

# Pinckney Dispatch.

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## Work Has Commenced

### R. Clinton Starts the Construction of His New Power Plant

The work of installing the power plant at Reeve's Mill Pond is well under way. A gang has been engaged in setting the carload of poles which recently arrived, this job being completed Tuesday. The flume is now being repaired and things put in readiness for the machinery which has been ordered and is expected any day. Mr. Clinton informs us that the work will be pushed and it will only be a short time before the plant will be in operation. When this has been accomplished Pinckney will have as good if not better electric power service than there is in this section of the country.

### Why Not Get Out An Injunction?

An exchange says: "A man has just invented a system whereby eavesdropping on telephone lines will be absolutely eliminated, so it is reported. With the use of the device nobody but two parties conversing will be able to hear what is said. The man who has perfected this invention has intruded upon a sacred and alienable right of the American people. Under the constitution the citizens of this country are entitled to life, liberty and pursuit of happiness. To those three should be added a fourth—the right to listen to conversation over party line telephones. Why do a great many curious citizens install telephones and pay for them? Why, indeed!"

### Don't Be a Damp Sheet

"What am I doing for my town?" is a question that every man should ask himself occasionally, if for other reason than to take stock of his loyalty to home interests. Do you tell strangers who come to town, that it is the best town in the country, or do you tell them the town is no good and never will be so long as certain people live in it. There is the damp sheet brand of men in every town, who try to dampen every good thing proposed, and who have no use for progressiveness of any kind. They are the "P. B.'s, the pullbacks, but they are always in the minority when there comes a chance to do some good adult sized boasting. The man who gets out and hollers is always going to get a crow, but the whiner has to whine by his lonely.

### New Meat Market

A. E. Steadman desires to announce that he has opened a meat market in the basement of the hotel and is now prepared to furnish all kinds of fresh meats at reasonable prices.

### Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the O. E. S. for the beautiful flowers they sent me during my recent illness.

Mrs. Aubrey H. Gilchrist

### The Duties of an Editor

"To run a country newspaper," says a central Michigan editor, "all a fellow needs to do is to be able to write poems, discuss the tariff and money question, umpire a baseball game, report a wedding, saw wood, describe a fire so the readers will shed their wraps, make a dollar do the work of ten, shine at a dance, abuse the liquor habit, test whiskey, measure calico, subscribe to charity, go without meals, sneer at snobbery, wear diamonds, invent advertisements, overlook scandal, appraise babies, delight pumpkin raisers, minister to the afflicted, heal the disgruntled, fight to a finish, set type, mold opinions, sweep the office, speak at prayer meetings, stand in with everybody and every thing."

### School Notes

Measles, scarlet fever and chicken pox are the prevailing diseases in school.

Florence Byer and Carmen Leeland have been absent on account of sickness. Helen Dunn and Oma Campbell are now absent for the same reason.

Gregory McClusky is visiting in Ypsilanti.

The Base Ball team will give a dance at the Pinckney opera house Friday evening, April 25.

The P. H. S. open their season Saturday, April 26, with Brighton at Pinckney.

More than half of the pupils of the 2nd grade are out on account of sickness.

The Murphy boys have returned to school.

Ruth Frost and Geo. Root visited school Wednesday; the latter expects to attend school here next year.

The Senior class is taking up the review of arithmetic the last two hours in the p. m., for the benefit of the prospective teachers.

Raymond Harris was absent last week on account of sickness.

### Fly Swatting Time Is Again With Us

Judging from advance reports the war on the fly is going to begin early this spring. Mr. Fly is sure going to get his'n as soon as he puts in his appearance, if the advice of the leading health authorities are followed. One advises us to go out of doors after the little pest and not wait until he comes into the house to "swat" him. A case of carrying the war into the enemy's camp.

### Notice

Mr. J. Stanger, piano tuner of Ann Arbor, will be in Pinckney about the first of May. Parties in the country should join forces and get four or more in a neighborhood, and he will drive out to do the work. All orders may be left at the Dispatch office.

### For Sale or Rent

Good store building on Main street and house and lot on Putnam street. 1513

W. E. Murphy, Pinckney

For cyclone insurance consult Monks Bros.

### Eat Mush and Be Well

A famous doctor says: "Eat a good bowl of mush and milk for your breakfast and you will not need any medicine." Indian corn contains a large amount of nitrogen, has qualities easily assimilated, and is fattening. It is cheap and has great nutritive properties as well. A course of Indian meal in the shape of mush, Johnny cake, hoe cake, corn bread, etc., followed by copious draughts of water or better still, cow's milk, to which if inclined to dyspepsia, a little lime water may be added, will make life now a burden, worth living, and you need no other treatment to correct your nervousness and brighten your vision and give you sweet and peaceful sleep.

### Notice

To Our Friends and Patrons:

We are now nicely situated in our new store on the corner and wish to say that we will at all times carry a complete line of staple dry goods, boots, shoes, groceries, etc. Our aim has always been and always will be, to sell the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices. Read our prices in adv. on this page this week and come to our store and take advantage of them.

Yours for business,

Murphy & Jackson

**A Royal  
Baking Powder  
Hot Biscuit  
is the luxury  
of eating**

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### P. H. S. Schedule

The Pinckney High School Base Ball team are expecting to play a series of about twelve games and in order to raise money to pay expenses have been passing around a subscription paper to which they have secured a good number of signers. They will also put on a dance at the opera house Apr. 25. The boys have a few open dates left but it is probable that more games will be secured with Ann Arbor and Jackson. The following are the games already-scheduled:

April 26—Brighton at Pinckney

April 30—Open

May 3—Oak Grove at Pinckney

May 7—Open

May 10—Stockbridge at Pinckney

May 14—Pinckney at Brighton

May 17—Jackson at Pinckney

May 21—Pinckney at Howell

May 29—Pinckney at Stockbridge

June 4—Open

June 7—Pinckney at Oak Grove

June 11—Howell at Pinckney

June 14—Open

### WANT COLUMN

#### Rents, Real Estate, Found Lost, Wanted, Etc.

TO LOAN—\$500. Inquire at this office. 1616

DRESSMAKING—Plain and fancy sewing. 1813\* Mabel E. Brown, Pinckney

FOR SALE—Early Seed Potatoes and potatoes 1513\* G. M. Greiner

FOR SERVICE—Registered York Shire Boar. Terms \$1.00 1213 Hoy Bros. Pinckney

FOR SALE—Three burner gasoline stove with oven. Will be sold right Inquire at the Dispatch office.

FOR SALE—Good store building, large hotel barn, picture gallery and several good lots. Inquire of John Tuomey, Brighton.

FOR RENT—The James Hoff farm near Anderson. Enquire at farm or C. Hoff, State Sanatorium, Howell. Mutual phone, 1613\*

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred R. C. R. Red eggs, 50c per 15 from flock. Selected pen, \$1.00 per 15 1613 Mrs. Mirtie Miller, Pinckney Route 2

FOR SERVICE—Fall Blooded Jersey Bull. Formerly owned by Will Dunning. Terms \$1.00 due at time of service. Also have a new milch cow for sale. 1413\* B. McCluskey

FOR SALE—M. E. Parsonage at Marion Center. Good house, barn and outbuildings; 1/4 acre land. Price \$500. For information see Thomas Love or J. W. Mitchell, Pinckney

### Pinckney Market Reports

Corrected every Wednesday morning

WHEAT—\$1.05

RYE—52c

OATS—32

BEANS—\$1.75

ONIONS—\$1.00

POTATOES—50c

BUTTER—28c

EGGS—16c.

CHICKENS—live., 15c. hens 15c

## Murphy & Jackson

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Staple Dry Goods, Shoes, Groceries,  
Candies and Cigars, - Peterman's Bread

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**Best Quality**

**Lowest Prices**

**New Dress Goods      New House Dresses  
New Shoes              New Groceries**

**We Quote Below Only a Few of Our  
Many Specials For Saturday, April 19**

8 bars Lenox Soap	25c	Best Prints	6c
5 pkgs. Corn Flakes	25c	10c bleached Cotton	8½c
25 lbs. Sugar	\$1.17	50 Mens Dress Shirts and	
Best Apron Ginghams	7c	Overalls, to close at 39c each	

**Ask For Special Prices on Coffees**

## SERIAL STORY

### The Sable Lorchha

BY  
Horace Hazeltine

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#### SYNOPSIS.

