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Growths Hinder Work

Seventy-five per cent of children who fail to keep up with their grades in school work are mouth breathers. The cause of this condition is usually enlarged tonsils or adenoids or both. These throat growths interfere with the normal process of breathing, forcing the child to breathe through the mouth rather than the nostrils. If a child shows a tendency to breathe through the mouth, the parent or teachers should insist upon a medical examination and if the growths are found to be present to a dangerous degree they should be removed, as otherwise the entire physical condition and sometimes the mental condition of the child is impaired. Adenoids and enlarged tonsils make a child much more susceptible to colds, sore throat, tonsillitis, pneumonia, tuberculosis, anaemia, catarrh, ear diseases and not infrequently loss of hearing, while defective speech, dullness and lack of the power to concentrate often result, interfering with the student's progress in schools. Evidences of adenoids are found in practically every school-room. The pronounced cases often cause the jaw to become deformed so that the upper teeth protrude and the arch is narrowed. While the enlarged growths are sometimes outgrown, the effects of them are permanent.

Anderson

Fred Wylie, wife and son visited at the home of John Coaners of N. Putnam, Thursday.

Mrs. R. M. Ledwidge and children visited at C. Brogan's of S. Marion, Thursday.

Miss Ethel Cantrell of Stockbridge spent the last of the week at the home of Ed. Sprout.

Wm. Caskey was in Howell Saturday.

Miss Mollie Wilson of Detroit and Sam Wilson and wife formerly of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting at A. G. Wilson's.

Mrs. G. M. Greiner visited at Wm. Doyle's Thursday.

Mrs. Alice Hoff has rented her farm for the coming year to Mr. Gaffney of Parkers Corners.

Liam Ledwidge spent Sunday with Geo. Roche of Pinckney.

Mrs. Albert Frost is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Earl McLaughlin of Crosswell.

Peter Greiner of Mt. Clemens is the guest of his brother and family here.

Veronica Brogan and pupils of the Sprout District visited school in the Eaman District Friday.

Lester Docking visited Verner Hall Friday.

A number from here attended the Farmers Institute at Gregory Saturday.

Pickle Contracts

Contracts for giving pickles for the new pickle factory at Pinckney can be had at the store of Murphy & Jackson. Pickle seed furnished free.

The Knox-Harris Packing Co., Jackson, Mich. 413

A teachers institute for Livingston county will be held at Howell Monday and Tuesday, January 25-27. Teachers are not required to make up time spent at institutes.

THE BARNARD ORCHESTRA.

The Barnard Orchestra is composed of Anna Barnard, violinist and director; Helen Barnard, cornetist, and reader; E. Russell Banks, clarinet; Ethel Barnard, pianist; Edwin R. Whelan, trombone; Robert G. Barnard, xylophone, drums and manager.

The return of the Barnard Orchestra to the Lyceum under Redpath management has been greeted far and wide not only with approval but enthusiasm. For two years past several of the members have been appearing prominently



MISS HELEN BARNARD.

in different companies instead of one organization, but will once more travel together.

Nearly all the Barnards have had practically nine years' experience on the Lyceum platform—in fact, have grown up in Lyceum atmosphere. Their father and mother were both musicians, who for seven years traveled with them. The Barnard young people began their appearances in concert very young and appeared in nearly all parts of the country. The company of two years ago appeared in twenty-nine states and the present personnel, either individually or in groups, has appeared in thirty-nine states.

Miss Helen Barnard, the cornetist and reader of this company, after sev-



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en years in the old Barnard Orchestra next appeared with the Oriole Concert Company, then with the Spanish Orchestra and the past year with the Anita Ladies' Orchestra.

The leader of the orchestra is Miss Anna Barnard, violinist.

The Barnard Orchestra will present a program one hour and forty-five minutes in length, comprising fourteen numbers, five of which will be orchestral, and there will be no waits. Other numbers on this program will be a trio of horns comprising two trombones and a cornet, and the duet of violin and clarinet heretofore mentioned. There will be solos on the violin, clarinet, cornet, trombone and xylophone. The program will open with a march and close with an orchestral number. There will be two readings during the evening.

The last number on the Pinckney lecture course at the opera house, Wednesday evening, February 4th.

South Marion

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the Gleaner banquet held at the home of Frank Knight of N. Marion Saturday.

Mae Brogan of Howell and Paul Brogan of Chileson spent Sunday at C. Brogan's.

Baulah Burgess of Pinckney was home a few days last week.

Percy Daley spent Saturday and Sunday in Howell.

Mrs. Will Chambers visited Mrs. G. Dinkel of Pinckney Friday.

V. G. Dinkel and wife entertained at dinner last Friday, H. G. Gauss and wife, R. Webb and wife, John Gardner and wife and N. Pacey and wife, A. F. Morgan and wife, Miss Ellen Darwin and Chas. Stickle.

North Hamburg

The annual meeting of the N. Hamburg church and cemetery was held at the church Wednesday. All officers were re-elected.

Una and Clyde Bennett returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends in Rochester and Detroit.

Bert Appleton and wife visited at the home of Jas. Nash Thursday.

Hazel and Max Sweitzer visited at the home of Clyde Hinkle last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Carpenter is visiting her sons in Pontiac.

Geo. VanHorn and wife visited at Bert Nash's Saturday evening.

Geo. Burgess and wife, M. Twitshell and wife and Eugene Dunning and wife were Sunday guests at the home of Clyde Hinkle.

Mrs. Jas. Nash is on the sick list.

West Marion

Levi Fewless of Isoco spent a few days here with his daughter, Mrs. P. H. Smith, the past week.

M. Gallup and wife, Fred Burgess and wife, Geo. Bland and wife and Mrs. Harriet Bland were guests at the home of W. B. Miller Wednesday.

Mrs. Jas. Catrell and Mrs. Stevenson called at the home of W. B. Miller Tuesday.

Mrs. A. M. Utley spent Saturday in Detroit.

That Cucumber Factory

Bert Littell has been working here in the interests of the Knox-Harris Packing Co. of Jackson, for the past week. He is being assisted in his work by N. P. Mortenson of this place. The pickling station is a sure thing now and will be a great benefit to the farmers in this vicinity. Cucumber picking comes at a time of year when work is scarce and will mean money in pocket to those enterprising farmers who consider taking acreage.

The company pays 75c per bushel for No. 1 cucumbers up to 3 1/2 inches long, 25c per bushel from 3 1/2 to 5 1/2 and 15c per bushel for culls, which includes all those more than 5 1/2 inches long unless yellow and seedy. These prices cover nearly every cucumber raised so there is practically no loss to the grower. The company furnishes the seed.

The estimated profit usually made on an acre of cucumber ground is \$90.00, although it has often run higher according to season and method of cultivation.

The company has been organized for 14 years and has 150 acres contracted for at Jackson, the place of its first organization. The company has 11 stations at present and we know farmers will make no mistake in taking up with the cucumber proposition.

