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A good hot water bottle is no longer a luxury. It is a
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with a good one for a price that will fit your purse.

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THREE KILLED BY P. M. TRAIN

AUTOMOBILE WITH FOUR OCCUPANTS HURLED FROM TRACK

Mrs. E. L. Gould, Mrs. Robert Johnson and Robert Gould Johnson Dead, and Mrs. M. E. Summers Badly Injured.

The people of Moseley were horror-stricken by a fatality that occurred at the Pere Marquette crossing near that place when the west-bound passenger train at 3:25 p. m., struck an automobile, killing three of the inmates and terribly injuring another.

The dead are Mrs. E. L. Gould, aged 67 years, Mrs. Robert E. Johnson, 27 years, daughter of Mrs. Gould and Robert Gould Johnson, 3 years old, son of Mrs. Johnson.

The injured is Mrs. M. E. Summers of Smyrna, aged 77 years, both feet badly crushed, amputation of left foot necessary.

The dead all lived on the Fred Purdy farm near Smyrna and had been doing some trading at Moseley, using for the trip a Ford car purchased with insurance money left by Mr. Johnson who died of appendicitis last winter.

They had started for home with Mrs. Johnson at the wheel when the car was struck by the train, which does not stop at Moseley, and was running about forty miles an hour. She is said to have been somewhat deaf and on that account, perhaps, to have failed to notice the approaching train.

Station Agent Nelson saw the threatened danger and tried to avert it but failed. The car and its occupants were hurled from the track, the little boy with his neck broken was found 100 feet away, his hand still holding a sack of candy just given him by his mother. The bodies of the two women were badly mangled.

Engineer Bartlett, who had whistled for the crossing, stopped his train, and under direction of Conductor Glennan, Mrs. Summers was taken aboard and carried to Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids, where it was thought she would recover.

Mrs. Gould is survived by her husband and one son Sidney, who live on the farm near Smyrna, and a son George of Lansing.

Funeral services for the victims of the tragedy will be held in Belting today (Thursday) at 2 p. m., Rev. Doty of that city officiating; burial at Smyrna.

Three other deaths have occurred at the same crossing during the past four years, it is said; and a measure of protection is demanded at that point.

Death of Mrs. Sterling.

Mrs. Mary C. Sterling, 58 years old, 1416 Perry avenue, Grand Rapids, wife of Professor W. D. Sterling, recently a New York city school teacher, died Saturday at the home.

She is survived by two daughters, Leora and Mrs. H. F. Turner, Washington, D. C., a son Don Lawrence Sterling of Dallas, Texas, and a brother, E. E. Kiel of Lowell, and two sisters, Mrs. Fred M. Sayles of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Louis Vetter of Lowell.

Funeral services were held at the West Lowell church Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment at West Lowell.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Evangelistic services begin Sunday evening with Rev. Braden of Nashville in charge. A cordial invitation to all.

All other services next Sunday at the usual hours.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Morning class, 10.
Morning service, 10:30. Theme, Reverence.
Sunday school, 11:45.
Junior league, 3:00.
Senior league, 6:00. Subject, Can We Capture Politics for God? Leader, Mr. McConnell.
Evening service, 7:00. This will be largely a choral service for which a special program is being prepared. Everyone welcome.
Services at Vergennes as usual.

"Cabrila," an 8-rod masterpiece at the Idle Hour Oct. 21.

Burt Perry was taken to Ann Arbor this week where he was operated upon for appendicitis. He is getting along nicely.

Band No. 2 of the Congregational church will have a sale of fancy goods, suitable for Christmas presents, at Cadwallader's store Saturday p. m., Oct. 23; also a food sale at the Postoffice same day.

Miss Vesta Gardner was pleasantly surprised by twelve of her girl friends Monday evening, the event being her birthday. Games were played and a fine supper served. Before the guests left they presented her with a post card shower. All had a fine time.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors, also Miss Merriman for the flowers and the kindness from friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Hapeman and Family
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Tift.

A GOOD JOB DONE

Big Undertaking at Municipal L. & P. Plant Successfully Completed.

Through the courtesy of Superintendent E. J. McMahon last Friday we were privileged to inspect the new fire proof building, housing the Lowell Municipal Light & Power plant.

The job just completed is a remarkable achievement, successfully accomplished in spite of great difficulties and dangers, increased by the inclement weather attending the undertaking.

To erect a new fire proof building on the site of an old wooden one, housing expensive and dangerous electrical machinery, without loss or damage and with no perceptible detriment to the service, is no fool's job, as one will readily understand by an inspection of the plant.

During the long continued wet and windy weather it was necessary in razing the old building to build temporary shelters over each piece of machinery and the work was done in dangerous proximity to deadly wires.

That all has been accomplished without loss of life or noteworthy vexation to patrons of the plant is a praiseworthy accomplishment and a credit to all concerned.

The old wooden building with its valuable equipment had a number of narrow escapes from fire, against which no care could safely guard. The new tile reinforced concrete and metal roofed building is now good for many years to come without further expense.

J. C. Hatch of Lowell had charge of the difficult and dangerous job and is entitled to great credit for its successful consummation.

CLUB ACTIVITIES

Renewed for Season of 1915-16 with President's Day

President's day opened the year 1915-16 for the L. L. C. when the club was delightfully entertained at the home of the president, Miss Audie Post, Wednesday, Oct. 6.

The program opened with a Victrola selection "Anvil Chorus," with and encore "Forge in the Forest."

The president greeted the ladies in a very pleasant manner, urging upon each member to keep to the watchword she gave us last year, "Co-operation," for with co-operation we may have a very successful club year.

Mrs. Myrtle Koon Cherryman of Grand Rapids was introduced to the ladies, she giving two readings by Rupert Hughes, "Miss Three Eighteen and Mr. Thirty-seven," and "The Old Nest." Both readings were very much enjoyed by the ladies. Victrola selections "Last Rose of Summer," "American Medley."

After dainty refreshments were served the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Jessie Bennett Wednesday Oct. 27.—[Rep.]

S. S. C. Meeting.

The Senior girls club, "The Smilers," met at the home of Pearl Martin Tuesday evening Oct. 12. There were twelve present with Miss Fitz as honorary member. In the course of the evening Mrs. Weldon, who kindly consented to meet with us, gave a very interesting talk on "The Opportunities and Responsibilities of Girls." The remainder of the time was spent in music and singing. Light refreshments were served.—[Rep.]

Mr. and Mrs. John Arhart and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bergin attended the K. of C. banquet at Hibernian Hall, Grand Rapids Tuesday evening.

SUCCESS GRANGE

Entertains Kent County Pomona Grange No. 18 On Thursday, October 21.

Kent County Pomona Grange, No. 18, will meet with Success Grange, Lowell township, Thursday, October 21.

PROGRAM

11:00, Fourth Degree Business session.
12:00, Noon recess.
1:30, Public session.
7:00, Fifth Degree session.
8:00, Public session.
Welcome, S. P. Reynolds, Master Success Grange.
Response, Wesley Johnson, South Lowell Grange.

AFTERNOON

Music, Selection from Grange Melodies.
Recitation, Mrs. Alice Reynolds.
Paper, "Michigan," Mrs. Anna Richardson, Lecturer Cascade Grange.
Music, Gladys Ferrall.
Paper, "Roadside Planting of Trees," Mrs. Earl Curtis, Ex-Pomona Lecturer, Kent Co.
Recitation, Miss Estella Hunt.
Address, Mrs. Dora H. Stockman, Lecturer of State Grange.

EVENING

Song.
Recitation, J. W. Brass.
Paper, "Practical Labor and Time Savers for the Housekeeper," Mrs. R. S. Coleman.
Recitation, Mrs. Lincoln Dygert.
Paper, "Sunny and Shady Sides of Farm Life," Mrs. F. H. Daniels, Pomona Lecturer, Ionia Co.
Dialogue or Sketch, Bowne Center Grange.
Paper, "Helps That Both National and State Governments Provide for the Farmer," Earl Curtis.
Play, "A Slight Mistake," South Lowell Grange.
Song, "God be With You 'Till We Meet Again."

Send two or more delegates from your Grange. Be sure your lecturer is one of them to meet the state lecturer, Mrs. Stockman.

ADA PIONEER DIES

Mrs. Catherine Clark Smith Passed Away Yesterday.

Mrs. Catherine Clark Smith, one of the pioneers of Kent county, passed away at 8:30 o'clock last evening at the age of 80 years, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Asa Dennison, 679 Lake drive, Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Smith came to Ada with her parents 71 years ago, living there until 1890, when she removed to the city to reside with her daughter. She was married in 1857 to Henry Smith, of Ada, who died in 1885.

A rare type of warm, sanguine temperament, always cheerful, generous to a fault, radiating sunshine and good cheer wherever she went, one whom to know was to love. She will be mourned by a large circle of friends.

Besides her daughter, Mrs. Dennison, she is survived by three brothers and two sisters, Mrs. E. B. Clements and Henry Clark of Ada; Mrs. Mary Moses of Pueblo and Eli Clark of Potoski; also five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the residence 679 Lake drive, Saturday, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be at Ada.—[Herald.]

Help Wanted

Wanted—Brick layers, carpenters, common and mason labor. Good wages, several months, will pay railroad fare.—Knapp & Kniskern, Hastings, Mich.

Notice to Taxpayers.

All taxes not paid on or before Monday, Oct. 18, will be returned to County Treasurer.

A. J. Nash,
Village Treas.



Overland 83

Five-Door Touring
Touring Roadster \$725
Price f.o.b. Toledo

Electric control buttons on the steering column literally place the control of the Overland at your fingers' ends. The Overland is, we believe, one of the earliest cars in the world to drive.

Call, telephone or write for demonstration

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Overland 83 Advantages

POWER—35 Horsepower	BEAUTY—Streamline Body	PRICE—No other car with these advantages can be had for less than \$725
COMFORT—Downy Upholstery, Large Underlying Rear Springs and Lively Tires	CONVENIENCE—Electric Control Buttons on Steering Column	SAFETY—Electrically Operated Horn
MAGNETO IGNITION—Crisp and Uniform		

Look's Annual Wall Paper Sale

Our Wall Paper Sale Starts Saturday, October 9th, and Continues 30 Days

The Greatest Bargains Ever Offered at Any Wall Paper Sale in Lowell.

One lot papers, several patterns, all fast to light and regularly sold at 40c and 50c per double roll.
Your choice per double roll..... 15c

Several patterns of pretty bedroom, living room or parlor papers; regular price 10c and 12c per double roll.
Your choice per double roll..... 5c

Big Reductions on Every Pattern in The Store.

Remember, you take no chances in dealing with us—our stock of wall paper is always guaranteed to be the best of quality and our prices always the lowest.

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The Rexall Drug Store

Sewing Machine Special



White Shuttle or Rotary
New Home Shuttle or Rotary
Will C. Free Shuttle
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We will not quote the prices here, but it will pay you to see us if you are needing a good sewing machine cheap.

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Lowell, Michigan



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We understand every detail of our business from posing to finishing. Make an appointment with us.

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Going to Buy a Stove?

