



## A TRUE STORY of the SECRET SERVICE

By COL. H. C. WHITLEY, Former Chief U. S. Secret Service

### A PIPE DREAM

BRING and for over ten years following the great civil war there was an era of a "pipe dream" in the history of our country.

The colonial era and the reckless flamboyance of the days of demagoguery appear quite impossible in this time. A large percentage of the population was engaged in the work of the government.

At the close of the war, the government was in a state of confusion. The people were tired of the war and the government was tired of the people.

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Specialy Arranged for This Paper

LEONARD TEXT—Matthew 27:35. Mentioned in the Bible. The crucifixion was the most important event in the history of the world.

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Seamstresses, watch-makers, artists, draughtsmen, and many others, cannot properly handle their tools with cold, stiff hands.

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### CONGREGATIONAL

"The great consolations of the gospel." Isa. 40:6.

Next Sunday morning this subject will receive consideration. Be sure and come.

"The chief characteristics of the Compassion of Jesus." Matt. 20:36:37, for the evening sermon. Hear this one.

For the men's bible class at noon. The Cross, Its Victories, Its Defeats."

Y. P. S. C. E. meeting 6:30-7. Subject, "How must a christian be different from others?" 2 Cor 6:14:18. Leader, Miss Lena Visser. All young people are cordially invited.

For Friday night, 7:30. The Congregational Brotherhood hereby extends to all citizens of Lowell and vicinity a cordial invitation to meet at the City hall to hear a lecture on Sanitation by Dr. Charles E. Marshall of the Michigan Agricultural college of Lansing. This lecture is free to you. Consider yourselves the guests of the Brotherhood.

Elegant cut glass in great variety and very reasonable in price at Stocking's.

### METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday morning the pastor will speak on Edison's views of Immortality, taking as his subject, "When a man dies is he dead or shall he expect a golden crown or boiling oil?"

In the evening the second of the series of Advent sermons will be preached, the subject being, "Jesus, the proper guest of the wise man."

The prayer meeting next Thursday evening will continue the study of the subject of Imitation of Christ in the Old Testament. Bring Bibles. A praise service will precede the study, and also a discussion of last week's topic.

### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Regular services next Sunday. Prayer meetings Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Teachers meeting Friday evening.

Preaching at Alto Sunday afternoon.

Covenant meeting also Saturday evening.

The Spartan society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Jesse Knee, Wednesday Dec. 14, afternoon. Everyone invited.

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The above is the guarantee M. N. Henry, the druggist, is offering for Parisian Sage, the greatest of all hair restorers.

If you have dandruff take advantage of this offer and kill the little dandruff germs that will surely steal your hair if allowed to persistently burrow into the hair roots.

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Parisian Sage is an exhilarating and pleasant hair dressing; it is not sticky or greasy and it makes the hair soft, beautiful and luxuriant.

### Revival Meetings

Will be held every evening this week and next except Saturday at the U. B. church in West Lowell, conducted by Pastor F. W. Moxon. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

Remember you can buy a fur coat and save dollars during the great cut price sale at the White Front.

Over 5000 Christmas post cards from 1c to 5c each at Look's drug and book store.

### Keene Taxes

I will be at the Lowell State Bank to receive taxes on Thursdays until Jan. 10, 1911. 3w. E. Pinckney, treasurer.

Attend the Christmas sale at Lalley & Shuter's and make yourself and others happy.

### Christmas Cards Free

Not Cheap Trash, But 10 Beautiful Ones

I want to send free to every reader of THE LEDGER, 10 beautiful, imported, embossed, colored Christmas post cards, all different, without any advertising on them whatever.

I do this because I want people to know the high-grade cards I carry at manufacturers' prices. If you prefer beautiful New Years cards say so when you write. All I ask is that you send me 4 cents in stamps to cover postage. Address, C. T. Johnstone, Dept 1003 Rochester, N. Y.

### Lose Their Heads.

Some lose their heads in emergencies, others stick their heads out of our windows. It appears to be a matter of taste.



### DO NOT PUT OFF

your Christmas shopping until the last moment. It is time well spent, to see the elegant stock of articles suitable for Christmas gifts, which we are showing this year, and the prices are quite as tempting as the goods themselves. Make a selection now and have it laid aside until you are ready to buy.

