

PINCKNEY DISPATCH

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No. 21,

EDISON COMPANY WANTS TO COME

Wednesday afternoon H. M. Thompson, Special Agent, and T. L. Hinks, Assistant Right of Way Agent for the Edison Lighting Company, met Supervisor Reason in town and placed with him an application for permission to erect lines through Putnam Township.

The Edison expects to connect Howell and Dexter and when this has been done will be ready and willing to furnish Pinckney with electric current for light and power, providing the right-of-way is granted.

A meeting of the township board will be held next Monday to confer with the Edison Company and consider the matter.

SOME REASONS

Why I am in favor of the Consolidated School

It gives an equal opportunity for all children in the district.
It provides a better school for rural and village children alike.
It provides for physical training.
Manual training for boys.
Domestic science and art for girls.
Practical agricultural for boys.
The agriculture carried on principally on the fathers' farms.
An agriculture teacher hired for the year.
The government pays \$1000 a year for

the government and the school building.
School.
An opportunity for a four year high school for all children.
Children from rural districts delivered to school in good condition.
No children have to walk very far. Many now have to walk two miles or very much more regular attendance and no tardiness.
Larger enrollment because the children stay in school much longer.
Parents do not have to keep a horse or machine for the children to drive to school.
All children are home nights under supervision of the parents.
No bad habits formed on the way to and from school. The driver is responsible for the discipline of children.
Rural children grow up under the influence of the farm home.
It provides for less teachers but better trained teachers.
One or two grades for each teacher.
Longer class periods.
More individual help to children. More attention.
Larger classes, in many cases, with more interest and competition.
Better school spirit.
Improved social conditions. With larger numbers we have the opportunity for debating societies, oratorical contests, glee clubs, school bands, athletic events, etc.
Makes it easy to have medical attention.
Better libraries.
No duplication of equipment. One heating plant.
Comfortable and sanitary schoolhouse, well ventilated.
It increases the value of real estate because of better educational advantages for children.
The Consolidated School adds dignity and character to the community.
Hugh G. Aldrich
Commissioner of Schools.

HANES-SWARTHOUT

A quiet wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanes last Saturday, May 15, when their daughter, Miss Garnet Margaret Hanes was united in marriage to Mr. Clare M. Swarthout, Rev. J. E. Cook officiating. The bride was dressed in a simple white gown with blue violets adorning the white sash.

After the ceremony, which occurred at high noon, a bridal feast was served.

Several grains of rice followed the young couple when they departed with the bride's parents for Metamora, where they expect to spend their honeymoon with the bride's sister, Mrs. Roy Wilkinson.

Both the bride and groom are well known people of Pinckney and their many friends extend congratulations to them.

OBITUARY

William T. Allison was born in Orange County, N. Y., March 25, 1843, and died May 12, 1920, at the age of 77 years, one month and seventeen days.

He was united in marriage to Orville Carson Stafford in 1869. To this union was born one son, Mark W. of Putnam. Mrs. Allison died in July of 1913.

He leaves to mourn his loss the son, and two brothers, Freeman of Putnam and Mark B. of Iosco, two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Allison's father moved to this county when William was but a boy, and is therefore one of the oldest settlers in this community. He has helped to develop this great country and lived to see what science and invention has done for his native land and the world. The younger people owe much to the fathers and mothers. Many of the hardships and privations of the early pioneers are unknown to the present generation. You have his life—imitate his virtues and avoid his mistakes.

The funeral was held Saturday, May 5, from the residence of his son Mark, Rev. N. M. Pierce officiating. Burial at Pinckney cemetery.

Charles Henry Reason was born in the township of Unadilla July 16, 1854, and passed to his reward at his home in Putnam township, May 13, 1920.

In 1873 he was united in marriage to Esther N. Greene, and to this union three children were born, all of which survive him, Homer and Claude Reason and Emory Matthews of Detroit.

He was a member of the F. and A. M. No. 74. He spent fifty years in Putnam and was loved by all who knew him.

There are left to mourn their loss, the wife, two sons and one daughter.

The funeral was held at the residence Sunday, May 16, Rev. J. E. Cook officiating.

Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me,
And may there be no moaning of the bar
When I put out to sea.

But such a tide as moving seems asleep
To full for sound or foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home.

Twilight and evening bell
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark.

For though from out our bourne of time
and place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crossed the bar.

RESOLUTIONS

At a special meeting of Livingston Lodge No. 76, F. & A. M. Sunday, May 16, 1920, the following resolutions were passed:

Whereas—The Supreme Ruler in His infinite wisdom has removed from our midst our beloved brother, Charles Reason; therefore be it

Resolved—That in the death of our brother the community has lost a good citizen, the family a devoted husband and father, and the Lodge a true and loyal member;

Resolved—That in this hour of sorrow and affliction we extend to the family our deepest sympathy;

Resolved—That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the Lodge, that a copy be sent to the family and that it be also printed in the Pinckney Dispatch; and be it further

Resolved—That the chapter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days.

John R. Martin
Albert Frost
Alger Hall
Committee.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness, death and burial of our dear father, Mr. Charles Reason. We especially desire to thank the choir for their music and the pastor for his kind words.

The Family.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness during the sickness and death of our father and grandfather, also for the use of their automobiles and the many beautiful flowers, Rev. Pierce for his comforting words and the choir for their appropriate selections.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Allison
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dinkel

SELECT YOUR BOX!

The latest and most approved styles in boxes—filled with delectable dainties—will be exhibited at the

Sphinx Club Parlors

FRIDAY EVENING
MAY 21ST, 1920

and will be sold to the highest bidders for the benefit of the

P.H.S. JUNIORS

ure of lunching with one of the famous Pinckney beauties is included with the sale of every box.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Come fully prepared to have

A GOOD TIME

Shoes For Everybody

We are now able to show a most complete stock of Mens and Boys Heavy and Light Weight Shoes, fancy and Light Weight Shoes and Oxfords for the Ladies, Sandals for the little Misses, and so on down to the Infants size

Just Received—A new lot of high grade Silk Hosiery for both Ladies and Gents.

Some very pretty patterns in Fancy Dress Shirts for the Young Men

Complete sizing in both Red and Black Rubber Boots Guaranteed

New line of Gents Trousers just in

Carhart Overalls Now in Stock

Flour is advancing rapidly. We can save you dollars on barrel lots.

MONKS BROS.

Watch this Space

Next Week

GROCERIES **C. H. KENNEDY** GENERAL MERCHANDISE

RAIL SITUATION REMAINS ACUTE

CARS ACCUMULATE IN CENTERS AS RAPIDLY AS THEY ARE HAULED OUT.

RAILWAYS ASK CONGRESS HELP

Officials Declare Heroic Action is Necessary in Order to Relieve Tie-Up of Freight.

Washington.—Congress has been asked to help the railroads overcome the freight congestion so as to keep production—needed to put down the cost of living—going full tilt.

As a means of enabling the roads to provide equipment, shortage of which is said to be largely responsible for failure to move oceans of freight piled high at the principal gateways in the east and middle west, the senate interstate commerce committee approved an amendment to the transportation act under which they would be given 15 years instead of five to pay back advances under the \$300,000,000 revolving fund.

Railroad officials said this would help, but they pointed out that the immediate trouble called for heroic measures to relieve congestion and that the carriers, for instance, required 226,000 cars to reach normal.

While most of the roads were swamped with freight at junction points and big gateways, American railroad association officials said a perceptible improvement was shown by reports received from all sections. Complaints still came from shippers, however, and the car service committee of the association which directs the car movement, endeavored to allocate equipment to sections and industries in greatest need of it.

There was no embargo on the movement of coal, livestock and perishables, and these commodities had a preferential rating and right of way next

portation system put forth every effort to help relieve the situation, admittedly, but not quite so bad as a week or ten days ago.

Demands for coal were general. This was kept moving, while orders were issued for the quick dispatch of cars to the northwest for shipment of grain and refrigerator cars for California and Florida to take care of perishables.

The south seemed to be the only section free of congestion, the road reporting a steady flow of south-bound freight, with the north-bound movement regulated at eastern and western gateways by the ability of connecting roads to accept it.

Cleveland Asks Volunteers.

