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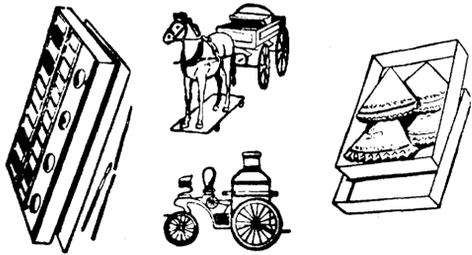
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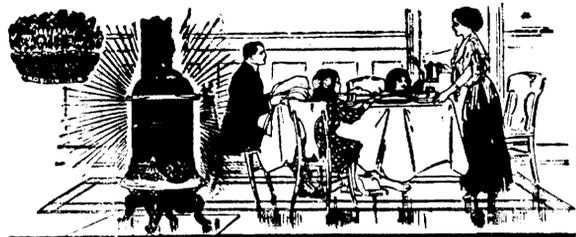
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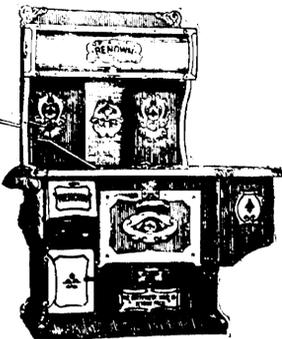
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MARRIED 25 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kice Celebrated Their 25th Wedding Anniversary Last Thursday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Kice of North Hamburg was the scene of gay festivity Thanksgiving evening, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage.

After the guests had all assembled, Miss Lawrence played the Engleman Wedding march to the strains of which the company marched to the dining room where a two course luncheon was served by four young ladies in white, Miss Lawrence presiding at the piano.

The house was tastily decorated in green, with pink carnations. During the evening a short musical program was given interspersed with jokes and stories. Many beautiful presents were left as tokens of esteem and all returned to their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kice many returns of the event.

PARLAND-NEWHALL CO.

Third Number on the Citizens Lecture Course to be given Thursday Evening, Nov. 8

The Parland-Newhall Co., the third number on the Citizens Lecture Course, Thursday evening, December 8th, comes well recommended with press notices and will surely make good.

The Company has four members: J. L. Newhall, First Tenor and Cornet; S. A. Stewart, Second Tenor and French Horn; J. F. McCarthy, First Bass, Violin soloist and Cornet; R. H. Parland, Second Bass and Trombone.

Bell ringing will be one of the features of the evening and is one of the several choice things that make up an evening's feast of pleasure. Remember that tickets for the remaining numbers are on sale at F. A. Sigler's drug store. Have you secured yours yet? If not, do so at once as you surely do not want to miss this number.

PUTNAM AND HAMBURG FARMERS' CLUB.

The following is the program for the Putnam and Hamburg Farmers Club to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grieves Saturday, December 31, 1910.

Music.....Club
Reading.....Mae VanFleet
Duet.....Mr. Grieves and Mr. Kice
Recitation.....Harold Grieves
Solo.....Mrs. Ida VanFleet
Reading.....Sada Swarthout
Solo.....Grace Grieves
Recitation.....Leigh VanHorn
Solo.....Fannie Swarthout
Music.....Mixed Quartette

CARD OF THANKS.

Thru the columns of this paper I wish to thank all who helped to put out the fire in the Mrs. C. E. Plimpton house, for if same had not been extinguished at once, my buildings might have been destroyed. J. H. TROMBY

Local News on Every Page.
Frank Tiplady was in Howell Tuesday.

Perry Towle drove out from Pontiac Tuesday.

Mrs. Emory Read of North Lake visited at Wm. Fisks Friday last.

Glenn Richards of Grand Rapids visited his parents here the first of the week.

L. G. Devereaux was the recipient of a postal card shower on Wednesday Nov. 23. He received 150 cards.

Miss Mayme Fish of Corunna spent her Thanksgiving vacation at the home of E. G. Fish.

Mrs. Olin Fishbeck of Monroe spent some time the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisk.

The North Hamburg Ladies Mite society will serve a chicken pie dinner December 8th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. VanHorn. Everybody invited.

Wednesday morning about 9:30, the alarm was spread that Mrs. C. E. Plimpton's house was afire. By the quick action of the men here, a good bucket brigade was soon formed and the fire put out. Considerable damage was done to the house, however.

We Just Want to Remind You

Of the FACT that we still have those **Old Tavern Brands of Good, Fresh Groceries**, and say! "That Old Tavern Coffee", My! How Good. Nothing like it, at the price. TRY one pound and you'll buy the second.

Why not try a box of Cod Fish, Herring or some good fresh Halibut, when you wish a dainty little lunch.

Butternut Bread

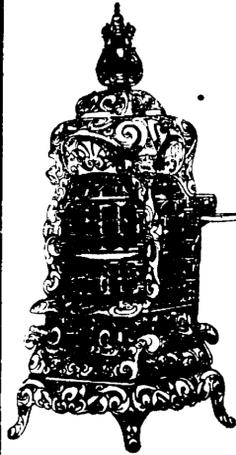
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Handkerchiefs for Christmas... Initial Handkerchiefs by the Piece or in Boxes. Large Assortment to Show You.

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HOWELL'S BUSY STORE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DENTIST'S PATIENT

BY R. G. SIGLER, D. D. S.

The Process of Assimilation is the Absorption of Nutriments from the Food which has been converted into Chyme and Chyle.

Did you ever think of this—Suppose you have decayed and broken down teeth in your mouth, which as we know are continually giving off poisonous gases and toxins into the saliva. The saliva, being also mixed with the food, carries the germs and toxins into the stomach. We find the above stage or assimilation, the nutriment is gathered from the food by certain processes. Do you think this nutriment which goes to build up the cells and hence the body, will be healthy and strong when fed on poison 20 per cent of food and water 70 per cent? You might ask—why is arsenic, strychnine or morphine not healthy? Well all probability there are 75 per cent of the people in all walks of life suffering from fowl breath, bad stomachs, and general infection, who do not realize its source. Let me tell you dear reader that your teeth have so many functions to perform, that you never realize their value until they are gone.

Good, sound teeth are essential to you and your friends.

JACKSON'S SPECIALS

LAST CALL FOR BED BLANKETS
50c, 85c, 95c, \$1.10, \$1.29

12c Linen Crash, per yd. 10c Best Challies for Linings, per yd. only 4c
14c Linen Crash, per yd. 11c 3 pound Batts, 70c quality, only 60c

DO NOT FORGET that we are Headquarters for Ladies', Misses' and Children's Light and Heavy Footwear

GROCERY SPECIALS

Rice 4c Sunny Monday Soap, 7 bars for 25c
Raisins 7c Best Tea 40c
Best Lard 14c Yeast 3c
Corn Flakes 7c

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Before placing your order for Footwear call and get our prices on Knit Boots, Socks. One and two Buckle Rubbers. Light and Heavy Artics.

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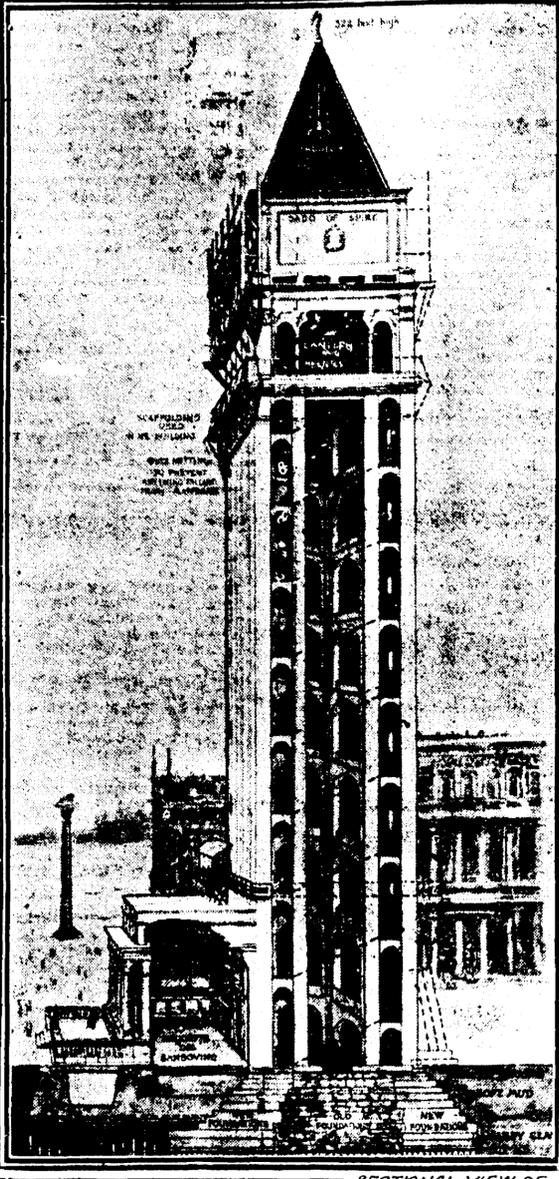
The GLORY of VENICE RESTORED

THE task of restoring the old campanile or bell tower of St. Mark's at Venice is nearing completion, and it is confidently expected that the bells of San Marco will break their nine years' silence and again ring out on St. Mark's day, April 25, 1911.

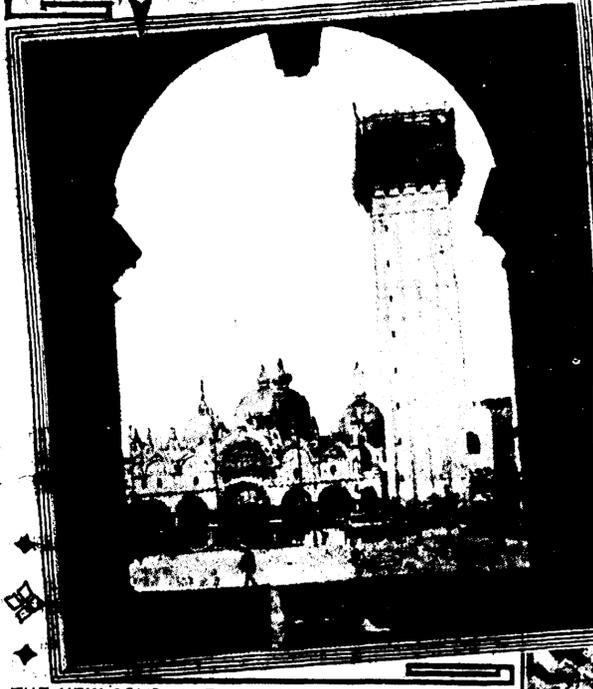
The restoration of this famous tower, which collapsed suddenly on July 14, 1902, after a proud existence of 1,014 years—has proved a greater undertaking than anticipated, some of the details presenting technical difficulties. The intention was to reproduce the old tower as faithfully as possible, and with that object in view the bricks, of which there are over a million, were specially selected and laid. The bricks are each 12 inches long, 4 inches wide and 3 inches deep, and the clay is twice mixed to secure homogeneity. These bricks, however, contained salt, which threatened to turn the tower white, and such an outcry was raised among the Venetians that the work was suspended while an inquiry was held. It was found that by prolonged soaking in water the salt was removed.

