





# UXMAL, THE CITY OF THE XIUS



WEST FACADE OF GOVERNOR'S PALACE

Second city in point of size and importance in ancient Yucatan was Uxmal, the capital of the Xiu or Tutul Xiu family, who ruled there almost down to the time of the Spanish conquest. This city is located in the midst of a low range of hills, which crosses the state of Yucatan from east to west, and is about 100 miles from Chichen Itza.

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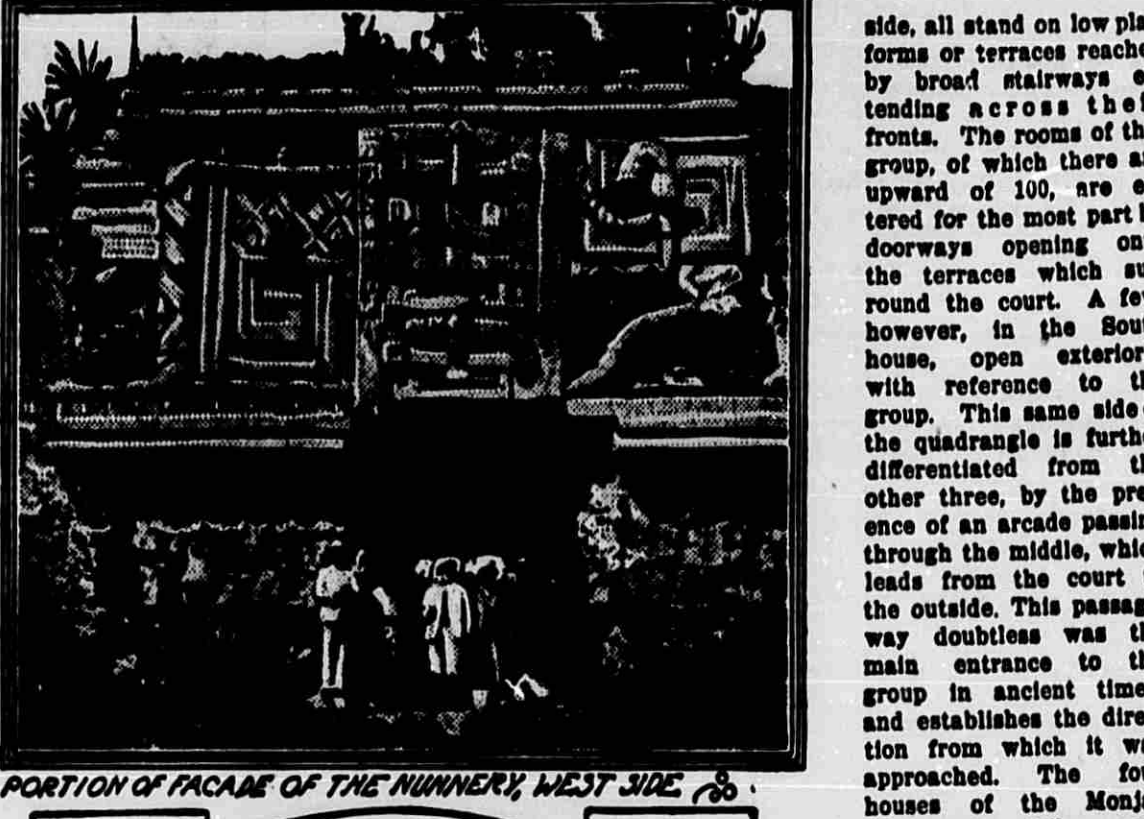
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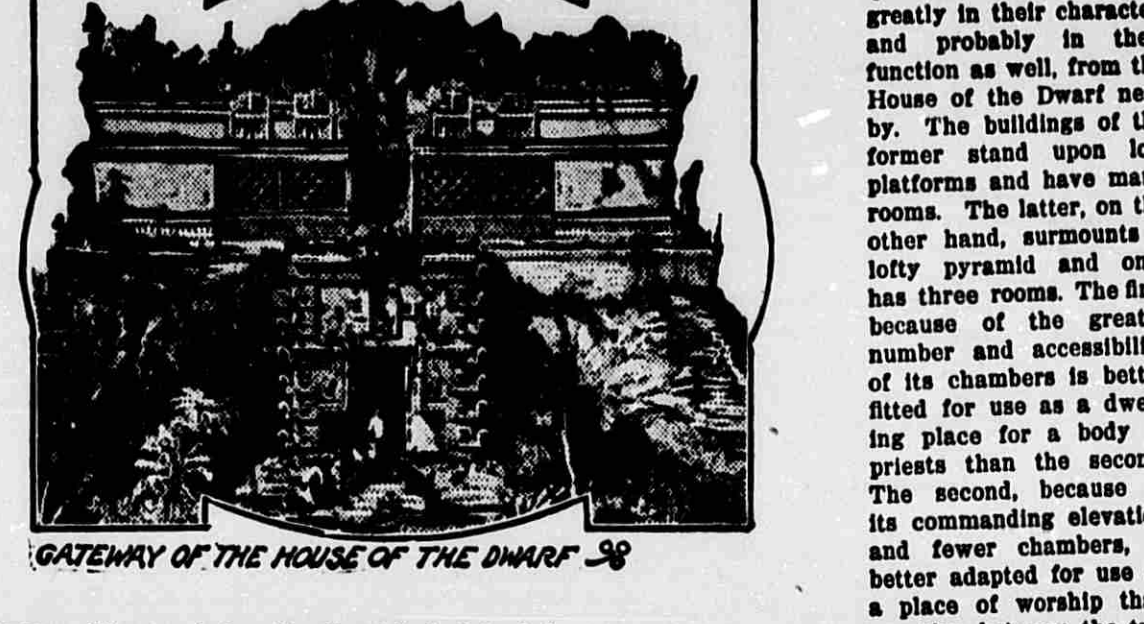
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FACADE OF THE NUUNERY



