

Pinckney Dispatch.

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The Dispatch Sold

The Pinckney Dispatch has been sold to Clyde J. Sibley of Springport, Mich., and the new proprietor took possession Monday morning.

Mr. Sibley was formerly a successful newspaper man in his brother's office at Springport, where they published the "Springport Signal", one of the best papers in that section today. He also held a responsible position in a newspaper office in Chicago, Ill. Mr. Sibley is a young man of sterling qualities and as he and his people are known to us, we do not hesitate to say that he will be a splendid acquisition to Pinckney's citizenship.

The new proprietor is a most efficient newspaper man and the Dispatch under the new management will be found as in the past, boasting for every legitimate enterprise for the uplifting and betterment of Pinckney and vicinity.

We are well pleased with the success met with during our five years ownership of the Dispatch and want to thank the business men and friends for their loyal support, especially the correspondents who have been of much valuable assistance. We will always have many pleasant recollections of our residence in Pinckney.

All accounts due up to Sept. 1st for advertising and job work will be collected by the undersigned. All subscriptions will be payable to the new proprietor.

Roy W. CAVERLY

Introductory

In taking charge of the Dispatch, I am not going to make many promises as to what I am going to do, but I shall make an earnest effort to keep the paper up to the standard of excellence that the people of Pinckney have been used to, and of course shall improve it if I can.

In selecting a town in which to locate in the country newspaper business, Pinckney appeals to me in many ways, mostly because of the evidence of its wide-awake business men with a work-together spirit, clean streets and yards, attractive buildings and houses, and well kept, prosperous looking farms.

Being a total stranger here, I shall have to depend on the kindness of the people in the matter of handing in news items, etc., and any help you can give in this line will always be appreciated.

The Dispatch will always be anxious to help in any way possible any move intended for the benefit of Pinckney or its people, and shall always feel grateful for advice from people posted on local matters.

Respectfully,

C. J. SIBLEY.

Howell Auditorium Dance

Dance at Howell Auditorium, Thursday and Friday evenings, September 23-24, county fair dates. Fischer's Exposition Orchestra of Kalamazoo, consisting of 6 pieces, will furnish music. adv. Howell Auditorium Assn.

South Lyon boasts of a new school building up-to-date in every particular.

Gardner-Chappel

A very pretty wedding took place at eight o'clock Saturday evening, September 11, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Darwin, "Meadow Spring Farm" when Miss Iva Mae Chappel was united in marriage to William H. Gardner, both of this place.

The bride was prettily attired in white net over white satin. Only immediate relatives and friends were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. T. Camburn. After congratulations and a supper they left for their own home in West Putnam where they will be at home to their many friends after October 1st.

Justice Court Doings

The case of Wm. McMullen, plaintiff, versus Willard Jessup, defendant, was brought before Justice W. B. Darrow, Saturday, September 11 and postponed until Monday, September 13. Frank J. Shields of Howell acted as attorney for McMullen and Jessup pleaded his own case. It seems that McMullen and Jessup were working together at Gregory and that McMullen garnishees Jessup's wages for a debt of \$61.40 for labor and board. Jessup claimed that McMullen was a partner in the business but was unable to prove it and McMullen was allowed a judgement of the amount stated above. The jury was out seventeen minutes.

Roy W. CAVERLY

Notice

For the accommodation of all persons wishing to procure resident hunting licenses, I will be at the following places and dates from the hours of 10:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m.

Commercial Hotel, Fowlerville, Friday, September 17.

Eastern House, Brighton, Monday, September 20.

Teeple's Bank, Pinckney, Monday, September 27.

Damman's Store, Hamburg, Wednesday, September 29.

Gannon's Store, Hartland, Friday, October 1. adv.

John A. Hagman, County Clerk

California is overlooking a point. It ought to advertise the fact that it has the newest and freshest mountains on the American continent.

Chelsea Free Street Fair

Preparations for the Chelsea Free Street Fair, advertised elsewhere in this paper, are now practically completed and everything points to the successful culmination on Sept. 28, 29 and 30, of weeks of hard work by the committee in charge of the novel undertaking. Practically everything is now in readiness for the event and the only uncertain thing is the brand of weather which the weatherman will hand out on these dates.

We understand that a number of people from this vicinity intend to make exhibits in Chelsea and no doubt many others will attend the fair for at least one day. Those who wish to make exhibits, who have not already made their entries, should communicate at once with O. T. Hoover, Sec'y.

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Get Our Low Prices For Cash, Saturday, Sept. 18th

Trade at Our Store For Cash and Save Money

Corn Club Boys!

The fair associations of Howell and Fowlerville offer special prizes for corn exhibited by boys who raise corn. Boys if your corn isn't fully matured, enter 10 ears of the best you have. Enter in Division (C) for special prizes and in Division (G) for regular prizes. For further information see catalogues.

H. G. Aldrich, Superintendent

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Marijuana generally are conspicuous everywhere all the time except in the lists of killed and wounded.

Another thing that puzzles one is how the automobile tire manufacturers can think up so many fancy designs for tires.

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Do you feel nearly run down and out physically—mentally—lacking in energy and ambition—can't eat half the time—don't care whether you do or not?

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KNEW WHERE IT BELONGED

Information Not Just What Botanist Was Looking For, But the Boy Meant Well.

The famous botanist was pacing slowly along the country road, his eyes, as usual, roaming from side to side for new plants to study.

Suddenly an eager look spread across his features, and he leaned over the low fence inclosing a cottage garden. He had found a plant he did not know.

What could it be! If only he had a specimen of it to study!

At that moment a shock-headed lad strolled along the road and stopped to gaze open-mouthed at him.

"I say!" called the botanist urgently. "See that plant there—that pale pink one in the corner? Do you know it?"

"Uh-hu!" said the country boy briefly.

"What's its name? Do you know what family it belongs to?"

The lad jerked a grubby thumb over his shoulder toward the little cottage as he spoke more briefly still.

"Higginses!" — Utica Herald-Dishpatch.

The Silver Teapot.
When the inside of my silver teapot starts to tarnish I find the following idea very good to make it look like new: Put a large piece of washing soda into the teapot and fill with boiling water. Then boil it for one hour over a spirit lamp and you will find it will become as bright inside as out, and the soda will not injure the silver in any way.—Indianapolis News.