The tower is quadrangular, nearly 40 feet square at the base and 350 feet high, including the pinnacle in the shape of a pyramid, the summit being crowned by the figure of an angel with spread wings. The foundations of the ancient buildings were found to be good, but none too wide, so that considerable strengthening had to be effected. No scaffolding has been used, a sliding platform being contrived to rise with the progress of the building.

The shaft, which was completed last December, is composed of an inner and an outer shaft, between



SECTIONAL VIEW OF THE NEW CAMPANILE OF VENICE



THE NEW CAMPANILE AS IT NOW IS

which mounts the inclined plane which leads to the bell chamber. The walls of the outer shaft are six feet thick and the inclined plane is lit by 36 windows. In the new tower the shafts are bound together by iron rods and the pilasters at the angles of the inner shaft are similarly united. This will cause any future fall of the tower to be as one mass instead of a gentle subsiding.

Careful searching among the ruins of the old campanile resulted in the finding of nearly all the fragments of the beautiful bronze doors, statues and bas-reliefs of Sansovino's famous loggetta, which has been restored with wonderful care and devotion. The estimated cost of the present tower is over 2,000,000 francs, this sum having been raised by public subscription and a large grant from the state.

When the tower fell, of the five bells only the largest was not broken; the other four have been replaced and were presented to his beloved Venice by Pope Pius X. The lions of St. Mark, which originally occupied the centers of the north and south sides of the attic and were defaced during the French occupation, are to be replaced.

The tower has a strangely hard and new appearance against the soft, time-mellowed facade of the church of St. Mark with its wild horses and curious Oriental-looking domes, and seems almost as incongruous as the large steamboats and motor launches which have now challenged the supremacy of the graceful gondola on Venetian waterways. The Venetians were, however, wise to rebuild the campanile, for the long, low lines of the surrounding palaces need this sky-piercing shaft to complete the effect even as London needs the dome of St. Paul's to lift its sombre roofs in an upward effort.

The bells of the old campanile were shattered by the fall of the tower, but they have now, as stated above, been replaced by the generosity of the present pope. They were cast on St. Mark's day, April 25, and will again be solemnly rung from the tower on St. Mark's day of next year.

"By kind permission of Professor Giuseppe del Fico, chief superintendent of the reconstruction of the loggetta, I was permitted," writes a correspondent, "to witness the remarkable work which has been accomplished within one of the arcades of the doge's palace. Here, within the shadow of the beautiful staircase which mounts to the upper story, and within sight of the window from which Silvio Pellico looked out during many years of confinement, there has been placed together with infinite pains the wonderful Renaissance facade of Sansovino."

To give an example of the method which has been pursued one may take the case of three columns of breccia corallina which form part of the facade facing St. Mark's. One has been put together in 13 pieces, another in 32 pieces, while a third was so much damaged that it had to be replaced by a block of Asiatic marble known as sette basi corato, so called from a block of this marble having been found in a villa near Rome belonging to Sottizino Passo, a Roman consul.

"By kind permission of Signor Edoardo Dotti,



ONE OF THE FIVE FALLEN BELLS OF THE OLD CAMPANILE

Placentini, chief superintendent of the reconstruction of the campanile, I was permitted," writes a correspondent, "to thoroughly inspect the new tower which is rising above the fairy city of Venice." Passing through the palisading which keeps out the ordinary public from the base of the campanile one first observes the pans in which each brick, after being brought down from Treviso to the Giudecca has been carefully

THE WELSH EISTEDDFOD

The National Eisteddfod of Wales, celebrated every autumn, is one of the most picturesque festivals remaining in this commercial age. The Gentleman remarks especially on the growing part taken by women.

Last year when the Gorsedd, or meeting to proclaim the bards, was held in Kensington Gardens in the early morning no one looked better than Lady St. David in her silken robes of emerald green, or more graceful than the countess Matfield, whose grace and charm one longs to see added to the Grecian folds of an Ovation robes.

And now a word on the Gorsedd itself. On the Logan Stone the Arch-Druid Dyfed was attended by all his bards, some in white robes and others in blue, and the Ovates in green. The twelve chief bards stood by their sacred unhewn stones. Ancient prayers were recited. The huge Brythonic sword of peace was drawn and sheathed three times with the question by the Arch-Druid, "A bes Heddwch!" to which all present responded by a shout "Heddwch!" ("Peace.")

After each shout of "Heddwch!" the sword was sheathed and the draught of mead from the "Hirlas" horn was drunk by the Arch-Druid. Then followed the initiation of new members into the Gorsedd and short Eisteddfod (alliterative stanzas) were recited in Welsh by the bards, who in turn stood on the Logan Stone and received the applause as well as the laughter and appreciation, for many of the Englishmen are exceedingly witty as well as good poets.

terior brickwork is a marvel of fine setting, and when struck with the hand a portion of it will resound like a drum. Reaching the present summit, one is able to examine the progress with the stonework of the dado, which in turn will support the pyramid apex of the tower.

On the summit of all will be fixed a gilded figure of an angel, pivoted at the head of a pendulum, so that when wintry winds sweep over the Venetian lagoons the strain upon the tower on this figure will be reduced to a minimum. The view from the summit of the tower is a fascinating and in some respects a surprising one, for from this elevation none of the canals are visible, and the only one of the innumerable bridges which one can discern is the Ponte del Lovo—a Venetian corruption of the Italian word lupu, which signifies a wolf.

tion, which in their monotonous but varied chanting on a very few notes remind one of the east and its primitive music.

Symbolic offerings of the fruits and flowers of the earth—the oak, leek, mistletoe, heather and vervain—form the bouquet which every year is presented by some prominent woman; by the late Lady Lilanover, for instance, who always appeared at the Gorsedd in national costume and insisted upon her servants wearing it on all occasions.

In Wales the Eisteddfod is naturally more characteristically Welsh than when it is held in London. The choirs and instrumental music are listened to with breathless attention, while again and again one hears "Da iawn" ("Very good"), or sometimes "No good," as the case may be, while for the time being all is forgotten but the music.

The culminating interest of the Eisteddfod is centered in the chairing of the bard on Thursday—the award for the greatest alliterative poem of the year. The adjudicators read their decision, criticizing the different poems sent in, and announcing at the close the nom de plume of the successful competitor. The whole building is galvanized with intense excitement. The winning author stands, and two baris are sent to conduct him amid strains of music to his chair of honor in the bardic circle.

Of Knox and Calvin



"What do you think," the man inquired, "Oh Calvin and of Knox? Have you in every way admired the way they led their flocks?"

"We looked at him and tried to think just what his words might mean; He looked at us without a blink, With countenance serene.

"You don't reply," he argued then. "Well, now, between the two I think to open-minded men There is no doubtful view. The work of Knox was never done With frenzy and with haste. Our thoughts as yet had not begun To get this Calvin placed.

He went right on and proved that Knox Was greater of the twain, And with the cunning of a fox We said that that was plain. Yet we subliminally tried To think of Calvin's post, For public knowledge far and wide Had ever been our boast.

"Now, old John Knox," continued he— "You laughed; 'What is your game? You know as well as well can be Philander is his name." And while he gasped and waved his hand We offered, too, to bet No Calvin ever in our land Had graced the Cabinet.

He turned and walked away at once While we sat down and thought How any man can act the dunces. Who don't know what he ought, But if he had not called him 'John' The chances are that we Had never set him right upon The sage Philander C.

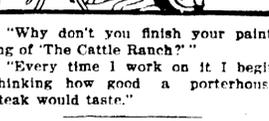
And Still He Lives. The man with the glittering whiskers tiptoed gently across the office and looks over the desk of the pale, perspiring hireling with the discouraged mustache and the recalcitrant fountain pen.

"Say," he whispers, "here's one that just occurred to me. It's yours if you want to use it, and nobody need ever know where you got it. What is the difference between a man who loans a million dollars at usurious rates during a time of panic and instability in the business world and who subsequently collects his interest by due process of law—what is the difference between him and a monarch who discovers a plot against his throne and causes the incarceration of a nobleman whom he has reason to believe is the leader of the plot?"

"If there is any difference, what is it?"

"One gets his per cent, and the other gets his Sit pen."

And the sunset casts its ribbons of fire athwart the opaquely beautiful bosom of the dreaming lake.



Too Great for His Fancy. "Why don't you finish your painting of 'The Cattle Ranch'?"

"Every time I work on it I begin thinking how good a porterhouse steak would taste."

An Acknowledgment. That "woman is as good as man" is something that I've oft conceded. I've said in the eternal plan She is the element most needed.

But now from England comes the word That women every now and then are seen smoking with cigars preferred. So, soon they'll be as bad as men are.

Atavism. "It is odd about Professor Hoppen-schmidt, isn't it?" asks the philologist. "As a usual thing he converses with one in broken language, but when he becomes excited and swears, his profanity is confined to the German words. I wonder why that is?"

"Easily explained," says the man with the ingrowing face. "The swear words are strong language—too strong for him to break."

AS REPRESENTED.



Patient—I were, doctor; you said if I took a bottle of your tonic I would have a remarkable appetite. Why, I only eat one soda cracker each week!

Doctor—Well, don't you call that a remarkable appetite?

BABY'S SCALP CRUSTED

"Our little daughter, when three months old, began to break out on the head and we had the best doctors to treat her, but they did not do her any good. They said she had eczema. Her scalp was a solid scale all over. The burning and itching was so severe that she could not rest, day or night. We had about given up all hopes when we read of the Cuticura Remedies. We at once got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and one bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, and followed directions carefully. After the first dose of the Cuticura Resolvent we used the Cuticura Soap freely and applied the Cuticura Ointment. Thus she began to improve rapidly and in two weeks the scale came off her head and new hair began to grow. In a very short time she was well. She is now sixteen years of age and a picture of health! We used the Cuticura Remedies about five weeks, regularly, and then we could not tell she had been affected by the disease. We used no other treatment after we found out what the Cuticura Remedies would do for her. J. Fish and Mrs. M. Fish, Mt. Vernon, Ky., Oct. 12, 1909."

The Significant Wink. "I think," said the weary stranger, "that I'll go somewhere and take forty winks."

The hack driver looked puzzled. "What's the trouble?"

"I was wondering whether you wanted me to drive you to a hotel or a drug store."

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PROFITABLE TO RAISE CALVES DURING WINTER

They Do Not Cost as Much as Those Born in the Spring Owing to the Absence of Heat and Flies—How They Are Managed.