PORTION OF FACADE OF THE NUUNERY, WEST SIDE



GATEWAY OF THE HOUSE OF THE DWARF

side, all stand on low platforms or terraces reached by broad stairways ascending across their fronts. The rooms of this group, of which there are upward of 100, are entered for the most part by doorways opening into the terraces which surround the court. A few, however, in the South house, open exteriorly with reference to the group. This same side of the quadrangle is further differentiated from the other three, by the presence of an arcade passing through the middle, which leads from the court to the outside. This passage-way doubtless was the main entrance to the group in ancient times, and establishes the direction from which it was approached. The four houses of the Monjas quadrangle differ very greatly in their character, and probably in their function as well, from the House of the Dwarf near by. The buildings of the former stand upon low platforms and have many rooms. The latter, on the other hand, surmounts a lofty pyramid and only has three rooms. The first because of the greater number and accessibility of its chambers is better fitted for use as a dwelling place for a body of priests than the second. The second, because of its commanding elevation and fewer chambers, is better adapted for use as a place of worship than the first.

The splendid temple surmounting this, grotesquely called the House of the Dwarf or Magician, probably was the chief sanctuary of Uxmal. The pyramid on which it stands is over 30 feet high and covers nearly an acre of ground. The summit is reached by a steep stairway on its east and apparently back side. The temple however, faces in the opposite direction, or toward the Monjas quadrangle, an adjacent group of structures, with which, as we presently shall see, it was closely connected. Clear down into Spanish times, long after Uxmal had been abandoned by her native rulers, this temple was held in particular veneration by the Indians. About a century after the conquest, Father Cogolludo, provincial of Yucatan, visited Uxmal and climbed to the summit of this pyramid. He found there, he says, in one of the apartments offerings of cacao and the remains of copal, burned but a short time before. This he thought indicated that some superstition or idolatry had been committed here recently by the Indians of the locality. And again, slightly later in 1673, a petition addressed to the king of Spain says: "That the Indians in those places (Uxmal) are worshipping the devil in the ancient buildings which are there, having in them their idols, to which they burn copal and perform other detestable sacrifices."

Long after the conquest, no doubt, the natives continued to practice in secret their ancient rites and ceremonies, particularly at those places which formerly had been sacred or holy to them. It was to some such survivals of the ancient ceremonial and ritual that the above citations probably refer.

# MICHIGAN'S RURAL HIGHWAYS

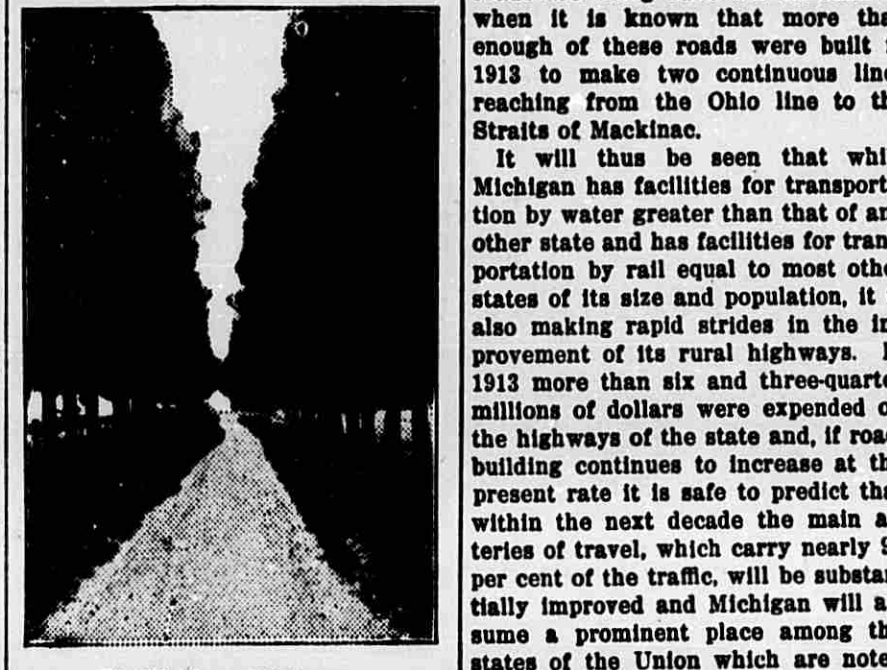
By FRANK F. ROGERS, State Highway Commissioner.