All those desiring to take acreage should notify the above persons at once as they wish to get the contracts all in as soon as possible.

A Farewell

Last Wednesday evening about fifty of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dey met at their home, bringing refreshments with them, to make a farewell visit before they move to their new home near Fowlerville.

The evening was spent very enjoyably in visiting and in the playing of games. A fine oak rocker was left by the guests as a token of the respect in which Mr. and Mrs. Dey are held in that community.

Glenn Tupper now holds the position of foreman of the adv. department of the Flint Journal. His many friends in this vicinity will be glad to learn of his promotion.

WANT COLUMN

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

FOR SALE—R. C. R. I. Reds. Reds that are red, both pullets and cockerels. 413 Mrs. Ella Catrell, Pinckney.

WANTED—A good hustling salesman to sell household goods. Big money. 412 Address box 274, Saginaw, Michigan.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Pinckney House Fully Furnished. Inquire at 1129 Ford Bldg. Detroit. 413*

WANTED—Girl or women for cook and general housework. Bell phone 362. Mrs. R. B. McPherson Howell, Mich. 413

WANTED—Farmers to take part of carload of rock phosphate in 80 lb sacks at \$9.00 per ton. Phone 19 ring 14. 413 Wm. Schrotzberger, Pinckney

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc-Jersey sow with 8 pigs. Phone 30F14. Farm one mile west of Lakeland. Ray Baker, Pinckney 311*

FOR SALE—Bedstead, springs and mattress. Price is cheap. Enquire at this office. 21f

FOR SALE—Or will rent on shares to responsible party a farm of 210 acres in township of Brighton. 21f J. W. Hilton, Brighton, Mich.

NOTICE—We will have a saw mill on the premises of Wm. Kennedy Sr. and will be prepared to do all kinds of custom work. Bring in your logs. 213 Wm. Kennedy & Son, Pinckney

WANTED—Men to buy All Wool Made-to-Measure Suits at \$9.99. (The kind you pay \$20. for in all retail stores.) Our representative is now in your territory. Drop us a card and we will have him call. Carter Bros. Co., 422 Holden Ave. Detroit, Mich. 211

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MURPHY & JACKSON

MAC DONALD RESOLUTION REJECTED

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RULES DECIDES AGAINST STRIKE INVESTIGATION.

DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS VOTE IN CAUCUS.

Contention of Governor Ferris and Senator Townsend That State Is Handling Situation Is Sustained.

Washington—The resolution of Congressman William J. MacDonald, of Calumet, submitted some days ago, calling for a congressional investigation of the situation in the copper country, of Michigan, was referred to the house committee on rules for decision as to whether United States interference was warranted.

"No federal question is involved either in the Michigan or in the Colorado strike situations, and

"Nothing has been shown to indicate that the governors of the respective states are not in a position adequately to cope with the situation."

These are the findings of the Democratic majority members of the committee Saturday. They sustain the contention of Governor Ferris and Senator Townsend that Michigan can handle its labor affairs and virtually ends the demand for federal interference, so far as action in the house is concerned.

Rev. Glass Gets Appointment.

Owosso, Mich.—Rev. D. H. Glass, pastor of the First M. E. church in Owosso, and for four years previously pastor of Central M. E. church at Pontiac, has been appointed superintendent of Sunday school work in the Detroit conference, and will take up his new work as soon as a successor to him here is chosen.

Rev. Glass' work will be to build up the Sunday schools and promote the plan, originated by him for a joint church and Sunday school meeting, instead of separate meetings.

Date of Encampment Announced.

Detroit, Mich.—The week of August 31 has been chosen for the national encampment of the G. A. R. in Detroit, by the local executive committee in charge of arrangements. The committee completed also the drawing up of the contract providing for the expenses of the encampment. The contract calls for about 4,700 badges, a grandstand to seat 4,000 persons, the use of eight public meeting places, an auditorium and bands, and horses for the officials of the G. A. R.

Two Dead From Gas Fumes.

Jackson, Mich.—Mrs. Elizabeth O'Hearn, aged 65, and her son, John O'Hearn, aged 35, were found dead in bed at their home, 111 Deyo alley, Friday. Death was due to asphyxiation from coal gas, that had escaped from a stove.

Mr. O'Hearn was a Michigan Central flagman, and it was his failure to return to work this morning which led to the investigation, disclosing his death and that of his mother.

Beaver Meat May Be Shipped.

Marquette, Mich.—Beaver meat from upper Michigan is to be a delicacy served to people in large cities of the country this winter. In response to numerous inquiries, State Game Warden Wm. R. Oates of Marquette, has notified his deputies that trappers and others will be permitted to ship the meat of legally killed beavers out of the state. All packages must be plainly marked to indicate their contents.

George G. Moore in Big Deal.

San Francisco—George G. Moore, of St. Clair, Mich., identified with many interests in Detroit, was active in closing a deal which gained control of the United Properties company, a concern capitalized at \$200,000,000, organized in New Jersey and operating in California, for a British-American syndicate. The concern will operate interurban properties exclusively.

After a campaign to raise funds, St. Paul's Episcopal church several outside ministers, and with fitting ceremonies, Friday night, burned the mortgage which had hung over the church for several years.

With the election of Joseph Warnock as secretary and treasurer of the socialist party in Michigan, the headquarters of the party shift to Harbor Springs from Grand Rapids. Warnock succeeds James Hoogerhyde.

CHOSEN COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY



John Skelton Williams.

Washington—The banking and currency committee of the Senate reported favorably on Williams' appointment as comptroller of the currency. He will be a member of the currency organization committee with Secretaries McAdoo and Houston.

FERTILIZERS TO BE WATCHED

Agricultural College Will Protest Farmers Against Inferior Compounds Sold in Michigan.

East Lansing, Mich.—Boasts by certain manufacturers of farm fertilizers that any sort of compound can be palmed off in Michigan have come to the ears of the experiment station chemists at M. A. C., and as a result, close examination of fertilizers sold within the state will be made henceforth, in accordance with the lately amended state law. Farmers are to be given thorough protection from manufacturers whose product may be questionable.

In the past the state chemists had but little authority in the matter of regulating the composition of fertilizing compounds, but under the new statute much broader powers have been granted.

Along with the testing of fertilizers, examination will also be made of insecticides and spraying compounds. This has never been done heretofore, but the new law enacted by the last legislature has made provision for this work. Paris green and similar entertainments must be made to kill or their sale will be prohibited in Michigan.

Bull Moose Banquet Circuit.

Battle Creek, Mich.—A banquet circuit of southern Michigan is being formed by the Progressive party, the opening day to be February 22 at Battle Creek.

Detroit will follow, with a Bull Moose banquet the next evening, February 23, and the rest of the schedule as arranged to date is as follows: Jackson, February 24; Adrian, February 25; Coldwater, February 26; Hillsdale, February 27.

Other cities are to join the movement. The talent to be sent over this circuit will include Victor Murdock of Kansas, Arthur Beveridge of Indiana, Senator Moses Clapp of Minnesota, and Congressman R. O. Woodruff and W. J. MacDonald of Michigan.

