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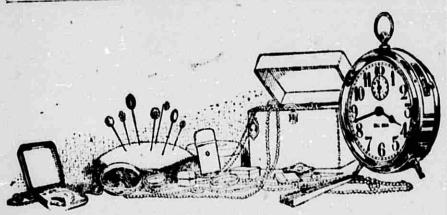
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Takes Sparta Bride.

A quiet home wedding was sol-

The bride was attractively arrayed in a gown of white Georgette crepe trimmed with bridal satin and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Rhea Haines was attired in pink Georgette crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink crepe trimmed with bridal state of the class of 1905. Mina Eggleston Landand Tassa Burnett Lane were Lowell school girls, the former a graduate of the class of 1903.

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vocal solo by Mrs. Clarence Collar, after which a dainty three course luncheon was served on the lawn, tee in its effort to provide a grayer and their juniors a little grayer, but their hearts are still the table decoration being pink and white asters and pink roses.

The ceremony was performed in the living room, with a background of ferns, golden rod and other wild flowers. The gifts, inother wild flowers. The gifts, including many beautiful cut glass dishes, were both beautiful and useful

Amid a shower of rice and bells jingling the happy couple left for a motor trip to Kalamazoo, San-dusky, O., Niagara Falls, Detroit

and other points of Interest. Mr. and Mrs. Lampkin will be at home at the beautiful country home of the groom's parents aft-ter October 18, in Keene.—[Com.] move to his farm in Keene. Mr. and Mrs. Jones have

Frost-Ruben.

o'clock, Miss Lotta A. Ruben, rural life. The bride wore a becoming traveling suit of tete de negre broadcloth, trimmed with seal, with a hat of black velvet with shaded brown wing. Tiny sweetheart Receipt of Subscriptions Is roses and swansonia comprised Herewith Acknowledged. her bouquet: The only guests from away were Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo P. Ewing of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ewing of Cosince its last report, as follows: lumbas, Ohio, and the bride's since its last report, as follows: brother, Edward Ruben, of Detroit. After Oct. 16, Mr. and Mrs. Frost will reside at 22 Portsmouth place, S. E. Their honeymoon will be spent at Gun lake R. P. Morse, Miss Florence Yeiter,

day Herald. Reward

E. A. Anderson, Agent.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Preaching, 10:30 a. m.

Sunday school, 11:45 a. m.
B. Y. P. U., 7:00 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
ALTO—Preaching, 2:30 p. m.
J. E. Bodine, Minister.

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and prompt service do the busi- the latter will attend school. ness. Lots of help and we can get your work out too. Phone 200

The opening fall meeting of the Lowell Board of Trade was held at the City hall last evening, starting with a luncheon and followed by a varied and fine program of music and speaking. Horace Walker's Ford car went into the gravel pit near Eugene Engle's place west of town last Saturday and was badly dam-aged. Clinton Johnson was driv-ing but escaped with minor in-

Dexter G. Look received the compliment of an uncontested nomination for county road com. missioner to succeed himself and received 2,593 votes outside the ity of Grand Rapids. 'Onegood

term deserves another.' It was the intention of the Board of Education to close the East ward school and consolidate the attendance at the Cen tral building, but a large in crease in the enrollment in the lower grades may necessitate reopening the building:

A nice job of grading has been done in the large yard enclosed by the High school front and approach walks, after a layer of good soil had been spread over the filling by Mr. Velzy. There is a chance for a fine lawn; and Janitor Vaughn knows how to

## THE LYCEUM COURSE AULD LANG SYNE FOR HALF A CENTURY

Monday, October 9.