(From "Michigan—the Land of Plenty.") Lord Bacon has said: "There be three things which make a nation great and prosperous, a fertile soil, busy work shops, and easy conveyance for man and goods from place to place." If these conditions are necessary to make a nation prosperous, they are equally necessary to the prosperity of a state, and Michigan will not suffer by comparison with other states in these respects.



An Improved Highway.

Villages. This equals 1.23 miles of highway for each square mile of land area and one mile of highway for each 40 persons, according to the United States census of 1910. At the present time the highways of Michigan are improved by taxes raised from three sources: 1. A tax levied over the assessable property of each organized township of the state.



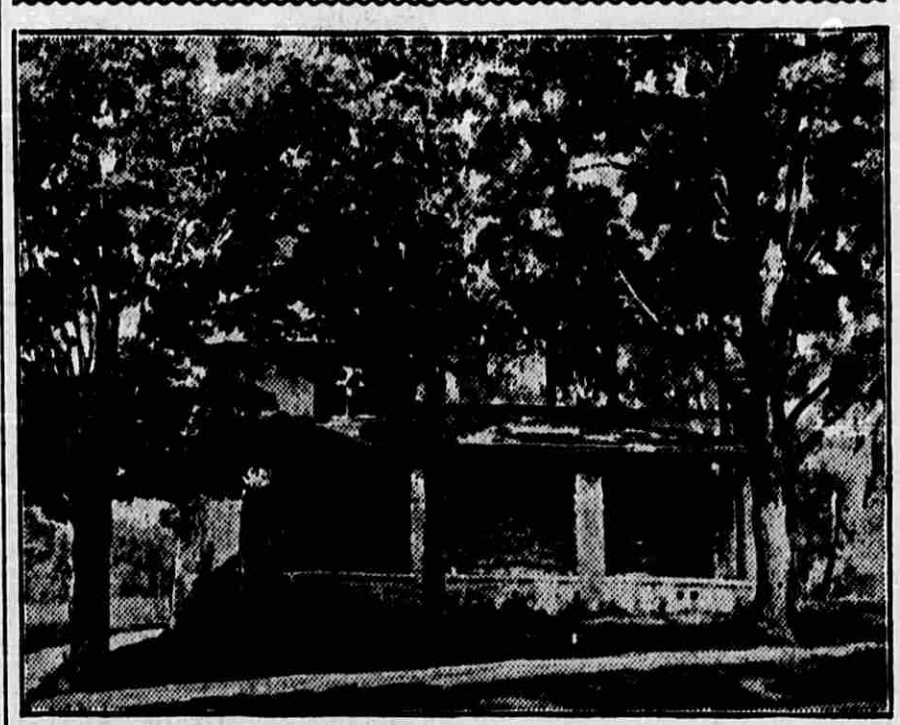
A Michigan Highway.

three counties of Michigan at this time (March, 1914) have adopted and are now working under the county road system. 2. By state taxes, through direct appropriations by the legislature, for the purpose of paying state rewards and otherwise aiding in the building of roads and bridges in the state.

## CONDENSATIONS

Broken bones are now quickly healed by an injection of bone dust in petroleum around the ruptured ends. Cobalt is coming into use for the making of high-speed steels. Titanium is a deoxidizer or purifier of molten steel. The hardness of steel is due to the fixing in it of austenite and martensite. Prolonged heat caused these to break down and form a softer pearlite.

# THE HOME BEAUTIFUL

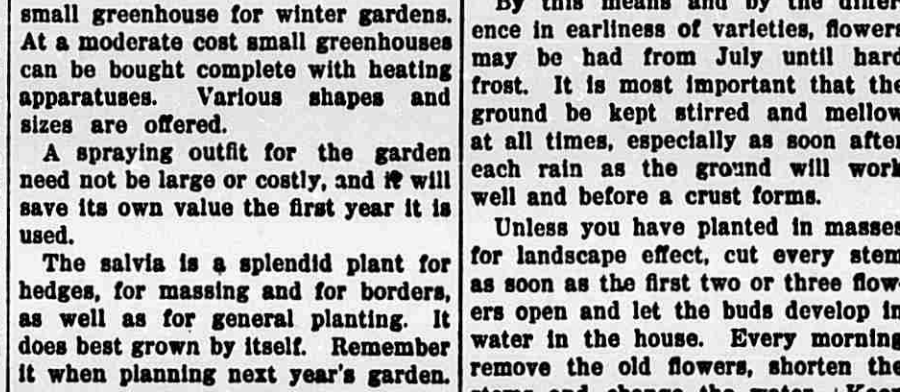


The Result of Good Tree Planting, Affording Shade and Beauty of Landscape.