DID NOT PLEASE THE JUDGE

Expression Used by Girl on Trial for Vagrancy May Have Had Some Influence on His Honor.

"Sure, Mike!" Clara Johnson, on trial for vagrancy in police court, said to Judge Allee when he asked her if she had not been arrested on the same charges a short time ago.

"My name isn't Mike," objected the court. "However, you are charged with being a 'rag'."

"I didn't do it," the prisoner replied, smirking arrogantly.

"You're not right in the head," commented the court.

"I'm all right," she said.

"Who do you do?"

"Work at John S.ith's."

"What do you do there?"

"Everything."

"Everything?"

"Sure, Mike."

"Ten days," sighed the magistrate.

The spectators laughed, and Clara, turning to them, shouted angrily: "I wish you'd had to go to that dirty pl ce!"—St. Joseph Press.

Conclusive.

The young man had come for the all-important task of "seeing father" and he was equal to the occasion.

Mr. Gotrox—My daughters, young man, are both worth their weight in gold.

Suitor—Then the fact that I am asking for the smaller one proves, at any rate, that I am not mercenary.

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REFUSES INDEMNITY

GERMAN GOVERNMENT SAYS IT WILL NOT PAY FOR ARABIC DEATHS.

IS SORRY LIVES WERE LOST

Belief of Submarine Commander That Liner Was About to Attack Him Declared Sufficient Justification for His Action.

Berlin, Sept. 9.—In a note made public tonight Germany expresses regret for the loss of lives in the sinking of the steamer Arabic, but states positively that no indemnity for such loss can be granted the United States. The imperial German government says that it "deeply regrets" that lives were lost, not merely specifying American lives, but apparently including the lives of all noncombatants.

The text of the note follows:

On August 19 a German submarine stopped the English steamer Dunsley about sixteen nautical miles south of Kinsale and was on the point of sinking the prize by gunfire after the crew had left the vessel. At this moment the commander saw a large steamer, as developed later, the Arabic. She was recognized as an enemy vessel, as she did not fly any flag and bore no neutral markings.

When she approached she altered her original course, but then again pointed directly toward the submarine. From this the commander became convinced that the steamer had the intention of attacking and ramming him.

In order to anticipate this attack he gave orders for the submarine to dive and fired a torpedo at the steamer. After firing he convinced himself that the people on board were being rescued in 15 boats.

According to his instructions, the commander was not allowed to attack the Arabic without warning and without saving the lives unless the ship attempted to escape or offered resistance. He was forced, however, to conclude from the attendant circumstances that the Arabic planned a violent attack on the submarine.

This conclusion is all the more obvious as he had been fired upon at a great distance in the Irish sea on August 14—that is, a few days before—by a large passenger steamer, apparently belonging to the British Royal Mail Steam Packet company, which he had neither attacked nor stopped.

The German government most deeply regrets that lives were lost through the action of the commander. It particularly expresses this regret to the government of the United States on account of the death of American citizens.

The German government is unable, however, to acknowledge any obligation to grant indemnity in the matter, even if the commander should have been mistaken as to the aggressive intentions of the Arabic.

If it should prove to be the case that it is impossible for the German and American governments to reach a harmonious opinion on this point, the German government would be prepared to submit the difference of opinion, as being a question of international law, to The Hague tribunal for arbitration, pursuant to article 38 of The Hague convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes.

In so doing it assumes that as a matter of course the arbitral decision shall not be admitted to have the importance of a general decision on the permissibility or the converse under international law, of German submarine warfare.

Abyssinia.

The population of Abyssinia, which has an area of 400,000 square miles, is now estimated to have reached 7,000,000. With the exception of the republic of Liberia, Abyssinia is the only country of Africa absolutely independent of European control. The Abyssinians may be separated into four groups—the Galas, in the south and southwest; the Shoans, in the center; the Tigres, in the north, and the Dankils, in the east. The Shoans, numbering 1,500,000, furnish the ruling class, and it is to be noted that every physically able man of them is a soldier, the present sovereign, Lidi Yassou, grandson of Menelik, depending on them to maintain his sovereignty.

One-Millionth Inch Measured.

An instrument so delicate that it will measure one-millionth of an inch was invented by Prof. C. W. Chamberlain, president and head of the physics department of Denison university. Some idea of how small one-millionth of an inch is may be gained by comprehending, if possible, the size of the head of an ordinary pin viewed from a distance of 257 miles. Professor Chamberlain calls his instrument a compound interferometer. It is 400 times as powerful as the most perfect compound microscope.

5 Women Avoid Operations

For years we have been stating in the newspapers of the country that a great many women have escaped serious operations by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is true.

We are permitted to publish in this announcement extracts from the letters of five women. All have been recently received unsolicited. Could any evidence be more convincing?

1. **HODGPON, ME.**—"I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached and I was so nervous I could not sleep, and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation, but I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgpion, Me.

2. **SHELBYVILLE, KY.**—"I suffered from a severe female trouble. My right side hurt me badly—it was finally decided that I must be operated upon. When my husband learned this he got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and after taking it a few days I got better and continued to improve until I am now well."—Mrs. MOLLIE SMITH, R.F.D., Shelbyville, Ky.

3. **HANOVER, PA.**—"The doctor advised a severe operation, but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it."—Mrs. ADA WILT, 303 Walnut St., Hanover, Pa.

4. **DECATUR, ILL.**—"I was sick in bed and three of the best physicians said I would have to be taken to the hospital for an operation as I had something growing in my left side. I refused to submit to the operation and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and it worked a miracle in my case, and I tell other women what it has done for me."—Mrs. LAURA A. GRISWOLD, 2437 East William Street, Decatur, Ill.

5. **CLEVELAND, OHIO.**—"I was very irregular and for several years my side pained me so that I expected to have to undergo an operation. Doctors said they knew of nothing that would help me. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I became regular and free from pain. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. GRIFFITH, 1588 Constant St., Cleveland, O.

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have that reputation, a reputation founded upon the satisfactory experience of thousands of wearers. A reputation that we, as manufacturers, are bound to maintain by putting every ounce of genuine service into the shoes that modern methods of tanning and shoe-making make possible. Ideal shoes for this time of year are our No. 687, black and tan, blucher shoe. The leather is a combination tanage of sheep and mink and made as nearly waterproof as leather can be made. They have double soles, double tips and full bellows tongue.

