lame back and had his wife apply the plaster. The lady did not notice a \$50 bill which her husband had placed on a dresser in their room, and the note was sticking to the plaster when the latter was put where it might do the most good. There was much mystery and a long hunt before the bill was located, but now plaster, bill and all will be sent to the government officials and "something just as good" will be substituted.

A Chicago doctor has arranged to give the dogs a drink this summer. He has bought a thousand two-quart basins and the city council has allowed him to distribute them about the city in front of stores and houses, and the tenants will be expected to see that they are kept filled with water for the benefit of the dogs. The doctor got the notion from the City of Mexico, where storekeepers are required to keep such basins at their doors. The idea is a good one, and should reduce the number of mad dog scares in Chicago this summer. There will be less hydrophobia if the dogs can get water whenever they want it.

Connecticut is traditionally the land of steady habits, and perhaps a "whopper" of a fish story coming from that quarter will get more credence than if it originated in a more sinful source. Anyway, a resident of Winsted states that he found a fish in his well, and when he hooked it he discovered that it was a trout so large that the well curb had to be removed before the fish could be hauled out. The saving grace of this fish tale is that the narrator does not attempt to give the weight of the monster catch.

\$100,000 BLAZE AT KALAMAZOO

BIG LUMBER YARDS AND SEVERAL RESIDENCES TOTALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

DETROIT HAS A POPULATION OF OVER 468,000 ACCORDING TO WATER BOARD.

Official Census Figures Will Not Be Published for Several Weeks to Come.

Fires at Kalamazoo.

While the fire department was fighting flames in the North & Coon lumber yards, another alarm was turned in from the south side of the city, where a fire had been discovered in the J. E. Gaff lumber yards. Damage to the extent of several thousand dollars was done in the North & Coon yards, but because of the low water pressure and a high wind the firemen lost control of the fire in the Gaff yards, and within an hour half a block of lumber was in flames. The fire quickly spread to a number of residences near by, which were burned to the ground.

By attaching the city mains to the asylum water tower, a new water supply was secured. Six houses were entirely destroyed and three others damaged.

The police declare a gang of robbers and thieves following a wild west show that visited Kalamazoo set fire to both the yards, and when the flames were well under way started robbing several houses about the city. As soon as the flames were well under way numerous reports were received from all sections of the city of attempted burglaries. The home of Mrs. Jennie Gilmore, one of the wealthiest residents of the city, was entered and robbed. The loss by the fire will probably amount to \$100,000.

Detroit's Population.

The census bureau is being flooded with requests for information as to the population of various cities, but nothing will be given out until the official figures are published, which will not be for several weeks.

There is intense rivalry between several cities and a good deal of curiosity as to whether Detroit will reach the 500,000 mark. It can be said that it will not, and while the exact figures are secret the census will show the population to be slightly in excess of 468,000.

This is very close to the water board estimate of 462,678, given out. The water board's figures are based on the number of users of water, computed according to an established scale.

Officials Inspect Northern Lands.

The party of state officers and prominent citizens from various cities in Michigan, who have been the guests of John Carter, of St. Helen, for the past two days, returned to their homes after making a thorough inspection of the methods employed by Mr. Carter on his 160,000-acre tract of northern land, in raising crops on the jack pine lands that at one time were thought to be useless.

In speaking of the trip, Land Commissioner Russell said: "I have always known that these northern lands that the state has been selling for almost nothing would some day be bringing a higher price, and the demonstrations being made by Mr. Carter prove beyond a doubt that the state will soon be selling their lands in that section for a far higher price than has ever been obtained before."

One Killed, Two Hurt.

Taking refuge in a barn belonging to Bertha Beall, a mile east of Niles, during a severe electrical storm, Wilson R. Houck, aged 19, a Michigan Central employe, was killed by a bolt of lightning which struck the barn. Five companions escaped with slight shocks. Houck's scalp and body were terribly torn and mangled. His home is at Mishawaka, Ind., where he leaves parents and a family of brothers and sisters.

John Andrews and his brother were driving three horses when the bolt hit them, killing the horses and severely shocking the men. They will recover.

Propose to Clean Up Barber Shops.

The crusade against unsanitary barber shops in the state which has been started by Secretary C. L. Blake, of the state board of examiners, has resulted in the closing of three shops at Alpena and one each at Traverse City and Coldwater. Mr. Blake states that one shop in Detroit and one in Lansing also are under observation and unless the proprietors clean up at once orders will be issued for the closing of these shops.

There are 4,200 barbers registered under the state laws and Mr. Blake says that by the end of the year the number will be increased to 4,500.

Because the mayor and aldermen of Ludington are in a row over permitting the opera house to be remodeled under present plans, building operations have been suspended.

MICHIGAN IN BRIEF.

The members of the Hastings M. E. church will build a new church to cost about \$30,000.

The League of Michigan Municipalities will meet in Lansing Sept. 14, 15 and 16.

The work of cleaning the Raisin river along its course through Adrian has been begun.

The Methodist church at Port Sanilac was struck by lightning and the building is a total loss.

The annual convention of the Spanish-American War Veterans will be held in Traverse City July 20, 21 and 22.