SHADE TREES FOR BEAUTY In selecting a list of trees to plant for shade on your lawn or along the avenue or near the house, make a note of the character of the soil and plant accordingly. If you are planning a home in the lowlands, where it is damp and where fogs hang on the better part of the morning, "cut it out," sell it out, get out, do anything to get out, and go up higher if possible.

## IN THE GARDEN

Do not make the mistake of planting magnolias in the autumn. Where they thrive there is nothing more showy than the Chinese varieties. The flowers appear about the same time as the crocuses and tulips in the spring. The spring is a better time for planting. Do not permit any weeds to go to seed. Better not allow the seed pods to form. Go carefully over the garden these fall days and clear out every weed. Will save lots of trouble next season.



Caring for Seedlings in the Cold Frames.

small greenhouse for winter gardens. At a moderate cost small greenhouses can be bought complete with heating apparatus. Various shapes and sizes are offered. A spraying outfit for the garden need not be large or costly, and it will save its own value the first year it is used.

## THE MODERN GLADIOLUS

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

## WATER PLANTS PLENTIFULLY

When you water plants, soak them and have done with it. It is the little dab of water all the time that does the mischief. Out of doors it doesn't rain every few minutes, but when it does it soaks them and then stops. Morning is the best time to water the plants. Stand the pots in a tub of water deep enough to reach almost to the rim of the pot. When the soil turns black on top take them out and drain.—L. O. B.

## COMMENTS

Even the fellow with a family tree may prefer to branch out for himself. Women are naturally generous. Where one woman will keep a secret, ninety-nine will give it away. The telephone girl isn't always a belle. A bell always rings as it is tolled.

## SAGE THOUGHTS

The man who eats with his knife creates comment in some localities; the man who eats with his fork creates comment in others. Crude oil has advanced in price, but only a few will benefit by the increase. The trouble is that most of us are pumping "oil."

## REALLY PLEASED, THEN.

"Mrs. Gadders is a woman who always wears an artificial smile." "Not always, I'm sure." "What makes you think so?" "I've seen her smile quite naturally when her sarcasm made some other woman wince."

## Chinese Amulet.

One of the commonest amulets worn by an only son in China is a small silver lock, according to the authors of "The Book of Talismans." The father collects coins from about a hundred different heads of families, and has them exchanged for silver, which is converted into a native padlock used to fasten a silver chain round the boy's neck. This, it is believed, will preserve him from evil spirits, lock him to life and contribute to his health and longevity.

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Big Tax Coming. Prepare to Dig. The coming tax levy will be the highest in the history of the state.

When assessment valuations were raised, we were promised that the rate of taxation would be reduced, so that taxes would not be increased.

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should not be permitted to drive automobiles; but it should be remembered that the army of drunkards is always recruited from the ranks of the moderate drinkers.

FROM Newport we learn that the "Smart Set" who spent the summer at the resorts are not paying their bills; and grocers, butchers and bakers are in straits.

THE action of the board of supervisors in denying all requests for salary advances, was right and proper; and should serve as precedent for other public bodies.

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Den and Eli Kaufman and families visited Orville Clemens and family Sunday.

THE congestion of the blood in its flow causes pain. Sloan's Liniment penetrates to the congestion and starts the blood to flow freely.

ABOUT 150 attended Pomona held at the Success Grange hall Oct. 21.

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LONG TERM

28 Years of Experience Give Weight to Statement. Of all the external ills that Michigan horses can be subject to, there are few that a good liniment cannot heal.

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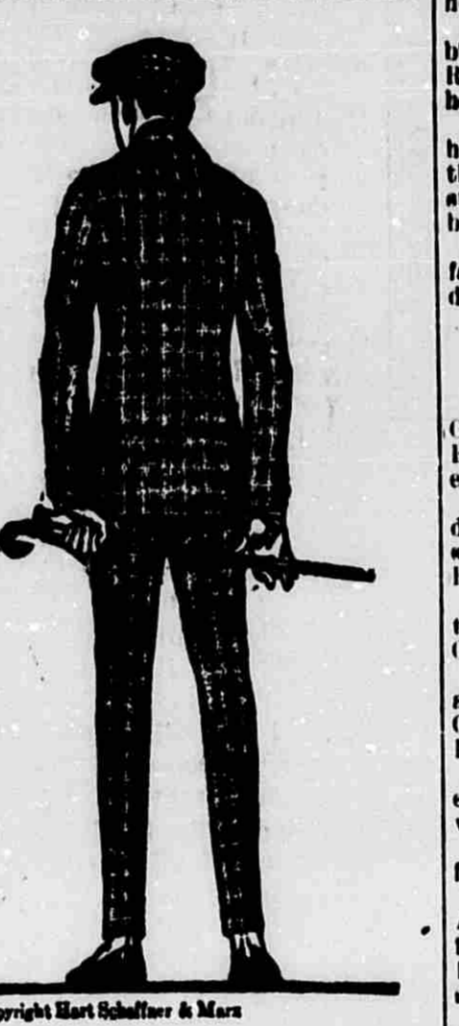
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KEENE NEWS. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gage and daughter Inez moved from Muskegon Saturday and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pant.