Write for descriptive Rouge book and dealer's names. HIRTH-KRAUSE COMPANY, 2200 Grand Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

PINCKNEY DISPATCH

Classified Advertising

FOR SALE—Two good colts, one 2-yr. and one 4-yr. old. Address Robt. Mercer, Pinckney, Mich., Route 1. 373

LOST—Somewhere between Ann Arbor and Gregory, a brown shawl, valuable for associations. A reward will be given. Address Susie G. Bloomer, 247 Charles Ave., Grand Rapids.

FOR SALE—Bell City Ensilage Cutter in good repair. Will sell for \$75.00. See George Harford, Gregory. Mutual phone s 22

Just Like a Comet.
A well known astronomer and mathematician was on his way home one evening after having spent an hour or two in an observatory looking through a telescope at a comet.

Directly opposite him in the car sat a man with a loud voice, whose misinformation concerning comets would have supplied the material for a library and who appeared to be talking for the benefit of the passengers. As the astronomer listened patiently for a time, then he said in a low tone to the man sitting next to him:

"Our friend on the other side of the aisle reminds me somewhat of a comet himself."

"How so?"
He is emptying his head to make a long tale."—Youth's Companion.

Setting Him Right.
Corporal (to soldier reporting sick)—What's the matter with you? Tommy Atkins—Pain in my abdomen. Corporal—Habdomen be 'anged! Stomick, you mean. It's hony hoffers as 'as habdomens.—Boston Transcript.

TAKE CARE OF THAT ITCHING!
ALL ITCHING BORDERS ON
ECZEMA

Do you regard that itching as a serious thing? It is! Unless you begin to fight it with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, the disease is likely to cling on for months and years. Scores of grateful users say: "Why did we waste those months and years on the market?" This ointment is no experiment; it is absolutely healing in its power. Do not allow it to become serious. Buy a box to-day to fight the beginning of eczema. 50c a box.

CORRECTED HIMSELF.

The Judge Made a Mistake and Was Quick to Admit It.

It was an action against an insurance company in a civil court to recover the value of a quartz mill that had been burned. The defendant introduced the former foreman of the mill, who testified that the plaintiff had admitted to him that he had set fire to the mill in order to get the insurance money.

The presiding judge knew the witness and had a very low opinion of his veracity. He also knew the plaintiff to be an honorable and upright man, wherefore he burst forth with the remark, "Everybody knows that to be a lie."

Whereupon the counsel for the insurance company sprang to his feet in a rage. "I object to the language of the court," said he, "and I demand that he be taken down and my objection entered in the record."

"Certainly, Colonel Brown," said the court. "You are quite right, and the court was altogether wrong in making such a remark. The court will endeavor to correct the effects of its inadvertence. Gentlemen of the jury, I instruct you that you must disregard my remark. You are the exclusive judges of the evidence and of the credibility of the witnesses, and it must have no weight with you that I commented as I did upon the fact that the witness told one of the most internal lies that were ever uttered in a courtroom."—Case and Comment.

Placing His Kicks.

I do not wish to kick about this glad and smiling earth, for I have only landed here by circumstance of birth. I find it quite a pleasant place. I'm willing to remain. Please do not understand me as desiring to complain, and yet there are some changes I should like to recommend—not as a carping critic, but a calm, impartial friend.

The tropics are too beastly hot; the frigid zones too cold. Too much exertion is required to dig for iron and gold. The continents are far too large; the ocean's full of salt. The rocks and mountains constitute a very grievous fault. The scheme of raining water from an accidental cloud is wasteful, undependable and should not be allowed.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Specials

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Silent Diamond Link Black \$1.75
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A Letter to Parents

Schools are beginning for another year. Thousands of dollars will be expended to maintain the schools of Livingston county. The schools of all institutions should pay good dividends. The dividends are not paid in dollars and cents but in boys and girls. The kinds of boys and girls represents the dividends large or small. The ideal of the schools is of course, to train for citizenship.

A large part of the training of the child must be in the home, therefore the parents should not turn over the whole of the responsibility to the teacher. Home and school should work together. We should have closer co-operation between parents and teacher. Parents remember that your children will have to live with the teacher while in school for nine months so it is important that the teacher, children and parents work together harmoniously. Criticism of the teacher should not be made in the presence of children as it often turns them against the teacher. If the parents would get acquainted with the teacher early in the school year, consult with her freely regarding school matters and visit the school frequently I feel many of the troubles in the schools would be less and the teachers work would be much more satisfactory to herself and to the parents.

Remember the teacher is your friend and your assistant in the training of your child. Let parents, teachers, school-boards and commissioner co-operate more closely this year than ever before. The commissioner is ready at all times to assist in the schools. Be free to consult with him. I am,

Very truly yours
H. G. Aldrich, com.

A Clam That Pearl Divers Fear.

All sorts of superstitions prevail among the pearl fishers of Ceylon, and a large business is done by sorcerers who sell charms to restrain the appetite of the sharks and to drive away the diabolical stingrays. Another peril which the diver dreads more than either stingray or shark is the giant clam that weighs nearly half a ton when full grown. It will snap off a man's leg like pistons if the victim chances to thrust a limb between its open jaws, or, at all events, will hold him until he drowns miserably.—London Globe.

COUGHS THAT ARE STOPPED!

Careful people see that they are stopped. Dr. King's New Discovery is a remedy of tried merit. It has held its own on the market for 46 years. Youth and old age testify to its soothing and healing qualities. Pneumonia and lung troubles are often cured by delay of treatment. Dr. King's New Discovery stops these hacking coughs and removes the grippe tendencies. Money back if it fails. 5c and 10c.

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ALL SALES CASH
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U. S. ASKS RECALL OF AMBASSADOR

DR. DUMBA OF AUSTRIA IS SAID TO HAVE TRIED TO FO-MENT STRIKES.

TENSE SITUATION CREATED

James F. J. Archibald Bearing American Passports Carries Messages for Diplomats and is Detained in England.

Washington—President Wilson's request to Austria to recall her ambassador, Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, has brought about a situation which contains possibilities of extending to our diplomats of the German allies.

