

PINCKNEY DISPATCH

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EVERYBODY WELL PLEASED

AT THE PROSPECT OF FIRST-CLASS LIGHTING SERVICE

SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD

TO GRANT RIGHT OF WAY TO THE EDISON COMPANY

The Township Board met Monday with Messrs. Thompson and Hinks, representatives of the Edison Company, and it did not take long for the Board to grant the lighting company permission to erect its lines through the township.

The ratification of the Board's action in this matter will be voted on by the voters of the township on Monday, June 21, at a special election held for this purpose.

The Edison Company expects to furnish farmers and others along the line with current for power and lighting. Probably in the future the farmers and villages will enjoy more of the modern privileges now enjoyed by comparatively few outside of cities.

24 hours every day and an adequate all-night lighting system for stores, homes and streets.

Households will then be able to use electric power for not only lighting but also for cooking heating and the many different labor saving methods that are now enjoyed by the city housewife.

The Edison Company proposes to furnish current for light and power at the same prices charged to Detroit consumers who use the Edison current for comfort and profit.

The prices paid by Detroit consumers are about 33 1-3 less than the price now charged to Pinckney consumers and we are informed by members of the Village Council that the local lighting company will not light the streets at the old rate, but will expect to charge even more for this service in the future.

The Edison minimum rate is 50 cents per month with 10 per cent discount for prompt payment, which brings this rate down to 45 cents, a saving of 55 per cent to many who use current sparingly and economically and who are now obliged to pay \$1 every month for the inadequate service now rendered.

The 24-hour service will be fully appreciated by all. No longer will it be necessary to use a kerosene lamp to read and retire by late at night, to attend a member of your family who is ill, or to those whose duties or occupations require early rising through the short days of winter.

There will be no charge for the use of meters. The Edison Co. furnish free meters and also replace all lamps that have been burned out, free of charge.

There are other advantages to be obtained by the use of the Edison lights that will be discussed in later issues of this paper. If there is a single objection to giving the Edison the permission asked for we have not heard of it but these columns are open for a discussion of the question.

LIVINGSTON CO. FARM BUREAU

The Farm Bureau drive of Livingston County has been completed with nearly 1400 members. The local organizations in the townships have been formed with the election of officers and one delegate for each 50 members or major portion thereof in the township.

These delegates met at Howell and adopted a constitution and by-laws as recommended by the Michigan State Farm Bureau, they also approved the constitution and by-laws of the State Farm Bureau.

The following officers in the County organization were elected: President J. G. Hays, Genoa, Vice President Wesley Witty, Marion, Executive Committeemen: Two years, M. J. Roche, Putnam C. P. Lyons, Tyrone, C. C. Olsenk, Cohoctah. One year: Asel Stowe, Iosco, S. H. Munsell, Howell, Clifford Copeland Conway.

The organization in Putnam township consists of: M. J. Roche, Delegate M. J. Roche, Chairman, Lynn Hendee, Secretary.

The organization in Hamburg township consists of: Wheeler Martin, Delegate, Myron Hendrick, Chairman, Henry Quaal, Secretary.

Fred S. Dunks
County Agricultural Agent.

DESECRATION OF GRAVES

two geranium plants from the grave of Mrs. Brenningstall. The plants were placed on the grave by Mr. Brenningstall and his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Flintott Friday and were stolen Saturday night or early Sunday morning.

It is almost incomprehensible that anyone should love flowers enough to rob a grave of the floral tributes placed by loved ones in remembrance of the departed.

Mr. Brenningstall states that plants on another grave were also taken and he will gladly give a handsome reward for information leading to the conviction of the guilty party.

GARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends, the Ladies Aid Society and the Sunday School Class for their many deeds of kindness and sympathy during the illness of Mrs. Wheeler.

Mrs. Mary Wheeler
Frank Newman.

S. S. RALLY

There are 40 Sunday Schools in this county, and they are all going to meet at Hartland June 17 and 18 for a grand rally or Convention.

Each Sunday School is expected to send two delegates. Make sure that your school is represented.

BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for the Township of Putnam will meet at the Town Hall in the village of Pinckney on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8th and 9th for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll as prepared by the Supervisor. Any tax payer not satisfied with his assessment may meet the Board of Review on the above dates to adjust all claims for charges on the tax roll.

The Board of Review will also meet Tuesday June 15.

M. J. Reason
Supervisor Putnam Township

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L. E. Smith
Assessor, Pinckney Village.

SHADOW BOX SOCIAL

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JUNE 20

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and we are pleased to announce to the Public that we are prepared to fill your wants with a full line of

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Potted Plants
Etc.

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We solicit a share of your patronage

Yours

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In a Better Way
In a Better Place
Or for a Better Purpose

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A FINE LINE OF

- Ladies, Gents and Childrens Underwear
- Ladies Bungalow Aprons
- Mens Workshirts, Pants, Overalls
- Mens Collars and Ties
- Mens Dress Shirts
- Childrens Overalls, Coveralls
- Waists and Shirts

We guarantee our prices on Gingham and Percales to be lower than in any place in the surrounding country

Fine Dress Gingham.....40c per yard
Best Percales.....50c per yard

We also have a very complete line of HOSIERY

Silk, Mercerized or Cotton at prices that will save you from 10 cents to 75 cents per pair

Grocery Specials for Saturday, May 28th

Yeast Foam per pkg.....	4c	Dates per pkg.....	27c
Ohio Blue Tip Matches per box.....	8c	6-cent Sack Salt.....	5c
Kant Be Beat Coffee.....	38c	Small can Silver Con. Milk.....	7c
Currants per pkg.....	27c	Small can Potted Meat.....	6c
Ivory Soap Flakes.....	10c		

Be sure and get our prices on Flour

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

Highest Prices for Butter and Eggs

"To the Unknown Dead"



"Shall we think today of our own dead only?" he asked. "Is this a time of merely personal and selfish recollections? Should not our memorial take wider sweep? I wish that on every Memorial day hereafter, when each flag-marked grave in this cemetery receives its token, a wreath might be laid at the foot of this beautiful monument in grateful thought of the unknown dead scattered throughout the Southland. Shall it be so? Will you make this a part of your Memorial ob-

STOMACH GOOD AS NEW. FOUR DOCTORS GAVE HER UP

Mrs. Hendricks, Bedfast Five Months, Was Able to Work in Two Weeks.

"I was sick last winter for five months with stomach and bowel trouble. Could not turn myself in bed without help. I was under the care of four doctors, and they gave me up. Then Mr. Mills, the druggist, persuaded my husband to try a bottle of Milks Emulsion. I had only taken it two days until I was sitting up in bed, and in two weeks I was doing my own work. When I began taking it I weighed only 70 pounds; now I weigh 130 pounds."—Mrs. Mary Hendricks, 900 Litchfield Road, Owensboro, Ky.

Thousands of people who have suffered for years from stomach and bowel troubles have found relief almost from the first dose of Milks Emulsion. And it is real, lasting benefit.

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 50c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere.—Adv.

BUILT MANY CENTURIES AGO

Florida's Shell Mounds Believed to Date Back to Before Beginning of Christian Era.

Florida's shell mounds, which are found in different portions of the state, are unquestionably of human construction, and were probably built by some race of people who inhabited the country about the beginning of the

Sure Relief



ASTHMA

DR. J. D. KELLOGG'S ASTHMA REMEDY for the prompt relief of Asthma and Hay Fever. Ask your druggist for a list for 25 cents and one dollar. Write for FREE SAMPLE. Northrop & Lyman Co., Inc., Buffalo, N.Y.

UNCLE SAM a SCRAP chew in PLUG form MOIST & FRESH

Not Forgotten. It is rather hard to decide which is the more maddening in a certain New Jersey town not far from New York, the taxi service or the telephone. One day, having waited almost up to train time for the taxi he had ordered, a prominent townsman picked up the telephone in a great rage and asked for the number of the dilatory taxi

W son swept up the hill, passed into the cemetery, and halted in the central plaza, not far from the soldiers' monument, which was the pride of Howelton. At the word of command the various squads filed off to right and left to decorate the flag-marked graves; and ranks were broken and parade was dismissed to await their return.

Captain Graham, marshal of the day, turned to the gentleman riding at his side and said:

"I suppose we might as well dismount, general, and stretch our legs. I don't know how it is with you, but I'm free to confess that I don't ride as easily nowadays as I used to when we went scampering up and down Dixie at the heels of Phil Sheridan."

"I'm afraid that I must make the same confession, Graham," returned the other, a man of middle age, although with gray hair, against whose coat was pinned loosely an empty sleeve.

"Beg pard'n, cap'n," said the cemetery caretaker, approaching them at this instant; "but I wish that you'd step this way a minute. There's suthin' kinder cur'us goin' on jest the other side of the hedge, yander."

It was a little "cur'us" perhaps; but it was certainly more than a little pathetic. Just a tiny flag stuck in the ground, with a rude wreath of wild flowers beside it, and a small boy with a dilapidated army musket over his shoulder doing sentry duty before it. Ten paces forward, wheel, right-about-face, ten steps back; up and down he went, as regularly as a pendulum, and with such intentness that he failed to note the faces watching him through the hedge. But the whispered word of Captain Graham, "I wonder what he thinks he's doing," reached his ear and he faced about quickly, and, recognizing the military rank of his visitors, brought his musket to the "present" in the most matter-of-fact way. Humoring his fancy, the two soldiers gravely returned the salute.

"I see that you are on special duty, comrade," said the captain. "What is your detail?"

"I'm decorating and guarding the grave of Sergeant Calvin Hunter, Company B, One Hundred and Eighty-seventh regiment, New York Volunteers," was the reply.

The general started and seemed about to speak, but apparently thought better of it.

"H—u—m!" said Captain Graham thoughtfully. "Hunter! Hunter! I thought I knew every soldier buried in this cemetery, but that's a new name to me. Sure you haven't made a mistake? Are you certain that his body is here?"

