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State Fair Features

With members of the National Grange whom N. P. Hull, Vice-President of the Michigan State Agriculture Society and Grand Master of the State Grange interviewed while in the east at the Democratic National Convention the Michigan State Fair proved most interesting and so much so that Oliver Wilson, Grand Master of the National Grange promised to be the guest of the State Fair on Gleaner's Day and address the members of the Boys State Fair School and the young tillers of soil now at work on the miniature model farms. The demonstration of good road building, the new dairy building with demonstrations of butter and cheese making and commercialising of milk, the land show and many other innovations were all so interesting that it was also purposed to Mr. Hull that an invitation be extended to Gov. Woodrow Wilson, nominee for president of the United States that he be present to open the Fair and this was accordingly done. The prospects according to Mr. Hull are very bright. The object of the directors of the Fair is to create an annual event of both agricultural and industrial interests, a Fair to show the real resources of the State was commended heartily by the members of the Grange who believe that a step in the right direction has been taken.

Poor Judgement

We have arrived at the conclusion that most of the trouble in this world is caused by so many men and women using poor judgement, but for heaven's sake don't tell them so. A man who cannot sit beside a keg of beer twenty minutes and keep outside of it, exercises poor judgement. The man who tries to make love to every pretty girl he meets uses poor judgement, and usually winds up in the bug house with his carburetor busted. The man who goes forth looking for a scrap uses poor judgement; yea verily, for he shall return with his slate caved in and his nose flattened. The man who expects to beat a money slot machine uses poor judgement in dropping in the first nickel—they are fixed to win. The man who disputes a muscular woman with a rolling pin uses poor judgement—him for the hospital. A married woman who goes skylarking around making goo goo eyes at the men and neglect a good home uses poor judgement, and gets all that is coming to her before the sun finally sets in her life. The gambler, the thief, the gossip, the dope fiend, the agnostic, the drunkard, the wayward in all walks of life use bad judgement. May fool the people and feel real slick about it but you can't fool the Master of the Universe and the man of good judgement obeys his laws and lives happily.—Fowlerville Standard.

U. S. Big Landowner

Soon the United States may say with England, "the sun never sets on our empire." Few persons could name offhand the possessions owned by Uncle Sam. They are Alaska, Aleutian Islands, Baker Island, Canal Zone, Guam, Hawaiian Islands, Howland Island, Marcus Island, Midway, Wake and Johnstone Island, Philippine Islands, Porto Rico and Tutuila. The size of some of these possessions is surprising. For instance, Alaska, which was bought from Russia for two cents an acre, is as large as the German Empire, France and Spain taken together.

A Pleasant and Profitable Evening

The concert given here by the Lyric Quartette of Chicago last Wednesday evening was an unqualified success. Despite the warm weather a large number of people from Pinckney and vicinity attended, and listened appreciatively to a well chosen and well rendered program.

It is always difficult to induce the farmers, after a hot, tiresome day in the fields to ride perhaps three or four miles to a concert or lecture. The thought of sitting quietly for a couple of hours in a stiff white collar and tight shoes is not always alluring to a tired man. Hence it was gratifying to see the well filled opera house and the close attention of the audience.

The animation of the singers, their harmoniously blended voices and the clear enunciation pleased everyone. The wish was universal that at some future date the Lyric Quartette may pass this way again.

Real Estate Transfers

Marion Gates to Jesse Ellsworth 40a. Marion \$2300.

Fred Salmou and wife to Thos. J. Fausset, 120a Deerfield \$5500.

T. J. Webb and wife to J. H. Austin and wife 55a Deerfield, \$2700.

F. T. Hyne et al to P. J. Spicer 120 a Genoa \$3000.

Mary Ketchum to W. E. Miller lot, Cohoctah \$1000.

H. A. Nichols and wife to Chas. Larkins, 40a Brighton, \$1400.

Annie Trollman to Anna Trollman, 80a Tyrone \$1000.

Isaac Louis and wife to Ellis Whited, 62a Unadilla, \$3100.

Daisy Bullis to M. N. Cook, 33a Handy, \$225.

Rush Lake Picnic

The annual picnic of the North Hamburg Sunday School will be held at Rush Lake, August 3. Dinner will be served at noon and there will be ice cream, a ball game and sports for the afternoon. Some good speakers are expected to be present. Everyone should turn out and make it a grand success.

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The Glow of the Rubies

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SYNOPSIS.

Richard Lightnut, an American with an excellent English accent, receives a present from a friend in China. The present proves to be a pair of pajamas. A letter from the pajamas and late at night gets up for a smoke. His servant, Jenkins, comes in and, failing to recognize Lightnut, attempts to put him out. Thinking the servant crazy, Lightnut changes his clothes intending to summon help. When he reappears, Jenkins falls on his neck with a cry, confirming Lightnut's belief that he is crazy. Jenkins tells Lightnut of the man who is in the room. Lightnut is shocked by the girl's drinking, smoking and stinky talk. She tells him her name is Francis and puzzles him with a story of her love for her sister's room-mate, named Francis. Next morning the girl is missing and Lightnut hurries to the boat to see her off. He is surprised by a husky college boy, who calls him "Dicky," but he does not see the girl. Jack Billings calls to spend the night with Lightnut. They discover a precious rubies hidden in the buttons of the pajamas. Billings dons the pajamas and returns. Lightnut later discovers in his apartment a body person in a nut-chop whiskers and wearing pajamas. Billings calls the police, who declare the intruder to be a criminal, called "Foxy Stranda." The intruder declares he is Lightnut's guest and appeals to the latter in vain. He is hustled off to jail. In the morning Lightnut is astonished when he gets a message from the latter, demanding his clothes. Lightnut, bound for Yarrystown, Billings' home, discovers "Francis" the girl of the pajamas, on the train. Lightnut speaks to her and alludes to the night before. She declares indignantly that Lightnut never saw her in black pajamas. At Yarrystown, Francis is met by a husky college youth, who calls Lightnut as "Dicky." The latter ignores the boy and goes on the train. Lightnut takes the next train home. Billings sneaks over the carriage of the latter and Lightnut discovers mysterious Chinese characters on the pajamas. Professor Skimmer is called in to interpret the characters. He tells over what he calls the lost silk of Si-Fing-Chi. The writing declares that a person wearing the pajamas will take on the semblance of the previous wearer. The professor sneers the pajamas for experiment. "Billings" dressed in pajamas is greatly mystified. Policeman O'Keefe returns the black pajamas and Lightnut sends them to Billings' room. Lightnut has an interesting hour with Francis.

CHAPTER XXVI.

"Because You—Are You?"

Poor, brave-hearted girl! How pitiful and heartrending to a keen-eyed man of the world, seemed her poor, little sham about her father's trust in her! For I knew the facts, you know!

And suddenly it came to me that I just couldn't and wouldn't let her go on this way, without the sympathy of the man she loved; without the precious consolation of knowing that he knew! She was being badgered and rough-shouldered and put upon and distrusted and maligning by every one she knew, and she had no one in all the world to turn to but me—and—

Oh, I wanted her to know what I thought, don't you know!

I slipped to the seat beside her.

"Er, Miss Billings—" I began, thinking absent-mindedly of what I should say, and forgetting that we were quite alone.

"Miss Billings!" Why do you call me that? Her lovely brow puckered. "I remember, now, that's twice you—"

"Francis, then!" I corrected softly.

She straightened, her bosom lifting with a quick intake. By Jove, that was what she wanted!

"Oh!" Then she leaned slowly back, looking at me thoughtfully through half-closed eyes, her lips parted in the oddest smile.

And I screwed my monocle tight and let her have smile for smile, determined to chip her up and make her feel our oneness—that sort of thing, you know. And I succeeded! For of a sudden her head went back and the joyous peal of her canary laugh started off the jolly birds in the trees above us.

"Oh, you—"

A stare, and then another burst as she bent forward, face buried in her hands. Then it lifted sharply, flame-dyed—her lips tremulous, her eyes shining like sapphire stars. "Oh!" she gasped, and how I scowled the little hand she pressed against her waist; but the windows—dash the windows! "That's—that's it—"

Francis—just that much! But, do you know, I don't believe you really know my full name. I remember now several things. She bent toward me wistfully, her wide blue eyes challenging my candor. "Honestly, now—do—you?"

So it was that thought that was thinking her! Well, by Jove, I had her then, for I had heard the judge mention her name in full. I would assure her!

"Oh, don't!" I exclaimed, winking as I polished my glass. "Well, how about Frances Leslie Billings?" I let her have it slowly, distinctly, and

with yet a note of triumph I could not altogether hide. And then remorseful for her amazed expression, I explained frankly: "Got it from your father this morning, don't you know, during our long talk about you in the library."

Then she swallowed and her face fell perfectly blank. By Jove, I could have kicked myself for a jolly ass for breaking it to her so raw! Of course, she would know that if her father talked of her, it would be nothing for me to hear that was true or kind—nothing she could wish might be said to the man she loved.

I hastened to reassure her: "But I don't believe a dashed word of anything he said about you!" I spoke hotly—and I don't care a jolly hang for what the others said, either—so there you are!"

"Oh, you don't?" Could tell how I had touched her by her expression, don't you know; and she fell to looking at me the queerest way. "And would you mind telling me who the 'others' are?"

I eyed her gloomily, sympathetically. As if she didn't know already!

"Well—oh, dash it, my mind has been filled with—er—just anything!" I began cautiously.

"I know," she murmured it as if to herself—"one can see that!" And she bit her lip.

"In the first place, you know"—and there I pulled up. No, dash it, I wasn't going to say a jolly word about poor Jack—no, sir! But then, about the other one—well, she was just a treacherous snake in the what's-its-name, and she ought to be exposed. By Jove, she should be!

"It's the frump, you know," I said indignantly.

"The—the what?"

Her pretty teeth flashed like the keyboards of a tiny organ—you could even hear a little gurgly, musical quiver somewhere behind. And then I remembered that, of course, she wouldn't know whom I meant.

"Oh, your guest, you know—your friend from school," I went on, trying to tread cautiously and yet feeling myself growing red. "Oh, see here now, I don't like to say things, but—"

"Oh, go on!" she trilled, her sweet face shining wistful.

"Well, I mean this—er—Miss Kirkland; came out with us this morning, don't you know. I think of her as the frump—little idea—er—nicknames of mine, you know, she's so awfully!" And I screwed my glass with a chuckle.

For an instant I thought she wouldn't catch it, she stared at me so blankly. Then the joke of it—the jolly aptness, so to speak—got her full and square, and she just lifted a scream, hugging her knees and rocking back and forth, her face suffused, her laughter pealing like a chime of bells.

And I just rocked, too, keeping her company. Really, I don't think I ever laughed so much since some chap plunked down on the hard crown of my new tile last winter. At least I wanted to laugh—in church, you know, and it's so awful how you feel there when something—oh, you know!

And if you could have seen that poor fellow's face!

By Jove, how glad I was for her jolly sense of humor that could see the point of things so quickly, and think them clever. Always had so dashed little patience with stupid people, don't you know. And just here another little thing came to me and I let her have it:

"Oh, I say!"—I leaned nearer, chuckling—"your father pretends to think her a most beautiful and winning girl—fancy!" And my face stretched itself in such a jolly grin that I could hardly hold my glass.

She bent toward me, smiling adorably. "You mean this—er—Miss Kirkland?"

I nodded chortlingly.

She peered at me through her long what-you-call-'ems—oh, such a way! "But you don't think so, do you?" How sweetly, how fetchingly she said it!

"Me!" I gasped. By Jove, in my horror, I lost my grip upon my jolly grammar. "Oh, I say now! I think the frump—this Miss Kirkland, you know—is a fright—regular freak, dash it! I told the judge so!"

"You—you—"

"Of course!" And I shrugged disgustedly, making the ugliest grimace I possibly could. "Why, dash it, if I were a woman and had a face like hers, I never would have left China, or England—or wherever her jolly home was—no, sir!"

She caught her breath with a little gasp—then she was off again! This time she rested her arms upon the rail, behind her head, and in them, her lovely shoulders jiggling up and down, her sobbing laughter sending her off at last into a spell of coughing.

"Oh!" she breathed, lifting at last her gloriously blushing face and dabbing at it with her ridiculous little handkerchief. "Oh, you'll kill me—I know you will!"