A quiet home wedding was solemnized Wednesday, August 30, at 2:00 o'clock at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Haines at Sparta, Michigan, by Rev. Bert H. Taylor of the Baptist church, when their daughter, Eva Jean, became the bride of Lee E. Lampkin. The impressive ring ceremony was used and the bride was given away by her father. Attending as maid of honor was Miss Rhea Haines of Grand Rapids; Dexter Conkin of Lowell act-The committee having in charge

Lee Jones has sold his meat

market to Rufus Gregory, who remain with the new proprietor annual picnic of the Ada Pioneers' for a time but expects later to re-

dence in Lowell who will regret their departure and wish them Saturday morning at eleven success and happiness in their dinner was enjoyed.

and a few days in Detroit, the Mrs. Oren Sayles, John Quillen, trip to be made by motor.—Sun- Newton L. Coons, Miss Ida Merriman, Miss Ruth Gibson, Mrs. Fred Carr, A. Bostoff, Mrs. Celia Lin-coln, Mrs. E. H. Campbell, C. E. Pottruff, Albert Ryder, John I will pay liberal reward for information leading to recovery of a 12 string guitar taken from the Grand Trunk depot office.

Pottruff, Albert Ryder, John Eggleston, Z. H. Covert, Miss Edith Kopf, M. M. Hawk, S. Pettit, William W. Yeiter, Alcid Stauffer.

Stauffer. Many thanks for the above avments. Who will be next?

The Family theatre was reopened Saturday under the man-A Ford car owned by Bela Coles Sentinel. He will run Monday, was stolen from the street here Wednesday, Friday and Saturbe learned no clue to the thief or to our readers elsewhere in this

-Phone 200.

Well Known Lowell-Keene Man Opens at Lowell City Hall Burnett-Eggleston Reunion. Mrs. Harriett Wisner Lived In Call on Old Lowell Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A W. Burnett of

Miss Rhea Haines of Grand Rapids; Dexter Conklin of Lowell acting as best man. The flower girls were the little Misses Haines and Smith who strewed the way with pink rose petals as the wedding march was being played.

The bride was attractively arrayed in a gown of white Georgette crepe trimmed with bride.

Miss Rhea Haines of Grand Rapids, and Lake.

The Kellogg-Haines Singing Lowell residents. Mr. Eggleston, who used to clerk for John Giles, went west twenty years ago. Mr. Burnett, former village clerk and clerk for Will Clark, druggist, moved to Saranac about the same time. Mr. Weyrick was in the meat market business here a companied by a pianist, in an operatic program of selections from "The Bohemian Girl," "Il Trovatore," "Martha," etc., elaborately costumed.

On Thursday, December 11

young and loval to the old times, old friends and old loves, here in

Tribute Paid Old Settlers at Ada Labor Day.

took possession Monday morning and will continue the business and residents of the Grand River at the old stand. Mr. Jones will Valley were in attendance at the association held at Ada Monday. The Burton Heights band fur-Mr. and Mrs. Jones have made nished the music, and a program many friends during their resi- of addresses and games and contests entertained the picnickers throughout the day. A basket they have been identified with

**CROPS LIKELY TO PAY** WORK FARM EXPENSE

Auditors Will Not Pay Any More Bills Until Supervisors

No more bills contracted at the county work farm will be paid by the county board of auditors until the supervisors meet again and provide the necessary funds. The work farm appropriation of \$2,000 is now overdrawn, and after considering the matter yes-terday the board decided to allow no more bills.

While the supervisors do not meet until October, the sale of crops from the farm will bring in culture, a faithful friend, a true considerable money before that time, and some of the bills will be paid from this fund. From present indication the revenue from the farm will exceed the appropriation of \$2,000, by several hundred dollars, being more than self-supporting during the first six months.—Herald.

Hon. Edwin F. Sweet has de cided to accept the Democratic nomination for governor of Mich igan; and those who wanted Western Michigan to have a try now employed with The Ionia at the governorship will still get a chance. Mr. Sweet is a wellknown ex-mayor of Grand Rapids and was the congressman who defeated Mr. Diekema for re-The Ledger job department is busy. Good work, right prices and prompt service do the busi. The letter will attention this children and will move here and on time to be a service with the letter will attention this children and two ment in Washington he has been and prompt service. would make an excellent gover-Printing—the plain neat kind— nor is conceded. Evidently, Mr. that is right—Ledger Job Dept. Sleeper has a job on his hands if he wins in November.