Dr. Dumba used James F. J. Archibald, an American bearing an American passport, as a messenger to carry a communication to the Vienna foreign office. Archibald was detained in England and the letters he carried were opened. It was found that Dumba's letter to his government proved that he had attempted to interfere with labor conditions in munitions plants. Although it has not been called officially to the attention of this government, the state department understands unofficially that Archibald also carried a communication for Capt. von Papen, military attaché of the German embassy.

Secretary Lansing said Friday that the American government considered the sending of any communication in the manner which Dr. Dumba used an abuse of an American passport.

While all officials refused to discuss the situation further, it is known that the activities of Consul-General von Nuber, of Austria, as well as those of Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, again being reviewed by the state department.

Capt. von Papen's letter, which was a private communication to his wife, is now on its way to the state department from London. Officials said that the fact that it was a private and not an official communication, did not alter the case any. It is understood that the writer made slighting references to American officials.

An open break with Austria and retirement of Ambassador Penfield from Vienna was deemed possible if Austria supports Dumba's scheme of agitating a strike of Austro-Hungarian subjects in American war supply plants.

The note asking for the ambassador's recall, while sharp, is said to conform entirely to the precedents, and if Austria wants to accept the view of the United States she easily can do so without loss of dignity.

Inasmuch, however, as Dr. Dumba has insisted that his course was dictated from Vienna, many officials feel that Austria may desire to defend his action and insist that he was only "protecting his own nationals." That course would have to be accompanied by the handing to Ambassador Penfield of his passports and a complete break in the present friendly relations between the two governments.

A great many high officials fear that this will be the course pursued and it is known that this was one of the contingencies carefully canvassed by President Wilson and Secretary Lansing before the demand for recall came. It was agreed, however, that the interference with America's internal affairs by trying to "interrupt legitimate trade" was such a flagrant violation of diplomatic propriety that only one course of action was permissible. The result was that cabling of the note to Ambassador Penfield.

LAST WAR GOVERNOR DEAD

William Sprague Dies in Paris Aged Eighty-four Years.

Paris—William Sprague, famous civil war governor of Rhode Island and twice United States senator from that state, died at his residence here early Saturday morning at the age of 84 years.

His death was due to meningitis, coupled with the infirmities of age.

General William Sprague was the last of the Civil war governors. He survived every member of Lincoln's cabinet, every chief executive of the states, and nearly every member of Congress of the war period.

He probably was the youngest man in this country ever elected to the governorship of a state. When only 28 years old, in 1860 he was chosen as Rhode Island's chief executive, serving three consecutive terms of one year each. In his third campaign he was defeated; he was next reelected in the following year.

WILL BE MINISTER OF WAR IN NEW RUSSIAN CABINET



GENERAL POLIVANOFF.

Petrograd—The Russian cabinet resigned Saturday. A coalition cabinet will be formed in its stead. Some of the former ministers will have posts in the new cabinet.

Minister of War Polivanoff will retain his post in the new cabinet, according to reliable reports. Foreign Minister Sazonoff is also expected to keep his portfolio. It is understood Emperor Nicholas has requested Finance Minister Bark to continue his duties.

It is expected that M. Goremykin, who as president of the council of ministers served as premier, will retire from active service.

P. M. IS PAYING OLD DEBTS

For First Time Since Difficulties Begun Road Is Able To Use Current Income For Past Scores

Detroit—Creditors of the Pere Marquette railroad are receiving checks on long overdue material and supply bills. The receivers are sending out a 10 per cent dividend—the first time since the road got into difficulties that any old accounts have been paid out of current income. Two previous payments of 15 and 10 per cent, respectively, had been made, but the funds therefore came from the sale of receiver's certificates and not from earnings.

"If business keeps up and we get the same splendid co-operation from the organization of the road, we are going to pay our creditors 10 per cent quarterly on old accounts," and Receiver Paul King. "We are confident we will be able to do this, so at the end of the year all creditors will have received 65 per cent of the amounts due them. It is quite an undertaking to try it when you realize that the 10 per cent payment we are sending out amounts to \$203,374."

"In addition to paying on the old accounts, we are keeping up on every dollar of current expenses—taxes, rentals and hire of equipment. To pay all creditors in full we will need three good years in succession—years as good as the present. A year ago a big task faced us—repairing of a lot of bad order equipment, the retirement of defaulted equipment obligations and the securing of funds for creditors while we kept the road operating and paying its way. Teamwork did it and is doing it."

According to the financial statement which the receivers are issuing, the gross receipts for July, 1915, are \$173,676.67 greater than for July, 1914, the total gross income for July of this year being \$1,552,603.47.

The gross receipts for August, 1914, were the highest for the month in the history of the road, and the reports for August, 1915, indicate that they will not be exceeded. Had the weather remained favorable, the moving of a bumper fruit crop would have made last month higher, but 10 days of rain saved the 1914 record. The decrease, however, will be only about \$3,000.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Attorney-General Fellows says that a boy under the age of 17 cannot be given a hunter's license and the only place he is permitted to hunt is on land owned by his parents or guardians.

NAVY ADVISORY BOARD SELECTED

SEC'Y DANIELS ANNOUNCES NAMES OF TWENTY-TWO EXPERTS.

THOS. EDISON IS CHAIRMAN

Eleven Scientific Societies Select Men Who Will Serve Their Country With Their Expert Knowledge.

Washington—Secretary of the Navy Daniels Sunday night announced the names of the 22 scientists and inventors who, with Thomas A. Edison as chairman, are to constitute an advisory board to assist the United States navy in its technical problems of development.

The members of the board who will serve with Mr. Edison were chosen by 11 scientific societies of the United States, each of which nominated two men. Mr. Edison was chosen by Secretary Daniels for the chairmanship of the board, the plan resulting in the creation of a body having been taken up first with Mr. Edison as the foremost inventor of this country.

The members of the board and the societies which nominated them follow:

American Aeronautical Society—Hudson Maxim, Brooklyn, ordnance and explosive expert and maker of the first smokeless powder adopted by the United States government; Matthew Bacon Sellers Baltimore, authority to determine the dynamic air pressure on arched surfaces by means of the "wind tunnel."

American Society of Automobile Engineers—Howard E. Coffin, of the Hudson Motor Car company, of Detroit, and Andrew J. Riker, Bridgeport, Conn.

