

# Pinckney Dispatch.

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## A Farewell Surprise

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vedder were happily surprised Monday evening, Oct. 25th at their home, when about forty guests took possession. An enjoyable evening was spent in games and social chat. Refreshments were served, after which Rev. A. T. Camburn presented Mr. and Mrs. Vedder, as a small token of esteem in which they are held in this community, a beautiful rocker, which is capable of holding two if necessary. Mr. and Mrs. Vedder both responded with short speeches of thanks and invited their friends to visit them either singly or collectively in their new home. The friends reluctantly departed wishing them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vedder will leave next Tuesday for their new home near Ypsilanti. May they make as many friends in their new home as they will leave in their old. If so they will surely never want for friendship.

## Anderson

Mrs. M. Lavey and son of Pinckney visited relatives here Sunday.

All are cordially invited to be present at the "Last Aid to Cupid" social to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hockey, Friday evening, Oct. 27th, for the benefit of the Sprout school.

E. T. McClear of Whitmore Lake and brother Paul of Hamburg spent Sunday here.

Arthur Bullis motored Mark McClear and Leo Lavey to Howell Friday to drive back eight head of cattle for M. J. Roche purchased at the sale the day previous.

A cattle buyer from Texas has been looking over stock here the last few days.

Mrs. C. E. Frost entertained her brother Warren of Howell Saturday and Sunday.

Rose Morris is visiting her father at Grass Lake.

Mrs. L. E. Howlett of Howell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wilson Tuesday.

T. P. McClear and daughter Anna of Detroit visited here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce spent Sunday at the home of P. Noah of N. Lake.

Catherine Driver was a guest of the Misses Margaret and Lucile Brogan over Sunday.

Messrs Sam Boyce, M. J. Roche, G. M. Greiner and Mark McClear attended the cattle sale at Howell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Greiner of Detroit visited here last week.

Mrs. Fred Wylie and son spent Friday at the home of her parents of W. Putnam.

Mrs. Orlo Hanes entertained her sister, Mrs. Art LaRowe and daughter of Gregory for the week end.

## Notice

All persons owing me on account, please call at the store of S. W. Guthrie and settle the same soon, as I wish to close up all my accounts.  
W. W. Bernard.

## Ten Sunday School Conventions in Two Days

Ten Township Sunday School Convention will be held in Livingston county in two days, morning afternoon and evening sessions. Ten automobiles, each manned by one of the best speakers to be secured in Michigan and Ohio, and two from this county will make the rounds of these conventions so that all can be heard in all parts of the county. Each car will have a special subject. Hear them all. Thursday, Oct. 28th, speaking will take place at Pinckney, Gregory, Parkers Corners, Fowlerville, and Pingree. On Friday, Oct. 29th at Brighton, Howell, Oak Grove, Deerfield Center, and Hartland. The speaking will take place at the same hours at all places. 9 a. m.; 1 p. m., and evening. Evenings meetings will also be held at Unadilla, Plainfield, and Fleming, Oct. 28th and Cohoctan, Parshville and Hamburg Oct. 29th.

## Card of Thanks

We desire to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown to our dear Louise during her illness and for the beautiful flowers sent her. We also wish to thank the kind friends who so willingly aided us in the last sad rights of love and regrets the sacred service its self with its appropriate and helpful music was full of comfort and hope.

Mrs. Maud B. Newton  
Mrs. Jennie Brown  
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brown  
Mr. Paul M. Brown

## School Notes

May Johnson visited school Tuesday.

Two new pupils, Elisah and Heber Guthrie, were enrolled in the Grammar department Monday.

Gorman Kelley returned to the Freshmen class after several weeks absence.

Hollie Sigler was in Lansing Wednesday.

The marsh mellow roast given by the Freshmen Wednesday evening, Oct. 20th, at the home of Walter Mercer, was a great success, being the first of its kind in Pinckney for a good many years. The guests, who numbered nearly fifty, each member of the class being allowed to invite one, assembled on the lawn where the marsh-mellows were roasted over bonfires. Sandwiches and coffee were served after which various games were played in the moonlight. The guests departed expressing their wish that the Freshmen continue their good lines, which they intend to do.

## J. Church

Will be at the Smith's Restaurant Friday and Saturday, October 29 and 30, 1915.

Have been to Chicago and bought a big stock of goods at reduced prices so will sell them at 1/2 off for the above dates.

These goods are first class and warranted for 20 years.

Come and get your eyes fitted where it can be done right.

## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

### Items of Interest from Neighboring towns

Howell, Oct. 20.—George Rouson of this city who is accused of a violation of the local option law, made and provided, was taken to court and plead guilty to the charge. He was allowed to go on \$100 bail and will have to appear Monday for sentence.—Tidings.

Leslie, Oct. 16.—The Congregational church has decided in favor of using the chapel for a gymnasium and reading room. A committee appointed to investigate the feasibility of the plan reported favorably at a meeting Friday night, and the following were appointed to take charge of the innovation: Rev. W. H. Moody; vice director, James Morton; secretary G. W. Troman; treasurer, Russel Eggerley; trustees, Prof. Shaffer, Mrs. Rebecca Dennis and Dr. A. E. Greene.

There is much sentiment in favor of a public reading room in Leslie.—Leslie Republican.

Brighton, Oct. 20.—James Morgan went to Detroit Tuesday and returned with a couple of men who were arrested on charge of violating the game law. They plead guilty of the charge in Justice Appleton's court and paid a fine of \$6.00 each and cost. It cost one fellow \$20 and the other \$17.50. They had been shooting muskrats at Island Lake.—Brighton Argus.

Chelsea, Oct. 22.—While in Jackson last week, R. B. Waltrous had the misfortune to strike a boy with his automobile, when the lad jumped from the curb directly into the path of the machine. The boy has a broken collar bone, but is now recovering nicely. No blame is attached to Mr. Waltrous although he regrets the accident very keenly.—Tribune.

## Special Rates

We are offering exceptional clubbing rates on three of the most popular Women's magazine McCall's magazine, 50c; Ladies world, \$1.00; and Mother's magazine, \$1.50, with the Pinckney Dispatch for \$2.25 or without the Dispatch for \$1.50.

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# CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES ENDS

BATTLE CREEK MEETING HEARS INDIANAPOLIS MAN AT LAST SESSION.

## CRITICISES RELIEF WORK

Says States Pay Too Little Attention to Local Charities While Caring for the Fruits in State Institution.

Battle Creek—Most states have dwelt unwisely and unjustly with the largest group of offenders, the misdemeanants, said John A. Brown, of Indianapolis, state agent of the board of charities, at the closing session of the Michigan Conference of Charities and Corrections here Friday.

"The misdemeanant is sent to jail, where his life is one of idleness. He is educated in vice and crime. He needs a different treatment. No better system can be found than that of the colony farm, with its out of door life, its industry and good wholesome food," said Mr. Brown.

"No one knows how much relief is given, who receive it, how well it is administered, or the result obtained," he said. "The states have practically all failed to recognize the importance of local charities. They have devoted much time to the fruits gathered into state institutions and failed to lay the axe to the root that bore the undesirable fruit. With few exceptions, the proper supervision of local charities does not exist."

"In your own state, superintendents of poor appointed by the county boards of supervisors grant ordinary outdoor and special relief for dependent wives and children of men imprisoned for desertion or abandonment. There are both county and township overseers of the poor. The council in a city or village may also grant relief. A county relief board extends aid to needy ex-soldiers, sailors and marines on the recommendation of township and ward supervisors or aldermen. Relief to mothers of dependent children is given by the juvenile division of the probate court. All of this is without active state supervision or co-operation. In some states there appears a special form of relief for every kind of dependency and in others many officials to whom any dependent can appeal."

"No plan for public relief that could be devised would be entirely above criticism, but a system based upon the best known principles would do much toward lifting the whole problem upon a higher plane."

William A. Prater, of Paw Paw, an expert in public charity, told of the disadvantages in the present Michigan system of state child placing.

Miss Evelyn G. Gardiner, secretary of the Social Welfare association of Grand Rapids, was the last speaker. She discussed the administration of poor relief by the county.

The conference will meet in Detroit in 1916.

## WARRANT FOR EX-OFFICIAL

Former Deputy Treasurer of Grand Rapids Under Arrest.

Grand Rapids—Police Judge Frank Hess late Friday afternoon issued a warrant charging William H. Olmstead, former deputy city treasurer, with embezzlement.

The complaint was made by Richard Wilson, special investigator for prosecuting attorney Barnard, who is now conducting an investigation of rumors of dishonesty among members of the so-called "city hall ring."