Robert Cameron, capitalist, consults Philip Clyde, newspaper publisher, regarding anonymous threatening letters he has received. The first promises a sample of the writer's power on a certain day. On that day the head is mysteriously cut from a portrait of Cameron while the latter is in the room. While visiting Cameron in his dressing room a Nell Gwynne mirror is mysteriously shattered. Cameron becomes seriously ill as a result of a stock. The third letter arrives mysteriously on Cameron's sick bed. It makes direct threats against the life of Cameron. Clyde tells Cameron the envelope was empty. He tells Evelyn everything and plans to take Cameron on a yacht trip. The yacht picks up a fisherman found drifting helplessly in a boat. He gives the name of Johnson. Cameron disappears from the yacht while Clyde's boat is turned. A frantic search is made for a motor boat seen by the captain just before Cameron disappeared. Johnson is allowed to go after being closely questioned. Evelyn takes the letters to an expert in Chinese literature, who pronounces them of Chinese origin. Clyde seeks assistance from a Chinese fellow college student, who recommends him to Yip Sing, most prominent Chinaman in New York. Clyde goes to meet Yip Sing, sees Johnson attempts to follow him, falls into a basement, sprains his ankle and becomes unconscious. Clyde is found by Miss Clement, a missionary among the Chinese. He is sick several days as a result of inhaling charcoal fumes. Evelyn tells Clyde of a peculiarly acting anesthetic which renders a person temporarily unconscious. Murphy, who seemed to have mysterious relations with the Chinese, Miss Clement promises to get information about Cameron. Slump in Crystal Consolidated, of which Cameron is the head, is caused by a rumor of Cameron's illness. Clyde finds Cameron on Fifth Avenue in a dazed and emaciated condition and takes him home. Cameron awakes from a long sleep and speaks in a strange tongue. He is taken to a Chinese hospital. In a short while Evelyn and Clyde call on Miss Clement for promised information and find that the Chinaman who was to give it has just been murdered. Miss Clement gives Clyde a note, asking him to read it after he leaves the mission and then destroy it. It tells of the abduction of a white man by Chinese who shipped him back to China. The man is a member of the crew of "Sable Lorchha," in which 100 Chinamen were killed. The appearance in New York of the men they supposed they had shipped to China throws consternation into the Chinese. The brougham in which Clyde and Evelyn are riding is held up by an armed man. Clyde is seized by Murphy and a fight ensues. Evelyn and Clyde are rescued by police and return home. They find Yip Sing and the Chinese still awaiting them. Yip tells Clyde the story of the crime of the "Sable Lorchha" in which 95 Chinamen were deliberately sent to their death by one Donald M'Nish, whom they declare is Cameron. They declare that M'Nish can be identified by a tattoo mark on his arm. Clyde declares that Cameron has no such mark. The number is called in and describes a tattoo mark on his patient's arm. Clyde goes to investigate and finds the patient attempting to hide a letter. It is addressed to Donald M'Nish. The letter is from the man's mother in Scotland and identifies the patient as M'Nish. Confronted by the sole survivor of the "Sable Lorchha" who, it develops, is Soy, a half-breed Chinese, recognized by Clyde as Johnson, the fisherman, M'Nish shoots him and kills himself. Miss Clement gets the whole story from Soy before he dies. Murphy, whose right name is Moran, had been a partner of M'Nish in the nefarious Chinese trade and later became his most relentless pursuer. He was the author of the threatening letters. Soy was responsible for the mysterious disappearance of Cameron's home by the aid of the other of invisibility. Cameron was drugged and shipped as a member of the crew of a tramp steamer bound for Hongkong. Clyde, Evelyn and Dr. Addison, who has discovered his error in mistaking M'Nish for Cameron, overtake the tramp steamer at Port Said and rescue Cameron.

#### CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

"Why didn't you explain, dear, to the captain?" Evelyn asked, with one of those bursts of naivete that contrasted so charmingly with her usually abounding good judgment.

Cameron smiled. "I couldn't get near the captain, my child," he returned, indulgently. "It wasn't because I didn't try. The officers ridiculed my assertions as pipe dreams, and when, at each port, I pleaded to be allowed to communicate with our consul, I was only kept under stricter guard."

And so his story continued, interrupted at intervals by questions from one or another of us, until we had the whole wretched tale of cruelty, including the final chapter which preceded the rescue.

When he learned that every stoker and trimmer, save himself, had been ordered on deck, still hoping against hope that the outside world had at length been moved to intercession in his behalf, he demanded to be allowed to go with the rest. And when his demand was refused he rebelled, fighting his way to liberty with an iron bar from a cinder-tub, which he had purposely concealed for such emergency.

I have no inclination to test patience by detailing all the events and recording all the dialogue of that happy day. Much that happened and much that was said I must leave to the imagination of those that read. But I cannot refrain from the statement that Cam-

eron's meeting and reconciliation with his old friend Dr. Addison was one of the brightest spots in a delectable constellation. The meeting between Evelyn and her uncle was an episode, too, to touch the sensibility of the most apathetic. And if there had lingered a single doubt as to the wisdom or expediency of accepting their companionship on my expedition of rescue it must have been dispelled by the emotional thrill which these scenes provoked.

Our homeward voyage, which all of us were anxious should not be delayed, was by way of Naples. Hartley, who appeared to be able to go and come as he pleased, accompanied us that far, and our farewells to him, on the deck of the Koenig Albert, were combined with a fervor of gratitude that exhausted our powers of expression.

Evelyn begged me to be permitted to kiss him good-bye, but there I was forced to draw the line. Her caresses in my own direction had not, up to that moment, been so lavish that I felt I could spare any of them, even for this young Englishman, notwithstanding my abundant appreciation of the inestimable service he had rendered, and that was precisely what I told her, when on the first evening out, she had demanded to know my reasons for refusal.

"You're a very selfish man," she retorted, with a pout. "And I'm not at all sure, now, that I shall ever kiss you again. Besides—" And there she stopped.

We had reached the after end of the deck in our post-dinner promenade, and had paused there, leaning on the rail, to watch the phosphorescent gleam and glitter among the turbulent white wake-waters. Cameron and Dr. Addison were talking over their cigars in steamer chairs amidships, and the girl and I were alone together for the first time since her uncle's restoration. "Besides?" I repeated, questioningly. The big blue eyes she turned to me were never more roguish.

"Besides," she said, low-voiced and with a just perceptible quiver, "until you keep your promise, I don't see that you have any right to dictate to me."

I knew very well what she meant. Ever since Cameron had come running backward around that deck-house corner—I think even at the minute I recognized his naked, smut-covered shoulders—I had had that promise in mind, and had longed for the moment of its fulfillment. But till now not even the remotest opportunity had offered. Nevertheless, her present mood was too entirely winsomely lovable to be neglected, and the impulse to prolong it by teasing too strong for resistance.

"Keep my promise?" I queried, musing with assumed perplexity a certain suggestion of injury. "Have I ever failed you in anything?"

She turned away now, silently, and the eclipse of the eyes I loved left me suddenly repentant; still I persisted. "Have I ever failed you?" I asked again.

Quickly her gaze came back, and her eyes had taken something of the cold, snapping fire of the phosphorus.

"Since you don't remember," she said, "it's of no consequence. Only you were so sure that you couldn't forget."

"Give me a hint," I begged, still cruel. "When did I promise?"

"I couldn't be so unmaidenly," was her retort, looking away again.

"Was it before we came over here, or since?"

"Before," after a pause.

"Long before?"

"Not very."

"Where? At your house?"

"Yes."

"In the library?" I asked, with a glance behind for possible intruders.

She turned quickly and found me laughing.

"Oh, you dear, silly, lovable, delightful child!" I cried, and the echo of my words was carried far astern, as my arms went about her and held her close, and my kisses fell thick and fast on her ripe, tender little mouth.

"What need had I to keep such a promise?" I asked, when in mercy I paused that she might get her breath. "Why should I ask you to tell me that you loved me, when I could read it in letters as long as your glances and as bright as your smile?"

And if we left Cameron and Dr. Addison much alone together during our homeward voyage, who that still remembers their own happy days of young love dreaming can blame us?

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On our return to America, my friend, in spite of all my urging, refused, with stubborn persistency, it seemed to me, to aid in the prosecution of those who, we knew positively, were implicated in the affair.

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had could have produced evidence of the most damaging character. But Cameron was not so minded. He even went so far as to discourage my appearance against the former for complicity in the plot to take captive Evelyn and myself on the night of our Pell street visit. Indeed I have always believed that through O'Hara he was instrumental in securing Murphy's release

And I know for a fact that he provided so generously for the young French driver of the electric brougham, who was so badly injured in that Pell street adventure, that the fellow returned to France a month before the trial of his assailant.

All these things, I say, continued to puzzle and disquiet me, long after the sharp edges of rancorous remembrance had been worn away. And invariably at such times there would recur recollections of those early days of the threatening letters and of that elusive something in Cameron's manner which I was never quite able to comprehend or explain.

The true interpretation was reserved for the night preceding my marriage with Evelyn, which, by the way, had, at her guardian's wish, been delayed for nearly a year because of what he chose to regard as her unseemly youth. The celebration was to take place at Cragholt and the house was already filled with kinsfolk and intimate friends, including most of the wedding party.

It was after midnight, and Cameron and I were alone together in his mahogany and green study; he at his writing table and I in the same adjacent leather chair in which I had sat a twelvemonth ago while listening to the story of the incised portrait.

As was not unusual we had reverted to that time and to certain of the incidents therewith connected; and I had been trying to make clear to Cameron, as I had already frequently tried to do, the peculiar difference between McNish's expression and his.

"In individual feature," I said, warming to my subject, "there never was in all the world before, I believe, such similarity. And in repose, the ensemble, I should say, was equally identical. But when it came to—"

And there Cameron checked me.

"Clyde," and his tone was strangely grave, it seemed to me, "you'll pardon my interrupting you, I know. I understand what you would say, probably better than I could from your putting it into words. And I want to tell you why I understand. Indeed I've wanted to tell you for a long while, but whenever I've got to the verge of it, I have balked."

He paused here to shake the ash from his cigar, reaching across his desk for a receptacle, and somehow the gesture reminded me of that of McNish as he had thrown out his arm which held the letter, and so exposed the telltale tattooing.

"I have never told you, Clyde," he resumed, his eyes fixed on the glowing tobacco ember which he had just bared, "anything about my birth or my family. But now that you are to become one of us, in a way, it's only fair that you should know; for though Evelyn's mother was but my half-sister, still the girl gets the same blood through her grandmothers."

"Yes," I said, "I know that. Evelyn told me that much. know, too, that you were born in Scotland; and the very name of Cameron is a pretty good guarantee of family worth."

"My father belonged to a rather poor branch," he confessed, "and like many poor men he had a large number of children. There were ten, all told, and when my poor mother died, it became a serious problem how to take care of us little ones. I was among the youngest, not over seven, and I had a twin brother."

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been desultorily drawing figures on his writing pad with the end of a penholder, abruptly shot his gaze to mine and caught the quick question of my eyes.

"Yes," he said, without change of tone, "yes, you see, now, don't you?"

"McNish!" I murmured.

"McNish," he echoed. "Donald McNish."

"But," I began, "I don't quite—" and I thought of the letter from McNish's mother.

"Oh, it is clear enough," he went on.

"Some of the children were put out to live amongst neighbors, and eventually, my father and the rest of us came to this country. The others he left behind, promising to send each month the money for their keep. Donald he left with a couple named McNish, who had no bairns of their own, and when the boy grew to be a big lad, and my father, who in the meantime had been successful here and married again, sent for him to come to America, word came back that he had been dead a twelvemonth."

"And your father believed it?"

"Oh, yes, for they returned the back pay he had forwarded, and sent a lock of my brother's hair, I think, and a trinket or two that had been his as a kiddle."

"Afterwards, though, you learned that he was still alive?"