COUNCILS THAT ARE STOPPED. Careful people see that they are stopped. Dr. King's New Discovery is a remedy of tried merit.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Kent. In the matter of the estate of Gottlieb Wieland, deceased.







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THE END IN SIGHT

At last, the end of Mexico's troubles is in sight. Word has gone forth that the United States proposes to recognize General Carranza, and thereby set the crown of rulership upon his head.

There will be a few to deny the wisdom of such action. True, every nation has the right to work out its own salvation, but not after its ability to do so begins to falter.

MAIL ORDER TRADE

James S. Knox of Cleveland told the merchants of Lansing at least one thing Monday evening that must have impressed them. That was the statement to the effect that \$2,000,000 was annually leaving the city destined for the coffers of the mail order houses.

In at least a general way, many local business men were already cognizant of the inroads that the yellow order sheet is making on their legitimate trade. Perhaps some know wherein the advantage was gained, and what it is that allows its retention.

WOULD NUMBER POLES TO CUT FIRE LOSSES

Lansing—State Game Warden William R. Oates is considering an innovation which he thinks will tend to further minimize loss by forest fires in Michigan.

Under the plan outlined by Pierson red and white cards would be kept in the cab of each locomotive traveling through districts where there is danger from fire.

Operating under the present plan an engineer reports a fire to the operator at the first station. The operator

is then required to locate the section crew and there is often considerable delay owing to the fact that extra men and road cars are not always available for messenger service.

THE JOURNALIST'S CREED

By Walter Williams

I believe in the profession of journalism.

I believe that the public journal is a public trust; that all connected with it are to be the full measure of their responsibility, trustees for the public; that acceptance of lesser service than the public service is betrayed of this trust.

I believe that clear thinking and clear judgment, accuracy and fairness are fundamentals of good journalism.

I believe that a journalist should write only what he holds in his heart to be true.

I believe that suppression of the news for any consideration other than the welfare of society is indefensible.

I believe that no one should write as a journalist what he would not say as a gentleman; that bribery by one's own pocketbook is as much to be avoided as bribery of the pocketbook to another; that individual responsibility may not be escaped by pleading another's instructions or another's dividends.

I believe that advertising news in editorial columns should serve the best interests of the readers; that a single standard of helpful truth and clearness should prevail for all; that the supreme test of good journalism is the measure of its service.

I believe that the Journalism which succeeds best—and best deserves success—fears God and honors man; is stoutly independent, unmoved by pride of opinion or greed of power, constructive, tolerant, but never careless, self controlled, patient; always respectful of its readers but always unafraid; is quickly indignant at injustice; is unwavering by the appeal of privilege or the clamor of the mob; seeks to give every man a chance and, as law and honest wage and recognition of human brotherhood can make it so, an equal chance; is profoundly patriotic, while sincerely promoting international good will and cementing world comradeship; is journalism of humanity, of and for today's world.

DUCKS ARE INCREASING IN STATE, OATES FINDS

State Game Commissioner Oates has compiled a tabulation of migratory game birds observed in Michigan this season, and reports from deputies in the field indicate an increase over recent years, particularly in rails, plover, woodcock and snipe.

Ducks reported are: Americans, red-breasted and hooded mergansers, mallard, green and blue-winged teal, black, "English" (local name) teal, baldpate, widgeon, golden-eye, gadwall, Barrow's golden-eye, red-neck, pintail, canvas back, lesser scaup, buffle-head, ring-neck, and woodcock. No eider, scoter, harlequin, or squaw ducks have been observed.

Brant appeared in Michigan marshes this season, mostly in lone pairs. Of the lesser birds, upland plover, Wilson's snipe, killdeer, and snipe show the greatest apparent increase. Sandpipers are numerous and greater and lesser yellow legs, king rail, golden rail and willet have been generally observed. Curlew and the Hudsonian godwit have been seen, singly and in pairs. The coot or "mud-hen," formerly appearing in large numbers in Michigan, is less in evidence this season than heretofore.

Charlesworth—Jacob Bahney, residing a short distance from this village, is the oldest resident of Eaton county. He has just celebrated his ninety-eighth birthday, and is still able to get around about as well as most men twenty-five years younger than he.

SOMETHING IN THIS

A correspondent of the Detroit Times writes as follows: "Editor The Times: This seems to be the situation in Detroit: 'Fourteen hundred bad women driven out of the city; 'Fourteen hundred bad men not driven out. 'Fourteen hundred good girls being transformed into fourteen hundred bad

women to fill the vacancies in the fifty guarded resorts that the fourteen hundred men visit.' All of which goes to show how useless it is to try to enforce virtue. Might will never perform the mission of education. The only way to successfully combat the social evil is to strike at its roots by surrounding the home with proper influences and providing careful training for the young.