Eight counts are cited in the charges against Olmstead, all centering around the disappearance from the city treasurer's office of \$2,079. During the impeachment trial of City Treasurer Hawkins the money was returned by Olmstead to the treasurer who said it had been "misaid."

## ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

The Alton Federation of Women's Clubs has started a movement for a Carnegie library for Alton. The Alton Business and Merchants' club has already indicated such a proposition.

# FAMOUS EDUCATOR WILL RETIRE FROM POSITION



MRS. ELLA FLAGG YOUNG.

Chicago—Ella Flagg Young, for six years superintendent of schools, announces that she will resign December 8 when the regular school election will be held.

The superintendent blamed "persistent discussion of the superintendency of schools in the daily newspapers," for her determination to quit. She declared she would have resigned last June but for the fact that there was a large deficit in the school fund, a condition which, she said, does not exist now.

Mrs. Young, who is 70 years old, had been active in school affairs since 1862, when at the age of 16, she began teaching.

## CLUB WOMEN AT LANSING

State Federation Goes On Record As Supporting Prohibition and Equal Suffrage.

Lansing—The State Federation of Women's clubs Friday morning, by the passage of the report of the resolutions committee, went on record for state-wide prohibition and reiterated its endorsement of woman suffrage.

The committee's report also put the federation on record as "favoring a sane and modest garb for our young girls." The report says much of the present dress for girls was immodest and unhealthful.

As to "Bowery music," as Mrs. Ashbaugh of Detroit called it, in her address, the report had the federation "discountenance all musical verses which were immoral in their nature, by refusing them a place in the home."

Support was also extended to the movement for a Will Carleton memorial; Michigan congressmen were patted on the back for voting for the federal child labor law; and the position of the organization regarding the women's reformatory and other state legislative matters was reiterated.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. R. H. Ashbaugh, Detroit; vice-president at large, Mrs. Florence I. Hulson, Jackson; first district vice-president, Mrs. Mary A. Shull, Tecumseh; second district vice-president, Mrs. Burrill Hamilton, Battle Creek; fourth district vice-president, Miss Nina DeLong Sands, Pentwater; fifth district vice-president, Mrs. Chas. H. Law, Menominee; recording secretary, Mrs. Clara Waters, Baldwin, Muskegon; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frank Dodge, Adrian; treasurer, Mrs. Edward A. Gilkey, Lansing.

## Man Wanted for Fraud Caught.

Detroit—A man believed to be J. E. Foster, wanted in Detroit by the federal authorities on a charge of defrauding Michigan merchants of about \$10,000, has been arrested in Wilkes Barre, Pa., according to word received in Detroit.

Foster is alleged to have defrauded about 80 merchants throughout the state out of \$125 each. He organized the Retail Merchants' Association of America, according to a complaint issued against him and then enrolled that many merchants at \$125. About two weeks ago he disappeared and his offices in the Gas building were closed.

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Wm. Warfield of Pittsford has been elected county school examiner by the board of supervisors of Hillsdale county. There were two other candidates.

Sparks from a passing engine are believed to have fired the Michigan Central depot at LaSalle, six miles south of Monroe Sunday afternoon. Damage is set at \$2,500. The agent was unaware of any trouble until notified by a passerby that the roof was afire. The station was built about 25 years ago.

# EIGHT KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

GRAND TRUNK TRAIN STRIKES CAR CONTAINING FARMER AND FAMILY.

## CRASH COMES AT CROSSING

Machine is Struck Squarely in the Middle and Seven Occupants Are Killed Outright By Collision.

Mt. Clemens—Grand Trunk flyer No. 18, leaving Detroit at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning, at Fraser, Macomb county, Sunday noon crashed into an automobile truck in which William Stoldt, Avon township farmer, was driving with his family.

Seven of the eight passengers were killed outright and Stoldt was fatally injured.

Those who were killed are: Mrs. Rachel Stoldt, aged 44 years, Mrs. Stoldt's sister, Miss Minnie Engel, of Romeo, and Mr. and Mrs. Stoldt's five daughters, Pearl, 17; Esther, 5; Hazel, 12; Mabel, 10 and Martha, aged.

The awful spectacle of seven dead bodies strewn along the railway tracks for a quarter mile was what churchgoers saw before Coroner Sperlich arrived.

There were no eye-witnesses to the tragedy excepting the train crew. The train stopped and a hasty examination showed that all were dead except Stoldt. He was taken on the train, in charge of Conductor Harry Harris and Engineer Charles Lane, and brought to the Washington hospital here.

Sheriff Hartway was notified and, with Coroner Sperlich and Prosecutor Kent, was on the scene of the accident within 15 minutes. A flat railway truck was employed by the coroner to gather up the bodies.

Just how the accident occurred is all conjecture, but there are indications of carelessness on the part of the driver, Stoldt, in the opinion of the authorities. There are two crossings at Fraser station, one about 100 yards south of the depot and the other 200 yards north, within the limits of the railroad yards. It was at the latter point where the accident happened. On the corner west of the tracks and toward the station from the road, is a house and a grove of trees.

Train No. 18 is not scheduled to stop at Fraser. Two persons stated the whistle was properly sounded for the crossing. Stoldt, if he saw the train coming, was probably under the impression that it would stop and that he was in no danger in making the north crossing, or he may not have noticed its approach until he emerged from behind the house and the trees and was almost on the tracks, in the opinion of the investigators.

The train was a few minutes behind time and going at a high rate of speed. That the automobile was hit squarely in the middle is evidenced by the fact that the front trucks were found close to the tracks on the right side, hurled through the fence of a cattle guard, and the rear truck was carried nearly a quarter of a mile and dumped on the left side. Other parts of the machine were found in the field several hundred feet from the right of way.

## Patmont to Teach in College.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Rev. Louis R. Patmont, the disappearing parson and temperance lecturer, who was acquitted in Newark, N. J., Saturday of arson in the burning of a church there, is to become a professor in the National Christian Missionary Bible college, in Minnesota, according to an announcement made Sunday by Rev. C. L. Milton, of the Milwaukee Christian church. Rev. Milton attended the Patmont trial and had just returned to Milwaukee.

## TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Toronto—Stevenson McGordon, the aviator who, with John Kilpatrick, is chief instructor of the Thirtieth Aero-plane school, one of the largest in the world, looped the loop 21 consecutive times Saturday at a height of 3,000 feet.

The State Federation of Cleaners will meet in annual convention in the auditorium of Port Huron, December 1 and 2. Grant Bloem, of Detroit, one of the founders of the order, and others prominent in the Cleaners will speak.

Rome, via Paris—All the belligerent powers have granted the request of Pope Benedict that Sunday be made a day of absolute repose for prisoners of war. Several of the countries in their replies said that they already had been observing this rule.

# MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Best dry fed steers \$7.50 @8; best handy weight butcher steers, \$6.50 @7.25; mixed steers and heifers, \$5.50 @6; handy light butchers, \$5 @5.50; light butchers, \$4.50 @5; best sows, \$5 @6; butcher cows, \$4 @5; common cows, \$3.75 @4.25; canners, best heavy bulls, \$5.70 @6; bologna bulls, \$5 @5.50; stock bulls, \$4 @4.50; feeders, \$4 @7; stockers, \$5 @6; milkers and springers, \$4 @8.

Best veal calves, \$10 @11; medium, \$8 @9.50; common and heavy \$6 @7.50.

Best lambs, \$8.25 @8.40; fair lambs, \$7.10 @8; light to common lambs, \$6 @7; fair to good sheep, \$4.50 @5.25; culls and common \$3 @4.

Common grades and pigs very dull at \$6 @6.50; mixed all the way from \$6.75 @7.35, and good mediums at \$7.25.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—7,250; prime grades steady, others 25c lower; choice to prime native steers, \$9 @9.25; choice to prime handy steers, \$8 @8.25; fair to good \$8.25 @8.75; best Canadian steers \$8.25 @8.65; good de \$8 @8.25; medium and plain, \$7 @7.50; fair to good grassers, \$7 @7.25; light common grassers, \$6 @6.25; yearlings, dry-fed, \$7.50 @9.25; prime fat heifers, \$7.25 @7.50; good butcher heifers, \$7 @7.25; light grassy heifers, \$6 @8.25; best fat cows, \$6 @6.50; butcher cows, \$5.50 @5.75; medium to good, \$4.75 @5.25; cutters, \$4 @4.50; canners, \$2.50 @3.65; fancy bulls, \$6.75 @7.25; good butcher bulls, \$6.25 @6.50; sausage bulls, \$5.50 @6.25; light bulls, \$4.50 @5; best feeders, \$7 @7.25; common to good, \$6 @6.65; best stockers, \$6.50 @7; common to good, \$5.50 @6.25; good yearlings, \$6.50 @7; common, \$5.25 @6; milkers and springers, \$5 @10.