The materials used in the manufacture of ice cream cones are to be investigated by the state dairy and food commission.

Charging that water mains have been destroyed by electrolysis, Marshall has begun suit for \$200 against the M. U. R.

Judge Emmet L. Beach, a prominent Democrat, has announced his candidacy for the nomination of mayor at Saginaw.

Prosecuting Attorney Robert M. Hilton, 65, died at his home in Gaylord. He was a civil war veteran and had been sheriff of the county.

The school census of Kalamazoo this year shows an increase of 419, the total number of students attending public schools being 8,354.

State Game Warden Pierce has received a letter from Ontonagon in which the loss from forest fires in that section is estimated at \$500,000.

Gov. Warner has appointed J. S. Haggerty, of Detroit, a delegate to the national good roads congress to be held at Niagara Falls July 28 to 31.

A. J. Callahan, of Jackson, was elected first vice-president of the Independent Petroleum Marketers' association at the Louisville meeting.

Miss Susie Jones, who died last month in Chicago, distributed a \$40,000 estate among various charitable institutions and friends in Marshall.

The state tax commission has placed an additional \$3,100,328 on the tax rolls of Traverse City, making the boost in valuation more than 66 per cent.

State Treasurer Sleeper received a check for \$45,000 from the federal government, which will be placed to the credit of the Michigan Agricultural college.

The scarlet fever plague has struck Northville and a number of people are ill with the disease. Quinsy is another disease which holds numbers in its grasp.

The proposition to bond the village of Decatur for \$12,000 for a new school building was lost, the vote being a tie. A special election will be called to vote on the matter again.

If ministers and the allied church society can prevent it, the Reno fight pictures will not be shown in Benton Harbor, the authorities having been asked to use their influence against it.

The annual convention of the Michigan Sportsmen's association will be held this year in Owosso on September 12. The Shiawassee county association will tender the visitors a banquet.

Herman Cook, a well-to-do farmer living near Greenville, was dragged to death in a field back of his house by a team of horses. He became tangled in the lines when the animals started to run away.

Lansing children discovered Fred Paul's hiding place for his savings and while playing unearthed a pocketbook in which was \$1,000. He had accumulated the money and thought it securely hidden.

Held in bondage for five months in a Chicago resort, Felice Molson, a pretty young woman, passed through Port Huron on her way home to Montreal, from where she was taken by a strange woman.

The bondsmen of Lee M. Hagle, Oxford's missing treasurer, were given a judgment in the circuit court at Pontiac for \$4,896.41 against Hagle, and for \$155.48 against J. A. Jossman, a garnishee defendant.

Smallpox is prevalent throughout the state, reports from various health offices showing a total of 192 cases for June, as compared with about half that number during May. Owosso comes first with 23 cases.

According to a decision of the state board of auditors, employes touring the state in the future will be required to take a direct route to their destination, and not place the state under unnecessary expense.

Because his wife poisoned herself, the supreme court has held that William Ruterbush, who started suit in the Bay circuit court, cannot collect \$1,000 life insurance from the Independent Order of Foresters.

C. J. Byrns, of Ishpeming, has settled the case of the receiver of the failed First National bank, of Ironwood, against him by paying \$4,250. Suit was brought to recover on a note given in payment for stock in the bank.

Floyd Lyman, Milton Lyman, Langford Diamond and Ray Harrington, all under 16, are under arrest and have confessed to placing barrels full of stones on the Michigan Central tracks at Geddes. A wreck was narrowly averted.

Palmer Gruette, the half-breed who assaulted a 16-year-old girl in the woods near Marquette, was captured by a member of the posse which has been searching the woods for him. He says he was drunk and knew nothing of his actions when he committed the assault.

THE ELKS' PARADE A GORGEOUS DISPLAY

DAZZLING COLOR, INSPIRING MUSIC, MARKS CLIMAX OF BIG CONVENTION WEEK.

TAKES TWO AND ONE-HALF HOURS TO PASS BEFORE GREAT THRONG OF SPECTATORS.

300,000 Watch March of Antlered Hosts; The Crowd Was Orderly And Good Natured.

The great Elks' parade, the greatest event of the great Elk convention in Detroit, 1910, is ancient history.

They marched it into the annals of the past to the blare of trumpets, the boom of drums and the cheers of thousands upon thousands of spectators.

The parade was most complete. There was the oldest Elk, the smallest Elk, the most ancient lodge of Elks and Elk in every variety of habilitment and accoutrement.

And a fine pageant it made, a kaleidoscope of color and faces and costumes.