The Inventors' Guild—Dr. Peter Cooper Hewitt, of New York, inventor of appliances for telephones, hydroplanes, aeroplanes, balloons and electric lights, and Thomas Robbins, of Stamford, Ct., inventor of many mechanical devices.

American Chemical Society—Dr. W. R. Whitney, of Schenectady, N. Y., creator and director of the research laboratory of the General Electric company; L. H. Baekeland, of Yonkers, a native of Belgium, famed particularly for the invention of a photographic paper.

American Institute of Electrical Engineers—Frank Julian Sprague, of New York, an early assistant of Edison; Benjamin G. Lamme, of Pittsburgh, inventor and head of a committee which passes upon all Westinghouse inventions.

American Mathematical Society—Robert Simpson Woodward, president of the Carnegie Institute at Washington, D. C.; Dr. Arthur Gordon Webster, of Worcester, Mass., professor of physics at Clark university.

American Society of Civil Engineers—Andrew Murray Hunt, of New York; Alfred Craven, of New York.

The American Institute of Mining Engineers—William Lawrence Saunders, of New York, N. J.; Benjamin Bowditch Thayer, of New York, metallurgist and explosive expert.

The American Electro-Chemical society—Dr. Joseph William Richards, of South Bethlehem, Pa.; Lawrence Addicks, of Chrome, N. J., metallurgical engineer and president of the American Electro-Chemical society.

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers—William LeRoy Emery, Schenectady, N. Y.; Spencer Miller, of South Orange, N. J.

The American Society of Aeronautical Engineers—Henry Alexander Wise Wood, engineer and manufacturer; Elmer A. Sperry, electrical inventor and manufacturer.

Secretary Daniels announced Sunday night that he has arranged for the first meeting of the advisory board to take place in his office at 11 o'clock Wednesday, October 6.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Havre—The death is announced of Louis Huysmans, Belgian minister of state and member of the Belgian chamber of deputies for Brussels.

Milan, via Paris—Crown Prince Humbert passed through Milan Thursday with his tutor, going to Udine, his intense desire to join the king at the front having been granted.

Illness with typhoid fever of Seaman Bill and Mickey of Second division Michigan naval reserve at Saginaw, is responsible for an order that all of the 65 members of the division be vaccinated. Twenty already have received the treatment. Four cases of fever are said to exist in the ranks at Benton Harbor and six in Detroit.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Best heavy steers (dry fed), \$7.50@8; best handy weight butcher steers, \$6.50@7; mixed steers and heifers, \$6@7; handy light butchers, \$6@6.50; light butchers, \$5 @7.75; best cows, \$5.50@6; butcher cows, \$4.75@5.25; common cows, \$4@4.50; cattle, \$3@4; best heavy bulls, \$5.50@6; bologna bulls, \$5@5.25; stock bulls, \$4.50@5.

Veal Calves—Best selling at \$11 and \$11.50, bulk of good grades bringing \$11.

Best Lambs, \$8.50; fair lambs, \$7@8.25; light to common lambs, \$6@7; fair to good sheep, \$4.50@5; culs and common, \$2.50@3.50.

Pigs were very dull at \$7@8; yorkers and mixed, \$7@8; heavy grades at \$7.75. Grass pigs should be kept at home; they are very dull and have to be sold at a very low price.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—Receipts,

8,750; market 15@25c lower; choice to prime shipping steers, \$9.25@9.50; fair to good, \$8@8.25; plaid and coarse, \$7.50@7.75; choice to prime handy steers, \$8@8.25; fair to good grassers, \$6.75@7.25; light common grassers, \$6@6.25; dry-fed yearlings, \$8@8.75; dry-fed common, \$7.25@7.75; prime fat heifers, \$7.25@7.75; good butcher heifers, \$7@7.25; light grassy heifers, \$5.50@6; best fat cows, \$6.50@6.75; butcher cows, \$5.50@6; cutters, \$3.75@4.25; canners, \$2.75@3.25; sausage bulls, \$6@6.25; fancy bulls, \$6.75@7; light bulls, \$4.50@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market strong; heavy, \$7.75@8; mixed, \$8.40@8.50; yorkers and pigs, \$8.50@8.60.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,500; market slow; top lambs, \$8.75@9; yearlings, \$6.50@7.40; wethers, \$6.25@6.50; ewes, \$5.50@5.75.

Calves—Receipts, 1,200; market 50@75c lower; tops, \$11.50@12; fair to good, \$10@11; grassers, \$2.25@5.50; fair to good, \$10@11; grassers, \$4.25@5.50.

Grains, Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No 2 red, \$1.08; September opened with a drop of 1.2c at \$1.07 and advanced to \$1.08; December opened at \$1.01 1-2 and advanced to \$1.02 1-2; No 1 white, \$1.05.

Corn—Cash No 3, 79c; No 3 yellow, 81 1-2c.

Oats—Standard, 37c; No 3 white, 35 1-2c; September, 85 1-2c; No 4 white, 33@33 1-2c; sample, 30@32c.

Rye—Cash No 2, 90c; September 90c.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$2.95; October, \$2.80.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$10.10; October, \$11; prime alike, \$9.25.

New Hay—No 1 timothy, \$18@19; standard timothy, \$17@18; light mixed, \$14@15; No 2 mixed, \$12@14; No 1 clover, \$12@14; rye straw, \$7.50@8; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50@7 per ton.

Old Hay—No 1 timothy, \$24@25; standard timothy, \$23@24; No 2 timothy, \$22@23; light mixed, \$22@24; No 1 mixed, \$18@19; No 1 clover, \$14@14; No 2 clover, \$12@13; rye straw, \$7.50@8; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50@7 per ton.

Flour—in one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 lbs, jobbing lots: First patent, \$5.90; second patent, \$5.60; straight, \$5.20; spring patent, \$6.60; rye flour, \$6.20 per bbl.

Feed—in 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$25; standard middlings, \$28; fine middlings, \$32; coarse cornmeal, \$34; cracked corn, \$24.50; corn and oat shop, \$31.60 per ton.

General Markets.

Plums—Home-grown, \$1@1.25 per bu.

Huckleberries—\$3.50@3.75 per bu. Blackberries—\$1.50@1.75 per 16-quart case.

Pears—Bartlett, \$1.50@1.65 per bu.