"Oh, no, sir," and there was a very unsoldierly quiver of the boyish lips

then, and he was killed in the war, and nobody knows where he was buried; and—and I couldn't bear to think that there wouldn't be any flowers on his grave, and that nobody would remember him, and so—I thought that I'd just make believe he was buried here, behind this hedge, out of sight of everybody over yonder, and I—I thought that if I put a flag up for him, and some flowers by the side of it, mebbe—mebbe he'd know it somehow, and would be glad that he wasn't altogether forgotten. There—there ain't no harm in it, is there, sir? They—they won't think I'm makin' fun nor nothin', will they, sir?"

And in earnestness of appeal the boyish hands were thrust out and the clumsy old musket fell clattering to the ground.

Something seemed to be the matter with Captain Graham's throat, making speech difficult for a moment; and before he could answer General Bowers stepped forward and said:

"What was your father's name?" "Calvin Hunter, sir, sergeant, Company B, One Hundred and Eighty-seventh regiment, New York Volunteers."

"Do you know where he was killed?" "Not exactly, sir, but somewhere in the Wilderness. The paper said that it wasn't a regular battle but just a little skirmish, like."

"Captain Graham," said the general, "if you please I'd like to have a little talk with this boy. Suppose you go back to the rest, and leave me here. Form your lines when you are ready, and move on up to the monument. I'll be there in time for my part of the program."

They were wondering what had become of the orator of the day. What was the matter? Had anything happened? Was he sick? It had been a great "card" for Howelton to capture for Memorial day orator a man in so great demand as General Bowers, once governor of the state and now congressman from the Thirteenth district. Were they to be disappointed after all?

No, there he comes; and holding fast his hand is a lad unknown to the older people, but quickly identified by the numerous boys present as "the kid wot's come to live at ol' Ben Martin's."

On they came together, the ill-assorted pair, and mounted the platform, the general seeing to it that a seat was provided for his young companion; then he was ready for his speech.

Probably no one who heard it will ever forget it. Its theme was the common soldier of the war, the man who stood in the ranks and did the actual fighting, and for whom there was little reward of fame or of gain. Very tenderly he spoke of the men who never came back, who lie where they fell, whose resting places no one knows, on whose graves no flowers are laid in loving remembrance.

rang in a mighty shout from the multitude.

"I thank you, friends," General Bowers said, "in behalf of those who cannot speak their thanks themselves. Now just one story—you know that we old soldiers are great on spinning stories of the war."

"One day in the Wilderness campaign a captain and a detail of a sergeant and twenty men on special outpost duty ran upon a large force of the enemy. Several of the men were hit, but stumbled on—all but the captain, who fell, severely wounded. Seeing this, the sergeant turned back in the face of almost certain death, took the insensible officer on his shoulders, and staggered forward, only to fall himself, shot through the head, just as a party of our men dashed up to the rescue."

"It was a common incident of the war, and attracted no attention. When the captain came out of the hospital, weeks after, no one could tell him where the sergeant was buried. And to this day that captain has been unable to find any trace of the man to whom he owes his life, or of any of his family, though he has done his best."

"To this day, I say. A little while ago my attention was called to a singularly beautiful and pathetic scene. Over yonder, behind that hedge, out of sight of the gathered people, this boy was standing guard over a flag and a bunch of wild flowers, his offering to his soldier father's memory. Questions brought out his story."

"Men and women of Howelton, you have just promised that hereafter you will remember in your gift of flowers the men who sleep in unknown graves. We will begin today. See, here are two wreaths. Somewhere in the Wilderness of Virginia lies the body of Calvin Hunter, sergeant, Company B, One Hundred and Eighty-seventh regiment, New York Volunteers. We, Harry Hunter, his only son, and Jasper Bowers, whose life he saved, lay these wreaths in his memory at the foot of yonder monument."

"Tention!" rang out Captain Graham's command, sharp and clear; and at the word every man sprang to his place. "Soldiers, present arms! All, uncover!" And with bared heads, and in thrilling and breathless silence, the great assemblage stood and watched the eminent man and the unknown boy come down from the platform and reverently lay the flowers at the base of the monument on the top of which a carved soldier stood with face ever turned toward the Southland.

Quite True. Artist—I would like to paint a picture of you and your wife kissing. Gentleman—But I thought you were a marine artist. Artist—Quite true. I would label this a "Few Smacks."

red man set foot in Florida, and the fact that the deposit of earth above them was sufficient to give place to the root of trees proved their great age.

There have been found in all these mounds pieces of pottery imbedded in the shell conglomerate, as well as articles made of shell and bone, rude stone implements and many bones of fish and animals, such as deer, terrapin, rabbits, alligators and others. There are in the entire state about forty mounds, the most important of which are those of King Phillip's town, near the outlet of Lake Harney, which are 450 feet long, from 100 to 150 feet broad, and with an average height of eight feet.

Scant Comfort. One possible service performed by visiting wife's relatives is eating so much that there aren't so many leftovers for next day.—Ohio State Journal.

The average man is a poor judge of his own importance.

connection, have you forgotten me?" "No, I haven't forgotten you, Mr. Henry," said the mild feminine voice at the other end of the wire. "This is Mrs. Brown."

Junior Demands Variety. Junior insists on hearing a story at bedtime. He has exhausted all the fairy stories of his entire army of relatives and friends.

The other night Junior made his usual demand for a story. Grandmother, always to be relied upon, racked her brain for a new one and finally had to fall back on one he had heard before. Grandmother saw his lips curl as she started in on the tale. Then he threw back his head, yawned and reached for his grandmother's hand.

"Aw, cut that out, granny," he said. "That's old stuff. Let's talk about the strike."

Louisiana has 19 registered women statisticians, which exceeds the record of any other state.

Try Postum Instead of Coffee

at the family table for a week or two and see if everyone doesn't relish the change.

Postum Cereal

a drink of delicious flavor—should be boiled fully fifteen minutes to bring out its full-bodied richness.

Better health and comfort usually follow a change from coffee to Postum.

"There's a Reason"

Made by POSTUM CEREAL CO., Inc., Battle Creek, Mich.

ASPIRIN INTRODUCED BY "BAYER" IN 1900

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

If you want the true, world-famous Aspirin, as prescribed by physicians for over eighteen years, you must ask for "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin."

The "Bayer Cross" is stamped on each tablet and appears on each package for your protection against imitations.

In each package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" are safe and proper directions for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, and for Pain in general.

Handy tin boxes containing 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Additional Charge.

"Twenty dollars for this job of plumbing?"

"That's correct."

"But you were not on the premises more than an hour, and I paid for all the material you used."

"There was a piece of glass on your driveway. I damaged a tire," said the plumber, briefly.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

ASK FOR "DIAMOND DYES"

Don't Buy a Poor Dye That Fades, Streaks or Ruins Material.

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can diamond-dye a new, rich, fadeless color into worn, shabby garments, draperies, coverings, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods.

Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—then perfect results are guaranteed. Druggist has color card.—Adv.

Wanted: A Ticket Seller.

"I see you advertise for a ticket seller and ask that ladies weighing more than 200 pounds kindly do not apply."

lady shaping up larger than that could not get into my glass cage.—Film Fun.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Catarrhal Deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Catarrhal 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.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of catarrhal deafness that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

All druggists 75. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Credit.

"My mother's gone to town to pay some bills."

"We have men sent right to the house to collect ours."—Browning's Magazine.

Some people are more afraid of germs than they are of a mad dog.

BRACE UP!

The man or woman with weak kidneys is half crippled. A lame, stiff back, with its constant, dull ache and sharp, shooting twinges, makes the simplest task a burden. Headaches, dizzy spells, urinary disorders and an "all worn out" feeling are daily sources of distress.

A Michigan Case

Mrs. Fred Stollcker, 1309 N. Larch St., Lansing, Mich., says: "My back was lame and my kidneys were weak. The pains in my back and kidneys were awful. I had severe pains in the top of my head and was tired and had no ambition. I used two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills. They cured me and I felt like a different person."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. POSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Kill All Flies!

THEY SPREAD DISEASE. DAISY KILLER attracts and kills all flies, gnats, mosquitoes, house flies, and all other annoying insects. It is safe for all animals and humans. It is the most effective fly killer ever. It kills all flies in 10 minutes. It is sold in 10c and 25c packages. Write for free literature. HAROLD BOWEN, 16 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

GRAIN AND FUEL TO HAVE PRIORITY

COMMERCE COMMISSION ORDERS FREIGHT CARS RUSHED TO BREAK BLOCKADE.

RAILROAD CRISIS IS DEBATED

Labor Board Considers Claims of Conductors and Brakemen For Boosts in Pay.

Washington.—Progress in the handling of the freight jam was reported by the interstate commerce commission, which announced that the movement of freight cars for grain loading had begun in large volumes westward from New England and the Atlantic seaboard.

These cars are being moved in solid trains under expedited orders, and their transfer is watched continually to avoid preventable delays, the commission said.

Simultaneously, a counter movement of cars for coal loading has been instituted from the middle west to the coal producing areas of the east.

The commission announced that this order of handling equipment would be continued "until a more proper balance of these classes of equipment is obtained," and predicted considerable relief both by providing foodstuffs and fuel where needed and by easing the financial strain resulting from the long continued tie-up.

Consideration of the Cummins amendment to the transport act, designed to help the car shortage situation, began before the senate interstate commerce committee. A favorable conclusion is understood to have been reached on the proposal to extend from five to 15 years the period of repayment of loans made by the government for improvements, but consideration of other provisions in the amendment was postponed.

Repayment period be enacted, Walter D. Hines, former railroad administrator, told the committee in a letter to Senator Kellogg, an additional appropriation of about \$350,000,000 would be needed to enable the railroad administration to liquidate pending claims.

Some members of the committee, it was said, took exception to this estimate as excessive. The subcommittee was named in order to determine whether such an appropriation could be put through congress at this time, pending final action on the amendment.

The federal reserve board met with its advisory council and reserve bank officials to discuss the freight blockade. Primarily the conference of bankers was aimed at the credit situation, but the menace of a traffic tie-up assumed a foremost position in the session. Its many ramifications booked up the nation's commerce and banking with the economic danger the financiers saw in the freight jam, it was said.