Pleasant Evening Reveries. A Department Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

BEDTIME

Wee Golden Hair is sleepy, As tired as she can be, And climbs upon my knee. She coaxes for a story, In drowsy tones and sweet, I hug her close up to my heart, And oft-told tales repeat.

AND ALONG CAME RUTH

"I always make it a point to save all sets of buttons," said Ruth's aunt, whom she was visiting, "and yet I cannot seem to get them all together when I want them again."

SWEET MINDED WOMEN

So great is the influence of sweet-minded woman on those around her that it is almost boundless. It is to her that folks come in seasons of sorrow and sickness for help and comfort, one soothing touch of her kindly hand works wonders in the feverish child; a few words let fall from her lips in the ear of a sorrowing sister do much to raise the load of grief that is bowing its victim down to the dust in anguish.

BLACK WALNUT COMING INTO ITS OWN AS LEADING FURNITURE WOOD

So little was American black walnut once esteemed that it was used for fence rails, house timber and firewood. Cabinet makers and carpenters appreciated its grain, its susceptibility to polish and its virtues and it soon became popular as a furniture wood.

REAL HOMES

There are husbands and wives, whose love is so deep that each cares only to have what will go best for the other and for their children. These men and women belong to no particular class; they are to be found among

the highly educated and luxurious classes, in the great middle classes and among the laboring people. Such folks are honest in their affections, honest with each other and honest with the world. Their homes are not places for show, but what the name implies—place of rest, happiness and inspiration of good work.

Remember, when assailed by affliction that every cloud has a silver lining, and, could we but see aright, many apparent calamities are but blessings in disguise.

Hope is a better companion than fear, and morning is ever the daughter of night. Whatever is, is right; presumption alone would avert the hand of Providence. Give us, oh, give us, the man who sings at his work. Be his occupation what it may he is superior to those who follow the same pursuit in silent sullenness.

It is hard for a mother to believe that her children are made of the same kind of clay as those across the street.

No household is complete without a sister. She gives the finish to the family.

We see the scores of handsome faces where we find one that is truly happy.

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finishing, its excellent wearing qualities in hard usage and its resiliency, which aids in taking up the recoil of the gun." American black walnut is just now in extraordinary demand for rifle stocks and the surviving trees are being hewed down in many parts of the country. The revival of walnut as a furniture wood set in Europe some time before the outbreak of the war, European cabinet makers having a cleaner appreciation than our native cabinet makers of the beauty, utility, and easy working qualities of our walnut.

DOINGS OF DENNIS DOYLE BY ROSS CRAIN







THE RED MIST A TALE OF CIVIL STRIFE

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SYNOPSIS. Confederate Sergeant Wyatt is sent on a spy to the active country on the Green Line...

CHAPTER VIII—Continued.

He was so slow, that I thrust him roughly through the opening. The girl closed and locked the door. The girl had placed the lamp on a table, and as I turned, her eyes met mine.



I Could Feel the Trembling of Her Body.

"Now you must lead," he said softly. "We will go down the back stairs."

CHAPTER IX.

What We Overheard. I could feel the trembling of her body, and for an instant my brain seemed to reel with dizziness.

TUTUILA, THE HAPPY ISLE

Leads the World in Percentage of Sunday School Children—People Live Simple Lives. The efforts of the Medical Department of the United States have practically stamped out "tonas" among the natives of the island of Tutuila, Samoa.

old Baptist hypocrite, what kind of a trick is it you are playing on me? Stand him up there boys, against that rail. Stop your howling, or I'll smash you one in the face.

LATEST FRENCH GOWNS

NEWEST IDEAS OF FASHIONS. Innovations Set Forth by Worth Have Been Accepted as Latest Fitting Styles of Season—For Afternoon and Evening.

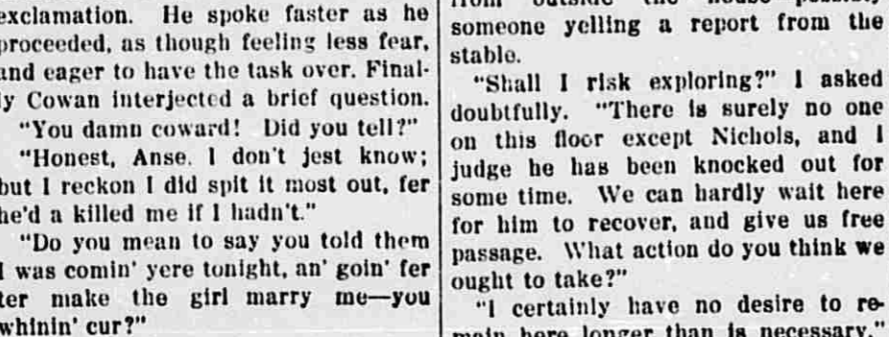


The Tipperary Hat is a Sovereign Affair, Trimmed With Green Shamrock and Was Made Especially for Miss Harrison by Paquin of Paris.