Apples—\$4.50@4.75 per bbl.

Cabbage—\$1.25 per bbl.

Mushrooms—45@50 per lb.

Green Corn—\$1.25 per sack.

Tomatoes—\$1.25@1.35 per bu.

Potatoes—Jersey, 60@70c per bu.

Celery—Michigan, 15@20c per doz.

Onions—Southern, 85@90c per sack.

Lettuce—Head, \$1.60@1.75 per head; leaf, 75c per bu.

Dressed Calves—Fancy, 14@14 1-2c per lb; common, 13@13 1-2c.

Maple Sugar—New, 14@16c per lb; syrup, \$1.10 per gal.

Sweet Potatoes—Jersey, \$1.65@1.75 per hamper; Virginia, \$2.50 per bbl.

Live Poultry—No 1 broilers, 16c;

No 2 broilers, 14@14 1-2c; heavy hens, 18c; medium hens, 18 1-2@14c; light hens, 12@12 1-2c; ducks, 14@15c; geese, 16c; turkeys, 18c per pound.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Michigan cheese, 12 1-2@12c; New York cheese, 14 1-2@14 1-2c; brick, 14@14 1-2c; Buttercup, 2-1b pugs 12c, 1-1b 12 1-2c.

Maple Sugar—Imported, 12c; domestic, 12c.

Sugar—White, 17 1-2@18c; brown, 14 1-2c; dark, 14@14 1-2c per lb.

Coffee—Colombian, 24@24 1-2c per lb.

Tea—Ceylon, 24@24 1-2c per lb.

Spices—Cinnamon, 12@1

The RED MIST

A TALE OF CIVIL STRIFE

RANDALL PARRISH

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SYNOPSIS.

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Sergeant Wyatt of the *Confederate* artillery is sent as a spy to his native county on the Green Briar by General Jackson. Wyatt meets a mountaineer named Jim Taylor.

CHAPTER II—Continued.

"Things has changed sum since then. Nobody lives ter him eny more. It's sure hell in Green Briar these days—somebody is gettin' kilt every day er two. The cusses travel in gangs, murderin' an' burdin' from one end o' the county to the other." He spoke in an even, drawing voice, with not the slightest show of emotion, as though telling an ordinary bit of news: "D—d if I know which outfit is the, wus—the Yanks or the Rebs."

"Which are you with?"

"Who, me?" He paused in his bolting of food, and gave vent to an unpleasant laugh. "I rather reckon it would puzzle the Lord Almighty ter find that out. I don't give a whoop fer neither of 'em. I'm fer ol' Jim Taylor, an' it keeps me tolorble busy tending ter his affairs, without botherin' bout no government."

"Then your name is Taylor?"

"I reckon it has been for 'bout sixty years. Thar's a slew o' Taylors over along Buffalo crick, an' som' of 'em are Yanks, an' a parcel of 'em are Rebs, but they don't git ol' Jim take nary side. At that, I'm gittin' all the fightin' I hanker arter. Naturally, I'm a peaceful critter, if th' cusses let me alone."

"Quited down some over there lately, hasn't it?"

"Huh! Thar's a regiment o' blue-coats at Lewisburg, an' a few cavalry-men ridin' ther pikes. Don't amount ter a hill o' beans as fer as their boys are concerned. All they got ter do is go further back in the hills, an' be a bit more keeful. I reckon, young man, ye'll find plenty o' deviltry going on in Green Briar, if ye ever git out that away. Wal, that's all that is fer us ter eat, an' I'm goin' ter take a snooze."

He closed the door, fastening it securely with a wooden bar, and stretched himself out on the floor. The room was dark, as the only window was tightly boarded up, and using my bundle for a pillow, I lay down also. In a short time his heavy breathing was evidence enough that Taylor slept. Slowly my heavy eyes closed, and I lost consciousness.

The sun was below the mountain ridge, when the heavy hand of the old mountaineer shook me into sudden wakefulness. With nothing left to eat we were not long in preparing for departure, I endeavoring vainly to get my silent companion to converse, being rewarded merely by grumbled and evasive answers. Finally I desisted in the attempt, content to follow his lead. Taylor, astride his sorrel, with gun resting grimly across his knees, rode straight through the brush, away from the pike, down the valley of a small stream. In crossing, the horses drank their fill.

"How about the valley road?" I asked as we climbed the opposite bank.

The leader glanced back at me.

"This yere way is nigher, an' a darn sight mor' quiet," he answered gruffly. "Soldiers been marching over the pike all day. Mout be all right ter yer, if ye've got a pass—but I ain't got none. We'll hev' good 'nough ridin' in 'bout a mile mor'."

"You are aiming for the cut-off?"

"I be—yer do kno' sumthin' of this yere kintry, I reckon, but yer've got more edication than any Cowan I ever hooked up with afore. Yer don't talk none like mountin' folks."

I drew a quick breath, sensing the return of suspicion.

"That's true," I admitted readily. "You see I went to school at Covington; they were going to make a preacher out of me."

Taylor stared into my face, his vague suspicion seemingly gone.

"Well, I'll be d—d—a preacher."

He rode on into the dusk, chuckling, and I followed, smiling to myself, glad that the man's good humor had been so easily restored.

We were fed at a hut back in the foothills, where an old couple, the man lame, were glad enough to exchange their poor food for the late news from the army, in which they had a son. Then we rode steadily to the south. When dawn came we were to the west of Waynesboro, in broken country, and through those long night hours not a word had been exchanged.

between us. We camped finally in the bend of a small stream, where high banks concealed us from observation. There was little to eat in our haversacks, but we munched what we had, and Taylor, his eyes on the horses, broke the silence.

"I reckon the critters don't need more'n a couple hours' rest," he said. "They ain't been rid noways hard, an' I'm fer gittin' through the gap durin' daylight—the road ain't overly good just now."

"Across the mountains? Is there a gap here?"

"Ther road ter Hot Springs is 'bout two miles below yer. I cum over it ten days ago an' reckon I kin find my way back. It's 'bout forty miles frum thar ter Lewisburg, mostly hills, but a good trail. I know folks at Hot Springs who will take good keer o' us, once we git ther."