BANKERS BACK INFLATION CURB

Pledge Aid to Federal Reserve in Curtailing Nonessential Loans.

Washington.—Bankers of the country, through representatives attending a conference with the federal reserve board, pledged themselves to help the board in a drive on high prices and to aid in efforts at deflation.

Specifically, the bankers agreed unreservedly to support the board's new policy in discouraging "habitual and unnecessary borrowings," and to seek curtailment of "long standing, non-essential loans," as an initial step toward ending the era of high prices and speculation.

Governor Harding set forth the board's policy in a speech designed to clarify the general situation and to explain the government's views. He warned of impending dangers in the cycle of continued borrowings and speculation and appealed to bankers and public alike to be conservative in its demands for banking credit.

"It is evident," Mr. Harding said, "that the country cannot continue to advance prices and wages, to curtail production, to expand credits and attempt to enrich itself by non-productive operations and transactions without fostering discontent and radicalism and that such a course, if persisted in, will eventually bring on a real crisis."

Mr. Harding said that "everything must be done" to expedite the release of money in "frozen loans" and in commodities held either for speculative purposes or because of lack of transportation, and urged bankers to use the utmost discrimination in granting new loans.

Latest Markets

LIVE STOCK—DETROIT. Best heavy steers, \$11.50@12; best handy weight butcher steers, \$11.50@12.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$10@11.50; handy light butchers, \$9@11; light butchers, \$8@9; best cows, \$8.75@9; butcher cows, \$7@8; cutters, \$6; canners, \$5@6.75; best heavy bulls, \$8.50@8.75; bologna bulls, \$8@8.25; stock bulls, \$7.50@8; feeders, \$9@10.50; stockers, \$7@8.50; milkers and springers, \$85@140.

Calves. Good, \$14@14.50; pigs, \$10. Sheep and Lambs. Best lambs, \$17; fair lambs, \$14@15.50; light to common lambs, \$8@11; fair to good sheep, \$10@11; culls and common, \$4@7.

Hogs. Mixed hogs, \$14.35; pigs, \$14@14.10.

EAST BUFFALO. Cattle—Prime shipping steers, \$13.25@13.50; best shipping steers, \$12.50@13; medium shipping steers, \$11.50@12; best native yearlings, 950 to 1,000 pounds, \$13.50@14; light native yearlings, good quality, \$11.50@12.50; best handy steers, \$12.50@13.25; fair to good kind, \$11.50@12; state heifers, \$9.50@10.50; best fat cows, \$10.50@11; butchering cows, \$8.50@9.50; cutters, \$6.50@7; canners, \$4.50@5.25; fancy bulls, \$10@11; butchering bulls, \$8.70@8.90; common bulls, \$7@8; best feeders, 950 to 1,000 pounds, \$9@10; medium feeders, \$8.50@9; stockers, \$8@8.50; light to common, \$6.50@7.50; best milkers and springers, \$100@130; mediums, \$50@75.

Hogs—Heavy, \$14@14.50; yorkers, \$15@15.10; pigs, \$14.50@14.75.

Sheep—Top lambs, \$18.50@19; yearlings, \$15@16.50; wethers, \$14@14.50; ewes, \$12@13.

Calves—\$7@16.50.

GRAIN AND FEED.

Wheat—Cash No. 1 red, \$3.20; No. 1 mixed, \$3.18; No. 1 white, \$3.18; No. 2 red 3c and No. 3 red 3c under No. 1 red. White wheat 2c under red.

Corn—Cash No. 3, \$2.05; No. 3 yellow, \$2.10; No. 4 yellow, \$2.05; No. 5

yellow, \$1.95; No. 1 white, \$1.75; No. 2 white, \$1.70.

Rye—Cash No. 2, \$2.10.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$7.85 per cwt.

Seeds—Prime red clover, \$20.50; October, \$24; alsike, \$26.50; timothy, \$5.60.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$37.50@38; standard, \$38.50@37; light mixed, \$36.50@37; No. 2 timothy, \$35.50; No. 2 timothy, \$33@35; 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, \$16@17; fancy winter patent, \$15.50@16.50; second winter patent, \$14.50@15; winter straight, \$13.25@14 per bbl.

Feed—Bran, \$58@59; standard middlings, \$59@60; fine middlings, \$60@62; coarse cornmeal, \$78@80; cracked corn, \$86.60; chop, \$72@73 per ton in 100-lb sacks.

FARM AND GARDEN.

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

Strawberries—Tennessee and Arkansas, \$3.75@4.25 per 24-pint case; \$6.50@7.50 per 24-quart case.

Popcorn—Shelled, 9c per lb.

Cabbage—Texas, 5 1-2@6c per lb.

Cauliflower—\$3.50@4 per case.

Mushrooms—\$1.75@2 per basket.

New Potatoes—Florida, \$15@17 per bbl.

Dressed Hogs—Light, 18@20c; heavy, 16@18c per lb.

Celery—Bunch, \$1.35@1.65; Florida, cases, \$6@6.50.

Dressed Calves—Best, 18@19c; ordinary, 16@18c per lb.

Onions—Texas-Bermudas, \$2.75@3; Texas war, \$3.25@3.50 per crate.

Maple Sugar—Maple sugar, 45@48c per lb; maple syrup, \$3.50@3.75 per gallon.

Tomatoes—Six basket, carrier, repacked, \$12@12.50; original cases, \$7@8.

POULTRY.

Live Poultry—Spring chickens, best, 36@37c; Leghorns, 35@36c; hens, 40@41c; small hens, 38@46c; 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, 53 1-2c asked; prints, 54c per lb.

Eggs—On the Butter and Egg board: No. 1 fresh, 43 1-4c asked and 43c bid; storage packed extras, 44 1-2@44 3-4c asked 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, 34 1-2@35 1-2c; domestic block Swiss, 39@40c; imported Swiss, 55c per lb.

ECZEMA!



THIS isn't one of those fake free treatment offers you have seen so many times. We don't offer to give you something for nothing—but we do guarantee that you can try this wonderful treatment, entirely at our risk, and this guarantee is backed by your local druggist.

This makes the offer one which you can absolutely depend upon, because the druggist with whom you have been trading would not stand behind the guarantee if he did not know it to be an honest and legitimate one.

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure, has been sold under absolute money back guarantee for more than thirty years. It is especially compounded for the treatment of Eczema, Itch, Ring Worm, Tetter, and other itching skin diseases.

Thousands of letters testify to its curative properties. M. Timerlin, a reputable dry goods dealer in Durant, Oklahoma, says: "I suffered with Eczema for ten years, and spent \$1,000.00 for doctors' treatments, without result. One box of Hunt's Cure entirely cured me."

Don't fail to give Hunt's Salve a trial—price 75 cents, from your local druggist, or direct by mail if he does not handle it.

A. B. RICHARDS MEDICINE CO., Sherman, Texas



Spohn's Distemper Compound

will knock it in very short time. At the first sign of a cough or cold in your horse, give a few doses of "SPOHN'S." It will act on the glands, eliminate the disease germ and prevent further destruction of body by disease. "SPOHN'S" has been the standard remedy for DISTEMPER, INFLUENZA, PINK EYE, CATARRHAL FEVER, COUGHS and COLDS for a quarter of a century. 60 cents and \$1.15 per bottle at all drug stores. SPOHN MEDICAL COMPANY, Goshen, Ind.



Beautiful Women of Society, during the past seventy years have relied upon it for their distinguished appearance. The soft, refined, pearly white complexion it renders instantly, is always the source of flattering comment.

Gouraud's Oriental Cream

FERDI HOPIKINS & SON, New York



PARKER'S HAIR BALM. Removes Dandruff, Stops Hair Falling, Restores Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair. 50c and \$1.00 at druggists.

HINDENBERG'S REMOVES Dandruff

PECANS—New crop, well developed, 25c lb. postpaid, insured, satisfaction or money refunded. Address: Mellock, Arden, Texas.

GOT CHARACTERS MIXED UP

According to English Actor, History Is Not a Strong Point With Theatergoers.

The late H. B. Irving once told in Philadelphia a story about his father's performance of Sardou's "Robespierre." He said:

"Two dear old ladies sat in their stalls at the Lyceum, waiting for Robespierre to begin.

"By the way, who was Robespierre?" said the first old lady.

"Why, don't you know?" said the second old lady. "He's the man who was murdered in his bath by Marie Corelli."

"Oh, no, my dear," said the first old lady. "That can't be right, for Marie Corelli is still alive. I remember who it was, now. It was Charlotte Bronte."

Then, at the end of the story Mr. Irving added:

"I once told this anecdote to a duchess. When I finished the duchess gave a kind of puzzled laugh and said:

"'Poor Shakespeare!'"

The Bulge That Counts.

Our observation is that folks forgive a man's trousers for bagging at the knees if they bulge at the pockets.

Kind Offer.

He—For love of you I burn. She—All right. I'll call father and he'll put you out.

METHOD IN THAT MADNESS

Why Dad Could Not Bring Himself to Make Serious Objections to Ger-aid's Smoking.

"Henry!" Mrs. Brown's voice was stern. Mr. Brown recognized the signs of a coming storm, so he prepared to listen.

"I saw Ger-aid—our boy—smoking a pipe today—actually, a dirty, smelly pipe!" the poor woman ended with a sob.

"Well, what can we do?" exclaimed her husband. "The boy's seventeen, and has two dollars a week pocket money. I don't see—"

"You mean to say that you will allow him to smoke? Why, it's sheer madness!"

off into the garden, where he came across Ger-aid in a corner with the pipe going full blast.

"Hello, my boy!" he cried. "This is something new, isn't it? Er—by the way, I've left my pouch in the house. Can you give me a fill?"

Then he, as he walked away puffing happily, murmured:

"It may be madness, but there's method in it. I can see Ger-aid's pouch being quite a money saver to poor old dad."—Reluctant Sunday Herald.

SUBSIST MAINLY ON DATES

Fruit Is the Mainstay of Life to the People of Egypt, Arabia, and Persia.