Cleveland.—To prevent a probable general shutdown of industry through traffic demoralization resulting from the switchmen's strike, the Cleveland chamber of commerce telegraphed chambers in 50 large cities east of Kansas City and north of Baltimore suggesting that employers send men into railroad yards to move cars. The telegram points out that only 137 engines out of 293 are operated here, that receipts of coal and materials are seriously reduced and that switchmen have taken jobs in industries.

No Attempt Made to Strike.

Pittsburgh.—Canvass of the offices of the Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio and Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroads developed that freight and passenger movement was going on as usual, and so far as was known there had been no attempt on the part of the engineers and firemen to walk out. Reports from railroad centers in the Pittsburgh district indicated a normal situation.

TWO CENTS PROFIT FOR SUGAR

Palmer Will Allow Wholesalers Margin of One Cent.

Boston.—Attorney General Palmer set the margin of profit to be allowed on sales of sugar at one cent a pound for wholesalers and two cents a pound at retail. In a telegram to United States, Attorney Thomas J. Boynton, the attorney general ordered that steps be taken immediately to prosecute persons taking larger profits.

The attorney general's order will not have the effect of standardizing prices either at wholesale or retail, according to Mr. Boynton.

Dealers obtained their stocks at different prices and as a result sale prices will vary, but in no case can profits exceed the margin allowed. This margin of profit was fixed by the sugar equalization board more than a year ago, but Assistant Attorney General Garvin said misunderstandings had arisen among fair price committees as to its application at the present time.

ISLE OF TABOGA SOUGHT BY U. S. FOR PANAMA DEFENSE

Washington.—The war department has sent a memorandum to the state department declaring that possession by the United States of the island of Taboga, at the Pacific entrance of the Panama canal is necessary to the defense of the canal.

The state department has taken the matter up with the government of Panama and that government has expressed sympathy towards the proposal, but has asked that as small a portion of the island as possible be taken.

The matter is being worked out by diplomatic representatives in Panama.

FREIGHT TIEUP MORE CRITICAL

Rail Companies Plan To Solve Problem of Car Shortage.

Washington.—Railroad tie-ups at important centers in the east and middle-west, seriously hampering industrial activity and retarding delivery of foods, fuel and other necessities, have been reported to the Interstate Commerce commission. The commission, informed that the situation daily is growing acute, considered measures that may bring relief.

It is probable a conference of executives of railroads will be held to agree upon an embargo plan, making for freer movement of commodities that are most essential.

Officials declared that since federal control ended, a conflict in policy by various roads has led to confusion in the matter of embargoes. Such embargoes as have been imposed have tended to make more serious a traffic situation already embarrassing through inadequate equipment.

Reports told of serious labor troubles imminent through forced shut downs of factories through lack of coal. The coal shortage has become more menacing. Lack of transporta-

The commission on car supply has appealed to all roads to hurry the process of unloading coal cars and the return of empty cars to the mines.

OBREGON ASKS PEACE BORDER

Rebel Favors International Line Between U. S. and Mexico.

Mexico City.—The policy of President Carranza toward the United States was "national suicide," General Alvaro Obregon declared in the first interview given a foreign correspondent since he joined the revolutionary forces after fleeing from Mexico City April 11.

"What strengthens the United States strengthens Mexico," he said, and what weakens the United States weakens Mexico. My ideal for the relations between Mexico and the United States is to make the international border like the Canadian boundary, withdrawing troops, except custom officials.

"Carranza's interpretation of the Monroe doctrine was a mistake, although I believe Carranza was perfectly sincere in the belief his policy was best for Mexico."

U. S. GETS STATE COAL PLEA

Lansing Conference Decides On "Expedition" to Capital.

Lansing.—If the coal carrying equipment of Michigan railroads is used for the purpose for which it was constructed, state utilities would not be faced with the prospect of closing their plants because of the coal shortage it was decided at conference before the Michigan public utilities board.

The conference agreed that a delegation, headed by William M. Smith, chairman of the utilities board, would go to Washington to appear before the interstate commerce commission, and attempt to secure from the federal board an order instructing railroads to use coal cars for the transportation of coal alone.

SLAVS YIELD FIUME TO ITALY

Claim Northern Albania, Says Dispatch to Buenos Aires.

Buenos Aires.—The main points in the program of the Jugo-slavs for a settlement of the Fiume question, to which Anton Trumbitch, the Yugoslav foreign minister, has been authorized to inform the Italians that Yugoslavia will agree, are given in a dispatch sent by La Nacion's Rome correspondent. These include acceptance of the sovereignty of Italy over the city of Fiume, with the port under the control of the League of Nations.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

2,490 Army Officers Resign.

Washington.—Resignation of 2,490 regular army officers have been accepted since the armistice, the war department announced. During the same period 180,581 emergency officers were discharged.

One Ceremony for Daughter, 3 Sons.

Celina.—The three sons and one daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Garmon, of Marion township were married in a quadruple wedding ceremony. The unusual wedding took place in St. John's Catholic church.

London Women Drink Perfume.

London.—The perfume drinking habit by smart women in England is alarmingly on the increase, according to London chemists. So devastating are its effects that the government is advised to institute control in order to check the habit.

4,000-Mile Trek for Tattered Army.

Washington.—Dressed in remnants of the uniforms they wore in 1914, when captured by the Russians, thousands of Austrian and Hungarian prisoners have started on foot the 4,000-mile journey from Siberian concentration camps to their native land.

Chatting Periods Given Workers.

Marlboro, Mass.—Smoking and chatting periods have been introduced at a local shoe factory in an effort to increase efficiency. Several ideas eliminating unnecessary processes have been adopted and other suggestions aimed at time-saving are being tried out.

Soldiers May Now Wear Insignia.

Washington.—Colorful divisional shoulder insignia worn by the American Expeditionary Forces overseas were restored to usage, the War Department rescinding a previous order, issued soon after the Armistice, prohibiting the wearing of such divisional

Sees Disgrace in Dying Poor.

New York.—An ambition to die poor because "it is a disgrace for a man to die rich" was expressed by Nathan Straus, 72 years old, retired millionaire philanthropist. "It is criminal not to share with those who are poor and suffering," he added. "The man who dies with worldly riches has failed in the greatest thing in life—his duty to the world."

Chicago Eat Shops Drop Prices.

Chicago.—Two quick lunch restaurants have in effect a reduction of 5 cents in the price of seven standard orders, as follows: Soup, formerly 10 cents, now 5; beef stew, 20 cents, to 15; corried beef hash, 15 cents to 10; baked beans, 15 cents, to 10; Frankfurters and potato salad, 25 cents, to 20; corned beef and potato salad, 25 cents, to 20; two eggs and toast, 25 cents, to 20.

Discovers Herb With Whisky Kick

Vancouver, B. C.—A special analysis is to be made of an "herb" which, when immersed in water, smells and tastes like whisky, but is said actually to possess "more authority." Gun Shee, an Oriental found the "herb," according to his claim when he was arrested charged with violation of the prohibition laws. Shee refused to say whether the "herb" was found locally or imported.

Insists Upon Being Arrested.

Detroit.—"My wife would have had me arrested anyway," said Tom Kirker, to the police, insisting that they place him under arrest. Kirker explained that, while preparing to move to Hammond, Ind., he had discovered a quart of whiskey hidden in his home and had imbibed in celebration of moving. "My wife then threatened to call the police and I simply saved her the trouble," he said.

King Walks On Grass; Is Fined.

Madrid.—King Alfonso was fined two pesetas for walking across the grass in the Gardens of the Alcazar. The first intimation the royal party had that it had committed an offense was when a guardian approached and said: "Your majesty, walking on the grass is forbidden; I must fine you according to my instructions." At first King Alfonso was abashed, then he laughed and paid the money.

U. S. Wardrobes for Chinese Brides.

Calexico.—Two Chinese merchants of Calexico, Mexico, were married to Chinese girls sent from China. Each of the husbands gave his bride \$1,000 and sent her across the border to this city, accompanied by Americanized friends, on a shopping expedition. Each bride was instructed not to return until she had spent the entire sum given her on wardrobe, so she would be dressed like American women.

Latest Markets

LIVE STOCK—DETROIT.