In addition to the larger delegations, listed below, were many groups, making the grand total of 8,961:

- Detroit lodge, drill corps—40 in line, band of 100, 36 on horseback; Burroughs' band, 38.
- New York, No. 1—120 in line; Brooklyn, No. 1—76 from Brooklyn lodge.
- Buffalo—150 in line; band of 60.
- Rochester—105 in line; Finzel's band of 36.
- Etna—36 in line; Painesville band of 24.
- Los Angeles—86 in line.
- Santa Barbara—28 in line.
- Chicago—135 in line.
- Covington, Ky.—38 in line.
- St. Louis—16-piece band—44 in line.
- Cincinnati—Eberger's band of 40; 160 in autos and marching.
- Cleveland—Band of 78; 114 in line.
- Columbia chorus—30 in line.
- Toledo—Band of 54; 83 in line.
- Akron—Eighth regiment band of 39; 83 in line.
- Baltimore—59 in line; Solvay band of 24.
- Fort Wayne, Ind.—Band of 34; 150 in line.
- South Bend—Band of 16; 21 in line.
- Fulton, Mo.—Band of 28; 42 in line.
- Colorado Springs—Band of 35; 15 in line.
- Atlantic City—55 in line; Acme White Lead Works' band of 28 pieces.
- New Orleans—56 in line.
- Detroit lodge No. 34—500 in line.
- Saginaw—Band of 23; 163 in line.
- Grand Rapids—Band of 30; 488 in line.
- Kalamazoo—Band of 21; 76 in line.
- Bay City—Band 28; 64 in line.
- Jackson—Band of 38; 204 in line.
- Battle Creek—Band of 30; 116 in line.
- Blunt—Band of 30; 327 in line.
- Muskegon—Band of 25; 42 in line.
- Adrian—Band of 22; 75 in line.
- Jackson—141 in line.
- Owosso—178 in line.
- Pontiac—Band of 36; 168 in line.
- The remaining bodies were all of less than 100 men each.

Michigan and California carried away the honors of the annual B. P. O. E. competitive drill, held Wednesday on the Belle Isle parade grounds. Battle Creek team carried away first honors and the Los Angeles "White Squadron" took second prize.

The famous "Cherry Pickers" of Toledo lodge did not compete. Instead they gave an exhibition after the regular order of business was over. Many of those who saw the work of the teams were of the opinion that the men from the breakfast food town would have cleaned up with the boys from Maumee, had the latter been in the contest.

Garry Herrmann, Cincinnati, grand exalted ruler, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, was elected Tuesday morning by acclamation at the largest lodge session ever held in the history of the order. Everyone knew he was going to be placed in the highest office, but the enthusiasm was intense and riotous just the same. None but Elks were present in that momentous hour but the cheering in Lyceum theater welled out until every outsider knew something large had occurred.

As a fitting final for a week of big, spectacular events, a display of fireworks was given off Belle Isle which, like the Elks' parade, the automobile parade, the sham battle and the aeroplane flights, thoroughly deserves the encomiums, "best Detroit has ever seen."

Elks' Home Stays in Virginia.

In a tumultuous session of the grand lodge B. O. P. E., which lasted until a late hour Wednesday night, and in which the feeling of sectionalism rose dangerously close to the surface on several occasions, the proposition to abandon the Elks' National home at Bedford City, Va., or move it to some other city, was defeated.

Instead the board of trustees was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the remodeling of the home and beautifying of the grounds, to be presented to the next session of the grand lodge at Atlantic City. In addition the sum of \$7,500 was voted the board to be used in making such temporary repairs and improvements as are deemed necessary during the year.

The British Columbia government has placed orders in Pittsburgh for complete apparatus for three mine rescue stations to be installed in the principal coal mining areas of British Columbia. One will be established in Crownst Pass and two on Vancouver island.

The Wretchedness of Constipation

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Purely vegetable—easy and gentle on the liver. Cure Biliousness, Headache, Indigestion, Dizziness, etc. They do their duty. Small Pills, Small Dose, Small Price. Genuine with Signature.



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SHE RECOGNIZED THE VOICE

And From Remark Made, Also Knew the Party Was Not Engaged in Prayer.

Confidential friends of Louis B. Shields are telling this story about that eminent Republican: A state convention at Columbus had just adjourned and the Cuyahoga county delegates were all back home when somebody suggested a friendly game of poker. The game was going along right merrily at three a. m.

At that hour an officious attendant called up Mr. Shields' residence, which happened to be almost next door.

"This is long distance," said the servant with no warrant of authority whatever. "We are all here in Columbus and can't get home until morning."

"That's all right," came back the reply, "but if that voice I hear in the apartment house next door saying 'that's good' isn't Mr. Shields' then I can't recognize a voice when I hear it at night."

And that is the end of the story, for the voice saying "that's good" was indeed that of Mr. Shields, and it was so near home, so the narrator relates, that there was no use in offering a denial.—Cleveland Leader.

NOVELTY.

"I thought you told me you had something original in this libretto," said the manager, scornfully. "Here at the very outset you have a lot of merry villagers singing, 'We are happy and gay!'"

"You don't catch the idea at all," replied the poet, wearily. "The 'g' is soft. It should be pronounced 'happy and jay!'"

HARD TO PLEASE Regarding the Morning Cup.

"Oh how hard it was to part with coffee, but the continued trouble with constipation and belching was such that I finally brought myself to leave it off."

"Then the question was, what should we use for the morning drink? Tea was worse for us than coffee; chocolate and cocoa were soon tired of; milk was not liked very well, and hot water we could not endure."

"About two years ago we struck upon Postum and have never been without it since."