East is west so far as the palm is concerned, Hawaii, California, Florida, Cuba, Egypt, Palestine, they all know their palms. Of all varieties none is so dear to the heart as the date palm. We all know its delicious fruit, but few can conceive the desert dweller's love for it, for he only can appreciate its grateful shade in the sweltering desert heat.

The date palm is always a sure sign of water, for to thrive it must have this. Rising often to a height of 100 feet, it is a haven of refuge to the parched traveler, who knows that to dig near it is to find water. Then there is the delicious fruit to be considered, too. Many of us know the date as a luxury—sometimes stuffed or otherwise, but a considerable part of the inhabitants of Egypt, of Arabia and Persia, subsist almost entirely on its fruit. They boast also of its medicinal virtues. Then the camels feed upon the date stone.

Advertisement for Grape-Nuts cereal, featuring the text "For your breakfast Grape-Nuts" and "A ready-to-eat food that costs but little and is full of the sound nourishment of wheat and malted barley." It also includes an image of the Grape-Nuts product box.

Restaurant

Lunches and Short Order Meals

We are now prepared to serve Lunches and Short Order Meals and it will be our aim to furnish

PROMPT SERVICE
A SANITARY EATING PLACE
GOOD "EATS"
AT
REASONABLE PRICES

We solicit your patronage

The construction of the Large Baking Oven has been delayed but is now almost completed and we will soon be ready to supply the ever growing demand for Bakery Products.

Home Bakery

E. D. CATTLE, Prop.

Children's Ailments



DISORDERS of the stomach and constipation are the most common diseases of children. To correct them you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets. One tablet at bed time will do the work and will make your child bright and cheerful the following morning. Do not punish your children by giving them castor oil. Chamberlain's Tablets are better and more pleasant to take.

Chamberlain's Tablets

"Puts a healing coat on the lining of the throat."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

A COUGH that threatens to rip and tear out the lining of the throat, that seems to jolt and jerk the chest beyond endurance, and causes an echoing thump at the back of the head as if you were hit with a sledge hammer—such a cough needs a cooling, soothing medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to soothe the raw, inflamed surfaces with a healing balm.

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has been used in many instances of severe throatitis, grippe and other racking coughs that debilitate.

What Foley's Did For One Man

J. B. ... Winston, Ga., writes: "Recently ... I had a ... both lungs being inflamed. After ... coughed ... my lungs never 'cleared up' and I had ... severe pain ... I had for three months and couldn't get well. I ... bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it almost ... cured me. It took all the soreness away and cleared my lungs. It is the most valuable medicine I ever used. I cheerfully recommend it."



This old ... remedy seems to get right at the seat of trouble, almost instantly ... the nervous tickling in the throat, clears the passages, breaks that persistent irritation which instigates the paroxysms of coughing. One or two doses produce a desirable and welcome result.

Are You Prepared?

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound should be in every home. No cold should be neglected, however slight. It should be taken in hand promptly and checked just as soon as possible. The longer it lingers the worse for the sufferer. So don't experiment. Get the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar today and have it ready for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, la grippe or bronchial coughs.

For Sale by F. E. WEEKS, Druggist.

GREGORY

Ray Hill and C. M. Titus were in Detroit Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Bowditch and Miss Laveta Titus were Stockbridge callers Wednesday.

Clare Titus and Miss Blanche George visited at the C. M. Titus home Sunday.

Mrs. Kittie Bullis of Jackson visited friends in Gregory and Unadilla Saturday and Sunday.

Edwyna Titus of Oxford spent the week end in Gregory.

The Gregory School celebrated their last day with a picnic dinner and a ballgame against the business men, the school beating with the score of 11 to 16 in their favor.

John Strick and family of Brighton visited at the O. B. Arnold home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reopcke of Chelsea were callers at the home of Carl Bollinger Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Howlett and children of Caro are visiting at the Howlett homes here at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitehead are the parents of Russel Norman a baby boy who came to their home May 17.

Mrs. Sam Denton was called to Detroit the last of the week by the serious illness of her mother Mrs. Johnson.

Several of our young people spent Friday evening at the opening dance at Pleasant Lake.

Mrs. Wm. Collins passed away Monday morning at Mercy Hospital in Jackson where she went two weeks ago for an operation.

Mrs. Mack is still confined to her bed. A son and wife were here last week helping to care for her.

Mrs. Fred Merrill accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buhl to Howell Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrill were visitors in Lansing over Sunday.

Archie Craig and wife of near Stockbridge attended church here Sunday.

Frank Worden's home.

School Notes

The following is the record of attendance for last week: Pauline Swarthout 90, Dayle Kettler 70, Rose Flintoft 60, Agnes Carr 90, Gilbert Campbell 90. All others 100.

Mr. Goodrich, state inspector of schools, visited the schools of Pinckney last Thursday. He placed special emphasis on the fact that the standards of education are becoming higher and that scholarship must hold a higher place in the future development of our schools. To bring such conditions about he is making a special plea throughout the state for moral support rather than financial support.

Merwin Campbell spent last week end visiting his sister in Pontiac.

The percentage of attendance for the Intermediate room was: Edith Campbell 80, Merwin Campbell 80, Mildred Hanes 90, Clara Eisle 50, Wayne Carr 90, George Hornshaw 40. All others 100.

Wayne Carr spent Thursday p. m. in Ann Arbor.

Lucille Cain spelled down her class and Elizabeth Spears was a close second.

Attendance in the primary room as follows: Dwight Cain 80, Clissa Hanes 80, Leola Hanes 90, Lucille Cain 60, Susie Brita 80, Russell Read 80. All others 100.

The second grade is studying "The Story of Columbus."

Lesson read was absent Friday because of illness.

Supper at home.

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FERTILIZER

And now that the sun is about to shine on both sides of the fence again you ought to be studying your

FERTILIZER WANTS

I will represent **Swift and Company** and the **Globe Fertilizer Co.** and carry a complete stock at **My Farm**

I will call on you personally with a representative of the above Companies and would suggest that you call Pinckney, 18-4 rings or write me if interested, as I may miss you. I have made a study of fertilizing and know that you cannot afford to plant without it.

Will handle Nitrate of Soda for forcing vegetables, am also agent for Benjamin Franklin Agricultural Line.

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Pinckney, Mich.

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White is the first thought for the Graduating Dress and Mothers will welcome the opportunity we are giving to secure these eventful gowns so reasonably.

White Silk Chiffon, gaily adorned with ruffles—girlishly styled—are wonderful values at **\$25.00**

Organdies or Voiles—lace trimmed or otherwise daintily adorned are gowns that can be worn all through the summer—after the eventful day is over, and these are economically priced at from **\$18.50 to \$25**

If you wish something in colors, our line of Organdies in shades of pink, orchid, canary, light green or blue will surely appeal to you.

Our Dark Silk Dresses in Taffeta, Satin, or Tricolette—a wide choice of refined styles and desirable colors—everything suitable for street or afternoon wear are reduced one quarter from their already low price.

Soon the warmth of summer will make one wish for a supply of Cotton Dresses—Ginghams, Voiles or Batists. All these gowns are so well and fashionably made as to serve any purpose for which you would care to use them. All are reduced **10 per cent**

Excellent values are presented in this collection of gowns and we would suggest an early selection.

State of Michigan, the probate court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said court, held in the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said county on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of OLIVE MCKINDER, Deceased.

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

It is ordered, That 14 months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered, That the time for presentation of claims against said estate be limited to the time specified in said petition, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said deceased by and before said court.

It is further ordered, That 14 months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered, That the 25th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.

Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

State of Michigan, the probate court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said court, held in the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said county, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Reason, deceased.

Esther Reason, having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to G. W. Teeple or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 18th day of

June, A. D. 1920, at 10 A. M. at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said county, on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM GAVLBY, Deceased.

Grace S. March having filed in said court her petition praying that the time for presentation of claims against said estate be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said deceased by and before said court.

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Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

Grand Trunk Time Table
For the convenience of our readers

Trains East	Trains West
No. 46—7:24 a. m.	No. 47—7:57 p. m.
No. 45—4:44 p. m.	No. 48—9:23 a. m.

WANTED!
Cream, Eggs, Poultry
Cream received Monday forenoon, poultry Monday and Wednesday, and eggs every week day. Will pay all the market affords at all times.
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An exceptionally wide knowledge of values, years of successful salesmanship and careful study of the specialty of rural auctioneering have resulted in success from the very first sale conducted by him, and the large number of sales already held for well satisfied customers are the best recommendations. Special terms for the next sixty days.
Impossible.
Probably no married man, no matter how well trained his hand and brain, is quick enough to take his knife and scrape up a small quantity of red raspberry jam, adulterated with rhubarb, from the luncheon cloth without getting caught.—Columbus Dispatch.
Whitewash.
Sprinkle whitewash on the surface of a carload of coal is the Chinese method of discouraging theft. The vigilant eye of the watchman easily detects the slightest disturbance of the surface.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL
Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jackson of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haslam and family of Windsor spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy Sr.
Fred Read of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Read.
Harry Leavey and Victor Johnson of Detroit were week end guests at the home of their parents here.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bell of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Frank Kraft.
A large number from here attended the K. C. initiation at Ann Arbor Sunday.
Mrs. A. H. Flincoft of Howell and Mrs. Milford Hill and son of Detroit were in town Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leoffler of Flint visited Mrs. M. Bowers over Sunday.
Miss Lucile Tupper spent the week end in Ann Arbor.
Miss Madeline Bowman is visiting friends and relatives at Ypsilanti and

Mrs. R. K. Elliott spent Sunday with E. E. Hoyt and family of Clinton.
Dr. DeGroot, Misses Della Riddering and Carmen Leland of Dundee ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leland.
Fred Fish and family of Adrian have returned home after a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. G. Fish.
Willard Bennett of Albion spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. C. Kingsley, making the trip in his new Ford.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilks of Concord spent the week end with her sister Mrs. C. Kingsley.
George Vollmer of Wauseon, Ohio is visiting his brother, Caspar Vollmer.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Griffin of Fowlerville a son, May 11th.
Mr. and Mrs. Myron Dunning of Detroit were over Sunday visitors at the home of W. C. Dunning.
Mrs. Addie Potterton returned to Jackson the first of the week.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Eisle of Pontiac May 20, a daughter.
Ben and Henry Isham were Sunday visitors at the home of J. Parker.
Fred Bowman has finished his work at Clarkston.
Mr. and Mrs. C. V. VanWinkle and Mrs. G. A. Sigler were Ann Arbor visitors last Thursday.
Mrs. Alice Teeple is visiting Jackson relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow and family were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.
Mrs. Harriet Vanhout and son, H. H. Steinhilber and family, Mrs. Wil K. Perry and daughter Lucile, were Ann Arbor visitors Tuesday.
The children of the women's club held a picnic at the home of Mrs. E. J. Jones and family at the home of John J. Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Lewis of Detroit are visiting at the home of her brothers, James and John Speers.
Leo Monks of Bay City spent Sunday at home.
E. G. Lambertson and family visited Pinckney friends Sunday.
Mr. W. Gurn Dancer of Stockbridge transacted business in town Wednesday.
Rewarded Peary's Discovery.
Robert E. Peary, then a commander of the United States navy, reached the North pole on April 6, 1909. The United States government raised him from the rank of commander to that of rear admiral as a reward for his success in discovering the pole.