Best heavy steers, \$12; best handy weight butcher steers, \$11.50@12.25; Mixed steers and heifers, \$10@11.50; nandy light butchers, \$9@11; light butchers, \$8@9; best cows, \$9; butcher cows, \$7@8; cutters, \$6; canners, \$5@5.75; best heavy bulls, \$9@9.50; tologna bulls, \$8@8.50; stock bulls, \$7.50@8; milkers and springers, \$85@115.

Calves.

Good, \$13@14; culls, \$10@12.

Sheep and Lambs.

Best lambs, \$17; fair lambs, \$14@15; light to common lambs, \$8@11; fair to good sheep, \$10@11; culls and common, \$4@6.

Hogs.

Mixed hogs, \$15.10; heavy, \$14@14.50; pigs, \$15.

EAST BUFFALO.

Cattle—Prime shipping steers, \$13.50@14; best shipping steers, \$12@12.50; medium shipping steers, \$11@11.50; Canadian heavy steers, \$12@12.50; Canadian steers and heifers, \$11@11.50; best native yearlings, 950 to 1,000 lbs., \$12@12.50; light native yearlings, goods quality, \$10.50@11.50; best handy steers, \$11@12; fair to good kind, \$10@10.50; western heifers, \$10.50@11; state heifers, \$9.50@10.50; best fat cows, \$10.50@11; butchering cows, \$8@9; cutters, \$6@6.50; canners, \$4@5; fancy bulls, \$9.50@10; butchering bulls, \$8@8.50; common bulls, \$7@8; best feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs., \$9@10; medium feeders, \$8@9; stockers, \$8@8.50; light to common, \$8.50@9.50; best milkers and springers, \$75@100; mediums, \$50@60.

Hogs—Heavy, \$15@15.25; yorkers, \$16.25; pigs, \$16.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 20 cars; steady; top lambs, \$19@19.25; yearlings, \$16@16.50; wethers, \$14.50@15; ewes, \$12@13.50.

Calves—\$5@15.75.

GRAIN AND FEED.

Wheat—Cash No. 1 red, \$3.10; No. 1 mixed, \$3.08; No. 1 white, \$3.08. No. 1 red 3c and No. 3 red 6c under No. 1.

Barley—Cash No. 2, \$2.20.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$7.75 per cwt.

Seeds—Prime red clover, \$26.50; October, \$24; alsike, \$26.50; timothy, \$5.60.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$37.50@38; standard, \$36.50@37; light mixed, \$36.50@37; No. 2 timothy, \$35.50; No. 3 timothy, \$33@34; No. 1 mixed, \$35.50@36; No. 1 clover, \$35.50@36; rye straw, \$12.50@13; wheat and oat straw, \$12.50@13 per ton in carlots.

Flour—Fancy spring patent, \$15.50@16.50; fancy winter patent, \$15.25@16; second winter patent, \$15.25@16; winter straight, \$13.25@13.50 per bbl.

Feed—Bran, \$58; standard middlings, \$59@60; fine middlings, \$60@62; coarse cornmeal, \$70; cracked corn, \$85; chop, \$70@72 per ton in 100-lb sacks.

FARM AND GARDEN.

Cabbage—Texas, 6 1/2@7c per lb. Cauliflower—\$3.50@4 per case. Mushrooms—\$1.75@2.25 per basket. Sweet Potatoes—Hampers, \$3.75@4. Dressed Hogs—Light, 20@22c; heavy, 17@19c per lb.

Celery—Bunch, \$1.35@1.65; Florida, cases, \$6@6.50. Dressed Calves—Best, 18@20c; ordinary, 16@18c per lb. Potatoes—Michigan, \$11@11.25; Canadian, \$10 per 150-lb sacks. Maple Sugar—Maple sugar, 45@48c per lb; maple syrup, \$3.50@3.75 per gal.

Tomatoes—Six-basket, carrier, re-packed, \$12.50@13; original cases, \$7@8. Lettuce—Iceberg, \$6@7 per crate; Imperial valley iceberg, \$7.50@8.50 per crate; house, 26@30c per lb. Strawberries—Louisiana, \$5@5.50 per 24-pint case; \$10@11 per 24-quart case.

Apples—Western, boxes, \$5.50@6; Baldwin, \$4.50@4.75; Steele Reds, \$4.50@5 per bu.

POULTRY.

Live Poultry—Spring chickens, best, 37@38c; Leghorns, 35@36c; hens, 40@41c; small hens, 38@40c; roosters, 23@25c; geese, 30@35c; ducks, 40@45c; turkeys, 44@45c per lb.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Butter—On the Butter and Egg board: No. 1 creamery, 57c asked; prints, 57 1/2c per lb. Eggs—On the Butter and Egg board: No. 1 fresh, 43 1/2c; storage packed extras, 44 3/4c per doz. Cheese—Michigan flats, 29@29 1/2c; New York flats, June make, 32 1/2c; brick, 30@30 1/2c; long horns, 31 1/2c; Michigan single daisies, 31c; Wisconsin double daisies, 30 1/2c; Wisconsin twins, 29c; limburger, October make, 24 1/2@35 1/2c; domestic block Swiss, 29@40c; imported Swiss, 85c per lb.

COUGHING, WEAK AND RUN-DOWN AFTER FLU

Regained flesh and strength quickly, and tells how.

"I nearly died from 'flu' last October, and it left me with a terrible cough. The doctor gave me one bottle of medicine after another, but it did me no good. Went to Charlotte, N. C., and took treatment of a specialist without any permanent benefit.

"I saw Milks Emulsion advertised and started using it. It helped me right from the start. I had no appetite and my stomach was in bad shape. But 12 bottles have straightened me out entirely. I eat anything without distress, my cough is gone, and I have gained back my strength and flesh."—Emma Withers, Box 50, Belmont, N. C.

"Don't trifle with a weak, run-down condition. It leaves you open to serious diseases. Get your strength back. Milks Emulsion costs nothing to try.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physica. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to those whom sickness has weakened, and is a powerful aid in resisting and repairing the effects of wasting diseases. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions, and if not satisfied with the results your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Perhaps:

Hardnut—Young Smith is a live wire.

Softnut—Aw, yes; that probably accounts for his shocking manners.

IN BUYING ASPIRIN ALWAYS SAY "BAYER"

Look for the name "Bayer" on tablets, then you need never worry.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" can be

used for rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, and pain generally.

To get quick relief follow carefully the safe and proper directions in each unbranded package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin." This package is plainly stamped with the safety "Bayer Cross."

The "Bayer Cross" means the genuine, world-famous Aspirin prescribed by physicians for over eighteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetleacidester of Salicylic acid.—Adv.

At the Pawnbroker's.

"Will you let me have something on this watch?" "I suppose I'll have to; time is money."

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Their Material.

"Faw, what are castles in Spain built of?"

"Mostly of gold bricks, my son."

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot sud of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

His Views.

"All the world's a stage."

"Maybe so. But some people have on too much makeup."

Catarrah Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Catarrah Deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Catarrah Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing may be destroyed forever. Many cases of Deafness are caused by Catarrah, which is an inflamed condition of the Mucous Surfaces. ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrah Deafness that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. All Druggists 75c. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

It takes much rehearsing to make the average man honest.

LADY LARKSPUR

By MEREDITH NICHOLSON

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COUNT MONTANI.

Synopsis.—Richard Searles, successful American playwright, confides to his friend, Bob Singleton, the fact that, inspired by the genius of a young actress whom he had seen in London, he has written a play, "Lady Larkspur," solely with the thought that she should interpret the leading character. This girl, Violet Dewing, has disappeared and Searles refuses to allow the play to be produced with anyone else in the part. Singleton has just returned (invalided) from France, where he had been serving in the aviation corps. His uncle, Raymond Bashford, a wealthy man, had contracted a marriage a short time before his death, while on a visit to Japan. He left Singleton a comparatively small amount of money and the privilege of residence in the "garage" of his summer home, Barton-on-the-Sound, Connecticut. Mrs. Bashford is believed to be traveling in the Orient. The household at Barton is made up of elderly employees of the Tiringham, a New York hotel, where Bashford made his home. By the terms of his will these people are to have a home at Barton for the rest of their lives. Singleton goes to Barton, taking with him the manuscript of "Lady Larkspur." There he finds the household strangely upset, some of its members being suspected by their comrades of pro-

stranger, apparently a foreigner, seeking Mrs. Bashford. Antoine has formed the male members of the household into a guard for protection. Singleton reads "Lady Larkspur" with approval. "Aunt Alice" arrives unexpectedly, meets with a lively reception and turns out to be young and charming. Mrs. Farnsworth is her traveling companion. Torrence, Bashford's lawyer, suspects the two women and warns Singleton "Aunt Alice" may be an impostor.