Street Broom Is Condemned.

East Lansing, Mich.—The broom, with its attendant clouds of dust, was recommended for the scrap heap by members of the Michigan Engineering society, gathered here for their thirty-fifth annual convention. E. D. Rich, sanitary engineer for the state board of health, declared the broom and the rotary brush a menace to the public in those cities which still use them for street cleaning.

At the close of the sessions, officers were elected for 1914, as follows: President, J. J. Cox, Ann Arbor; vice president, A. J. Teed, Cadillac; secretary, S. P. Hoexter, Ann Arbor; directors, E. D. Rich, Lansing; G. W. Bissell, East Lansing, and Dorr Skeets, Grand Rapids.

\$2,500 Incomes Must Be Reported.

Washington—Individuals whose net income from March 1, 1913, to December 31, 1913, was \$2,500 or more, must make returns of their annual net income for the year, according to a regulation issued by the treasury department. The tax for 1913 is assessed only for the 10 months mentioned. Hereafter only persons having incomes of \$2,500 or more must make returns.

RESCUE OF CREW OF FULLER PALMER

AFTER HOPE IS GONE MEN ARE TAKEN OFF OF SINKING SCHOONER.

BOAT BUFFETED ABOUT FOR THREE DAYS.

Steamer Marina Catches Signals and Reaches Vessel Barely in Time to Rescue Crew Without Their Belonging.

Baltimore—Rescued from their ice-coated sinking ship after they had given up all hope, the 13 members of the crew of the five-masted schooner Fuller Palmer, Sunday morning arrived in Baltimore aboard the Donaldson line steamer Marina.

The rescue was made by the Marina early Thursday morning, about 154 miles southeast of Cape Cod.

Since Monday morning, when the gale which swept the Atlantic coast had so battered the schooner that she began to leak, the crew had fought to keep her afloat. With sails whipped into shreds by the wind, and rigging broken and so coated with ice that it could not be handled, the Fuller Palmer had practically drifted at the mercy of the raging seas.

Shortly after 5 o'clock Thursday morning, a rocket shot up some miles away, showing that at last their signals had been noticed.

So low was the Fuller Palmer in the water by the time the Marina's boats arrived no time was given the men to collect any of their belongings. The transfer was made without accident.

May Try Trans-Atlantic Flight.

Dayton, O.—Upon the chances the flyer is willing to take will depend the date of the first crossing of the Atlantic ocean in an aeroplane, according to the belief of Orville Wright, who is just now figuring with Aviator Harry N. Atwood upon such a flight. Atwood is not going to take forlorn chances, so he is indulging in a great deal of mathematical study. Mr. Wright has said the chances of success attending such an effort were far less visionary than there were only a short time ago. He believes the flight could be made from New Foundland in 25 hours. The longest aeroplane flight up to the present time was of about 11 hours duration.

Marketing of Farm Products.

Washington—A popular government institution for the scientific marketing of farm products, to be known as the Agricultural Capital, to be separate from any existing branch of the government, was proposed in a bill by Senator Borah.

Designed primarily to eliminate middlemen and reduce the cost of living, to arrange transportation facilities and otherwise improve conditions of the farmers and consumers, the bill aroused senators by its radical suggestions and was referred to the agricultural committee.

Plans For Michigan Day.

Washington—"Michigan day" in Washington, when the Michigan State association holds its annual banquet, is January 27.

The association is the oldest organization of the sort in the capital. It was founded in Civil war times by Wolverine troops encamped in and about the city.

Senator Townsend is president this year. Edwin O. Wood, of Flint, has been invited to speak.

Col. Gorgas Named for Post.

Washington—President Wilson sent to the senate the nomination of Col. William C. Gorgas to be surgeon-general of the army. He will succeed Surgeon General Torney, deceased. Colonel Gorgas is at present head of the department of sanitation in the Panama canal zone and his nomination is made in recognition of his services there. Secretary of War Garrison recommended the appointment.

Terre Haute Mayor Indicted.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Mayor Don M. Roberts, of this city, was arrested on indictments charging him with bribery, conspiracy to commit fraud, and stuffing ballot boxes.

The indictments, six in number, were returned last Saturday by the special grand jury, named to investigate election fraud charges. The indictments are based on alleged acts of Roberts during the election of 1912.

Murphy recently retired from the hotel business. He is survived by a widow and family of grown children.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Receipts, 586; market strong; best steers and heifers, \$8@8.25; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs. \$7.50@7.75; steers and heifers, 500 to 1,000 lbs. \$6.75@7.25; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$5.75@6.50; choice fat cows, \$5.75@6; good fat cows, \$5.25@5.50; common cows, \$4.25@4.75; canners, \$3@4; choice heavy bulls, \$5.50@7; fair to good bologna bulls, \$6@6.25; stock bulls, \$4@5.75; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.75@7.25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs. \$6@6.50; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6@6.25; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs. \$5.50@6; stock heifers, \$5@6; milkers, large young, medium age, \$75@100; common milkers, \$45@65.

Veal Calves—Receipts, 131; market steady; best \$11@11.50; others, \$8@10.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,106; market steady; best lambs, \$8; fair to good lambs, \$7.50@7.75; light to common lambs, \$6.50@7.25; fair to good sheep, \$4.50@5.25; culls and common, \$3.50@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,746; not many sold, big packers bidding \$8.20. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$8.20@8.25; pigs, \$8.20; light yorkers, \$8.20@8.25; heavy, \$8.20@8.25.

East Buffalo Markets.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—Receipts, 170 cars; market generally steady; best 1,350 to 1,450-lb steers, \$8.75@9; best 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers, \$8.50@8.75; best 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers, \$8@8.25; coarse and plain weighty steers, \$7.50@7.75; fancy yearlings, baby beef, \$8.50@8.75; medium to good \$7.75@8; choice handy steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., \$7.75@8.25; fair to good steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., \$7.20@7.75; extra good cows, \$6.75@7; best cows, \$5.75@6.25; butcher cows, \$5.25@5.50; cutters, \$4.50@4.75; trimmers, \$3.50@3.75; best heifers, \$7.50@8; medium butcher heifers, \$6.75@7.25; light butcher heifers, \$6.25@6.75; stock heifers, \$5.25@5.50; best feeding steers, \$6.75@7; fair to good, \$6.25@6.50; fancy stock steers, \$6.50; best stock steers, \$5.75@6.25; common light stock steers, \$5.25@5.50; extra fat butcher bulls, \$7@7.25; bologna bulls, \$6.25@6.75; stock bulls, common to good, \$5@6; best milkers and springers, \$7.50@10; medium to good \$4@6.

Hogs—Receipts, 150 cars; market 15c lower; heavy and yorkers, \$8.45@8.50; pigs, \$8.5@8.40.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 90 cars; market steady; top lambs, \$8.25@8.40; yearlings, \$8.25@8.40; wethers, \$6@6.25; ewes, \$5.50@5.75.