Hogs: Receipts, 10,000; steady; heavy, \$8.50 @8.65; mixed and yorkers, \$8.40 @8.50; pigs, \$7.25 @7.50.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 12,000; market 15 @25c lower; top lambs, \$8.75 @8.90; yearlings, \$7 @7.50; wethers, \$6.50 @7; ewes, \$5 @6.

Calves: Receipts, 1,200; market 50c lower; tops \$11.50 @11.75; fair to good, \$10 @11; heavy, \$7 @9; grassers, \$4 @5.50.

## Grains, Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.15 1-2; December opened with a decline of 1-2c at \$1.17 1-2, declined to \$1.17; advanced to \$1.17 1-2 and closed at \$1.17; May opened at \$1.18, declined to \$1.17 1-2, advanced to \$1.18 and closed at \$1.17 1-2; No. 1 white, \$1.12 1-2.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 67 1-2c; No. 3 yellow, 68 1-2c.

Oats—Standard, 41 1-2c; No. 3 white 40c; No. 4 white, 37 1-2 @38 1-2c; sample, 3 @37c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, \$1.01.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$3.50; November, \$3.30; December, \$3.10.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$12.40; October, \$12.40; December, \$12.20; prime alaska, \$10.25.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$3.65.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$18 @19; standard timothy, \$17 @18; light mixed, \$17 @18; No. 2 timothy, \$15 @16; No. 1 mixed, \$14 @15; No. 2 mixed, \$10 @12; No. 1 clover, \$10 @12; rye straw, \$8 @8.50; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50 @7 per ton in carlots, Detroit.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 pounds, 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, \$28; standard middlings, \$24; fine middlings, \$32; coarse cornmeal, \$24; cracked corn, \$24.50; corn and oat chop, \$31.60 per ton.

## General Markets.

Peaches—Fancy, 50c; AA, 35 @40c; A, 35 @40c; B, 15 @25c per bu.

Grapes—Concord, 18 @19c per 2-lb. basket; Delaware, 25c per 4-basket case.

Apples—Fancy, \$2.75 @3.25 per bbl and 75 @80c per bu; common, \$1.25 @1.50 per bbl and 40 @50c per bu; box apples, western, \$1.75 @2.25.

Cabbage—\$1.25 per bbl.

Chestnuts—15 @15c per lb.

Mushrooms—45 @50c per lb.

Celery—Michigan, 15 @20c per doz.

Tomatoes—Hothouse, 13 @20c per lb.

Onions—Southern, \$1.75 per 75-lb. sack.

Potatoes—Minnesota, 65 @60c; Michigan, 60 @55c per bu.

Lettuce—Head, \$17.75 per case; hot-house, 2 @10c per lb.

# WOLVERINE News Brevities

Cadillac—The state campaign against tuberculosis in Wexford is completed. Doctors DeKleine of Lansing and Whinners of Grand Rapids left. State's workers will go to Barry county. During the stay here 77 persons were examined, 40 having tuberculosis. Doctor De Kleine appeared before the board of supervisors and the city commission in an effort to get visiting nurses for the county and a full time health officer for the city.

Port Huron—Judge Harvey Tappan is in a quandary as to what to do with Margaret Williams, eighteen years old, who has pleaded guilty to passing worthless checks. The judge says there is not an institution in the state where the girl can be sent and still be given a chance to reform. "I would rather release her than send her to the Detroit house of correction," he said, "even if the county did have a contract with that institution to care for its prisoners."

Adrian—Leo Everts and Claude Grim were sentenced to six months in the Ionia reformatory by Judge Hart after they caused a sensation in circuit court by pleading guilty to aiding two girls to escape from the state industrial home here. The jury had been sworn in when the men's attorneys asked for a recess. Later Prosecutor Bean said the men had divulged information that would lead to other arrests.

Kalamazoo—Peter Sliiter must pay Louis Werfels \$160 because Sliiter's son accidentally shot Werfel's boy, three years ago. Sliiter promised Werfels to pay the doctor bill, providing Werfels would not insist on prosecution, it was charged. Later Sliiter refused to pay the bill. Werfels secured a judgment in lower court and Sliiter appealed it to the circuit court, where the judgment was affirmed.

East Lansing—Three one-week schools in agriculture will be held by the Michigan Agricultural college in November. The first school will be held at Grand Haven, November 1 to 6. Schools will be held at Hartford and Bangor the second and third weeks of the month. Advanced work will be offered at Bangor, as a preliminary course was given last year.

Grand Rapids—George Shag-Na-By, was buried near Hart, Oceana county. He was a gray-haired and bent old man in 1857 when the government drove the Indians from near Ada, Kent county, to Copousa, Oceana county. He recounted happenings of a century ago and said when these took place he was a young man.

Morrice—Elwood Morris, a son of Dr. M. W. Morris, dentist of Morrice, is attending the University of Michigan, and hazers took the lad from his bed, carried him to the bathroom, where they turned on the water and held him under the faucets until well soaked. Elwood is studying dentistry and it is his freshman year.

Flint—Automobile thieves twice victimized George Whitaker, local insurance man. The first time they removed the horn from his machine and while he was reporting the theft to the police, came back and stole a suitcase full of clothing. A jitney bus and the license plate of another machine were also reported stolen.

Sault Ste. Marie—The eighty-first annual meeting of the Michigan Presbyterian synod is on. Rev. George E. Barnes of Battle Creek was elected moderator for the coming year, Rev. E. H. Bradford retiring. Rev. William Bryant of South Lyon is clerk for a term of five years, and Rev. W. K. Spencer of Ionia second clerk.

Grand Rapids—Sentence was deferred by Judge Sessions of the federal district court in the case of John Lasky, John Shatney and Frank Fuest, Manistee, charged with theft of ladders from the lighthouse at Portage Point. August Krieselle of Dowagiac was acquitted of a charge of selling liquor without a government license.

Hillsdale—William Warfield of Pittsford was elected Hillsdale county school examiner by the board of supervisors. Two other candidates were A. A. Kalder of Camden and Carleton Andrews of Montgomery.

Lansing—In an opinion on the state railroad commission Attorney General Fellows said that the committee is without authority to order the opening of streets that cross a railroad right of way.

Menominee—Menominee county supervisors denied a petition for local option on the ground that more than one petition was circulated in the same voting precinct.

Alton—Leroy Brown, Alton laborer, was bound over to the circuit court charged with a serious offense against his eleven-year-old daughter. He was unable to furnish \$2,000 bail.

Jackson—Mrs. W. H. Hatcher, an old widow, committed suicide in his room here. He used illuminating gas.

Setting—Four miles of state road track has been set between this city and both have been completed.

# The RED MIST

A TALE OF CIVIL STRIFE  
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### SYNOPSIS.

Confederate Sergeant Wyatt is sent as a spy to his native county in the Green Briar. He meets a mountaineer named Jim Taylor. At a house beyond Hot Springs they meet Major Harwood. Wyatt is sent to bed. He becomes suspicious, and finds that Taylor has murdered Harwood and escaped. Wyatt changes to U. S. uniform, and to a detachment of Federal cavalry identifies himself as Lieutenant Raymond Third U. S. cavalry. Captain Fox and Harwood's body. The detachment is ambushed. Wyatt escapes to the Green Briar country and goes to Harwood's home, where he finds Noreen Harwood. He introduces himself as Lieutenant Raymond. Parson Nichols comes to the house and tells Noreen of her father's death. Wyatt forces Parson Nichols to confess that he has been sent in advance of Anse Cowan, who proposes to marry Noreen at once, and so quiet title to the land in dispute between the Cowans and Noreen's dead father. Anse Cowan and his gang arrive and find the preacher bound in a closet. Wyatt and Noreen have concealed themselves in the attic.

### CHAPTER X—Continued.

I was obliged to loosen it by the insertion of my knife blade, yet the clamp yielded with but little noise, and I peered eagerly down the opening. There was a lamp burning in the lower hall, the reflection sufficiently bright to reveal the general situation. No men were visible, nor did I hear any voices in conversation. One thing was certain—the upper hall was completely deserted, for I could see along its entire length. I lifted my head, and glanced back to where the girl remained silent, and motionless. My eyes, long accustomed to the darkness, could distinguish her outlines, even the dim contour of her face. She sat upright on the rough flooring, apparently regarding me intently.

"Do you find the way left clear?" "So far as the upper hall is concerned—yes. There is a light burning below, although I can perceive no movement. They may be in the dining room, but I do not believe they will search up here again."

"No!" The slight rising inflection stung me. What did her action mean? Why should she so suddenly assume that tone with me? The sooner I knew the better.