I certainly had stirred her up, and I was delighted. It was funny to think of any one calling the frump beautiful—it must seem funnier still to her, of

course—to Francis, I mean. Why, dash it, she seemed to find a funny side to it that I didn't, don't you know!

"Tell me, now"—she clasped her knee, lifting her lovely face coaxingly—"tell me all that she said about me—everything!"

And I did—every word, by Jove! And no one could look into that sweet, ingenuous face as I proceeded, and doubt that the slanders were new to her. Never a jolly one touched her—only you could see their absurdity amused her. Several times I had to pause as she bent under a gale of laughter.

Only once was she brought up, shocked.

"Oh!" she uttered faintly, as I came to the intimation about her being half-fellow-well-met with the footmen and her drinking and carousing with them and other men-servants until three in the morning. I realized that it wasn't the matter of the drinking that teased her and drew from her little gasps as I came to this—knew that didn't bother her, don't you know, for I knew she did drink—could drink, I mean to say; for I had not forgotten the two full whisky glasses of high-proof Scotch she had tossed off that night in my rooms. Why, no, dash it, she was able to drink—it went in the family! I could never forget with what pride she had told me of putting her brother Jack under the table two nights running. That was all right—it was the other part of the frump's scandal that brought her up, standing, so to speak.

For now she really looked embarrassed, despite another lapse to laughter. Her face and neck were dyed a lovely crimson.

"Oh, dear!" she said firmly; and she wiped her eyes. "What you must think of me!"—and she looked away, a pretty frump contracting her face; then the jolly dimple deepened once again and she choked into her handkerchief. "Oh, dear!" she repeated, biting her lip to hold her quivering mouth corners. "Oh, it's a shame, I heard her mutter; 'I mustn't let him—it's too—'" She wheeled upon me, her lips tightened. "Oh!" she ejaculated sharply, almost petulantly, and her foot struck smartly on the boards.

"Please!" Jove, how she said it!

Then her smile flashed again—a radiant, dazzling brightness that brought her nearer, like the effect of the sunlight's sudden gleam there at times upon the blue line of the "West Shore" away across the broad, three-mile span of the old, Thapan Zee.

"And now"—again her splendid young arms were clasped, wing-like, behind her head; and its golden glory hung like a picture against the dark vine leaves, bossed with the clustered purple flowers—"now," she repeated, settling comfortably, "you must just go on and tell me the rest—I can bear it! What did my—her big blue eyes twinkled as she smiled—"my father say about me?"

I shifted uncomfortably. "Oh, I can't, you know!" I demurred. "I say, what's the use, dash it?" Poor old boy, somehow I just hated to round on him—he was so jolly hard hit already; Jack, don't you know! Besides—

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reason I knew it couldn't be and wasn't true was—I sighed heavily—"oh, dash it, it's so hard to get hold of the jolly thing!"

"The real reason?" her voice coaxed gently.

"Was because—" Then she moved the toe and it put me out—"I think just because—oh, yes, I know now!" And I looked up eagerly. "Just because I knew that you—were you?" I finished beamingly.

"Oh, I see?" She said it mustn't, her finger lightly pressing upon her lips, her beautiful eyes studying me with the oddest, keenest side-glance.

A pause; and then: "And how long have you known me, pray? Just a—" "A thousand years!" I said promptly and earnestly. "A thousand years and all my life, don't you know! Never will I know you any better."

"I wonder," she murmured, nodding slowly. And then for a moment she didn't say a word, just sat there looking me over curiously, her expression half shy, half quizzical, don't you know.

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TEXT WAS NEW TO HEARERS

Germany's struggle with the English Language Praiseworthy, but Somewhat Mirth Provoking.

Prince Henry of Reuss, who speaks superb English, laughed good-naturedly at a dinner in New York, over the account of certain officers of the German fleet.

"One of our chaplains," said the prince, "had the hardihood to preach in English at one of our Lutheran chapels the other day. He astonished his congregation by saying, as he rose, that he would choose for his text the words:

"And he tore his shirt."

"A quite audible snicker went round. The chaplain noticed it, flushed, and repeated the text in a louder voice: "And he tore his shirt."

"The snicker became a laugh, and the pastor rose and said: "Our good brother is quoting, of course, the familiar words: "And the door is shut."

Why They Went.

As the Sunday school teacher entered her classroom, she saw leaving in great haste a little girl and her still smaller brother.

"Why, Mary, you aren't going away?" she exclaimed in surprise.

"Please, Mith Anne, we've got to go," was the distressed reply. "Jimmy 'th swallowed hith collection."—Lippincott's.

Job was a patient man, but he never found the cat asleep on the piano just after he had varnished it.

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PATHOS IN CHILDS' BRAVERY

Fortitude Shown by Little Sufferer in Hospital Touched Lady Henry Somerset.

Lady Henry Somerset, whose labors in behalf of the children of the London slums are constant and earnest, tells this affecting story of the way in which her interest in these little ones was aroused.

I was in a hospital on visiting day, while the doctors were changing a plaster cast which held the crippled boy's limb. The operation was exceedingly painful, I was told. To my surprise, the little sufferer neither stirred nor winced, but made a curious buzzing sound with his mouth.

After the doctors left, I said to him: "How could you possibly stand it?" "That's nothing," he answered. "Why, I just made believe that a bee was stinging me. And I kept buzzin' because I was afraid I'd forget about its being a bee if I didn't."—Youth's Companion.

Her Affections Dampened.

A little girl was playing at the table with her cup of water. Her father took the cup from her and in so doing accidentally spilled some of the water on her.

"There," she cried, as she left the table indignantly, "you wet me clear to my feelings."—Everybody's Magazine.

Laying a Foundation.

Little Bobby (the guest)—Mrs. Skimper, when I heard we were going to have dinner at your house I started right in training for it.

Mrs. Skimper (the hostess)—By saving up your appetites, Bobby?

Little Bobby—No, m. By eatin' a square meal first.

A woman's mirror is always a peer glass.

Old Michigan's wonderful batter Eats Toasties, 'tis said, once a day, For he knows they are healthful and wholesome And furnish him strength for the fray.

His rivals have wondered and marvelled To see him so much on the job, Not knowing his strength and endurance Is due to the corn in TY COBB.

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WRONG DIAGNOSIS.



Doctor—What is this? Blower—I call it "A Kansas Cyclone."

Doctor—Oh! Ah! I see! I mistake it for an attack of painter's colic.

Can't Afford To. Friend—You and your husband seem to be getting on well together just now. I thought you had quarreled.

Wife—Can't do, that these days, when our dresses fasten down the back.

Merely a Brother. Young Lady—Please show me some ties.

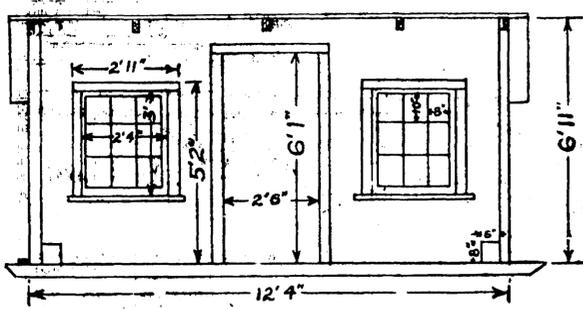
Clerk—A gentleman's tie? Young Lady—Oh, no. It's for my brother.

Height of Selfishness. Some men are so selfish that if they were living in a haunted house they wouldn't be willing to give up the ghost.—Florida Times Union.

Old friends are best, but many a woman deludes herself with the idea that she is too young to have any old friends.

Portable Colony Houses

By J. O. LINTON, Instructor in Poultry Husbandry,
Michigan Agricultural College

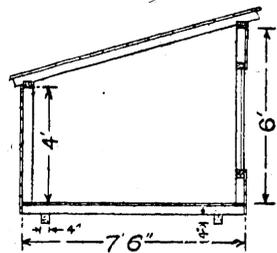


Front View of Portable Colony House.

The use of the portable colony house has rapidly come into favor for farmers and commercial poultry plants, not only as a building for little chicks but through its other various uses. Such a house need not be expensive, but should be solid to allow for hauling and moving from place to place, many times over rough ground and subject to severe handling in turning and placing. The portable colony house should not be so large but that it can be moved with one good team, and can be drawn through the ordinary farm gates to meadows or orchard where they are to be located.

There are many different uses for the colony house, some of which may be divided up for the different seasons. In the early spring they may be used as brooding houses, being equipped with hovers or having in them indoor brooders which allow the chicks the heat of the brooder and the run of the remaining space, being entirely under cover from the severe weather, and allowing the poultryman to raise early chicks; or the house may be divided in two or more compartments and hens may be given chicks, which gives them the same advantages of being under cover during the cold or stormy weather and still have room for exercise. By cutting openings for each compartment small parks may be made which will keep the birds separate to insure best advantages in growing the young stock, but will allow the birds the run of the outdoor quarters during the pleasant days. If the birds are of one breed there may not be the desire to keep them separate for long, and they may be allowed the run of any desired area as they have a keen sense of location and readily learn to return to their own quarters.

As the season advances the chicks can do without hover or hen. These may be removed and low perches placed in the houses ten or twelve



End View of Portable Colony House.

inches from the floor so that the chicks may learn to roost. As the natural tendency seems to be to seek high places for night this is very easily learned by most birds or fowls, and with the exception of one or two of the heavier breeds as the Brahmas or Cochins, birds will not need to be taught to accommodate themselves to the new conditions.

The growing chicks will need some attention to insure best results during the time they are on the range. They should always be supplied with fresh, clean water and should have grain and mash food to bring them into good strong maturity for fall business. As there will always be surplus cockerels in the flock, these may be separated just before the houses are hauled to the range, which will leave the pullets and a few cockerels to care for. The surplus may be marketed at the age of eight to twelve weeks, when, as a rule, prices are good and the birds have reached a desirable size.

For the feeding of mash to the birds on range hoppers may be devised which will hold food enough for a week or ten days without refilling. By this system not much time will be required of an attendant to scatter grain and provide fresh water for the birds each day. If there happens to be running water near the buildings this will supply the need, and in an exceptionally busy season the birds can, if necessary, have grain supply in hopper or depend on the mash ration for extra food other than that which they pick about the meadow or fields. If later in the season oats or wheat have been cut, and the field is not to be used immediately, houses may be drawn to a location where the birds can pick up the scattered grain, which saves a great deal of feeding and prevents loss which otherwise might occur. If the flocks are large enough so that laying houses are provided when the birds are returned to these houses in the fall the colony coops may be abandoned entirely until next season, or they may be used for storage rooms, hospital coops, or for the mating up of small breeding

pens when it is desired to separate these from the regular flocks.

There are many different styles of these houses and the individual may have choice in style of construction. A pattern of portable house which is giving very good satisfaction at the Michigan Agricultural college is one which is made at a total cost of about \$25, including labor and paint, and which will accommodate from 100 to 150 of the little chicks at the start, 100 growing chicks on range, and flocks of ten or fifteen birds in laying quarters. The house is 7 1/2 feet wide and may be made eight feet, if desired, by twelve feet long. It is built on runners four inches square, it being desirable to make these runners of some material which will be lasting and preferably will wear hard and smooth by the hauling. These runners extend lengthwise of the building and for convenience of hauling may be set in eight or ten inches from the edge of the building, although this feature is very objectionable from the fact that little chicks invariably get under the houses, causing a great deal of trouble and making it necessary to add extra blocking for the prevention of this.

If the runners are placed to the edges of the house blocking need only be done at the ends, as the runners will block front and back.

Pieces of 2x4-inch material are placed on edge for joists, four feet apart, and the floor is then laid before the frame-work is constructed. The studding is then toe-nailed to the floor, being six feet long in front and four feet in back, and placed three feet apart; 2x4-inch pieces are used as plates.

The door in the front may be 2 feet 6 inches wide by 6 feet, and on each side of the door a nine light 8x10-inch glass window, hung at the top to swing out, may be so arranged as to allow its removal in summer, and the opening may be covered with wire netting or bars to close the house.

In the arrangement of nests and feed boxes it is advisable to make these with slanting tops, which prevents the birds from roosting or resting on them, keeping them in much cleaner condition.