Calves—Receipts, 8 cars; slow; tops, \$12; fair to good, \$10@11; grassers, \$4@6.

Grains, Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 99c; May opened with an advance of 1-4c at \$1.04 1-2c; touched \$1.04 3-4 No. 1 white, 98 1-2c.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 63c; No. 3 yellow, 3 cars at 65c; No. 4 yellow, 2 cars at 62 1-2c, 2 at 62c.

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

Rye—Cash No. 2, 66c. Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$1.85; January, \$1.87; February, \$1.92.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$8.75; March, \$8.80; sample red, 60 bags at \$8.25, 125 at \$8.40 at \$7.75; 5 at \$7.50; prime alsike, \$10.75; sample alsike, 12 bags at \$9.50.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$2.55. Alfalfa—Prime spot, \$7.25.

Hay—Carlots, track Detroit; No. 1 timothy, \$15@18; standard, \$14@15; No. 2 timothy, \$12@14; light mixed, \$14@14.50; No. 1 mixed, \$12@13.50; No. 1 clover, \$12@13; rye straw, \$8@9; wheat straw, \$7@8; oat straw, \$7.50@8 per ton.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$5.30; second patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.50; spring patent, \$5.10; rye, \$4.40 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$25; coarse middlings, \$27; fine middlings, \$29; cracked corn, \$29; coarse cornmeal, \$28; corn and oat chop, \$25.80 per ton.

General Markets.

Apples—Steele Red, \$5.50@6; Spy, \$4.50@5; Greening, \$4@4.50; No. 2, \$3@3.50 per bbl.

Rabbies—\$2.25 per dozen. Cabbage—\$2.25@2.50 per bbl. New Potatoes—Bermuda, \$2.50 per bu and \$7 per bbl.

Sweet Potatoes—Jersey kiln-dried, \$1.35@1.40 per crate. Dressed Calves—Fancy, 15@16c; common, 12@13c per lb.

Onions—\$1.15 per bu., \$2.25 per sack of 100 lbs.; Spanish, \$1.50 per sack, \$4 per large crate.

Potatoes—In bulk, 65@67c per bu; in sacks, 68@70c per bu for carlots.

There are 3,167,232 widows in the United States.

Putnam Fadeless Dyes do not stain the kettle. Adv.

An ounce of get-up-and-get is worth a pound of rabbit's feet.

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

The beauty about happiness is that no man can keep it all to himself.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Enough. The Judge—What proof have you that this chauffeur was intoxicated?

The Country Policeman—He stopped his car at a drinking trough for horses.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Do not gripe. Adv.

His Share. The Visitor—This is delicious jam. Did your mamma make it?

Little Harold—She did most of the work, but I had a finger in it.

Undivided Attention Demanded. Not giving your whole undivided attention to the task in which you have invested your life and money, means that you are wasting your own precious time and that of others.

Whatever you do, do it with your whole heart and mind or get out and try something else. It takes pretty nearly all of a man's time to perfect an undertaking provided it be a big and worthy one to begin with.

Heard by the Stars. "George, I have something to confess. I feel guilty because I have not told you before; but I feared you would not like it. I am a somnambulist."

"Don't be anxious about that for a moment, Edith, dear; it doesn't matter in the least to me. I am a Presbyterian; but once we are married I don't care what church you attend."—National Monthly.

Caught in a Sinecure. "I caught the prisoner in a sinecure," said the constable, with evident satisfaction.

"In what?" asked the bewildered magistrate.

"A sinecure, your worship," blandly came the reply.

"Surely you mean a cul de sac?" remarked the magistrate.

The witness nodded acquiescence, but obviously he was still unconvinced, and as he stepped from the box he was heard to whisper to a brother officer: "Poor old chap's gettin' worse."—Manchester Guardian.

Ups and Downs. Miss Belle de Costa Green, the \$10,000 librarian of the Morgan collection, was talking in New York about her campaign in behalf of her underpaid sister librarians.

"Women are to blame in a way," she said, "for the underpayment that prevails among them. They must change their attitude."

"Women in the past pretended to be helpless and clinging in order to flatter man."

"Women thought that by allowing man to look down on her he would look up to her."

WONDERED WHY.

Found the Answer Was "Coffee."

Many pale, sickly persons wonder for years why they have to suffer so, and eventually discover that the drug—caffeine—in coffee is the main cause of the trouble.

"I was always very fond of coffee and drank it every day. I never had much flesh and often wondered why I was always so pale, thin and weak."

"About five years ago my health completely broke down and I was confined to my bed. My stomach was in such condition that I could hardly take sufficient nourishment to sustain life."

"During this time I was drinking coffee, didn't think I could do without it."

"After awhile I came to the conclusion that coffee was hurting me, and decided to give it up and try Postum. When it was made right—dark and rich—I soon became very fond of it."

"In one week I began to feel better. I could eat more and sleep better. My sick headaches were less frequent, and within five months I looked and felt like a new being, headache spells entirely gone."

"My health continued to improve and today I am well and strong, weigh 145 lbs. I attribute my present health to the life-giving qualities of Postum."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkg.

Postum now comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be well boiled.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. Grocers sell both kinds.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

LATEST ADDITION TO ARCTIC MAP

MAJ. GEN. A.W. GREELY, U.S.A.



IT HAS often recurred in polar exploration, as in many other phases of human activity, that the so-called last word is not the final one. When the remarkable series of arctic expeditions came to an end, after years of fruitless search for the long-lost Sir John Franklin, the fleet commander, Sir Edward Belcher, wrote "The Last of the Arctic Voyages."

No one was more surprised than Belcher when McClintock's search in the Fox was initiated, and the final record was made of Franklin's death and of the discoveries of his shipmates. And then followed that line of heroic American explorations which opened up the wondrous waterways of the West Greenland coast and thus unbarred the hitherto closed gates to the very pole.

In years just passed, when the stirring dispatch came announcing that Perry had reached the north geographic pole, the acme of his ambitious struggles of a quarter of a century, the word went round that arctic exploration was at an end.

Even that virile and indomitable descendant of the Norse Vikings, Roald Amundsen, was deterred from that arctic voyage on which he had already started. Turning the prow of the Fram from Bering strait he sailed southward, and, scaling high antarctic peaks with Norwegian ski and dog-drawn sledges, attempted the south geographic pole.

When the year 1912 opened there was noted a widespread recurrence of popular interest in arctic fields of research, so that there were no less than six expeditions initiated, excluding those of Russia. The Dane, Koch, and the Swiss, de Quarville, crossed the Greenland icecap at different points. The German Schroeder-Strauss, found disaster and death in North Spitzbergen. Meanwhile the Canadian, Stefansson, planned to reach the hypothetical continent long forecast by Americans. The American, McMillan, sought definitely to outline Crocker Land. The Frenchman, Prager, re-explored that Franz Josef Land which his father was first to traverse. Amundsen now starts via Bering strait to drift northwestward with the ice floes of the Siberian ocean. These all represent what may be called foreign and idealistic exploration, as compared with the Russian expeditions, which are domestic and economic.