CHAPTER II—Continued.

"It's her manner of speaking of bookish things, Mr. Singleton. It doesn't seem fitting in a widow and her so lately bereaved. And the older lady's quite as bad, sir. The maids tell me they keep talking all day about fairies and pretending they're queens and such like, and talking poetry to each other. The late master never indulged in such things, sir."

"He would have lived longer if he had! It was probably the poetry and fairies that attracted him to Mrs. Bashford."

"Yes, sir," he acquiesced with a gulp. "I suppose you're right, sir."

"You should be grateful to Mrs. Bashford for not bouncing you all for the row you made last night. It could be done; in fact, Mr. Torrence has suggested that legal means could be found for getting rid of you."

"That would be very sad, sir," he said humbly.

"Isn't Mrs. Bashford kind to you? Hasn't she taken pains to make you all feel at home?"

"Well, yes, sir. But she's taken Elsie back into the house, and there's no work for her, there being two women in the laundry already; and she's told me Dutch must be given his old place in charge of the poultry; and both being Germans, you will recall."

"It's just her kind heart, you idiot! You've all been spoiled; that's what's the matter with you."

"It causes feeling; that's all, sir."

"It needn't cause it if you brace up and act like a man," I retorted. Then, sorry I had been so harsh, I added: "We must take good care of Mrs. Bashford, Antoine. It would be wise to keep a guard at the house for the present in case your mysterious stranger turns up again."

He couldn't have failed to note my change of tone about the unknown visitor, but he made no comment.

"The guard's set, sir; front and rear."

"While there's no danger whatever it's just as well to take no chances. Please tell the boys to send for me immediately at any hour of the night if they see any prowlers about."

"Very good, sir. But if you please, sir"—he had reached the garage and he lingered, fidgeting his hat nervously—"if it wasn't for the ladies talking about spirits, we'd all feel better, sir."

"You're far from being a fool, Antoine. Those ladies just play at believing in such rubbish. If they really believed in ghosts, you may be sure they wouldn't talk about it at table before strangers like you and me."

Though this seemed to impress him, a moment later, as I was drawing down the shades in my bedroom, I saw him running across the lawn like a frightened rabbit.

CHAPTER III

A Fan.

The morning mail brought a letter from Searles acknowledging my congratulations on his play. While my enthusiastic praise pleased him, he was very scornful of my suggestions, seeming even more depressed than when he talked to me.

"It's impossible for me to plan other work. 'Lady Larkspur' ate the soul out of me. I'm done; finished, clean out of the running. There's only this to report. I had a letter from Dalton saying that some time ago he asked at the hotel where he sent the script of 'Lady Larkspur' to know whether Miss Dewing had sent a forwarding address. Her accumulated mail had been called for by some one whose identity was not disclosed. Of course this isn't much to hang a rope on, but if that play is what I think it is and Miss Violet Dewing ever reads it she's going to jump for the telegraph office the moment she finishes the last act. I have no plans for returning East; the folks at home let me do as I please, and it's a relief to be in seclusion where I hear nothing of the doings of Broadway. I hope your ancient globe-trotting aunt still lingers in the far East! Keep the ink flowing, son. That novel ought to be well under way when I get back."

The tale I had begun seemed utter trash in comparison with the story of Alice Bashford, in which, much against my will, I had become a minor character. I had rather prided myself on my ability to see through a plot in the first chapter of the most complicated mystery story, but there were points in this unwritten tale that baffled me.

I kept away from the house until

Celtic poetry, and proved less disturbing to Antoine than the previous night's discussion of ghosts.

Their day had been spent, they explained, in a further examination of my uncle's Japanese loot, and they had taken a long walk beyond the estate's boundaries and were enthusiastic about the landscape.

"It's so beautifully peaceful all about here," Alice murmured. "I feel that I never want to move again."

"That's a real tribute to America," Mrs. Farnsworth remarked. "for Alice dearly loves new scenes. She inherited a taste for travel from her father, who put some new places on the maps, you know."

I didn't know and I wanted to ask questions about Alice's father, but as though anxious to frustrate such inquiries my aunt asked how close we were to the place made famous by Israel Putnam's spectacular escape from the British. She had read the story and would motor to the scene, she declared. It was quite clear that there were chapters in her life that were not to be opened for my perusal. No sooner had I caught a glimpse of a promising page than the book was politely closed. A curtain hung between the immediate present at Barton-on-the-Sound and other scenes and incidents of the girl's life; and Mrs. Farnsworth was equally detached from any tangible background. It seemed that I might meet them daily for the rest of my life in this same "friendly fashion without adding a particle to my knowledge of them."

I became alert immediately when, as we rose from the table, Alice said, with the air of asking an unimportant favor:

"We were speaking last night of a man who has been asking for us here. His visits have alarmed the servants, but there is nothing to fear from him. You know"—she smiled at Mrs. Farnsworth—"it's rather he who seems to fear us; that, at least, is our impression, though we have no idea why he should do so. Still, it's rather good fun to find yourself an object of special attention and to be followed, even pursued. We've even led him on a little, haven't we, Constance?"

Mrs. Farnsworth laughingly admitted that they had led the gentleman on a trifle, "but with all circumspection," she protested.

"We met him here and there in Tokyo, and later were surprised to find him crossing on our steamer. We threw him off in the Canadian Rockies, where we stopped for a day, and evaded him in Chicago, where he was evidently lying in wait for us."

"Delightful!" I exclaimed.

"But please don't get the idea that the man annoys us," interposed Mrs. Farnsworth.

"Far from it!" cried Alice.

"You've seen enough of us perhaps to understand that we enjoy little adventures," said Mrs. Farnsworth. "The man pretends to be interested in Mr.

Bashford's art treasures. Antoine's story about the disguise is rather against that; but we will give him the benefit of the doubt. What we are hoping is that something really amusing may come of his persistent pursuit. With you and the army of servants here we feel perfectly safe; so we're for giving him every chance to show his hand."

"He is the Count Giuseppe Montani," said my aunt, "who represents himself as a connoisseur—a lover of the beautiful."

"The mystery is solved! It is easy to understand why he has haunted the place."

"Yes; quite easy. Count Montani is very anxious to see the porcelain."

"I wasn't referring to the pottery; but I shan't press the matter."

"I advise you not to; your remark was highly improper from a nephew to an aunt! I have told you about all I know of this Italian gentleman. I am going to ask a favor. He telephoned from Stamford this afternoon to know whether we had arrived, and I bade him call tonight. I should be glad if you would remain until he leaves. I should like to know what you make of him."

"Certainly," I assented, pleased that she had taken me into her confidence and deeply curious as to the Italian connoisseur. What she had told me so frankly and plausibly did not, however, touch upon the matter of the interest shown by the American state department in my aunt's arrival at Barton, which troubled me much more than the antics of the Italian who had followed the women across the Pacific.

Count Montani arrived shortly and was received in the drawing room. The ladies greeted him with the greatest cordiality. As he crossed the room I verified the limp and other points of Antoine's description. His bearing was that of a gentleman; and in his very correct evening dress he hardly looked like a man who would disguise himself and attempt to rob a house. He spoke English all but perfectly and proceeded at once to talk a great deal.

"I was sad when I found I had so narrowly missed you at Seattle, and again at Chicago. You travel far too rapidly for one of my age!"

His age might have been thirty. He

then that he should praise in his travels to call upon two agreeable women he had met on a Pacific steamer. Possibly he was in love with Alice Bashford; this was not a difficult state of heart and mind for a man to argue himself into. She was even more strikingly beautiful tonight than I had thought her before. She was again in white—it was only in daytime that she wore black—and white was exceedingly becoming to her. As we talked she piled listlessly a fan—a handsome trinket of ostrich plumes. A pretty woman and a fan are the happiest possible combination.

There is no severer test of grace than a woman's manner of using a fan. A clumsy woman makes an implement of this plaything, flourishing it to emphasize her talk, or, what is worse, pointing with it like an instructor before a blackboard. But in graceful hands it is unobtrusive, a mere bit of decoration that teases and fascinates the beholder's eye.