Turks and Alcohol.
Though the laws of Mohammed forbid their consumption, alcoholic drinks are not unpopular among the Turkish working classes. They have long been in favor with the upper classes, even in the days when prohibition laws were so strong in Turkey that the grand vizier tried to expel foreign diplomats from importing wine for their own use.
On the Other Side.
Little Phillip had cried all night with toothache and upon receiving a nickel the next morning he went as usual to get candy again. His auntie, on coming home, and finding he had bought candy with her nickel, asked him "Why, Phillip, I thought you weren't ever going to eat candy again?" To which he replied: "Well, auntie, I'm not eating this candy on the toothache side."

FERTILIZER HERE
Carload of fertilizer has arrived, same will be stored on my new farm known as the Orla Jackson Farm.
I will be pleased to arrange for a time payment on your wants if necessary.
S. D. Lapham
Detroit office 526 Grand River Ave.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces, expelling the poisons from the blood and healing the diseased portions.
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on shoes, sew on patches and repair rubbers
W. B. Darrow
FOR SALE—House, barn, chicken house and 1 acre of land in Anderson. Will sell buildings separately.
Floyd Boyce, box 292 Chelsea, Mich.
FOR SALE—Nearly new piano in vicinity of Pinckney. Will be sold for balance due on contract. Must be sold by June 20th. Address
Maher Bros., Jackson, Mich.
CHOICE HORSE HAY FOR SALE—
E. E. Frost
LOST—Parcel containing clothing, on Howell Road. Return to this office. Reward.
WANTED—At highest cash prices, Junk of all kinds. Bring in your Rags Rubbers, Books and Papers. Iron and all kinds of metals. Books and magazines \$1 per cwt., Newspapers 40c.
F. Hogan. Phone 49.
FOR SALE—Jersey cow 5 years old, Fresh in March.
Bert Roche
FOR SALE—Quantity of timothy hay.
Mrs. Alfred Monks
FOR SALE—Three fine bred Plymouth Rock cockerels. \$1.75 each if taken at once.
Mrs. J. E. Kirtland
THE PARTY who took carpet from Kennedy woods now owned by the undersigned, return same at once and avoid serious consequences.
Floyd Reason
FOR SALE—Overland Roadster, good as new, 2 extra tires and rims, well equipped. Cheap for cash.
Martha Nichols, Howell, Mich.
FOR SALE—Baby chicks, Barded Rocks, Anconas, \$18 per 100. Leghorns \$16 per hundred. Good stock.
J. H. Sider
STOWELL'S EVERGREEN sweet corn for sale.
J. C. Dinkel
FOR SALE—Superior Grade Drill and other tools.
Last year's crop.
FOR SALE—Registered Shorthorn, Purebred, Price \$100.00. Also registered Shorthorn, Purebred, Price \$100.00. Also registered Shorthorn, Purebred, Price \$100.00.
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WANTED—Ferge to build. Prompt work, prices reasonable.
J. J. Connors.
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W. B. Darrow
OR SERVICE—Registered Poland China boar. Fee, one dollar at time of service. Also spring pig boar sired by Smooth Mastodon.
Edward Speers One mile west of Pinckney.
PURE LIFE INSURANCE—Age 30—\$13. Age 40—16.
R. J. Carr

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8-in x 11-in Cotton Flags 10c each
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"Eat a Sundae a Day at Our Fountain"
Smooth, Delicious Ice Cream
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A Cool Place to Eat
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Plays on Any Phonograph
4011 Forgotten, baritone with orchestra Joseph Phillips
Old Black Joe, male quartette Shannon Four
4013 In Flanders Field the Poppies Grow, baritone with orchestra Joseph Phillips
Good-Bye, tenor with orchestra Lewis James
4014 In My Garden Of Yesterday, tenor with orch. Sam Ash
At Dawning, tenor with orch. Carroll Shannon
4023 The Little Whistler, whistling solo with orchestra Sybil Sanderson Fagan
A Spring Morning, whistling solo with orchestra Sybil Sanderson Fagan
4016 Perpetuum Mobile, violin solo with piano accompaniment Thaddeus Rich
Air for G String, violin solo with piano accompaniment Thaddeus Rich
4017 Memories of Home, inst. trio Philharmonic Trio
Melody in F, inst. quartette Park Inst. Quartette
4018 Herd Girl's Dream, inst. trio Philharmonic Trio
Fantasia, from Faust, violin solo with piano accompaniment Fred H. Landau
4019 Sembranade Overture, part 1. Conway's Band, Patrick Conway Conductor
Sembranade, part two. Conway's Band, Patrick Conway Conductor
P. H. SWARTHOUT

1920 CUCUMBER PICKLE CONTRACT
Growing cucumber pickles is a most profitable way in which you can use an acre or two of your ground. Pickle seed furnished free and payments made daily.
Contracts may be seen at the Teeple Hardware Co. Store.
The Wilson Packing Co.

Michigan News Tersely Told

Mt. Clemens—The City has purchased a baby lungmotor used to save the babies who are unable to breathe at birth.

Cadillac—F. O. Gaffney, postmaster, Saturday received word from Washington that Cadillac now is a first-class postoffice.

Ann Arbor—M. T. Foo, son of Choo Choon Foo, a wealthy mine owner of Penang Straits Settlement, is dead here, the result of a fall from a horse.

Escanaba—Two hundred and seven men started work at a lumber company plant here, indicating the first break in the strike of timber workers in Delta county.

Pontiac—An Oakland County life savings corps has been organized. T. S. Wylie is president. First aid instruction work will be given as soon as the swimming season opens.

Albion—For the second time this month pamphlets signed "United Anarchistic-Communists" were passed around Athens. A copy has been turned over to the Federal authorities.

Lansing—Numerous complaints have been received by the Michigan public utilities commission from mines in Virginia and Kentucky, that coal cars shipped into Michigan are not returned to the mines.

Sault Ste. Marie—Sam G. Carleton, city assessor, reports that the city valuation has increased about \$73,000. This year's real estate valuation is placed at \$10,193,330, and the personal property at \$5,445,717.

Detroit—Word has been received here that William D. Alton Mann, editor of Town Topics, and colonel of the Seventh Michigan Cavalry during the Civil war, is dead at the age of 81 years at Morristown, N. J.

Ionia—While Ionia is shouting for more houses to care for its growing population, Ionia County shows a constantly growing number of vacant houses. The latest report is 147 empty homes in the rural districts.

Rochester—The contract for a new high school has been let. It will cost \$80,000. Heating will total \$12,000.

Cadillac—Potato prices are staple at \$7.25 a 100, with expectation of an increase before the new crop comes in.

Belding—The strike of the weavers in the silk mills here has been broken. The girls returned to work at their old wages.

Muskegon—Arrival here from Whiting, Ind. of a tanker bringing 1,500,000 gallons of gasoline relieved western Michigan's shortage.

Nottawa—Nottawa is fighting an epidemic of smallpox with 12 families quarantined and compulsory vaccination of all children ordered.

Grand Haven—The council has purchased from the Monroe estate nine acres, with frontage on Lake Michigan, north of Highland Park, for park and playground purposes.

Holland—Salaries of all professors in the Western Theological seminary have been raised from \$2,500 to \$3,000. The last debt on Divinity hall, the students' home, has been paid.

Adrian—Building permits totaling \$10,000 have been issued so far this month here. All forms of construction are included in the records and number several factory extensions.

Cadillac—Tents and other property valued at \$1,000 belonging to the Seventh Day Adventists stored on the Northern District Fair grounds, where annual encampments are held, were stolen during the winter.

Pontiac—The city of Pontiac is suing in circuit court to condemn the Commercial Milling company's property at the Clinton river on Orchard Lake avenue for use as a site for the filtration plant to be built this summer.

Owosso—Frederick Frieske, who was born and spent his boyhood days here, has just been awarded the highest honor that the French government can confer on an artist. He has been made a chevalier of the legion of honor.

Cadillac—The old potato crop practically is cleaned out in Michigan. The potato exchange here has only 23 carloads left in its territory and is turning down more orders than that daily.

U. S. TELLS AUSTRIA TO HOLD REDS TILL RUSS RELEASE YANKS

Washington.—Hungarian communists held by the Austrian authorities must not be transferred to Russia without the reciprocal release of all Americans now detained in soviet Russia, the department of state informed the American commissioner in Vienna.

The views of this government, Secretary Colby announced, are in accord with those of other governments on the subject of the proposed outright release of the Hungarian communists to Russia by the Austrian government.

Reports from various sources have reached the state department of the forcible detention in Russia of American citizens, lacking official relations between any of the principal governments of the world and soviet Russia, diplomatic representations have been impossible as no channel of communication offered, officials said, and the United States has therefore undertaken to bring indirect pressure to bear.

DROP IN PRICES NATION WIDE

Merchandise Cut Follows General Curtailment of Extravagance.