Before describing the discoveries of Lieutenant Wilkitzky, the Russian, it will be well to set forth foreign invasions into the Siberian ocean nearest to Nicholas Second Land. First in order is the expedition of 1880, commanded by De Long, which drifted northwesterly from Bering strait until the Jeanette was crushed by the ice.

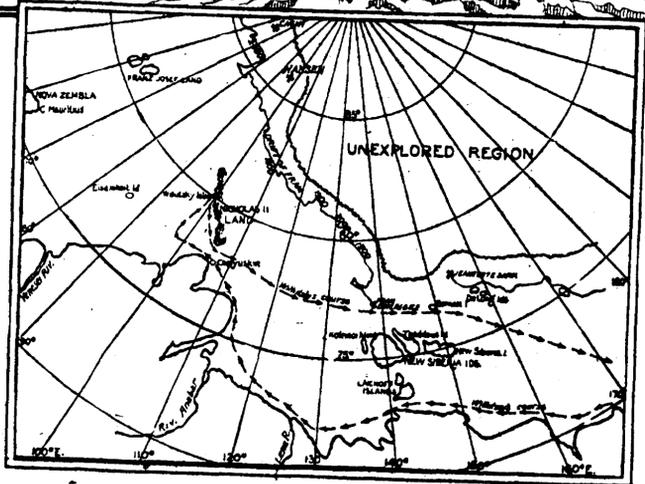
Nansen followed in the Fram, adopting De Long's plan. The drift of the Fram was a practical continuation of that of the Jeanette, though no land was seen, and the ship passed into deep water about 250 miles to the north of the new Siberian islands.

The most important addition to the hydrography of the Siberian ocean, time and means considered, was made by Capt. Edward H. Johannsen, in the sailing schooner Nordland. Leaving Cape Mouritius, Nova Zembla, he found the ocean ice-free, so that he crossed to Cape Taimur, near Cape Chelyuskin. On August 18, 1878, he discovered in 77 degrees 42 minutes north latitude, 86 degrees east longitude, an island named Elasmkreit (Lonely Island), scarcely more than 100 miles to the west of Nicholas Second Land.

Most interesting were the experiences of Byron A. E. von Nordenfjeld, the greatest, all phases of action and of knowledge considered, of arctic explorers. In his unique voyage, the circumnavigating of Asia, he reached on August 19, 1878, the north point of Asia. Captain Chelyuskin, which he determined to be in 77 degrees 26 minutes north latitude 102 degrees 17 minutes east longitude. As he was the first known visitor to the cape since its discovery by Chelyuskin by sledge journey in 1742, its surroundings were carefully noted.

Nordenfjeld sent his supporting steamer, the Lena, seaward to dredge. She was stopped by heavy and very close ice in about 77 degrees 45 minutes north, some 75 miles south of Nicholas Second Land, to which she made the nearest approach hitherto on record.

The discovery of Nicholas Second Land is simply an incident in the economic development of the Russian empire. The general public is unaware of the astounding potential resources of arctic Russia. Its areas extends half way around the world—through



Nicholas Second Land and its relation to the North Pole

168 degrees of longitude—while the distance across it exceeds by many hundred miles that from the northernmost point of North America to the Isthmus of Panama.

The survey of these remote regions was but one of the many progressive improvements for Russia initiated by that luminous character, Peter the Great. Planned in his last years, this most extended of geographic surveys ever attempted was known as the Great Northern expedition; it lasted 17 years, from 1725 to 1742. Its results gave fame to Bergh, Muraviev, to the Laptievs, to Prontschischef and others. In later days they were followed by Kotzebue, Wrangel, Anjou and Sannikov.

How Russia has persistently pursued a maritime policy for the development of Siberian trade has been fully set forth by Gen. J. de Schokalsky, Russian imperial navy, in various publications. Safe routes of navigation to and from the valleys of the Yenesei, of the Lena and of other lesser rivers are absolutely essential for the prosperity and development of this habitable empire, which is half as large again as the United States. Siberia is no longer a country of convicts, but a land swarming with pioneers, a wondrous haven among its 10,000,000 of inhabitants.

Routes via the Kara sea and around the north end of Nova Zembla have been tested, but neither has been found same for commercial ships year after year. It was then suggested that a satisfactory route could be found by entering Bering strait. This would enable Russia to obtain a Siberian outlet, with Vladivostok as the main port, to which would be shipped the products of the vast region to the east of Cape Chelyuskin.

In the summer of 1912 two powerful ice-breakers, the Taimyr and the Vaigatz, made safely a voyage via Bering strait to and from the Lena. Soundings and surveys were made en route, but ice conditions around Cape Chelyuskin prevented the ships from returning to Russia through the Kara sea.

Early in July, 1913, the ice breakers Vaigatz and Taimyr left Vladivostok to prosecute their surveys and to renew their efforts to round Cape Chelyuskin and return to St. Petersburg through the Kara sea.

The expedition was under command of General Sergeiev, imperial Russian navy, who was incapacitated by a stroke of apoplexy. Lieutenant Wilkitzky, imperial navy, succeeding to the command, made a running survey of the Asiatic coast from the Kolyma river, latitude 70 degrees north, longitude 160 degrees east, to Cape Chelyuskin. It is the first time that this cape has been visited by a ship coming from the eastward. Wilkitzky's hopes of completing the circumnavigation of Asia were destroyed in longitude 96 degrees east, where he found an impenetrable barrier of solid ice.

As the sea was open to the north, he decided to explore this unknown area of the Siberian ocean. To his astonishment, he soon sighted high peaks, the summits of a new land. In latitude 81 degrees north, longitude 100 degrees east he landed, hoisted the Russian imperial colors, took possession of the land in the name of the czar and named it Nicholas Second Land.

Wilkitzky followed the land northward, finding it with a continuing northwesterly trend. In latitude 81 degrees north, longitude 96 degrees east, he found a pack of solid ice, which forbade further progress, though the land reached as far as the eye could see. Retracing his course, the southern extremity of the new land was found in latitude 79 degrees north, longitude 104 degrees east, whence the coast took a trend to the northwest. The land is thus

known to extend through more than two degrees of latitude, with a coast line of nearly 200 miles.

While data to that effect are lacking, it is probable that Nicholas Second Land consists of a number of close lying islands, similar to Franz Josef Land. Its high, abrupt cliffs, and many isolated peaks seem to sustain Wilkitzky's opinion that it may be of volcanic formation. Despite the fact that vegetation was scant at the landing place, the land evidently abounds in arctic game. Traces of reindeer were visible, polar bears were seen, and bird life was abundant. Off shore many walrus were seen. The large collection made by the Russian officers of specimens relating to the geology, the fauna and the flora will throw much light on its physical conditions.

In the way of general knowledge it is evident that the continental shelf of Asia is broader than has been generally supposed, being from 300 to 350 miles or more in width.