Calves dropped in the late fall and the early part of winter can be raised at less cost than calves dropped in spring. Spring calves do not receive much benefit from grass the first season, because for some six weeks after birth the ruminating stomach is undeveloped; then, again, the summer heat and the plague of flies are a serious drawback to healthy growth. In the fall and during the winter months, outdoor work not being so pressing, more time for feeding and caring for the calves may be given. The calves being fed mostly on milk and will, milk feed and oatmeal food, and kept in a warm, well-lighted box stall and under the management of a careful hand, will make a strong growth throughout the winter, and by April they will be large

from the mother. Afterward give sweet skim milk, to which may be added a little boiled oatmeal and second quality wheat flour. Feed lukewarm twice a day, about two quarts at each meal. Give the calf the two fingers of the right hand to suck up the milk at first. The calf will soon learn to drink the milk without the hand. Feed at regular hours. After the milk has been drunk put a little hay in the calf's mouth. A little bright, sweet clover hay should be tied in the pen every day. This will teach the calf to eat. Have a clean feed bucket. Disease and no end of germs lurk in the seams of a dirty bucket. A wooden bucket should not be used unless scoured out daily. The buckets should be washed, scalded and set in the sun every day. The female



Content.

enough to turn out to pasture and do well on the dry rations of the following winter. The fall calf, properly fed and cared for, can be served when 16 to 18 months of age, coming fresh the latter part of the second winter.

The calf should be left with the cow for several days after birth, as the milk of the cow, which is of a turbid, yellowish color, unfit for human food, but having medicinal qualities, wisely designed by nature to free the bowels and intestines of the new-born animal from the mucous, excrementitious matter always existing in the stomach of the calf after birth. This milk should never be given to older calves, as it would produce scours. For the first few days give fresh, newly drawn milk

calves from the best cows should be raised. It is well to raise a choice male animal, to take the place of the head bull when he becomes too old or vicious. Dairymen having the pasture and the forage should raise their cows, instead of buying them. Better milkers may be had and at much less cost. The labor cost of raising a calf should not be counted, as the farmer should attend to this part of the business. He has abundant time not only to raise the calves, but also to feed and help milk. Unless the owner gives careful attention to details he had better give up the milk business. The calf pen should be kept clean, given dry bedding and fully exposed to the sunshine and well aired.

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(By H. E. KINGMAN)

A horse cannot do satisfactory work with shoulders that pain him every time he takes a step. The horse may be looked upon as a machine that is expected to do so much work, and if some of the mechanism is out of order then the amount of work is lessened. But, also, the animal must be looked upon as a creature with feeling and ambition, taking pride in its work, that is a willing, obedient and therefore valuable servant, and should be properly cared for.

The first thing of importance to consider in the draught horse is the collar. Most of the injured shoulders are the result of poorly fitting collars, and the fault usually lies in a collar being too large. It is a good idea to have a harness maker fit the collars to your horses. He may be able to remove padding and in other ways make the collar over so that it will fit nicely. Heavy collar pads are to be avoided if possible. They are hot and cause the shoulders to sweat; this keeps the pad and shoulder wet, and the skin becomes soft and blisters easily.

Dirty collars are probably as responsible for sores on shoulders as ill-fitting ones. In the spring especially, when the horse's hair is long, he is soft from lack of work, and sweats profusely. This forms a gummy dirt that adheres to the collar and makes, when dry, a hard, rough surface. The ordinary farm hand feels that his duty is done if he scrapes the dirt from the collar with the back of his jackknife. This method, however, is not an especially good one for the leather of the collar, and a smooth surface is not left. A damp sponge used in the evening as soon as the collar is taken off will, in one or two minutes, remove the dirt. This may be followed by an oil rag; if this is done the collar in the morning should be soft and smooth.

Careless driving, jerking a horse out of the furrow and into it again, allowing him to work with his head around on one side, all tend to produce sore shoulders.

Of course, the first precaution to take is not to ask a colt to do a full day's work until he learns something about his job and ceases to fret. The shoulder will then gradually become toughened. It is a good idea to sprin-

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(By W. M. KELLY)

The truck farmer who is farming without manure maintains the supply of nitrogen in his soil by the use of legumes and buys a fertilizer rich in phosphoric acid and potash. In this way he secures a better balanced fertilizer than the dairyman who uses manure rich in nitrogen and deficient in the mineral elements on clover sod that is already rich in nitrogen.

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In this way he would be making better use of the supply of nitrogen and the purchase of a small amount of mineral fertilizers would enable him to greatly increase the yield of every crop grown in the rotation that is followed in growing food for his cattle.

I believe that we should try and incorporate some of the methods of soil handling practised by the trucker and market crop grower into the management of our dairy business if we succeed in deriving from it the largest and most certain profits.

It is difficult to conceive of a more profitable type of farming than a judicious blending of dairy farming and market crop growing, but in order to successfully combine these two types of agriculture we must abandon old and unprofitable methods of dairying and get right down to a study of the principles of soil fertility.

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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Mary Brogan of Howell was in town Monday.

Cut Prices on Ladies Coats at Dancer's—Stockbridge.

The Misses Mable Smith and Gertrude Hoff spent Thanksgiving in Stockbridge.

Stephen and Ferris Aldrich of Howell spent Thanksgiving with friends and relatives here.

Do your Christmas shopping early and do it at Dancer's—Stockbridge. Their assortments will be larger than ever.

Dr. A. B. Green and family of Jackson visited at the home of A. B. Green and family of this place, Thanksgiving.

"Out in the Streets" was a great success at Stockbridge; will be better here Friday evening December 2.

Mrs. Dora Davis of Howell is visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. H. W. Crofoot and other friends for a few days.

Miss Francis Carpenter returned home last week after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. O. A. Tupper at Pingree.

Mr. and Mrs. John Monks entertained James Henley and wife of Jackson and Clyde Smith and wife of Detroit over Thanksgiving.

The Home Talent Co. of Stockbridge will play "Out in the Streets" Friday evening, December 2 at Pinckney opera house.

A. E. Neynabor and family of Detroit were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dunning from last Wednesday to Saturday.

Six loads of Christmas trees taken from the Braley swamp in Plainfield passed thru this place Sunday morning on their way to Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Dorothy Davidson of Chicago who is attending the U. of M. spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting at the home of Geo. W. Teeple.

H. M. Williston and family entertained G. A. Williston and wife of Bay City, B. F. Williston and wife of Detroit and Arthur Allyn of Chelsea, Thanksgiving day.

J. C. Mortenson and son of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with relatives here. About three weeks ago Mr. Mortenson was married to Mrs. Mary Tefel of that place. Though a little late, we extend congratulations.

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Walter Seegmiller was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

C. H. Vines of near Howell was in town Monday.

Miss Fannie Swarthout spent Thanksgiving in Jackson.

Henry and Francis Harris were in Howell last Friday.

Mrs. Michael Lavey visited relatives in Anderson Friday.

Geo. Coleman was in Howell Friday of last week on business.

Read Armstrong & Barron's big adv. on page five of this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry visited her parents in Iosco Thursday.

Fred Read of Detroit spent Thanksgiving with his parents here.

Jacob Bowers and wife visited relatives in Rochester Thanksgiving.

Miss Viola Peters visited her parents in Jackson from Thursday until Monday.

Miss Florence Andrews of Detroit visited her parents here Thanksgiving.

Miss Mary Humphrey spent the Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Hamburg.

Frank Brogan of Detroit visited his parents, Chris Brogan and wife, Thanksgiving.

Chas. Bowman of Charlotte visited his son Fred and family here the last of last week.

Morley Vaughn of the Detroit Medical College was home for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Dr. Will Monks of Howell was the guest of his mother and other relatives here Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Andrews left Tuesday for Bradentown, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

The Temperance Drama, "Out in the Streets," will be given here Friday evening December 2 at opera house.

Mrs. Jas. Green of Howell visited her parents, W. A. Carr and wife, here several days the last of last week.

W. H. Clark and wife were called to Oak Grove last Saturday evening on account of the death of Mrs. Clark's cousin, Miss Clara-bell Pearce.

Walter Seegmiller of Cadillac has been visiting his sister, Mrs. A. Balgooyen for some time and taking treatment at the Sanitarium here.

Kirk Van Winkle, wife and two daughters of Lansing visited his parents, C. V. Van Winkle and wife Thanksgiving and her parents, Jas. Marble and wife Friday.

Chas. E. Holmes, wife and son; Frank Hoff, wife and daughter; and C. L. Bennett and wife of Lansing spent Thanksgiving at the home of Jas. Marble and wife.

The Thanksgiving party given by the Bachelor Club at the opera house here last Wednesday evening was largely attended. An excellent oyster supper was served by D. D. Smith. All report a fine time.

Miss Ruth Potterton entertained the Misses Alice and Kathleen Roche, Helen Monks and Josephine Culhaue at a three course six o'clock dinner last Friday evening, in honor of Miss Leonor Neynabor of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reason entertained the following at dinner Thanksgiving: Chas. Eddy and wife of Northville, Harry Rose and family of Ann Arbor, E. G. Carpenter and wife of Pettysville and Garner Carpenter and family of this place.

All persons owing me on book account are requested to kindly call and settle same by January 1st, 1911, either by cash or note.

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ERNEST C. MORGAN RAY SHARP HOWARD F. CARY ALBERT FORCE RAY BRAVENDER EDNA LILLIE SARA LILLIE HAZEL HALL GLENADISE HALL.	ACT II—A robbery. Out in the street. A reunited family. The arrest.
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Local News

Miss Addie Kice of Howell was in town Friday.

Oliver Smith of Gregory was in town Saturday last.

Leo Monks was in Detroit the latter part of last week.

Dr. H. F. Sigler was called to Fowlerville last Friday.

Mrs. Ella Jackson who has been ill for some time, is again able to be about.

H. R. Geer and wife spent Thanksgiving at the home of her parents in Oak Grove.

Ed. Noble and wife of Howell visited her sister, Mrs. Samuel Grimes, Thanksgiving.

Miss Lela Monks of the Lansing schools spent Thanksgiving vacation with her parents here.

Glenn Carpenter of Shelby visited at the home of Alden Carpenter the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Matt Brady and two children of Howell spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends here.

Quite a number from here attended the Thanksgiving party at Stockbridge last Thursday evening.

Florence, Helen, Walter and Clair Reason visited their sister Mrs. John Rane at Whitmore Lake over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. F. D. Youngs, son Bert, and daughter Grace, and Mrs. E. W. Mann of Detroit, Mrs. A. K. Pierce of South Lyon, and Mrs. Jennie Sigler of Stillwater, Minn., spent Thanksgiving at the home of F. A. Sigler.

LOYAL GUARDS

Members of the Loyal Guards are hereby notified that they are to make their payments from this date at the store of W. W. Barnard. There is one due now.