"No," was Cameron's answer. "We never heard. Had it not been for that marked resemblance gathering me into the net spread for him, I should probably never have known. And, Clyde," he added, "ever since I learned of his having been there, in town, I have been wondering. Do you think it possible that he ever realized that he was in his brother's house?"

"Hardly," I said. "It doesn't seem likely, though; unless the name and the—he must—oh, certainly," I stammered, "he must have realized that we mistook him for—yes, for some one named Cameron. He answered to it readily enough; he even insisted that he was Cameron. And if his mind was clear enough to put two and two together, why, knowing that he had a twin brother in America, it would seem—" And there I stopped my floundering, for Cameron had risen to his feet, and smiling, tolerantly, was waving his hushing hand at me.

"Yes, yes," he said, "I've argued it all out in just the same way, dear friend. And yet we never can be certain, can we? Only I have thought, if he might have realized it, and have been able to have played the part, and stayed, and taken up my life and lived it for the rest of his, I might have gone on and taken his punishment to some purpose. For I have had more than my share of the good things, Clyde, and maybe if poor little Donnie had had even half my chances, it would all have been so very, very different."

He still thought of him as the child brother he had parted from long years ago in Scotland, and as such he would ever remember him. I was glad then that he had stopped me when I had tried to draw for him the difference in their faces. For it was such a difference! Looking at Cameron now with the lamp of true greatness alight behind those plain features, I marveled that I could even have seen a vestige of likeness in the brutal, soulless face of his twin brother.

And then, for the first time, too, I really understood.



## Real Origin of the Pearl

Science Has Rudely Shattered Poetic Idea That Has Been Held For Centuries.

For many centuries, even until comparatively recent times, it was the common belief that pearls were drops of dew that gained entrance into the shell of an oyster, and were there transpired into lustrous gems. Arab and Indian divers still believe that at certain seasons oysters come to the surface and suck in the rain-drops that later become pearls. Science, however, has rudely shattered this poetic fancy, and discovered the real origin to be a worm. Dr. Hugh M. Smith gives some interesting information on this subject in the National Geographic Magazine.

We now know that almost any foreign body—a grain of sand, a bit of mud or shell, a piece of seaweed or a small animal—may by its irritation cause the mollusk to cover it with nacre and make it the nucleus of a pearl; but the largest part of the annual pearl-crop of the world is due to parasites that normally pass a part of their life-cycle within the shell of the pearl-oyster.

Minute spherical larvae of marine worms known as Cestodes become embedded in the soft tissues, as many as forty having been found in one Ceylon oyster. As the result of irritation, the oyster forms a protecting sac about the intruder, and then, if the larva dies, its body is gradually

converted into carbonate of lime, and the pearly mass proceeds to grow with the shell.

If the larva lives, it may pass into the body of the strong-jawed trigger-fishes which prey on the pearl-oysters, there undergoing further development. Ultimately it reaches the body of the great rays, which in turn eat the trigger-fishes. In the rays the worms attain full development, and produce larvae that are cast into the sea and find lodgment in pearl-oysters. Thus the cycle is begun once more.

We may literally accept the saying of a celebrated French investigator, that "the most beautiful pearl is in reality only the brilliant sarcophagus of a worm."

Now, there's them post office folks down to Chicago. I found 'em actually hard-hearted! Why, would you believe it, that man that brings round the letters to Mabel's, he's so queer and standoffish that when he handed me husband's postal card, telling how mother had fell and broke her arm, he never so much as opened his lips to give me one word of sympathy! No, sir, not even enough to say, "Too bad!"—Youth's Companion.

## REGARD PRISON AS HOTEL

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### Thrifty Scot.

When Sir John Carr was at Glasgow, in the year 1807, he was asked by the magistrates to give his advice concerning the inscription to be placed on Nelson's monument, then just completed. The knight recommended this brief record: "Glasgow to Nelson."

"True," said the others, "and as there is the town of Nelson near us, we might add, 'Glasgow to Nelson nine miles,' so that the column might serve for the milestone and a monument."

### Marquess of Sligo in Indian Mutiny

Lord Altamont, who through the death of his aged father, the other day, has become marquess of Sligo, was through the Indian mutiny. His father, who was in the Indian civil service, was stationed at Bankipur when the mutiny broke out.

Lord Sligo's wife and infant son, seven months old, the new marquess, were sent for safety to a place which was surrounded by rebels for a fortnight. The child, however, was safely taken through the sepoys lines by a faithful Indian nurse, who dyed his skin as a ruse to pass him off as her own son. A long time passed before the boy was restored to his anxious parents, who meantime had to go through a further siege at Monghyr. The new marquess recently celebrated his silver wedding. On the actual anniversary day he had to be in Scotland, but he sent his wife a telegram with the characteristic message, "Twenty-five years without regret."

### FRIENDS HELP, St. Paul Park Incident.

"After drinking coffee for breakfast I always felt languid and dull, having no ambition to get to my morning duties. Then in about an hour or so a weak, nervous derangement of the heart and stomach would come over me with such force I would frequently have to lie down."

Tea is just as harmful, because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.

"At other times I had severe headaches; stomach finally became affected and digestion so impaired that I had serious chronic dyspepsia and constipation. A lady, for many years State President of the W. C. T. U., told me she had been greatly benefited by quitting coffee and using Postum; she was troubled for years with asthma. She said it was no cross to quit coffee when she found she could have as delicious an article as Postum."

"Another lady who had been troubled with chronic dyspepsia for years, found immediate relief on ceasing coffee and using Postum. Still another friend told me that Postum was a Godsend, her heart trouble having been relieved after leaving off coffee and taking on Postum."

"So many such cases came to my notice that I concluded coffee was the cause of my trouble and I quit and took up Postum. I am more than pleased to say that my days of trouble have disappeared. I am well and happy."

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

## Practical Fashions

### LADY'S WAIST.



This design represents a fascinating waist model and one of the new styles. It may be made plain or accordion plaited and with long or short sleeves. The collarless neck is finished with a plaiting of lace or chiffon and the short sleeves have turned-back cuffs edged to correspond.

The pattern (6152) is cut in sizes 34 to 42 inches bust measure. Medium size will require 5 1/4 yards of 36 inch goods for plaited waist or 2 1/2 yards of 36 inch goods for plain waist.

To procure this pattern send 10 cents to "Pattern Department" of this paper. Write name and address plainly, and be sure to give size and number of pattern.

NO. 6152. SIZE.....  
NAME.....  
TOWN.....  
STREET AND NO.....  
STATE.....

### LADY'S SKIRT.



This attractive skirt is made with tunic and is quite a delightful model for costume development. The design is particularly desirable for bordered goods or embroidered flouncing.

The pattern (6157) is cut in sizes 22 to 30 inches waist measure. Medium size will require 4 1/4 yards of 28 inch bordered goods or 3 1/4 yards of 36 inch material.

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NO. 6157. SIZE.....  
NAME.....  
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### Her One Great Desire.

Actress (who had returned from an extended tour, to cook)—"You have really kept house very well, Mary. What do you wish as a reward?" Cook (who is a member of an amateur dramatic society)—"Oh, nothing at all—only show me how to cast up the eyes as you recently did it in the role of Gretchen. If you could teach me that!"—Fliegende Blaetter.

Pencil Case for Travelers. When one is traveling and puts a pencil into the traveling bag it is so apt to slip into unhandy crevices, that a small flat pencil case, well filled, is a convenience not to be despised on a trip. Red leatherette cases may be had, filled. They contain three pencils, a small case of pen points, a rubber and a penholder, each fastened in place.

Diaz Not a Military Genius. Gen. Felix Diaz, the power behind the throne in Mexico, was educated in France and England. Returning home he entered the army, but never showed a trace of military genius.

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

## Costs Less Than a Two-Cent Postage-Stamp

An average of less than a cent and a third a pair is paid for the use of all our machines in making two-thirds of the shoes produced in the United States—assuming that all our machines are used. The most that can be paid for the use of all our machines in making the highest-priced shoes is less than 5 1/4 cents a pair. The average royalty on all kinds of shoes is less than 2 2/3 cents a pair. From this we get our sole return for the manufacture and use of the machines, for setting them up in factories and keeping them in order. You pay two cents for a postage stamp or a yeast-cake and five cents for a car fare and don't miss it. Where do you get more for your money than in buying a machine-made shoe?

Write us and we will tell you all about it. The United Shoe Machinery Company, Boston, Mass.—Adv.

### Woman Who Can Do Things.

Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell believes in the woman who can do things, and the other day he held up Lady Baden-Powell as an exponent of this much-desired art. The chief and founder of the Boy Scout movement was describing a tour that his wife and he recently made in Algeria. "I saw Lady Baden-Powell," he said, "not so long ago in—what is the feminine for shirt sleeves?—scrubbing out a saucepan. We were living the simple life in the desert. We had only one pan, and that was a saucepan. It had to do for frying our fish in the morning and also for boiling our coffee in. After the lady had done the fried fish she had to get some grass roots and sand and scrub the pot out so that we could make our coffee in it. The lady was quite able to do it, and she did it well. She also did the washing. But," General Baden-Powell added, "I must stand up for the Scouts and the mere man—she had to fall back upon me to do the ironing."

### PIMPLES COVERED FACE

1613 Dayton St., Chicago, Ill.—"My face was very red and irritated and was covered with pimples. The pimples festered and came to a head. They itched and burned and when I scratched them became sore. I tried soaps and they would not stop the itching and burning of the skin. This lasted for a month or more. At last I tried Cuticura Ointment and Soap. They took out the burning and itching of the skin, soothing it very much and giving the relief that the others failed to give me. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment about three weeks and was completely cured." (Signed) Miss Clara Mueller, Mar. 16, 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." Adv.

### Soda Lake in Africa.

In English East Africa is the richest bed of soda in the world. Engineers say that it contains 200,000,000 tons. The lake has a surface of more than fifty square kilometers. During the rainy season, which in this locality is short, its surface is covered with a shallow layer of water. When a block of soda is taken out, another forms, and the natives say that this occurs so quickly that an equal amount of soda may be abstracted for a number of years from the same place.—Harper's Weekly.