When forced from the southern shores of Nicholas Second Land by the ice pack, Wilkitzky found the ocean to the east quite ice free. He steamed easily along the seventy-ninth parallel, through the sea where De Long and his gallant companions drifted for months, ice-beset until the Jeanette sank.

Some additions and corrections were made in the number and position of the De Long islands. Most important was the discovery by Wilkitzky on Bennett island of the diaries and records of Baron Toll. This Russian explorer visited this island by sledge in 1902 and doubtless perished on his attempted return journey to Kotelnoi island. The scientific world will await with interest the last message of this intrepid Russian scientist, who gave his life to advance geographic knowledge to Russian dominions. It is a happy coincidence that this very year a memorial tablet to Baron Toll is in process of installation on Kotelnoi island.

Coal Now From Spitzbergen.

The vast coal fields of Spitzbergen are at last being opened up, and by an American. John M. Longyear of Marquette, Mich., who has a title to 170 square miles from a Norwegian company, reports that his company has shipped 35,000 tons this year.

The Engineering and Mining Journal says that a deposit of about 60,000,000 tons exists in Spitzbergen. The mines are worked by from 250 to 300 men and although the shipping season lasts but three months, mining is carried on throughout the year.

But Spitzbergen is still a No Man's Land and the northern nations of Europe look upon Mr. Longyear and his American company as interlopers. In fact, Russians have already invaded the company's territory and taken away a cargo of coal. Consequently the Americans are in a quandary as to what to do.

Old Mother Hubbard.

A rare discovery has been made in the realm of literature—nothing less than the author of "Old Mother Hubbard," whose lines, unprotected by copyright, were appropriated by successive editors of Mother Goose without the least bit of a "thank you."

The discovery of the name of the author was made by a clergyman of the church of England, the present vicar of Yealinton, in County Devon, who has given the news of his happy finding to the press. He says that the author was Sarah Catherine Marla, who wrote the imperishable rhyme more than a hundred years ago, and that Mother Hubbard herself was housekeeper to the squire of Yealinton. The pronunciation of this name is not given, but taking the hungry dog of the poem into account, one may guess it off as yelp-ton.

SAUSAGE AS A DELICACY

Method of Preparation Has Much to Do With Its Appreciation When Put on the Table.

Sausage, considered by some as a plebeian edible, ranking with Irish stew and corn beef and cabbage, and not possible on the ultra-refined board, may really be made the basis of many delicious and even dainty luncheon dishes.

Sausage sliced and delicately fried in its own grease, drained and then browned crisply, and served with tiny little buckwheat cakes four inches across, will make a delightful luncheon on a cold winter day.

Sausage smothered in potato is another luncheon dainty, which even the most cultured need not disdain.

Parboil some very small link sausage five minutes. Bake a number of medium sized potatoes, and when done cut in half and remove the mealy pulp, mashing it well and adding butter and a little cream or milk, as well as some salt and pepper. Fill the potato skins with this mixture, leaving a depression in the center of each. Lay in the parboiled sausages and brown well in the oven for a few minutes.

PLUM PUDDING ICE CREAM

Change From the Usual Method of Serving Will Be Appreciated by All the Family.

A novel change from the usual plum pudding is this delightful dessert, which is quite easily made:

Scald a pint of milk, add to it four eggs beaten with one cupful and a half of sugar. Stir constantly over hot water until it forms a rich custard; strain and set aside to cool. Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of cocoa in one-half cupful of boiling water and boil for a moment. Chill this and add to the cold custard with one tablespoonful of vanilla and one pint of cream. Shred sufficient citron to measure one-half cupful; steam one-half cupful of seeded raisins and one-quarter cupful of sultanas until plump and tender. Blanch and cut fine two dozen almonds; mix these, add just enough sherry to moisten, and let stand for an hour. Pour the mixed cream into the freezer and freeze until like a thick mush. Open, and work in the fruit, then finish freezing. In serving, garnish with whipped cream.

Sauce for Chops.

Pound fine an ounce of black pepper and half an ounce of allspice, with an ounce of salt, and a half ounce of scraped horseradish and the same of shalots peeled and quartered; put these ingredients into a pint of mushroom ketchup or walnut pickle; let them steep for a fortnight and then strain it. A teaspoonful or two of this is generally an acceptable addition, mixed with the gravy usually sent up for chops and steaks; or added to thick melted butter.

Another delightful sauce for chops is made by taking two wineglasses of port and two of walnut pickle; four of mushroom ketchup; half a dozen anchovies pounded; and a like number of shalots sliced and pounded; a tablespoonful of soy and half a drachm of Cayenne pepper; let them simmer gently for ten minutes; then strain, and when cold put into bottles, well corked and sealed over. It will keep for a considerable time.

Apple Sponge.

Cover one-half box of gelatin with cold water and allow it to stand for half an hour; then pour over it half a pint of boiling water and stir until dissolved. Mix a pint of strained apple sauce with the gelatin, add a pound of sugar and stir until it melts, and the juice of two lemons. Set on ice until it begins to thicken. Beat the whites of three eggs to a stiff froth, stir into the apple mixture and pour into a mold. Serve with whipped cream.

Old German Salad Recipe.

Here is an old German recipe for a salad that is delicious for Sunday night supper when sweet things pall. Finely chopped, it is also an excellent filling for sandwiches. Soak any desired quantity of salt sardines in water for several hours. Sardines put up in oil may be used instead of the spiced sardines. Line a salad bowl with lettuce leaves and fill with stuffed olives, capers and shrimps or crab meat. Garnish with parsley and slices of lemon and pour over the whole a heavy French dressing.

Meat and Rice.

Line bowl with cooked rice, fill the center with any chopped cooked meat, seasoned with salt, celery salt, pepper and onion juice, one-half teaspoonful of sage and two tablespoonfuls of fine cracker crumbs moistened with hot water; steam 30 minutes and serve with tomato sauce.

Making Better Coffee.

If a little salt is added to the coffee before pouring on the boiling water it will greatly improve the coffee's flavor.

Franco-Prussian Veteran.

General McArdus of either Scotch or Irish birth, who raised a battalion of Irish volunteers at the outbreak of the Franco-Prussian war, took his men to France and led them against the Germans, has for many years lived quietly in a villa at Cannes, France. He was given the rank of general on the battlefield. Some twenty years ago he was elected a member of the chamber of deputies, and when the moment came for him to be confirmed in his seat he was unable to prove that he was born in France or was a naturalized citizen. The chamber, however, in consideration of his record during the war, waived the matter and confirmed him in his seat.

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Local News

Floris Moran of Grand Rapids is visiting relatives here.

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Ed. Farnam and wife were Jackson visitors a portion of last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sigler of Ann Arbor, Sunday Jan. 18, a son.

Prof. Doyle spent last Friday and Saturday with friends in Ypsilanti.

Miss Nora Welsh of Dexter spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. McIntyre.

The Misses Florence and Helen Reason were Ann Arbor visitors a portion of last week.