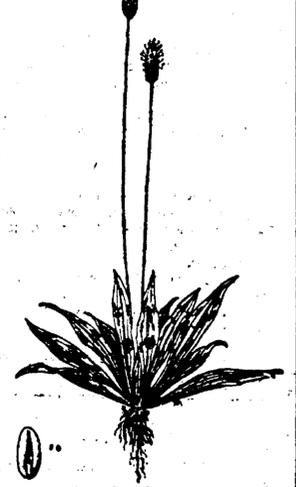
The accompanying drawings will explain the construction of these houses, which may be modified if desired, to suit the tastes of the individual.

BUCKHORN

By R. J. BALDWIN,
Michigan Agricultural College

Many farmers who have had to buy imported clover and grass seeds will find new weeds appearing in the fields. Among the most common weeds obtained in this way is Buckhorn.

The accompanying cut will give some idea of the appearance of the weed. The leaves are lance-shaped



and they grow in a rosette much like those of the dandelion. A characteristic of the Buckhorn is the tall, slender flower stalks, which shoot up from the center of the rosette of leaves, for a foot or more. Buckhorn is a perennial which spreads only by seeds. It is a bad weed in the clover meadow, but is not to be feared on cultivated ground. When it is found that scattering plants of Buckhorn are in the new grass seedings, no time should be lost in pulling and destroying them.

MADE BIG PROFIT FOR STATE

Purely Business Argument for the Establishment of Sanatoriums for the Tuberculous.

According to figures contained in the annual report of Dr. H. L. Barnes, superintendent of the Rhode Island state sanatorium, the earnings of the ex-patients of that institution during the year 1911 would amount to over \$266,000. This is a sum three times as large as that spent each year for maintenance of the institution, including four per cent. interest and depreciation charges.

The actual earnings in 1911 of 170 ex-patients were obtained by Dr. Barnes. These ranged from \$2 to \$31 per week, the total earnings for the year amounting to \$102,752. On this basis, Dr. Barnes computes the figures above given. He says, however: "While institutions for the cure of tuberculosis are good investments, there is good reason for thinking that institutions for the isolation of far-advanced cases would be still better investments."

Out of a total of 46,450 hospital days' treatment given, 39,147, or 84 per cent., were free, the treatment costing the state on an average \$200 per patient. Out of 188 free cases investigated, 56 had no families and no income on admission to the sanatorium. Out of 132 patients having homes, the number in the family averaged 5.2, and the average family earnings were 5.46. In 59 cases the families had no income, and in only five cases were there any savings, none of which amounted to as much as \$100.

NOT ALWAYS SO.



Glady's—So you've broken with him.

Virginia—Yes. He was entirely too hard to please.

Glady's—Gracious, how he must have changed since he proposed to you!

To Protect the Flowers. Edelweiss and other characteristic Swiss flowers are said to be in danger of total extinction because of the craze of tourists for collecting them. Women tourists especially are always anxious to take away souvenirs in the way of a plant, and do not simply pull the flowers, but dig up the plant. It is proposed to introduce a law that will prevent the buying, selling or digging of edelweiss, fire lily, Siberian spring crocus, Alpine columbine, the Daphne, Alpine violet or other national flowers.

Two Enough for Her. He was a small boy with a dark, eager face and he was waiting at the end of the line of eight or ten persons for a chance to make his wants known to the librarian. When his turn came he inquired briefly: "Have you got 'Twenty Thousand Legs Under the Sea'?"

"No," responded the librarian a little snappily, for she was tired, "I'm thankful to say I've only got two. They're not under the sea!"

The Giveaway. "Jane," said her father, "how does it happen that I find four good cigars on the mantelpiece this morning? Did Henry leave them for me?"

"No," he took them out of his vest pocket to avoid breaking them, last night, and I guess he forgot all about them afterwards."

The laugh that followed made her wish that she had been as careful with her speech as Henry had been with his cigars.—Detroit Free Press.

Her Error. Mrs. Stranger—Can you tell me who that stout man is over there? He is the worst softsooper I ever met.

Dowager—Yes. He is my husband.—Judge.

The Writer Who Does Most. That writer does the most who gives his reader the most knowledge and takes from him the least time.—C. C. Colton.

Liquid blue is a weak solution. Avoid it. Buy Red Cross Ball Blue, the blue that's all blue. Ask your grocer.

No man is so dull that he can't make a bore of himself.

A Lottery.

"Is that picture one of the old masters you were telling me about?" asked Mr. Cumrox.

"Yes," replied the art dealer. "It is a genuine treasure; absolutely authentic."

"I'll buy it. I already have three just like it, and somewhere in the bunch I'm liable to hit the original."

ECZEMA CAME ON SCALP.

Lebanon, O.—"My eczema started on my thigh with a small pimple. It also came on my scalp. It began to itch and I began to scratch. For eighteen or twenty years I could not tell what I passed through with that awful itching. I would scratch until the blood would soak through my underwear, and I couldn't talk to my friends on the street but I would be digging and punching that spot, until I was very much ashamed. The itching was so intense I could not sleep after once in bed and warm. I certainly suffered torment with that eczema for many years."

"I chased after everything I ever heard of, but all to no avail. I saw the advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a sample. Imagine my delight when I applied the first dose to that awful itching fire on my leg and scalp, in less than a minute the itching on both places ceased. I got some more Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After the second day I never had another itching spell, and Cuticura Soap and Ointment completely cured me. I was troubled with awful dandruff all over my scalp. The Cuticura Soap has cured that trouble." (Signed) L. R. Fink, Jan. 22, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."

Only in a Business Way. "So Clara rejected the plumber." "Do you know why?" "Somebody told her to be careful about encouraging him, as he hit the pipe."

People who live in clean houses shouldn't throw mud.

Meeting Emergencies.

Senator Dixon was condemning a piece of political deception.

"The thing was as sagacious," he said, "as the railway case."

"Two men," one of them very short, were passing through a station toward the train gates when the bigger one was heard to say:

"I've took a half ticket fur ye, George. Yer so little, ye'll pass, all right."

"But," protested George, "how about my beard?" And he twiddled his chin beard nervously.

"Oh," rejoined the other, "tell 'em it's a mole."

Between Girls. "I believe I'll break my engagement to Cholly. He can't really love me."

"Why not?" "He writes such short letters. Look at this—only seven pages."

Advantage. Stella—Has that summer resort any views? Bella—Er—no, but it is close to the moonlight.

Keeping Mice From Pianos. To prevent mice entering pianos there has been invented a simple sliding plate to be mounted on a pedal so that it covers its opening.

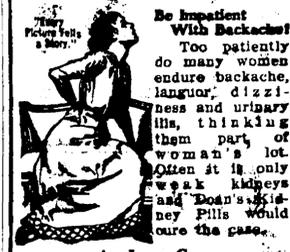
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Dr. William C. Bloomer, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "In my practice I am glad to recommend your Castoria, knowing it is perfectly harmless and always satisfactory."

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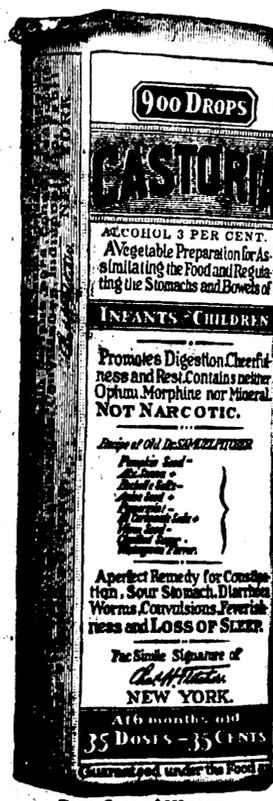
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L. E. Smith was a Jackson visi-
tor last Saturday.
John Fitzsimmon and wife were
Howell visitors Saturday.
Mrs. Mabel Evans is spending
the week with relatives in Detroit.
Nellie Gardner and Fannie
Monks were Flint visitors last
week.
Wells Bennett and wife of
Howell were Pinckney callers
Monday.
Agnes Gearheart of Hamburg
is working at the home of Ed
Farnum.
Chicago claims that in 25 years
she will be the metropolis of the
United States.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson were
entertained at the home of Bert
Hicks Sunday.
Seth B. Rupert of Howell has
sold his coal and lumber business
to Roy Schoenhals.
Frank Dolan of Detroit has
been spending some time with
his parents here.
John Pratt Sr. and Joseph
Blanchard of Dexter were in town
the latter part of last week.
Beatrice VanArsdale of Marion
visited at the home of Alden Car-
penter the latter part of last week.
Jas. Green and wife of Howell
spent Sunday at the home of the
latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.
A. Carr.
Chas. Lawrence and Alice
Reason are visiting their grand-
mother, Mrs. Frank Harding of
Plainfield.
Mrs. Nettie Vaughn, Martha
Nichols, Mrs. Lew Woll and Dr.
H. F. Sigler made an auto trip to
Jackson Saturday.

The partnership which existed
between Glenn Gardner and the
John Cadwell estate has been dis-
solved by mutual consent.
We most heartily thank those
who paid subscriptions and got
right with the Dispatch last week
and hope a few more will follow
suit.
As a manufacturing state Mich-
igan has moved up from eighth to
seventh place. The state has
always been strong along the
industrial lines.
The members of the parish of
Our Lady of the Sacred Heart of
Chelsea will hold their annual
picnic there August 22. A grand
time is anticipated.
The Stockbridge common coun-
cil has passed an ordinance for-
bidding the running of all unsmuff-
ed gasoline engines and making
the owners of such liable to a
fine of from \$5 to \$20.
According to the report of State
Bank Commissioner Doyle the
423 banks and 5 trust companies
have resources amounting to \$365,
729,191 which shows a gain of over
\$33,000,000 in the last year and of
over \$6,000,000 since April. Be-
tween January first and July 9th
1912, 11 new banks have been or-
ganized with a total capital of
\$337,500.
School district No. 3 of Lima,
Washtenaw county voted at the
recent school meeting to close their
school and send the children of
the district to nearby schools
paying the tuition and furnishing
transportation if requested. To
the best of our knowledge this is
the first school district in this sec-
tion which has taken advantage of
this new law.
Petitions for Jas. Green and
Willis Lyons for the republican
nomination of prosecuting attor-
ney T. F. Richards for the
nomination of sheriff on the same
ticket, Richard Roche for the
democratic nomination of prose-
cuting attorney, Woodbridge N.
Ferris for the democratic nomi-
nation of governor and Amos
Musielman for the republican
nomination for governor have
been circulated in this vicinity
the past week.

Lela Monks spent Sunday at
Howell.

W. B. Hoff of Detroit was an
over Sunday visitor here.
David Connors of Battle Creek
has been visiting friends here.
Cashimer Clinton of Detroit
spent Sunday with his parents
here.
Mr. and Mrs. Laraby of Jackson
spent the week end at William
Blade's.
Miss Kate Morgan of Detroit
has been visiting relatives here
the past week.
The Putnam and Hamburg
Farmers Club will hold no meet-
ing this month.
Miss Genevieve Alley of Dex-
ter is a guest of Miss Norma
Curllett this week.
Ed Day and John Thompson Jr.
of Dexter were Pinckney callers
one day last week.
Lincoln Lavey of near Dexter
was a Pinckney visitor the fore-
part of the week.
Kate Brogan of Peoria, Ill. is
visiting friends and relatives here
and in this vicinity.
Edith Read of Detroit was a
guest at the home of her Uncle,
Thomas Read, last week.
The Marshal of Fowlerville has
given notice that he will enforce
the dog muzzling ordinance.
Miss Emma Platzwaldt of Dex-
ter visited at the home of Wm.
Dunbar the first of the week.
C. H. Arnold of Matemora, Ohio
spent the latter part of last week
at the home of Jesse Richardson.
Plymouth at the recent school
meeting elected Miss Lina Dur-
fee as trustee on the school board.
Eugene Reason of Flint was an
over Sunday visitor at the home
of his father, Floyd Reason,
of this village.
Local option will be fought out
in Washtenaw county next spring.
The issue will be the protection
of the students.