"I beg your pardon, Miss Harwood," I said quietly, "but I fail to understand why you should speak to me in this manner. You have shown confidence, trust, in my former efforts to serve you, and I am just as eager now to be of service."

"You mean you wish me to have complete confidence in you?" "Certainly. I can do nothing otherwise."

There was an instant of silence, in which her breathing was plainly audible. Beneath the shadow of an uplifted hand I felt that her eyes were upon my face.

"Very well, then," she said finally, her voice more expressive of interest. "It is surely no more than natural that I should desire to know whom I have the honor of talking with."

"But do you not know?"

"No," firmly and decisively. "You heard what those men said—yet you go on pretending to me. You are the officer they referred to, are you not?"

"Yes; I escaped when Fox's command was attacked."

"You were an officer in Captain Fox's troop?"

"No; I joined him by accident at Hot Springs."

"Under what name?" The utter uselessness of attempting to lie was apparent. Her questions were too direct, too straightforward, for any further evasion. The slightest quibbling now would cost me her friendship forever. If I hesitated, it was scarcely noticeable.

"Under the name," I replied quietly, "of Charles H. Raymond, Lieutenant Third U. S. cavalry, on recruiting service."

"Oh!" the exclamation burst forth in surprise at my frank avowal. "Then you did not make that up merely to deceive me? You had been passing under that name with others. You had taken it for a distinct purpose—a military purpose?"

"I took it," I said slowly, and deliberately, my eyes looking steadily at her, "because I knew such a Federal officer had been detailed to service in this neighborhood. If I have taken my life in my hands to serve the cause of the South, it was in obedience to the orders of my superior."

"Whose orders?"

"General Jackson directly; although Robert E. Lee was present, and gave final instructions."

"The South concealed her face, and I could judge nothing as to her opinion; whether, or not, my words had

any weight with her. She sat motionless, bent slightly forward. At last she said slowly:

"I—I know enough of—of army life to be aware that men are not ordered to such hazardous work—they are asked to volunteer. Only a brave man would assume such a risk; only a man who believed in himself, and his cause. I—I like you better because you have told me. I believe you are honest with me now. I did not know what to do, or what to say before. I knew you were not Raymond, and that you were acting a lie—but could not guess your purpose. What made it harder to understand," her voice hesitating slightly, "arose because there was something about you so oddly familiar; I—I felt that I ought to recognize your face; that somewhere we had met before—have we?"

"Yes, Miss Noreen; I am Tom Wyatt."

"Why! Why, of course!" the swift expression was one of intense relief. "How stupid of me! Oh, I am so glad that I know." To my surprise she held out both hands impulsively. "Your being a spy doesn't make any difference now that I know who you really are. It is no wonder I did not recognize you—why you were only a boy—"

"Not when you rode by my mother and me on the pike."

"A year ago? I remember; yet I hardly caught a glimpse of you through the dust. You were just a boy



There Was the Sound of Chairs Being Pushed Hastily Back.

when you were here last. Why you had long curia."

"And thought Noreen Harwood the most beautiful little girl I had ever seen."

"Why you—you are in even greater danger than I."

"Oh, no; from all I have seen and heard the Cowans must be in sympathy with the South, or they never would have made the attack on Fox's party, or held Lieutenant Raymond prisoner. I had considered going direct to Anse, revealing my identity, and demanding protection."

Her hands grasped my sleeve.

"No, not that! You do not understand, Tom Wyatt. These men care nothing for the issues of the war. They merely use them to cover up their own lawless deeds, and to assist in working out schemes of revenge. They are neither Federal, nor Confederate; they are robbers, murderers, and thieves. Is Anse Cowan here tonight for any purpose but his own? You realize what that purpose is."

"I have heard enough to make me certain," I answered. "He would force you into marriage to thus gain control of this property. The killing of Major Harwood was part of the plan."

"You know then of my father's death? You know that report to be true? Why, you said you were with Captain Fox at Hot Springs! Is it so?"

"Yes, Miss Noreen. It is true. I saw your father's body, and that of his servant Tom. I came across the mountains with the men who killed them both. I supposed him to be a scout. He called himself Jim Taylor, and when they first met your father addressed him by that name. They met by appointment at a house on the south of Hot Springs. Your father said nothing to me of such a matter."

"No; I saw him but did not

as he passed through Lewisburg on his way east. He was to meet a scout beyond the mountains, but no name was mentioned. What did the man Taylor look like?"

"I described him to Captain Fox, and one of his men, a sergeant, instantly pronounced the fellow to be old Ned Cowan."

"Ned Cowan! Why, that could not be! My father would never have an appointment alone with him. They have been deadly enemies for years."

"That may be true, Miss Noreen. I can only tell you what little I know. Your father might have been deceived; drawn into a trap. He was there apparently by appointment to confer with a man known to him as Taylor. Who Taylor really was I cannot say—but he was an enemy, not a friend, of Major Harwood. I do not insist that the fellow was Ned Cowan, but I am sure he belonged to the gang. We trailed him nearly to New River, and had gone into camp amid the mountains when the Cowans attacked us. In my judgment the killing of your father, and the raid on this house tonight, form part of the same plan."

I do not think she was crying, although her face was buried in her hands. I turned my eyes away, down through the scuttle hole, but nothing moved along the hall below. The house seemed absolutely deserted, but the lamp continued to burn, and yet, even as I felt the strangeness of such intense silence, a door slammed somewhere in the distance, and a gruff voice spoke.

### CHAPTER XI.

#### Waiting the Next Move.

"Anse—Kelly, are either of you there?"

There was the sound of chairs being pushed hastily back from a table, and rapid steps on the floor.

"Yes; what's wrong? Have you found something?"

"Sure; Bill an' I saw them; they were a tryin' ter git the hoss; but afore either of us could fire, they sorter slipped 'long back o' ther fence, an' got away. It's darker'n hell out thar, an' Bill sed fer me ter cum in yere an' tell yer that if yer 'en Kelly wud cut across the road, an' sorter head the cusses off we'd bag the two easy."

"What's the rest of their boys?"

"Ridin' the Lewisburg pike accordin' ter orders, I reckon. Leastwise we ain't seen 'em since yer tol' us ter watch ther stable. Bill an' I can't round them up alone."

"All right, Dave. Where are they now?"

"In ther orchard, a creepin' 'long the fence. Bill's followin' 'em up, an' all you got ter do is run 'long the road an' git ter the corner ahead o' 'em. They can't go no other way."

I caught a glimpse of the two as they crossed the lower hall hurriedly. The lamp flickered in the draft of the opened door, and one fellow swore roughly, as he stumbled over some obstacle. Then the door closed, and the flame steadied. In the silence we could hear again the beating of rain on the roof over head.

"Who do you suppose they could have seen?" she asked.

"Shadows likely enough. Let them hunt. We know now the house is deserted, and can find more comfortable quarters—perhaps even slip away before anyone returns. You will go with me?"

"Of course; I am not afraid of Tom Wyatt."

We passed the ladder down slowly, and carefully, until the lower end rested securely on the floor below. If Nichols had recovered from the effect of the severe blow, he had made no sound, and I had almost forgotten his presence. I drew back, and permitted the lady to descend first, holding the upper supports firmly until her feet touched the floor. It was a struggle for me to force my larger bulk through the narrow opening, but I succeeded finally, and stood beside her. In the brighter light I could perceive more clearly the expression of the girl's face, realized the friendliness of her eyes. My frank confession had won me her confidence; no matter where her sympathy might be in this war struggle my allegiance to the cause of the South was no serious barrier between us; even the fact that I was masquerading there in a stolen uniform and under an assumed name, had not greatly changed her trust in an old playmate. My heart beat faster to this knowledge yet, in some way, although I rejoiced, the recognition brought with it a strange embarrassment.

"It sounds as though the storm was harder than ever," she said. "Where shall we go?"

"My choice would be to hide in one of these rooms, for the present, at least. We could scarcely hope to get the horses out of the stable unseen, and, even if we did, we would be likely to ride into some of the gang."

"But they will return to the house."

"Before they leave—yes; but it is hardly probable they will search up here again. Anse will be in St. Louiser charge when he decides to leave tonight, but will never imagine that our hiding place is in the house. They

will give up by daylight, and then the way will be clear."

"And where will you go?" "Why," in surprise. "I could not leave you alone until I placed you in the care of friends."

"At Lewisburg, you mean?"

"If that is where you wish to go." Her eyes met mine frankly, but with an expression in their depths I failed to fathom.