### Dayton Has Had Six Floods.

Dayton, O., has stood in the shadow of disaster from flood ever since its foundation. No less than six times previous to the present inundation have the rivers which flow through it left their accustomed courses and brought death and destruction of property upon the town. The first of these floods occurred in 1805, the very year that Dayton was incorporated as a town. The sixth was in 1898 and the others in the years 1847, 1863, 1866 and 1886.

### Heading Her Off.

"Do you love me, George?" "Yes, dear, I love you, but go a little light, for I won't have any money until pay day."

Red Cross Ball Blue will wash double as many clothes as any other blue. Don't put your money into any other. Adv.

### At the Movies.

Miss Prim (severely)—You allow smoking here? Usher—Yes'm. Light up!—Puck.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, relieves pain, cures wind colic, etc. & bottles.

There's always some man around to second any kind of a motion—except a motion that looks like work.

**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS**  
For Backache, Rheumatism, Kidneys and Bladder  
BECAUSE THEY ARE RICHEST IN CURATIVE QUALITIES  
CONTAIN NO HABIT FORMING DRUGS  
ARE SAFE, SURE, AND SAVE YOU MONEY

**PUTNAM FADELESS DYES**  
Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One lb. packages color all fibers. They dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can dye any garment without rippling apart. Write for free booklet—How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. MONROE DRUG COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.

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OUR OFFER FOR

## Free Silverware

EXPIRES MAY 1, 1913

HURRY—HURRY—HURRY  
Buy a box of Galvanic Soap today and get a set of  
Six Silver Teaspoons FREE

THREE SPOONS must not be confused with the USUAL premium silverware. The spoons shown HERE are the same as you would buy at your jeweler's. They are GENUINE Rogers ware, the beautiful and exclusive LaVigne or Grape pattern, finished in the fashionable French Gray. Each spoon is guaranteed extra heavy A-1 silver plate on a WHITE metal base. With ordinary wear they will last a lifetime.

### Here Is the Offer

One spoon given for 20 Galvanic Soap wrappers (front panel only) and one 2c stamp, or SIX SPOONS for 100 Galvanic wrappers and five 2c stamps. Coupons from Johnson's Washing Powder count the same as wrappers.

Mail wrappers to the premium department

**B. J. Johnson Soap Co.**  
Milwaukee, Wis.

Actual spoon regular 6 inch length

## Rouge Rex Shoes No. 449

A tan chrome leather shoe for hard wear

This shoe is solid leather throughout; no imitations or substitutions are used in any part.

The upper stock runs clear through under the toe cap, so that when the toe cap is worn through you can rip it off and still have another thickness of leather to wear out.

Ask your dealer for No. 449. It will please you.

It is the farmer's ideal shoe, but equally suitable for all kinds of service, whether field, forest or mine.

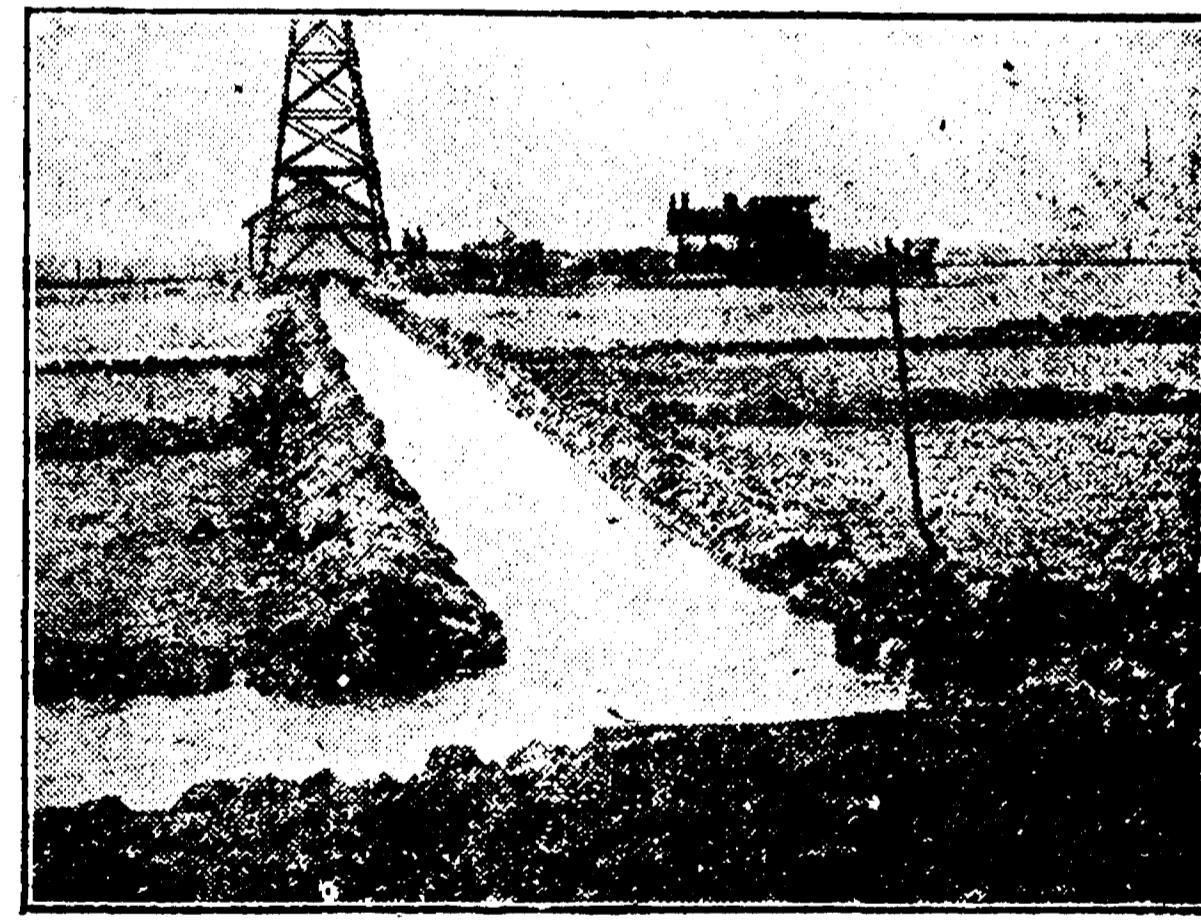
Look for the trade-mark on the sole.

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Write for book saving young chicks. Send us names of 7 friends that use incubators and get book free. Rawall Remedy Co., Blackwell, Okla.

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W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 16-1913.

## Local News

Miss Gertrude White was in Howell last Friday.

A sure sign of spring—the display of garden seeds.

E. E. Hoyt spent last Thursday and Friday in Clinton.

Port Pulling and family of Dexter were in town Saturday.

Lorenzo Secor of Unadilla is working for Ed. Farnum.

Mrs. Jesse Jacobs is visiting at the home of Geo Younglove.

Robert Gardner of near Dexter was in town on business recently.

Irvin Kennedy has purchased the Burchell property on Putnam street.

W. C. Dunning and wife were guests of relatives in Brighton Sunday.

W. H. Black, an old Pinckney boy was recently elected mayor of St. John's.

Born Tuesday, April 8, 1913 to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cobb south of town, a son.

Mrs. H. M. Williston and Mrs. L. E. Smith were Howell visitors Friday.

Miss Ella Murphy spent the past two weeks with friends and relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Elmer Book of near Gregory has been visiting at the home of A. H. Gilchrist.

Mr. Stanton of Ypsilanti was a guest at the home of E. E. Hoyt the latter part of last week.

Wm. Stepto and niece, Elizabeth, of Webster were the guests of Pinckney relatives Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Vail of Homer has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green.

Merval Bennett and family of Stockbridge were over Sunday visitors at the home of John R. Martin.

Lyle Younglove of Detroit was a recent visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Younglove.

Brighton and Green Oak are the only townships in Livingston county which returned a majority in favor of woman suffrage.

Richard Jeffreys has resigned his position with W. W. Barnard and accepted one with Monks Bros. Earl Tupper is working for Mrs. C. W. Krause.

A number of our exchanges have published the township financial reports the past week. This is as it should be where a paper is published in the township.

According to statistics Livingston county has between five and ten per cent foreign born white population. Only two counties, Eaton and Hillsdale have less than five per cent.

When Governor Ferris put his signature to the anti-clairvoyant bill it is claimed that he saved the citizens of Michigan \$50,000 annually as that amount is paid out each year for fortune telling.

The roads in this section which have been in bad shape for the past few weeks are drying out rapidly despite the frequent rains and will soon be in good condition. The Standard Oil man was here Friday after an extended absence on account of bad roads.

The good roads proposition was carried by about 800 majority in Washtenaw county. The cities of Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti gave large majorities in favor of the measure, but the rest of the township with the exception of five voted against it. The same proposition was defeated a year ago.

L. E. Smith was in Howell last Thursday.

Dr. H. F. Sigler was a Howell caller last Thursday.

LaVerne Eisk of Monroe is the guest of his parents.

Alfred Drew of Dexter was a Pinckney caller Friday.

John Dinkel was in Howell on business one day last week.

Fred Grieve of Stockbridge was a Pinckney caller Monday.

Mrs. Wells Bennett of Howell is the guest of Pinckney friends.

Mrs. Wm. Kennedy of Detroit is visiting relatives in West Putnam.

Mrs. Villa Martin is visiting at the home of Wm. Peters of Pettsville.

Mrs. W. W. Barnard was the guest of friends in Howell last Friday.

Hazel Sweitzer of Brighton has been visiting at the home of Geo. VanHorn.

Wells Bennett of Howell underwent an operation at the Sanitarium Friday.

Roy Placey has purchased F. A. Howlett's stock of groceries, etc. at Gregory.

Chas. Root of near Brighton has moved onto Dr. Geo. Pearson's farm east of town.

Mrs. Irving Kennedy and son, Gerald, were visitors at the home of Ed. Spears Friday.

Attorney General Fellows has ruled that the Teacher's Pension bill is unconstitutional.

Miss Helen Reason was the guest of relatives in Whitmore Lake a portion of last week.

W. S. Swarthout and G.G. Hoyt were appointed deacons at the Cong'l church last Sunday.

Mesdames Wm. Blades and Geo. Pearson were Hamburg visitors a couple of days the past week.

Ruel Conway and wife were over Sunday visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Conway.