"We have seven children. Our baby now eighteen months old would not take milk, so we tried Postum and found she liked it and it agreed with her perfectly. She is today, and has been, one of the healthiest babies in the State."

"I use about two-thirds Postum and one-third milk and a teaspoon of sugar, and put it into her bottle. If you could have seen her eyes sparkle and hear her say 'good' today when I gave it to her, you would believe me that she likes it."

"If I was matron of an infants' home, every child would be raised on Postum. Many of my friends say, 'You are looking so well!' I reply, 'I am well; I drink Postum. I have no more trouble with constipation, and know that I owe my good health to God and Postum.'"

"I am writing this letter because I want to tell you how much good Postum has done us, but if you knew how I shrink from publicity, you would not publish this letter, at least not over my name."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SERIAL STORY

The LAST VOYAGE of the DONNA ISABEL

By Randall Parrish
Author of "Bob Hampton of Plover," etc.

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, adventurer, a Massachusetts man marooned by authorities in Valparaiso. He is interested in mining operations in Bolivia; he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding at his hotel his situation was discovered 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, who 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, 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 the lady. 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 former voyages he had learned that the Donna Isabel was lost in 1753. He had found it frozen in a huge mass of ice on an island and contained much gold. Stephens consented to be the captain of the expedition. He told Lady Darlington. She was greatly alarmed, but expressed confidence in him. The Sea Queen encountered a vessel in the fog. Stephens attempted to communicate. This caused a fierce struggle and he was overcome. Tuttle finally squaring the situation. Then the Sea Queen headed south again. Under Tuttle's guidance the vessel made port to the island. De Nova, the mate, told Stephens that he believed Tuttle, now acting as skipper, insane because of his queer actions. Stephens was awakened by the noise of glass. He saw Tuttle in the grip of a spasm of religious mania and overcame him. The sailor upon regaining his senses was taken ill. Tuttle committed suicide by shooting. Upon the death of the crew Stephens assumed the leadership and the men decided to continue the treasure hunt. The islands being supposed to be only 200 miles distant, Stephens went on in the sea. Lady Darlington pronouncing the service. Stephens awaking from sleep saw the ghost, supposed to have formed the basis for Tuttle's religious mania. Upon advice of Lady Darlington, Stephens started to probe the ghost. He came upon Lieut. Sanchez, the drunk officer he had humbled in Chile. He found that at Sanchez's inspiration, Engineer McKnight played "ghost" to scare the men into giving up the quest. Stephens announced that the Sea Queen was at the spot where Tuttle's quest was supposed to be. The crew was to go on in further search. De Nova and Stephens conquered them in a fist fight. Lady Darlington thanked him. The Sea Queen started northward. She was wrecked in a fog. Stephens and Darlington were rescued and her maid being among those to set out in a life boat. Ten were rescued. Stephens saw only one chance in a thousand for life. Lady Darlington would never love to Stephens and he did likewise. Lady Darlington told her life story; how she had been bartered for a title, her yearning for absent love. She revealed herself as the school chum of the next morning. She expressed a wish to die in the sea rather than face her former friends and go back to the old life. A ship was sighted. The craft proved to be a derelict. They boarded the Donna Isabel, which was light with hundreds of years of ice. The vessel was the Donna Isabel, lost in 1753, 128 years previous. The frozen bodies of the former crew were removed. They read the log of the Isabel, which told how the Spaniards had died from cold, one by one. Lady Darlington sang to prevent the men from becoming moody. The crew commenced the hunt. They read the part of 3,000,000 pesos, firmly imbedded in ice. Lady Darlington expressed the belief that it would never benefit the men, for she said the Donna Isabel would never reach port. The men got a lust for gold. Stephens quelled it by whipping one. The Donna Isabel showed indications of sinking. They prepared to depart with what treasure had been found. The next morning they departed. Stephens went back to try to rescue Cole, a gold-crazed negro, who was hunting treasure in the hold. Stephens plunged into the icy sea a moment before the Donna Isabel sank. His mates rescued him, the negro being lost. Exposure made nearly everyone but Lady Darlington and Stephens insane. Her lover for him kept him buoyed up through the terrible days and nights at sea in the open boat. One sailor jumped overboard, his pockets laden with gold. Sanchez broke his leg. Stephens' mind became blank. Two days later they were rescued by a steamer. For three days Stephens hovered between life and death. Aroused to consciousness and finally health.

CHAPTER XXX.—Continued.