With all his poise and equanimity I was distinctly conscious that Montani's dark eyes were intent upon the idly swaying fan. I thought at first it was her hands that interested him as they unfurlingly interested me, but when, from time to time, she put down the fan his gaze still followed it. And yet there was nothing novel in the delicate combination of ivory and feathers. I had seen many fans that to all appearances were just like it. Once, as she picked it up and lazily opened it, I saw him bend forward eagerly, then, finding that I had noted his eagerness, he rose, pretending that a brass screen before the fireplace had caught his eye, and asked whether it was not a Florentine production, which shook my faith in his connoisseurship, as I had bought the thing myself from a New York brassworker who had made it to my order.

Count Montani and Aunt Alice's ostrich-plume fan.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Common Superstitions.

Most people are superstitious. With some the breaking of a looking glass means a gloomy foreboding. Peacock feathers were formerly considered bearers of sickness. The Greeks and Romans of ancient times put implicit trust in omens and never undertook enterprises of any moment without consulting the oracle.

Sleep All Winter Long.

When raccoons sleep away the cold snaps in the winter, says the American Forestry magazine of Washington, it is not an uncommon thing to find a whole family, or maybe several families, curled up together in the hollow of some big tree.

JUST A LITTLE SMILE



A MAN AMONG MEN.

"I beg your pardon, but are you girls going East?" inquired the nice-looking man as he leaned over the wheel of his Packillac in front of a Green street sorority house.

"Oh, yes," gurgled one of the two co-eds, as she reached a daintily-booted foot for the running board.

"Thank you so much. I never can keep my directions straight in Champaign."

And the car glided away.—Sireu.

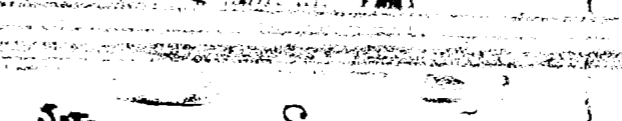
Admits One Failure.

First Henpeck—Ain't these wives the limit?"

Second Henpeck—Nope, there's one thing my wife admits she doesn't know.

First Henpeck—What on earth is that?"

Second Henpeck—Why she married me.—Judge.



A MYSTERY.

Bird—Now just what kind of a bird could have laid those funny green eggs!

A Prodigy.

For speed in independence, Rose, our baby, can't be beat: Already 'twist her mouth and toes She's making both ends meet.

All Settled.

Father—You won't marry Henri because he has red hair. You don't want M. Dupont because he has gray hair. I've no patience with you—

Daughter—Oh, papa!

Father—So now I have found a husband for you who has no hair at all!

—Ruy Blas (Paris).

Advantage of Poesy.

"I understand Blygins has taken to composing poetry."

"What for?"

"He has made a lot of blunders in facts and dates; so he has adopted a form of expression which doesn't absolutely require a man to know exactly what he is talking about."

Quick Verdict Answers Question.

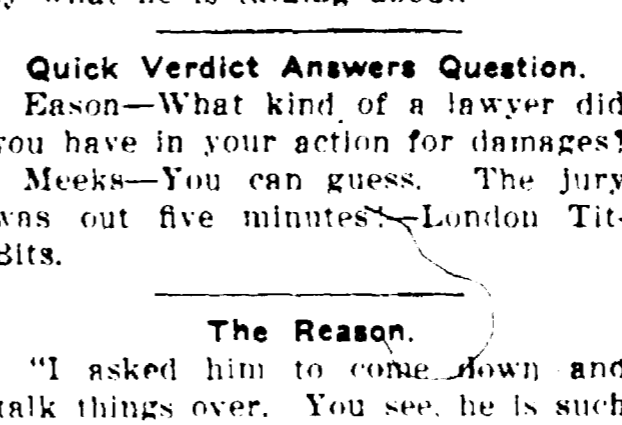
Eason—What kind of a lawyer did you have in your action for damages?"

Meeks—You can guess. The jury was out five minutes.—London Tit-Bits.

The Reason.

"I asked him to come down and talk things over. You see, he is such a high-priced man."

"Then he won't come down."



A MISTAKE

Bug—Hey—this is the roughest sliding board I ever saw!

Queer.

It's curious, but it's often said, And I should like to know, Why some men toil to earn their bread And others work for dough.

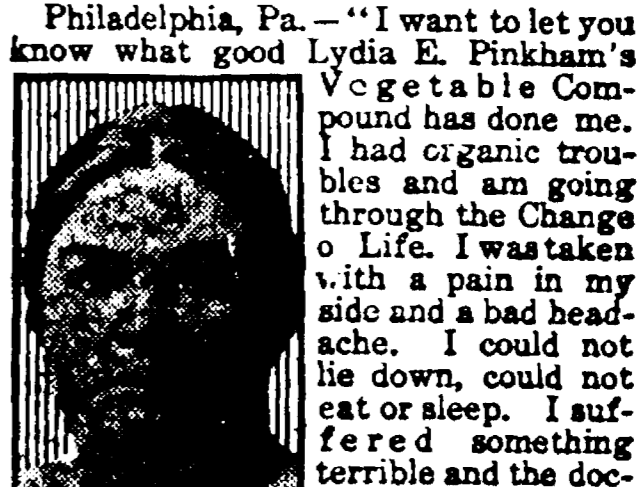
His Finish.

Bluebeard—What's this toy you're giving me for a birthday present?

His Last Wife—Oh, you dear old stupid! I thought you'd look so much nicer without the horrid blue brush all over your face so I bought you this darling little safety razor.

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Prayed for Cure Finds it After 10 Years Food Would Sour and Boil —Teeth Like Chalk

Mr. Herbert M. Gessner writes from his home in Berlin, N. H.:

I had stomach trouble over ten years; kept getting worse. I tried everything for relief but it came back worse than ever. Last fall I got awfully bad; could only eat light loaf bread and tea. In January I got so bad that what I would eat would sour and boil; my teeth would be like chalk.

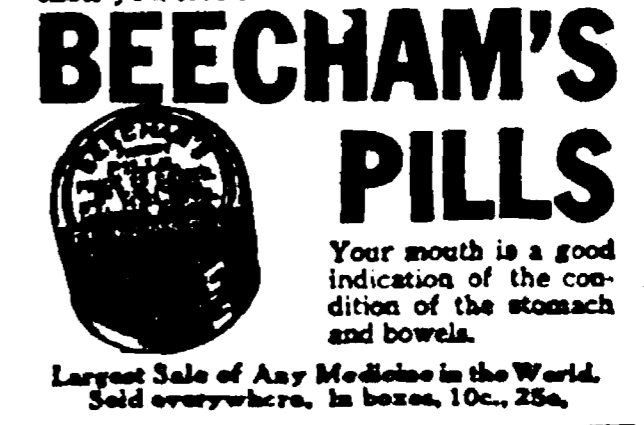
about EATONIC and told my wife to get me a box at the drug store as I was going to work at 4 p. m. I took one-third of it and began to feel relief; when it was three-fourths gone, I felt fine and when it was used up I had no pains. Wife got me another box but I have felt the pain but twice. I used five tablets out of the new box and I have no more stomach trouble. Now I write to tell you how thankful I am that I heard of EATONIC. I feel like a new man; I eat what I like, drink plenty of water, and it never hurts me at all.

Taken in the Other Sense.

Miss Migg—I think you are just beautiful, my dear.

Miss Bute (modestly)—That's where we differ.—Boston Transcript.

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HAROLD JARVIS CONCERT AT HOWELL

Pinckney music lovers will be given opportunity to hear Harold Jarvis, noted tenor, when he appears in Victory Club recital to be held in Howell Friday evening, May 23. Tickets are but 75 cents and the concert does not begin until 8:15, making it possible for anybody to drive over after work and hear this great singer at all price. This is the second of a series put on by the Victory Club at similar prices and should be generously supported by people throughout the city.

GREGORY

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heminger and children spent last Sunday at Howard Strickland's near Okemos.

Charlie Clark and sons Orson and Carrol were callers at the Hill home last Sunday.

The timely discovery of a fire last Sunday at the commencement of church services saved H. F. Howlett from losing his barn.