Ed. Farnum and wife and Clarence Stackable and family spent Sunday at the home of W. J. Tiplady in Webster.

Ex Judge A. A. Montague of Howell and son-in-law, Robert Manning, of Brighton have purchased the Parson's grocery stock at Lansing.

The voters of the Fowlerville school district will decide on April 22 whether or not to raise \$1500 for the purpose of installing a new heating plant in the school.

Clayton and Mrs. W. H. Placey will sell their personal property at public auction on their farm 1 mile east and  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile north of Pinckney. Sale starts this afternoon at 1:00 sharp.

The voters of Brighton township voted at the recent election to borrow enough money to tide over until the affairs of the Baetke bank are settled thus relieving Treasurer Phillips from worry.—Brighton Argus.

At a party or gathering in a nearby town a straw vote was taken in regard to "woman suffrage" and although there were 14 women among the 24 people present yet the vote was 16 against the proposition.—South Lyon Herald.

John Meyers, engineer at the Cement Co. plant at Four Mile Lake, met with an accident Monday, which while not serious is very painful. He was engaged in bending a piece of iron pipe, when it slipped in the vice in which he was holding it and in the fall that ensued Mr. Meyers sustained a sprained ankle and shoulder.—Chelsea Standard. Mr. Meyers is a former Putnam resident.

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INCLUDING SUCH SPECIALTIES AS

Addison Cheese, Herring, Apricots, Prunes, Potatoes, Onions, Etc.

## MONKS BROTHERS

Connor's World Best Ice Cream, Vernor's Ginger Ale and  
Allen's Red Tame Cherry

## DOWN LOW

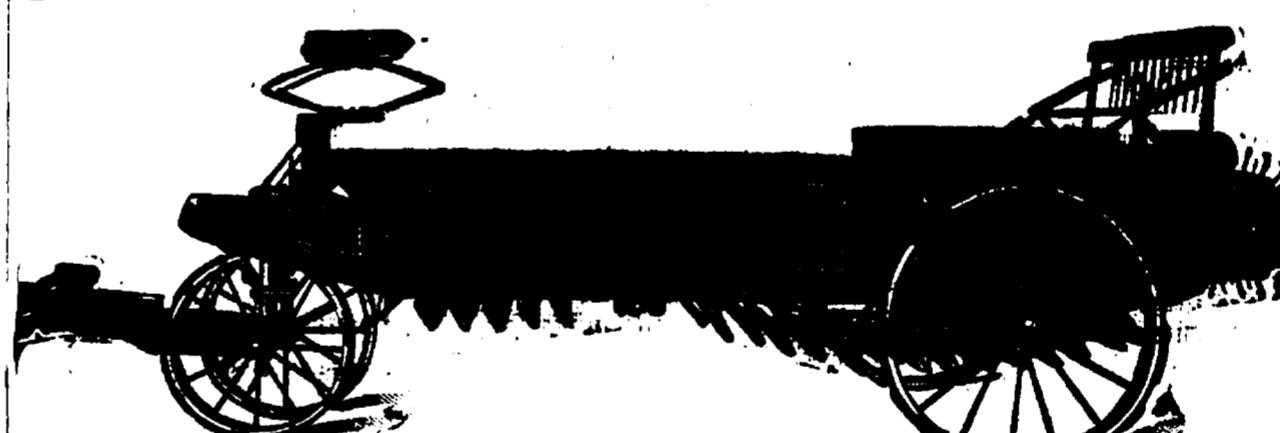
THE LITCHFIELD DOWN-LOW Spreader gives a Low Top Rail—about waist high, which makes it extremely easy to load. A man in handling the ordinary pitchfork, raises the load on the fork waist high in order that he may throw it from him. This means that it would be useless to make a lower top rail than what we build, as there would be no advantage in loading.

OUR MACHINE LOADS easily from any direction—the seat turns over out of the way in front and is just as easy to load onto this machine as it is to throw it in another pile on the ground.

DON'T FORGET. The Self-Cleaning apron, No-Choke box, Bull Dog cylinder and Oil Packed main bearings are exclusive Litchfield Features. You will look for them in vain on any other spreader.

### High Under Clearance

A PECULIAR FACT. The Litchfield Down-Low has substantially the same Under Clearance that our High Standard machines have. We use the same size wheels—the axles are the same distance from the ground. This gives us from sixteen to eighteen inches of general clearance under the machine, and same clearance under the front axle that we have always had in the high machines. Just compare this with the eight or ten inches clearance found under other low down spreaders.



DON'T MAKE THE MISTAKE of buying a Sled when you pay your money for a manure spreader. Any machine soon becomes a sled in muddy and rough ground if it does not have sufficient under clearance. Like everything else, the tendency toward low down manure spreaders has gone in most cases a little too far and this is a serious objection—Too Close To The Ground.

### Short Wheel Base

WE MOUNT OUR SPREADERS on the rear wheels so that these traction wheels take a sufficient proportion of the load and have sufficient traction to properly operate the unloading machinery. We get away from the heavy draft that is a part of all long coupled wagons and spreaders. We turn in a shorter circle and in a smaller place and our machine has much more activity and is much stronger and more substantial than a machine that is hung between the front and the rear wheels instead of being mounted on the rear axle. This means light draft, strength, durability and convenience.

We have samples of the Litchfield and New Idea Manure Spreaders for inspection and will take pleasure in showing and will make better terms than you can get elsewhere.

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The new spring merchandise is flowing in and we are showing some live snappy goods. Buying direct from large eastern importers, we are able to show the live items and same prices that compare with the very best stores. Now laces, embroideries, fancy trimmings, etc. D. M. C. and material for fancy work. Largest ribbon stock in the county. Sale on Children's ready-to-wear dresses at 50c.

EVERY DAY IS BARGAIN DAY.

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The quickest and surest cure for burns, bruises, boils, sores, inflammations and all skin diseases is Bucklin's Jessica Salve. In four days it cured E. H. Hafin of Iredell, Texas, of a sore on his ankle which pained him so he could hardly walk. Should be in every house. Only 25¢ recommended by W. G. Meyer.

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is practically, but not literally the case at our store. Our telephone will always summon prompt and willing service when there is serious illness and necessity for prompt relief.

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LOCAL AGENTS

PINCKNEY, MICH.



For Sale by W. E. Brown

### SOUTH IOSCO.

Mrs. Geo. Mowers and daughter, Lucy, and Mrs. Jessie Henry and son, L. J., of Pinckney spent Sunday at L. T. Lamborne's.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Anderson visited at the home of Joe Roberts Sunday.

Nick Burley and family called at W. S. Caskey's Sunday.

John Roberts and wife visited at the home of Arthur Mitchell Sunday.

C. Watters and wife of Parkers Corners spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of their mother who is quite poorly.

Walter Gibbons of Chelsea spent Sunday at the home of W. S. Caskey.

Joe Roberts and wife visited their parents in Webberville last Thursday.

Mrs. VanKeuren spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Watters.

Gladys Roberts spent Friday last with Kathryn Lamborne.

W. S. Caskey and wife visited relatives in Marion Saturday and Sunday.

### Pains in the Stomach

If you continually complain of pains in the stomach, your liver or your kidneys are out of order. Neglect may lead to dropsy, kidney trouble, diabetes or Bright's disease. Thousands recommend Electric Bitters as the very best stomach and kidney medicine made. H. T. Alston of Raleigh N.C., who suffered with a pain in the stomach and back writes: "My kidneys were deranged and my liver did not work right, I suffered much, but Electric Bitters was recommended and I improved from the first dose. I now feel like a new man." It will improve you, too. Only 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by W. G. Meyer.

### ANDERSON.

Mrs. Julia Pangborn has been visiting her sister Mrs. Wegener of Plymouth.

Orla Hanes and family of Gregory visited at the home of Frank Hanes Sunday.

Mr. Sider and family have rented the John Dunn house.

Mrs. Don McCurny and Mrs. Frank Ottitt of Gregory spent Fri. with their parents here.

A. G. Wilson and wife were Detroit visitors the latter part of the week.

Clare Ledwidge visited Mary Greiner Sunday.

Anna Berry of Stockbridge spent part of last week with friends here.

Geo. Lavey is working for Horace Norton of Marion and Harry Tor J. D. White.

Will Caskey has rented his farm to Ellis Stalker.

M. J. Roche purchased a horse of Ed. Sprout last week.

Ed. Sprout is rebuilding his hen house which was destroyed by the wind.

Art LaRowe and Ezra Plummer are working for Neil McClellan at the carpenter trade.

### WEST MARION.

The measles, German and Red, are still raging here.

Hiram Miller and family have moved from Plainfield to the Pet Backus farm.

Chas. King is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

Seymour Sawdy of Unadilla has rented the Chas. Burden farm.

John Henderson and wife of Howell visited at the home of Wesley Vines the first of the week.

Maud Smith and children visited at F. O. Beach's last week.

### Coughs and Consumption

Coughs and colds, when neglected, always lead to serious trouble of the lungs. The wisest thing to do when you have a cold that troubles you is to get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. You will get relief from the first dose, and finally the cough will disappear. O. H. Brown of Muscadine, Ala., writes: "My wife was down in bed with an obstinate cough and I honestly believe had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery she would not be living today." Known for forty three years as the best remedy for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by C. G. Meyer, the druggist.

Women who have headache should use Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.

## SPECIALS

FOR

Saturday, April 19th, 1913

1 Lot of Mens Summer Underwear, all new, at 21c per garment  
Call and see them

A few sizes in \$1.00 Corsets to close out, sizes 19 to 20, at 69c	6c
Brown Cotton at	7c
Apron Ginghams at	11c
1 pound Best Pepper	20c
1 pound Rumford Baking Powder	26c
2 cans Red Salmon	25c
10 pounds Rolled Oats	11c
1 pound Ground Mustard	20c
1 pound 50c Tea	24c
1 pound 28c Coffee	

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ON FRIDAY  
APRIL 18  
We Will Be At  
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With an extra large and beautiful showing of

"How I shall miss you  
When you are grown."

## LADIES SPRING COATS

What the poet sang, every mother's heart has felt. Baby's photograph taken now and then will preserve the image and memory of baby days for all time.

How long since you have had your baby's picture taken?