Wm. Coyle of Detroit and Thos. Coyle of Northfield visited Fr. Coyle one day last week.

Gladys Pool of near Gregory has been spending several days at the home of A. H. Gilchrist.

C. G. Meyer and wife were called to Jonesville, Mich., Saturday, by the death of a relative there.

The "Plus Ultra" class of the Cong'l. S. S. will give a Valentine social, Friday evening, February 13. Watch for further announcement.

But 170 rural districts in Michigan have school grounds containing two acres of ground, yet educational authorities contend that at least two acres of ground are necessary for play grounds and experimental agricultural plots for use by a rural school.

The attorney general has given an opinion that farmers owning property cannot give permission to others to hunt rabbits with guinea pigs and ferrets, there being a state law against hunting rabbits with these animals; also a farmer or other person has no right to sell the skins of fur bearing animals when such animals are killed in order to protect property. There is a closed season on certain fur bearing animals and the question was raised as to the right to sell the skins when such animals were killed to protect property. The right to kill is not denied when property is to be protected, but no sale can be made.

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Paul Brogan and Joe Brady of Chilson spent Sunday here.

Marvin Swarhout and family are visiting relatives in Detroit.

Ruth Potterton spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moran and Madeline were Howell visitors last Friday.

Mrs. J. Bowers spent the past week with her daughter at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. G. W. Dinkel and Mrs. Wm. Danbar were Detroit visitors on day last week.

The Misses Mary and Bernardine Lynch spent a portion of last week with friends in Detroit.

The Box social under the auspices of St. Mary's church held at Robt. Kelley's last Wednesday evening was well attended in spite of the bad night and everyone reports a fine time. Proceeds over \$20.

Don't forget the dance at the Pinckney opera house Friday evening Jan. 23, under auspices of the Seniors of the P. H. S. Fisher's orchestra of Ann Arbor will furnish the music. Bill, including supper \$1.00.

Despite the fact that land in rural districts is comparatively cheap, more than half of the country schools possess grounds of one-half acre or less, forcing the children to play in the roads or in neighboring fields.

Recognizing the need for doing something towards checking the bean blight in Michigan, the state board of agriculture, at its session in East Lansing last week, directed that a fund of \$1,200 be set aside to pay the expenses of an expert to make a study of bean diseases in the state. The investigation probably will begin at the college within a few weeks.

In remitting for her subscription, Mrs. Frank Duchesneaw of Enumclaw, Wash., says that although there have been many changes in Pinckney within the past few years, and although many unfamiliar names appear in the local columns of the paper, the Dispatch is always a welcome visitor to their home and does one good when they do read of their old friends. Mrs. Duchesneaw, formerly Mrs. Claude Hause, wishes to be remembered to all her Pinckney friends.

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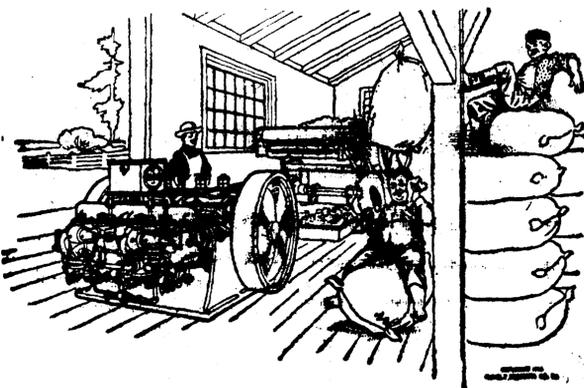
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The Daughter of David Kerr

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SYNOPSIS.

Gloria Kerr, a motherless girl, who has spent most of her life in school, arrives at her father's home in Belmont. David Kerr is the political boss of the town and is anxious to prevent his daughter's learning of his real character. Kendall, representing the Chicago packers, is negotiating with Judge Gilbert, Kerr's chief adviser, for a valuable franchise. They fear the opposition of Joe Wright, editor of the reform paper. Kerr asks the assistance of Judge Gilbert in introducing Gloria to Belmont society, and promises to help him put through the packers' franchise and let him have all the graft. Gloria meets Joe Wright at the Gilberts. It appears they are on intimate terms, having met previously on a touring party in Europe. The Gilberts invite Gloria to stay with them pending the furnishing of the Kerr home. Wright begins his fight against the proposed franchise in the columns of his paper, the Belmont News. Kerr, through his henchmen, exerts every influence to hamper Wright in the publication of his paper. Gloria takes up settlement work. Kerr and his lieutenants decide to buy Kerr's paper and ask the editor to meet them through the packers' office. Calling at Gilbert's office to solicit a donation Gloria meets Wright. He proposes and is accepted while waiting to be called into the conference. Wright refuses to sell his paper and declares he will fight to a finish. The Belmont News appears with a bitter attack on Kerr. Gloria calls Wright a coward and refuses to listen to any explanation from him. Broken-hearted, Gloria decides to plunge more deeply into settlement work. She calls on a sick girl of the underworld, named Ella. She learns for the first time that her father is the head of a notorious gang of political grafters. Sounds of a conflict are heard in the room over Ella's. Gloria finds Wright unconscious, a victim of an attempted assassination by thugs in the pay of the political ring. She hides him in Ella's room and defies the thugs. She saves them by announcing that she is Kerr's daughter. Ella threatens to give up Wright to the thugs and is choked in her unconsciousness by Gloria, who then falls unconscious on Wright's body. They are rescued by Dr. Hayes and his wife. Wright decides to sell his paper and leave Belmont. Gloria hears that Wright is going away and calls upon him to ask his forgiveness for her harsh words.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Continued.

Patty, tired of listening to a conversation she could not understand, and remembering the visitor, asked: "What shall I tell him?"

"Wait a minute, Patty," Wright motioned the child to the door. Then he turned to Gloria. "You can leave by this side entrance. No one will be the wiser for this visit. The minute the door closes behind you, Patty—and I—will have forgotten that you called. But I will not have forgotten your kindness and consideration. Before you leave I want you to know that I can't value too highly the motive that prompted your call. To the end I'll treasure it as a memory hallowed by the parting from the only woman I—Good-by."

He felt he could not complete what he wished to say without a show of emotion to which it would not do to give way. The only thing he could do was to hold out his hand and say, "Good-by."

Gloria put both her hands behind her back and shook her head.

"No, I refuse to go."

"What do you mean?"

"I mean just what I say. I intend to stay here and meet my father and hear what he has to say to you."

Wright gazed at her intently, but she did not quiver under his scrutiny. "It shall be as you say," he assented. "Go, Patty, tell him to come in."

After Patty closed the door there was an awkward silence which he broke by saying, "I must say that this meeting is ill-advised."

She sighed and shook her head.

"Oh, ill-advised or not, my mind is made up. Things cannot go on as they are. If henceforth I am to direct my own affairs, why shouldn't I begin now?"

"But how explain your being here?"

"If he can't believe what I have to say he isn't worth the slight esteem with which I still regard him."