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THE SUGAR BOWL Naum and Terpas, Proprietors. Lowell. Rests at Oakwood



was attired in pink Georgette crepe trimmed with pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink After the ceremomy the happy couple received the congratulations of the guests, followed by a vocal solo by Mar Clargoca (allowed and pink satin and further announcements will be made later.

Tassa Burnett Lane were Lowell school girls, the former a graduate of the class of 1903.

Mrs. Weyrick, mother of Willis Eggleston, made her home here with her mother, Mrs. William Burnett, after the death of her former bushand in the West

She was married to Marcus Lafayette Wisner in Dansville, Larayette Wisner in Dansville, Livingston county, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1850. To this union were born five children, three sons and two daughters, Edgar, Eugene and Charles Warner, born in Nunda, N. Y. Ella and Mary born in Castile, N. Y., and one son born in Michigan who died in infancy

in infancy.
In 1860 the family came to Michigan and settled in Moscow, Hillsdale county. July 30 of the following year, the infant son died. On September 2 and 3, 1864, the only daughters died, aged respectively nine and six years, and were buried in one grave.

The year following, 1865, Mrs. Wisner's family removed to Lowell, where for over half a century the business interests of the place. Ex-Senator Thomas McNaugh- In 1886 the oldest son, Edgar E, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marks Mr. Gregory is not a stranger ton, president of the association, proprietor of the Wisner mill Ruben of Carroll avenue, S. E., to Lowell people having been as presided during the afternoon | died, leaving two orphan daughwas married to Horace E. Frost sociated with his brother Percy when the addresses were given. ters, whose mother had preceded was married to Horace E. Frost at the bride's home. The marrinage rites were read by Rev. R. E. I. Jarvis of the Westminister Presbyterian church before a small company of relatives and intimate friends of the couple. Ferns and hydrangeas formed the background for the service.

The bride ware a becoming tray. her husband, since which she has devoted her life to her remaining son, and the children which together they reared and educated.

Mrs. Wisner is survived by the son, C. W. Wisner, a well known business man for many years, two granddaughters, Mrs. J. W. Lyon of Norwalk, Ohio, and Mrs. Charles Fisher of Evanston, Ill., four great-grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. Lucinda Lee of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Octavia Page of Nunda, N. Y.

Mrs. Wisner was a member of the Congregational church and never lost her interest in its work. She was also a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was a woman of strong character, of marked intelligence and wife and devoted mother, "whose price is above rubies."

This long and well spent life, shadowed by many sorrows and brightened by many joys and crowned by a faith that failed not, was peacefully closed on earth Aug. 29, 1916. P.

Funeral services were held at the residence Thursday, Rev. Abram H. Lash of the Congregational church officiating. Interment at Oakwood cemetery.

#### METHODIST CHURCH

Morning service, 10:30. Sunday school, 11:45. Rally day in the Sunday school. The Superintendent desires the attendance of every member. Evening service at 7 o'clock, Ethelyn White in charge. This is rally day for the Epworth league. Please be present.

Official Board meeting at the close of prayer meeting Thursday evening. Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet Friday after-noon at 2:30 with Mrs. Gonder-

man; Mrs. Frazier, leader. Vergennes: Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching service at 3. The Aid society will meet with Mrs. D. S. Blanding Thursday, September 14.

I. T. Weldon, Minister. BOWNE M. E. CIRCUIT

Communion will be held on the Bowne charge Sunday, Sept. 10. as follows: West Bowne, 11 a. m. West Lowell, 1:30 p. m.

Bowne Center, 5 p. m. R. C. Parshall, Pastor.

**Prohibition County Convention** 

The Kent County Convention of the Prohibition party, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State convention, and for such other business as may propsuch other business as may properly come before the convention, will be held at 314-315 Widdicomb building, Grand Rapids, at 3:00 p. m., Tuesday, Sept. 12.