Washington.—The public is on strike against high prices and there is a definite downward trend in commodities throughout the country, according to advisers here.

People have delayed purchasing their summer outfits and in consequence merchants have been left with large stocks on hand.

With price reductions being reported from all over the country, Senator Kenyon said: "It is an indication that some of the people at last decided to stop paying exorbitant prices. The more widespread that decision, the quicker prices will fall."

"There are signs of a general price reduction," said Dr. Royal Meeker.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Toledo Fights Wood Alcohol.

Toledo—With seven dead within two weeks, the police have opened a crusade against dealers in wood alcohol and other poisonous drinks.

Prisoner is Discharged.

Milwaukee—Frank Williams admitted that he had been drunk. "But your Honor, I had just cause," he pleaded. "I was celebrating because I found a house to live in."

Coin to Commemorate Pilgrims.

Washington—The bill authorizing coinage of a special 50-cent piece to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims, was signed by President Wilson.

750 Papers Are Forced To Quit.

Chicago—Several hundred daily and weekly newspapers were forced to suspend publication in the last year by the shortage of print paper, editors declared at the final conference of the Inland Daily Press association.

Calls War Criminals To Court.

Berlin—The German war criminals, on the list recently presented the government by the Allies, have been summoned by the Chief Imperial Republic Prosecutor to appear before the Supreme Court at Leipzig between June 7 and June 20.

Fix 30 Billions Due To Allies.

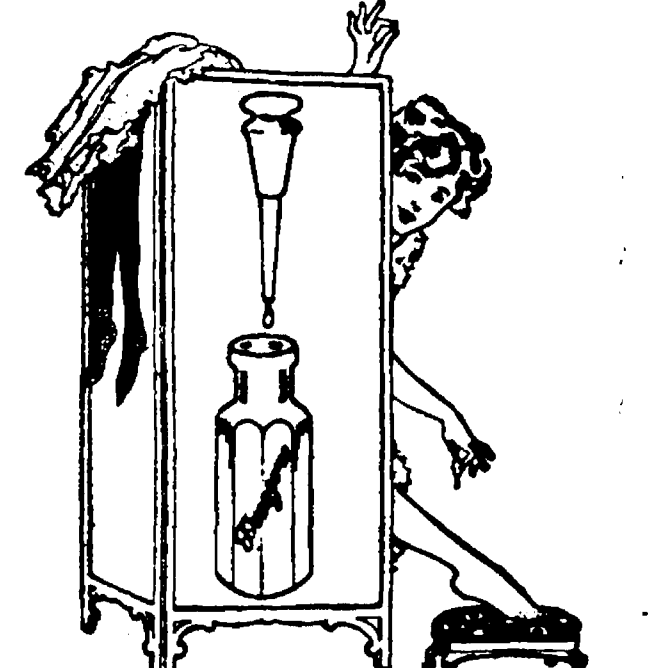
Paris—It is understood in official circles here that the Anglo-French conference at Hythe decided that the sum total which Germany should pay as reparation would be fixed at 120,000,000,000 marks gold, or approximately \$30,000,000,000.

Sustains Beer Bill Veto.

Boston—The State Senate refused to pass over the governor's veto the bill fixing the alcoholic content of beer at not over 2.75 per cent. The vote was: Yes, 14; no, 22. Before the measure went to the governor the Senate

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Too Short. "How did you enjoy the sermon?" "Too short." "That so? I never heard anyone complain that a sermon was too brief before." "Well, you see, it was this way: I'd hardly dropped asleep before the thing was over."

Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs

to increase the present rate of \$1.75 per 1,000 cubic feet. It claims it costs \$2.60 today to produce 1,000 feet of gas.

Petoskey—Petoskey's gasoline supply practically is exhausted. For some time it had been limited to doctors cars and delivery trucks. Many owners report that thieves drain parked cars, motor boats and fish tugs of their gasoline.

Detroit—Louis Kopitzki, dry goods merchant, called in the police on account of attempted robbery of his store. While there they discovered four cases of liquor, and Louis is now facing charges of violating the prohibition laws.

Pontiac—The Social Service Bureau board of directors has voted to establish a child welfare worker in the local office, who would represent the Michigan Children's Home Society. It will also engage a traveler's aid worker for the city.

Flint—Traffic officials of the Grand Trunk, Pere Marquette and New York Central Railroads came to Flint for a conference with the transportation committee of the Board of Commerce regarding a proposed increase in freight rates.

Kalamazoo—Edward Godd pleaded that the automobile accident which resulted in a suit by Mrs. Alice Chambers for damages, was caused by his unfamiliarity with the operating mechanism of a larger car he had just purchased. The jury disagreed.

Kalamazoo—If Kalamazoo insists on paving Oakland Drive this spring, to obtain the state appropriation made by the Legislature last winter, the city will be cut off from its only amusement park and several hundred residents of outlying suburbs will be without street car service.

Jonesville—A hay famine prevails throughout the entire area embraced by Hillsdale and Branch counties. The recent switchmen's strike and the continued cold spring weather have greatly aggravated the situation. Weather, warm enough to produce plenty of pasture, alone can alleviate conditions.

Utica—The Utica State Bank, a recently formed banking institution, is filing suit against the Farmers Co-Operative Bank to restrain construction of a banking building alongside the building the Utica bank now occupies. The plaintiffs allege that the construction of the building would weaken their building.

Coldwater—The famous Loomis battery, the first volunteer battery to reach Washington in May, 1861, less than 30 days after war was declared, held its fifty-sixth annual reunion here. Seven of the 18 surviving members answered roll call. W. R. Card, of this city, being the oldest, aged 94. He wore the artillery jacket in which he was mustered out in 1865.

Houghton—The state park commission was advised by Congressman W. Frank James, that he had introduced a bill giving authority to sell old Fort Wilkins, at Copper Harbor, to Houghton and Keweenaw counties to be used for a park purpose.

Cadillac—Rural mail carriers in Wexford, Manistee and Grand Traverse Counties have been organized to make daily reports of all brush or forest fires to the state fire wardens. Recent rains have extinguished all fires in the Lower Peninsula.

Detroit—Due to uncertainty in the labor and material markets, contractors are refusing to bid on public school building projects, and although the budget is more than six times what it was last year, construction work has practically reached a standstill.

Pontiac—Ballots for the Ford-Newberry senatorial recount from precincts in Oakland county were brought to Pontiac and turned over to United States senate officials. Most of them had been removed from the ballot boxes and were brought in sealed packages.

Lansing—Suit of the Holland Gas company to restrain the Michigan public utilities commission from enforcing its order for the company to sell gas at \$1.45 a thousand cubic feet has been dismissed by Judge Collins of Corunna, sitting in the Ingham circuit court.

Pontiac—Announcement was made by attorneys for Anson Best that they will ask for an extension of time in which to take an appeal to circuit court for a new trial for the man, recently convicted and now serving a life term in Marquette for the murder of Miss Vera Schneider.

Grand Rapids—Through a demurrer filed by Edward P. Mueller, Chicago broker, indicted for alleged profiteering, the United States district court will be called upon to decide the constitutionality of the Lever food control act. The broker is specifically charged with profiteering on a sale of flax seed and barley at Shelby.

Detroit—Every vehicle operator who causes injury of persons in traffic accidents, no matter how slight the hurt, will be jailed in the future. Drivers will be charged immediately with reckless driving and, if the evidence warrants, with involuntary manslaughter. Persons found guilty of reckless driving will have their drivers' license suspended for one year.

Kalamazoo—The senses of smell and taste are worth only \$1,000, according to the verdict of the jury which heard the \$25,000 damage suit brought by James McLarty against the Kalamazoo Hack & Bus company. McLarty testified that, as a result of injuries received while he was riding in a bus belonging to the company, he suffered injuries which permanently deprived him of the senses of taste and smell.

lic has stopped buying in the mercantile line. At least, there has come to an end the upward movement swing when everybody tried to outdo his neighbor in extravagance.

The action of the Federal Reserve Board in raising discount prices has had an effect. There is also some indication that speculation is being discouraged. This should leave more cash and credit for the men engaged in legitimate enterprise.

The nation-wide railroad congestion is the most important factor in the price situation, in the opinion of many Government officials. It is causing a shortage of commodities in some districts and an oversupply in others.

DEAF EAR TO GRUNAU'S PLEA

Railway Labor Board Refuses to Hear Wage Petition.

Chicago.—The Railway Labor Board flatly refused to hear petitions for increased wages presented by John Grunau, president of the Chicago Yardmen's Association, and officers of other organizations which went on strike recently in defiance of orders from the national railroad brotherhoods.

A ruling handed down by Judge R. V. Barton, chairman, said: "It must be thoroughly understood that the board can not and will not undertake to hear any disputes or controversies except those which it is authorized by law to hear, and can not and will not hear the application of parties who are acting in disregard of the law and who are not complying with the law and the rules of the board."

William G. Chapoton, president, and Edward J. Gall, treasurer, of the Detroit Yardmen's Association, went to Chicago to participate in a conference of leaders in the yardmen's walkout. Other officials of the local association expressed confidence that the strikers' case will be considered by the Labor Board.

MEXICANS SEND ENVOY TO U. S.

Labor Leader Named Special Commissioner By Rebels.

Washington.—Luis Marones, labor leader of Mexico, and known here as "the Gompers of Mexico," came here as special commissioner of the de facto government.

Recent reports to the state department, announcing plans for his visit, suggested the possibility of his appointment later as the chief diplomatic representative to the United States. Marones and his associates declined, however, to discuss this, nor would the commissioner express an opinion on Mexican conditions. He left for New York and will return here later.

Postage Rates Delayed

Washington—Sound public policy requires the postponement for one year of the scheduled two annual increases in second class mail rates, the house postoffice committee declared in reporting formally the bill extending existing rates until June 30, 1921.

Deserter Surrenders After Two Years.

Chillicothe, O.—After nearly two years of hiding in the caves in Hocking Valley, near Adelphia, Ohio, in the fear that he would face a firing squad if discovered, Carl Amerine, 24, a deserter from the 84th division, gave himself up to military authorities at Camp Sheridan, near here.