A single rat which was shut in
a coop of young chickens belong-
ing to John Dowell of Brighton
killed over 40 of them.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ayers and
Mrs. Sarah Nash were guests at
the home of Henry Rollison of
Howell one day last week.
Arthur Allyn and wife of North
Lake visited at the home of the
latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.
M. Williston, the latter part of
last week.
Many of our exchanges seem to
be of the opinion that the proposed
telephone merger will be a decid-
ed advantage to telephone users
if the Bell Co. can conquer its old
habit of boosting rates.
Some auto owners in nearby
towns are complaining that the
brush growing at the intersection
of highways obstructs their view
and increases the liability of acci-
dents and desire that it be cut.
Fredrick C. Hicks, professor of
economics in the University of
Cincinnati, was recently made
Dean of the College of Commerce,
a new department in the Univer-
sity of Cincinnati. Professor
Hicks is the son of the late Rev.
H. W. Hicks.
My friend, help the editor in
his wild-eyed search for news.
When your friends come to see
you, if you are not ashamed of it,
tell him; when your wife gives a
tea party if you have recovered
from the effects of the gossip,
drop in with the news; when a
baby arrives fill your pockets with
cigars and call; if you go to a party
steal some of the good things,
and leave em' with the item in
our sanctum. If your wife licks
you come in and let us see your
scars and tender sympathy
through the paper; If your moth-
er-in-law dies, don't be bashful
about it; give in all the common
place news. In short whatever
makes you proud, sad, lonesome
or glad submit it to our 24 care-
ful wisdom and see our matted locks
part and stand on end with grati-
tude, which will pour from every
pore like moisture from the dew
be-sprinkled earth.

William Cunningham of Scio
was in town Sunday.

Norma Vaughn spent Friday
and Saturday in Hamburg.
Norman Reason transacted
business in Brighton Saturday.
Mrs. Loretta Finch of Detroit
is visiting friends and relatives
here.
Miss Moore of Detroit has been
visiting at the home of Thomas
Read.
O. H. Benedict of Howell was
in town on business one day
last week.
Miss Mary VanFleet has de-
cided to make her home in Howell
in the future.
It is planned to have a barbecue
and roast a whole ox at the Bigh-
ton home-coming.
Dr. C. L. Sigler, wife and son
Donald, were Stockbridge visitors
one day last week.
Nellie Judson of Gregory visited
at the home of Wm. Bullis the
fore part of the week.
Mrs. C. L. Brownell of Stock-
bridge visited her daughter, Mrs.
Dan Lantis last week.
Mrs. Samuel Placeway of Greg-
ory visited at the home of Mrs.
Arvilla Placeway over Sunday.
Alden Carpenter and wife and
Beatrice VanArsdale visited at
the home of Ernest VanArsdale
of Gregory over Sunday.

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er gasoline motor boat. Inquire
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FOR SALE—Black mare, 3
years old, kind and a good driver.
—Inquire of N. P. Mortenson.
28t3

FOR SALE—A five passenger,
Reo car in good condition, fully
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dilla Telephone Co., will go cheap
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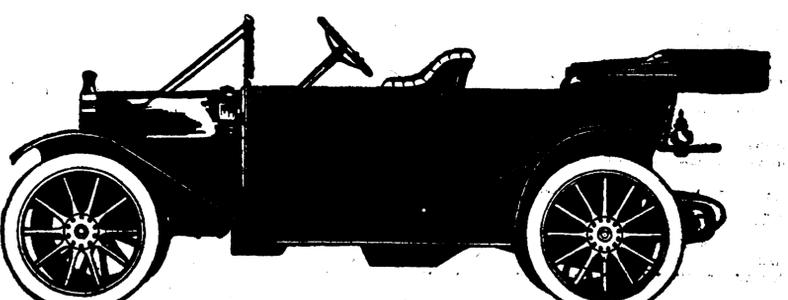
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court of
the County of Livingston,
At a session of said court held at the Probate
Office in the Village of Howell in said County, on
the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1912.
Present, Hon. Arthur A. Montague, Judge of
Probate, in the matter of the estate of
JOHN A. CADWELL, Deceased.
Evelyn W. Cadwell having filed in said court her
petition praying that the administration
of said estate be granted to herself
or to some other suitable person,
it is Ordered, That the 25th day of July,
A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
probate office, be and is hereby appointed for
hearing said petition.
It is further ordered that public notice thereof
be given by publication of a copy of this order, for
three successive weeks previous to said day of
hearing in the Pinckney Dispatch a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county. 28t3

ARTHUR A. MONTAGUE,
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Livingston,
S.S.
Probate Court For Said County. Estate of
MARY E. HINCHEY, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the
Judge of Probate of said county, Commissioners
on Claims in the matter of said estate, and four
months from the 3th day of July, A. D. 1912
having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to
all persons holding claims against said estate in
which to present their claims to us for examina-
tion and adjustment.
Notice is hereby given that we will meet on the
5th day of September A. D. 1912 and on the 8th day
of November A. D. 1912 at ten o'clock a.m. of each
day, at the residence of Wm. Ledwidge in the
Township of Putnam in said county to receive
and examine such claims.
Dated: Howell, July 5th, A. D. 1912.
William Ledwidge Commissioners on
C. A. Frost Claims 28t3

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THE IMPEACHMENT OF JUDGE ARCHIBALD

JUDGE ARCHIBALD'S CASE TO COME UP ON JULY 29, EXTENSION OF TIME HAVING BEEN GRANTED.

HOUSE COMMITTEE VOTES TO UNSEAT REP. CATLIN.

Various Matters of Note in and About the National Capital Briefly Told.

WHOM WE CALL MERE MAN.

An average man of 150 pounds contains the constituents found in 1,200 eggs. There is enough gas in him to fill a gasometer of 3,649 cubic feet. He contains enough iron to make four tenpenny nails. His fat would make seventy-five candles and a good sized cake of soap. His phosphate content would make 8,064 boxes of matches. There is enough hydrogen in him in combination to fill a ballroom and carry him above the clouds. The remaining constituents of a man would yield, if utilized, six teaspoonfuls of salt, a bowl of sugar and ten gallons of water. A man has 500 muscles, 1,000,000 cells, 200 different bones, four gallons of blood, several hundred feet of arteries and veins, more than twenty-five feet of intestines, and millions of pores. His heart weighs from eight to twelve ounces, its capacity from four to six ounces in each ventricle, and its size is 5 by 3 1/2 by 2 1/2 inches. It is a hollow, muscular organ, and pumps twenty-two and one-half pounds of blood every minute. In twenty-four hours the heart pumps sixteen tons. It beats about seventy-two times a minute. In one year an average man's heart pumps 11,680,000 pounds of blood. The heart is a willing slave, but it sometimes strikes—and it always wins.

Commenting on the cost of books, a Harvard man remarks that while modern reprints of standard literary works can be obtained at moderate prices, volumes of more strictly contemporaneous interest are now habitually held at an unduly high price. As a consequence college students and others of moderate means are deterred from owning, aside from prescribed textbooks, such volumes as they need most, says the Rochester Post-Express. It is explained that with the exception of a prospective "best seller," or school textbook, the publisher argues that no more than, say, 3,000 copies could be sold, however low the price, whereas there are at least 800 municipal and collegiate libraries, which "must have" a copy; and it will be better business, in his opinion, to sell 800 copies at \$5 each than 3,000 copies at \$1.25. Size of type, page, margins and thickness of binding do much toward giving the appearance of value. It is also observed that the publisher does not overlook in his calculations the wealthy amateur who is "completing" his collection on a certain fop.

Wild game birds are the property of all citizens, under the Roman and continental law. On this principle of common ownership the states of this country have enacted their laws. But what of birds that alight but a short time within one state, then fly to another, and to yet other states? Are they not the property of the people of the Union? Because no state cares for them, the migratory birds of the United States are going the way of the great auk, the passenger pigeon and the parrot, says the New York Times. William S. Saskell of the American Game Protection and Propagation association argued before the senate committee that, though the title to the migratory birds has never been adjudicated, common sense would suggest that it belongs to the federal government, and the authorities at Washington should give ample protection to this fast vanishing wild life.

The population of Ireland on April 2, 1911, was 4,381,951 persons, showing a decrease of 76,824 since 1910. An increase of 7 per cent. was shown in the province of Leinster and decreases in the other three provinces. The number of families in 1911 was 912,711, an increase of 2,455 since 1901, and the average number of persons per family was 4.8, against 4.9 in the earlier year. Belfast increased from 349,180 to 385,492 in the 10 years from 1901 to 1911; Dublin from 290,638 to 309,272 and Cork from 76,122 to 76,632. The emigrants leaving Irish ports numbered 30,573 in 1911, a decrease of 1,884 from the 1910 figures. Of these 16,871 were male and 13,902 females. Most of the emigrants went to the United States and Canada, the former taking more than half of the total.

A University of Chicago scientist has reassembled the skeleton of a snake supposed to be 10,000,000 years old, and has titled it the ophiocedonops. He wouldn't have dared to call it that had he not been so sure.

Two months ago a Boston girl saved a man from drowning. The other day they were married. But it is rather hard, if this is a precedent, that, in addition to the exceptional chances of leap year, women nowadays have to be life-savers in the bargain.

A German teacher was tried and acquitted of the charge of poisoning his pupils in a school near Berlin. It was probably thought the results in the average child were dangerously

Request for time to file an answer to the impeachment charges against Judge Robert W. Archibald, of the commerce court, was the only action taken by his counsel, A. S. Worthington, when the defendant appeared at the bar of the senate. Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, spoke strongly in favor of granting the jurist ample time to prepare his answer. Seventy days was asked. Attorney Worthington did not enter on his defense proper and would give no intimation as to what line of argument he intends to pursue.

The impeachment court named July 29 as the date on which Judge Archibald must make answer to the 13 counts of his impeachment. The proceedings opened with an unusual degree of solemnity. The first order was a call of the roll of those senators to whom the oath as judges of impeachment had not been administered. None of the senators not sworn was present.

Senator Bailey declared he favored a trial before the summer adjournment and would urge such action, but that he favored giving the attorney for Judge Archibald time to answer the charges.

Mr. Clayton after a conference with the other house managers, suddenly withdrew his objection to the extension of time. The senate then ordered Judge Archibald to answer the charges against him Monday, July 29.

The house managers were ordered to present their rebuttal answer Aug. 1 and the limit of time for all supplementary answers was fixed as Aug. 3. At this time the issues in the case will be required to be complete.

Catlin Used Too Much Money.

By strict party vote the house election committee No. 2 Thursday voted to unseat Rep. Theron E. Catlin, of St. Louis, Republican, and to seat former Rep. Patrick Gill, Democrat. Mr. Catlin's campaign expenses were so great that the committee held his election to have been corrupt. It also held that Gill would have been elected but for the use of money by Catlin's managers.

The vote was six to three. Catlin's majority in the 1910 returns was 1,200.

According to the record, Rep. Catlin's campaign expenditures aggregated more than \$12,000. It was contended by his counsel that much of the money was used by his father without the candidate's knowledge. The Missouri law permits the expenditure of \$602.

Rep. Catlin is the son of a millionaire tobaccoist of St. Louis. He is serving his first term in congress, and is 34 years old.

Girl Slayer Drowns Himself.

The body of a man found floating in the Hudson river, New York, and taken to a morgue in Hoboken, was identified as that of Nathan Swartz, indicted for the murder of the child Julia Connors, in the Bronx, on July 7.

The identification was made by Frank Alexander, Swartz's brother-in-law.

The father of Nathan Swartz, who has been sought in connection with the crime, admitted to the grand jury that his son had confessed to him he was guilty of killing the girl.

STATE BRIEFS.

Arthur Smith, a 19-year-old aviator of Port Wayne, Ind., completed a successful flight from Hillsdale to Adrian, 36 miles, Friday.

Fire, which destroyed the big hog sheds in McGregor and consumed 200 live hogs, for a time threatened the destruction of the entire town.

James Martin of Escanaba is suing Victor Johnson, a saloonkeeper, for \$5,000 for injuries received when he was hit in the eye by a bear caged in the defendant's saloon.

St. Johns officers are trying to locate Paul Lavigne, of Saginaw, who was given a job as night operator at the Grand Trunk depot a week ago, and who remained until Sunday, when he disappeared with \$10 of the company's money.

Miss Beatrice Darby and Daniel T. Priesema, both of Flint, were married in Alpena by Rev. Dean Hastings, of Trinity church. The people were enjoying an outing at Grand lake and decided it was better to get married now than later.

Battle Creek officials have collected about two dozen valuable round tables and many others of less value from the Battle Creek Table Co., now bankrupt. The rule was made for the purpose of collecting back taxes, which amount to about \$200.

TORNADO HITS GRAND RAPIDS

One Man Dead From Shock; Forty Injured; \$60,000 Loss.

Grand Rapids was hit early Saturday morning by a tornado that indirectly caused the death of one man, injured 40 or more persons and did \$60,000 worth of damage.