IF YOU ARE, we are sure it will be to your advantage to call at our store and look over our lines. Our main stove, as usual, is the Round Oak. Their round heater has always been the one by which all others have been compared. As the manufacturer puts it—

"Imitated, But Never Equalled"

The Round Oak

is always abreast of the times, and their stove this year is prettier and better than ever. The old round stove has been remodelled until it now has ash pan in the base, back draft to the hot blast ring, is nicely ornamented and embraces the same good idea that it always had. Burns hard coal, soft coal and wood, and will outlast two of any other stove made. Come in and let us show you.

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Meats! Meats! Meats!

Quality considered, we have the goods and know how to handle them.

...Everything Clean and Sanitary...

Prices reasonable. Give us a trial.

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The LOWELL LEDGER

Published every Thursday afternoon at Lowell, Michigan. P. M. JOHNSON, Editor and Prop'r.

A TORONTO editor, James A. McDonald of the Daily Globe, in an address before the International Peace Congress in San Francisco, calls all the world to notice that Canada and the United States with an unguarded, unfortified border of 4,000 miles have maintained unbroken peace for a hundred years; and promises that when Europe's carnival of blood is over these free American democracies will have something to say to the war lords and despots whose "damning systems of militarism has cursed Europe for 2,000 years."

How would it be if we had had no saloons? Have you ever asked the question? Chicago answers it next day after her first dry Sunday in forty-four years. For years the average number of arrests for drunkenness on Saturday and Sunday in that city has been 243. Last Saturday and Sunday, with only one dry day, the arrests on that charge were but sixty-three. That's how; and you'll soon have a chance to try it on old Michigan all the time. Better think about it, brother.

The common housefly is said to be the cause of the deadly infantile paralysis which has closed the schools and other public places in Bay City. The human race learns by dear experience and the time will soon come when the vile breeding places of these disease-spreading pests will no longer be tolerated in civilized communities.

ONE result of the war in Europe is a cessation of the American exodus to the Canadian Northwest; and the boom has dropped out of the boomtown country in the best on earth; and many who left it would give all their old boots to be back on the old place again.

Wise advertisers know that circulation value has two requirements, quality and quantity. Some so-called mediums have neither. The Ledger has both, as we can and do prove and as our advertisers know—and they are the wise sort. Results speak for themselves. Look and see.

LONDON's new anti-treating law is in effect and hereafter the good fellow who wants to treat all the boys with the family bread money will do so at his peril. "Pay for your own drinks," is a rule which will have untold misery when universally adopted and enforced.

ONE hundred applicants for American citizenship were warned by a Chicago editor not to take the oath unless they could give undivided and unlimited allegiance to the Stars

and Stripes. No hyphenated citizens were wanted, he said; and he was right. ANOTHER straw showing the direction of industrial wind is found in September building reports from sixty-five cities. Construction work increased 32 per cent during that month. In the same period bank clearings raised 54 per cent.

WE NOTE that Governor Ferris approves salary increases for the superintendents and other employees of the four state hospitals for the insane. Sure thing—increases for every one but the poor devils who have to pay the taxes.

BY THE order of Mayor Thompson Chicago saloons and bars were closed last Sunday, for the first Sunday in 44 years. Showing what can be done by an official who has a regard for his oath of office.

WHEN politics incur the dislike of a man like J. Whitcomb Riley it is time to reform politics. Some people seem to mistake partisanship for patriotism, a vastly different thing.

MORE than a million Ford cars have been sold, and the Ford joker continues on his way. The more jokes, more advertising and more cars. It's a great stunt.

It's a poor business that depends on fraud and deceit for an existence. Might as well lie and steal outright and take a chance with the law.

DETROIT has gained 75,000 in population since 1914 and offers great investment opportunities.

GRATTAN CENTER Oct. 12—John Anderson's house and the contents were destroyed by fire Sunday night. A. Geller and daughter Olga and Clara went to West Fowler Monday to attend the wedding of Leo Geller.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keelback of Grand Rapids were guests of Kittle Eagle Sunday. Mr. Ruth Burbano and Bernice Matice were in Belding Saturday.

LOWELL DIST. NO. 2. Mrs. Mary Alexander is at Hickory Corners helping Mrs. George Clark with her housework. W. G. Dollaway has so far recovered from his accident as to be around on crutches.

Ernest Althaus and family spent Sunday with Rudolph Wittichenback and family near Moseley. Mrs. Ben Andrews picked ripe strawberries October 11. Mrs. Vermeer, daughter and son and a friend spent Saturday and Sunday with their son and brother George. Fred Simpson of Lansing visited his brother Oliver and family over Sunday. Simon Fopma of Lake Odessa spent Sunday at John Auelker's. Ed. Venestrin of the Mohrhardt farm spent Sunday in Grand Rapids. Gabe Walters was home from South Boston over Sunday. Walter Morris and wife of Lowell visited at W. G. Dollaway's Sunday. Miss Gertrude Fopma is working for Mrs. Clayton near Moseley. TRY LEDGER job print on next order.

WEST LOWELL.

Oct. 13.—Mrs. A. Roll spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Story of South Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Dawson of Okama are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meloy. Frank Messer of Grand Rapids spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Aho Koster. Mrs. Young is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Miss Menka. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gunn of Lowell attended the Aid Society meeting at Mrs. Nathan Blair's last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Gunn entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds and Mrs. Helen Reynolds of Keeley Corners and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Tied and children of Lowell.

ALTON.

Vergennes township had better look to their roads ere they have some damage suits to pay. The Farney hill is in a bad condition for people to pass each other. Delil Gordon was in Kent City last week on business. The Moseley new schoolhouse will be dedicated next Friday evening. Mr. Freeman of Grand Rapids and others will take part. A cordial invitation is extended to all. U. B. Shear had the misfortune to get his arm broken by the kick of a horse last week. Adelbert Richmond, who is working for Will Dicken, spent Sunday

What to Do When Backache Comes On

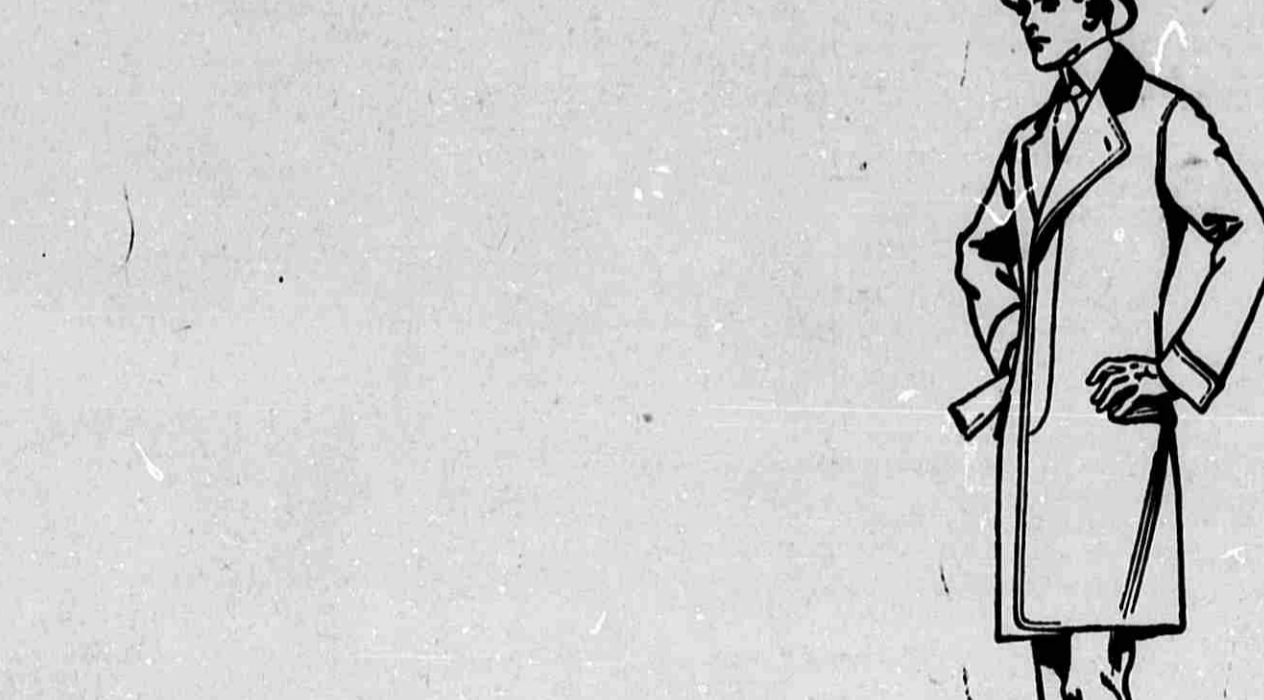
"Foley Kidney Pills have done me more good than \$150.00 worth of other medicine." Chas. N. Fox, Himrod, N. Y. When backache comes on and it seems as if you can't stand the pain and pressure across the small of your back, hurry to your drugist and get relief through a box of Foley Kidney Pills. They will stop the cause of that very quickly, pour the aching kidneys to regular action, enable them to throw the poisons out of the blood. They will get rid of pain and rheumatism for you, quiet your nerves, stop your backache, and limber up your stiff joints and sore muscles. Frank W. Sherman, Lacona, N. Y., writes: "I suffered with kidney trouble, had a tired feeling in my back, did not have any ambition and felt all tired out. I used Foley Kidney Pills and in a few days began to feel better, and now I have entirely recovered."

For sale by M. N. Henry

MOSELEY

Mr. Phineas of Saranac visited his son Harley and family Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Clinton Weeks visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Hapeman, of South Lowell part of last week. Charles Early of Kalamazoo is at Gordon Frost's packing office. Alfred Thomet of Ada visited at Abraham Blasser's Sunday. Abraham Blasser and wife were in Belding Sunday.

Varsity Six Hundred The Stylish Overcoat



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This is Varsity Six Hundred---the "classiest" overcoat. It is very good looking, very new. It is here in many attractive variations---you'll appreciate the prices.

Like Varsity Fifty Five, the young men's suit, this Varsity Six Hundred is the most stylish overcoat for young men; the latest big success from Hart, Schaffner and Marx.

We're selling these clothes to young men---and older men---who want the right thing. Ask to see them.

MAOKINAWs UNDERWEAR Buy "Imperial." Ask to see this most comfortable underwear. The values are extra good---the underwear fits you, its comfortable. Don't buy until you see the "Imperial"---when you see it you'll buy. \$1 to \$4. The Pennsylvania "Notar" Sweaters are here only. None better and mighty few as good. 50c to \$6.

"Where You See the New Things First"

This is the store with the complete stock. A. L. GOONS New Neck wear in. Pleasing silks at 25c and 50c. The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes

with his people in Smyrna. Clair Ford and wife, George Lewis and wife were callers in Keene Sunday morning and in the afternoon were at Godfrey Kropp's in Vergennes Center. John Hapeman, a former resident of here, died at his son Jud's near Lowell last week Wednesday morning. Funeral services were held at the church Saturday afternoon, burial in Alton cemetery. Rev. I. T. Weldon of Lowell officiated. Will Ward and family of Belding visited her father, Ann Jakeway, Sunday. Miss Florence Jakeway returned home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cumings (nee Lena Wingeler) of Grand Rapids were at her parents' Sunday. John O. Wingeler entertained all his children last Sunday. Pat Norton has the Smyrna telephone in his office at Moseley, No. 11, 6 rings. Tom Davis, who had been to work for Charles B. Francisco, was found dead in the barn Friday evening from apoplexy. Relatives from Grand Haven claimed the body. Mrs. John Clark and grand-daughter, Essie Vandenberg, were in Belding Saturday. Arthur Helmer and wife of Grand Rapids were guests at Clair Ford's Sunday. Mrs. Edna Gordon was in Grand Rapids last week. Lester Whitten is attending Business College in Grand Rapids. Frank Keech and family and Susie Boyles and daughter visited his father at Mr. Loomis in Orleans Sunday. The Lowell Ledger and Toledo Blade both one year only \$1.25

TEXAN GLAD

Old Remedy Cures His Horses and Cattle. Michigan horse-owners are apt to swap experiences. They tell each other of any good idea they have hit on for the better care of horses. Here is a suggestion from far away. It is from W. A. Laugham of Beaumont, Texas, who says: "I have used Hantor's Balsam of Myrrh in my stables about two years and find it the best liniment I have ever tried."