"What vessel is this?"
"The El Cid, Valparaiso to Buenos Ayres—a coast-trader."
"And the others? Do they live?"
"All but Sanchez; he died the night after our rescue. Kelly is half-crazed yet, but they think he will get over it. De Nova was very badly frozen, but Celeste was out on deck yesterday."
"I lay there looking at her, striving valiantly to put all these horrors away, and to face the present and the future. My handclasp tightened, for

I could no longer keep back the one question which trembled on my lips.
"But you, Doris, yes! Do you still mean what you said yonder? Are you only saved to lose each other? Have you heard? Do you know anything of him?"
The red blood flooded the pale cheeks, the long lashes veiling the gray eyes.
"Oh, not now; don't speak of that now."
"But I must, I cannot wait in suspense," I insisted, lifting myself on the pillow. "You have heard—tell me."
"I—I have been a coward," she faltered. "I—I have not asked; I have not even told my name to those on board. I was afraid the knowledge might place all under arrest; besides I—I wanted to nurse you."
I looked at her, my heart falling, my voice trembling as I spoke.
"But—but are you going to England?"
"Yes."
"When?"
There was a long pause, in which I heard her rapid breathing.
"They—they tell me I can get passage on an English vessel, the Albatross, within a few days after we reach Buenos Ayres."
Her hand tightened on mine, and she dropped to her knees, her face buried in the coverlet.
I fought the devil in me like a man, my hands clenched, my teeth set fiercely, but it was a while before I could control my voice sufficiently for reply. She did not lift her head, and as I continued to gaze at her my heart throbbled with a love which became sacrifice.
"Doris," I managed to whisper at last, "whatever you believe to be right I will think right also. Only let

me be alone for a little while—just a little while, until I can fight this out and conquer."
She lifted her head, her hand on my hair, her gray eyes looking frankly into mine.
"I—I thank you, Jack," she smiled tremblingly. The next moment I was alone.



"But Now We Both Know."

While I was sitting up and partially dressed that evening, Marsden, the chief mate, came in and told me briefly the story of our rescue.
"We were considerably to the west of our course," he said, gravely, "because we had met headwinds and a heavy sea all the way down the coast. It was just at daybreak when we sighted your boat in longitude 78 degrees west and latitude 53 degrees, 17 minutes south. I've been knocking about at sea for 20 years, Mr. Stephens, but I never saw a more pitiful sight than the longboat presented when we got up alongside. The jib held, but the mainsail was in tatters, and for a minute or two I didn't think there was a living soul aboard. There was a man forward lashed down with ropes, dead; a man and a woman were wrapped up in blankets amidships, leaning against each other, their eyes closed. Close up to the stern another woman was lying with her arms about your neck and hiding your face."
"Doris, with her arms about me!" I thought. How well I knew the desperation that could lead her to the embrace she had ever refused me! Marsden went on:
"A big fellow held to the tiller as if he was froze there, but he'd dropped down until his head hung dangling as the boat rocked. There wasn't one of them took any notice of us until we were fairly alongside. Then this big sailor lifted his head and stared dazed like he thought he saw a vision, and when I spoke to him the woman that had her arms about you staggered to her knees and began to cry. Good Lord, sir, but it made my heart ache, and I never saw so much misery in any human face before. Well, we fell to, and got you all on the El Cid, hoisted the whole outfit over the rail, and, barring the dead man, I reckon you're all good for a spell of life yet."
"They told you our story?"
"Yes—most of it; anyway, and I understand all right what it was did you up so. It wasn't hunger or cold, but just the loneliness a strain."
I looked away from him, out

through the open port at the gray vista of sea.
"That was it, Mr. Marsden," I said, my voice shaking to the memory of it. "It was the bell of the great ocean—it broke our hearts."
As the El Cid sped on her way up the Patagonian coast my strength came rapidly back, and I soon found my way on deck, where, wrapped against the chill of the wind, I passed much time talking with Doris, seeing De Nova and Kelly now and then. Celeste was often with us, her eyes roguish as ever, but her face thin and white. Once, when we chanced to be left alone together, I undertook to question the girl.
"What is the matter between you and De Nova, Celeste? Have you two fallen out?"
She tossed her head, flashing her eyes at me.
"I not know we ever fall in," she said, pouting prettily. "He ver nice for a sailor, but w'y do I want a sailor? I want se sea no more ever."
"Yes, but De Nova can quit the sea."
"Non, non!" she cried, shaking her head roguishly. "I have a very good time wiz Mons. De Nova! He talk nice, he make love nice—but it is all over now."
"You mean you are going back to Europe?"
She shrugged her shoulders, her teeth gleaming.
"Oui, monsieur; I go wiz madam to London, to Páreo; zere I have plaisir."
"But De Nova? How does he take it?"
"Pah! he get over it; I know ze sailor. See, monsieur; w'at I tell you?"
I glanced aft in the direction she pointed. Within the companion stood the debonaire mate, his little black mustaches curled jauntily upward, his teeth merrily glistening, as he smiled down upon a rosy-cheeked damsel, whom I recognized as the stewardess. My companion patted her little foot on the deck.
"Pah! did I not tell you, monsieur? I know ze sailor."
She swept away with the swift movement of a bird, and I turned my face about to perceive Marsden standing silently beside me. He drew up a deck chair and sat down at my side. His grave face and manner led me to speak first.
"I have been wondering," I said, slowly, "whether you intend to report us as soon as you make land. No doubt you heard the story of the Sea Queen at Valparaiso, and have already guessed us to be the survivors of the crew of that yacht."
"Why, yes," stroking his beard; "we have no doubt as to that. We know little of the affair of the Sea Queen beyond what your man Kelly has told us, as we were up the north coast at the time. However, I do not think there will be anything gained by reporting your rescue immediately, for no one can care particularly about your arrest except possibly a British officer or such. The Chileans are still busy with their war, and the man who owned the yacht being dead—"