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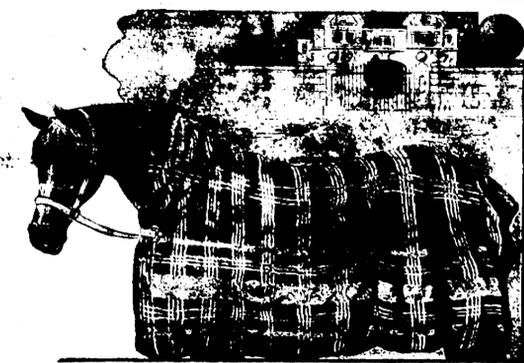
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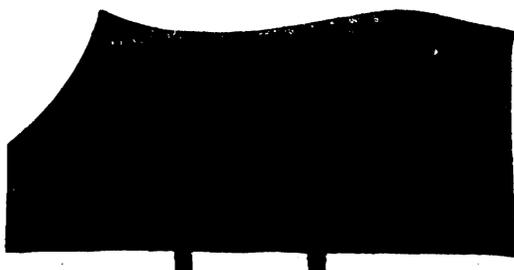
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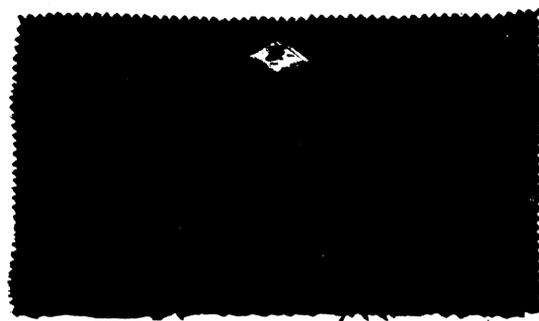
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Pinckney Dispatch

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COUCH OF LUXURY.

The most perfect resting place ever devised for a human being is just beneath the roof, and then you must be able to see the shingle nails sticking through. If a gentle rain be falling, so much the better. Five minutes spent in that sweet retreat are enough to banish the memory of every trouble. Debt and death lose their terrors, and the peace that passes understanding comes upon you, says the Washington Post. You become a boy again and enter once more into the world that used to be. Soon the dark corners of the room are peopled with the images of childhood. Over where the old clothes are hanging you can see the outlines of a dismantled ship, white down the sandy shore come Robinson Crusoe and Man Friday. A swarthy face peeps from behind the big trunk. It is Faringhea, the stranger, creeping stealthily upon his victim. Faster and faster they come, some pleasing, some ferocious. You welcome them all and are not a bit afraid, and the rain drips, drips, with a steady, monotonous sound. Then comes a blank. Next morning the spell is broken, but the memory remains. You see the old clothes and the trunk, and find that the only goblin tapestry in the room is a cluster of cobwebs over the little dormer window. But you had slept the sleep of the just, and found it most refreshing.

The passenger traffic between the United States and Europe continues to offer most alluring inducements. Many of the big companies are adding the newest, largest and swiftest vessels to their fleets. One of the latest launches is that of a ship that is being built by a French line, to run to New York. This is one of the greatest craft yet completed, and when put in commission will be able to carry 2,020 passengers. The total cost will be about \$5,000,000. That is what foreign concerns are doing to get American trade. And Americans permit them to monopolize a business that should be in American control and which should be a most important auxiliary in extending American commerce.

English owners of homing pigeons have lost so many of them this season that they believe there is an especial cause. This cause, many of them are inclined to suspect, is wireless telegraphy. Many will dismiss the indictment as fanciful, on account of the comparative weakness of the current which wireless telegraphy brings into play. The answer to this is that the current does not kill the birds, but only confuses them, causing them to miss their way. If the Marconi current affects pigeons, why not gulls? Indeed, it would seem not impossible that wireless telegraph stations may be the means of greater disaster to gulls than lighthouses.

From London comes the announcement of the death of the woman who claimed to be the original of "Little Dorrit," that famous character of Dickens. The lady was entitled to the benefit of the doubt, but it is a fact that similar claims have been made by others. It is also asserted that a brother of the woman who has just died was the original "Tiny Tim," and that he served in part as the model for "Paul Dombey." If all those assertions can be proved it would seem that the family formed a sort of trust for Dickens characters.

Perhaps if the truth were known a considerable proportion of the so-called automobile "accidents" would be found to have resulted from befuddled heads and unsteady nerves. The menace of a man under the influence of liquor and in an automobile is easily appreciated, and when it is demonstrated that crashes on the road are due to drunkenness the punishment should be severe. Those who insist upon running amuck on the highways should be made to pay a heavy penalty, whether they be sober or drunk.

The usual fate of get-rich-quick schemes is collapse at the end. And the "lamb" are fleeced as a preliminary. A speculative scheme of this kind in Connecticut has brought up in the bankruptcy court, with unsecured claims of \$500,000 to be settled. And the further sequel no doubt will be the charging of the sum to the profit and loss account of those foolish enough to "invest."

A German musician says that our craze for ragtime is the great obstacle to creative work in American music. "Ragtime" sounds like a faint echo from our past. Our friend must have got his idea from old newspaper files.

Among airmen excessive avoidance of a discount, most of the successful atmosphere navigators being physical lightweighters. In this as in some other matters good goods often come in small packages.

HUNTERS SWARM MICHIGAN WOODS

Estimates That 26,000 Are Hunting Deer in State.

PERMITS TO SHIP CARCASSES

Clerk of Houghton Reports That There Are About 1,500 Nimrods Busy in His County—Reports of the State Game Warden.

Lansing.—There are approximately 26,000 deer hunters in the woods of Michigan, according to estimates made in the office of the state game and fish warden here. Of these 21,000 are in the upper peninsula and the other 5,000 in lower Michigan.

The purser of the car ferry operating between Mackinaw City and St. Ignace reports that up until November 18 3,320 hunters had crossed the straits on his boat. There had been 127 permits to ship deer carcasses out of the state issued to date. The county clerk of Houghton county reports that there are about 1,500 Nimrods busy in his county.

Robert Shoeman, a seventy-four-year-old hunter of Liberty Center, O., escaped serious punishment for an infraction of the hunting laws because of his age. He was arrested in Houghton county on a charge of taking out a Michigan hunter's license, at a cost of about three dollars, instead of the foreign license required by law, which would have cost him \$25. Because of his age the fine was set at \$25. The penalty provided allows of a \$200 fine.

Last season James Crawford and G. A. Burd of Duncan, Pa., secured resident hunters' licenses in this state. Crawford later changed his mind about taking the hunting trip. Burd shot two deer and shipped one of the carcasses to Duncan under the name of Crawford. The Houghton county game warden secured a warrant for Burd last year, but was unable to serve it until this season, when the man returned. Burd paid \$150 fine.

Have Smallpox Under Control.

Lansing.—"We have run ahead of the game. Lansing should not have any more cases of smallpox springing from those already here."

With these words, City Physician Jones characterized the smallpox situation in Lansing. After several days of wholesale vaccination of pupils in the public schools, of employees in the factories and large business concerns, and of many others about the city, he unites with the other physicians of Lansing in saying that such a general stampede to be vaccinated he has never before witnessed, and because of it Lansing need not fear that many more cases of the contagious disease will develop within her own borders.

"It is due to two factors," said he. "The newspapers, which have continued to urge the necessity of vaccination, have conducted a campaign of education invaluable to the city. I told a man the other day that if he would keep still that the city health officers and the newspapers would handle the situation so that there would be no need to fear that business would be injured here. The other factor that has hastened people to the doctors to be vaccinated has been the few deaths which have resulted in other cities in the state.

"We are ahead of the game. Vaccination prevents the spread of smallpox. We need not fear much from those cases which are already in the city. They are mild, and we know that six out of the seven came from other cities, where the disease has been prevalent. Of course, there may be a few more cases which come as a result of outside infection.

Railway Board's Report Issued.

The annual report of the state railroad commission for the year ending December 31, 1909, was issued. The book contains more than one thousand pages and gives in detail all information concerning the various steam and electric roads in the state and work of the commission accomplished last year.

According to the statistics compiled in the report there were 88,848 employees connected with the various steam and electric roads in the state. This figure included every one from the high officials to the section hands and roundhouse employees. The total passenger fares collected on all steam roads in Michigan for the year ending June 30, 1909, amounted to \$13,520,875.04, while the total earnings from all sources, including fares, for the same period of time totaled \$17,260,472.88. The total passenger fares collected from all electric lines which do an interurban business was \$9,723,831.93. The total freight revenue of steam roads for the same period amounted to \$37,200,123.22.

D. M. Ferry Perved by Auditor's Cut. Will Dexter M. Ferry, president of the state board of education, brings suit against the state of Michigan for \$7,142. A report of such an intention has reached the state board of auditors, and although it does not seem to be causing them any annoyance, yet they are wondering.

It appears that on September 15, 1910, Mr. Ferry filed with the board of auditors a bill of his expense account as president of the board, June 3, 1909, to August 23, 1910, which amounted to \$146.11.

U. of M. Co-Eds Well Cared For.

There is much done for the co-ed at the University of Michigan in an intellectual, physical and a social way, and in all the long years since the first co-ed came here, there has never been as much care taken of her in every way as there is today.

Once there was a time when the co-ed was generally of that mature age and that austere appearance that just to think of interesting oneself in her welfare was a joke. At Michigan there will be found as dainty and pretty co-eds as one would hope to find in any of the aristocratic colleges for women in the east. Where they were once without style, sloopy and without attraction, today they are trim, well-groomed, blooming with youth and health and mighty attractive features of the University of Michigan. They are bright, as a rule, and their class standings are high, and yet they are fun-loving girls.

Taking the matter of the physical training. Every freshman co-ed must take gymnasium work, unless because of some organic heart trouble she is physically unable to take the work. This year there are 181 freshmen girls taking work in Barbour gymnasium. Of this number there are 17 who have to do light work, because of a tendency to weak lungs, and 26 girls whose hearts are too weak to allow of their taking the regular gymnasium exercises.

In the case of the girls with weak lungs, there are none whose condition is at all serious. All of these will be helped and possibly cured of their weakness, through the special work that is being given them under the supervision of the director, Miss Bigelow.

Valuation Figures Ready in June.

Lansing.—The state tax commission had a short session at Detroit in the Hotel Ponchartrain, mainly for the purpose of discussing figures for the coming equalization.

"Under the law," said Tax Commissioner Shields, "we are obliged to submit our figures on the value of the property of the state, and as we have only a small force it means a lot of hard work. We hope to get our work done by next June. Five years ago the board of equalization paid no attention to the state tax commission, and it remains to be seen what course will be pursued next year. Of course the valuation will be much larger, but as yet we have arrived at no conclusions, and we cannot until the necessary data have been collected."

Secretary George Lord, who will be a member of the legislature, will leave his position next month, and the board will hold a meeting about December 15, in Lansing, to decide on his successor.