MORSE LAKE

Oct. 12—Mrs. Homer Piller is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Phil Jones, of Clarksville this week. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chatterton of 612 Michigan street, Grand Rapids, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chatterton. Last Saturday evening at South Lowell grange, after a fine program was rendered, coffee, sandwiches and doughnuts were served to about 50 members.

McCORDS and WHITNEYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and daughter of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her cousin, Dune Brown and wife. Oley Fountain of Newaygo spent Sunday with W. Thomas and wife. Mrs. Agnes Bradford and children of Harbor Springs visited her cousin,

FALLSBURG

Oct. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Fry over have been spending two weeks on a visit at Muskegon, Hart and Bolton and at Grand Rapids over Sunday, returning home Monday. A pleasant time among relatives and old friends at their former home, Elton. J. E. Tower attended the Advisory committee meeting of the Kent Co. Farm Bureau in Grand Rapids last Friday. Mrs. Tower and nephew, Donald Stobetz, accompanied him and enjoyed the time with her sister, Mrs. A. G. Stobetz and family. Guests at Mrs. Frank Sherrard's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edna Gordon and mother of Smyrna and his sister of California and Mrs. Nellie Hayes of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. John Wright and son John of Vergennes and Mrs. Charlotte Denay spent Monday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Freeman and family of Ionia. Mrs. Johnson and son of North Keene have moved here and occupy the Max Denay house. The son is finishing his work in Keene but will soon join his mother. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tower motored to the Rapids Sunday to visit their brother, A. G. Stobetz and family. They invited the Misses Myrtle Moore and Orma Lang to enjoy the trip which was fully appreciated by all, especially the time with Mrs. Stobetz and son George's wife. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod and son Melburn were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hale of Keene. Frank Jones was at Moseley Monday. School is closed for a week as some of the older children have to help in potato digging.

Roxall Dyspepsia Tablets Will Relieve Your Indigestion D. G. Leek.

NOTICE Our Window for Bargains In Furniture We are overstocked on some things and we are going to make the price reduce the stock. Here are some of the things: Iron Beds, Wood Beds, Dressers, Davenport, Kitchen Cabinets, Dining Chairs, Dining Tables, Dish Cupboards, Baby Buggies, Sewing Machines, Center Tables, Buffets. Numerous other articles. The PRICES will surprise you. Investigate and see for yourself. YEITER & CO. HOME FURNISHINGS

The West Side Garage is getting in line to give the motorists of Lowell and vicinity complete and up-to-date service. Mr. Ellis Skaghn, who has joined the force, has back of him seven years of experience and is a specialist in electrical equipment. A complete outfit for the repair of storage batteries, magnetos and coils will be added to the facilities. We will strive to keep your car in tip-top running order and give you city service at reasonable charges. U. S. tires, Grand Rapids gas, Columbia batteries, and the best in all other supplies. SMITH'S GARAGE

DON'T EAT foodstuffs unless you know they are of best quality if you want to keep in the best of health. Inferior groceries are weak in nourishment and rich in doctors' bills. They are expensive at any old price. If you want to eat a square deal that is quickly assimilated and easily digested, and puts your system in prime condition, then you want to come to us, for our goods were selected with this end in view—and they are exactly what we say they are. G. W. BANGS & CO. THE OLD STAND-BY Pullen Block Phone 250

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Cider Apples Wanted at Canning Factory

"Silver Plats that Wears" ROGERS BROS.

4 Royal Brands For the Coffee Cup You will find your favorite blend in one of the four ROYAL VALLEY BRANDS. Every degree of cup quality is covered in these brands: some are stronger, heavier, or more highly aromatic than others. All are carefully blended to meet each individual taste. New (grounded) at 25c is a berry fresh roasted, ground and packed in one pound tin. Rich, sweet and aromatic, the most popular coffee listed in the market. Ro-Vac-Co (steak cut) at 35c is a coffee of delicious blend, pure, rich and more highly aromatic than others. All are carefully blended to meet each individual taste. Glenwood (steak cut) at 30c is a coffee of delicious blend, pure, rich and more highly aromatic than others. All are carefully blended to meet each individual taste. Pleasant Valley Tea. 50c, 60c, 80c per lb. We guarantee the purity and quality of Pleasant Valley superior to any tea. Send your order today. C. H. ALEXANDER & SON.

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**LONG HARD WINTER
IS DUE**
PREDICTS HOARY SAGE: LET
WHISKERS GROW HE
ADVISES

We are doomed to a long, hard winter!
All signs point to it, say old-time weather observers, and we may as well face it with cheerfulness.
Hiram Baker, for half a century a resident of Lansing, maintains that there are certain signs evident which reveal, if one can read them, certain hard frosts in the way of cold weather and an extremely busy season for the coal man.
Mr. Baker asserts that while whiskers may seem a burden and unhandsome as a facial adornment, yet whiskers, deep and long, should be cultivated as they will offer many a grain of comfort in the coming contest with Jack Frost and may save many a chest from pneumonia.
Hiram wears them himself and since taking an inventory of nature's signs, has abandoned the weekly trim and will let his portiers acquire as much shagginess and thickness as they can, without irrigation or hair tonics.

Points to Corn Husks
The first sign, Mr. Baker points to, is the thickness of the corn husks. Husks this fall, says Mr. Baker, are unprecedented for heftiness and uniform thickness. This sign, says Mr. Baker, rarely fails. When a city man husks his corn and finds such a condition, it is advisable to immediately proceed to get as much credit as possible from the coal man. In fact, thick husks, are a sign of get-allered-it possible.

Egg Shells Another Sign
Thick shells on the guinea hen's egg is also an infallible sign. The guinea egg's shell is so thick this fall, says Mr. Baker, that you can crack a walnut with it without trouble. The rabbit's burrow is deeper than usual and the squirrel has laid in a supply of food like a "hobo" co-operative society in a kind-hearted neighborhood. The butter, some of it is stronger than usual, too," says Mr. Baker and the cow's horn will be found to have taken on a hard flint look.

While there are many other natural signs of a continued cold wave, Mr. Baker says these are the more important ones. Hiram predicts that the coming big freeze will make the Canadian quarter look just as any other piece of money before the robin sings again.
There is no solitude into which the Living Christ cannot enter and make it a society.—A. C. Hill.

Uncle Eben,
"Don't get discouraged, son," said Uncle Eben, "if you find you can't do what you're tryin' to do Mebbe it's puttin' you in train' to do somethin' that you kin."

The set of many a dainty oxford is being spoiled these days by the roll of winter underwear.

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RUTH IS HOME AGAIN
"What makes the butter crumble so?" inquired Ruth's sister, as she was trying to cut butter that had been upon the ice a long time.
"Very cold butter is likely to do that unless you know how to cut it properly," answered Ruth, "So you might just as well learn how to cut it properly right now. Let me show you."
And taking a piece of waxed paper in which the butter had been wrapped, she put it over the sharp edge of the knife and cut into the butter. The butter did not crumble, break in pieces or stick to the knife, but separate in nice, smooth layers, as good butter should.
"Ruth," ejaculated her sister, "I don't like to be continually praising you, but I must say that you are the eighth wonder of the modern age."

BE KIND TO YOUR MOTHER
Mrs. Wood-White
Oh, Johnnie, be kind to your mother: Remember how tender and true, Thru all the long years of your childhood, She ever has been unto you. And now you are passing to manhood, Your presence should shelter and aid The friend who has guided your footsteps.

Oh, Johnnie, be true to your mother— Tho false to the rest of mankind— For if the whole world should forsake you, That mother would bear you in mind. That mother would cherish the wayward, Would pray for the wandering son, Would cling to you firmly and fondly, No matter the wrong you have done.

Oh, Johnnie, be strong for your mother Whenever temptations assail, Resist, to your utmost endeavor— A courage that never shall fail. Her prayers are ascending to Heaven, Like incense, by night and by day, That you may be guarded from danger: And guided along the right way.

Oh, Johnnie, take care of your mother: Her steps have grown feeble and slow; Your strong arm should shield and support her, As on thru life's journey you go. Then after the journey is ended— In the land of the leal and the true, Where perky gates stand ever open— One friend will be waiting for you.

HIS TRIBUTE TO WOMEN
No matter what one may think of the philosophy of Robert G. Ingersoll, one must admit that he stands out prominently as an American who was a master in the use of the English language. The following is his oft-quoted tribute to women:
"It takes a hundred men to make an encampment, but one woman can make a home, I not only admire woman as the most beautiful object ever created, but I reverence her as the redeeming glory of humanity, the sanctuary of all virtues, the pledge of all perfected qualities of heart and head. It is not just nor right to lay the sins of men at the feet of woman. It is because women are so much better than men that their faults are considered greater. A man's desire is the foundation of his love, but a woman's desire is born of her love. The one thing in this world that is constant, the one peak that rises above all clouds, the one window in which the light forever burns, the one star that darkness cannot quench, is woman's love. It rises to the greatest heights, it sinks to the lowest depths. It forgets the most cruel injuries. It is perennial of life and grows in every climate. Neither coldness nor neglect, harshness nor cruelty can extinguish it. A woman's love is the perfume of the heart. This is the real love that subdues the earth; the love that has wrought all miracles of art; that gives us music all the way from the cradle song to the grand closing symphony that bears the cloud away on wings of fire. A love that is greater than power, sweeter than life and stronger than death."

HOW TO SUCCEED
Twenty clerks in a store, twenty hands in a printing office. Twenty apprentices in a ship yard, twenty young men in a village—all want to get along in the world, and expect to do so. One of the clerks will become a partner, and make a fortune; one of the compositors will own a newspaper and become an influential citizen; one of the apprentices will become a master builder; one of the young villagers will get a handsome farm, and live like a patriarch—but which one is the lucky individual? Lucky? There is no luck about it. The thing is almost as certain as the rule of three.