"Not wearing that uniform," she said quietly, "or under the name of Lieutenant Raymond. Do not misunderstand. There is friendship between us—personal friendship, the memory of the past, a knowledge of the inti-



I Flung Him Down on the Bed.

macy between your father and mine. More, I am grateful to you for the service you have been to me this night; nor do I hold it against you that you risk your life in the cause for which you fight. But I am Union, Tom Wyatt, and I cannot help you in your work, nor protect you. When daylight comes I am going to say good-by—and forget that I have even seen you."

"But," I protested, "why could we not part, if we must, at Lewisburg, after I know you are safe?"

"There are Federal troops at Lewisburg. They know me, and their commander is aware of my acquaintance with the officer whose name you have assumed."

"Yet, in a measure, at least, you trust me? I want you to consider me a personal friend."

"Why I do," her eyes opening widely. "It is for your own protection I refuse your escort to Lewisburg. I am a traitor to my flag not to take you there, and surrender you a prisoner. If—if I did not care I would. Hark! That was a shot!"

"Yes, and another; they sound to the west of the house."

"In the orchard, beyond the stable. Can there really be someone hiding there?"

"They are certainly firing at something—there speaks another rifle farther south. Those fellows will be back presently, and we must be out of their way. What room is that beyond the chimney?"

"It was used by the housekeeper. Do you know where Parson Nichols was left?"

"In the room at the head of the stairs; why yes, your room. Could they have killed the man?"

I pushed open the door, which stood slightly ajar, and looked in. Nichols had partially lifted himself by clinging to the bed, and his eyes met mine. The marks of the savage blow with which Cowan had floored him, were plainly evident, and the man appeared weak and dazed. Yet he instantly recognized me, and crouched back in terror. I stepped into the room, and gripped his collar.

"Stand on your feet, man! Oh, yes, you can; you're a little groggy yet, no doubt, but with strength enough for that. Come; I'll hold you. Now, out into the hall. Miss Harwood, may I trouble you to open that door—yes, the housekeeper's room; we'll hide ourselves in there. By Jove, that sounds like a regular volley!"

I pushed the man forward, and flung him down on the bed, still retaining my grip on his collar.

"Not a move, or a sound, Nichols! Attempt to betray us, and your life is not worth the snap of a finger. Miss Harwood close the door, and lock it."

The same instant a vivid flash of red lit up the whole interior, the light glaring in through the unshaded windows, and reflecting from the walls. Nichols started up with a little cry of terror, but I seized him back.

"It is not the house," I said sternly. "They must have fired the stable. Keep-down out of sight. Miss Noreen, come across to that nearest window and take a glance out—be careful that no one sees you. I'll keep guard over our prisoner friend."

END OF CHAPTER XI.

### WANTED ALL HE COULD GET

Dissatisfied Stranger in Town Decided He Would Look Further for a "Good Thing."

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"That's all." "No beer, soda or ice cream, eh?" "Not a bit."

"All right—all right," mused the man, as he turned away. Stranger in town, you know—got to learn the ropes—don't want to miss a good thing. No beer—no soda—no ice cream. Guess I'll ride around and look for a line which has the interests of its patrons at heart."—Washington Herald.

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### Service is a Hard One.

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## PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Lyle Hendee was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Norbert Lavey is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Alfred Monks was in Detroit the first of the week.

M. J. Reason and family spent Sunday at Whitmore Lake.

Claude Monks spent a few days the past week in Detroit.

Joanna Devereaux spent Saturday in Jackson.

Mrs. James Harris and daughter spent Saturday in Jackson.

W. C. Hendee and family spent Sunday at Paul Miller's in Howell.

William Blades Jr. and Wm. Clark Jr. were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Albert Wilson and wife spent Sunday at the home of H. B. Gardner.

Ervin Kennedy and wife were Jackson visitors the first of the week.

Mrs. F. Bowman and son spent Thursday at the home of A. H. Isham.

Charles Teeple attended the foot-ball game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Julia Sigler of Detroit visited relatives here the past week.

Tom Moran and Bert Foster, of Detroit visited the former's parents here over Sunday.

F. N. Burgess, wife and Florence and Geo. Bland and wife spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Don't forget to make your settlement with Monks Bros. by Nov. 13th. Adv.

Miss Florence Burgess spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor and attended the Michigan and M. A. C. Foot Ball game.

Be sure and see the play entitled "Willowdale" at the Opera House, Friday evening, Nov. 5th. See bills or adv. for the cast of characters. Adv.

Remember that Thursday, Oct. 28th, at 9 a. m., 1 p. m. and 4 p. m. noted Sunday School speakers will lecture at Pinckney. One of the automobile will start from here.

Simon Hunter who eloped with Miss Irene Antione, 15 years old, of this place, was arraigned in the circuit court at Howell, on the charge of abduction, wanted to plead guilty and when the judge asked him if he knew what he was pleading guilty to, he answered "Rape," while the charge was abduction. When informed that he was not pleading guilty to that charge, he changed his plea to not guilty and will be tried later.

Mrs. E. G. Carpenter is visiting Ann Arbor relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Meyer were in Detroit the first of the week.

Mrs. R. Merrills and daughter visited here the first of the week.

W. W. Barnard and Robt Guthrie were in Howell on business Tuesday.

Mr. Julia Sigler of Detroit spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Tom Read.

Mrs. Don Fielder and daughters of Toledo are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sykes of Detroit were week end guests at the home of his parents.

The Cong'l Ladies took in about \$50 at their chicken pie supper Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read were Detroit and Ann Arbor visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Will Curlett has had charge of Mr. Myer's drug store, while the latter was in Detroit.

Mrs. R. H. Teeple of Manistique was an over Sunday visitor at the home of Mrs. E. W. Martip.

F. E. Montague and wife and R. L. Schafer and family motored to Lansing the first of the week.

B. H. Isham and family of Chelsea spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Isham.

Robert Grice and family of Pontiac were over Sunday guests at the home of N. P. Mortenson.

Will correspondent please head their items or sign them so that we will know where they are from.

Remember the play, "Willowdale" on Nov. 5th, Henry Isham and son will furnish music for the evening.

Mr. Wm. Buhl of Gregory is spending a few days this week at the home of F. N. Burgess and G. D. Bland.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. VanKeuran of Lansing were over Sunday guests at the home of G. W. Teeple.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Green of Howell were guests at the home of Chas. Teeple a couple of days last week.

The people of Livingston Co. are invited to attend a picnic at Ecco Park, Los Angeles county, Cal., Oct. 30th.

The "Regniers" drew a large and appreciative audience last night, the entertainment being first class in every respect.

Miss Gladys Chubb of near Howell spent several days the past week with her sister Mrs. Fred Swarthout.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Romie Georgie of St. Johns were over Sunday visitors at J. J. Parkers.

Mrs. Roy Teeple of Manistique spent the first of the week at the home of her mother Mrs. E. W. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr spent Sunday in Redford, Mich.

Mr. L. Birney and family and Mrs. Foxson of Lansing spent Sunday at the home of John Monks.

Don't miss the "Last Aid to Cupid" social at the home of G. Hockey, on the old Beebe farm, next Friday evening, Oct. 29th. Ladies please bring cake or sandwiches.

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Present: Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of ALEXANDER MCINTYRE, deceased.

G. W. Teeple, having filed in said court his petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine, adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is ordered: That four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered: That the 13th day of Feb. A. D. 1916 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

EUGENE A. STOWE,  
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The road east of town is being much improved, under the superintending of Eugene Gallup.

Mrs. Howlett returned home last Friday after having spent two weeks at the home of her son, Dr. E. Howlett of Pontiac.

Rev. J. J. Schular attended the Baptist State convention held at Saginaw.

Those who changed their place of residence last week were Oliver Hammond to L. N. McClear's new house in southern part of town. W. B. Collins to his new home on Church st.

Carl Bollinger and family have moved in with Mrs. Dan Wright.

Mr. Biner and wife have moved to Detroit.

Mrs. Ayrault will settle in rooms over H. E. Marshall's store. Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Demerest will take possession of the Bollinger store, and live in the rooms back of the store.

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You bet they had to stop  
we staid out until 10 o'clock  
when Ma said as come in  
today is Sunday guess its read  
can wear in my Hank Finn.

No Capital.  
"Pa, what is the capital of the state of Michigan?" "Money, my son."  
—James Greenwood.