Daisie B. Chapell

Photographer

Stockbridge, Michigan

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Livingston. At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the village of Howell in said county on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1913. Present, Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of MARY J. FARLEY, Deceased.

John McKernan having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to John McKernan or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he 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.

EUGENE A. STOWE, Judge of Probate

with an especially strong line of all-wool garments at

\$12.50 -

This is an opportunity to save many dollars over city prices—besides car fares. All sizes will be shown from 16 to 44. Large ladies are especially well provided for in this showing.

We will also show a few very beautiful

## SPRING SUITS..

Be sure and come on  
Friday, April 18, and  
look these garments over

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LEWIS COLEY, Deceased

J. R. Colby having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to George W. Temple or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 26th day of April, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he 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.

EUGENE A. STOWE, Judge of Probate

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the probate court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Howell in said County, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1913.

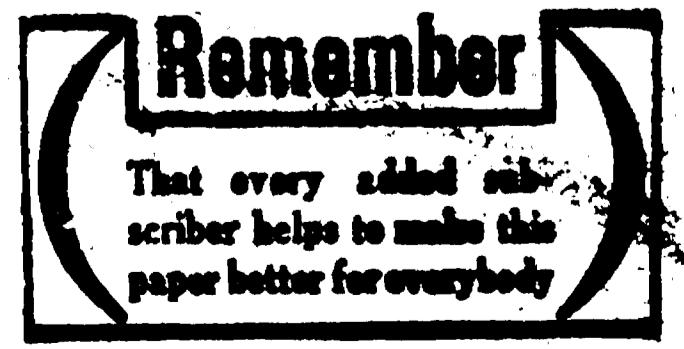
Present, Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of SARAH M. BURNETT, Deceased.

Chas. Ren Burnett having filed in said court his final account as administrator with will annexed of said estate and his petition praying for the allowance thereof.

It is Ordered, That the 10th day of May, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he 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.

EUGENE A. STOWE, Judge of Probate.



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## Pinckney Dispatch

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### FAMILIARITY AND CONTEMPT.

Familiarity, of course, is a term of straight inheritance from "familia," the Latin name of family; and it is too bad that a word which stands for the beautiful relationship of intimacy in the household should also have come to do duty for another meaning, that of disrespect, says the Philadelphia Ledger. Why shouldn't ripening acquaintance mean a continual accession of reverence? Why is it that "no man is a hero to his valet?" Must it be that only the glaring deficiencies and discrepancies progressively appear instead of the graces and the virtues as the points of high relief in the closely scrutinized character? In the ideal family life there is generous concession, each to each, in the point of view. There is a real affection which creates an atmosphere of tolerance and kindness. The parents remember that they were not always as old and as wise as they are now. They realize that a child cannot look through their own bifocal lenses on life's problems at quite the same angle or in exactly the same light. Age with increasing wisdom, the "sour sows" and the "severity," ought to bring an added disposition to give youth and impulse the benefit of the doubt. Old age and youth may not always agree; January and May are traditionally at odds; but they can afford to let each other live, and neither can afford to be condescending. "We are none of us 'infallible,'" said Jewett, "not even the youngest of us."

The young girl who killed herself through frenzied adoration of a grand opera prima donna was probably mentally deranged and would have killed herself over any other matter which affected her imagination. To draw morals from her fate is superfluous, says the Baltimore American. The usual adoration of the average matine girl for stage idols is a very harmless thing which arises from the confusion in an immature mind between the stage character and the person representing it and wears itself out in the course of time, leaving no scars behind, being a matter more of amusement for the idols themselves than anything else. Even its illness is a passing phase, and beyond care to check its extravagant expression has nothing for alarm. In cases of really unbalanced brains, like the one cited, it is merely incidental and by no means a cause in itself.

Pupils of the public schools in a Pennsylvania town were taken in divisions to see moving pictures of the Panama canal as a way of impressing upon them their geographical studies. There does not seem much doubt that moving pictures will play a large part in the conduct of the schools in the future. Their illustrations will supplement books to a large extent, since to the childish mind, especially, things seen are mightier than things heard.

Now a Chicago experimenter comes forward to deal another telling blow to the down-trodden sex in his conclusions on animal observations, that the female of the species is more intelligent than the male. He hints in a traitorous way to his own sex, that while these observations may not apply to the human race, it is more than suspected that they do. After a while mere man will be thankful that he is allowed to exist.

A letter from Dublin says that English middle-class parents, are taking to sending their sons to Ireland to receive their education, the Irish, middle-class schools and colleges being less expensive than their English equivalents and without the vicious attractions which often environ educational centers in Great Britain. The result is that the young men usually secure a better education than if they were kept on their own side of the channel. This state of things revives memories of Ireland's days of glory, when the green isle was the nursery of learning for all Europe.

A scientific expert in Los Angeles is experimenting to produce a breed of self-clipped rats. What result to the human race the success of this experiment would be is hard to tell, except to render the horrors of a late, inspired homecoming more poignant than ever, if a feasting rodent happened to be disturbed by the late comers.

## FIVE PERISH IN BURNING HOUSE

MOTHER AND THREE DAUGHTERS  
AND LITTLE GIRL FRIEND  
ARE DEAD

FIRE BREAKS OUT WHILE THE  
FAMILY SLEEPS

Parents Suffer Injuries in Attempting  
to Rescue Children from Flames.  
Father will Recover

As the result of a fire which destroyed the home of James Bradley, at Kenneth, near St. Ignace, Mr. Bradley is an inmate of a St. Ignace hospital, mourning the death of his wife, their three daughters and a neighbor's child.

The fire started while the family was sleeping. The daughters, aged 14, 10 and 7, were burned along with Verna Irwin, aged 7, who was spending the night with them. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley were severely burned in attempting a rescue, and the later died of injuries in the hospital. Mr. Bradley probably will recover.

Mr. Bradley is foreman of a mill at Kenneth and Mr. Irwin is an employee of the same plant. The Bradleys moved from Pellston to Kenneth last January.

### Wants to Sell Secrets

According to a memorial submitted to the house, the senate and the president, signed by 80 citizens of Rochester, Mich., Theodore Munger, of that town, has made 12 food discoveries which will save the world \$156,000,000. The memorial figures that the loss in the United States alone is \$10,000,000,000 a year.

Munger's plan is to sell this secret to the government for one cent a day from each living inhabitant. This he figures would total up about \$5,000,000 a year. He offers to turn over one-third of this amount for scientific research, one-third for good roads and one-third for himself, to continue his scientific research work.

### Amendment is Now Assured.

Direct election of United States senators became one of the provisions of the constitution by Connecticut's ratification of the amendment to that effect. Thirty-six states, the requisite three-fourths of all in the union, have now approved the change. It remains only for the governors of all states which have acted favorably to formally notify Secretary Bryan and for him to issue a proclamation announcing the change. The amendment to the constitution is the second within the last few months. The new amendment is the seventeenth to be adopted.

### Girls Win in Boston Strike.

A strike of the telephone operators of Greater Boston, threatened for the past few days, is averted by a compromise reached after a 48-hour conference between representatives of the company and the union. Instead of increasing wages, as was demanded, the company is to adopt a plan of "anniversary payments" of from \$25 to \$100 a year, in the nature of a bonus for faithful service.

### Low Birth Rate in France.

The birth rate in the French capital for 1912 was the lowest since 1861, according to a municipal report made public recently. There was only one birth for every 30 families. The infantile death rate was 143 a thousand. Prohibitive rentals are said to have been the chief cause for the decrease in the number of births.

### Reorganize the New Republic.

The Brazilian government, anticipating similar action on the part of the United States, has cabled to the Chinese government its recognition of the new republic. The Brazilian and Chinese flags were displayed together over the government offices.

A survey of the streets of the village of Chessanog has been made to establish the necessary depths and grades for a trunk sewerage system. The survey included six blocks of the main street for a contemplated pavement.

The 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Le Ven of Ovid died from pneumonia, as a result of inhaling steam. While playing about the stove she placed her mouth over the spout of the tea kettle, and died a few hours after.

Mrs. O. A. Dean, wife of Dr. Dean, city health officer, of South Haven, is dead. She came here over 40 years ago and was prominent in club and church circles.

## KING ALFONSO OF SPAIN



An attempt on the life of Spain's young ruler has been made for the third time by anarchists. Three shots were fired at him but he escaped unhurt.

## DENTISTS ELECT OFFICERS

Vote to Affiliate with National Body  
and Give Money to Miller  
Memorial

A vote to affiliate with the National Dentists' association, an appropriation of \$250 to the Miller Memorial fund at Ann Arbor, and the election of officers featured the final session of the Michigan Dental association at Grand Rapids.

The Miller Memorial probably will be either a medal or a scholarship at the University of Michigan in honor of Dr. Miller, who came to Grand Rapids as dean of the medical department, but died two weeks after taking the position.

Officers elected: President, W. A. Giffen, Detroit; Vice-President, C. A. Burbridge, Grand Rapids; Secretary, F. Ward Howlett, Jackson; Treasurer, E. J. Chamberlain, Grand Rapids; members of the executive council, G. C. Bowles, Detroit, and Walter L. Crego, Saginaw.

### Royal Mail Encircles Globe

A new transpacific steamship line from Portland to Japan and China was inaugurated with the sailing of the steamship Harpagus from Portland, Ore. It is planned to maintain a sailing every four weeks for the present. The new service will form the last link of a continuous world-circling service of the Royal Mail Steamship Co. For the present the new service is to be carried on by steamships of the Shire line, which is owned by the Royal Mail Co., but later a fleet of 12,000 ton ships will be built for the transpacific trade.

### Heroic Woman Saves Husband.

But for the heroism displayed by his wife, H. H. Rawlings, a real estate agent, of Port Huron, might have been cremated, when their apartments were destroyed by fire. Rawlings is a paraplegic and lay helpless on a couch in one of the rooms when burning timbers overhead told him of the fire. His cries for help were heard by his wife, who coolly lifted him onto a wheel chair, and unassisted, carried him down a steep stairway, along with their 6-year-old daughter, through smoke which was suffocating. They had no sooner reached the outside than the roof caved in.