**Beauty in Mind, Soul
and Body Will Lure Love**

By Helen Worthington
Advanced thought declares that the occupied mind and the happy heart are the foundation stones for health. And health is another name for beauty! Loveliness exercises a dominating influence, and the truest beauty is an externalization of physical, moral, and mental excellence. In every human heart there is a desire for love and friendship. As we are—so do we attract! Did you ever stop to think of that? The slipshod, awkward woman cannot hope to gain the interest and admiration of any but slipshod, unattractive persons. Beauty's path is a royal progress. She receives the homage of the very best. By beauty is not necessarily meant of face or feature. But beauty of soul—of a clean mind and a healthy body! Every experience in life teaches a woman that her share of its success is in proportion to her ability to win favor and esteem. Many a lamentable failure has been due to the fact that the individual paid no heed to the interesting subject of personal improvement. The fine mind receives admiration, but if it is encased in an untidy body and clothed with soiled garments, it never attracts love. When will women learn this? And while men and women live Cupid will have the contract to distribute happiness. You cannot get along without him. Everyone needs the encouragement of loved ones! Everyone must have those for whom they plan—for whom they can work and of whom they can think up a thousand pleasant memories. What would life be worth if one were placed on a desert island entirely alone—without a human soul to mingle with? Each of us depends upon others to a certain extent! Then why not aim to make yourself so agreeable, so attractive, so lovable from all viewpoints, that you will attract only those who are most desirable? A little time—a bit more thought daily—would work wonders. And its worth the effort expended.

Muskegon—Although for a time her life was despaired of, Miss Elsie Van Buskirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Van Buskirk, of Muskegon township, is recovering from lockjaw at Hackley hospital and will soon be able to leave the institution. Treatment with antitetanus serum is responsible for her recovery.

East Lansing—In order to give the nursery at the Michigan Agricultural college a chance to replenish itself, the forestry department will refrain from shipping any extensive orders for stock to reforest the waste lands of this state as has been done on a large scale during the past few years. Last spring the college broke all records in tree shipments and as a result the stock is very low. At the present time workers are busy transplanting 100,000 white pine and spruce trees. Valuable suggestions for the

Mancelona—A new record for fire drills in the public schools was set Wednesday. The 510 pupils of all the grades marched in orderly fashion from the building in forty-five seconds

money. There are some ways to fortune shorter than this old dusty highway; but the staunch man of the community; the man who achieves something really worth having—good fortune, good name, a serene old age—goes in this hard, dusty road.

Keep a strict account of both profits and expenses; be careful to keep the first in advance of the last until the point of independence is reached, and you will most certainly avoid the dreadful fate heretofore so common to nine-tenths of the foolish voyagers upon uncertain seas of business.

Let your industry never grow weary; keep your faithful servant, economy, ever on guard, and should no disaster overwhelm you, your voyage will most surely be a successful one.

from the time the alarm gongs were sounded. The drill was unexpected even by the majority of teachers and as the fire drill usually is held Monday afternoons, Wednesday's drill gave the impression that a real fire was in progress.

East Lansing—That the Hessian fly situation in Michigan is much improved is the contention of Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department of M. A. C. The situation was not nearly as bad as first supposed," said Professor Pettit. "Many cases where wheat was down were attributed to the fly, while in reality other causes were to blame for the destruction. The fall wheat will be out of the ground in a short time now and the fly may again storm us, but I do not expect to see as much destruction as in the past."

Mason—Ingham county will vote on the local option question again next spring, after having been on the "dry" side of the proposition two years.

Care Of Invalids At Home

In the home care of invalids there is often a great lack of knowledge as to just how the varied and nourishing broths, gruels and drinks should be made. A list of a few may be a help to the at-home nurse. One rule to follow is to make small quantities always, else there will be waste. Everything about the service must be scrupulously clean and dainty, and kept in perfect condition.

Barley Gruel—Wash carefully two ounces of pearl barley and boil it in half a pint for 15 minutes. Then pour off the water and add one quart of fresh boiling water. Let boil until reduced one-half; then strain off and add a half-pint of port wine, the rind of a lemon and a little sugar. Simmer all together five minutes; then put in a pitcher to cool. Warm as needed in small quantity.

Calf's Foot Broth—Stew one calf's foot in three pints of water. Add a little lemon peel and simmer gently until the lipou boils down, carefully skimming. Turn into a clean basin to cool. Remove every particle of fat. When needed, warm half a pint of the broth, adding a little sugar, a little butter, a little nutmeg and a pinch of salt. When hot, remove from fire and in a couple of minutes add the beaten yolk of an egg. Stir over the fire an instant to slightly thicken, but do not let it boil or it will curdle.

Chicken Broth—Joint and prepare a tender fowl; add one quart of water, a bunch of sweet herbs, half an onion,

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siderably more than was ever paid for a wheat crop before.
September weather was particularly destructive to potatoes, causing a reduction of 37,558,000 bushels, or 10 per cent, in the forecast of production. Oats will exceed the record crop of 1912 by almost 100,000,000 bushels. Barley will exceed its record by 17,000,000 bushels; rye, by 500,000 bushels and hay 8,000,000 tons.
"The potato forecast has declined to 362,000,000 bushels, a reduction of 38,000,000 bushels, or nearly 10 per cent from Sept. 1 forecast," the bureau of crop estimates statement says. Last year's crop estimate at 406,000,000 bushels and the average of the preceding five years, 357,000,000. The crop is seriously affected by the blight and rot generally in the principal potato sections east of the Mississippi valley. Not only will the crop be short, but the keeping qualities probably poor.
"The apple forecast is 71,732,000 barrels (three bushels), which is 433,000 barrels larger than the Sept. 1 forecast, but 12,768,000 barrels less than last year's estimate of production. This estimate refers to total farm production (census basis), only a portion of which represents the so-called commercial crop."

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WINTER WHEAT QUALITY.
ELEMENTS IN SEPTEMBER
DESTRUCTIVE
TO POTATOES
BIG LOSSES
OCCUR**

Washington—American harvest this year will be the most valuable ever produced. With the wheat crop exceeding a billion bushels, the largest ever produced in one season by any nation, and a corn crop which also may prove to be the largest ever grown, the government's October crop report, announces preliminary estimates which indicate record harvest of oats, barley, rye, sweet potatoes, rice, tobacco and hay.
Corn is still king of crops, with indications of 3,026,159,000 bushels. While that is 98,000,000 bushels below the record of 1912, the final production, when the harvest is finished and all statistics compiled, may more than make up the difference. The higher prices this year assures the most valuable crop ever grown. At prices to farmers prevailing October 1, the corn crop is worth \$2,133,000,000.
Wheat prospects increased as the growing season progressed, and the government's early season forecast moved up month by month so that today's preliminary estimates of production was placed at 1,002,029,000 bushels. Wet weather at harvest time, however, reduced the quality of winter wheat so that much of it will not be available for milling purpose and will have to be used for feed. At prices prevailing October 1, the farm value of the crop is \$910,844,000, con-

Rose in Revolt
Johnny, who was more proficient in the art of wheeling the baby buggy than in the selection of his pronouns, became tired of being called on so often to perform this duty. So when mamma summoned him in the midst of an exciting game of tag he relieved his mind thus: "Now, mother what's the world comin' to? Ever since that baby got here it's been 'nuthin' but 'Johnny, where she' all the time."

**RURAL CARRIERS TO REPORT
CONDITION OF ROADS**
Postmasters at all points where rural delivery service is in operation have been directed to have the carriers on all routes report to them the condition of their respective roads whenever they become dangerous at any point or unsafe for travel. The carriers are expected to report exact location of the bad strip of road, giving the county, township and section number of the location where possible. When the above data is collected the postmaster will make the statements the basis of an immediate report to the postoffice department in order that the condition of affairs may be taken up with the state highway commissioner with a view of having the necessary improvements made. As rural carriers traverse almost every road in this section of the state this regulation means a further step in the co-operative movement between state, country and individuals to bring about good roads in the rural districts of the state.

**Homes of Distinction
Selected by Walter J. Keith Architect**



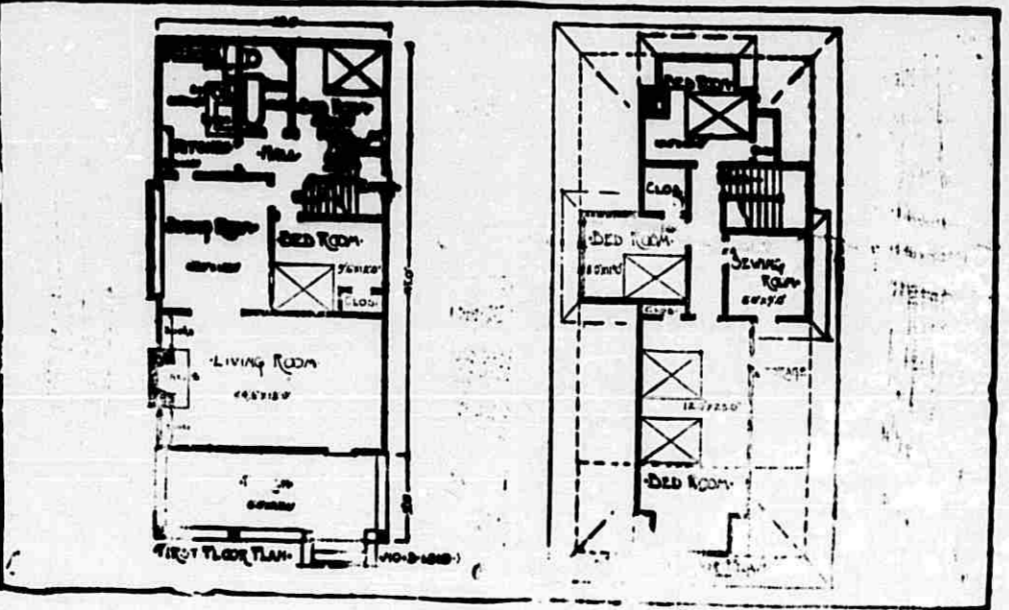
RENT-SONGALOW DESIGN No. D-130

The above is a distinguished bungalow for a suburban home. It is of regular frame construction, with a veneer of brick to the sill line of the first story windows, and stained on metal lath above. These two materials give a harmonious combination of color and texture.

Below is an arrangement of rooms suggested for this attractive elevation, a particularly noteworthy feature of which is the large living room extending across the entire front of the house. A large fireplace is built in at one end, and directly opposite the entrance door is an entryway to the hall communicating with the bedrooms and bath. At the end of the hall is a sleeping porch or sun room provided with spring cots and screens.

The dining room is very pleasant, and is separated from the living room by a screen of post and panel construction. To the rear a door opens into the kitchen which is most conveniently arranged. Generous dressed room is provided, also an inside stairway to the basement. Under the kitchen and bath is a laundry with wood floor. Provision is made for a hot air heating and cooling system.

Exclusive of heating, plumbing, electric work and decorations this house is estimated to cost \$2,000. Plans and specifications \$25.



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cence be scarred by a parent's unthinking neglect. The mother who watches over her children is performing one of the noblest tasks in the whole category of human achievement, and one whose accomplishment, like virtue, is its own reward.

100 YEARS, EXPECTS TO LIVE TILL 110

Eaton Rapids, Michigan.—The most remarkable event that has ever taken place on the State Holiness camp grounds in this city was the hundredth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Eliza Collins, of Delhi township, who was the guest of honor at the annual reunion of the Bunker family. There were about 60 present at the anniversary celebration and reunion. Lansing and Jackson being among the cities represented outside of this community.

Mrs. Collins, in spite of her extreme old age, made the cross-country trip in an automobile in the forenoon, and that evening rode back to Delhi in the auto, and "never made a whimper," either coming or going about being tired. She is still a bright-minded old lady, can get around as gracefully as those much younger than she, and her eyesight is so good that she gets along very nicely most of the time without glasses.