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Simon Pinner	Who had rather whittle than work	Clyde Sibley
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Mrs. Bassett	Joel's wife inclined to have her own way	Florence Byer
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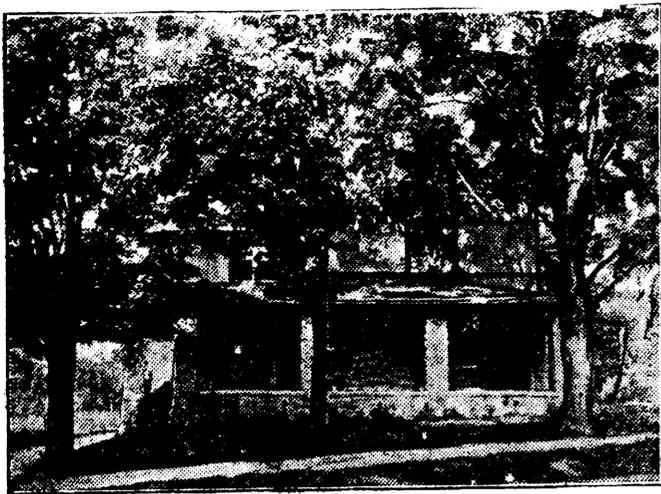
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# THE HOME BEAUTIFUL

Flowers and Shrubbery  
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The Result of Good Tree Planting. Affording Shade and Beauty of Leafage.

## SHADE TREES FOR BEAUTY

By J. W. GRIFFIN.

In selecting a list of trees to plant for shade on your lawn or along the avenue or near the house, make a note of the character of the soil and plant accordingly.

If you are planning a home in the lowlands, where it is damp and where fogs hang on the better part of the morning, "cut it out," sell out, get out, do anything to get out, and go up higher if possible.

Leave the swampy lands to the frogs and mosquitoes and the fevers. Make a note of the trees on the hillsides and those that grow on the hilltops. Pick out those that hold their foliage longest, also those whose foliage is healthiest and most dense.

Some advocate spring and some fall planting of fruit and forest trees. I have it that the following gives good results: Where the trees to be set out are larger than two or three year old trees, I dig a hole four feet wide each way and two feet deep some time during the late fall or early winter. The top soil is thrown on one side, the subsoil on the other.

The combined actions of the rain, freezing and thawing, produce a good effect on the soil thrown out, and upon the sides of the hole.

The trees to be set out are prepared during the fall and are heeled

in a protected place and are ready at any time they are wanted. A few days of sunshine and windy weather in early spring put the mounds of earth beside the holes in fine shape to put in around the trees.

The trees may be set out two or three weeks before the surrounding soil will do to cultivate.

First, straw manure is tramped six inches deep in the bottom of the holes, then about six inches of the top soil is thrown in, leaving a little mound in the center of the hole upon which the center or taproot should rest.

The finer or side roots are spread out around the little mound, more of the top soil is thrown in and packed tightly around the roots, filling up all air spaces and holding them in proper place.

Next, some rotten straw, not manure, is thrown in, then the rest of the soil is tramped well around the trees. I do not use any manure next to the roots of the trees. The manure is scattered around the trees, the rain takes the fertility down to the roots and the solid matter, while rotting serves as a mulch.

The above method, if closely followed, will take a tree through the first summer, which is the most critical part of the life of a tree.

Get them started right. The way is easy. A bad start causes much trouble and delay.

## IN THE GARDEN

Do not make the mistake of planting magnolias in the autumn. Where they thrive there is nothing more showy than the Chinese varieties. The flowers appear about the same time as the crocuses and tulips in the spring. The spring is a better time for planting.

Do not permit any weeds to go to seed. Better not allow the seed pods to form. Go carefully over the garden these fall days and clear out every weed. Will save lots of trouble next season.

Destroy the webs of the fall web worms wherever they are found.

Right now is the time to arrange for cold frames for flowers and for the small greenhouse for winter gardens. At a moderate cost small greenhouses can be bought complete with heating apparatus. Various shapes and sizes are offered.

A spraying outfit for the garden need not be large or costly, and it will save its own value the first year it is used.

The salvia is a splendid plant for hedges, for massing and for borders, as well as for general planting. It does best grown by itself. Remember it when planning next year's garden.

## THE MODERN GLADIOLUS

By GEORGE S. WOODRUFF.

Everybody knows the gladiolus—in a way. It has been called "The People's Flower" because the common people can get more satisfaction out of it, without special care or facilities, than from any other flower. As a cut flower, nothing but the expensive or old lasts so long and no other flower has such variety and beauty of coloring.

Nevertheless, the modern gladiolus is almost unknown to a large majority of our people, because of the great improvement which has been made in a comparatively short time.

The gladiolus is propagated by direct multiplication, by corms and by seeds. The corm planted dies at the end of the season, but produces a new one at the base of each shoot it sends up. The seedling, on the other hand, grows up to the number of several

a number of bulblets or "cormels" are found attached to them. These cormels produce the same kind as the corms they are taken from and flowering the second or third year from planting—rarely the first year.

When seeds are sown they will produce hardly two sorts alike, and many will be worth keeping, but there may be some fine new sorts. The seedlings will flower the second or third year.

It is much more satisfactory to buy the cream of other people's seedlings than to fill the garden with a lot of poor sorts.

Plant in full sunshine, but not against the south side of a wall, and away from the roots of trees, in well-prepared soil, a mellow, sandy loam preferred, and one retentive of moisture.

Avoid contact with manure, which should never be fresh and had better be plowed in the previous season or in the fall.

Occasionally restore potash to the soil in some form as for potatoes. If the soil be stiff or clayey put sandy loam in the furrow.

Plant in furrows three to five inches deep, according to the size of the corms, and the quality of the soil, and at intervals of, say, two weeks, from the time the ground will work up well in July.

By this means and by the difference in earliness of varieties, flowers may be had from July until hard frost. It is most important that the ground be kept stirred and mellow at all times, especially as soon after each rain as the ground will work well and before a crust forms.

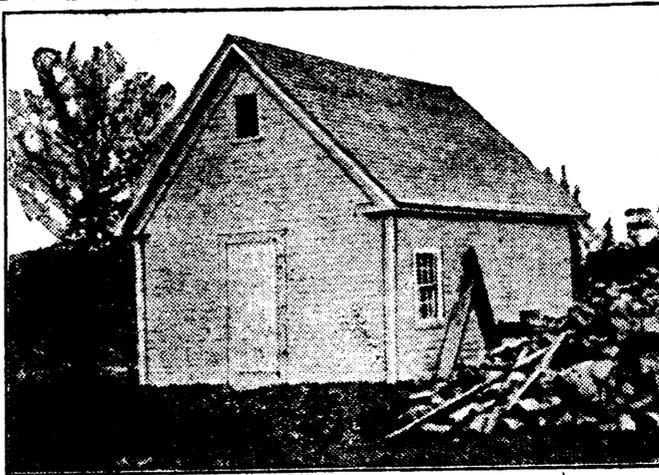
Unless you have planted in masses for landscape effect, cut every stem as soon as the first two or three flowers open and let the buds develop in water in the house. Every morning remove the old flowers, shorten the stems and change the water. Keep at night in a cool place.

Then treated the stems will be in bloom a week or more.

If a few especially large flowers are wanted, pinch off some of the top buds at the start.

Before the ground freezes dig the bulbs and dry them. Then cut off the stems, clean and store in shallow baskets or boxes in a cool, dry place. Pull off the old bulbs and roots when you have them.

## DIFFERENT TYPES OF DAIRY ICEHOUSES



Farmer's Icehouse With Milk Room.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The dairy division of the United States department of agriculture has been investigating the different types of icehouses in use by dairymen, and has studied the advantages of each type. Only a small number of the icehouses examined by the department's specialists were built of new lumber.

In many instances ice was stored in the cellar under the house or barn, or in the corner of some building, such as a woodshed, corncrib, or barn, or under the driveway leading to the barn, and occasionally it was simply stacked outdoors with no roof for protection. Where the ice was stored in cellars, open sheds or in stacks, the loss from melting was comparatively large, depending on the ventilation, drainage and care in packing. Where the cost of harvesting ice is a small item, dairymen often say that it is less expensive to store in such places than to go to the expense of building an up-to-date icehouse. Where ice is stacked outdoors and covered with some form of insulation, it is necessary to put up from 30 to 50 per cent more than the amount previously allowed, so as to provide for the heavy shrinkage.

The ice should be stored as near the milkhouse as possible, in order to save labor in removing it to the milk tank. A great many dairymen find it an advantage to have the milk room in one end of the icehouse. In this way the cost of a separate tankhouse is eliminated. The small amount of time and labor required to transfer the ice to the cooling tank generally acts as an added incentive for the free use of ice. It is highly important that the milk room, whether combined with the icehouse or standing alone, be located so that objectionable odors will be avoided.

In comparing the different methods of storing ice, it was found that where the cost of ice was comparatively high it was advisable to spend enough money in building and insulating the icehouse to protect the ice from melting as much as possible, but in cases where the cost of the ice was small it appeared that the owners were often justified in building a cheaper storage with a relatively high loss of ice from meltage. The dairyman therefore should consider both the cost of construction and the cost of the ice in selecting the type most suitable for his requirements.