Hot Race Is On in National Guard.

Who will be the next adjutant general of the Michigan National Guard? This question is being asked with a good deal of interest in every city where there is a National Guard company, and from appearances it is believed that Gen. William T. McGurrin of Grand Rapids will succeed himself.

The second infantry, which General McGurrin formerly commanded, has inducted him solidly, as has the Third infantry, commanded by Col. George B. McCaughna of Owosso. Of the First infantry, the two companies located in Jackson and the companies in Ann Arbor and Monroe, comprising the Second battalion, have also petitioned the governor-elect for the retention of the present adjutant general.

Say Grand Lodge Seeks Control.

That shrewd politics is being played by the grand lodge of Masons in the matter of accepting the Alma sanitarium for a state home is the claim of members of the order here, who predict that the grand lodge will accept the A. W. Wright gift and by this acceptance gain absolute control over the home.

The grand lodge of Masons of this state, as it has stood for years, was forced to shoulder 80 per cent. of the expense of maintaining the home, the remaining 20 per cent. being taken care of by the grand council, grand chapter and grand commanders.

Refuses to Alter D. & M. Log Rate.

The state railroad commission is reporting to the Wayne circuit court that an examination of testimony taken in the D. & M. log rate case has not caused the commission to revise its rate schedule.

Under the law the commission is authorized to examine the testimony taken in a rate case before judgment is rendered to determine whether the testimony reveals any reason why the commission should revise its schedule of rates.

In the report the commission announces that no information warranting any revision was produced, and further that there is no known method of computing the cost of operation.

On this point the commission declares that the verified annual report of the railroad company shows that the road earns 8.7 per cent. on its total valuation.

The proceedings were originally instituted before the commission by shippers of Alpena who alleged the D. & M. charges exorbitant rates on log shipments.

George Lord to Resign.

The state tax commission held a session at Detroit. George Lord, secretary of the commission, had his official resignation ready to present to the commission as soon as they came together. Mr. Lord's election to the state legislature made it necessary for him to give up his state job.

MICHIGAN NEWS TERSELY TOLD

Port Huron.—John Burgess of Oklahoma City, Okla., blew out the gas in his room in a local hotel. Employees rescued him in time.—John F. Wright, aged eighty, of Sarnia, drank carbolic acid and then refused to take an antidote when a physician arrived. The aged man's life was saved by the doctor, however. His wife had made a complaint against him, charging that he was insane and then he was locked up in the Sarnia jail.—Rev. W. J. Campbell, pastor of the First Congregational church, has been elected president of the Port Huron Ministerial association to succeed Rev. George B. Crawford, who will leave Port Huron soon to take up missionary work.

Standish.—Joe Goulan was standing on a stump when his gun slipped. Both barrels discharged, tearing away his hip. He will live.

Menominee.—The frozen body of Rodney Stage, who accidentally shot and killed himself, was found in the woods near Cedar river.

Howard City.—Mrs. Adam Heminger has just celebrated her one hundredth birthday anniversary. Until a year ago she performed all her own work.

Flint.—Word received here says that Harry Harrowen, twenty-five, a former resident of this city, was killed by a falling tree in Ravensville, a suburb of Seattle, Wash.

Grand Rapids.—Robert Gibson, the eight-year-old son of George M. Gibson, had his arm cut off and suffered other injuries when he fell beneath a street car.

Cadillac.—Ira Jenkins, a pioneer of Colfax township, fell, suffered concussion of the brain, and died. He was seventy-five years old and leaves a widow and three children.

Hillsdale.—Michael Phinney, a resident of Jonesville for more than forty-five years, dropped dead. He was the only Democrat in Jonesville holding office. He leaves a widow and daughter.

Durand.—F. H. Potter, who came from New York state to Shiawassee county in 1856, is dead. He served as president of the village and held many township and county offices. He was seventy-seven years old.

Lansing.—Governor Warner is visiting several eastern states in the interests of the prison industries commission, which is to report to the next legislature a scheme for the employment of convicts in Michigan prisons.

Howell.—A post-mortem examination on the body of Henry Knop, who was shot and killed in his home, near Oak Grove, revealed nine bullet holes. It is now certain Line took the Chicago-bound Grand Trunk train at Durand.

Cassopolis.—Ralph Matthews, a negro, aged twenty-one, stabbed and perhaps fatally wounded his uncle, Milton Matthews, when the latter attacked him in their home. The elder man returned from South Bend intoxicated and attacked his nephew, says the latter. Young Matthews gave himself up.

Traverse City.—A burglar who evidently concealed himself on the stairway leading to the local Elks' club room and waited until all the members had gone home, rifled the cash register, securing nearly \$100. A heavy padlock on the outer door of the room was broken to gain entrance.

Ann Arbor.—One of the most remarkable operations in the history of the homeopathic hospital of the U. of M. was performed when Miss Clara Louch, of Chesaning, submitted to having her spleen removed. The organ, which is connected with the stomach, has heretofore been considered vital and though former like operations have always resulted fatally, it is said that Miss Louch will recover.

Jackson.—Marie Baker as "Rose, the ex-chorus lady," in "The Girl and the Taxi," which played a local theater, became intoxicated, according to the manager of the production, and during the last act she so far outshone the other members of the cast, that the police were called and Marie was allowed to recite the remaining lines of her part at the local police station. Friends in the company routed out a local justice after the play and Marie was assessed \$10 and costs. She also lost her job and boarded an early train for Chicago.

Grand Rapids.—That a blow on the head from a falling brick four years ago has made a criminal of 17-year-old John Wilson, who served three years in the reform school and is now under arrest on a charge of burglarizing a residence, is the statement of local medical authorities. Young Wilson and William Powell, a companion, were passing a local theater when several loosened bricks fell on their heads. For a time it was thought they could not recover. Powell is now a simpleton and physicians say Wilson will have to be operated on to be reformed of his criminal tendencies.

Battle Creek.—While his wife was at the home of his sister, whose husband had died, John Watkins, a well-known lumberman who had been left alone at home with a daughter, died suddenly from heart failure. Mr. Watkins had been indisposed but he was not confined to his bed. The doctor diagnosed his case as nervous prostration.

Cadillac.—Louis Sable, 51, a Lake City clothing merchant, dropped dead of heart disease in the Y. M. C. A. building here. He leaves a widow and three children. The body will be shipped to Detroit for burial.

MUTINY IN BRAZIL'S NAVY

Government Forced to Recognize All Demands of the Mutineers.

The crews of the Brazilian warships Minas Geraes and Sao Paulo mutinied at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Capt. Neves of the Minas Geraes had been dining on the French warship Duguay Trouin. He returned to his ship at about 10 o'clock. As he boarded her a great uproar broke out and rifles were fired. This was the first intimation of a mutiny.

Capt. Neves, two other officers and a few sailors resisted the mutineers but they were soon killed. Another officer was mortally wounded. The crew shouted "Long live liberty."

Immediately thereafter the crew of the scout ship Bahia mutinied and all their officers were put ashore. First Class Seaman Candido took command of the squadron. The ships were plentifully supplied with ammunition.

Terrified by the killing of several officers of the warships and the bombardment of the city, the government and the members of both house and senate hastened to promise to the rebels a remedy for every one of their grievances. The mutineers on the four vessels of the Brazilian navy surrendered, having won all their demands and secured, in addition, a full amnesty from congress.

\$50,000,000 Loot Charged.

Federal officials raided the offices occupied by Burr Brothers in New York, a corporation dealing in stocks and other securities.

The raid was made on warrants charging use of the mails to defraud investors.

Postoffice officials say that the concern had sold to investors at par value between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000 of stock in various companies, most of which have gone out of existence or become bankrupt.

The officers arrested were Sheldon C. Burr, president; Frank H. Tobey, vice-president; and Eugene H. Burr, secretary-treasurer. Arrests are expected to be made in Cleveland, Chicago, Los Angeles and San Francisco, where the corporation has extensive offices. Postoffice officials have been working on the case for months. Hundreds of complaints have been made against the corporation by investors, who charge that they have been swindled.

Dr. Crippen Hanged.

Dr. Hawley Harvey Crippen, formerly of Detroit, Ann Arbor and Coldwater, Mich., was hanged at 2 minutes past 9 Friday morning in the yard of Pentonville prison, thus paying the penalty for the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore, the vandeville actress.

The announcement of the execution from the prison was accompanied by the official statement that Dr. Crippen made no statement or confession whatsoever before being hanged.

The condemned man, who throughout his trial and even until Home Secretary Churchill had refused a petition for his reprieve, had maintained an imperturbable calmness, presented a pitiable appearance as he was literally carried through the short corridor from his cell to the scaffold.

Taft's Thanksgiving Quiet.

President Taft spent a comparatively quiet Thanksgiving day. In the morning, with Mrs. Taft, he attended the pan-American Thanksgiving service at St. Patrick's church. Secretary of State Knox, other members of the cabinet and representatives of practically every nation in the two Americas were present. Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Diomedo Falconio, the apostolic delegate, attended the celebration of the mass.

Remaining from St. Patrick's the president took luncheon at the White House. In the afternoon he continued his work upon his annual message to congress, interrupting it late in the day to take an automobile ride with Mrs. Taft through Rock Creek park.

Parcel Post Urged by Hitchcock.

A limited parcels post for the rural free delivery routes will be recommended by Postmaster General Hitchcock in his annual report.

In announcing this the postmaster general foresees the establishment of a general parcels post throughout the country as soon as the postal savings system is thoroughly organized.

As the preliminary step in the development of such a service Mr. Hitchcock will ask congress to authorize the delivery on rural routes of parcels weighing as high as eleven pounds, which is the weight limit for the international parcel post.

This form of service, it is maintained, can be conducted with little, if any, additional expense to the government.

Eleven coal miners were entombed in mine No. 3 of the Providence Mining Co., at Providence, Ky., following a gas explosion, and it is believed all are dead.

At the risk of being blown to pieces Policeman Benjamin Fay rushed into a tenement house in New York and extinguished the fuse of a bomb just in time to save sixteen families from possible death.

40 GIRLS BURNED; 50 MORE HURT

FOUR-STORY BRICK BUILDING AT NEWARK, N. J., SCENE OF AWFUL HOLOCAUST.

MOST OF THE VICTIMS IN THE FACTORY BLAZE ARE YOUNG WOMEN.

Many Leap From the Top of the Structure Through Smoke That Hides Rescue Nets.

A death-dealing fire, the most fatal that ever visited Newark, N. J., occurred when the old Domestic Sewing Machine building, at High and Orange streets, burned to the ground. Building 40 girls employed in the building met death, and 50 were taken to hospitals.

Twenty-three bodies have been recovered, and of these 19 had been identified. The identity of the others may never be determined.