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HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Beads at Williams'. Molasses taffy at Clark's. Get your lunches at Strong's. Willie Layman is home from Alma. New line brass novelties at Henry's. Holiday suspenders at Lalley & Shuter's. Ernie Terry spent Sunday in Grand Rapids. Sterling Inlaid silverware only at Stocking's. Art Fletcher of Ionia was in town Sunday. LEEGER-Herald bargain days Dec. 17 to 31. Miss Mary Menzies has been ill a few days this week. F. G. Hoffman was in Grand Rapids one day last week. Mrs. Henry Taylor is very ill, threatened with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cleetham have moved to Grand Rapids. Miss Mary Menzies spent over Sunday with her parents in Alto. Buy your Christmas candies, nuts and fruits at Spadafori's. Lewis Andrews is adding a wing to his recently purchased house. C. D. Roberts was in Grand Rapids on business Wednesday. Some nearly new second hand organs very cheap at R. D. Stocking's. Miss Abbie Ribble is clerking for Mrs. Machan during the holidays. Colored chain papers for kindergarten work at The Ledger office. Lowell lodge I. O. O. F. 115, second degree work, Thursday, Dec. 15. Mrs. Phoebe Tate is entertaining the Sunshine club this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Peckham entertained the Summer club last evening. Manicure sets, embroidery sets, pearl knives, razors, and scissors, at Stocking's. Miss Lillian Skelting has accepted a position in the office of Dr. Merrill. Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. McVean of Durand spent Tuesday with Mrs. McVean. Blatchford's calf meal, cotton seed meal and corn flakes. McCarty Bros. 2000 Holiday books to select from at Henry's drug and book store. Christmas neckwear in holiday boxes at Lalley & Shuter's, 50c and \$1.00. Special sale of candies, nuts and fruits for Christmas at Spadafori's. F. LaVond of Pontiac was in town last Thursday. He is moving to Standish. Mrs. Geo. Bird and daughter Alice have been visiting relatives in Grand Rapids. Silver thimbles at Williams'. Mrs. Frank Kelly of Springfield, Mass., is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. D. Kelly. Home-made Candy at Clark's. Charles Scribner of Ionia spent a few days last week with his brother, Alie B. Miss Margaret Dooey spent from Friday until Monday with relatives near Ada. Christmas presents to fit your needs and purse at Henry's drug and book store. Willie Rexford of Grand Rapids has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Geo. Comstock. Mrs. A. C. Stone and daughter, Mrs. Harry Kingsley, were in Grand Rapids Tuesday. Howard Maynard has returned to his work at Three Rivers after a visit at his home here. Chas. McCarty expects to start the last of this week on a flying trip to La Junta, Cal. Frank R. Kelly has changed his address from Springfield, Mass., to Grand Rapids, Mich. Mrs. Nettie Balcolm has been caring for her sister, Mrs. Lew Morse, who has been quite ill. All kinds of stamped goods and stamping done by Mrs. H. A. Phelps at Mrs. White's millinery store. The Overland Automobile company wants an agent in Lowell. See ad. in this paper and reply quickly. Mrs. Arthur White gave a farewell dinner to all the relatives of Mrs. Agnes Wiley, in her honor, yesterday. Robes, blankets, cutters, fur coats make good Christmas presents. Full line at F. B. McKay & Co's. Mrs. Chapin Taylor returned to Grand Rapids Saturday after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taylor. The Jolly Dozen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Conklin Saturday evening. An elaborate dinner was served. Miss Leona Brousha returned to her home in Grand Rapids after an extended visit with her sister Mrs. Geo. Quillian. Harvey Godfrey, Jr., and Mildred Sayles drove to Grand Rapids last Saturday and delivered a horse for the Schantz Co. Mrs. Eleanor Buck goes to Grand Rapids today for an indefinite sojourn with her son and daughter on Sinclair street. Buy useful Christmas gifts at the White Front clothing store. Reduced prices on everything until Dec. 13.