Arm Broken; Married Just the Same.

Grand Rapids—Although he had received a fracture of the arm through a fall down stairs at his home, Charles Romulda proceeded on his way to the county clerk's office for a license to marry Hazel Buckmaster, 16. They were married at once. Then Romulda hurried to a physician to have his arm set.

No Sugar For Us, Say 500 Men.

East Palestine, O.—Five hundred employes of a tire and rubber company here have signed an agreement not to use sugar in their coffee or tea until the prevailing high price of the sweetening commodity declines. The agreement is said to be the first of a number in an attack against the high cost of living.

German Throne To Be Auctioned.

New York—The Imperial German throne is to be sold here at auction. Household effects of former Kaiser William, the former kaiserin and other members of the German imperial family, seized from the imperial palace of Berlin and Munich for unpaid bills after the emperor had abdicated also will be sold under the hammer here.

Offers Farmhands \$25 Week, Board.

Morristown, N. J.—The highest wages probably ever offered in this section of the country for an ordinary farm hand appears in an advertisement of a local farmer, who will give \$25 a week and board and a day off each week. Farmers are desperate on account of their inability to secure help, which is far more scarce than during the war.

War Offenders Convictions Upheld

Washington—Conviction of Daniel O'Connell, lawyer, and five other residents of San Francisco, for violating the selective service and espionage acts, was upheld today by the supreme court. All the defendants were members of an organization known as "American patriots," which they claimed was formed for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the selective service act.

ble and may be despondent; it makes any one so.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine, will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Adv.

Ups and Downs.

"An orator has to come down to the level of his audience's intelligence," remarked the mild egotist.

"There used to be some such idea," replied Senator Sorghum. "But the orator nowadays has all he can do to rise to the occasion."

Important to Mothers

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Indefinite.

"These poets are so indefinite." "How now?"

"Why, the poet tells us that Lars Porsena of Clusium sat in his ivory car. Stalled somewhere, of course. But we never learn whether he was hung up on account of the trouble or lack of gasoline."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. The Plattsburg Camp Manual advises men in training to use Foot-Ease in their shoes each morning. It prevents blisters and sore spots and relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Always use Allen's Foot-Ease to break in new shoes.—Adv.

Rather Wide.

"The red element certainly has cheek." "Well, cheek is mostly what the red stuff goes on."

The Language.

"This man is running for office—" "Yes?" "What does he stand for?"

LADY LARKSPUR

By
MEREDITH NICHOLSON

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"AND AS TO FANS—"

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. Singleton, an aviator, has just returned (invalidly) from France. 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 broken-down employees of a New York hotel, where Bashford made his home. 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-Germanism. Antoine, head of the establishment, informs him that he has been perplexed by the somewhat mysterious visits of a stranger, apparently a foreigner, seeking Mrs. Bashford. Antoine has formed the male members of the household into a guard for protection. Singleton reads Searles'

went into the hall he pounced upon the fan—pounced is the only word that describes it. He concealed his interest in it very neatly when you caught him examining it."

"Fans are harmless things," said Alice, "and if there's any story attached to this one I'm not aware of it. My father bought it in Paris about three years ago, and it has never been out of my possession except to have it repaired. There's a Japanese jeweler who does wonderful things in the way of repairing trinkets of every kind. I left it with him for a few days. I can't tell now which panel was broken, he did his work so deftly."

I took it from her and balanced it in my fingers. It was a beautiful piece of workmanship with the simplest carvings on the ivory panels.

"He couldn't have seen it anywhere before tonight," observed Alice musingly. "In fact, I hadn't used it at all for a year. It was really by mistake that my maid put it into my trunk when I went to Japan. I didn't want to risk breaking it again, so I've been carrying it in a handbag. The last day we were in Tokio I think I had it in our sitting room in the hotel, to make sure it wasn't jammed into the trunk again. We had a good many callers—a number of people came in to bid us good-by, but I'm sure Count Montani was not among them, and it would have been impossible for him to see it at any other time."

"Oh, there is nothing disturbing in the count's interest in the thing," said Mrs. Farnsworth with an air of dismissing the matter. "If it were a jade trinket inscribed with Chinese mysteries, you might imagine that it would be sought by some one—I have heard of such things—but Alice's fan has no such history."

"We weren't very hospitable," said Alice. "I might have asked Count Montani to dine with us tomorrow; and we might even have put him up for the night in this vast house."

Not with Antoine on the premises! I exclaimed. "Antoine is convinced that the man is what we call in America a crook. And Antoine takes his responsibilities very seriously."

While I was breakfasting at the garage the next morning Antoine appeared and, waiting until Flynn was

before help could reach us we were in danger of being starved out by the enemy. They called into play the poetry which had aroused Antoine's apprehensions, and their talk bristled with quotations. Alice rose after the salad and repeated at least a page of Malory, and the Knights of the Round Table having thus been introduced, Mrs. Farnsworth recited several sonorous passages from "The Idyls of the King." They flung lines from Browning's "In a Balcony" at each other as though they were improvising. The befuddlement of Antoine and the waiter who assisted him added to the general joy. They were undoubtedly thought the two women quite out of their heads, and it was plain that I suffered greatly in Antoine's estimation by my encouragement of this frivolity. Mrs. Farnsworth walked majestically round the table and addressed to me the lines from Macbeth beginning:

Glamis thou art, and Cawdor; and what thou art promised,

while Antoine clung to the sideboard listening with mouth open and eyes rolling.

Later, in the living room, Alice sang some old Lullads. She was more adorable than ever at the piano. It was a happiness beyond any in my experience of women to watch her, to note the play of light upon her golden head, to yield to the spell of her voice. Ballads had never been sung before



Clung to the Sideboard Listening.

number," he said. "It was on the tug of that machine the party came in last night. I heard him saying, sir, as how he had motored up from the Elkton Inn at Stamford. Visitors from Stamford would hardly send in to the city for a machine."

I bade him wait while I called the Elkton by telephone. No such person as Giuseppe Montani had spent the night there or had been a guest of the house within the memory of the clerk. Antoine's chest swelled at this confirmation of his suspicions.

"If the man returns, treat him as you did last night—as though he were entitled to the highest consideration."

"He won't come back—not the same way," said Antoine. "He mentioned the Elkton just to throw you off. The next you hear of him will be quite different."

"You mean he'll come as a burglar?"

"That's what's in my mind, Mr. Singleton. Everything seems very queer, sir."

"Such as what, Antoine?"

"The widow has been telegraphing and telephoning considerable, sir."

"There must be no spying upon these ladies!" I admonished severely. "All the people on the place must remember that Mrs. Bashford is mistress here, and entitled to fullest respect."

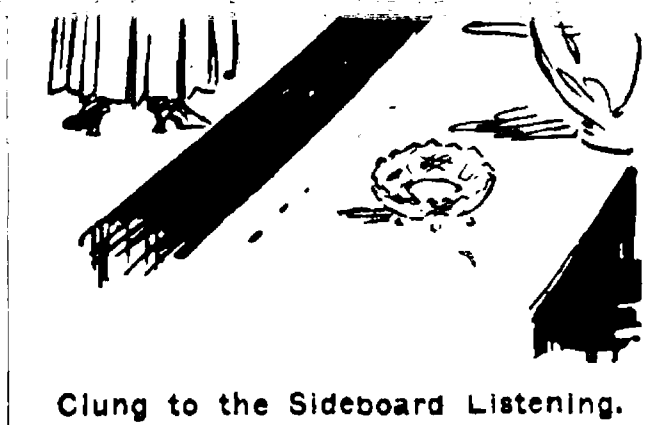
He had hardly gone before Torrence had me on the wire to hear my report and to say that Raynor had left Washington for a week-end in Virginia.

I assured him that nothing had occurred to encourage a suspicion that Mrs. Bashford was not all that she pretended to be. The day was marked by unusual activities on the part of the waiters and bell-hops. Instead of the company drills to which I had become accustomed they moved about in pairs along the shore and the lines of the fences. I learned that Antoine had ordered this, and the "troops" were obeying him with the utmost seriousness. The "service" on the estate was certainly abundant. It was only necessary to whistle and one of the Tyringham veterans would come running.

In spite of the complete satisfaction I had expressed to Torrence as to the perfect integrity and honest intentions of the two women, the curiosity of the American state department and the visit of Montani required elucidation beyond my powers. At dinner they were in the merriest humor. The performances of the little army throughout the day had amused them greatly.

"How delightfully feudal!" exclaimed Alice. "Really we should have a moat and drawbridge to make the thing perfect. Constance and I are the best protected women in the world!"

We extracted all the fun possible from the idea that the estate was under siege; that Alice was the chateau of a beleaguered castle, and that



with the charm and feeling she put into them; and after ending with "Douglas, Douglas," she responded to my impertinence with "Ben Bolt," and then dashed into a sparkling thing of Chopin's, played it brilliantly and rose, laughingly mocking my applause.

I left the house like a man over whom an enchantment has been spoken and was not pleased when Antoine blocked my path: "Pardon me, sir."

"Bother my pardon; what's troubling you now?" I demanded.

"It's nothing troubling me, sir; not particularly. If you give me time, I think I'll grow used to the poetry talk and playing at being queens. It's like children in a family I served once; an English family, most respectable. But in a widow, sir—"

"God knows we ought to be glad when grownups have the heart to play at being children and can get away with it as beautifully as those women do! What else is on your mind?"

"It's about Elsie, sir," I groaned at the mention of Flynn's German wife. "I'm sorry, sir; but I thought I should report it. It was a man who came to see her this afternoon. You was out for your walk, and Flynn had taken the ladies for a drive, so Elsie was alone at the garage. This person rode in on the grocer's truck from the village, which is how he got by the gate. As it happened, Pierre—he was a waiter at the Tyringham, a Swiss, who understands German—had gone into the garage for a nap; he's quite old, sir, and has his snooze every afternoon."

"He's entitled to it," I remarked; "he must be a thousand years old."