The building had four floors, and contained five manufactories. It had formerly been occupied by the Domestic Sewing Machine Co. Portions of it were oil-soaked, and flamed up instantly. There was but one fire escape, and in a couple of minutes after the alarm of fire it was enveloped by flames.

One hundred and twenty-two girls were employed in the building by the five firms quartered there.

Madero's Silence Mystifies Many.

Until the whereabouts of Francisco L. Madero is definitely known, it cannot be asserted definitely that the present compulsory quiet in Mexico will continue.

This is the opinion of Texans who know Mexico and its people as they know their own state. A great mass of correspondence has come in during the last three days from Parrel, Chihuahua and Torreon, from business men, lawyers, doctors and newspaper men. All deplore the disorders of a week ago and all declare that the government is in control except in a few scattered places.

The fact that the insurgent leader's whereabouts is not known leads to the supposition that he is engaged in an attempt to join some band of his sympathizers with arms and other munitions of war. But this is only a supposition. If he fails to do so, the small hands now abroad undoubtedly will be gradually exterminated.

Red Cross to Send Out First Aid Car.

Covering a wider field than the portable rescue station being put into service by the bureau of mines, a car will be put on the road by the American Red Cross society about December 5, which will teach first-aid-to-the-injured work to railroad employes, employes of factories, as well as covering other ground where there is danger from accidents.

While this car, which will be known as "the American Red Cross first aid car," will cover a somewhat different field than the bureau of mines' cars, it will work in the mining districts and also will be available in case of mine disasters.

The car, which is now in Buffalo receiving its equipment, was presented to the American Red Cross society by the Pullman Car Co., and the railroads will make no charge for hauling the portable first aid school throughout the country.

Dr. M. Whitfield Glasgow of Birmingham, Ala., will have charge of the car.

Hurl Rocks at Windows.

The political campaign is being waged with a fierceness hitherto unknown in England, both by politicians on the stump and suffragettes on the battlefield.

The battle of Downing street, London, which was fought when several hundred suffragettes attempted to storm the premier's residence, assaulted Mr. Asquith and Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, and broke many windows in the government offices, surpassed all previous spectacles of the sort. About 150 women and several men supporters are in the police station.

Paralysis Takes Judge Taylor.

Judge Robert Walker Taylor, United States judge for the northern district of Ohio, and well known in Detroit from his recent connection with the Detroit United Railway controversy, died suddenly at his home in Cleveland after an illness of less than five hours. Judge Taylor was stricken with paralysis Friday night at a charity festival in honor of St. Luke's hospital.

Lords Issue Up to People.

Finally rejecting the Asquith veto bill, the house of lords of England flung down the gage of battle by passing the Lansdowne-Rosebery proposals for the reformation of the upper chamber. The constitutional dispute will now go before the people at a general election.

The population of Oklahoma is 1,257,155, an increase of 242,978, or 17.2 per cent over 1,410,177 in 1907.

Geo. Warrington, of Chicago, was appointed by President Taft as chief naval constructor of the lightness service at \$4,000 per annum.

Reports to Lloyd's show several mishaps to craft from American ports. The British ship Crompton, from Tacoma, went ashore in the fog off Port Magee, Ireland, and will be a total wreck. All on board escaped. The American bark James Johnson was injured in a collision. The British steamer Vauxhall, which arrived at Algiers a few days ago, was beached. The British ship Frieda went ashore off Seabill, Scotland. Lloyd's reports the British steamer Silverdale missing.



"By the Way, Mrs. Conway Dropped in the Office Yesterday, While we Were Away."

The MAN in LOWER TEN
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SYNOPSIS.

Lawrence Blakeley, lawyer, goes to Pittsburg with the forged notes in the Bronson case to get the deposition of John Gilmore, millionaire. A body is found. Blakeley goes to buy her a Pullman ticket. He gives her lower 10 and returns lower 10. He finds a drunken man in lower 10 and returns in lower 10. He awakens in lower 10 and finds his clothes and bag missing. The man in lower 10 is found murdered. Circumstantial evidence points to both Blakeley and the man who stole his clothes. The train is wrecked and Blakeley is rescued from a burning car by a girl in blue. His arm is broken. The girl proves to be Allison West, his partner's sweetheart. Blakeley returns home and finds he is under surveillance. Moving pictures of the train taken just before the wreck reveal to Blakeley a man leaping from the train with his stolen grip. Investigation proves that the man's name is Sullivan. Mrs. Conway, the woman for whom Blakeley bought a Pullman ticket, tries to make a bargain with him for the forged notes, not knowing that they are missing. Blakeley and an amateur detective investigate the home of Sullivan's sister. From a servant Blakeley learns that Allison West had been there on a visit and Sullivan had been attentive to her. Sullivan is the husband of a daughter of the murdered man.

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Against both of these theories, I accuse a purely chimerical person named Sullivan, who was not seen by any of the survivors—save one, Allison, whom I could not bring into the case. I could find a motive for his murdering his father-in-law, whom he hated, but again—I would have to drag in the girl.

And not one of the theories explained the telegram and the broken neckless.

Outside the office force was arriving. They were comfortably ignorant of my presence, and over the transom floated scraps of dialogue and the stenographer's gurgling laugh. McKnight had a relative, who was reading law with him, in the intervals between calling up the young women of his acquaintance. He came in singing, and the office boy joined in with the uncertainty of voice of 15. I smiled grimly. I was too busy with my own troubles to find any joy in opening the door and starting them into silence. I even heard, without consent, Blobs of the uncertain voice inquire when "Blake" would be back.

I hoped McKnight would arrive before the arrest occurred. There were many things to arrange. But when at last, impatient of his delay, I telephoned, I found he had been gone for more than an hour. Clearly he was not coming directly to the office, and with such resignation as I could muster I paced the floor and waited.

I felt more alone than I have ever felt in my life. "Born an orphan," as Richey said, I had made my own way, carved out myself such success as had been mine. I had built up my house of life on the props of law and order, and now some unknown hand had withdrawn the supports, and I stood among ruins.

I suppose it is the maternal in a woman that makes a man turn to her when everything else fails. The eternal boy in him goes to have his wounded pride bandaged, his tattered self-respect repaired. If he loves the woman, he wants her to kiss the hurt.

The longing to see Allison, always with me, was stronger than I was that morning. It might be that I would not see her again. I had nothing to say to her save one thing, and

that, under the cloud that hung over me, I did not dare to say. But I wanted to see her, to touch her hand—as only a lonely man can crave it, I wanted the comfort of her, the peace that lay in her presence. And so, with every step outside the door a threat, I telephoned to her.

She was gone! The disappointment was great, for my need was great. In a fury of revolt against the scheme of things, I heard that she had started home to Richmond—but that she might still be caught at the station.

To see her had by that time become an obsession. I picked up my hat, threw open the door, and, obvious of my presence, followed so immediately by my exit, I dashed out to the elevator. As I went down in one cage I caught a glimpse of Johnson and two other men going up in the next. I hardly gave them a thought. There was no hansom in sight, and I jumped on a passing car. Let come what might, arrest, prison, disgrace, I was going to see Allison.

I saw her. I flung into the station, saw that it was empty—empty, for she was not there. Then I hurried back to the gates. She was there, a familiar figure in blue, the very gown in which I always thought of her, the one she had worn when, Heaven help me—I had kissed her, at the Carter farm. And she was not alone. Bending over her, talking earnestly, with all his boyish heart in his face, was Richey.

They did not see me, and I was glad of it. After all, it had been McKnight's game first. I turned on my heel and made my way blindly out of the station. Before I lost them I turned once and looked toward them, standing apart from the crowd, absorbed in each other. They were the only two people on earth that I cared about, and I left them there together. Then I went back miserably to the office and awaited arrest.

CHAPTER XXVI.

On to Richmond.

Strangely enough, I was not disturbed that day. McKnight did not appear at all. I sat at my desk and transacted routine business all afternoon, working with feverish energy. Like a man on the verge of a critical illness or a hazardous journey, I cleared up my correspondence, paid bills until I had writer's cramp from signing checks, read over my will, and paid up my life insurance, made to the benefit of an elderly sister of my mother's.

I no longer dreaded arrest. After that morning in the station, I felt that anything would be a relief from the tension. I went home with perfect openness, courting the warrant that I knew was waiting, but I was not molested. The delay puzzled me. The early part of the evening was uneventful. I read until late, with occasional lapses, when my book lay at my elbow, and I smoked and thought. Mrs. Klopston closed the house with ostentatious caution, about eleven, and hung around waiting to enlarge on the outrageousness of the police search. I did not encourage her. "One would think," she concluded

compactly, one foot in the hall, "that you were something you oughtn't to be." Mr. Lawrence. "They acted as though you had committed a crime."

"I'm not sure that I didn't," Mrs. Klopston, I said wearily. "Somebody did, and the general verdict seems to point my way."

She stared at me in speechless indignation. Then she founced out. She came back once to say that the paper predicted cooler weather, and that she had put a blanket on my bed, but, to her disappointment, I refused to reopen the subject.

At half-past eleven McKnight and Hotchkiss came in. Richey has a habit of stopping his car in front of the house and honking until some one comes out. He has a code of signals with the horn, which I never remember. Two long and a short blast mean, I believe, "Send out a box of cigarettes," and six short blasts, which sound like a police call, mean "Can you lend me some money?" Tonight I knew something was up, for he got out and rang the door-bell like a Christian.

They came into the library, and Hotchkiss wiped his collar until it gleamed. McKnight was aggressively cheerful.

"Not pinched yet?" he exclaimed. "What do you think of that luck! You always were a fortunate devil, Lawrence."

"Yes," I assented with some bitterness. "I hardly know how to contain myself for joy sometimes. I suppose you know"—to Hotchkiss—"that the police were here while we were at Cresson, and that they found the bag that I brought from the wreck?"

"Things are coming to a head," he said thoughtfully, "unless a little plan that I have in mind—" he hesitated. "I hope so; I am pretty nearly desperate," I said, doggedly. "I've got a mental toothache, and the sooner it's pulled the better."

"Tut, tut," said McKnight, "think of the disgrace to the firm if its senior member goes up for life, or—" he twisted his handkerchief into a noose, and went through an elaborate pantomime.

"Although jail isn't so bad, anyhow," he finished, "there are fellows that get the habit and keep going back and going back." He looked at his watch, and I fancied his cheerfulness was strained. Hotchkiss was nervously fumbling my book.

"Did you ever read the Purloined Letter, Mr. Blakeley?" he inquired.

"Probably, years ago," I said. "Poe, isn't it?"

He was choked at my indifference. "It is a masterpiece," he said, with enthusiasm. "I re-read it today."

"And what happened?"

"Then I inspected the rooms in the house off Washington Circle. I—I made some discoveries, Mr. Blakeley. For one thing, our man there is left-handed." He looked around for my approval. "There was a small cushion on the dresser, and the scarf-pin in it had been stuck in with the left hand."