Peel, core and quarter some sharp apples, throwing them into a brine made by boiling six ounces of salt for one minute in a balanced ration...

PICKLED APPLES FOR WINTER

Delicacy That Will Be Appreciated in Cold Weather When Most Fruits Are Scarce.



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

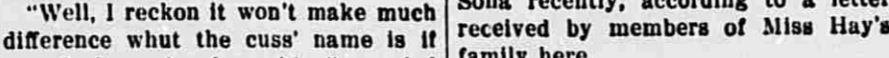
QUEEN GREET'S VILLAGE BRIDE

Bulgarian Ruler, in Company With California Girl, Attends Humble Wedding.

The hearts of a pretty village bride and her family were filled with gratitude by the presence of Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria and Miss Helen Scott Hay, formerly of Pasadena, Cal., at the marriage ceremony in a small village near Sofia recently.

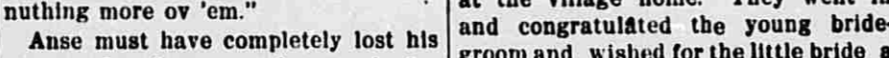
FOR POLISHING THE RAZOR

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



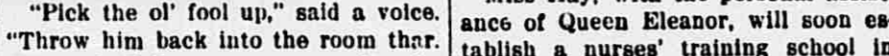
USE FOR THE OLD WAISTS

Skillfully Handled They Make the Very Best Kind of Slipover Corset Covers.



ROUND TABLE LUNCHEON SET

Pretty Idea Has Become Decidedly Popular With the Hostess Who is Fond of Entertaining.



Value to Navigators.

For navigators an instrument has been invented by which a true course between points can be found on a chart and converted into a compass course without computation.

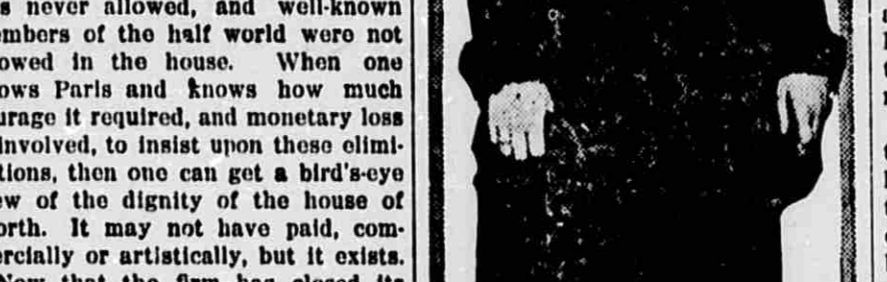
Precocious Pat.

"Now, Pat, tell the class why words have roots."

the issues from the viewpoint of her father. That would have nothing to do with these banditti, but later might greatly interfere with the work to which I had been assigned.

TIPPERARY HAT

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

MEAT SOUFFLES

Meat of excellent flavor is needed for meat souffles. Chicken and ham are favorites. They should be chopped fine and then poured smooth.

CREAMED FISH WITH POTATO

Mash and season potatoes and line bottom and sides of dish about one and one-half inches thick.

JELLY ROLL

Four eggs, well beaten, one cupful sugar, one cupful flour, one teaspoonful cream of tartar, one-half teaspoonful soda and a very little salt.

GRAPE CORDIAL

One quart grape juice, one and one-half pounds of white sugar (leaf is best), an even tablespoonful of cinnamon and simmer half an hour.

GREEN-CORN FRITTERS

Cut from the ears a pint of corn, beat together a cupful of milk, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one egg, whipped light salt to taste and enough flour to make a thin batter.

PIGS IS PIGS

The prize Berkshire pig that sold for \$1,600 bore the title of Duke of Sussex VI.

AN EARLY PHYSICIAN

A Providence physician declares that castor oil is a bad medicine and we agree with him, because the discovery was made by us before we were eight years old.

Why send your money away for 'brass' roofing when you can get the best roofing... Certain-teed Roofing

Developing ANY SIZE ROLL 10 BLACKS

Wanted All He Could Get Dissatisfied Stranger in Town Decided He Would Look Further for a 'Good Thing.'

He had taken a transfer from the agent and started across to the other line when a sudden thought struck him, and he turned back and asked of the agent:

"Is this ticket a beer check?" "Of course not," was the reply.

"Good for nothing except to ride somewhere else?" "That's all right," said the agent.

"No beer, soda or ice cream, eh?" "All right—all right," mused the man as he turned away.

If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Although there are hundreds of preparations advertised, there is only one that really stands out as an eminent and a remedy for disease of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

"This dog of ours," said Mr. Jones to the Sabbath dinner guest, "is a most peculiar animal; he runs away every afternoon and stays for days—but he always comes home on Sunday."