Herman and Mannie Sayers, George Briminstool, Charlie and Percy Hardt of North Waterloo were callers in town last Sunday.

Aaron Gorton of Northern Canada was a caller at F. M. Bowdish's Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Hill, C. M. Titus and Roy Hill and family were in Dexter last Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver Hammond and children came Saturday night and will make their future home here again. Mr. Hammond came Tuesday to take up the duties of station agent here again.

Mrs. Jennie Ayrault came home Sunday after an extended stay with her brother Harry Sharp.

Howard Foster of Jackson spent Saturday in town.

A little son came to the home of H. E. Marshall last Friday May 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Titus of Webberville were callers at C. M. Titus' Saturday.

The play Friday night, called a crowded house. \$83 was taken in at the door. Table receipts at the Ladies Aid Society Friday were \$15.90.

Paul Kuhn was home the last of the week.

Wm. Heminger spent a few days in the house last week owing to a very bad cold.

Fred Merrell and wife enjoyed the company of their aunts Mrs. McCormick of Mt. Gilead, O., and Mrs. Ireland and family of Fowlerville.

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Sunday.

John Willers who has been quite ill for some time is recovering at the Willers home.

Sayer brothers of North Waterloo were in town Friday night.

Kirk Brown of Howell spent the last of the week at home.

Mrs. Jay Wakeman and son Irwin and wife of Jackson spent Saturday at home at home of Mrs. Maud Wakeman.

Mrs. Wakeman made a short visit to her mother's home near Mt. Gilead, O.

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UNADILLA

Aaron Gorton and family of North Waterloo are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Walter C. Sayer and family entertained company of friends at supper Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Irwin Wakeman and Mrs. Flora Wakeman of Jackson were in town Saturday.

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South Isoco

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watters visited Mrs. Brown of North Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts spent Saturday and Sunday at Chas. Haring's

present claims against said estate. It is further ordered that the 25th day of August, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon said probate court be and is hereby appointed for the examination of all claims and demands against said estate.

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The world's crop of seed has increased in size as to the supply of binder twine this season. Reports coming to the Bureau of Plant Industry, of the United States Department of Agriculture, indicate that there will be a plentiful supply of this commodity available for the American farmer. Not only will it be plentiful, but it is likely to be cheaper this year than for some years past.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitehead and Beatrice Lamborg spent Sunday at L. T. Lamborg's.

Mr. and Mrs. DeJanae Hedron and Mrs. Parky Hedron visited friends at Waterloo Sunday.

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RAILROADS ASK "WAR" CONTROL

WANT COMMERCE BOARD TO HELP DIG THEM OUT OF WORST FREIGHT TIE-UP SINCE 1917.

VIRTUAL U. S. RULE IS SOUGHT

Want Relief From Operation of State and Federal Laws Which Hamper in Meeting Demands.

Washington—The Government was asked to take "emergency action similar to that taken when this country entered the war" to help dig the railroads out from under the worst freight congestion since 1917.

A joint appeal to the Interstate Commerce Commission by the Association of Railway Executives and the American Railroad Association declared the freight jam to be such as to "warrant and require" immediate use of that body's broad powers under the Transportation Act in checking a "menace" which has assumed threatening proportions.

Common use of equipment, and embargoes, priorities and diversions of shipments were urged by the railroads as means which the commission could employ to remedy the situation. The roads also, however, that they be allowed to curtail passenger service where necessary, but indicated this would be done only in extreme cases.

While the present conditions continue, the appeal said, carriers should be relieved from operations of state and federal laws which hamper them in meeting the demands upon them.

It was requested also that the commission set aside its regular policy of holding formal hearings, that no formal summons be issued and that no answer be requested. All of this should be done as means of expediting the effective application of orders given.

the commission that there was no immediate hope of obtaining ample equipment and that the volume of commodities being offered for transportation permitted no time for proper repairs.

The labor situation has augmented the difficulties, they said. The strike of switchmen, the petition stated, had contributed to the "growing public distress on account of delay in movement of freight."

There has been no indication thus far as to the commission's course. Its full powers under the Transportation Act have not been employed as yet. Officials expressed a desire to "go the limit" but hinted they did not know where this might lead. Study of the traffic tie-up has been the rule at the commission meetings for several days but it was declared the commissioners might not have been fully aware of the gravity of the situation until the petition of the rail heads was laid before them.

HOUSE ADOPTS PEACE MEASURE

Vote 43 to 38; Resolution Now Goes to Conference Committee.

Washington—With few thrills and no hitch in the pre-arranged program, the Senate adopted, 43 to 38, the Republican resolution declaring the state of war with Germany and Austro-Hungary at an end.

The measure was in the form of a substitute for the peace resolution recently adopted by the House, which dealt with Germany alone. The two proposals will be adjusted in a conference beginning shortly, the result indorsed by both Houses and the final resolution sent to the President.

That the President will veto it is a foregone conclusion, unchallenged by any speaker during the debate in the House or Senate. The majority vote obtained would not be sufficient to pass the resolution over a veto.

SWISS ACCEPT WORLD LEAGUE

Vote is 400,000 to 300,000 in Favor of Entering Society of Nations.

Berne—Switzerland in a referendum on the question of accepting or rejecting of membership in the League of Nations, voted in favor of the proposition.

The majority was a narrow one, 11 1/2 of the cantonal votes being in favor and 10 1/2 against. The popular vote in favor of the league was approximately 400,000 and against it 300,000.

It was foreseen that a large majority of the French-speaking cantons would favor the league while as a whole the German speaking cantons, were about even, the city of Zurich holding the balance.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE



By Mary Graham Donner

THE CHOSEN DAY.

"Ah," said the little brownie to the purple fox glove which was just out, "I am very glad to see you."

The purple fox glove bowed its pretty flower head and said, "I thank you, little brownie. And pray do you like my speckled center? I feel it is quite smart. And do you like my sister here in her plain white dress?"

"I do, indeed," said the little brownie.

"To think," said the little brownie, "that not long ago I was at this little place so near the sea and that on one of the rivers not far away I saw some sea gulls sitting on the ice."

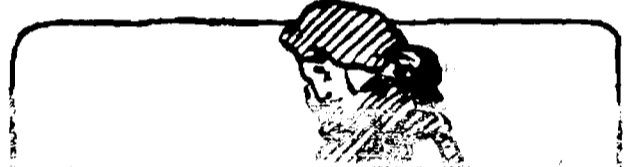
"We didn't see that," said the purple fox glove, "or rather I mean we didn't see them."

"I guess we were asleep," said the white fox glove.

"Yes," said the little brownie, "then it was winter, and now it is the late, late spring. It's quite a cloudy day, too, and nice for the eyes—doesn't tire them, I mean, though I think the sun is lovely, too. Ever since I joined Peter Gnome's club I have really and truthfully found something nice each day."

Just then some people came along. "Well," said one, "it makes me mad. Here I had chosen this one day to take off from work and now it has gone and turned out cloudy and horrid. It does make me mad."

"It makes me mad, too," said another. "This very day I planned to take off and then it has to be as it is



"I Feel Dreadful."

now, and goodness only knows any moment whether it will rain or not." "That's so," said the first person, "one can't decide what to do because the weather itself doesn't seem to know what to do."

"It does make me mad," said the second person again, "to think of choosing this day when it is such a horrid one. Oh, dear, I am so angry and so put out."

Just then along came a creature who looked very fine and also as though very nice if one got to know him better. He wore a heavy cape of gray around his shoulders and he looked a trifle sad. Still he did look very nice.

"Who are you?" asked the little brownie.

"I'm Father Weeks' child. I'm Tuesday."

"Why, you're today," exclaimed the little brownie.

"I am," said Tuesday, "and I feel dreadful to think that folks should talk about me so."

"I had certain work to be done which could only be done in such weather and when the sun was not shining too brightly."

"Well, they blamed me as if it were my fault for having been chosen. And they acted as though because I had been chosen as the day they were talking off I should do everything to oblige them."

"Of course I'm sorry I can't oblige everyone but I can't, and I do wish folks would understand it instead of complaining and blaming me."

"Now, this morning, I was running around with some of the Happy Moment Daughters and I heard someone say, 'Isn't this fine, the day will be cloudy and maybe it will rain and I'll do a lot of odds and ends I'd saved to do on the first day that wasn't sunny.' You see, one can't please everyone."