"Somebody may have twisted the cushion," I objected, but he looked hurt, and I desisted.

"There is only one discrepancy," he admitted, "but it troubles me. According to Mrs. Carter, at the farmhouse, our man wore gaudy pajamas, while I found here only the most severely plain night-shirts."

"Any buttons off?" McKnight inquired, looking again at his watch.

"The buttons were there," the amateur detective answered gravely, "but the buttonhole next the top one was torn through."

McKnight winked at me furtively. "I am convinced of one thing," Hotchkiss went on, clearing his throat, "the papers are not in that room. Either he carries them with him, or he has sold them."

A sound on the street made both my visitors listen sharply. Whatever it was it passed on, however. I was growing curious and the restraint was telling on McKnight. He has no talent for secrecy. In the interval we discussed the strange occurrence at Cresson, which lost nothing by Hotchkiss' dry narration.

"And so," he concluded, "the woman in the Baltimore hospital is the wife of Henry Sullivan and the daughter of the man he murdered. No wonder he collapsed when he heard of the wreck."

"Joy, probably," McKnight put in. "Is that clock right, Lawrence? Never mind, it doesn't matter. By the way, Mrs. Conway dropped in the office yesterday, while you were away."

"What!" I sprang from my chair. "Sure thing. Said she had heard great things of us, and wanted us to handle her case against the railroad."

"I would like to know what she is driving at," I reflected. "Is she trying to reach me through you?"

Richey's flippancy is often a cloak for deeper feeling. He dropped it now. "Yes," he said, "she's after the notes, of course. And I'll tell you I felt like a poltroon—whatever that may be—when I turned her down. She stood by the door with her face white, and told me contemptuously that I could save you from a murder charge and wouldn't do it. She made me feel like a cur. I was just as guilty as if I could have obliged her. She hinted that there were reasons and she laid my attitude to beastly motives."

"Nonsense," I said, as easily as I could. Hotchkiss had gone to the window. "She was excited. There are no reasons," whatever, she means."

Richey put his hand on my shoulder. "We've been together too long to let any reasons or unreasons come between us, old man," he said, not very steadily.

Hotchkiss, who had been silent, here came forward in his most im-

pressive manner. He put his hands under his coat-tails and coughed.

"Mr. Blakeley," he began, "by Mr. McKnight's advice we have arranged a little interview here tonight. If all has gone as I planned, Mr. Henry Pluckey Sullivan is by this time under arrest. Within a very few minutes he will be here."

"I wanted to talk to him before he was locked up," Richey explained. "He's clever enough to be worth knowing, and, besides, I'm not so cocksure of his guilt as our friend the patch on the seat of government. No murderer worthy of the name needs six different motives for the same crime, beginning with robbery, and ending with an unpleasant father-in-law."

We were all silent for awhile. McKnight stationed himself at a window, and Hotchkiss paced the floor expectantly. "It's a great day for modern detective methods," he chirruped. "While the police have been guarding houses and standing with their mouths open waiting for clues to fall in and choke them, we have played together, bit by bit, a fabric."

The door-bell rang, followed immediately by sounds of footsteps in the hall. McKnight threw the door open, and Hotchkiss, raised on his toes, flung out his arm in a gesture of superb eloquence.

"Behold your man!" he declaimed.

Through the open doorway came a tall, blond fellow, clad in light gray, wearing tan shoes, and followed closely by an officer.

"I brought him here as you suggested, Mr. McKnight," said the constable.

But McKnight was doubled over the library table in silent convulsions of mirth, and I was almost as bad. Little Hotchkiss stood up, his important attitude finally changing to one of chagrin, while the blond man ceased to look angry, and became sheepish.

It was Stuart, our confidential clerk for the last half dozen years!

McKnight sat up and wiped his eyes.

"Stuart," he said sternly, "there are two very serious things we have learned about you. First, you jab your scarf-pins into your cushion with your left hand, which is most reprehensible; second, you wear—er—night-shirts, instead of pajamas. Worse than that, perhaps, we find that one of them has a buttonhole torn out at the neck."

Stuart was bewildered. He looked from McKnight to me, and then at the crestfallen Hotchkiss.

"I haven't any idea what it's all about," he said. "I was arrested as I reached my boarding-house to-night, after the theater, and brought directly here. I told the officer it was a mistake."

Poor Hotchkiss tried bravely to justify the fiasco.

"You can not deny," he contended, "that Mr. Andrew Bronson followed you to your rooms last Monday evening."

Stuart looked at us and flushed.

"No, I don't deny it," he said, "but there was nothing criminal about it, on my part, at least. Mr. Bronson has been trying to induce me to secure the forged notes for him. But I did not even know where they were."

"And you were not on the wrecked Washington Flier?" persisted Hotchkiss. But McKnight interfered.

"There is no use trying to put the other man's identity on Stuart, Mr. Hotchkiss," he protested. "He has been our confidential clerk for six years, and has not been away from the office a day for a year. I am afraid that the beautiful fabric we have pieced out of all these scraps is going to be a crazy quilt." His tone was facetious, but I could detect the undercurrent of real disappointment.

I paid the constable for his trouble, and he departed. Stuart, still indignant, left to go back to Washington Circle. He shook hands with McKnight and myself magnanimously, but he hurled a look of utter hatred at Hotchkiss, sunk crestfallen in his chair.

"As for as I can see," said McKnight dryly, "we're exactly as far along as we were the day we met at the Carter place. We're not a step nearer to finding our man."

"We have one thing that may be of value," I suggested. "He is the husband of a bronze-haired woman at Van Kirk's hospital, and it is just possible we may trace him through her. I hope we are not going to lose your valuable co-operation, Mr. Hotchkiss?" I asked.

He roused at that to feeble interest. "I—oh, of course not, if you still care to have me, I—I was wondering about—the man who just went out, Stuart, you say?—told his landlady to-night that he wouldn't need the room again. I hope she hasn't rented it to somebody else."

We cheered him as best we could, and I suggested that we go to Baltimore the next day and try to find the real Sullivan through his wife. He left sometime after midnight, and Richey and I were alone.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

As George Sees the Peers. "David Lloyd George," said the miner from Wales, as he emptied his glass of crrw, "David is a very witty speaker. I've heard him many a time in Carnarvon."

Speaking in Welsh, he once ridiculed in Carnarvon the house of lords. He said the average peer thought so much of himself that at family prayers he always made one well-known passage run: "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the lords forever!"—London Globe.

HUSBAND AND WIFE FIGHT FATAL DUEL WITH GUNS

'E ARMED WITH SHOTGUN AND SHE WITH A REVOLVER.

Lake Charles, La.—A duel between husband and wife—he armed with a double-barreled shotgun, she with a revolver—was the death setting for Dr. Temple Smith of this city, who died here from a bullet wound inflicted by Mrs. Smith. This was the sensational story brought out by Mrs. Smith's testimony before the coroner's jury, which declared Mrs. Smith responsible for her husband's death. "He slapped my face," she said. "I protested at such treatment. He became enraged. 'Get your gun,' he told me. 'I'll get mine, and we'll fight it out right here.'" Mrs. Smith said that she got a pistol. A negro boy con-



Duel to the Death.

firmed her statement that Dr. Smith had a shotgun. The pair met in the hallway of their residence. Whether the doctor attempted to use his shotgun was not brought out. Mrs. Smith fired two shots. The second shot struck her husband and he staggered to his room. "It was a fair fight; you won; now put me out of my misery," were his dying words.

LIVE "CORPSE" AT HOSPITAL

Farmer's Back Broken by Falling Tree—Wife Ships Him to Surgeons in "Dead Man's Basket."

Philadelphia.—John Cramer, a farmer, fifty-nine years old, of Bartonville, Pa., lies at the Pennsylvania hospital with a broken back. A huge tree which he was felling suddenly toppled over and pinned him to the ground.

After Cramer was injured the question arose as to how to obtain the services of the best Philadelphia surgeons. Mrs. Cramer and her friends had to act quickly, and it was decided to ship the farmer to Philadelphia in an undertaker's casket. The casket is called a "dead man's basket," and is of wicker.

The Pennsylvania hospital had been notified in advance, and an ambulance waited at the Broad street station for the patient. The baggage master slowly carried the great oval basket to the car door.

Some mistake must have been made, thought the hospital attendants. They drew back, fearing that their wait had been in vain and that their only service would be to carry a body to the morgue. Quietly the train crew explained. The cargo, this time, in that temporary casket was alive.

The basket was tightly sealed with wire, which could not be untied at the station. The return trip to the hospital was quickly made. The wire binding was severed. With the raising of the lid the pale face of John Cramer was revealed. At the first glance it was thought that the ride in prison wicker had really been for naught, but the old man was only asleep in his hay-lined coffin.

At first surgeons at the Pennsylvania hospital believed the case to be hopeless. All the resources of modern surgery were drawn upon, however, and Cramer recovered control of one arm and then the other. Soon it is expected that he will have regained the use of all his limbs and that he will be able to go about as he did before the accident.

SNAKE RATTLES IN AN OVEN

Noise Duel Amuses Child, but Attracts Attention of Mother, Who Kills Captive Reptile.

Belvidere, S. D.—Ethel Thode, aged two years, was having a fine time pounding on a stove and listening to the rattled replies from inside the oven. The stove is on a screened porch and had not been used of late.

Mrs. Thode, in the kitchen, heard the rattling in the stove, and went to investigate. She opened the oven door and jumped back in time to avoid a stab of a large rattlesnake. She shut the oven, found a club, and then released the snake and killed it, much to Ethel's disgust, for the little girl had greatly enjoyed the noise duel.

Burns Self as Sacrifice.

Georgetown, Del.—Crazed over religion and believing that she must sacrifice herself on an altar, Mrs. Sarah L. Roberts, wife of a farmer, set fire to herself while her husband was away and burned to death. The house was burned. For several years Mrs. Roberts has suffered from attacks of insanity, and a few weeks ago killed and burned a cat and dog under the belief that she must offer a sacrifice.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING REDUCED

Much has been said about the high cost of living, its causes, and the possibilities of its reduction. But little has been said about the "new" quality leak; the false economy existing today in nearly every household.

Much foodstuffs are bought with but one point in view. "Low cheap can I get it" without a thought of quality or "after cost." One of the most serious is baking powder.

By the use of perfect baking powder the housewife can derive as much economy as from any other article used in baking and cooking. In selecting the baking powder, therefore, care should be exercised to purchase one that retains its original strength and always remains the same, thus making the food sweet and wholesome and producing sufficient leavening gas to make the baking light.

Very little of this leavening gas is produced by the cheap baking powders, making it necessary to use double the quantity ordinarily required to secure good results.

You cannot experiment every time you make a cake or biscuits, or test the strength of your baking powder to find out how much of it you should use; yet with most baking powders you should do this for they are put together so carelessly they are never uniform, the quality and strength varying with each can purchased.