RHEUMATISM QUICKLY RELIEVED There is nothing that will stop the agony so quickly and also reduce the swelling as true Mustarine, which every druggist has in an original yellow box at trifling cost.

Nature Falls into Line. "Even the elements appear to be adapting themselves to the exigencies of war."

How Now? "Only yesterday I was reading of a khaki-colored cloud."

Always proud to show white clothes. Red Cross Ball Blue does make them white. All colors. Adv.

Don't waste time in explaining why you failed. Get busy and make good.



Corns business, falling arches, improving nails, calluses—all come from bones bent by wearing narrow, pointed shoes.

EDUCATOR SHOE Every Genuine Educator has name stamped here on sole

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 44-1915.



The Place To Buy Flour

THE GRAND TRUNK GROCERY

We bought heavily before the advance.

- 6 cans Milk, Pet.....25c
3 cans 10c Fruit Jelly.....19c
6 bars Naphtha Soap.....25c
8 bars Acme Soap.....25c
4 boxes Corn Flakes.....25c
Good Clear Pork, lb.....11c
Pure Lard, lb.....12c
Lard Compound.....11c
Good Pink Salmon.....10c
Good Red Salmon.....15c
Bacon, lb.....24c, 22c, 20c
3 boxes good Matches.....10c
Fine Broom.....25c

E. T. WHITE, Prop. Phone 299

John Vandenberg and family of Alto spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Conklin.

DISTRICT NO. FIVE Rev. Paul of Grandville spent the latter part of the week with his sister, Vanillatama and family.

Uric Acid Poison Undermines Health When uric acid becomes seated in the kidneys, bowels, and blood, these organs begin to decay.

South Lowell Oct. 26.—Mrs. Gilbert and daughter of Burlington are visiting her brother, T. C. Willette, and family.

Do Not Grip We have a pleasant location that will do just what you want it to do. Rexall Orderlies

Judge For Yourself Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Lowell Citizen's Experience.

East Lowell Carrie Conklin is taking place less some of Hayden Warner.

Stomach Misery Quickly Vanishes Your money back if you want it the way in which M. N. Henry, the popular druggist of Lowell, Mich., the great dyspepsia remedy.

McCords and Whitneyville Sundry visitors at Fred Patterson's were Mr. and Mrs. Moffit of Alaska.

MORSE'S Little STORE At the Grand Trunk 7 cans Evaporated Milk.....25c Macaroni, 1 lb. packages.....10c

Fred Morse Saturday Only Mex-O-Ja Coffee, lb.....24c Longhorn full Cream Cheese.....20c

The Monuments and Markers we have in our salesroom are made from the Best Granite and Marble quarried in the United States, Scotland, Sweden and Italy.

WEST VERGENNES Mrs. P. J. McCormick who has been very ill is somewhat improved.

FOR SALE Good, recently built 8-room house, with well, clean, city water, lawn, etc., near central school.

FOR SALE—Buff Rock Cockerels, from superior thoroughbred premium stock.

FOR SALE—My home three blocks north of Central school building on Water street.

FOR SALE—Potatoes medium size, also good light drilling horse or trade for heavier one.

FOR SALE—Hobstet "helter coming two years old and Hambleton mare 4 years old broken single and double.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE GOOD ROOM HOUSE, electric lights, cistern and city water in house.

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LADY WANTED—To introduce our new Fall line of dress goods in Lowell.

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Remarkable Success of These Talented Physicians in the Treatment of Chronic Diseases

Offer their Services Free of Charge The United Doctors, licensed by the State of Michigan for the treatment of deformities and all nervous and chronic diseases of men, women and children.

These doctors are among America's leading stomach and nerve specialists and are experts in the treatment of chronic disease and so great and wonderful have been their results that in many cases it is hard to find the dividing line between skill and miracle.

SMITH'S GARAGE Just north of Hotel Waverly. Phone 297

OUR BLACKSMITHING

facilities are the best in town. The forge and anvil are still doing old-fashioned blacksmithing, under the hand of Mr. George Rouse.

SATURDAY SPECIAL

100 Printed Envelopes with your name, business and address—a neat job— ONLY 25 CENTS

Cash with order. These are good business size envelopes and the price is for two days only, SATURDAY, OCT. 30 and SATURDAY, NOV. 6

Mail orders for lots of 500 delivered by parcels post at same rate. Call or address THE LEDGER, LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Yes—Many People have told us the same story—distress after eating, gases, heartburn. A Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet before and after each meal will relieve you. Sold only by us—25c.

A Woman's Intelligence

Only the inexperienced or thoughtless fail to recognize the great value of the intelligent, conscientious woman's influence in creating and maintaining a higher moral and intellectual standard of living.

THE COAL MAN is talking To You And the best thing you can do right now is to TALK TO THE COAL MAN.

Parisian Dye House Dyeing and Dry Cleaning of all kinds. I am agent for Parisian Dye House

Earl Hunter Phone 127 Will C. Stone

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Keeps Your Stove Shining Bright Black Silk Stove Polish Get a Can TODAY