"You—you—mean Lord Darlington?"
"Yes; that is what I came here to tell you about. I have been waiting until you were strong enough to hear the story. I thought you were the one who ought to tell her." He paused doubtfully. "I understand she is Lady Darlington?"
"Yes," I answered, my voice trembling in my eagerness to comprehend fully. "But are you sure her husband is dead?"
"Regarding that fact there is no possible doubt, Mr. Stephens. We were in port at Valparaiso barely three hours, but long enough to hear a brief account of the affair. It seems Lord Darlington had in some way quarreled with or insulted a Chilean naval officer. This officer being on duty in the grounds of the presidente the night of the declaration of war, the two met again and renewed their quarrel. The officer was drunk and abusive, and his lordship drew a revolver. They were separated at that time by the guard, but an hour later the Englishman was found beside the fountain of the inner court dead from a knife-thrust in his back. His murderer disappeared instantly and most mysteriously."
"My God!" I exclaimed, dazed with the information. "It must have been Sanchez!"
"It must have been Sanchez," Marsden repeated, soberly. "He was fleeing from the crime when he ran into your party. It was his own haunting conscience that put the idea of the ghosts Kelly tells about into his head. You will tell her the story?"
"Yes," I said, not venturing to look into his face, realizing that he understood.
I sat there, it seemed for hours, endeavoring to muster up courage for my task as I watched, far in the distance, the darkening outlines of Cape Flores. At last I went slowly down the companionway into the cabin. Slowly and falteringly at first, but gaining control of my voice as I proceeded, I told her all, marking the pallor of her cheek, the horror in her eyes. For another age I sat silent, gazing across the deserted cabin out

through an open port, afraid to disturb the motionless woman beside me. Finally my fingers, almost unconsciously, crept across the rail of the settee until they touched her own.
"Doris," I whispered, pleadingly, confused by her silence, "is it possible that you already knew this?"
She did not raise her bowed head, but I felt the soft pressure of her hand.
"Yes, Jack, I—I knew," she acknowledged, doubtfully. "Sanchez told me in the boat when he felt himself to be dying. It was then I came back and took you in my arms. But I couldn't tell you—I could not tell you. I felt that if we were saved you must learn it from other lips than mine."
"But now we both know."
She lifted her eyes suddenly, eyes misty with tears, and I realized the truth forever.

THE END.



NOT THE SPEAKER'S PROVINCE

Orator to Follow Was Proper Person to Comply with Request of Enthusiast.

Preachers of all denominations occupied chairs upon the platform. They were giving their voices and influence to the overthrow of a political boss. The Presbyterian clergyman had the floor and most vigorously attacked the enemy. He delivered some fierce, telling thrusts, and the audience was with him. The boss received some cruel jabs.
"That's right, soak him!" encouraged a man with a stentorian voice who had standing room in the rear. As the clergyman warmed up to his subject the interrupting "soak him!" came from the rear with greater power and frequency.
The speaker paused. He was not irritated, but gently threw the audience into a good-natured hysteria by saying:
"The intentions of the gentleman in the rear are good, but wholly inopportune and ill advised. If he'll kindly reserve his comments for the next speaker, Brother Herrick of the Baptist church, he'll be accommodated, no doubt."

TOUCHES THEIR TENDER SPOT.

Most Men Have Weakness for Being Photographed on Horseback, Says Observant Photographer.

A young man went out with a camera one morning not long ago and took seven snap shots of early morning horseback riders. He sent proofs of the pictures that turned out well to the men who were photographed and every one of the men sent him an order to finish up a few of the pictures.
"Of course they did," said a more experienced amateur photographer when he heard about it. "A man will always buy a picture of himself on a horse—unless he's an unusually poor rider and looks bad on a horse. No matter how modest a man is, you catch him at the one time when you may appeal to his vanity, when he's mounted on a good riding horse."

This Mixed-Up World.

If things would not run into each other so, it would be a thousand times easier, and a million times pleasanter to get on in the world. Let the sheepiness be set on one side and the goatiness on the other, and immediately you know where you are. It is not necessary to ask that there be any increase of the one, or any diminution of the other, but only that each shall pre-empt its own territory, and stay there. Milk is good, and water is good, but don't set the milk-pail under the pump. Pleasure softens pain, but pain embitters pleasure; and who would not rather have his happiness concentrate into one memorable day, that shall gleam and glow through a lifetime, than have it spread out over a dozen comfortable commonplace, humdrum forenoons and afternoons, each one as like the other as two peas in a pod?—Gail Hamilton.

The Hour Glass.

Instead of being obsolete and simply an interesting relic, the hour glass in various forms is a twentieth century necessity. A machinist authority points out that for such purposes as timing, hardening and tempering heats in twist drill manufacture, where seconds or minutes must be gauged accurately, nothing serves like the hour glass with the right amount of sand. Accuracy to fractions of a second can be had much more easily than by watching the hands of a watch.