Miss Hazel Hong has finished her season as trimmer for Mrs. R. D. Stocking. Stocking's 6th annual December watch sale is a great opportunity to save money on buying a watch. The complete holiday stock and display as in former seasons is at Henry's drug and book store. Come and see. Mrs. Martha Adams of Keene and Mrs. Prindell Westbrook of Lake Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Comstock Tuesday and Wednesday. The Royal Neighbors will hold a card party at the Woodmen hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 13. Light refreshments will be served. Every one welcome. Palmer's perfume—for 50 years the best—in bulk or fancy packages from 10c to \$5.00 at Look's drug and book store. Dr. W. O. Merrill was made a Master Mason by Lowell Lodge No. 90, Tuesday evening. The usual banquet and good time followed the degree work. The L. H. C. met with their teacher Miss Gladys Raymond, Saturday. They are making plans for a happy Christmas and all reported a fine time. The first sleighs came to town Saturday. Snow came Monday. The roads are in good shape for sleighing. A little more snow and the bells will jingle. A Michigan weather chart indicates a storm 25c to our customers during December. Henry the Druggist. HASTINGS—While removing snow from the muzzle of his gun, Anson Eaton, a rabbit hunter, accidentally discharged the weapon, blowing off three fingers. Mesdames King and Stocking entertained the Afternoon club at the home of Mrs. King Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mesdames Sunderland and Wiley. The Ledger for a Christmas present will be appreciated 52 times a year. \$1.00 does it, except in Canada—\$1.50—and in foreign countries \$2.00. Mrs. Geo. Taylor and Mrs. Clifton White were called to Kalamazoo yesterday by the illness of their brother, Dr. Perry Sayles who is not expected to recover. Arlington Reynolds of St. Johns is employed at The Ledger office and Mr. Rounds formerly of the Sand Lake News is helping out during the holiday season. Hundreds of books in Look's holiday display. Dainty gift books, popular copyrights and juvenile books for all ages. Mrs. Win. McGrath returned last Thursday evening from a few months visit with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Mapes in Washington, D. C. Before returning home she spent a few days in Detroit. Geo. M. Parker who recently purchased the Tarleton residence property has put the house in repair and Adrian Stehouwer manager of the new Basket and Bent Rim factory is occupying it as a home. Chas. McCarty and daughter Mrs. Althen left for Ravenna yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. McCarty's half-brother, John Sykes, who died very suddenly Tuesday morning. Funeral will be held today. Lester E. Combs was married to Miss Ella Rosen of Grand Rapids last October. He is now proprietor of a hotel at Onama, Mich. Lester is a former Lowell boy and he and his bride have the congratulations and good wishes of his many friends. (Combs) The lecture by Dr. William A. Colledge last Friday evening, second number of the Clover Leaf course, was enjoyed by a large audience. Expressions of appreciation are heard from those in attendance. Rev. J. R. Wooten introduced the speaker. Clarence Epley, who has been operator at the Pere Marquette station for the past three months has gone to his home at Midland and Perry Rosewarne of Greenville has come to take his position. Mr. Rosewarne expects to move his family here about the middle of this month and will occupy the Hamilton house. During bargain days, Dec. 17 to December 31 you can get The Lowell Ledger, the Grand Rapids Herald, the Orange-Judd Farmer and Uncle Remus Magazine, all one year for \$2.80. Or you can have The Ledger, the Herald, the Michigan Farmer and Uncle Remus all one year for \$3.05. Remember the dates. Highest prices paid for hides and furs. McCarty Bros.

Lowell Lodge No 90, F. and A. M. will hold its annual communication Tuesday evening, Dec. 13. Supper at the lodge rooms at 7 p. m. See the big display of holiday stationery at Look's—it's worth looking at, whether you want to buy or not. List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Lowell, Michigan, Jacob DeBosch, Mr. LeRoy, Dick Okrine, C. M. Robinson, Geo. A. Rose, Earl Shipley, E. O. Tapely, G. Van Aartsen, Miss L. Gable, Mrs. J. Will Hack, Mrs. Rose Maras, Mrs. T. A. Maxon, Miss Helen Mosher. Yearly subscription for all magazines received at Clark's confectionery.

Figs and dates at Clark's. In remitting for THE LEDGER from Redondo Beach Cal., Mrs. Lydia J. Gardner sends holiday greetings and best wishes to old Lowell friends. Mothers should see those boys' and children's suits at Lalley & Shuter's. You'll be surprised how cheap they are. For Christmas presents nothing better than robes, blankets, fur coats and cutters. F. B. McKay & Co. carry a full line at prices you can afford to pay. To the ladies of Lowell I wish to say my hand painted china will be on display at Mrs. White's Millinery store till after Christmas. Mrs. Huhn.

HENRY'S Big Holiday Opening Occurs Saturday, Dec. 10, 1910. Are you coming? It will pay you to be with us, as there will be many special attractions and bargains. You will find presents to fit your needs at the price you wish to pay. Ours is the big complete stock and your choice is not limited to any one line in particular. We wish to call your special attention to our book stock, comprising 2,000 different books to choose from. Complete lists Alger's, Henty's, Castleman's, Mrs. Meade, Magnolia Library, Guster's Library, Mrs. Southworth, Mary J. Holmes and others, all in well cloth binding 25c, 250 new popular copyright books at 50c, Children's books, gift books, books of all kinds 10c to \$2.00. Toilet Cases, Mirrors, Perfumes, fancy box papers, Purses, Pictures, Post Cards, Albums, Manicure sets, smokers' goods and novelties in brass, Burnt Wood, leather and gold finish, fancy China, Fountain Pens. Seeing is believing. To tell you all would require the entire space in this paper. Come to the store and make your selection at your leisure. This means a wise choice. You are welcome whether you buy or not. We are always glad to show you around. A 1911 Michigan Weather Chart Calendar, worth 25c. Free to our Customers, during December. Yours for a Merry Xmas, HENRY'S Modern Drug Store.

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