A banquet was served in the big dining hall at the camp ground, shortly after noon, and the leading "features of the feast" was a huge birthday cake, which was decorated with an even hundred candles. The cake was cut into enough pieces so that all the anniversary guests and visitors had a piece of it.

IN PESSIMISTIC VEIN.

The Brotherhood of Man is the grandest paradox of the ages—a rainbow the theorists love to throw against the advancing clouds of strife and trouble; but somehow, its shimmering beauty soon fades, and then the world is filled again with grim realities and men go on killing each other in battle and throttling each other in business just the same as ever.

Christ practiced universal brotherhood—but how far away He seems and how impartial His teachings are made to appear. Modernity has dimmed the sun of Truth until its feeble beams are lost in the dust that the rushing twentieth century raises, and ambition has quite crowded Faith and Charity from the pedestal where all the years of their glory were spent.

Business And The Man Behind It

BY J. T. CLEMONT

"Business is poor"—"Business is good"—"and I have more business now than I can take care of."

No matter at what time of the year, or what the general condition of business throughout the country may be, the man whose occupation takes him among business men will hear the above expressions daily. To some it may seem strange that he hears one no oftener than the other.

The retail salesman must know human nature and use that knowledge judiciously in order to make a fair success in his chosen occupation. The salesman who sells his wares to the business man, in addition to being able to judge his man, must also have a fair knowledge of that man's business and study the methods he employs.

Efficiency in the mainspring of successful business. In order to convey to you or the other man this idea of efficiency as it exists among business houses we have to deal with these types of men: The rule-of-thumb man. The common sense man and the scientific man. In this article the writer will treat upon the first of these types.

The Rule-of-Thumb Man

The tough minded rule-of-thumb man regulates his business by facts he knows: these he judges by what he sees, tastes and feels—he sees nothing that does not harmonize with his personal experience. He boasts that he "believes nothing that he hears and only half that he sees." He has little faith in mankind and less faith in the future. Because he believes nothing, he is, of course, superstitious. He constantly tinkers and patches his beliefs, old prejudices and superstitions into new facts he cannot ignore. He pleases to call this patch work "Progress," and with smug satisfaction thinks he is a real live wire, entitled to first place in the ranks of

progressive business men in his community.

We find he is the proprietor who hires an accountant to make his books tell him something, but wants them kept his way. He may know little about advertising, but when he calls in the services of a copy writer he wants the ad fixed just so, and nine times out of ten the "patched" advertisement brings no results and he laments the deviation from the path of past "experience."

Where advertising is grafted on to old selling methods it cannot help but be expensive and non-resultant. Such are the rule-of-thumb methods of thought and action, where men must be kicked into improving before they are ready.

Precedent is the god of the rule-of-thumb man, but he chooses to call it practice. He looks backward but not forward. What he does not know to be right must be all wrong. If he is a butcher, he keeps his meat on the block "so that customers may have a chance to decide what they want," and in short time it is rendered unfit for consumption. If he is a grocer he limits the number of show cases, and keeps his floor space small "to save rent." He KNOWS it does not pay to have more trade because "it means a larger expenditure for help."

The common sense grocer uses a pencil and figures out costs and profits. He looks at each additional employee as an investment that will increase the size of his ledger profit column. The rule-of-thumb grocer considers the new employee an expense. He listens to the dictates of his rusty little god "Practice," forgetting there is a happy medium with a steeper and brighter light, called *Compromise*.

There is a fortune in it for the man who can think up something to say in favor of the roll top stocking that the girls are all wearing.

There is no doubt that Greece will fight the Teutons, says a news dispatch. A case of the fat's in the fire, as it were.

Lansing — Eaton, Ingham, Ionia, Barry, Kent, Livingston and Montcalm counties have spoken out strongly in favor of the "Pavelway" across the state from Detroit, and even many of those who will not be directly benefited by it are willing to give substantial aid toward the project.

Oliver — His display of heroism in the triple drowning accident at Pine Lake, near Oliver, two years ago last winter, has put Mervin VanWey, of Oliver, in the University of Michigan for a four year course, in the literary department. Young VanWey, for the part he took in attempting to save the lives of his companions, commanded the attention of the Carnegie bevo fund commission to the extent that he has been awarded sufficient funds to pay all the expenses of his University course upon which he started last week.

Hastings — Walter Keightley, the alleged Boston crook, who was arrested by Sheriff Manni, of Hastings, for snatching a purse from a woman during the fair in that city, has been turned over to a Boston officer who came to Hastings for the prisoner and took him back on the charge of defaulting a bail bond of \$2,000 last April. In addition to snatching the purse at the Hastings fair Keightley was also charged with having stolen a sum of money and a check for \$100 from Jacob Walter, of Woodland.

Lansing — Assistance of the federal authorities in Detroit in breaking up a "dope" ring that is said to have been operating here for the last six months, was asked Monday by Prosecuting Attorney Brown of Ingham county. Prior to the prosecutor's action two men, said to be victims of habit-forming drugs, were placed under arrest by the police and one of the prisoners is said to have confessed forging a prescription to obtain a quantity of morphine.

Lansing — On the eighteen miles of road between Lansing and Eaton Rapids, there are only four miles that are not constructed on the state reward plan, and now the construction of this four miles has been provided for. A portion of the expense of putting in

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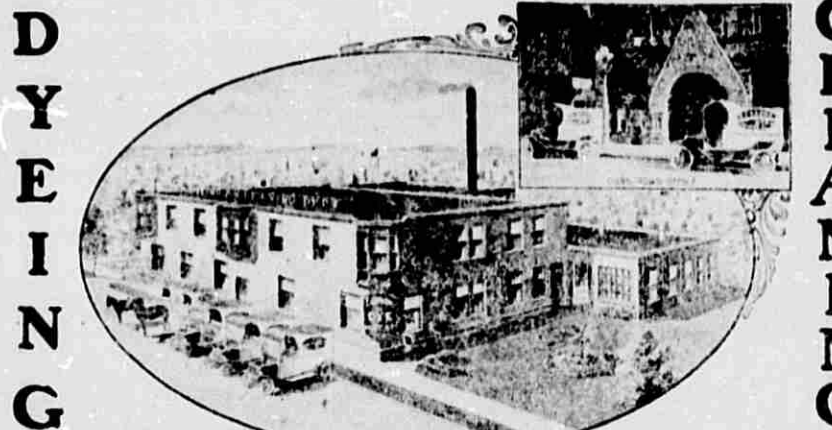
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AT THE Columbia Theatre

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"The High Life Girls" company comprising a dazzling array of pretty girls, clever comedians, tuneful singers and a special ragtime orchestra, are to be presented at the Columbia theatre by Frank Calder for a week's engagement commencing with the matinee performance, Sunday, October 17th and at the matinee and evening performances daily for the balance of the stay here.

Two and one-half hours of merriment will be the sum total of the performance which the company will offer. There are two one-act musical comedy revues entitled "A Country Vacation" and "At The Pekin Cabaret" programed, and in addition to these there will be a host of special features interpolated in the performance.

In selecting the personnel which is included in the cast to be seen here Manager Calder evidently combed the ranks of musical comedy from end to end for the completed roster of the organization fairly bristles with names well known in stagemod.

The great care that was exercised in choosing the company was duplicated in framing the production and

Dyed Pearl Favored In Buttons For Fall

There is a strong fashion tendency for fall to have the buttons match the suit or garment in color. In this connection dyed pearl is particularly favored, as well as colored galathite. There are also some excellent designs in combinations of galathite and metal and galathite and pearl. The metal rims of the former combinations are either plain or embossed, while the latter style shows deep toned galathite with pure white pearl, says the Dry Goods Chronicle.

In shape, the newer types of buttons show a decided tendency toward height and thickness. Some of the more favored are of the sew-through variety. Some excellent numbers are shown in nickel and in antique gilt finish, both in circular and in square form.

One of the novelty metal buttons is small in size and square in shape, and can be had in nickel or in dull black in a plain finish. Tiny hand-painted pearl buttons, as well as dyed pearl buttons in small, odd shapes and assorted colors, are given prominence for use on waists. Stuffed crochet buttons are new, these being in soft effects, and not drawn over wooden molds.

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in costuming the cast and chorus. The latter numbers a score of pretty girls, chosen because of their ability to sing and dance as well as because of their youth and beauty. "None of them twenty and all unmarried" would fittingly describe the chorus of the organization.

Of the special features that are to be presented "The Apache Dance of Death" which is described as a terpsichorean pantomime of life in the Parisian underworld, and "The Banjorine Quartette" are but two. Others equally as important and picturesque have been interpolated throughout the performance.

TO WASH CORDUROY

Now that corduroy sport suits, coats and hats are so much worn, a word as to washing them successfully may be of help. Make a suds of white soap and lukewarm water, and dip the garment into it, squeezing it up and down time and again until the dirt is all removed. Hold a skirt by the waist band in doing this, and grab a coat by the collar band, keeping the corduroy stripes vertical in the process. Then rinse the garment in clear lukewarm water, squeezing it up and down until the soap is all removed. Never wring corduroy. Hang it upon the line and let it drip dry. When all the water has dripped from it and it has commenced to dry, take it from the line and snap it every now and then. Place a heavy crash towel across the line so that the mark of the line will not show. If this method is followed, the pile of the corduroy will come up and the garment will look like new.

To make spiced gooseberries, cap and stem five pounds of the berries and put them with four pounds of sugar, two tablespoonsful each of ground cinnamon and cloves and a pint of vinegar, in a granite preserving kettle. Cook slowly for two hours. Stir carefully to keep from scorching. Then put into glasses and cover with paraffin.

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Fine new bungalow at north end just completed. Close to school and car line. Colonial openings, fire place, built-in book cases, shower lights, oak finish, furnace heat, hot and cold water, apartment basement. East front etc. A most attractive and desirable home for the one who is fortunate enough to get it. Price \$2,700. \$300 down, balance on contract.

Neatly new 7 room house and complete bath on one of best and most desirable streets in the city. Two blocks to school and very close to car line. Light fixtures and decorations are of the best. Furnace heat, open stair case. Apartment basement, out door sleeping porch, hot and cold water, garage. East front and fine shade. \$2,900 on easy terms. Will take vacant lot or smaller house and lot.

Fine new house well located on west side close to N. Lansing, on one of the best streets. 7 rooms and complete bath. Colonial openings, built in book cases and china closets. Very handsomely decorated, shower lights, furnace heat, hot and cold water, apartment basement. Fine lot and shade. This place must be seen to be appreciated. \$3,000. \$300. \$20 per month.

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320 Tussing Building
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Office open Wed. and Sat. evenings by appointment

William J. Bryan got made because a reporter asked him if he would again be a candidate for the presidency. Apparently the sound of falling chestnuts makes Bill nervous.

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Below are a FEW MORE of our FARMS for sale or trade. Read them over carefully.

LIST 111-B—160 acres, well drained, slightly rolling black and sandy loam soil. Buildings nearly all in good condition—some need repairs. First class fences. Owner not able to work farm properly. Price \$16,000. Will take Lansing property in trade.

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LIST 234-B—90 acres unusually productive soil, well drained, nearly level. Near Eaton Rapids. Good woven wire fences. Fine buildings. A bargain at \$100 per acre. Trade for Lansing property.