### Historic Bridge to Be Removed.

Gen. Sullivan's bridge, which Gen. Washington and his army used in passing over the Schuylkill river to winter quarters at Valley Forge, is to rise again in imperishable concrete. This was made certain at a meeting of representative men recently.

A \$250,000 structure is planned, the money having been subscribed by patriotic men of wealth residing in the neighborhood of the historic spot.

### President Will Visit Canal.

President Wilson is going to Panama to see the canal as soon as the extra session of congress adjourns.

To the delight of those who stand for free tolls for domestic commerce, the president informed them of his intention. He said he would take up this question as soon as the tariff was out of the way, that he wanted to study it personally in all its phases, and that about his first step would be the trip to the canal.

The city council of Hastings has set aside a portion of the second story of the city hall for library purposes. It will be placed the present collections of books in the city schools and the Hastings Women's club.

## MICHIGAN BREVITIES

Battle Creek.—To be married twice within a week was the unusual experience of Mr. and Mrs. John Sipos of this city. Both parties are newly arrived from Hungary, and are ignorant of the English language and customs. Mr. Sipos, accompanied by the bride, visited Justice Allen, where they were married. The couple then visited Rev. Father Burk of the Catholic church and after stoutly denying that the ceremony had been performed, were married for the second time.

Kalamazoo.—J. B. Hatfield who attempted to murder his mother-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Nightingale, in Goblesville, some time ago, and who later made an unsuccessful attempt to take his own life, appeared in the Van Buren circuit court in Paw Paw and pleaded guilty to the charge of attempted murder. The woman is still paralyzed and little hope is held out to her friends for her recovery.

Lansing.—Mrs. Mary Lucas was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Pauline Fligel here and sentenced to a life term in the Detroit house of correction. Mrs. Lucas was accused of having administered acetone to an aged rival in love, and although admitting the crime, pleaded insanity. The jury was out all day and returned a verdict of guilty. The court passed sentence immediately. The convicted woman showed no emotion.

Ann Arbor.—Edward Wood, a carpenter, is in jail here pending an examination. Wood tried to force his way into the office of M. J. Cavanaugh, an attorney, threatening to kill him, it is alleged. The lawyer once appeared in a case in justice court in which Wood was interested. Wood was arrested last Christmas on a charge of making similar threats and was released.

Grand Rapids.—Harry Hughey, twenty-three years old of Cedar Springs, has been brought here under arrest, charged with attempting to wreck a G. R. & I. fast train No. 92 near Cedar Springs. He is alleged to have placed rails and ties on the track. Hughey told of seeing three men run away. He was immediately arrested.

Ypsilanti.—Daniel Hurley, single, aged fifty-five, was instantly killed between Milan and Whitaker by being struck by a train. He was a brother of Justice John Hurley of Augusta township, also Mrs. Charles Meanwell of this city.

Eaton Rapids.—Myrtle, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wood, got some medicated tablets off the pantry shelf and after she had swallowed several of them it required more than an hour's hard work by a physician to save the child's life.

Coldwater.—John Urban, convicted of burglary, was sentenced to serve from fifteen months to fifteen years with the recommendation of two and one-half years in Jackson state prison.

Pontiac.—Raymond H. Granger, aged thirty years, residing at 75 Merita street, was instantly killed when he fell under the wheels of a caboose in the Grand Trunk yards at Oakland avenue. Granger was a switchman and was hanging to the caboose steps, the train, moving backwards, the side handle gave way and he fell under the wheels.

Jackson.—Fear that John Sierminski, murderer of his thirteen-months-old daughter, may be attacked by other convicts in Jackson prison, has prevented the officials from placing the murderer at work in any of the industries in the penitentiary, and he is being kept in his cell until some method of caring for the case can be devised. Feeling against the Polish murderer is intense inside the prison and the officials have been warned that if he is placed at work in any of the inside plants he will be attacked. It is not improbable that a special guard will be necessary to protect Sierminski when he is placed at work.

Grand Rapids.—Richard R. Metheany, secretary and auditor of the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railway company, died suddenly Monday morning from heart disease, being stricken while shaving at his residence. Mr. Metheany was fifty-eight years of age and had been connected with the railway company since he started as office boy at fifteen.

Corunna.—John Wood in attempting to put one of his two bull dogs out of the house received injuries which may prove fatal. He was bitten in the throat and chest, and his arms were badly lacerated. It is feared that the dog was suffering from rabies.

## A BOY INTERPRETER

A Young Massachusetts Swede in Canada Twenty Years Ago Wants to Return.

Twenty years ago, a blond-haired young Swede, a boy of about 10 years of age, accompanied a party of his fellow-countrymen on the then long trip to Western Canada as an interpreter. The party he accompanied located at Wetaskiwin, Alberta, now one of the most thriving and best settled districts in Western Canada. For three years he remained in the district. Homesickness took him back to his home at Fitchburg, Mass., and he has remained there for 17 years. He has heard frequently from his friends in the West. He has followed their movements and watched their progress. He has heard how the town he helped to establish has risen from a shack to a growing, thriving, brisk business center, with the surrounding country peopled now by thousands who are occupying the territory in which he was one of the first to help plant the colony of twenty or twenty-five. In his letter to an official of the Department of the Interior, he says:

"When I was up in Canada, Calgary was a small town and so was Edmonton, but I understand they have grown wonderfully since."

The young man when he went last learned a machine trade, he has patents and inventions but he wants to go to Canada again. And he likely will, but when he does he will find a greater change than he may expect. Calgary and Edmonton are large cities, showing marvelous and wonderful growth. Where but one line of railway made a somewhat tortuous and indefinite way across the plains to its mountain pass, there are three lines of railway dividing the trade of hundreds of thousands of farmers, carrying freight to the hundreds of towns and cities crossing and criss-crossing the prairies in all directions, reaching out into new settlements, and preceding districts to be newly opened for incoming settlers. He will not be able to secure a home unless at a considerable distance from the town, the three dollar an acre land is selling at from \$15 to \$35 an acre. He will find now what was then \$3 an acre is worth the \$30 or \$35 that may be asked for it, and a good deal more. But he will find that he can secure a homestead just as good as any that were taken in his day, and today worth \$35 an acre, but at some distance from a line of railway, yet with a certainty of railway in the near future, and he will find too that he can still get land at \$15 to \$18 an acre that will in a year or two be worth \$30 or \$35 an acre. Mr. Moseley is talking to his countrymen about Canada. Advertisement.

### All Fool's Day.

When freakish April lifts the latch all wits and wags consider themselves free to vent their nonsense upon the victims whom they would fool by their tricks. The gay Parisian calls such "April fish;" in bonnie Scotland on this day they make merry "hunting the gowk;" whilst in England and this country a man keeps a sharp lookout lest he be caught at a disadvantage by the joker who glories in his smartness if he only can make some one look ridiculous. But it is just as well not to be too smart. The boomerang has a wicked habit of coming back. Silly as All Fool's day custom may seem to the solemn, it has an ancient ancestry. Its origin is obscure, but somewhere from the far-off times when those old Romans felt the tilt of the vernal equinox, and went on the spree accordingly, comes this rollick which still trills forth its merry ditty in our streets. Deeper still, the calm, contemplative Hindu, for some reason or other, from time immemorial has gone a-fooling on the first of April. It was probably from France, whence all things vivacious come, that Europe got the unruly itch for turning this day into a comedy of errors.

### "Oh, So Sudden."

He was not a rapid wooper, and she was getting somewhat anxious. A persistent ring came at the front door.

"Oh, bother!" she said. "Who can be calling?"

"Say you're out," he suggested.

"Oh, no, that would be untrue," she protested.

"Then say you are engaged," he urged.

"Oh, may I, Charlie?" she cried, as she fell into his arms.

And the man kept on ringing the front door bell.

### Puzzle.

New Nurse—I couldn't answer the doctor this morning when he asked if the young woman patient who arrived a short time ago was light-headed.

Other Ditto—Why couldn't you answer him?

New Nurse—Because I didn't know whether he wanted to know if she were delirious or if she were a blonde.

Relatives of a newly married couple never interfere—if they haven't any.

## WOMAN'S ILLS DISAPPEARED

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North Bangor, N. Y.—"As I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with great benefit I feel it my duty to write and tell you about it. I was ailing from female weakness and had headache and backache nearly all the time. I was later every month than I should have been and so sick that I had to go to bed."

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### Another Made Well.

Ann Arbor, Mich.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done wonders for me. For years I suffered terribly with hemorrhages and had pains so intense that sometimes I would faint away. I had female weakness so bad that I had to doctor all the time and never found relief until I took your remedies to please my husband. I recommend your wonderful medicine to all sufferers as I think it is a blessing for all women."—Mrs. L. E. WYCKOFF, 112 S. Ashley St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

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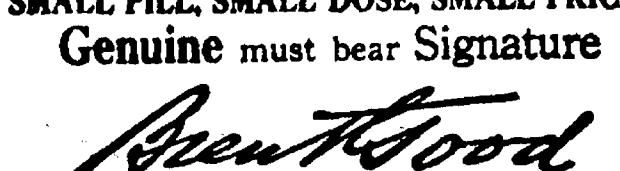
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### His Consolation.

"So you've lost your nice pussy-cat since I was here last!" sympathized grandma. "Too bad! Of course you miss him dreadfully, don't you?"

"Well, yes;" six-year-old John assumed a look of chastened sorrow; "but then, grandma, since I've heard so much about this germ business, I try to think it's just as well!"

### Unavoidable.

Jane—Would you marry a man who was your inferior?

Mary—if I marry at all.

Red Cross Ball Blue, all blue, beat bluing value in the whole world, makes the laundress smile. Adv.

None of us can afford to say all the fool things he would like to say.

## Despondent?

Have you frequent headaches, a coated tongue, bitter taste in the morning, "heartburn," belching of gas, acid refluxes in the afternoons, eating, stomach growls or burns, foul breath, diary spells, poor appetite?

A torpid liver is the trouble in nine cases out of ten.