"Here he comes."

"Let him see you first." She retreated to a corner of the room where her father's first glance as he entered would not discover her. Patty opened the door and David Kerr walked into the room.

The two men looked at each other without any attempt at a feigned cordiality.

"Mr. Wright," began the boss, and at mention of his name the newspaper man bowed slightly in recognition of the greeting. "I met Dr. Hayes this afternoon. He spoke of you, and what he told me has led me to break a custom of years; I've come to see you. In this town it's always been the other way." He spoke with all his accustomed force, and seemed even more confident than usual as he added, "The old way will continue, sir, but owing to what you might call the relationship that once—"

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The girl did not quail beneath his bitter words. They only inflamed her to announce the decision she had already made. Her lip curled with scorn, her eyes snapped, as she looked at her father.

"You disown me! You cast me off!" All the contempt she could muster she threw into her voice. "What right have you, who would barter me away as you would a horse or dog? No, it's I disown you!"

Wright walked over to her and sought to take her hand gently in his, but she drew away. She would stand alone. Like a blind old bear David Kerr seemed to grope his way to the door. There he turned to gaze once more upon the wreck of his latest schemes. His rage was still hot upon him.

"I found you in this—this adventurer's room. I leave you here. Look to yerself, you are no child o' mine."

The door banged behind him and Gloria Kerr knew that they had met for the last time. The girl, feeling so miserably alone in the world, turned to find bent upon her the tender gaze of the man whom she had once sworn to follow to the end of the world. For them love was dead, she knew, and now life would be for her only a succession of weary days.

"I thought all but my body died that day we spoke of love to find it but a dream," she acknowledged sadly, "yet there was one cup still more bitter I had to drain—and this was that cup's drag."

"Oh, Gloria, believe me, out of unhappiness happiness comes. Your place is with me now. I hadn't told you, but I, too, am going away forever. And what is more, I'm going to take you with me."

She looked at him in wonder, then slowly shook her head.

"No, you can't leave Belmont, Joe. You're not a coward. I'm going, but your place is here."

"Do you think I shall let you go alone? Never. The one reason I am going east is to sell the Belmont News. I'm through with it. Then I shall follow you over the world until I make you mine—because I love you."

The girl looked at him with the faintest of smiles battling with her settled melancholy. He was bordering on melodrama, and she was regarding him with the same gentleness a loving mother exhibits toward an unreasoning little child.

"How selfish you are, Joe. All your fine sermons are going for naught. You've preached of your duty, and yet at the chance to show your devotion to that duty you're wanting to give up the fight. I'm not worth it, Joe, really I'm not. Think of Belmont. A general doesn't desert his soldiers after a victory, just because he knows the enemy has sent for reinforcements. That would be cowardly, and it isn't like you, Joe. The brave general doesn't give ground, he advances. Don't follow me; I would hate you. I know how Belmont needs you."

"But I need you, Gloria. And what is more, you need me and I can't let you go alone. There is a world elsewhere, even other Belmonts where we can live and labor and love. I didn't know till your father referred to it that you were at Noonan's that day. Can't you see how I need you for my guardian angel? How did you happen to be there?"

Briefly she detailed the visit, minimizing her part in saving him. None the less he was able to see that it was to her he owed perhaps life itself. He listened in silence, letting her tell her story in her own way.

"Gloria, I've come to a decision." She looked at him questioningly. "I'm going to do what you've ordered. I'm going to stay here and fight for Belmont."

"Joe, you mean it!" Her face lit up with pleasure and she held out both her hands to him. He took them both, and to her surprise, and despite her resistance, drew her to him.

"But I'm not going to stay alone. If I'm to fight the good fight, I'm not going to fight alone. You called me a coward for wanting to go; won't you reward me for deciding to stay? And out of unhappiness happiness will come. You must stay, Gloria; our place is here."

"Our place!" she echoed; and then was silent for a little time, her head upon his shoulder. He held her tightly, she could not escape. The feeble efforts she had made to break from him were now abandoned as she thought more and more upon his words. At last she looked up at him and smiled. "Yes, Joe, our place is here, and our happiness. Right in this room all my pride died. But there has been born a new pride, a pride in you and in me, and in what it has been given us to do." The tears came into her eyes as she thought of what they were to each other. "You are all I have in the world, dear; you are my world. Make me always proud that I am your wife."

Wright drew her closer to his heart and kissed her. And there in the shelter of his arms she rested. Peace had come to her.

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History has repeated itself so often recently in connection with the rise and demise of proprietors of the Pinckney House that the people in our sister town are now a little sore on the subject of "who's who" in that hostelry. We note that the latest landlord has just resigned his thankless job, but will remain in Pinckney which fact the Dispatch announces with considerable pride. Some system that. First you rope the victim by getting him to be landlord and he moves into town and takes possession of the hotel. Business is "bum," cash is scarce; the erstwhile landlord resigns but remains in town because he can't get away and presto! there's a new citizen in town and Pinckney is some larger and growing. Hooray! Who's next!—Chelsea Tribune.

Brother Axtell, it appears would make Sherlock Holmes look cheap with his petty deducing. The truth of the matter is that all proprietors have had the "dough" but only one of them has discovered that Pinckney is an ideal place to live.

Unadilla

Wirt Ives and family of Chelsea visited friends here part of last week and attended the old fashioned exhibition.

A. J. Holmes and family and Ed. Cranna and family were entertained at the home of Geo. Marshall Thursday last.

Otis Webb and family spent Sunday at A. J. Holme's.

The old fashioned exhibition went off finely to a crowded house. Proceeds \$22.

C. Barnum was in Chelsea Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Parmer visited their son Roy, a part of last week.

Rev. Scott Fulmer A. M. of Detroit will give a lecture Friday evening, January 23rd., at the Presby. hall. His subject will be Ireland, and will be illustrated with stereopticon views. Also a musical programme is being prepared which will certainly furnish a pleasant evening entertainment. A small fee of 10 and 15c will be charged.

Echoes From Around the State

Mrs. Geo. Bowman says that where she is at Pecan, Miss., the potatoes are in the ground ready to be dug when one needs them.

Belle Kennedy writes from Long Beach, Cal., that Jan. 11th she sat out on the ocean pier in the sunshine needing no coat.

Jennie Haze Segee writes from Bradentown, Fla., Jan. 15th, that they are eating fresh strawberries, young onions and cabbage.

Don't we people from Michigan wish we were any old place but here this freezing weather? Well I rather guess we do.

Ruth Frost spent Friday at the home of Fred Bowman.

Less than 250 rural schools in this state are correctly lighted, that is with the windows massed entirely on the left side of the pupils.

The box social given by the "Este Fideles" class of the M. E. church at the home of E. C. Glenn last Friday evening was well attended and a good time is reported by all. Proceeds \$22.

A special meeting of the O. E. S. is called for Saturday evening of this week at their hall to vote on the advisability of giving a social or supper for charitable purposes. All members are requested to be present.

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