Calumet Baking Powder is made of chemically pure ingredients of tested strength. Experienced chemists put it up. The proportions of the different materials remain always the same. Sealed in air-tight cans, Calumet Baking Powder does not alter in strength and is not affected by atmospheric changes.

In using Calumet you are bound to have uniform bread, cake or biscuits, as Calumet does not contain any cheap, useless or adulterating ingredients commonly used to increase the weight. Further, it produces pure, wholesome food, and is a baking powder of rare merit; therefore, is recommended by leading physicians and chemists. It complies with all pure food laws, both STATE and NATIONAL. The goods are moderate in price, and any lady purchasing Calumet from her grocer, if not satisfied with the return it and have her money refunded.

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TOUGH LUCK, INDEED.



Nurse—Hivins! The baby swallowed a bottle of ink an' not a bit of blotting paper in th' house!

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If your meals don't fit comfortably, or you feel bloated after eating, and you believe it is the food which siles you; if what little you eat lies idle on your stomach; if there is difficulty in breathing, eructations of sour, undigested food and acid, heartburn, brash or a belching of gas, you can make up your mind that you need something to stop food fermentation and cure indigestion.

A large case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only fifty cents at any drug store here in town, and will convince any stomach sufferer five minutes after taking a single dose that Fermentation and Sour Stomach is causing the misery of indigestion.

No matter if you call your trouble Catarrh of the Stomach, Dyspepsia, Nervousness or Gastritis, or by any other name—always remember that a certain cure is waiting at your drug store the moment you decide to begin its use.

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HAMBURG

Mrs. Myra Stark is spending the winter with friends in Lansing.

E. L. Schlimmer was an Ann Arbor caller last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Royce spent the last week with her son Paul and wife of Owosso.

Miss Jennie Blades who is teaching near Saline spent the Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Mrs. Ann Brown visited Mrs. Wm. Spiegelberg at Whitmore Lake last Wednesday.

Miss Edith Rosenfranz has been spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Myron Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kisby, Mrs. Elliott and grandson Roy Elliott spent Thanksgiving with Ruben Kisby and wife of Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannus Musch left last Wednesday from Granville, Ohio, where they will visit his uncle Job Scott and family.

The Hamburg and Green Oak Literary Society met at the home of Wm. Blades last Saturday evening. A good attendance and an enjoyable time is the report.

Dr. A. H. Pearson is moving the Chas. Seeley house to a lot recently purchased of Abner Butler. Earl Davenport of Whitmore Lake is doing the work.

The marriage of Fred Carter of Green Oak to Miss Ada Nash of Northfield occurred Wednesday Nov. 23 at the home of Wm. Ferdig of Northfield. After a short wedding trip to Chicago the young couple will be at home at his farm in Green Oak. Here's wishing joy and prosperity.

A very instructive and entertaining meeting of the Putnam and Hamburg Farmers club was held Saturday Nov. 23 at the pleasant home of W. W. Hendrick and son. After a bountiful dinner to which all did justice, the program opened by a song by the club. A solo, "A little boy from lonesome street" by Harold Butler a select reading by Miss Una Beaudet, a recitation by Miss Merna Schoenbald and short addresses by W. W. Hendrick and Rev. Gates of Pinckney completed the program which was followed by the election of officers for the ensuing year: Pres. Myron W. Hendrick, Vice Presidents, Fred Grievens and Arthur Schoenbald, Sec. Mrs. Bertha Hendrick, Treas. Stephen Van Horn; Corr. Sec. Grace Grievens; Organist, Miss May Van Fleet; Asst. Organist Mrs. S. Swarthout. Wm. Blades was elected delegate to the state organization of Farmers clubs at Lansing, Miss Florence Kice alternate. The program closed by singing by the club. The meeting then adjourned to meet at the home of Fred Grievens and family the last Saturday in December.

WEST PUTNAM

Miss Aris Gardner is on the sick list.

Wm. Murphy of Jackson spent Thanksgiving with his parents here.

Francis Kennedy visited friends in Stockbridge a couple of days last week.

Miss Nellie Gardner has returned home after a two weeks visit with friends in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gardner visited their daughters, Mesdames Kay Beckus and Bert Hoff of Lansing, a few days the past week.

W. E. Murphy and family and Anna E. Lennon of Pinckney spent Thanksgiving at Mrs. Peter Harris'.

Kirk VanWinkle and family of Lansing spent Thanksgiving at the home of C. V. VanWinkle.

Miss Katie VanBlaricum has returned from Fenton where she has been caring for her sister Mrs. Harry Moore.

On account of repairing the school house the teacher and pupils of pond view academy have been enjoying a week's vacation.

Mr. Bogg and his gang of carpenters of Dexter have just completed another fine barn for C. V. VanWinkle on the Steep Hollow Stock farm.

Saved From Awful Death

How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald, of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption, he writes, 'she was very thin and pale had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. Kings New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. Its the best medicine I ever saw or heard of.'" For coughs, colds, lagrippa, asthma, croup, hemorrhage, all bronchial troubles, it has no equal. 50c, \$1. Trial bottle free Guaranteed by F. A. Sigler.

GREGORY.

Miss Margaret Youngs took dinner at E. A. Kulans Thursday.

Miss Faye McClear is attending the Gregory High School this winter.

Miss Gladys Meahan took Thanksgiving dinner with Miss Cora Cone.

The Lecture given at the Macabee Hall Thursday evening was largely attended.

Mrs. Dakin who is visiting her daughter Mrs. E. N. Brotherton is quite ill at this writing.

Mrs. Roy Williams of California arrived Friday to spend the winter with her sister Mrs. Roy Finney.

Mrs. Oliver Hammond and baby who have been visiting her father for some time have returned to their home at Grand Rapids.

Mr. Wm. Curtis of Addison and Miss Lena Cone were united in marriage Thursday Nov. 24th and left Monday for Addison where they expect to spend the winter.

All persons owing me on book account are requested to kindly call and settle same by December 15th, 1910, either by cash or note.

F. G. Jackson.

SOUTH MARION.

Mrs. R. M. Glenn visited in Howell the first of the week.

V. G. Dinkle and son Otto were in Howell Wednesday of last week.

Miss Beulah Burgess spent Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Bland.

Mrs. G. D. Bland spent Monday in Plainfield, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Bush.

Mrs. G. H. Beumann of Howell spent several days last week at the home of John Gardner.

Mrs. Emma Burgess and daughter spent the week end at the home of A. F. Morgan and F. N. Burgess.

Mrs. Chris Brogan spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother Mrs. Ellen Sweetnam of Pinckney.

John Gardner and wife and Ray Newcomb and wife were entertained at the home of F. N. Burgess Saturday evening.

DALEY-NEWCOMB

Thursday November 24 at five p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner occurred the marriage of their daughter, Gladys Alice Daley and Ray Newcomb of Howell. Rev. Brooke of Howell performed the ceremony. Miss Mary Dunst of Howell played the wedding march. Mrs. Wesley Kruger was matron of honor and Wesley Kruger attended the groom. The bride wore navy blue foulard silk and carried white roses; Mrs. Kruger wore Alice blue foulard and carried pink roses. The house was beautifully decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums and smilax. A bountiful three course dinner was served to fifty guests after which the bridal couple left for their future home in Howell, where Mr. Newcomb is employed by the hardware firm of Goodnow & Jubb.

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UNADILLA.

S. G. Palmer and wife visited at Willis Pickells Friday.

Miss Clara Hill of Waterloo visited at Mr. Roepches last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bowditch Thursday November 24, a daughter.

Jas. Barton and wife spent the past week with friends and relatives at Dansville.

Roy Palmer and wife are spending the week with A. J. Holmes and family near Stockbridge.

Otis Webb and family spent Saturday with Glenn Gardner and wife at Stockbridge.

Mrs. Jas. Livermore of Gregory spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. Bullis.

Thanksgiving services were held in the Presbyterian church Thursday morning, conducted by Rev. Armstrong.

The M. E. Society will hold a social fair Wednesday evening, December 14 in the basement of the church. Everyone invited to come and help make it a success.

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Local News

Regular Communication Livingston Lodge FAAM Tuesday evening, Dec. 13th. Election of officers and work in F. C. Degree.

Mrs. L. Devereaux and daughter Mrs. W. J. Newman, of Owosso spent Thanksgiving with her son W. U. Devereaux and family in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marsh of Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Green and daughter Gertrude of Pinckney spent Sunday at Dr. A. M. Winegar's—Livingston Tidings.

Mrs. L. H. Field was detained in the east where she was attending the National WCTU but will be in Pinckney at M. E. church next Sunday evening at the Union Temperance service. Do not fail to hear this entertaining speaker, just from the National gathering. Everyone come.

Francis, Jessie and Alice Dean, daughters of the late Rev. Dean, formerly pastor of the Baptist church here, were injured in a street car which was crashed into at Kalamazoo by an M. C. passenger recently. Jessie had one ear torn from her head, the other two being only slightly injured—Fowlerville Review. Jessie was a former teacher in the grammar department here and has many friends who are sorry to learn of her misfortune.

ANDERSON.

Mrs. Roy Placeway is entertaining her sister Mrs. Metha Williams who recently returned from California.

Frank Wickham and wife (nee Jennie Perry) and children of Lennon spent several days last week with friends in Anderson and Gregory.

Mrs. Fred Mackinder and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. J. O. Mackinder of Hamburg, who is quite poorly.

Chas. Bullis and wife and Mrs. Julia Pangborn visited at the home of Vin Perry in Gregory Monday and helped to celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Wants To Help Someone

For thirty years J. F. Boyer of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help someone now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from backache, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude and kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles, he writes, 'wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty.'" It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders, Female Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50c at F. A. Sigler's drug store.

SOUTH IOSCO.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts visited at Jay Barbers Thursday.

Lorna Roberts visited her friend Rose Montague Friday.

Mrs. Joe Robert transacted business in Webberville Friday.

Sadie Ward and Arthur Mitchell spent Sunday at J. B. Buckleys.

W. S. Caskey and wife ate Thanksgiving dinner at their daughters, Mrs. Nick Burleys.

Mrs. Amy Van Keuren is caring for Mrs. Edd Proctor and little daughter at present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamborn entertained their children and a few friends Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Jesse Henry and sons spent the last of the week with her parents, L. T. Lamborn and wife.

Legal Notices

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Livingston. In chance try.

PRISCILLA J. BOYD, Complainant

vs. JAMES BOYD, Defendant

In this cause it appearing that defendant, James Boyd is not a resident of this state, but resides in Chesley, Ontario, therefore, on motion of R. D. Roche, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

SELDON S. MINER, Circuit Judge.

R. D. ROCHE, Solicitor for Complainant. Business address, Howell Michigan.

Business Pointers.

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