LIST 274-B—100 acres very productive well drained slightly rolling sandy loam soil near Leslie. First class fences. A No. 1 buildings. Extra good road. \$85 per acre. An extra good farm in an extra good locality.

LIST 276-B—40 acres, nearly level, extra fine, dark clay loam soil, all plow land, near Leslie. Buildings practically all new. A model home for some elderly couple wishing to retire. \$105 per acre.

LIST 285-B—100 acres gently sloping rich clay loam soil, near DeWitt. Fair buildings. A genuine bargain at \$8,000.

The above farms are practically all close to good schools, within a reasonable distance of churches, on milk or cream routes, rural deliveries, etc.

FARMS FOR SALE OR TRADE
All kinds, sizes, prices, locations and terms.

Harry J. Person

Suite 105 Capital Nat'l Bank Bldg.
LANSING, MICHIGAN

IS YOUR BOY YOUR PAL?

If your boy, in youthful exuberance and lack of foresight, should do something that afterward he was really ashamed of, would he come to you, own up to it like a little man and say he'd made a chump out of himself, that he realized it and would never do it again in just that way? If not, then there's something wrong with you or with your boy. There's no better way to raise a boy than to make a pal out of him. You should enter into that wonderful brain your boy has and become a part of his life. You should get his viewpoint—look at things as he looks at them. Don't hold him down and make a mollycoddle of him. He is vibrant with the joy of living. He wants to know what life is and is perfectly willing, usually, to live it as it should be lived if you will show him the way. Remember he has rights as you have. Remember that young passions are powerful passions. They need to be directed so that they will become virtues. No boy that is worth his salt

wants to view life from the inside of a wall. He wants to live and he has the right to live. Don't surround him with prohibitive laws that make his life miserable. Grown people, even, won't stand that. Teach him that commands are to be obeyed, but make those commands reasonable and with a proper regard to the boy's liberty. Teach him proper personal conduct and, above all teach him to let other people live.

TO THE MICHIGAN BEAN GROWERS

The Convention of Bean Growers at Flint represented the principal bean growing sections of the State. The unanimous opinion of crop conditions was that with even the most favorable weather the remainder of the season that not to exceed one-third of a normal crop was possible measured in salable stock. Frost in the northern portion of the State and with the continued wet weather, Anthracnose and Blight have made the most disastrous season in the State's history of bean growing. There is no appreciable stock of beans of last year's crops nor will there be any of the staple foods as cheap as potatoes were last year. By no means can the actual cost of the crop of beans for 1915 be realized by the masses of growers. The problem then is to minimize the season's losses and maintain a price that will move the crop as needed for consumption.

The Convention of growers adopted the following minimum price scale for the bean crop of 1915: October, \$3.00; November \$3.10; December, \$3.20; January, \$3.30, and after that an average of 5 cents for each month of the marketing season. The object of this monthly advance is to accomplish the purposes of preventing dumping beans on the market faster than the trade can handle and also provide a reasonable incentive for the grower to carry his crop and be compensated for shrinkage, interest and carrying charges. To the buyer the market will be advancing to cover the items just named. Bean buying will be a merchandising business rather than a speculative one.

This plan was presented to the Bean Jobbers' Association at Ann Arbor and the general plan of co-operative action in marketing was endorsed. The actual prices were not agreed to nor opposed for legal reasons as well as the uncertainties of crop conditions the remainder of the season. The answer made as to price was that this year it was wholly up to the grower. Conservative marketing would maintain prices, while crowding beans on the market would demoralize prices. All figures of crop costs, food values and general market prices of foods this year would make bean values above the minimum prices named.

The dangers to price maintenance based on the above conditions comes from the possibilities of speculators who may have sold futures and from growers crowding beans on the market too fast. Growers will be advised that beans are too high for consumption. To this it may be answered that there were \$3.00 beans last year on double the crop of this season, and also that the Belgian Relief Commission figured \$3.00 beans as the cheapest food that could be bought last year.

As a business proposition consult your banker on price maintenance and financing the crop in your hands as well as after selling. The interest on one bushel of beans at \$3.00 per bushel is less than 2 cents per month. This with some shrinkage still allows a safe margin for conservative marketing. On the other hand, do not stay the market. This method of marketing the bean crop has the approval of the U. S. Division of Markets, and in the language of an exclusive bean buyer: "It's up to the farmer to make the market price for beans."—Michigan Bean Growers Association, J. N. McBride, Secretary.

Real Definition.
An applicant for a teacher's certificate in Kentucky answered an examination question by defining "blunderbuss" as "kissing the wrong girl." Dictionary or no dictionary, we would have given that girl a first-class certificate.—Houston Post.

THE COUNTRY EDITOR
Representative Harold C. Kissinger of the Illinois general assembly, is the champion of the country newspaper editor. In a recent debate in the legislature, he had this to say: "There is no one nearer the people in the rural communities of our state and in our smaller cities and towns than the country editors. They protect the interests of their citizens. They boost the town they live in. They contribute time and energy and money to the upbuilding of their home communities. This nation needs our small towns and cities. They are the foundation of our prosperity and our civilization. They are what the few great cities we have live off of. They are the strong fundamental structure upon which we must build our business prosperity and stable government. Former Ambassador Bryce, the great English economist, said that the menace of America was her great cities and that the stability of the American government and the future of American civilization rested upon her small cities and towns and rural communities. If we want to protect and upbuild the country community, let us vote in favor of the country editor, for they are among the staunchest, truest, hardest-working friends of all of the splendid institutions we have throughout the state."

OBSERVATIONS

By Maurice D. Armstrong.

THE DESERTED ROAD.
Stealing away from the clatter of travel,
Piercing the gloom of a whispering glade,
Loitering again in a meadow of sunshine,
Fresh from the arms of a broad maple's shade,
Led by the breath of a thistle-down fancy,
Coaxed by a longing from mem'ry's abode,
Into a distant land, strange and secluded,
Wanders afar the deserted old road.

Once was a time when this rugged old highway
Rang to the echo with laughter and song,
Bright was its pathway with patriot candles
Gleaming where revelled the guests all night long,
Bright, too, its path with the flashing of rifles,
Reddened its dust with the life blood of men
Who fought, as they wooed, with a keenness of ardor
That baffles the power of a poor writer's pen.

Gone are the days of the old highway's glory,
Vanished its fame with the passing of years,
The age of the train and the gasoline buggy
Has pushed such traditions 'way back in arrears,
The grass is upspringing where hoofs of the oxen
Once mangled the turf with the weight of their load—
For modern man's now in too much of a hurry
To spend time to ride the deserted old road.

BROTHER BILL SAYS:
What would the manufacturers of school children's shoes do if it wasn't for love?
Life is just like a ride on a passenger train. The engineer always runs it to fast to enjoy the scenery, and when the train stops to let off a passenger, there's a big bunch of freight cars standing on the siding to prevent everybody from seeing where he went.

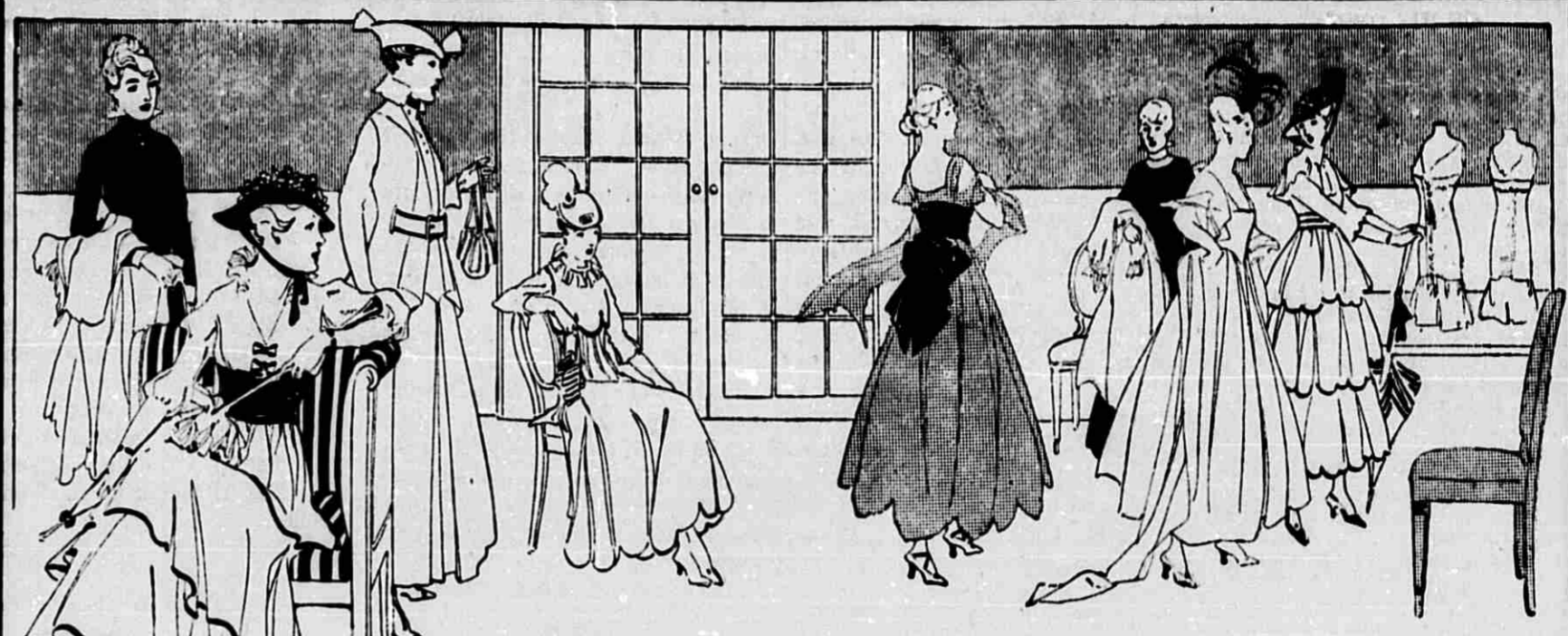
The war will not have been vain if somebody get an idea out of it for a submarine that will torpedo cats when they get to diving after goldfish.

Wonder if the new stock company will start out with "East Lynn?"

In Mexico.
They have cast aside the shovel and the hoe,
'Mid the war drum's roll and rattle
And the noisy sounds of battle,

Old Mexico needs trouncing, so they say,
But I'd rather start it off some other day,
Hence I state my firm intention
Not to fool with intervention—
I should worry like a hoop and roll away.

Stock Excuses.
(To be used when the missus sights you from her lookout on the stairs at 3:30 a. m.)
Civil engineer: Now, darling, don't make a mountain out of a mole hill!
The tailor: I was detained by a pressing engagement.
The musician: I lost my key and had to go back after it.
The cop: A crook stole my best so I couldn't come home on it.
The artist: A college chum hired me to help him to paint the town red.



Women Who Are Particular About The Clothes They Wear Go To Herpolsheimers of Grand Rapids, where the most Comprehensive Assortments in Grand Rapids are Shown. The Home of Correct Styles in Coats, Suits, Furs, Dresses, Waists, Skirts and Children's and Infant's Wearing Apparel.

HERPOLSHEIMERS

West Michigan's Greatest Department Store

Such is Life

The natives chase each other to and fro.
There's a shell astride most every passing breeze,
You can hear them patter gaily through the trees,
And its just as like as not
You will get your person shot
If you linger long in pastures such as these.