Some farmers store their ice in roughly constructed bins. One of this sort was seen, made by placing large posts of irregular sizes three feet in the ground and about four feet apart, and upon these were nailed a miscellaneous lot of boards; no roof was provided. The shrinkage was reported from 30 to 50 per cent. Ice might be stored in this manner for some purposes, but this method is not recommended for a dairy farm. Further-

more a bin of this sort is very unsightly and is an indication of slack methods in farming. Where ice is cheap and building material high, it might be permissible as a temporary arrangement; but it is not so economical a method as may appear at first sight, for the cost of the ice lost in the shrinkage would generally amount to more than the interest on the cost of constructing a serviceable icehouse.

An instance was observed in which a corner of a woodshed, about twelve feet square and ten feet high, had been converted into an ice shed. This corner of the woodshed had been roughly boarded up and about 14 inches of sawdust placed around the ice on all sides, top, and bottom. The cost of the building was very little, and the shrinkage was reported at about 20 per cent. The owner stated that softwood sawdust is a much better insulator than hardwood sawdust.

The icehouse in the illustration measures 15 by 20 feet on the outside and 8 feet high. At the front or south end a room 15 by 6 feet is partitioned off and used for a milk room. The remaining space, 15 by 14 feet by 8 feet high, after allowing for 6 inches of wall, 12 inches of sawdust on the sides, 12 inches on the bottom, and 18 inches on the top, will provide space for about 17 tons of ice. This house is built on high, sloping ground, where the soil is porous, consequently the drainage is satisfactory. The foundation is made of concrete (mixture 1 to 6), 1 1/2 feet wide at the bottom and sloping gradually until the top measures 8 inches. The sills which rest on the foundation are 6 by 6 inches, upon which are erected 2 by 6 inch studding with 24-inch centers. On the top of the studding rests a 2 by 6 inch plate, and the studs are sheathed inside and outside with rough boarding. The outside is then covered with weatherboarding. The roof has a two-thirds pitch and is constructed of 2 by 4 inch rafters, 24-inch centers, boarded and covered with shingles. In each gable is located a slat ventilator, 3 1/2 by 1 1/2 feet, which with the high pitch of the roof allows for an abundance of free circulation of air over the ice. The milk room is provided with two glass windows 3 1/2 by 2 feet, one in each end. The milk room is provided only with a movable ice-water tank, 3 1/2 by 4 by 3 feet, in which are placed the cream cans. A rope and pulley which are fastened to the ceiling are used in transferring the ice from the icehouse up and over the wall and lowering it into the tank. The material and labor for constructing this combination milk- and icehouse amounted to \$125. The shrinkage on the 100 cakes in storage was estimated at about 15 to 20 per cent. The ice in this house cost 2 cents a cake, exclusive of hauling and storing.

## GOOD FEED FOR YOUNG FOAL

Colt Should Be Taught to Nibble at Grain With Dam—Weaning Made Rather Easy Task.

Are you giving that young foal the proper care? To become a strong, sound horse, when matured the foal must be well nourished and given every advantage possible.

The foal should be taught to eat grain very early. By placing the feed box from which the dam eats her grain now, the foal, at about two months of age, will begin nibbling with the mother, and will soon acquire a taste for the grain.

A pen built in one corner of the field made high enough to keep the mare out and allow the colt to pass under will make it possible to feed the foal grain with very little difficulty. Allow the mare in the enclosure with the foal for a few times, and it will soon learn to go in to the pen. Keep a liberal supply of grain, preferably oats and hay, and perhaps some cracked corn, in the feed box. To induce the dam to enter about

with the colt, have the pen near a shade tree or the salt box.

By weaning time the foal will have become thoroughly accustomed to eating grain and will wean very easily, besides being in better condition as a result of this additional feed.

## Nandy Door Fastener.

To prevent doors from swinging back and forth, staple a ring into the door cleat far enough from the end of the cleat so that it does not interfere with the closing of the door. Push the door back and fasten with a strap, with a snap in it, to the building. Have the strap eight or ten inches long and slack enough so that the door can be fastened. This will be found a convenient device for all doors or windows that are on hinges and are to be left open.

## Kindness and Safety.

A barrel of water in the hay or grain feed, and a pan to catch some of about ten o'clock on a hot day and again at about three o'clock is not only kind but a measure of safety for the horse.

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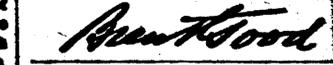
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**LATEST FRENCH GOWNS**

NEWEST IDEAS OF THE MAKERS OF FASHIONS.

Innovations Set Forth by Worth Have Been Accepted as Setting Forth Styles of Season—For Afternoon and Evening.

An attractive feature in some of the very new gowns is the introduction of trains that hang from the waist. Worth is responsible for this innovation. That house has always liked the ceremonial in clothes, going in strongly for the dignified English effects, as the founder was an Englishman.

The uncle who runs the house is opposed to many of the modern features of clothes; the exploiting of new ideas through manikins at public places was never allowed, and well-known members of the half world were not allowed in the house. When one knows Paris and knows how much courage it required, and monetary loss it involved, to insist upon these eliminations, then one can get a bird's-eye view of the dignity of the house of Worth. It may not have paid, commercially or artistically, but it exists.

Now that the firm has closed its historic London house, the Paris creations may become more eminently French, but, so far, there is no evidence of it. Only America matters now with the makers of clothes, and Worth believes, rightly, that there is a large number of Americans who do not like the modern tendency toward girlishness and frivolity in clothes, especially for those whose youth has gone.

The evening gowns which he advances for this winter have their cascaded trains lined at the sides with satin in a pale color. Someone who wanted a simple gown from which was eliminated the gewgaws that spot the surface of most of the Watteau frocks, asked Worth if he could make it. His answer was a pinkish red velvet without a touch of any other color or trimming on it. The deep decolletage was cut in the English man-



Evening Frock of Silver Lace, With Full Plaited Tunic of Pink Satin.

ner and held over each shoulder by a band of red velvet ribbon, ending in a bow that stood almost to the ears.

It was necessary that the French designers choose chiffon or silk for the best of their afternoon frocks, because they did not have recourse to a variety of fabrics so long as the Germans hold the industrial towns of northern France.

True, Rodier, the fabric maker, put up new mills and went on with his work as though the Germans were in their own country, not his, but France had on hand, and found easy to get, a mass of chiffon, so the fashion was created for frocks of that fabric, and the top coat emphasized an adjunct to them.

These chiffon frocks are in entrancing colors. There is nothing flamboyant. Green that has gray in it, pale purples, yellow, called orangeade, crow blue, taupe-a-plenty. Mole skin is revived to trim the taupe-colored frocks, and seal skin is here to touch off the gowns of deep brown and pale gray blue.

There are few frocks of heavy materials. They would be unbearable under heavy top coats in this climate, so the woman who wants one good frock that will serve many purposes can be suited easily this season.

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**Jersey Waists.**  
Silk jersey waists are of bright colors—rose, garnet, light green, royal purple, French blue, and so on. As a rule they are of a military character.

Subterranean green is one of the new colors.

**TIPPERARY HAT**



The Tipperary Hat is a Stovepipe Affair, Trimmed With Green Shamrocks and Was Made Especially for Miss Harrison by Paquin of Paris. This is the First Time it Has Been Seen in America. In England, Miss Harrison, whose father is a Colonel in the Royal Engineers, Revealed the Laws of Romanticism by Acting as a Romeo to the Suffering Soldiers in the Hospitals and Serenading Them.

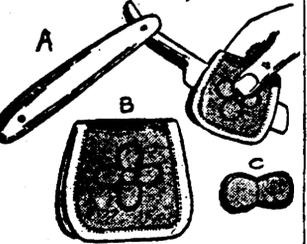
**FOR POLISHING THE RAZOR**

Useful Little Article That Will Be Found of Value in Almost Every Household.

It is a common habit with many men to polish a razor with a towel after they have finished shaving with it, and the consequence is the towel often suffers from a number of small cuts. Our sketch shows a useful little article to be used for this purpose in the place of the towel, that can be made in spare moments from almost any small remnants of material, and that can take its place upon the dressing table.

It is made of silk, and bound at the edges with narrow ribbon and lined with soft wash leather. It is cut out in the shape shown in diagram C, and measures six inches in length and three inches in width when spread out quite flat. It folds together in the center in the manner shown in diagram B, and diagram A shows the way in which it can be used to wipe the razor.

For appearance sake; some simple little design such as suggested in the sketch can be worked upon the exterior, and should it be desired to hang



it up it is an easy matter to sew on a small loop of ribbon at one corner. A similar case to hold tissue paper about the same size should also be at hand so that the razor can be wiped before being polished.