We rested, dozing, but neither sound asleep, for nearly three hours. Whatever might be in Taylor's mind, the lonely night had brought to me a new thought relative to my companion. The fellow was evasive, and once he had frankly lied in seeking to explain his presence in the valley, and the reason for his secrecy of movement. By now we were decidedly at cross-purposes, each vigilantly watching the other—Taylor in doubt as to what the bundle contained, which I never permitted out of my grasp, and myself as deeply interested in gaining possession of a packet of papers, a glimpse of which I had caught in an inside pocket of the mountaineer's coat. His mission, whatever it might be, was secret and dangerous. Of this his ceaseless vigilance was proof.

The light of a dying day still clung to the western sky when our wearied horses bore us into the village of Hot Springs. It was like a deserted hamlet, few houses appearing inhabited, and the shop windows boarded up. Taylor, glancing neither to right or



I Followed the Mountaineer Up the Steps and into the Hall.

left, rode straight down the main street, and turned onto a pike road, leading to the left. A mile beyond, a frame house, painted white, barely visible through the deepening dusk, stood in grove of oaks. The mountaineer turned up the broad driveway, and dismounted before the closed door. Almost at the same moment the portal opened slightly and a black face peered out.

CHAPTER III.

The Body on the Floor.

Taylor stood at the foot of the steps, pausing in uncertainty.

"Is that you, Sam? Is Mister Harwood yer?"

I insensibly straightened in my saddle. Harwood? What Harwood, I wondered—surely not Major Harwood of Lewisburg, my father's old friend! What was it I had heard about him a few months ago? Wasn't it a rumor that he was on General Ramsey's staff? And the daughter—Noreen—whatever had become of her? There was an instant's vision before me of laughing eyes, and wind-blown hair, a galloping horse, and the wave of a challenging hand. She had thus swept by me on the road as I took my mother southward.

It was clearly apparent that Harwood desired a private word with Taylor and so, after deliberately filling

ing his wool thoughtfully. "I done reckon as how you got the wrong house."

"No, I reckon not," said the other drily. "Git 'long in, an' tell him Jim Taylor is yere."

The door opened wider.

"Suh, I know you now, sah. Just step right 'long in, the both of yer. I'll look after them horses. You'll fin' Massa Harwood in the dinin' room, sah."

I followed the mountaineer up the steps, and into the hall, utterly indifferent as to whether my company was desired or not. It was not yet dark, but a lamp burned on a nearby table, and a cheerful fire glowed at the farther end. But a brighter glow of light streamed from a room beyond, and determined to miss nothing, I was so close behind Taylor that my quick eyes caught what I believed to be a swift signal of warning to the man within. This, however, was an impression born from my own suspicion, rather than any real movement, for Taylor took but a single step across the threshold, and stopped, leaning on his gun. The single occupant sat upright, before him the remnants of a light repast, his hand toying with a spoon, and his eyes shifting from Taylor's face to my own. He was heavily built and broad of shoulder. The face would have been hard, but for a gleam of good humor in the eyes, and the softening effect of gray hair, and a gray mustache. The man had aged greatly, yet I recognized him instantly, my heart throbbing with the possibility that I also might be remembered. Yet surely there was no gleam of recollection in the eyes that surveyed me—and why should there be? I had been an uninteresting lad of fifteen when we last met. This knowledge gave me courage to meet that searching glance, and to lift my hand in the salute due to an officer of rank.

"Ah!" said Harwood in deep voice. "A soldier from the valley?"

"Yes, sir," respectfully, "the Sixty-fifth Virginia."

"How does it happen you wear artillery uniform?"

Expecting the question I answered unhesitatingly.

"They'd lost so many gunners, some of us were detailed to help. Recruits are coming in now."

"What was your battery?"

"Staunton Horse artillery, sir."

"Stationed?"

"At Front Royal—that was our winter camp."

He nodded, tapping his spoon against the table, favorably impressed by my prompt replies. His keen eyes sought the face of the silent mountaineer.

"You know this man, Taylor?"

"Wal, I can't exactly say that I dew, major," he said drawlingly, shifting his feet uneasily. "He says he's a Cowan, frum over on Buffalo crick."

"A Cowan!—you mean?"

"No, he don't claim ter be none o' ol' Ned's brood—his mar's a widder woman. They ain't no kin, I reckon."

Whatever thoughts might have been in Major Harwood's mind were concealed by an impassive face, as he sat there for a moment in silence, gazing at the two of us.

"No doubt you did what you believed to be best, Taylor," he said at last quietly. "We will talk it over later. You are both hungry enough to eat, I suppose? Draw up some chairs and Sam will find something. No objection to remaining here over night, Cowan?"

"I'd be glad to get on, sir, but my horse is about used up. The roads have been hard and we have traveled rapidly."

"Well, there is plenty of room, and you are welcome. This house," he explained, "belongs to a friend of mine, who had to leave the country—too Yankee for his neighbors. I find it rather convenient at times. Ah, Sam, that rasher of bacon looks prime—I'll try some myself."

The three of us talked upon many subjects, although Taylor said little, except when directly addressed, and I noted that few references were made to the war. That Harwood was in the Federal service I had no doubt, although he was not in uniform, and, if this was true, then it must be also a fact that Taylor was a Union spy. The meeting here had not been by chance, although a mystery involved the hidden reason why I, a known Confederate soldier, had been encouraged to accompany the mountaineer to this secret rendezvous. At last the meal ended and the major pushed back his chair and motioned Sam to clear the table.

"You two men are tired out," he said genially, "and you had better turn in and get a good night's sleep. We'll all of us ride on into Green Briar tomorrow. I'll talk with you a minute, Taylor, in the parlor, before you go; but Cowan does not need to wait. Help yourselves to the tobacco. Oh, Sam! show this soldier up to the back bedroom and see he has everything he needs."

It was clearly apparent that Harwood desired a private word with Taylor and so, after deliberately filling

my pipe, I rose to my feet, stretching sleepily. The black returned with a small lamp in his hand and led the way up the broad stairs. A moment later I was left alone in a small room at the end of the upper hall with one window, so heavily curtained as probably to render the light invisible from without. The door was securely latched, but there was no lock. Then I was not being held a prisoner.