"From what he heard Pierre thought the man a spy, sir. He wanted Elsie to steal something from the house, it was a fan he wanted her to take most particular, and it was to be done soon, today if she could manage. It was for the love of the Fatherland that he wanted her to do it. Did you notice, sir, that Mrs. Bashford didn't have the fan tonight? Not that one she carried last night."

Antoine's guard makes an exciting capture.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham Donner

THE WILD HONEYSUCKLE.

"Ah, we love to be here again in this beautiful world," said the wild honeysuckle. All the wild honeysuckle bushes were dressed in their best pink dresses and were looking very lovely indeed.

"And we leaves are coming out," the leaves said.

"And in fact most of us are out," said some of the other leaves.

"We're enjoying the late spring-time too," said the ferns.

"It's so lovely up here," said the wild honeysuckle.

"What do they call this spot?" asked one of the ferns. "I think there is a name for it."

"Yes, there's a name," said the wild honeysuckle bush who was doing the talking for the family.

"What is the name?"

"It is called Prospect Rock," said the wild honeysuckle.

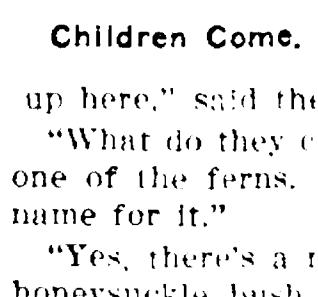
"What a nice name for our home," said the little ferns.

"Yes," said the wild honeysuckle. "Here up in these woods we live."

"In that little summer house yonder many people come and sit. Children come with picnic baskets. Grown-ups come and talk. They tell of the time they were children and they think of sweet and lovely things, for we are all around them—flowers and birds and rocks and bluebells and little wild flowers of different kinds."

"On their way up here they come up a steep hill which is known as Slippery Hill."

"And up along the wooded path



Children Come.

believe.

"It is a small cave, but there are ferns about it and there is a little entrance where someone can sit and look down the steep bank to the wooded path."

"There is a quarry of rocks on the road below the wooded path where there are many wild flowers too. If folks go straight up the side of the mountain they come to the very top, which is known as Mount Vision. Years and years ago there was a wonderful view from there, but lately the dear old trees have been growing up so fast that there is only a little view—but it is a very lovely little view of the village and the lake below."

"If folks do not turn up to go to the top of the mountain they come up here. And here they sit a long time, or they play."

"After they leave here they go down, sometimes, to a wood which edges the lake, where there is a lovely spring known as Fairy Spring. There they drink of the water, the loveliest, clearest water that ever was, and along the lake and by the running brook which goes down by the spring are the ever-adorable little forget-me-nots nodding their pretty blue heads and saying:

"We love the dear world with its shade and its brooks and its marshes and its dear people, who tell us they love us!"

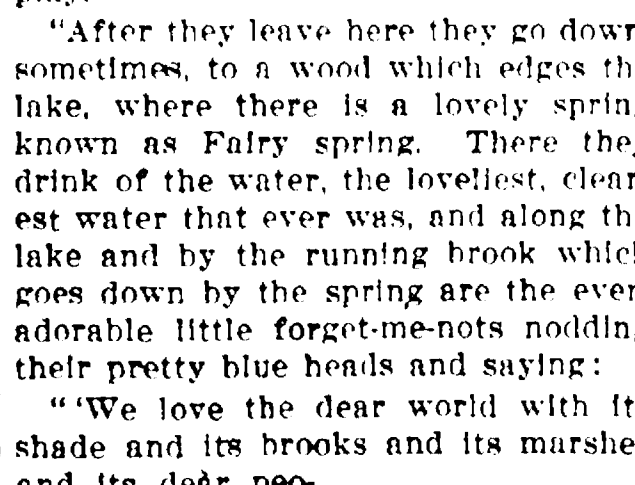
"From this little summer house up here can be seen the village which is at this end of the lake. There live men and women and boys and girls."

"All about them are valleys and hills and a lake and a river and birds and trees and gardens and everything lovely you can imagine. There They Drink."

"And in the morning the sun rises over our hill and in the evening it sets so beautifully over yonder hill."

"It's such a beautiful place—but, alas! there isn't always happiness. For with all that beauty around everywhere, sometimes they start talking about each other, talking and saying mean things, saying things that aren't true, and even if they are true are mean to repeat!"

"So that I'm told," the wild honeysuckle said, "that old Miss Mean Speeches enjoys herself there. Oh," ended the honeysuckle, "when there is such beauty in the world and so much to make one happy how can anyone do anything to make a creature unhappy? Let us, at least, never cause unhappiness!"



There They Drink.

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W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 22-1920.

**TOWNSHIP OF PUTNAM
LIVINGSTON COUNTY.**

The Township of Putnam ordains:

Section 1—Permission is hereby granted to The Detroit Edison Company, a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain and operate in the public streets, highways, alleys and other public places in the Township of Putnam, Livingston County Michigan, all needful and proper poles, towers, mains, wires, pipes, conduits and other apparatus requisite for transmission and distribution of electricity for public and private use, subject however, to all conditions and restrictions hereinafter contained.

Section 2—The conditions of the foregoing grant are as follows:

- A—The grantee shall do no injury to any street, highway, alley or other public place, or to any shade trees, or in any manner disturb or interfere with any water or gas pipes, or with any public or private sewer, now or hereafter laid or constructed by any authorized person or corporation.
- B—The Highway Commissioner may in his discretion grant permission for the trimming of trees when necessary to make lines safe and accessible, such trimming to be done under his supervision.
- C—The construction work of said lines shall be under the supervision of the Highway Commissioner, and the grantee shall pay to the township, upon presentation of an itemized bill, the cost of such supervision at the legal rate of charge for the same.
- D—The said grantee before entering upon any street, avenue, highway, alley or other public place for the purpose of erecting and constructing

any poles, mains, wires, pipes, conduits or other apparatus, shall in writing notify the Highway Commissioner, or his representatives of the proposed construction and obtain his approval thereof, and shall, if the Commissioner so requires, file with him a sufficient plan and specification showing the nature and extent of the proposed erection and construction. The cost of inspection shall be held to be part of the cost of supervision.

E—No street, highway, alley or public place shall be allowed to remain open or encumbered by the construction work of the said grantee for a longer period than shall be necessary to execute the said work, and the highway Commissioner shall determine the question of such necessity, and the grantee shall at all times conform to all ordinances of the township, now or hereafter in force, relative to the fencing and lighting of obstructions and excavations.

F—The grantee shall save the Township harmless from any judgement that may be recovered against the township, by reason of the wrong doing or negligence of the said grantee in the erection and maintenance of said poles, mains, wires and other apparatus or construction.

G—Said grantee shall make due provision upon forty-eight hours' notice in writing, by raising its wires or otherwise, for the passage of any barn, building or other structure on or over any street, highway or public place occupied by the mains, poles, wires and apparatus of said grantee.

Section 3—The rates charged by the grantee herein, its successors and assigns, shall not at any time be greater than the current rates charged by the

Detroit Edison Company, its successors and assigns, in the City of Detroit, for similar service.

Section 4—This grant shall take effect if said grantee shall within fifteen days from the date of the passage of the ordinance, file with the Township Clerk its written acceptance of the terms of the same, and upon confirmation of this grant by the affirmative vote of a majority of the electors of said Township, voting thereon at a special election to be held Monday, June 21, 1920, as provided for by the Statutes and the State Constitution.

If not confirmed by the electors voting at said election, this ordinance shall be null and void.

Section 5—This Franchise and Ordinance shall be and remain in force for thirty (30) years from and after the date of its confirmation by the electors of the Township of Putnam, Livingston County, Michigan.

Section 6—Nothing in this grant shall be construed to alienate the title of the public in and to any street, highway, alley or public place or any portion thereof, neither shall anything herein be construed in any manner as a surrender by the township of Putnam of its legislative power with respect to the subject matter hereof, or with respect to any other matter whatsoever; nor as in any manner limiting the right of the said Township of Putnam to regulate the use of any street, avenue, highway or public place within its jurisdiction.

Dated this 24th day of May, 1920.

M. J. Reason, Supervisor
D. W. Murta, Clerk
James H. Doyle, Justice of the Peace
Albert Frost, Justice of the Peace

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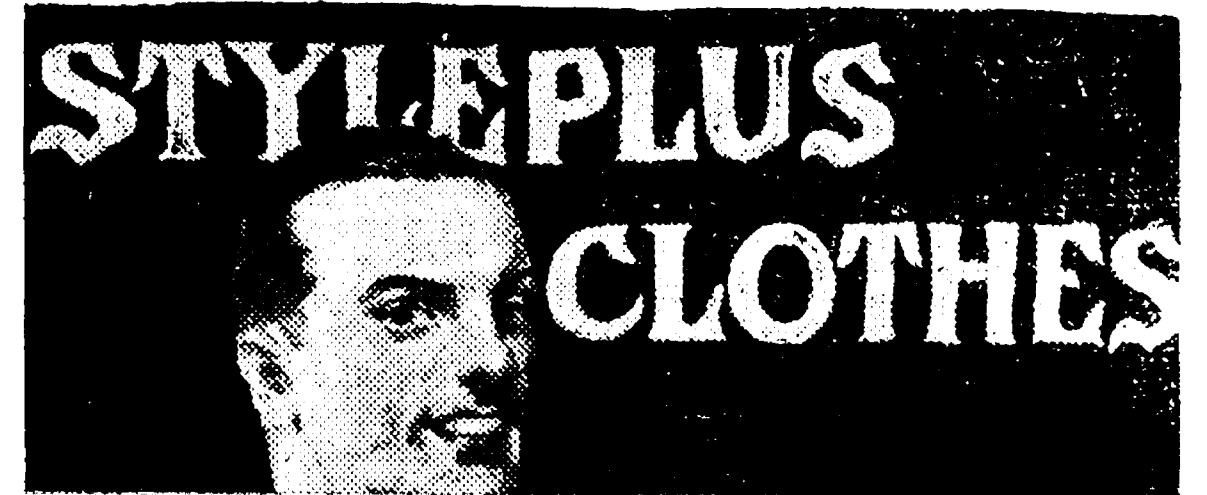
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