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Sound Advice.

Little girl, the wind is blowing
Mighty chilly from the north;
Leaves are flying, summer's dying,
Winter's coming, etc.
Seems to me the changing seasons
Ought to a work a change in you,
And you'd really feel much better
If you'd don a coat or two.

Little girl, if you can stand it,
I'll admit that you look sweet,
Still, I think a woolly sweater
Sure would give your chest a treat,
Don't you think the time is nearing
When its best to give up style,
Give your health a little coddling
And take comfort for awhile?

Little girl, the wind is blowing
Mighty chilly from the north,
Summer's dying, leaves are flying,
Winter's coming, etc.,
And across my vagrant fancy
Runs this fact that's all too true:
If the leaves don't haste their falling,
They'll be fluttering down on you.

Charlie Chaplin is left-handed.
Watch him throw bricks next time you go to the pitchershow.
So are we left-handed, but we've been writing this column so long we can do it with either hand, forward or backward, on the Oliver or in short-

Publicity's Power

Only a few weeks ago the Wolverine Pavedway was an unknown quantity; today, with pledges soaring toward the half million dollar mark and hundreds of enthusiastic boosters, it is the most talked of project in Michigan. There is only one force that could have accomplished the tremendous task of popularizing such a movement in so short a time, and that force is advertising.

In the limited period that the Pavedway campaign has been under way, the press has been the dominant factor in promoting it. Dailies and weeklies, city and country publications—all have missed no opportunity to drive home the good roads gospel with the cudgel of publicity. The result was evident in the reception that greeted the caravan as it swept over western Michigan.

Who is there to deny the strength of publicity's power? May it ever be used to further ends as worthy as the construction of the Wolverine Pavedway.

Lansing, Michigan — Plans are being made by R. J. Baldwin, superintendent of state extension work, for carrying on an educational campaign in many counties next winter to educate farmers in methods of preventing and controlling hog cholera. Losses from the cholera in Branch and St. Joseph counties this year have been materially reduced by the campaign last winter. Lenawee county is one of the chief centers of the disease.

Uncle Jud's Lyrical Monologue on Buying at Home First.

Prophets often without honor are where they should be best known. Some goods seem more attractive when a foreign label's shown. I'll admit mail order catalogues will oft' beguete a wish, for one must use a shining bait to lure the wary fish. But if you really knew which side your bread was buttered on, you'd do your trading here at home with Hank or Bill or John. You'd find their goods were honest, and you wouldn't have to wait—

So why not patronize your friends who don't charge any freight? These other merchants out of town, do you suppose they care a jotney for the little burg, or ever do their share towards building roads, supporting schools, or paying in their tax?

No more than do the peddlers with their little cheap-john-packs. Their only interest in you is quite pecuniary. With your dollar in your pocket you can go to—Tipperary. Just think of this the next time before you go and shop by mail, and give prosperity a chance to camp upon your trail. "See and Examine." "Safety First." Let these your slogans be. Give them a chance, and home town goods will suit you to a T.

DUNK BELIEVES WOMEN INFLUENCE CAR BUYING

Alfred O. Dunk, president of the Detroit Motor Car Co., says: "How many of our prominent automobile manufacturers have considered woman as a factor in making and marketing their product? To my mind it is a

matter worthy of the most careful analysis. Recent figures issued by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce show that during 1914 the value of motor cars built was \$485,000,000. I feel safe in saying that 75 per cent, or \$363,750,000 of this high products value in marketing was directly influenced by women."

"It used to be a common expression among demonstrators that 'It's the paint that sells the women.' This condition no longer exists. Women have become thoroughly familiar with the inner mechanism of motor cars as well as efficient drivers. It has become a matter of fact to hear women discussing the latest car models, using technical motor terms, much the same as talking of the fashions in gowns.

"I have become firmly convinced after some thorough and exhaustive studies and sales analysis that it takes a brave husband to invest in a motor car without first consulting his wife. Then there is the added influence of sweethearts, sisters and mothers, all of which indicates the predominating influence of the feminine in motor car selections."

SUCH IS LIFE



FIRST TOUCH OF FALL

Athletic News of The U. of M.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 4.—Preliminary training for the Michigan football is over, and from now on the activities of the Wolverine coaches will be turned solely to the development of the teams which shall combat each successive opponent to come to Ferry Field. This work started on Monday when Yost started getting ready to meet Lawrence College on Wednesday and Mount Union on Saturday.

Although Yost will probably use nearly every man in the Michigan squad for those two games, in an attempt to find out just what each can do, the line-up which the coach will use for the Michigan team this year has shaped itself fairly well already.

It is likely that Howe will be the regular center, with Captain Cochran and Watson as guards. Reiman and Norton look like best bets for tackles, although Reiman is out of it right now with his injured knee. Dunne, Benton and Staats will be the ends. Clavin has the call on the quarterback post right now and Smith is the most promising full back. Maulbetsch and Hildner are the coach's favorites for halves. There are many others who will run these lads a close race for the posts to which they have been named.

WATCH YOUR TONGUE.
A man cannot speak without telling others just what sort of a man he is. His tongue is his own judge and pronounces sentence on him without possibility of error. If you think too well of yourself, you betray it in the use of personal pronoun. If you feel contempt for others, your words will make you equally hated by them. If you despise their thoughts of religion, of politics or morality, you will be like the Philistines—at the front of the Temple calling all to witness your own perfections. Remember, when you stand in simple relation to your fellow man, you need have no fear of meeting him.

No Cause for Worry.
A New Jersey pastor announced from the pulpit: "God hasn't any use for a bachelor and neither have I." The bachelors will not be likely to worry over the first part of the assertion until they hear on better authority, and the latter probably will never cause them any concern.—Washington Herald.

Let our Classified Department sell or rent it for you.

S.O.S. has saved hundreds of families from distress on the high seas. Money in the Bank has saved thousands of families from distress on land.

"Science has accomplished a lot of new things in water-power and air power. Nothing so far in the history of humanity has been discovered as an acceptable substitute for honest, steady labor."

—Harbor Kaufman

LOWELL STATE BANK
LOWELL, MICHIGAN

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Newsy Notes About People You Know.

Blue Ribbon oleo at Shaw's. Automobile robes at Nash's. Charles Cuddeback spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Eva Haines spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.

New Diamond discophones and records at Stockings'. adv.

Mrs. N. L. Johnson of Aberdeen, Wash., is visiting Mrs. James Paulus.

E. G. Bartz of Grand Rapids was a guest of Miss Ruth Wood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Clark and Miss Florence Jones were in Grand Rapids last Wednesday.

Jennie F. Joseph of Grand Rapids spent the week end at the home of Mrs. I. H. Joseph.

Mrs. D. B. Davidson of Lyons came Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Weekes.

Cannon real estate transfer: Alice D. Knapp to John W. Lynch and wife, part sections 4, 5, 8.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kniffen left last Saturday for an extended visit with their son Ed. and wife at Detroit.

Mrs. Peter Fineis and guests and Mrs. H. W. Smith and Mrs. R. T. Ford were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Yeiter & Co. have several bargains on furniture in their windows. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodcock and daughter Florence of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Mildred Fitz Gerald of Grand Rapids has her violin studio at Mrs. Fineis'. All those wishing to take lessons please call telephone No. 249. [18p]

Our old townsman, H. W. Booth, who has been in Lowell sixty years, passed his seventy-sixth milestone last week and from present indications is good for many more.

Advertised letters in Lowell postoffice: O. F. Greene, Edwin Bower, David Russell, Charles Thover, Mrs. H. C. Beers, Miss Hattie Phelps, Mrs. Annie Thompson R. 50.

Mrs. Geo. Willard and daughter June of Ionia and Mrs. Gale Willard and babe of Detroit spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Worthy Willard. Geo. Willard came from Ionia to spend Sunday with them.

Walter Mosher, manager of the Dollar Cash store at Saranac, was found dead in a chair in his store last Thursday. He recently moved there from Grand Rapids and was well known in the state as a Gleason organizer.

Judge Perkins has granted a degree of divorce to Bessie M. Nicklin from Earl B. Nicklin on the grounds of cruelty. The defendant is ordered to pay \$7.50 weekly alimony, until two minor children shall reach the age of 14.—Grand Rapids Herald.

Owing to a misunderstanding or disagreement, the Lowell-Caledonia ball game scheduled to be played here last Sunday was postponed and a game with Byron Center was played instead. The visiting team was strengthened by several league players and won 3 to 1.

Fifty years ago, the Pullen block, the first brick building in Lowell, was built. The walls were laid in November, 1865, and H. Nash, who was here at that time says it was a fine, warm and dry month, exceptionally good for mason work. Edmond Lee was the builder. The building was owned and occupied for many years by William Pullen, father of the present owner.

Phone 85, Hakes' auto livery. Older apples wanted at the Canning factory. ti

Miss Minnie Meek spent Sunday in Grand Rapids with her brother and wife.

Mrs. Lillian Ruple of Cleveland has been a recent guest of Mrs. A. P. Hunter.

Miss Mildred Cameron of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her parents here.

Ask and get Pearl flour of your dealer. None better at a reasonable cost. adv.

Mrs. Earl McNaughton and son Donald have returned from a visit at Lapeer.

Mrs. Mat Laux went to Bay City Tuesday as a delegate from Lowell lodge to the Rebekah assembly.

Eliminate bake-day trouble by using Pansy Blossom Flour. Guaranteed as good as the best. For sale by all dealers. ti

The Lowell High school football team was defeated 40 to 0 in its game with Belding High at the latter place last Friday.

J. Wm. Williams was home from Detroit over Sunday. Mrs. Williams and mother, Mrs. Lewis, will move to Detroit to make their home with him.

Postmaster Hunter has a Ford that is twenty-five years old and like good wire it improves with age. Runs every day up hill and down and never had a break down.

For price, test, and weight guarantee you will find it to your advantage to bring your cream to the Durand Creamery Co. Paying price this week 27c per lb.

F. W. Braisted, Agent.

A poll of the senior boys of the Union and Central High schools, Grand Rapids, showed a large majority to favor military training in the high schools and that most of them would elect to take it if given the opportunity.

Ada Shaw, administratrix of the estate of Melvina Carter has filed her final account, showing real estate valued at \$8,020 and personal property to the value of \$404.15. Judge Higbee has issued an order assigning the residue of the estate to the heirs.

John Young has moved from Seattle to Baker, Oregon, where he has charge of the Baker White Pine mill, one of the finest equipped mills in Eastern Oregon. Mr. Young has recovered from his recent operation; is feeling good, and is well pleased with his new location.

Mrs. A. Vely went to Grand Rapids Saturday to meet her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. Webb, who have moved here from Richmond, Texas, and will occupy Mrs. S. O. Littlefield's furnished home this winter. Their daughter-in-law, Mrs. T. Webb, will remain with them for the present.

The story is going the rounds that an Ionia farmer who left the country several years ago in search of isier fields and greener pastures in Manitoba, has written back to a friend "Offer a premium at your next Free Fair for the biggest fool in the country and I will try to get back and compete for it."—Ionia Standard.