**LECTURES OF FASHION**

Wool embroidery and odd fur trimmings are features.

Many coats are high waisted either in back or front.

Broad-striped coats are worn for sports over white dresses.

Vests and pocket bags give a suggestion of Louis XVI fashions.

Jersey scarfs in wide stripes are used about the neck and as girdles with white morning frocks.

Sleeves on some of the new evening frocks are no more than little cuffs, sometimes of tulle edged with beads and sometimes held out with a flexible wire at the lower edge.

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The machete is made in about 30 different forms and the blade varies in length from 10 to 20 inches. It may be blunt, pointed, curved or straight, broad or narrow; the favorite with the laborer is of medium length, with unornamented handle and broad, straight blade.

**Catching the Vote.**  
First Politicianess—What shall we do to catch the male vote?  
Second Politicianess—I know—put a popular burlesque actress on our ticket.

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"My husband is a collector of antiques."  
"And you, I presume, are his choicest treasure."—Detroit Free Press.

**Her Opinion.**  
Said He—Do you believe that love is a game of chance?  
Said She—As far as I am concerned it is. I am willing to give the right man all the chance he wants.

**Many Folks Do.**  
"Does he borrow trouble?"  
"Gosh, no! He goes out and buys it."—Judge.

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Men of ambition—with the desire to forge ahead—need revitalizing food to help them to compel success.

**Grape-Nuts**

is a success food. It is made from whole wheat and malted barley and, pound for pound, contains far more "go" and "get there" than ordinary foods.

It retains all the nutriment of the grains, including their natural mineral salts—Phosphate of Potash, etc.—often lacking in ordinary food, but essential to thorough upbuilding of sinew, brain and nerves.

Grape-Nuts is partially predigested and agrees with all. It's the ideal vigor-food for child and adult.

**"There's a Reason"**

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

# You Can Save Dollars To Help Fill the Coal Bin on Clothes Bought Here

So complete is our Stock just now in Winter Suits, Overcoats, Cloaks, Dress Goods, Rugs, and so on, and so confident are we that we can save you much money over City prices that we are giving you this special invitation to come here for your winter needs.



## Our Stock of Young Men's

Woolen and Cotton fabrics are some of the best made in the world and the shades of color are very popular. The suits are made in the young men's and somewhat more conservative for older men. They come in both tight fitting English styles and the popular loose models. Velvet suits are popular. Prices are low. Suits at \$15 are hand made. We have almost unlimited stock. Give us a look. We will save you money.

## Our Stock of Dress Goods

Our Stock of Dress Goods is in the county. We have the best shades. You can come up and see them. We're free with you.

## Our Rugs

Our Rugs are worth now more than they will all go for. Our present stock lasts. Buy them now.

## Our Boys' Suits and Overcoats are the best wearers we know of.

## Our Cloak Room is a Busy Place

Now-a-days—and well it should be for early buyers are always the best. The rough effects in coats, also corduroy Velvets with their military look, and full or ¾ length are not only beautiful but very practical and comfortable. Many are fur trimmed and all have the high collars. Our showing is complete at \$7.50 to \$27.50 and all are at less than city prices.

Plush coats in either fancy models with belts, or in more conservative styles at \$13.50 \$16.50, \$20.00 and \$25.00.

You'll like the Printzess Suits we're showing at from \$15.00 to \$27.50. There to embody every one of the seasons' best features. Rightly priced too.

Our Infant's and Children's coats at from \$2.00 to \$7.50 are big values and our assortments are large.

## We're Real Headquarters on Rugs and Carpets

And our stocks are now attractively priced. We carry all the sizes in good, liberal assortments, and make a specialty of real large sizes. Come and see us and you'll save.

## Save Money by Trading at DANCER'S.



# We Buy Your Car Here on all Fifteen Dollar Purchases W. J. DANCER & CO., Stockbridge, Mich.

## The Women's Benefit Association Of The Maccabees

The Largest, Strongest, and most Progressive Society of Women in the World.

Non-political and non-sectarian. Offers more opportunities to women than any other society. Good training and future success, love of humanity and protection of helpless little ones.

A splendid opportunity for broad-minded and sympathetic women to join this great fraternal chain of one hundred and eighty-six thousand women banded together for the betterment of their own sex. This Organization has a national reputation for this great work in the interest of women, and has already paid into homes of destitute and distressed members over twelve million dollars, every dollar going into some home in time of want and distress. We cannot begin to record the deeds of loving sympathy and sympathy that have gone hand in hand with these disbursements.

This Organization has risen to high position in Mutual Insurance through the hearty co-operation of its members and has built up by the management of its officers, a fund of over eight million dollars.

The Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees was founded in Michigan by Michigan women in 1888; the cornerstone of its own building, laid in Port Huron, October 28, 1918, being the first woman's benefit association in the world to erect its own building.

Your loved ones are protected by our death benefits; we will see that you have proper burial with our burial benefits. We will take care of you when sick through our hospital and hospital service.

First in Fidelity, First in Stability  
First in the Security of its Investments

We want a competent woman to act as organizer in this country. For further information write Mrs. Albert V. Dyer, General Secretary for Michigan, 411 St. Aubin Ave. Detroit, Mich.

### South Marion

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gardner of White Oak, L. G. Younglove and Geo. Younglove of Detroit spent Saturday with Elmer VanBuren and family.

G. D. Bland and wife, F. N. Burgess and wife and W. H. Bland were in Howell, Thursday.

Irving Hart, wife and daughter of E. Marion spent Sunday with John Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Abbott were Webberville visitors Sunday.

Miss Catherine Driver of Anderson spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of C. Brogan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Howell of Stockbridge spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Van Buren.

Mr. M. Gallup was an Anderson caller one day last week.

LaVerne Demerest, wife and daughter Lucile of East Marion spent Sunday with John Chambers and family of East Putnam.

Miss Era Docking of Ypsilanti is spending a few days with her parents, Wm. Docking.

### GET RID OF THOSE POISONS IN YOUR SYSTEM!

You will find Dr. King's New Life Pills a most satisfactory means in releasing the poisons from your system. Accumulated waste and poisons cause manifold ailments unless removed. Dizziness, spots before the eyes, blackness and a miserable feeling generally are indications that you need Dr. King's New Life Pills. Take three to six and you will experience grateful relief by morning, etc.

### West Marion

Mrs. Fred Bassler and children visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. Hanson the last of the week.

Steve Baker and family and Leonard Baker and family of Owosso visited at Philip Smith's Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Wellman visited her parents last Sunday.

Plans are being made for the Sunday school convention this week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuller visited at Chas. Hanson's Sunday.

### West Putnam

Jas. Crane of Ovid, Mich., visited at Elmer Glen's the past week.

Myrtle Van Blaricum returned to Flint Saturday.

Judson Ballard and wife, and Emma Georgia and wife of St. Johns visited at A. H. Iaham's and W. H. Leland's Sunday.

Willie Ryan of Chelsea spent Sunday at Bert Van Blaricum's.

B. E. Iaham and family of Chelsea spent Sunday at the home of Harry Iaham.

Bessie and Ray Grove of East Wayne are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. E. J. Grove.

Bessie Murphy of Howell is spending a few days at home.

### Collectors License

The granting of a collector's license is the responsibility of the State.

### RHEUMATISM AND ALLIED PAINS—THEY MUST GO!

The congestion of the blood in its flow causes pain. Sloan's Liniment penetrates to the congestion and starts the blood to flow freely. The body's warmth is renewed; the pain is gone. The man or woman who has rheumatism, neuralgia or other pain and fails to keep Sloan's Liniment in their home is like a drowning man retaining a rope. Why suffer? Get a bottle of Sloan's. 25c and 50c. \$1.00 bottle holds six times as much as 25c size.

### He Removed the Danger Signal

"I suffered a long time with a very weak back," writes Fred Smith, 415 Main St., Green Bay, Wis. "A few boxes of Foley Kidney Pills completely relieved me of all soreness and pain in the back, and now I am as strong and well as ever."

Olds cannot help becoming nervous and feeling tired and worn out when the kidneys fail to filter and throw out of the system the poisonous waste matter that causes kidney trouble and bladder ailments.

Backache is one of Nature's danger signals that the kidneys are clogged up and inactive. It is often followed by rheumatism, aching bones, urinary troubles, head aches, and neuralgia.

Foley Kidney Pills get right at the source of trouble. They invigorate the kidneys to healthy action and then the kidneys properly perform their function, the poisonous waste matter is eliminated from the system.

### "For Sale Everywhere"

A small time Dr. Med. Lavette is selling without checking of "medicines."

### Don't Overlook

the MONEY