After some minutes I extinguished the light, and looked out of the window. It was quite a drop, though not necessarily a dangerous one, to the ground. Those dim outlines of buildings were probably the stables, where I would find my horse. With no guards would be easy enough, and I knew the road sufficiently well to follow it safely. But I desired to learn first what these two men were actually up to

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WHAT HE MIGHT HAVE DONE

Inquiry That Would at Least Have Shown That Husband Was Not Altogether Indifferent.

Mrs. Enderly, wife of Judge Enderly, of a small Missouri town, complained one day that she had accidentally swallowed a button, which she was holding in her mouth preparatory to attaching to some garment.

As the lady was rather given to making great ado over trivial mishaps, and as the judge was much preoccupied, he did not pay much heed. Soon after, however, finding her in tears, he made kindly inquiry as to their cause.

"It's your heartless in-indifference to anything that happens to me," sobbed the aggrieved little woman. "I didn't suppose you'd worry much because I swallowed a button, but I did think you might have taken enough interest in it to inquire what kind of button it was."—Youth's Companion.

German Heroes Honored.

In one of the German papers recently there was a reference to Bismarck herrings, Bismarck cigars, etc. It appears there are also Buelow herrings which run the Bismarcks very close in popularity, and also Buelow hams. It is suggested that the failure of Bethmann-Hollweg to associate himself with any comestible is due to the length of his name. But an enthusiastic admirer of Hindenburg has been selling cheap cognac as Hindenburg schnapps, and grog as Hindenburg tea.

Also a doubtful mixture of various intoxicants has been christened Hindenburg coffee. It seems rather sad that the vendor of these concoctions, which were sold in opaque cups, should have been rewarded for his loyalty by one month's imprisonment for infringing the alcohol prohibition.

IT SLUGS HARD.

Coffee a Sure and Powerful Bruiser.

"Let your coffee slave be denied his cup at its appointed time! Headache—sick stomach—fatigue. I know it all in myself, and have seen it in others. Strange that thinking, reasoning beings will persist in its use," says a Toledo man.

He says further that he did not begin drinking coffee until he was twenty years old, and that slowly it began to poison him, and affect his hearing through his nervous system.

"Finally, I quit coffee and the conditions slowly disappeared, but one cold morning the smell of my wife's coffee was too much for me and I took a cup. Soon I was drinking my regular allowance, tearing down brain and nerves by the daily dose of the nefarious beverage.

"Later, I found my breath coming hard, had frequent fits of nausea, and then I was taken down with bilious fever.

"Common sense came to me, and I quit coffee for good and went back to Postum. I at once began to gain and have had no returns of my bilious symptoms, headache, dizziness or vertigo.

"I now have health, bright thoughts, and added weight, where before there was invalidism and the blues.

"My brother quit coffee because of its effect on his health, and now uses Postum. He could not stand the nervous strain while using coffee, but keeps well on Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form must be well boiled. 1¢ and 2¢ packages.

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New Yorkers Are Milk Drinkers. MILK is becoming the favorite drink of residents of New York city, according to recent statistics of the health department, and the number of licensed saloons is decreasing. It is reported that the consumption of milk has increased in the city 50 per cent in ten years.

PINCKNEY DISPATCH

SLIPS OF THE TONGUE.

One of Them Told a Bishop a Truth He Didn't Care to Hear.

The misguided old lady who would persist in misapplying words with ludicrous results is as much among us today as she was when Sheridan wrote of her in his play, "The Rivals," two centuries ago. One dear old lady recently inquired of a well known professor whether soda water should be written as two separate words or with a siphon between.

A well known bishop who is very stout tells the story of a malediservant who had been instructed to address the prelate as "your eminence." Imagine his horror, however, when the girl dropped a courtesy to him one morning with the words, "Yes, your immense!"

An American policeman became famous for his slips of the tongue. He used always to explain to recruits that "Third avenue ran paralyzed to Lexington," and on one occasion he proudly stated that he never paid any attention to "unanimous" letters.

A zealous temperance worker used to have a habit of confiding to her friends that certain persons were "adapted" to drink, while another gentleman in a mixed moment once asked a friend to open the window and "putrefy" the air.—London Spectator.

Reverend.

"Who is that homely, little sawed off chap over there?" she asked.

"That is my husband," she replied, "but don't apologize. You can't make me mad by calling him names."—Detroit Free Press.

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The Guild of Scriveners.

Little is heard, as a general rule, of the Guild of Scriveners. The company consists entirely of members of the legal profession, the duty of the scrivener being "to make charters and deeds concerning lands, tenements and inheritances and all other writings which by law are required to be sealed." No notary can, it seems, practice within ten miles of the Royal Exchange unless he is a member of the company.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Accessories.

"I'm going in for poetry," hisped the sweet young thing.

"Deep, intense, feeling poetry," thundered the man of letters, "is only written in a garret."

"Yes, I've heard that. So I've fitted up a beautiful Turkish den in ours."—Philadelphia Ledger.

LITTLE VIRTUES.

Do not be troubled because you have not great virtues. God made a million spears of grass where he made one tree. The earth is fringed and carpeted not with forests, but with grasses. Only have enough of little virtues and common fidelities and you need not mourn because you are neither a hero nor a saint.—Henry Ward Beecher.

BASEBALL RECORDS.

Some Facts That Will Interest All Lovers of the Game.

The greatest number of bases on balls in a single season were given by Amos Rusie of the New York National League club in 1892. His total was 261.

Adrian C. Anson in the sixteen seasons between 1876 and 1892 played in 1,582 games and made 2,252 hits. His grand average for the entire sixteen seasons was .34.

A world's record no hit contest was played at Winchester, Ky., May 10, 1906, when in a Blue Grass league championship game Winchester defeated Lexington 1 to 0. The battle went seventeen innings, and not a hit was made off Toney, the Winchester twirler, who fanned nineteen men.

A record for speed in playing a regulation nine inning game was hung up Sept. 18, 1910, at Atlanta, Ga., on the last day of the Southern league season, when the Atlanta and Mobile teams finished a full contest in thirty-two minutes.

In 1880 eight "called balls" entitled a batter to first base. This was reduced to seven in 1882, to six in 1883, to five in 1887 and to four in 1889.

The Knickerbocker club of New York adopted the first baseball uniform in 1842. It was blue and white.

In a game played July 22, 1906, between the Quakers and Reds Cincinnati did not make a single assist, the Phillips going out on flies or strikes.—Ed A. Goewey in Leslie's.

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