We will pay a straight salary of \$20 per week to good agents, men or women, to introduce our Bestever Polish Mop. Steady work. Weekly pay. Only good honest workers need apply. If you really want a good paying job write for particulars. Best ever Manufacturing Company, Dept. A., East St. Louis, Illinois. adv.

S. P. Hicks and R. M. Shivel were in Grand Rapids Tuesday on court duties.

Regular meeting of Lowell Lodge No. 90, F. & A. M., Tuesday, Oct. 19.

Ralph Hoag cut one of his fingers on the right hand quite badly last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bergin of Grand Rapids spent Tuesday with relatives here.

Always at your call, McQueen's bus. Phone 6. ti

Mrs. J. L. Leaby visited Mr. and Mrs. James Nicklin in Grand Rapids over Sunday.

Misses Janette Schuitema and Iva Wardhouse of Grand Rapids spent Tuesday with Mrs. H. L. Shuter.

Rev. D. B. Davidson of Lyons has joined his wife here at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. L. Weekes.

The Ladies Aid society of the U. B. church will meet with Mrs. Henry Jay October 20 for dinner. All cordially invited.

Mrs. Headley's division of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church met with Mrs. H. W. Hiller Friday afternoon and sewed for their coming fair.

Mrs. Carrie Davenport, Mrs. Hattie Abbott, Umphrey Davenport and James Birmingham of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the home of Daniel Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schroeder, sons Athlen and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simpson and children Athlen and Zelma of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Athlen.

The dance which was to be given Friday evening, October 15 at Kesch's hall has been postponed indefinitely on account of the accident at Howley Monday. Dedication exercises will be held at the school house as advertised.

Having retired from the auto business I shall devote my full time to my store, which will mean better service in the repair work, etc.; and therefore I solicit your patronage and shall endeavor to give full satisfaction in the future.

R. D. Stocking.

The annual report of the Ionia county poor farm shows an increase of receipts and a decrease in expenses. \$2,488.85 was received from sale of farm products; and the cost of care of the inmates has been 28% per day per capita, a decrease of 1/2%.

This is Styleplus Week from Maine to California!

Leading merchants throughout the nation are devoting this week to a Special Fall and Winter Display of Styleplus Clothes—suits and overcoats. Store and window will flash their message of the latest Style—the newest things in fabrics, designs, swagger effects for snappy dressers, quiet models for substantial men.

Style for \$17 is the order of the day. Men have rounded a corner. Their backs are turned on cheap-looking clothes and expensive clothes. Styleplus strikes the happy balance—all the Style that proud men want at the Price that shrewd men gladly pay!



Styleplus \$17 Clothes

The idea that immaculate style, all-wool fabrics, and superb workmanship could be supplied to the public for \$17 was a daring conception. Equally daring and original are the manufacturing methods back of Styleplus. Such Style at such a Price was impossible before modern methods were applied in a big way to the problem. Specialization, vast output, scientific efficiency in every department of buying and making—these are the factors responsible for the unprecedented values in Styleplus.

To you who are about to buy your winter suit and overcoat, they mean:

- Style plus through-and-through quality (all wool fabrics)
- Style plus perfect fit (for every man of every age and physique)
- Style plus economy (you save at least \$3 to \$8 on each suit)
- Style plus guaranteed wear (a written guarantee with every Styleplus)



To stop in front of our Styleplus Window is to learn a lesson. To step inside our store is to turn the lesson into dollars in your pocket!

FURNISHINGS

That are up-to-the minute and down to the price you wish to pay.

HATS

Pearl Greys, Two Tones, Tans. Our new line of Two Tone Cloth Hats at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

FLANNEL SHIRTS

New shape collars. We have them for dress and work purposes, 50c to \$3.75. See the new MACKINAW shirt.

UNDERWEAR

Carter's and Staley's Two-piece or Union Suits, all weights, all prices up to \$6.00 per suit.

SWEATERS

Brushed Coats. Fancy Trimmed Coats. All colors, all sizes and prices.

Auto Gloves and Mittens

Lambs wool and seamless wool linings. See our one fingered driver.

Hansen's WORK GLOVES

Lined or unlined. Just the weight you want. Guaranteed not to get hard and stiff when wet.

LALLEY & SHUTER

Phone 6. adv. ti. Earl Brown was ill last week. Look for Yeiter & Co.'s ad in this issue. adv.

Percy Gregory and John Arehart were in Battle Creek Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Ecker spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Earl Henderson spent Sunday with his parents at Oshkosh.

P. F. Ronan and family of Grand Rapids were in town Sunday.

Mrs. N. C. Ransford has been quite ill the past week but is now reported as improving.

Mrs. Woolsted and daughter of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fineis.

Cascade real estate transfer: Daniel Parks and wife to Frank D. McKay part 1 1/2, section 3.

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Clarence Collar and Mesdames C. D. Hodges and H. L. Weekes are attending the Grand Chapter of the O. E. S. held in Battle Creek this week.

Misses Janette Schuitema and Iva Wardhouse of Grand Rapids spent Tuesday with Mrs. H. L. Shuter.

Rev. D. B. Davidson of Lyons has joined his wife here at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. L. Weekes.

The Ladies Aid society of the U. B. church will meet with Mrs. Henry Jay October 20 for dinner. All cordially invited.

Mrs. Headley's division of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church met with Mrs. H. W. Hiller Friday afternoon and sewed for their coming fair.

Mrs. Carrie Davenport, Mrs. Hattie Abbott, Umphrey Davenport and James Birmingham of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the home of Daniel Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schroeder, sons Athlen and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simpson and children Athlen and Zelma of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Athlen.

The dance which was to be given Friday evening, October 15 at Kesch's hall has been postponed indefinitely on account of the accident at Howley Monday. Dedication exercises will be held at the school house as advertised.

Having retired from the auto business I shall devote my full time to my store, which will mean better service in the repair work, etc.; and therefore I solicit your patronage and shall endeavor to give full satisfaction in the future.

R. D. Stocking.

The annual report of the Ionia county poor farm shows an increase of receipts and a decrease in expenses. \$2,488.85 was received from sale of farm products; and the cost of care of the inmates has been 28% per day per capita, a decrease of 1/2%.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones spent Sunday at Orley Rulason's.

Headquarters for all the new things in cloaks at Collar's. Big stock to select from. adv.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Lash are attending the Congregational association at Grandville.

Donald Mullen spent Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre, in West Lowell.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson leave today for Fremont, where they will spend a week with their son.

Little Mildred Klump entertained several little girls with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon. It was her seventh birthday anniversary.

About twenty-five friends gathered at Don Phillips' Thursday night and gave him a surprise in honor of his thirty-first birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Watson have moved here from Franfort and will occupy Mrs. Earl McNaughton's house. Mr. Watson will be employed at Cadwallader's furniture store.

Misses Marie Perry and Mabel Charles gave a kitchen shower Wednesday evening of last week in honor of Miss Helen Look, who is to be married at 6:30 Saturday evening of this week to Marie Berger of Constantine. The dining room was decorated in pink and white cut flowers. Refreshments were served.

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SYNOPSIS

Confederate Sergeant Wyatt of the Blount county... explanation will make the situation clear...

CHAPTER VI

The Mistress of the House

I stood with ear pressed against the panel, fingers gripping the butt of my revolver. An ordinary latch held the door closed...



The Book Fell to the Floor, Her Hand Gripping the Pistol.

Lieutenant, Third United States cavalry—see, the numeral is on my hat—attached to Heltzelman's command...

"I found it strangely difficult, fronting her calm look of insistance, to go on. But there was no way of escape...

"You are Union? an officer of—of cavalry? I can scarcely comprehend you should be here."

"I am not sure as to that. I have found nothing of any value missing. Indeed we left nothing here to attract vandals."

"Yes, I supposed as much; you are Miss Noreen Harwood?"

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"No, Miss Harwood, I belong to the Army of the Potomac, and am here only on recruiting service. A word of

father must have removed those of importance. Possibly he carried them with him?" She leaned her head on her hand...

"No, or I should not remain parleying with you," she responded gravely. "The war has taught even the women of this section the lesson of self-protection...

"He has not consented," she interrupted. "I am supposed to be safely lodged with friends in Lewisburg, but rode out here this afternoon to see the condition of our property..."

"There, I have told you all my story, without even waiting to hear yours. 'Tis a woman's way, if her impulse be sufficiently strong."

"You mean faith in the other party?" "Of course; one cannot be conventional in warlike matters, and there is no one here to properly introduce us, even if that formality was desired..."

"My uniform alone should be sufficient guarantee." She laughed; her eyes sparkling. "Well, hardly. I imagine you fail to comprehend its really disreputable condition..."

"Not in the least," I answered, not wholly surprised that she should have heard of the other, and confident the papers I bore would be properly executed...

"I have become quite a soldier of late," she said, and handed the package back to me. "And I cannot doubt your credentials. I am very glad to meet you, Lieutenant Raymond, and she held out her hand cordially..."

"Whom I shall only be delighted to serve in any manner possible," I replied gallantly, relieved that she was so easily convinced.

"Oh, I think the service is more likely to be mine. You confessed you broke in here seeking after food and a fire. Down below we may find both, and it will be my pleasure thus to serve a Federal officer..."

"On the stairs?" She led the way like a mistress in her own home, and I followed. There was a force of character about the girl not to be ignored...

"Yes, indeed. Why he knows more about the races than any other man in this country."

"Fancy that! And he doesn't look as if he had ever been on a track in his life."

"And he knew. Mrs. Bacon—I see it is said as a rule, where earthquakes are most frequent they are also most severe."

There was a law that permitted the sale of liquor for medicinal, mechanical and scientific purposes. A farmer came in one day and offered to purchase a gallon of stuff from the local druggist...

And here I found her a woman—a woman of charm of rare beauty even—sweet and wholesome in look, but cheeks aglow with health, her eyes deep wells of mystery and promise.

"I think he once told me they were left in charge of a banker at Charleston—an old friend. It would be too dangerous to carry them about with him in the field. You see I do not know very much about his affairs..."

"On one side at least. My father was shot at, and several of our out-houses burned. The trouble arose over the title to property, Cowan," she explained...

"Not seriously so," I answered, rather inclined to resent the charge. "I am twenty-four."

"You look like a boy I used to know—only his eyes were darker, and he had longer hair."

"Indeed! I caught my breath quickly, yet held my eyes firm. 'Someone living about here?'"

"Yes, his name was Wyatt. I never knew him very well, only you recalled him to memory in some way. He and his mother went South when the war first broke out. Where was your home?"

"In Burlington, Vermont." "You are a regular soldier?" "I was a Junior at West Point last year; we were graduated ahead of our class."

"Isn't that odd?" she said quietly. "Do you know Mme. Hactell's school for young ladies at Compton on the Hudson? That is where you sent me, and I was at the senior hop at West Point a year ago last June..."

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Reckoning by Rule. "How old do you think I am, Mr. Jimpson?" asked Miss Arabella Bonehill. "I happen to know, Miss Bonehill," said Jimpson. "You were born in 1870—that makes you just thirty."

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No matter how many remedies you have tried and failed to get relief, one that Rheuma will convince you that the sciatica and all forms of rheumatism can be permanently cured.

CASCADE

The date for the apron sale and supper has been set for Friday evening, Oct. 22. Mrs. Clayton Carlyle has returned home from a three weeks' visit with friends in Rockford.

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United Doctors Specialist Will Again Be at The Waverly Hotel

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