A manufacturer of artistic furniture in Paris has just completed a chair the fore-legs of which are of solid gold.

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Eddie—No. Just give it to Jessie. We are going to play Adam and Eve, and she is going to tempt me.

SOFT, WHITE HANDS

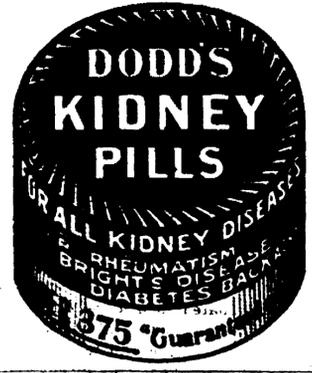
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Among Our Correspondents

PLAINFIELD.

Orla Jacobs made a business trip to Lansing last week.

Mrs. Watters of Iosco spent Friday with her son here.

L. Durkee and family of Jackson spent Sunday at S. T. Wassons.

Mr. Gauss of White Oak is visiting his daughter Mrs. F. Van Syckel.

LOTMM assessment No. 122 is now due. Plainfield hive meeting July 27.

Mrs. J. G. Sayles and daughter of Stockbridge are visiting here this week.

Esther and Ruth Witty of Marion are spending vacation with relatives here.

R. W. Caskey and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Hamburg.

Mrs. Seaton and children of Flint are visiting her parents Robert Frazier and wife.

Mesdames Lilliwhite and McGee called on Mrs. Mae Smith of White Oak last Thursday.

UNADILLA.

Geo. May of Stockbridge spent Sunday at Vet Bullis'.

Inex Huddler spent two weeks with her mother at Leslie.

Rev. G. W. Stowe of Detroit is the guest of his son Will and family.

The Misses Faniae Monks and Nellie Gardner spent Thursday with Mrs. Otis Webb.

Mrs. Janet Webb entertained the Missionary Society last Wednesday. Supper was served to a large company.

Mrs. D. Sullivan and two granddaughters from Columbus, Ohio, are visiting her brother, Z. A. Hartsuff and other relatives here.

The M. E. Society will hold a lawn social at W. T. Barnums Wednesday evening. Ice cream will be served and everybody will be welcomed.

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Miss Vina Barton is home from Ann Arbor for a few days.

Mrs. Douglas of Ionia spent a few days with friends in Unadilla.

J. D. Colton and wife of Chelsea spent Monday at A. C. Watsons.

Roy Parlmer and wife spent the past week with her parents in Iosco.

Wm. Laverock was called to Owosso last week to attend the funeral of a brother.

Ray Hoffman has been enjoying a two weeks vacation at his home in Dayton, Ohio.

SOUTH IOSCO.

Miss Millie VanKeuren spent Sunday with her mother.

Miss Blanche Harford visited her uncle Geo. Harford Sunday.

Mrs. Jay Barbor and daughter called on Mrs. Joe Roberts Monday.

Bert Roberts and family and Frank Watters and family were in Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinchey visited Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Lamborn Saturday and Sunday.

Little Pauline Burley returned home Sunday after spending some time with her grandparents.

The Misses Lamborn called on Mrs. Joe Roberts and Miss Harrington Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harford and her mother, Mrs. Kuhn, visited relatives in Fowlerville Tuesday.

SOUTH GREGORY.

Larrey Denton visited Ruth Whitehead Sunday.

Bert Wetherbee was in Detroit a few days last week.

Dr. Wright and wife are camping at the lake this week.

N. Bulloms and family are entertaining company from abroad.

Mrs. M. E. Kuhn entertained her brother Frank last Thursday.

There were quite a few who took in the excursion to Detroit Sunday.

Fred Howlett is doing business in the store and bank. Miss Youngs is clerking for him.

Damascus, a Garden City.

Damascus is a garden city touched by the great desert. Under its roses one feels the sands. Beside its trembling waters one dreams of the trembling mirage. The cry of its muezzins seems to echo from its mosque towers to that most wonderful thing in nature which is "God without man." The breath of the wastes passes among the poplars as that Bedouin boy passed among the merchants when he came and when he went. In Damascus one hears the two voices. And when one looks from the sacred mountain upon that city of dream, cradled among the woods, one sees far off the tawny beginnings of that other magic which looks out from the Bedouin's eyes. And though perhaps with the pilgrims from Samarkand one loves to rest beside the fountains under the hedges of roses, one is aware of the other love, intercourse with which has made Damascus an earthly paradise for them and for you.—Robert Hichens in Century.

Handicapped.

Two old settlers sat smoking in their cabin far away in the backwoods. No woman's hand had ever desecrated that sanctum, and grime reigned supreme and triumphant. The conversation veered around from state politics to cooking.

"Ya-as," said the elder of the two, with a drawl, "I did get one o' them there cookbooks wunst, but I could never do nothin' with it."

"How was that?" inquired the other. "What was the hitch?"

"Waal," was the answer, "every one o' them recets begun in the same way with the same words. Every one o' em started off with 'take a clean dish,' and I never got no farther."

And he slowly replaced his old black clay pipe in his mouth and fell to ruminating sadly on the narrow outlook on the world of human beings as displayed by authors of cookery books

Kindness is the golden chain by which society is bound together.—Goethe.