The storm entered the city from the southwest about 4 o'clock. The first place struck was the city market and the Grand Rapids Central league baseball park near by. The market was crowded with farmers with their teams, as trading had just begun.

A terrific lightning and thunder storm which had been approaching had given no warning of the danger from the wind, but suddenly there were screams of fright as a whirling balloon-like cloud approached, racing from the southwest and headed directly toward the market place.

With a roar which was deafening the roof of the bull park grandstand was lifted high in the air. It seemed to hang suspended for a moment and then, shattering into a veritable rain of great planks and beams, was dashed upon the frightened men and wagons in the market place.

Immediately there was a panic. Terror-stricken horses reared and dashed frantically to escape. Wagons were overturned. Men and women were thrown prone by the fury of the wind and run over and rendered unconscious by the dashing teams.

Where a moment before the hundreds of loads of produce had been in orderly array awaiting the beginning of the morning's trading there was chaos.

Police reserves were called out at once to care for the victims.

Titanic Captain Lives?

Capt. E. J. Smith, commander of the Titanic, was not drowned but has been seen safe and sound in Baltimore, it was persistently declared by Peter Pryal, a wealthy retired mariner, who was a shipmate of Captain Smith for more than 17 years.

Mr. Pryal says he met Capt. Smith on Thursday and accosted him, but the captain brushed by him angrily. The next day, he declares, he saw him again and followed him around the city to a railroad station, where the captain bought a ticket for Washington. Just as he was about to pass through the gates, Pryal declares, the man turned to him and greeted him by name.

"I am on business; don't worry me," Pryal, he said. "Be good to yourself, old shipmate, till we meet again."

DR. HAMILTON W. MABIE



Dr. Hamilton Wright Mabie, one of the editors of the Outlook, will leave for Japan this fall for a six months' lecture tour.

TELEGRAPH NOTES.

The critical illness of Mutsuhito, emperor of Japan, is causing the gravest anxiety. The court physicians have pronounced the case acute nephritis, with alarming symptoms of uraemic poisoning.

After settling his affairs in Washington, William Lorimer of Illinois, ousted from the senate, started for Chicago by automobile. William J. Cooke, one of Lorimer's political lieutenants, accompanied him.

The Chinaman who on July 3 attempted to assassinate Sir Francis H. May, the governor of Hong Kong, by shooting him with a revolver, pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor.

The Democratic campaign fund contained about \$1,000,000 when Alton B. Parker ran for president in 1904, according to W. F. Sheehan, of New York, who testified before the senate committee investigating campaign funds.

The recent discovery of several choice 100-year-old hams in an underground passage near a historic old colonial mansion on Prudence Island has started Prof. David Greenberg of Columbia university on a systematic search of the old cellars of the island. The hams, heretofore found, are packed in wood ashes. Their flavor is so excellent that they have been readily marketed at \$1 a pound.

The Peter White estate will spend \$8,000 improving the Urban house at Ithaca, N. Y.

The world gathering of scientists now in London comprises delegates from 38 universities, including President Hadley of Yale, Dr. Robert S. Woodward of the Carnegie Institution, Washington, Prof. Hague of the Washington academy and Dr. Clarke of Johns Hopkins. The scientists attended a banquet at the Guild hall last night to celebrate the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Royal society. The guests included Premier Asquith, Lord Morley and Rudyard Kipling.

THIRD POLITICAL PARTY IS FORMED

THE PROGRESSIVES ARE NOW ORGANIZED TO PUT UP FULL TICKET IN STATE.

FEATURES OF THE PLATFORM THAT WAS ADOPTED.

Roosevelt's Wishes Seem to Have Been Fully Complied With and "State Ticket" Eliminated.

For governor—Senator L. Whitney Watkins.

For United States Senator—Theodore M. Joslin.

For congressman-at-large—Nathan P. Hull.

The final result of the convention held by Progressive Republicans at Jackson is that a complete ticket will be put in the field. A separate state organization is formed and a resolution was adopted declaring in favor of new party state, county, congressional, legislative, city, township and ward tickets. Former Republican State Chairman Frank Knox had made himself the leader of the state ticket faction. He fought hard against the third tickets locally. It was plain that the Knox faction were in a bad way before the convention convened and with the arrival of Sen. Dixon and his declaration for the so-called policy, Knox surrendered. When the resolution introduced by W. H. Hill, of Detroit, declaring for the third state, county and local tickets came up for discussion, Knox took the platform and said:

"Col. Roosevelt has seen fit to change his mind as to the course we should pursue. The first orders I took from anybody as a boy just out of college were from Col. Roosevelt, as a member of his rough rider regiment. I am still taking my orders from Col. Roosevelt. I will support his work for a third party ticket all down the line."

The convention chose presidential electors, national delegates and alternates and state central committee as follows:

Presidential Electors.

At large—Virgil Hungertford, Coldwater; Charles James, Detroit; C. G. Dekamp, Lansing; First district, W. H. Hill, Detroit; second, H. S. Dean, Ann Arbor; third, W. S. Powers, Battle Creek; fourth, F. R. Belknap, Randolph; fifth, Gilbert Hann, Holland; sixth, Harry S. Chapman, Oakland; seventh, Edward S. Black, Marine City; eighth, Orson B. Randall, Tuscola; ninth, R. J. McDonald, Muskegon; tenth, Luther G. Beckwith, Bay City; eleventh, S. D. Eldred, Mt. Pleasant; twelfth, Bates G. Burt, Marquette.

State Central Committee.

Charles P. O'Neil, Detroit, chairman; first district, Charles P. O'Neil and P. C. Davis, Detroit; second, John Brock, Jackson, and R. G. Dobson, Ann Arbor; third, F. A. Rothlisberger, and J. A. Wagner, Hillsdale; fourth, J. M. Harvey, Jr., Constantine, and R. H. Sherwood, Watervliet; fifth, Oscar Bramer, Holland, and William Dekleine, Grand Haven; sixth, Ira T. Sayre, Flushing, and W. S. Kellogg, Battle Creek; seventh, W. T. Bope, Bad Axe, and Jefferson G. Brown, Port Huron; eighth, Charles G. Ganshaw, Saginaw, and Edward G. Mason, Corunna; ninth, Frank S. Burbank, Oceana, and E. V. Dana, Muskegon; tenth, L. G. Beckwith, Bay City, and E. L. Gardner, Midland; eleventh, J. T. Dunwoode, Clare, and Dr. Nelson Abbott, Missaukee; twelfth, Dr. W. T. Feetham, second member to be named.

Features of the Platform.

The platform adopted contains these planks:

We favor a presidential primary law giving to the people the right to vote directly for their choice of president, with a clear provision that the delegates selected shall choose a national committeeman whose term of office shall begin immediately after the holding of said primary election and prior to the making of the temporary roll of membership in the national convention.

We favor the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

We favor the recall of all officials when corrupt or incompetent.

We condemn the usurpation by the judiciary of those functions of government which belong to the legislative department by giving to statute law the force and effect not intended by the elected legislative servants of the people.

We favor the separation of the judiciary from politics.

We favor principles rather than men.

We favor a law which shall compel all candidates for office upon the state ticket and candidates for United States senator and congressmen and each candidate for the legislature to file with the secretary of state, at least 30 days before election of principles upon state and national issues.

We favor the passage of a corrupt practices act governing both primaries and elections, with ample penalties for violations of the same.

We favor a continuance of the present policy of greater economy in state affairs, to the end that taxes shall not increase out of proportion to the increase of the state's population and assessable wealth.

Lieut. Preusser, a German military aviator, was killed in Leipzig as he was making a landing after a flight. The machine turned over twice after it struck the ground, the airman being caught beneath the engine.

Corunna's council has instructed the city attorney to draw up a new franchise for the Michigan United Traction company. In the franchise drawn up by the company, they agreed to run their cars only partially through the city. The members of the council state that they will have to run them their former terminal or give up their franchise.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

DETROIT, Mich., July 28.—Dry-fed steers, \$8.00 to \$8.25; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$6.50 to \$7.00; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$5.50 to \$6.00; calves and yearlings, \$4.00 to \$4.50; fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$5.50 to \$6.00; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.00 to \$4.50; choice fat, \$4.00 to \$4.50; fair to good, \$3.50 to \$4.00; stock bulls, \$3.25 to \$3.50; choice feeding steers, 500 to 1,000, \$4.50 to \$5.25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.00 to \$4.25; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.00 to \$4.50; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$3.25 to \$3.50; stock heifers, \$3.20 to \$3.50; milkers, large, young, medium, \$4.00 to \$5.00; common milkers, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

The veal calf trade was active and late arrivals fared better than those on hand early. The general market was \$9 for tops at the opening, but at the close the best were closed up quickly at \$9.50 and on the whole good grades were a quarter to a half higher than they were last week, with not enough on sale to supply the demand.

In the sheep and lamb department the trade was also active at an advance of 25c over last week, bulk of the 8000 pound bringings, \$7.50 to \$8.00. The close was strong at the advance.

Sheep and lambs—Best lambs \$7.00 to \$7.50; fair to good lambs, \$6.00 to \$7.00; light to common lambs, \$4.00 to \$6.00; yearlings, \$4.00 to \$6.00; fair to good sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.75; culls and common, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

GRAIN, ETC.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.02 1/2; July opened without change at \$1.03 1/2; closed at \$1.01 1/2; gained 10c; declined to \$1.04, and closed at \$1.02 1/2; September opened at \$1.04 1/2 and closed at \$1.04, advanced to \$1.04 1/2 and closed at \$1.04 1/2; No. 1 white, \$1.01 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 77c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 75 1/2c.

Oats—Standard, 4 cars at 54 1/2c; August and September, 34 1/2c; No. 2 white, 34c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 73c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and July shipment, \$2.85; October, \$2.80; December, \$2.75; prime, October, \$2.75.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 100 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$4.40; straight, \$3.80; clear, \$3.50; patent, \$3.50; rye, \$3.40.

Feed—in 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lots: Best, \$3.50; cracked, \$3.25; middlings, \$3.00; cracked, \$2.75; coarse cornmeal, \$3.10; corn and oat chop, \$3.00 per ton.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Butter—Extra creamery, 25 1/2c; first creamery, 25 1/2c; dairy, 21c; packing, 19c per lb. Eggs—Receipts, 4,000 cases; condensed, 20c per doz.

Watermelons—\$2.00 per bushel. Canned fruit—\$2.00 per bushel. Lemons—California, \$5.00 per box. Apples—Washington, \$2.00 per box.

Pineapples—Florida, \$3.00 to \$3.75 per bushel. Blackberries—\$1.50 to \$1.75 per 16-quart case.

Huckleberries—\$2.00 to \$2.25 per 16-quart case. Grapefruit—California, \$5.00 per box.

Cherries—Sour, \$1.50 to \$1.75 per 16-quart case; sweet, \$2.00 to \$2.25 per 16-quart case.

California cherries—\$1.75 to \$2.25 per box. Apples—Willow twin, \$7.00 to \$7.50 per barrel; new, \$5.00 to \$6.00 per barrel.

Cantaloupes—Jumbos, \$3.00 per crate; standard, \$2.25 per crate. Watermelons—\$2.00 to \$2.25 per bushel. Canned fruit—\$2.00 per bushel.

Onions—Texas Bermudas, \$1.25 for 100 lbs. and \$1.30 for white, per box; Bermuda, \$1.25 per bushel, and \$2.25 per sack.

Live Poultry—Broilers, 24c to 25c per lb.; chickens, 14 1/2c to 15c; hens, 14 1/2c to 15c; turkeys, 18c to 20c; young ducks, 15c to 16c per lb.

Cheese—Michigan, 16c to 17c; New York, 17c to 18c; brick cream, 17 1/2c to 18c; Limburger, 17c to 18c; domestic Swiss, new, 22c to 23c; imported Swiss, 22 1/2c to 23c per lb.

New beets, 15c to 20c per dozen; carrots, 15c to 20c per dozen; cauliflower, 25c to 30c per dozen; hotchise cucumbers, 35c to 40c per dozen; eggplants, 10c to 15c per bushel; garlic, 10c per lb.; green peppers, 50c per basket; green onions, 12 1/2c per dozen; green beans, 75c to 85c per bushel; leaf lettuce, 30c per bushel; head lettuce, 70c per bushel; mint, 50c per dozen; parsley, 20c to 25c per dozen; radishes, 10c per dozen; turnips, 75c per bushel; vegetable oyster, 40c per dozen; watercress, 25c to 30c per dozen; spinach, 50c per bushel; green beans, 75c per bushel, green peas, 1.25 per bushel.