"One can't," said the little brownie, "but don't be hurt, dear Tuesday. You'll come back again and not leave us without any, dear Tuesday, won't you?"

"Oh, yes," smiled Tuesday, "for though I know folks often blame me and blame my family too, and the other days, I know that deep down there are lots of folks who like me."

"They like old Tuesday. They've had happy Tuesdays and they're going to have more. I won't let a few complaints discourage me and make me unhappy!"

MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE HAS RAPID GROWTH

In the winter of 1914 a law was passed by the State Legislature which provided for the organization of mutual automobile insurance companies. The men who prepared this law organized the CITIZENS' AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY of Howell, Michigan, taking out their license to do business August 27th, 1915. The company grew rapidly. Within a few months a number of competing companies were organized until now there are nine competing companies in the state.

One of these smaller companies had assets of \$887.80; another had assets above liabilities of \$88.14; a third had assets in excess of liabilities of \$1,273.55; while a fourth had a surplus of but \$65.27, according to their statements of January 1st, 1920.

The careful automobile owner is anxious to insure with a company having sufficient surplus on hand to pay the big claims. The CITIZENS' MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY of Howell paid one liability claim in April, 1920, of \$2,975, one fire claim of \$2,975, a personal injury claim of \$1,750. The company has never had to borrow a dollar and has always had sufficient surplus to pay its claims promptly. On account of the increased cost of automobiles and repairs it has made a slight increase in the cost of its policy. This has been approved by attorneys, bankers, business men, and farmers.

THE STATEMENT OF THE COMPANY AS OF MAY 1st, 1920, IS AS FOLLOWS:

CLAIMS PAID	No.	Amount.
Since organization	3270	\$435,092.98
First 4 months of 1920	506	72,716.85
During April, 1920	131	25,557.38
RESOURCES		
Current—		
Cash in Banks, Commercial Acct.		\$ 26,957.60
Cash in Banks, Savings Acct.		22,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Stamps		26,240.50
Total Current Assets		\$ 75,198.10
Capital—		
Insurance Building and Site		\$26,802.57
Our Up-to-Date Equipment		10,745.47
		37,548.04
Total Resources		\$112,746.14

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ANNUAL TIME OF TROUBLE ACTOR ALSO PHILOSOPHER

Housecleaning Date May Change, but Sir Herbert Tree Put on Record as Its Consequences Can by No Means Be Avoided.

Housecleaning is one of the spring festivals that has no fixed date, being adaptable to the domestic calendar. It never knows what a big fool he is until he has cleaned up.

grass shows green, the sun mounts higher each day and the buds are puffed up with ambition to clothe tree and shrub in summer garb.

It's close at hand, may be celebrated now as each domestic circle elects, and may be expected to show many of the characteristics of the olden days.

Men should not grumble when the festival is in progress. They get the easiest part. They may have difficulty in locating what they want, but they are in it only part of the time; the home folks are there all the time. It is one time of the year when the men folks ought to smile.—Ohio State Journal.

Craze for Tattooing. Tattoo artists in London have been busy since the armistice. One soldier has had the names of all the battles in which he participated indelibly written on his arm. It was a rather long job, for he had been through the war from the start in 1914. In Thames court recently a man appeared with his hand, quite barren of hair, covered with tattooed butterflies, stars, etc.

There are no millionaire poets. In presenting his portrait to a critic, he wrote on the margin: "To the worst of critics and the best of friends." His friend the critic was rather surprised with this curious inscription, and asked Sir Herbert for a little explanation. Tree quickly replied: "When you put more butter into your criticisms, I'll say you are the best of critics and the worst of friends."

Some Wag. Redd—Black took his dog over to France with him when he left with his regiment, didn't he? Green—Oh, yes. "And they have returned, I hear." "Yes." "Both of their old jobs back?" "Well, the dog has. I saw him chasing his tail today."—Yonkers Statesman.

The war graves map is now a popular publication in Europe. In its larger form it shows 2,000 military cemeteries, and in the more detailed editions it shows the numbered graves.

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STATE NEWS

Ludington—200 men were thrown out of employment when the salt plant closed down.

Detroit—Residents of Grosse Ile township planted 53 trees in honor of the men who were in service during the war.

Honor—The board of supervisors ordered the purchase of a large quantity of poison to combat the grasshopper this summer.

Cadillac—A survey of the gardens in this city has been made, with the result that 604 cultivated plots have been found, an increase of 15 over last year.

Vicksburg—Rather than bond the village to improve the municipal electric plant, the council has voted to sell it to the Michigan Gas & Electric company.

Muskegon—Free clinics for vaccination as a preventative for smallpox have been opened here after a study of the smallpox situation by the board of health.

Lansing—New highway building by the state will, in future, be limited to cases of imperative necessity, according to a decision of the state highway improvement loan board.

Hillsdale—Some of the business men whose business is adversely affected by the Eastern Time are circulating petitions to have the city change back to Central Standard Time.

Monroe—Monroe would be without any gas but for the fact that the Monroe Gas, Light & Fuel Co. secured several hundred gallons of oil from Oklahoma to operate its plants.

Lansing—According to the public utilities commission, many cities throughout the state are deprived of gas service, account of the fuel shortage, and no relief is in sight.

Constantine—A row of American white elm trees has been planted on the west drive of the Constantine Cemetery to commemorate the brave deeds of the soldiers and sailors from this vicinity.

Detroit—All night ferry service may be insisted upon by the Detroit-Windsor council.

Breedsville—Breedsville voted by 44 to 0 for consolidation of schools at a special election.

Monroe—The population of Monroe is 11,573, a jump of 4,680 or 67.9 per cent in ten years.

Grand Rapids—Lewis C. Woodman, 75, prominent as an authority on bee culture, is dead. He had lived here 62 years.

Monroe—By a vote of 558 to 268, voters of Monroe decided to bond the city for \$250,000 to build a new sewer system.

Saginaw—Consumers Power company gave warning that a complete shutoff of gas is likely due to failure to get coal.

Corunna—William Jacobs, 80 years old, former sheriff, and Miss Emily Welfare, 63 years old, of Corunna, were married Monday night.

Washington—Ann Arbor, Mich., has a population of 19,516, or an increase of 4,699 or 21.7 per cent in ten years, according to census figures.

Dowagiac—Charles Egan, 76 years old, Volinia farmer, was burned to death Monday in an attempt to rescue a valuable horse from a burning barn.

Kalamazoo—Lieutenant Albert Smith of Kalamazoo, has just received notification he has been awarded the D. S. C. for extraordinary heroism in action.

Cadillac—There is no shortage of farm labor in this section of the state, William Johnston, county agent, spent a whole day before he found a farm job for a man who applied here.

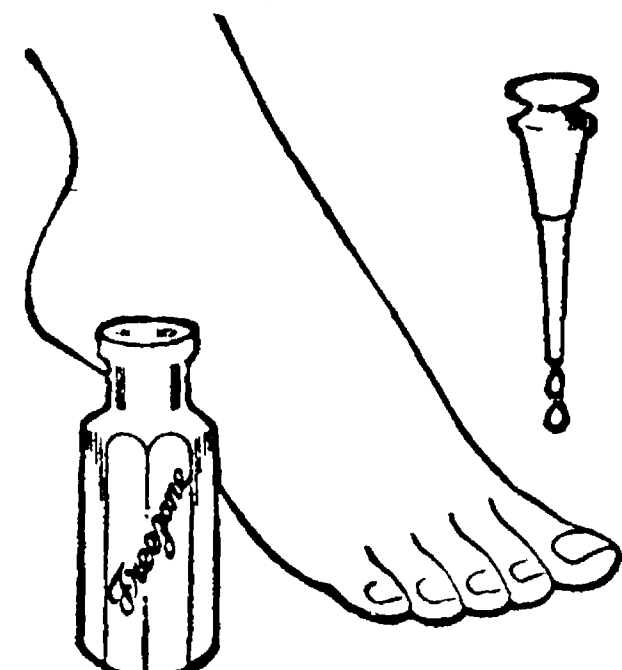
Cadillac—The Cadillac Gas company won its fight for \$1.80 gas rate after officials of the company had issued an ultimatum to the city commission that no more coal would be sent here until the raise was authorized.