Business Increasing.

The amount of milk received at the Cheese Factory here is increasing daily. Two new routes have been established and the amount of milk has nearly doubled this week. The proprietors are out every day after the cheese has been made, trying to establish new routes, but as this is a very busy season for farmers, only a few have been started. However, they think they have several others that can be established before long.

The first shipment of cheese was made the first of the week to a Mr. Carmichael, who is one of the states largest cheese dealers and who has bought all the cheese manufactured by Mr. Lewis for a number of years.

The checks for the first payment were issued Wednesday, which payed for all milk received up to date. The farmers can be assured that they will receive their money on time and twice per month. Call and see the proprietors as they would be glad to have you.

Base Ball Tournament.

The Stockbridge Base Ball Assn. will hold a base ball tournament there Friday July 29, at which the Pinckney team will take part in the program. At 1:30 they play the Stockbridge team for a purse of \$25. The winners of that game play the Chelsea team, also for a purse of \$25.

Manager Lavey has written to the Brighton team asking for a game with them July 28, but he has not heard from them. The Pinckney team is as yet undefeated and are working hard to keep their record clean this year.

Freight Employees Strike

All freight hands and brakemen were called out on a strike on all Grand Trunk lines Monday. The cause of the strike is to get an increase in wages. There may be further trouble as it is rumored that the telegraphers are liable to be called out. Tuesday the roadmaster acted as brakeman on the M. A. L. through here on the morning train. It is not expected they will be out for over a few days at least.

The merchants and others here who had freight coming have had to send teams to Lakeland and Dexter for some of it, while a little was sent by express.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Earl Tupper is visiting relatives in Flint.

D. D. Smith & Son now run a meat wagon.

Mrs. Geo. Sargison, of Howell, is visiting friends here and vicinity.

The date for St. Marys annual picnic has been set for Thursday Aug. 11. Geo Reason Jr. and family of Detroit, visited relatives in town this week.

Henry Hicks came up from Jackson Sunday to visit his parents, George Hicks and wife.

Miss Hazel McDougall spent a few days the last of last week with Miss Beulah Burgess.

F. G. Jackson and family and Mrs. Mabel Cope spent a few days this week in camp at Portage lake.

Freeman Wilcox and bride of Jackson have been visiting at the home of his uncle, Geo. Croofoot on the Beebe farm a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill and daughter of Milford came over in their auto Tuesday, and Mrs. Percy Swarhout and children returned home with them for a few days visit.

The Liv. county postmasters meeting at Lakeland Tuesday was the largest attended of any meeting held, nearly every office in the county being represented. Hon. Sam Smith and wife, and other prominent men out of the county made it profitable as well as enjoyable.

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- Large Jelly Glasses 25c a doz.
- 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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C. S. LINE

A new use for the autos in this section—hauling freight from Lakeland New hitching posts were placed in front of the DISPATCH office the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Neynabor of Detroit are visiting at the home of Will Dunning.

Miss Blanche Glenn, of Stockbridge, was the guest of Miss Laura Lavey this week.

Some of our correspondents are on a vacation—we hope to hear from them soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Acker and daughter of Iosco visited at Dr. H. F. Sigers last Friday.

Ringling Brothers show is to be at Jackson Aug. 2. Read what they have to say on page 5.

The express companies will add a little to their bank account while all freight is being tied up.

Gerstam Swarhout, who had a stroke of paralysis last week, is still very low. Mr. S. is 87 years old.

Another serious accident at the sand plant near Chilson—Bert Latson was injured in such a manner that his arm had to be amputated.

The M. E. Sunday school is making plans for a picnic at Portage lake about Aug. 5. Everybody plan to go and make it a hummer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gillhouse of Manchester visited her sister, Mrs. Elmer Zorn a few days this week, making the trip in their auto.

Miss Pauline Swarhout has been having a fine time the past week riding a saddle horse, which is owned by the Sayles & Swarhout Livery.

Leslie Spaulding and family, formerly of Gregory, spent a few days the past week visiting at W. H. Placeways. They are on their way to their new home in Perry.

Mr. Edward Doody, of Unadilla, who had been very ill was brought to the Sanitarium here last week expecting to have an operation was not able to have the operation performed. He died Wednesday morning.

If you have anything on your auto that you are liable to loose while traveling through the country, you better put a private mark thereon or you will never be able to recover property when found—so one man in Pinckney thinks who recently lost a rear lamp from his auto between here and Chelsea.

Fowlerville has something to boast of, so our exchanges say, that perhaps not another town in the state of Michigan can. Twenty-three autos are owned within its corporation, making one auto to every forty-three persons in the village.—Good—Pinckney has one auto to every 33 population. We have fifteen autos owned in the village. Next.

H. B. Gardner, of Pinckney, and son Dr. C. B. of Riverdale, leave next Monday for a trip through England, Germany, France, and several other countries in Europe, to be gone until some time next fall. Dr. Gardner will take a post graduate course in London before returning. They sail from New York but will return via the St. Lawrence. Their many friends wish them a pleasant trip.