Parcels Post Bill.

After a dispute of more than two months the senate committee on post-offices and post roads Saturday reached an agreement on the postoffice appropriation bill.

The parcels post provision, the principal matter in dispute, was finally thrashed out by Senator Bourne and Senator Bristow of Kansas. The result was a compromise.

The bill retains Senator Bourne's scheme for a division of the country into zones within which rates for the transmission of parcels shall be the same.

Canal Nears Completion.

More than seven-eighths of the excavation work on the Panama canal has been completed. June 1, according to the canal record, 22,053,815 cubic yards, or less than one-eighth of the total amount of earth and rock to be taken out of the canal route, remained to be excavated. At the rate the great steam shovels are working, this can be done in time to have the waterway ready for opening on schedule, January 1, 1915.

William Howland, 15, who was arrested in Lansing on a charge of burglarizing a short time ago, escaped from the home of the county agent during the latter's absence.

The treaty of mutual trade benefits, which was signed at Ottawa last April by representatives of the British West Indies and members of the Canadian government, has been ratified by all the islands with the exception of Trinidad. It is expected that Trinidad will ratify the treaty within a fortnight. This deal was put through after the Canadian conservatives snubbed American reciprocity.

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The Middle-Aged Woman.

Of the many ways in which the middle-aged woman may vary the effect of her afternoon gowns none is simpler than the use of a collar and cuffs of white voile edged with scalloping and embroidery in a floral design. Another change may be the frock set of white chiffon with border of black malines, and still another is the one of black net hemstitched with silver thread. Some of these collars are so long in front that they terminate only at the waist line, where they cross in surplus effect and are tucked away under the girdle. An excellent model of this sort is of light blue lawn embroidered with black dots, and a second is of white agate trimmed with tiny folds of broadcloth, alternating with eponge.

Too Eager.

Fred Poyner, a Chicago dentist, was recently at a banquet given by the Dental association.

He said: "On one side is the right of things and on the other is wrong; sometimes the difference between the two is slight. As the following story shows: A gypsy upon release from jail met a friend. 'What were you in for?' asked the friend.

"I found a horse," the gypsy replied.

"Found a horse? Nonsense! They would never put you in jail for finding a horse."

"Well, but you see I found him before the owner lost him."

Voice of Conscience.

A western Kentucky negro was in jail awaiting trial for stealing a calf. His wife called to see him. On her way out the jailer, whose name was Grady, halted her.

"Mandy," he inquired, "have you got a lawyer for Jim?"

"No, sah," said his wife. "Ef Jim was guilty I'd git him a lawyer first away, but he tells me he ain't guilty, and so, of co'se, I ain't aimin' to hire none."

"Mr. Grady," came a voice from the cells above, "you tell dat nigger woman down there to git a lawyer—and git a dam' good one, too!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Excellent Plan.

"I see," said Mrs. De Jones, while Mrs. Van Tyle was calling, "that you have a Chinese chauffeur. Do you find him satisfactory?"

"He's perfectly fine," said Mrs. Van Tyle. "To begin with, his yellow complexion is such that at the end of a long, dusty ride he doesn't show any spots, and then when I am out in my limousine I have his pigtail stuck through a little hole in the plate-glass window and I use it as a sort of bell rope to tell him 'where to stop.'"—Harper's Weekly.

Genesius.

Jack—When I met my pretty cousin at the train I was in doubt whether I should kiss her.

Tom—Well, what did you do?

Jack—I gave her the benefit of the doubt.

A WINNING START

A Perfectly Digested Breakfast Makes Nerve Force for the Day.

Everything goes wrong if the breakfast lies in your stomach like a mud pie. What you eat does harm if you can't digest it—it turns to poison.

A bright lady teacher found this to be true, even of an ordinary light breakfast of eggs and toast. She says:

"Two years ago I contracted a very annoying form of indigestion. My stomach was in such condition that a simple breakfast of fruit, toast and egg gave me great distress.

"I was slow to believe that trouble could come from such a simple diet, but finally had to give it up, and found a great change upon a cup of hot Postum and Grape-Nuts with cream, for my morning meal. For more than a year I have held to this course and have not suffered except when injudiciously varying my diet.

"I have been a teacher for several years and find that my easily digested breakfast means a saving of nervous force for the entire day. My gain of ten pounds in weight also causes me to want to testify to the value of Grape-Nuts.

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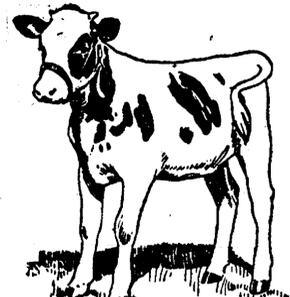
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GOOD MANAGEMENT OF COWS

Best Season for Animals to Come Fresh is Autumn—Calves Are Then Easier to Raise.

Major Henry E. Alvord, in the Iowa Homestead, says: "If the prime object is to produce the greatest quantity of milk of the best quality and at the greatest profit from any given number of cows within a year, the evidence is overwhelming that the cows should be managed so as to calve in the autumn months. For like reasons September is the best month



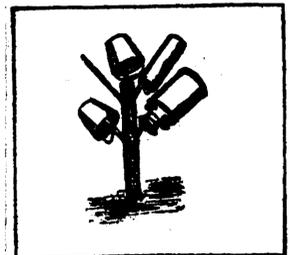
A Well-Bred Calf.

In most parts of the country for a heifer to drop her first calf in order to best develop as a cow, and this almost regardless of the age of the animal at first calving. Calves born in the fall are easier reared and make better cows than those born in the spring or summer. It seems needless to rehearse the stock arguments on this subject, based upon the long experience of successful dairymen, but a brief recapitulation may be useful. The cow or heifer calving in the fall needs the most healthy and nutritious pasture first following the strain and while coming into full flow. Just at the time when some falling off is likely to occur, the animal is brought to the stable and receives good care. The winter feeding and the returns from it may be depended upon to exceed the mid-summer results for a like period. At the stage of milking and of gestation, when another dropping off in the milk yield may be looked for, the fresh pasturage induces a fresh flow, lengthens the milking season and increases the product. December and January are good months in which to control and supervise the service of the bull."

SUNLIGHT FOR MILK UTENSILS

One of the Best Known Disinfectants—Nothing Better for Cans After Being Washed.

Sunlight is one of the best of disinfectants and it is free to everybody. There is nothing like good sunning and airing for milk utensils after they



Sun Rack for Milk Utensils.

have been thoroughly washed and scalded, says the Farmers Mail and Breeze. The drawing shows a handy sun rack on which cans, pails and strainers may be conveniently hung. It is just as useful for kitchen utensils. Such a rack may be made from the upper portion of the main stem of a tree, leaving as many stubs of limbs for brackets as will be needed. Or holes may be bored slantwise into any soft wood post and brackets inserted.

Points of a Dairy Cow.

The cow is a machine to convert food into milk. Thus she must have a large middle and strong constitution to insure best results. She must also have a large udder, large milk wells, large crooked milk veins and good sized teats. Her head should be lean and angular in appearance, with the eyes standing out prominently. The neck should be rather long and clean in appearance, the shoulders pointed and the backbone rather prominent. The skin should be loose and soft to the touch.

Sell Nonpaying Cows.

Very few men will hesitate in disposing of a nonpaying cow if he can be convinced that she is in that class. It is ignorance alone that keeps so many poor milkers as work milking poor cows.

Least Waste of Cream.

If the milk is separated immediately after it is drawn and before the animal warmth has time to escape there will be the least possible waste of cream.

CLEAN SKIN OF MUCH VALUE

If Pores Are Kept Open Cow Is More Apt to Be Healthy—Use Comb and Brush Every Day.

Nature has given all living creatures a wonderful covering for the body. The skin is a most perfect and yet an exceedingly simple system of carrying off impurity and at the same time of providing the body with needed nourishment from the air, through the mysterious channels of absorption. Every cow's body is completely covered with this network of cells. If these are kept clean and open, so that they may do their work, the cow will be more apt to be healthy than if they become closed. This has been most strikingly proven by covering the bodies of animals with a sort of varnish which will not admit air, and the poor creatures soon die, their heart and lungs being fairly engorged with blood, just as would be the case if they were smothered.

Do we need anything more to prove that it stands us in hand to keep the bodies of our cattle clean by the use of a brush and comb not now and then, but every day, regularly? If this be not done, the pores of the skin get closed with the dust which is always present in our stables, especially at this time of the year, when we are feeding hay and other food that is apt to fill the air with flying particles. At once the cow begins to suffer. She cannot digest her food as she would otherwise, and she requires more food and richer food to maintain life in a good degree.

POINTS IN CARING FOR MILK

Liquid Placed in a Clean Bottle Is Practically Free From Outside Contamination.

The nine rules given below will prove of considerable value to any dairyman:

1. Bottle milk is practically free from outside contamination and is the preferable form for purchasing it.
2. Can milk is liable to contamination from dust, from heat, and from strong-smelling substances in the refrigerator.
3. The top and outside of the bottle should be rinsed off with warm water



Simple Method of Cooling.

before being opened, as the milkman usually carries the bottles by the top or neck, and more or less dirt and bacteria are certain to be transferred to the outside of the bottles.

4. Place the milk at once in a refrigerator, in cold water or in a cellar. Keep the covers on the bottles as it prevents material falling in, and also prevents absorption of odors.
5. Wash and scald the bottle as soon as empty.
6. Clean vessels only should be used for holding milk sold by measure. These should have tight-fitting covers.
7. Never mix fresh and stale milk, as all becomes tainted or sour in a short time.
8. Milk slightly sour can be sweetened by the addition of a small amount of lime water. Pasteurization will add to its keeping quality. This latter is not good policy, but is a remedy for a common evil.
9. Do not buy milk because it is cheap, for usually it is the dearest in the end.

DAIRY NOTES

An old stagnant pond is no place for a cow to slack her thirst.

Cows differ somewhat in the amount of roughage they will take.

Every dairy farmer should organize a cow-testing association of his own.

A "boarder" in the dairy herd is a sign of an owner who is satisfied with life as it is.

The mangel is excellent for stock feed, being greatly relished by milk cows in winter.

When butter refuses to "gather" the cream may be too sour or the temperature too low.

Provided you cow is a good one, the more she is fed along right lines the more she will give.

Stringy milk is brought on by a fermentation in the udder caused by a certain form of bacteria.

Milk left in the pail of the skimmilk calf means sour milk in a very short time these hot days.

To be sweet and clean it is desirable that the cow stable be white-washed at least twice a year.

The best cow is the one that can consume the largest amount of roughage and use it to the best advantage.

The number of acres required to feed a herd of twenty cows in full milk will depend largely upon the condition of the ground and the season.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

Marshall.—The Democrats held a conference here and decided to support the following for county offices: Probate judge, W. P. Porter, Marshall; sheriff, Frank B. Garrick, Pennfield; clerk, W. A. Cady, Battle Creek; register of deeds, Charles Standford, Athens; treasurer, Walter Watson, Albion; drain commissioner, Ed Anaterburg, Albion township; coroners, M. S. Delavergne, Marshall, and Oscar G. Hubbard, Albion. Doctor Palmer will get the united support of both counties for state senator. Roy M. Ludlum of Battle Creek will be named for prosecutor.

Lansing.—A pretty romance culminated when William E. Morgan and Miss Helen E. Baker were married. The acquaintance of the couple began two years ago, when he rescued her from Pine Lake into which she had been precipitated by a capsizing canoe. The young man plunged into the water and swam several hundred feet to where Miss Baker was in a desperate battle with the waves. Her escort was clinging to the canoe and did not offer her any assistance.

Evart.—Two men from southern Michigan are dragging the lakes of Osceola with nets for the purpose of securing turtles. The supply of turtles suitable for food in the lakes of the southern part of the state has been nearly exhausted. These men ship this meat in great quantities and unless some step is taken in the near future to protect the turtle it will soon be exterminated hereabouts.

Jackson.—John Trowbridge, a convict who escaped from the prison farm, returned to the prison voluntarily. He told Warden Simpson that he slept out of doors and that he awakened to a realization of his foolishness and desired to be sent back to the farm. Trowbridge came from Ionia January 29, last, on a two to ten years' sentence for assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder.