Monroe—The north end of the Dixie highway between Monroe and Rockwood will hereafter be a trunk line, according to word received from the state highway commission. The state will pay half of the maintenance cost of the road.

Washington—The population of

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Suspicious Circumstance. "Henry, while we were calling on the Jibways I saw Mr. Jibway make a peculiar sign to you and shortly afterward both of you hurriedly excused yourselves."

"Why—er—yes, my dear. John Jibway wished me to step into the library where he had some old volumes to show me. You know, I have a taste for books."

"Yes, Henry. I dare say your taste was highly gratified. I heard a loud snacking of lips and then you exclaimed, 'Ah! That's the stuff.'" Birmingham Age-Herald.

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"Don't you call me a tree," she stormed, and then began to cry. "I suppose you're going to say next that I'm either a quince or persimmon tree."

"No," he smiled blandly. "I should think a weeping willow would be a more appropriate name."

Strength in Faith. It is the man or the woman of faith and hence of courage, who is the master of circumstances, and who makes his or her power felt in the world. It is the man or the woman who lacks faith and who as a consequence is weakened and crippled by fears and foreboding who is the creature of all passing occurrences.—Exchange.

Thousands of Happy Housewives in WESTERN CANADA

chambers while the council is in session.

Washington—The census bureau announced the 1920 population of Jackson, Mich., as 48,374, and of Gladstone as 4,953. Jackson gained 53.9 per cent and Gladstone 17.6 per cent in the last 10 years.

Detroit—Melville Boynton, who served with the British and French forces in Africa and France as a general, has become a resident of Detroit for the purpose of learning the automobile business.

Grand Rapids—Bids for the new juvenile home exceed the appropriation of \$175,000 by \$50,000 and consequently the supervisors have practically abandoned plans for the erection of the building this summer.

Big Rapids—After serving several years as cook on a G. R. & I. work train, Fred Green, of Paris, is about to be supplanted by his wife, Mr. Green won't be without a "job." He will take a place among outside workmen.

Bay City—The mayor, city treasurer and comptroller, comprising the Bay City sinking fund commission, have purchased from bonding houses in New York City \$20,000 worth of city bonds, drawing 4 per cent interest, at 90 cents on the dollar.

Big Rapids—After a fight of nearly 24 hours, farmers of Grant Township succeeded in controlling field and woods fires which had been threatening Young's Lake vicinity. Most of the damage was to timber. Few buildings were burned.

Owosso—The city budget adopted carries appropriations totalling \$370,000, nearly double that of any previous year. Of this, \$200,000 will be raised by bond for improvements to the waterworks plants and the construction of sewers and water mains.

Owosso—Plans for building several miles of pavements on trunk highways through this county have been given up temporarily by the State Highway Department because of refusal of investors to buy state road bonds running 20 years and paying 5 per cent interest.

Kalamazoo—Only 181 out of 2,500 eligible electors registered to vote at the school election next month, when the budget, calling for an expenditure of \$844,950 comes up. This budget exceeds this year's budget by \$100,000 and will boost the tax rate from \$3.61 to \$12.38 if carried.

Traverse City—Provision has been made by the city commission for a special election June 2 to vote on bonding the city for \$75,000 for construction of a steam electric plant. The present power supply has become exhausted and more current is required for industrial expansion. If the steam plant project does not go through the city will probably develop Beardman River.

has 5,428 people, gaining 80.6 per cent.

Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids' summer tax rate for city and school purposes will be \$29.917 a \$1,000 assessed valuation. It is the highest rate in the history of the city. The city budget is only \$34,000 under the limit that might be raised.

Port Huron—Traffic through the St. Clair river tunnel of Grand Trunk railroad is nearing normal, a total of 523 cars having been handled in 24 hours. Yardmen at Pontiac and Detroit are still out and freight to these points and Chicago is subject to delay.

Standish—A modern milk plant has been commenced at Standish. It is being built by The Belle Isle Creamery Company of Detroit and Standish, and the main building will be 50 by 102 feet in side. An artificial ice plant will be run in connection.

Kalamazoo—John Porter was released from jail a month ago on bail furnished by Harold Upjohn to visit his dying mother in Chicago. Porter has not been seen since and the Chicago police can find no address or records of a dying mother. Upjohn is out \$2,000.

Charlevoix—Mrs. William Sutton, who lives south of this city on the Norwood Road, has on display the largest egg ever produced in Charlevoix County. It was laid by a small White Leghorn and measured seven inches in circumference one way and nine inches the other.

Kalamazoo—While cleaning a window Tuesday the sash fell on Mrs. Arnold Joldersma's left hand and crushed three fingers. She was held prisoner for over an hour, as her screams were not heard. Finally she was able to raise the window with a small iron rod. Then she fainted.

Grand Rapids—To support and promote the Constitution of the United States of America and to exert in every lawful way a propaganda of pure Americanism are the avowed purposes of the Loyalty League of America, the articles of association of which have been filed with the secretary of state in Lansing.

Jackson—Several wool collecting agencies have been established in Jackson County by the farm bureau. Farmers have until July 15 to deliver their product. The wool will be graded and pooled at the bureau's warehouse. It is expected that the grading system will raise the standard of wool produced in Michigan.

Lansing—The board of state auditors has raised the mileage allowance for use of automobiles by state employees from 7 cents to 9 cents a mile, because of the high cost of everything. Employees are to be restricted to use of their machines to towns which cannot be reached by rail to prevent abuse of the mileage allowance.

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"Muh wife died yist'd'y, sah, and I aims to enjoy a short mou'n'."—Kansas City Star.

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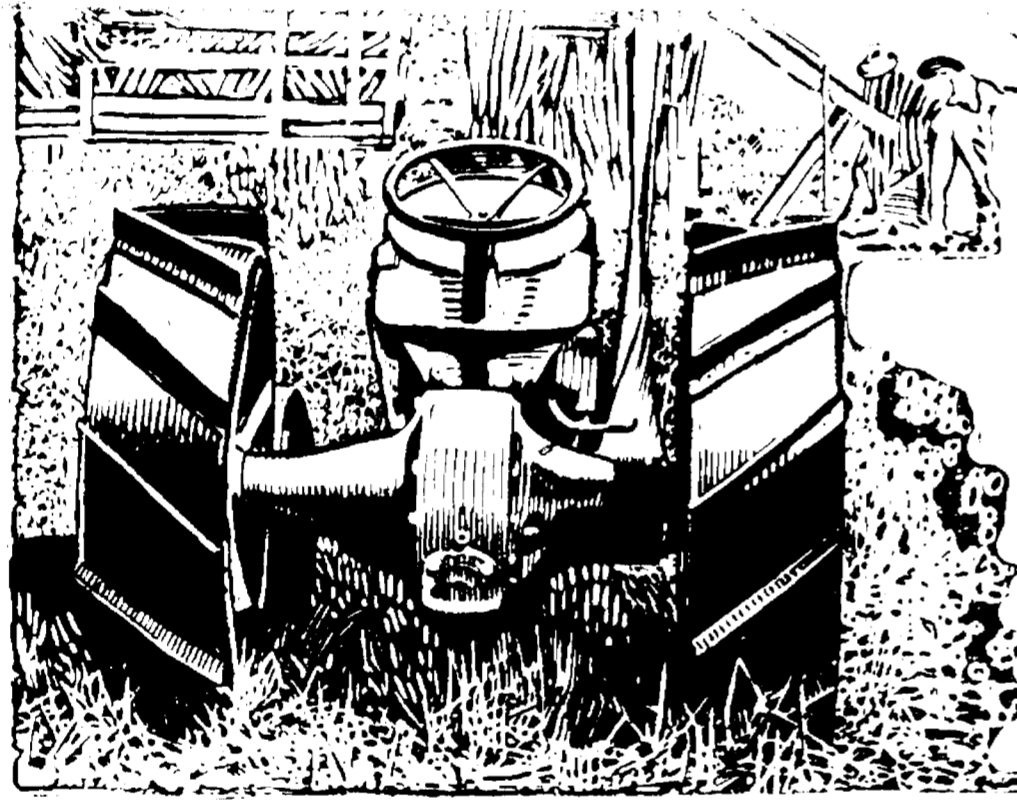
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