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## CONVICTS BURN KANSAS PRISON

### FIRE STARTED BY BREAKING OF MOTOR IS SPREAD BY INMATES

### LOSS TO STATE HALF MILLION OF DOLLARS

Four Large Buildings are Consumed After Armature in Twine Plant Bursts. No Insurance is Carried

Fire that destroyed four large buildings and caused a loss estimated at \$500,000 in the Kansas penitentiary at Lansing was spread by convicts, who scattered burning papers in buildings not in the path of the flames, according to a statement by Fire Chief Michael Bahler, of Leavenworth. His opinion was confirmed by some of the prison officers.

The fire started when the armature of a motor in the twine plant suddenly burst into flame, which communicated to walls and floors. Half an inch of oily lint over the floors made the building burn like tinder. The burned buildings are a total loss, as the state carries no insurance on its structures.

### Suffragette Wins Hunger Strike

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, was released from Holloway jail after having been on a "hunger strike" for nine days.

She had been sentenced to three years in the penitentiary as leader of the militant suffragettes.

Mrs. Pankhurst was released on probation, under the terms of which she must report at frequent intervals to the police. In case she commits any misdeameanor she is liable to immediate arrest without a warrant and must then serve out her full term of conviction. The intention of the authorities is to allow her to be free only until she regains her strength.

### Joliet to Get Federal Prisoners

Prisoners, convicted of felonies in the federal courts at Chicago, hereafter will be sent to the Illinois state penitentiary at Joliet, instead of to the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas., according to notice which came from Washington to United States District Attorney James H. Wilkerson.

### Troops Withdrawn from Buffalo

A court order was signed directing the withdrawal of the 3,000 state militia, called to Buffalo in connection with the strike of the Carmen of the International railway company.

Street car service on regular schedule was resumed on all city suburban lines.

### Squaw Man is Saved

Governor Moorhead, of Nebraska, has approved the bill passed by the legislature which prohibits the marriage of whites and any person who has one-eighth or more of Japanese, Chinese or negro blood. As originally framed the bill included Indians in the prohibition, but this was stricken out.

### Appointments by the President

In a batch of nominations which President Wilson sent to the senate were the following:

Dudley Field Malone, of New York, to be third assistant secretary of state. John Bassett More, of New York, to be counsellor of the department of state.

### To Dedicate Butt Monument

A monument to Major Archibald W. Butt, military aide to President Roosevelt and Taft, and who was lost when the Titanic sank almost a year ago, will be dedicated May 30 in Arlington National cemetery.

### Seven Million Packages Handled

Seven million parcel packages were handled in the Chicago postoffice during March. That was the greatest business done in the country. The least was done at Martinsburg, W. Va., where only one package was mailed.

### Fund Now Total \$1,560,000

Contributions amounting to \$50,000 received at Washington by the American Red Cross brought the total fund for the relief of the flood sufferers up to \$1,560,000.

Mrs. Harriet Wilder, of Coldwater, sister of the late Gov. C. G. Luce, is dead.

## THE MARKETS.

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

DETROIT—Cattle—Receipts 428. Market strong and active. We quote extra beef steers \$8.50@9; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$7.50@8; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$7@7.50; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$6@7; choice fat cows, \$6@6.50; good fat cows, \$5@5.75; common cows \$4.50@4.75; cannery, \$3.75 @ 4.25; choice heavy bulls, \$6.50@7; fair to good bolognas, bulls \$5.75@6.25; stock bulls, \$5@5.50; choice feeding steers, 500@800 to 1,000, \$7@7.50; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$6@6.75; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$5.25@6.25; stock heifers, \$5@5.50; milkers, large, young medium age, \$5@6@70; common milkers, \$3.50@5.00.

Veal calves—Receipts, 190. Market 5¢ lower. Best \$10 others \$5@9.50. Milk cows and springers strong.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 656. Market 25¢ to 40¢ higher. Best lambs, \$9.25@9.40; fair to good lambs, \$8.50@9; light to common lambs, \$6@6.75; yearlings, \$8@8.25; fair to good sheep, \$6@7; culls and common, \$3.50@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts 1,323. Market 10 to 15¢ lower. Range of prices; light to good butchers, \$9.25; pigs, \$9.40; light workers, \$8.25; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO: Cattle—Receipts, 140 cars; market 10@15¢ higher; best 1,350 to 1,500-lb. steers, \$8.80@9.15; good prime 1,200 to 1,300-lb. steers, \$8.75@8.85; good to prime 1,100 to 1,200-lb. steers, \$8.25@8.50; coarse, plainish, 1,100 to 1,200-lb. steers, \$7.25@7.85; medium butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, \$7.25@8; butcher steers, 950 to 1,000 lbs, \$7.25@7.75; light butcher steers, \$6.75@7.25; best fat cows, \$6.50@7.25; butcher cows, \$5.25@6; light butcher cows, \$4.50@5; trimmers, \$3.75@4; best fat heifers, \$7.75@8.50; medium butcher heifers, \$6.75@7; light butcher heifers, \$6@6.40; stock heifers, \$5.25@5.50; best feeding steers, \$7.25@7.50; fair to good do, \$6.50@7.50; prime export bulls, \$7.25@7.50; best butcher bulls, \$6.75@7.25; bologna bulls, \$5.75@6.50; stock bulls, \$5@5.50; best milkers and springers, \$6.50@6.75; common to fair kind do, \$4@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 100 cars; steady; heavy, \$9.45@9.50; mixed, \$9.50@9.60; workers, \$9.50@9.60; pigs, \$9.60; roughs, \$8.25@8.50; stags, \$7.50@8. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 80 cars; active; top lambs, \$9.40@9.50; culs to fair, \$7.50@9.25; yearlings, \$8@8.75; wethers, \$7.25@7.75; ewes, \$6.75@7.25. Calves, \$5@10.50.

### Grains, Etc.

WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.11 1-2 May opened without change at \$1.12, advanced to \$1.12 1-4 and declined to \$1.11 1-2; July opened at 94 1-4c, advanced 1-4c and declined to 93 3-4c; July opened at 93 3-4c, advanced to 94c and declined to 93 1-4c; No. 1 white, \$1.10 1-2.

CORN—Cash No. 3, 2 cars at 56; No. 3 yellow, 12 cars at 56 1-2c; No. 4 yellow, 55c

OATS—Standard, 38c; No. 3 white, 1 car at 37c; No. 4 white, 35c.

RYE—Cash No. 2, 35c.

BEANS—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$1.95; May, \$2.

CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, 50 bags at \$13.40; sample, 30 bags at \$10.50; prime, alike, \$12.75; sample alike, 10 bags at \$12.8 at \$10.75.

FLOUR—In one-eight paper sacks, per 196 pounds, jobbing lots; Best patent, \$5.60; second patent, \$5.20; straight, \$4.90; spring patent, \$5.10; rye, \$4.60 per bbl.

FEED—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots Bran, \$2.25; coarse middlings, \$2.25; fine middlings, \$2.75; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$2.25; corn and oat chop, \$2.25 per ton.

### General Markets

Apples—Baldwin, \$2.50@2.75; Greening, \$2.50@2.75; Spy, \$2.15@3; Steele Red, \$3@3.50; common, 75c@1.50 per bbl.

Onions—40@45c per bu.

Cabbage—Home-grown, \$1@1.25 per bbl.

Dressed Hogs—Light, 10@10 1-2c; heavy, 8@9c per lb.

Dressed calves—Choice, 12@12 1-2c; fancy, 13@14c per lb.

Potatoes—Michigan, car lots in sacks, 43@45c; store lots, 45@50c per bushel.

Honey—Choice to fancy white comb, 18@20c; amber, 14@16c; extracted, 7@8c per pound.

Live Poultry—Spring chickens, 17 1-2@18c; hens, 17 1-2@18c; No. 2 hens, 11@12c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys, 17@20c; geese, 12@14c; ducks, 16@17c per lb.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Michigan flats, new, 13 1-2@14c; Michigan flats, old, 18 1-2@17c; New York flats, new, 16@16 1-2c; New York flats, old, 18@18 1-2c; brick cream, 14@14 1-2c; limburger, 18@19c domestic Swiss, 22@24c; imported Swiss, 27@28c; block Swiss, 21@22c per lb.

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## LOCAL NOTICS

Casmir Clinton of Detroit is the guest of his parents.

Mrs. T. Burchell of Toledo is visiting at the home of Ross Read.

Cut out the fizz and fuss and fill up on zeal and zest.

Miss May Hoffmeyer of Dexter was a Pinckney caller Monday.

Rev. D. C. Littlejohn of Howell visited friends here Tuesday.

C. G. Meyer and wife were in Ann Arbor and Detroit last week.

Mrs. Thos. Armstrong and sons of Webster were in town Monday.

Ed. Day and Ernest Elsasser Jr. of Dexter were in Pinckney Tuesday.

Ladies! Be sure and see Dancer's line of spring coats at W. W. Barnard's store to-morrow.

Marcellus Meyers of Chelsea visited friends here the fore part of the week.

S. Sales of Stockbridge was a Pinckney visitor one day the past week.

Fred Read of Detroit has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Read.

David Bennett of Fowlerville is spending the week at the home of E. L. Thompson.

The Literary and Social Club met at the home of Mrs. R. W. Caverly Tuesday afternoon. An enjoyable meeting was reported.

W. J. Dancer and Co. of Stockbridge will have a line of ladies coats on display at W. W. Barnard's store Friday (tomorrow).

Speaking of prosperity, it is not long since we did not know what to do with our ex-presidents, while now such is the demand for them by colleges, there aren't enough to go around!

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### GREGORY.

Fred Montague, wife and daughter Gladys spent Sunday with relatives near Webberville.

Carl Whited and wife spent Sunday with relatives near Pinckney.

Miss Rose Montague entertained her cousin, Allie Drown, Sun.

Russel Shaw and wife spent a day visiting at the home of their uncle, L. Gallup, during their stay here.

L. Gallup and wife visited Met Gallup of Anderson Sunday.

Mrs. Olin Marshall is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. Inez Hadley has a new piano.

Will Bronner of Grand Rapids visited at Henry Dewey's Sunday.

Arthur Bullis lost a valuable young horse last week.

Beulah Bates and friend spent Friday evening with Mrs. Bronner.

Mrs. Harrison Bates and brother Bert Wetherbee spent a week visiting at Gary, Ind., at the home of Mrs. Bates' sister, Mrs. Harry Stoner.

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