Lansing.—The trial of the molders charged with violating the injunction of Judge Collingwood relative to picketing, was completed just before court adjourned. The case was tried without a jury, and the decision was rendered by the judge. He exonerated all but Harry Langley. Langley was the chairman of the committee appointed by the strikers to picket the factory in question.

Jackson.—Rev. E. D. Rundell, aged seventy, pastor of the Ganson Street Baptist church, died at the White Cross sanitarium following an operation. Rev. Rundell was a prominent minister of this city and was well known throughout the state. For three years he was chaplain of the Jackson state prison. He served as pastor at Caro, New Buffalo and Three Oaks in this state.

Pontiac.—Charles Helt, aged sixteen, who gives his home as 241 Third avenue, Detroit, is held at the county jail on a charge of horse stealing. He was caught in the act of driving off a horse and carriage belonging to William J. Purdy of Southfield township. Howard Stolls, son of a neighbor of the Purdys, recognized Helt driving the Purdy rig and stopped him.

Cadillac.—Alone and with one portion of his body paralyzed, G. R. & I. Operator C. E. Northway, succeeded in extinguishing the blazing roof of his shanty at Missaukee Junction, and saving the building. Northway is learning to be left handed and his long service for the company secured him a job as soon as he could walk, following the stroke.

Cadillac.—Two weeks ago C. A. Boyce of Barryton came here in a dying condition and was taken to Mercy hospital, where he died. Boyce wanted to die as near Clam Lake cemetery as he possibly could, thus saving the extra expense and danger of a railroad wreck in having his body brought here from Barryton after death.

Adrian.—Mrs. George Metcalk committed suicide by hanging herself from the cellar door of her home in Seneca township, three miles south of Weston. The woman strangled herself to death by leaning back on a rope strung from the top of the door. She leaves a son, Ira, besides the husband, two brothers and one sister.

Ionia.—Mrs. Bert Shattuck, who has been in the Traverse City State hospital several times but who has been repeatedly released on account of apparent return to sanity, was again brought to the county jail here to be taken to the hospital again. During the night at the jail she made an attempt to kill herself by hanging.

Iron Mountain.—The residence of Mayor R. L. Hammond was partially wrecked by dynamite. The explosive was placed beneath the kitchen of the house and ignited by a long fuse. The rear of the residence was destroyed and furniture and glassware in other parts of the house damaged. Mrs. Hammond, wife of the mayor, was the only member of the family at home and was uninjured. No clue to the dynamiter has been found. The home of former Mayor Miller was wrecked in the same manner several years ago.

SOME CLEANING HINTS

METHODS THAT WILL BOTH RENOVATE AND PRESERVE.

Use Spirits of Wine, With Warm Water, to Freshen Satin—Proper Care of Glass—Washing Soda for Silver.

To Clean Satin.—Take equal proportions of spirits of wine and warm water, sponge the satin on the right side with this, working down the material and not across it. While still damp, iron on the wrong side.

Another plan is to clean the satin with the following mixture: Four ounces of honey, the same quantity of melted soap mixed with one egg and one wineglass of gin, using a stiff brush. When the satin appears clean, rinse in cold water; press between clean cloths to dry or hang up to drain.

Iron while still damp, and thoroughly dry before folding.

Care of Glass.—There is nothing that repays one more for careful washing and drying than glass. First one must have a bowl of warm water softened with dissolved soap, which makes a very good lather. Too hot water should not be used, as it might crack the glass.

Have a bowl of clean water to rinse the glass in after washing it and if a very fine polish be desired on it have a third bowl of cold water with a little ammonia in it. Wash each article separately, rinse it well, and dry with a soft glass cloth, which should be made of linen or little, fluffy particles will stick to the glass and spoil the appearance.

When it is washed and dried polish with a leather kept for the glass, or with a silk handkerchief or with some soft tissue paper.

How to Clean Silver.—Have an aluminum pan containing about two gallons of cold water. In this dissolve a piece of washing soda about the size of an egg, and heat the solution to boiling point. Drop into this the silver to be cleaned, taking care to keep the whole at boiling point. Let the silver soak for three or four minutes. Lift out with a wire spoon or long-handled fork, wash in hot soap suds and wipe quickly with a perfectly dry towel. The pieces so cleaned will be as highly polished as when new.

This process will neither injure plated nor solid ware. When all the silver is finished, if there are any pieces that do not look white and clear, rub them with a little dry whiting and a dry duster; then polish off with a soft, dry cloth.

To Wash Feather Boa.—Prepare a soap lather and one or two lukewarm rinsing waters. Place the boa in the soap lather and wash it by squeezing between the hands till quite clean. Rinse it well to take out all the dirty water and soap.

When this is done, squeeze the water out of the feather and roll in a cloth, which will absorb the moisture. Take hold of the boa by the ends and twist each in the opposite direction, thus giving the natural twist to the boa. Fasten a piece of tape to each and tie these to a line to prevent the twist from becoming undone. Shake the boa to separate the fronds, and leave it until quite dry, occasionally shaking it to keep the fronds apart.

The drying process should be done in a warm place, so that it will dry quickly, and the fronds thus become fluffy, when it is ready for curling.

Cream Mash.

Chop veal or beef as fine as for hash, fry for a few minutes in salt pork drippings. Take from the fire; in the same frying pan make a rich, well-seasoned cream gravy if cream is possible; if not, use milk, thickened with cornstarch and adding a generous lump of butter. Pour half of the gravy into a pan over the fire, thin it with hot water, dip in slices of well-browned toast, then lay the moistened toast in a fat dish and set in a warm place. Into the thick cream gravy put the minced meat; cook it five minutes and spread it on the toast. Delicious.

Pumpkin Chips.

Eight pounds pumpkin cut in thin and rather small pieces, four lemons sliced very thin, five cents' worth of ginger root, five pounds granulated sugar. Put this all together and let stand all night. Next day boil it four hours, then take from stove, let stand until cold, put in jelly glasses and cover with paraffine. This is especially good at breakfast, as it makes an inexpensive and very palatable marmalade.—Home Department, National Magazine.

Add Lemon Juice.

When using beef or mutton dripping instead of butter for pastry try beating it to a cream with a squeeze of lemon juice. This will take away the taste that some people object to in dripping made pastry and makes it beautifully light and crisp.

Rubber Cake.

One cup sugar, one and a half cups flour; one cup sour milk; one-half teaspoonful soda; two teaspoonfuls cinnamon, one teaspoonful cloves, yolks of two eggs; beat all together and bake in a quick oven.

To Clean the Carpet.

If your carpet or rug is badly soiled, take a basin of water, put in three or four teaspoonfuls of ammonia, wash thoroughly and dry. This does not hurt the carpet.

FOOL QUESTION ANSWERED.



Percy—If I were rich, my darling, would you love me more than you do? Virginia—I might not love you any more, Percy, but I know I would look forward to our wedding day with a degree of impatience that never seems to possess me at present.

"What's going on here?" demanded a man as he came upon two little boys battling in a vacant lot on the south side. The lad who was on top was rubbing weeds over the face of the under one.

"Stop it," said the man, grabbing the victor by the neck and pulling him away. "What in the world are you trying to do to his face with those weeds?"

"Do? Why, he swore in front of some girls, and I rubbed some smartweed in his eyes to become a great man like Abraham Lincoln."—Pittsburg Sun.

Fit Punishment.

The Wicked Soul was sitting on a hot stove, drinking molten lava and fanning himself with a chunk of red hot sheetiron.

"And who is the poor wretch?" asked Dante.

"That," replied Satan, "is the first man who said, 'Is it hot enough for you?'"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Ball.

First Suffragette—If we want to get the young girls interested in our meetings we must have something to attract them.

Second Suffragette—Which would it better be—refreshments or men?—Life.

Obviously Unnecessary.

"Look here, Snip," said Slowpay, indignantly, to his tailor, "you haven't put any pockets in these trousers."

"No, Mr. Slowpay," said the tailor, with a sigh; "I judged from your account that you never had anything to put in them."

Persuasion.

"What made Mr. Chuggins buy an automobile?"

"His wife persuaded him by calling his attention to the economy of having gasoline on hand to clean gloves with."—Washington Star.

Let's Be Thankful for That.

At any rate a woman's shoes haven't yet reached the point where they button up the back.

When He Can't Be Overlooked.

Somehow or other we never take much notice of the coming man till he gets there.

A girl may not marry the best man at her own wedding, but she should try to make the best of the man she marries.

Only a married man can fully appreciate heaven if there are no wash days or house cleaning seasons there.

Many a girl strives to make a name for herself rather than attempt to make a loaf of bread.

Goodness does not more certainly make men happy than happiness makes them good.—Landon.

Unless a woman is a first-class artist she seldom has a good complexion.

Poets are born—and most of the great ones are dead.

No thoughtful person uses liquid blue. It's a pinch of blue in a large bottle of water. Ask for Red Cross Ball Blue, the blue that's all blue.

Women waste a lot of powder when the enemy isn't in sight.

Misinterpreted. William Shaw, the secretary of the famous Christian Endeavor society, said in a witty after-dinner address in Boston:

"There is a little Back Bay girl who is much interested in her auntie's Christian Endeavor work. The little girl was writing a letter to her brother at Yale one day, and in the midst of the epistle she looked up and said: 'Auntie, how do you spell devil?' 'Devil!' cried her aunt, with a shocked smile. 'Why, child, don't you know you mustn't use such a word as devil?'"

"But, auntie," protested the little girl, "I want to tell brother about your Christian and devil meetings!"

SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

How Mrs. Reed of Peoria, Ill., Escaped The Surgeon's Knife.

Peoria, Ill.—"I wish to let every one know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. Forty years I suffered. The doctor said I had a tumor and the only remedy was the surgeon's knife. My mother bought me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and today I am a well and healthy woman. For months I suffered from inflammation, and your Sensitive Wash relieved me. I am glad to tell anyone what your medicines have done for me. You can use my testimonial in any way you wish, and I will be glad to answer letters."—Mrs. CHRISTINA REED, 105 Mound St., Peoria, Ill.

Mrs. Lynch Also Avoided Operation.

Jessup, Pa.—"After the birth of my fourth child, I had severe organic inflammation. I would have such terrible pains that it did not seem as though I could stand it. This kept up for three long months, until two doctors decided that an operation was needed.

"Then one of my friends recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and after taking it for two months I was a well woman."—Mrs. JOSEPH A. LYNCH, Jessup, Pa.

Women who suffer from female ills should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one of the most successful remedies the world has ever known, before submitting to a surgical operation.

Don't Persecute Your Bowels

Cut out cathartics and purgatives. They are brutal, harsh, unnecessary.



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Purely vegetable. Act gently on the liver, eliminate bile, soothe the delicate membranes of the bowels. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache and indigestion, as millions know.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.

Don't Out on a Varicose Vein Use ABSORBINE, JR. FOR IT

A mild, safe, antiseptic, discutient, resolvent liniment, and a proven remedy for this and similar troubles.

Mr. R. C. Kellogg, Becket, Mass., before using this remedy, suffered intensely with painful and inflamed veins; they were swollen, knotted and hard. He writes: "After using one and one-half bottles of ABSORBINE, JR., the veins were reduced, inflammation and pain gone, and I have had no recurrence of the trouble during the past six years." Also removes Goitre, Painful Swellings, Wens, Cysts, Callouses, Bruises, "Black and Blue" discolorations, etc., in a pleasant manner. Price \$1.00 and \$2.00 a bottle at druggists or delivered. Book 5 G Free. Write for it. W. F. Young, P. O. Box 310, Springfield, Mass.

In Wages or Profit

health, sooner or later, shows its value. No man can expect to go very far or very fast toward success—no woman either—who suffers from the headaches, the sour stomach and poor digestion, the unpleasant breath and the good-for-nothing feelings which result from constipation and biliousness. But just learn for yourself what a difference will be made by a few doses of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Tested through three generations—favorably known the world over this perfect vegetable and always efficient family remedy is universally accepted as the best preventive or corrective of disorders of the organs of digestion. Beecham's Pills regulate the bowels, stir the liver, to natural activity—enable you to get all the nourishment and blood-making qualities from your food. As sure as you try them you will know that—in your looks and in your increased vigor—Beecham's Pills

Pay Big Dividends

The dividends with every box are very valuable—especially to women. Each box contains 10 pills.

UNADILLA

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Galesburg, Illinois spent the latter part of last week at S. G. Parlmer's.

Dr. Felton Watts, wife and son Worth of Dent, Idaho visited at John Webb's Friday last.

Boy Parlmer and wife entertained a company of friends for dinner Monday.

Denton Bird of Grand Rapids spent part of last week with his cousin W. T. Barnum.

Mrs. Updyke is entertaining her mother Mrs. Anderson from Ohio.

Miss Tripp of Jackson spent part of last week with her friend Mrs. Otis Webb.

Mr. Bowersox is making preparations to move to Jonesville.

Mrs. Gertrude Teachout returned to Lansing Monday after a three weeks visit with her parents.

Mrs. A. C. Watson is entertaining a company of friends from Detroit this week.

A. C. Watson was in Chelsea Monday.

Arthur Munger and family of Stockbridge visited at Wirt Barnum's Thursday.

Clare and Lucile Barnum spent Sunday in Stockbridge.

Harvesting and huckleberrying is the busy farmer's ordeal.

SOUTH GREGORY.

Ada Hammond and daughter and Cora Cone called on Mrs. L. R. Williams and family last Thursday.

Mrs. Dewey called on Mrs. Sheets one day last week and took her for a ride to Gregory.

Huckleberries are not very plentiful. Beulah Bates was home over Sunday.

L. R. Williams and wife returned from Jackson Monday morning.

SOUTH IOSCO.

Mrs. David Roberts is on the sick list.

The Ladies Aid Society met at J. B. Buckley's Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brigham visited at Nick Barley's Sunday.

Mrs. John Grindling of Webberville visited her sister Mrs. Joe Roberts Thursday last.

Miss Lorna Roberts is suffering from a severe attack of the mumps.

Mrs. Eliza Kahn is visiting her daughter in Detroit.

The Misses Pauline and Margaret Barley are visiting their grandparents.

PLAINFIELD.

Mrs. Fanny Boise spent last Friday at the home of Floyd Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright visited at Elmer Braley's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright visited at Miram Miller's Sunday.

Mrs. Jerusha Isham who has been visiting her son Floyd Isham at Onadago has returned home.

Miss Hazel Van Syckel of Marion visited at B. Isham's Sunday.

Max Dyer visited his Uncle Robert Wasson near Stockbridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Jacobs visited at George Montague's Sunday.

Miss Esther Witty of Marion is visiting her aunt Ella Montague.

CHUBBS CORNERS

Mrs. Knight of Detroit is visiting at Homer Gorton's.

Mrs. Bert Miller of Brighton called at F. W. Allison's one day last week.

Jay Brigham and family spent Sunday with relatives in Pinckney.

W. H. Allison and daughter of Sioux Falls visited relatives in this vicinity Sunday.

James Taylor of Chelsea visited F. W. Allison's Tuesday.

NORTH HAMBURG.

Carrie, Mark and Edward Ayers of Detroit visited relatives in this vicinity several days last week.

Jas. Barron and Clyde Bennett transacted business in Howell last Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Nash and Harry Ayers and family visited at the home of M. A. Davis one day last week.

Miss Lucile Carpenter of Pinckney has been visiting her cousin, Clara Carpenter.

Miss Clara Carpenter is visiting friends in Stockbridge.

Amos Mussleman



CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR ON THE REPUBLICAN TICKET

The campaign manager for Amos Mussleman was in town last week to interest local voters in the Grand Rapids man's campaign for the nomination of governor on the republican ticket at the primary election to be held August 27. Mr. Mussleman carried Livingston county in the primary two years ago and it is conceded that he has a splendid chance this year of landing the nomination.

Local News

Floyd Reason has sold his red Cartercar to Chas. Reason.

Thomas Eagen of Dexter was in town Monday.

Dan Zant and wife of Charlotte spent Monday here.

Wirt Barton has purchased an Overland touring car of Flintoft & McIntyre.

Lyle Gorton and wife and Wirt Barton and wife are camping at Portage Lake.

F. Boylan and family of Obilson spent Sunday at the home of Clayton Placeway.

Lucy and Josephine Culhane are spending the summer at Mackinac.

Mrs. Jones of Springvale N. Y. is visiting at the home of her brother, Thomas Read.

Mrs. Albert Read and children of Rushton spent Monday at the home of T. Read.

Miss Laura Burgess spent the week end with her cousin, Roy Hicks.

Norman Reason and A. H. Flintoft transacted business in Mason Monday.

Mrs. Fred Grieve, son, Harold, and daughter, Isabell, of Plainfield visited at the home of Geo. Reason Sr. the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Burr Fitch and daughter, Zella, of Pontiac have been visiting at the home of James Fitch for the past two weeks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Fiedler of Toledo Saturday July 20 a nine pound girl. Mrs. F. was formerly Miss Ida Burchell of this place.

Mrs. Agnes Harris, Mrs. H. C. Harris, Miss Kate Morgan and Mrs. Jas. Harris and children spent one day last week at the home of John Donohue.

The Pinckney photographers will take a vacation before September. They close their shop here August 24. Persons wishing portraits, groups, or enlargements made in their home town this summer will do well to act promptly.

The cost of clothing will be lifted from 7 1/2 to 20 cents per yard above that of last year according to the retail clothiers. The chief cause of this is said to be the fact that the domestic wool clip is 30,000,000 pounds smaller than that of last year.

We have received many inquiries from former residents as to when the next home coming is to be held and who the officers elected were. The executive committee which consists of Dr. C. L. Sigler, F. G. Jackson and others have not as yet elected officers or set the date for the next home coming.

Ruth Frost is visiting relatives in Detroit.

H. W. Crofoot was in Toledo the first of the week.

Helen Dolan is the guest of relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. A. M. Utley spent the first of the week in Detroit.

Claude Monks is attending the Cadillac in Detroit this week.

Miss Ella Black is visiting friends and relatives in Detroit.

Grant Austin of Lansing is visiting the home of Henry Reason.

Mr. Geo. Sprout of Benzonia is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Chas. Brown has purchased a Whiting roadster of Flintoft & Read.

Mrs. Monry of Dundee spent the past week at the home of Ed Brenningstall.

Mrs. Frank Wolfer has been visiting her sister Mrs. Chas. VanKeuran of Lansing.

The East Marion Band will give a band concert on the public square Saturday evening.

Mrs. Chas. VanKeuran of Lansing is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Teeple this week.

Murphy & Jackson will give away all bread remaining in stock after 8 p. m. Saturday. We expect to be there.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Ratz of Detroit was taken to Howell for burial Monday.

Mrs. Ratz was formerly Miss Florence Andrews of this place.

St. Mary's parish of Pinckney will hold their annual picnic Tuesday, August 13. Rev. Fr. Comerford of Flint is expected to be present and a royal good time is promised.

Miss Margaret Bilz after spending several weeks with friends here left Monday for Detroit where she will visit relatives for a while before returning to her home at Spring Lake.

Gov. Osborne has issued an executive order directing Attorney-General F. Kuhn to take entire charge of the case of the People vs Lewis Brayton and Edward Scully charged with violation of the local option laws.

Thomas A. Lawler assistant attorney-general will prosecute the cases which come up at the October term of court, thus relieving prosecuting attorney Robb and his associate W. P. VanWinkle, of the prosecution of these cases.

Three Sudden Deaths

There has been three sudden deaths in this section recently.

E. I. Crossley the Ann Arbor agent at Lakeland died suddenly in the station there Saturday a. m. He was found lying in a pool of blood which gave rise to the report it was a case of suicide. But coroner Collins who was summoned found that he had died of apoplexy and the flow of blood had resulted from striking his nose in falling.

F. C. Reinmann, Chilson postmaster and Michigan Milling Co-agent who had been missing since Friday noon was found dead in the woods on his farm, Saturday p. m. by a searching party. A post-mortem was held and it was decided that his death was caused by heart failure.

Mr. Derby of Stockbridge, aged 86 years was killed by the Grand Trunk train No. 30 Tuesday p. m. He had returned from Jackson on the train but got off on the wrong side of the car and was crawling under the train when it started up and killed him.

WEST FURNAL

Mabel Tripp of Jackson is visiting friends and relatives here.

H. B. Gardner and daughter, Arla, were in Stockbridge Monday.

Jo Harris is visiting at the home of John White in Marion.

Mrs. Patrick Kennedy and son, Vern were Stockbridge visitors, last week.

Mrs. Peter Kelly and Nellie Fisk visited at Caspar Vollmer's last week.

Nellie Gardner and Fannie Monks returned home Monday from visiting friends at Durand and Flint.

ANDERSON.

Mrj and Mrs. Frank Barton attended the wedding of their son Wirt at Durand last week.

Mrs. W. H. Placeway of Pinckney is visiting at the home of Mrs. Sam Placeway.

Dr. and Mrs. MacLachlan of Detroit spent the past few days on their farm here.

Richard Greiber of Ypsilanti was home over Sunday.

L. E. Wilson and family of Detroit visited here last week.

Miss Lena Coleman of Six Corners is a guest at the home of Orla Hanes.

In compliment to her guests Mr. and Mrs. Ed Perkins and son of Lansing Mrs. Art LaRowe entertained at a dinner party Sunday, Orla Hanes and family of Marion and Orla Hanes and wife of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marble accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Van Winkle of Pinckney made an auto trip to Lansing one day last week.

M. J. Roche started Tuesday for New York for a two weeks visit.

THEY GET WHAT THEY WANT

Salvation Army Members Always Have Way of Getting Anything They Require.

There are few things that the Salvation Army does not require at some time in its existence, and because it never hesitates to ask for what it wants it usually gets it, says the New York Times. The other night a small band of Army enthusiasts needed umbrellas. Rain pelted down with stinging force, yet they refused to break ranks. A boy with umbrellas to rent perceived their drenched condition and rushed up shouting:

"Here are your umbrellas. Only 5 cents apiece till the meeting breaks up."

None of the Salvationists seemed disposed to gain protection at that price, so their resourceful leader made an appeal in their behalf. Addressing the few bystanders he said:

"If there are any persons in the audience who had contemplated contributing a little money to the cause, will you kindly give it now that we may rent these umbrellas which our young friend has offered us?"

"Well, I'll swear," was the somewhat inappropriate comment of one man on the sidewalk, but he and his companions contributed a quarter with which to rent umbrellas for the five women Salvationists.

Every Indian Had an Umbrella.

One of the incidents of the early days in Great Bend that caused a great deal of merriment among the white residents was the time the Indians bought all the parasols and umbrellas that were for sale in the town.

This happened along in the '70s and was on a rainy day. The Indians were on their way south and came through the town of Great Bend. They saw a number of men and women on the streets with umbrellas and, being plentifully supplied with money and a desire to own one of the handy contrivances, they got busy. The funny part of it was that they made no distinction between toy parasols, silk ones and the serviceable linen ones. It was not long until the entire visible supply of all the stores had been purchased. Then the fun began.

Some of the toy parasols were made of cloth that was highly colored and as soon as the water hit them the coloring matter began to mix with the water and drip down upon the Indians' clothes. They minded this not in the least and were seen going southward whooping and seemingly in the very best of spirits.—Great Bend Tribune.

Caught a Real Goldfish.

Fish stories are rife now, and under the seductive influence of this balmy time new venisons come to light of the same old stories we have heard since boyhood days. Representative Plumley of Vermont, of portentously serious mien, asserted to a smiling group of colleagues that a couple of seasons ago he lost his watch and a \$20 gold piece overboard while waiting by a placid pool for a bite. The next day, he declared under oath, he caught a fish in that self same pool—a "gold fish," of course—and he found within the gnat armor of that Vermont bass his watch, the \$20 gold piece, and 30 cents accrued interest.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in Joe Chapple's News Letter.

Her Vicious Babes.

A young New York woman just past girlhood, who has an ample income, wished to assume the guardianship of some child without taking it into her own home, which, under the circumstances, was impossible. After some looking about the association hit upon a struggling mother who was so very poor that she had practically made up her mind to yield to an institution her two children, a girl and a boy. These children, who were very promising, were shown to the fairy godmother, who undertook to pay for their support and education.

By this miraculous means the mother is able to keep her children with her and they themselves, now that they are properly cared for and encouraged, are blossoming into unexpected charms.—Harper's Bazar.

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