Because of the opportunities due to the Amendment Campaign, it is hoped that there will be a

large attendance.

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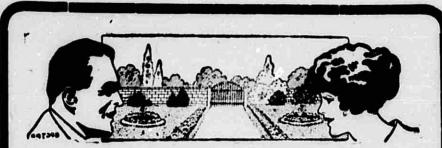
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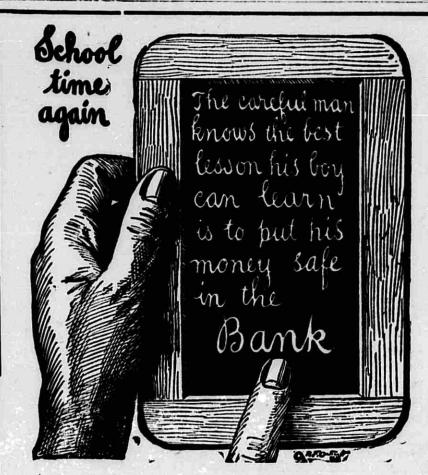
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#### JUDGE CLAYTON KNEW



Sometimes it comes in handy for United States Judge to have been a member of congress. Judge Henry D. Clayton, who is on the circuit bench of to prove a person's handwriting, and my life." the admission of one's writing by comparison could not be taken in evidence to prove the authenticity of a document introduced in evidence. The defendant sought to gain a point in his case by introducing a letter in the handwriting of one of the parties involved. Judge Clayton ruled that the writing was admissible.

Immediately the lawyer on the other side rose and suggested to the court that his long service in congress had probably made him rusty in the law; that handwriting could not be proved by comparison with writing

admitted as authentic. Whereupon Judge Clayton calmly remarked that while he was in congress as chairman of the judiciary committee he had passed a law permitting proof of handwriting by just such a method, and he eferred the contending lawyer to the paragraph and page of the Revised Statutes where the law could be found.

"Sometimes even a practicing lawyer gets rusty," observed the abashed attorney, as he sat down.

#### KENYON MADE THEM HUNGRY

Senator Kenyon stirred the senate to a high pitch of hunger the other day. He was talking about child labor. In the course of his talk he drew a picture of a farmer's boy sitting down to an old-fashioned country dinner.

The senator was contrasting the life of the factory boy and the farm boy. He said that while the farm boy worked in the fields, rested at noon by turning the grindstone, milked the cows and so on, still he went swimming and fishing, saw the circus, and

had a pretty good time. "I have a very distinct recollection that as a boy on a farm I had to pitch the bundles to the threshing machine," said be. "I used to think that was about the hardest work that could possibly be done in the world. "But when you remember the farmer's dinner—the fried chicken and mashed potatoes, and gravy, and corn

on the cob, and tomatoes, and the bread and the butter that melted in your Dr. W. B. Huntley mouth, and the apple ple with a piece of cheese—and then you could go out the earth." and lie under a tree-it was not so bad." At this point there was a general rush to the lunchroom and a chorus he will have to give us credit for one of orders for fried chicke

### MAYOR MITCHEL STUNG



Mayor Mitchel, Police Commissioner Woods and a galaxy of other luminaries that sparkle in the New York city administration's firmament embarked on the police patrol boat at the Battery the other day and disembarked at Fort Wadsworth, on Staten island. Their object was to inspect and review the 400 New York city policemen undergoing military training at that point, but the mayor was badly stung

It fell out in this manner. The policemen, to do them nothing more than justice, drilled in a very able and very soldierly manner.

Hovering over the mayor's head was a yellow-jacket, who took in all these proceedings with a knowing eye. The last notes of the police band had died away, the last straining policeman had recovered his equilibrium; it was at that moment the

bee struck. A shock passed through the frame of the mayor, his face contorted into a horrified grimace, and he made a frautic pass at the back of his leg. He was too late. The khaki-clads were already leaving the field, and the yellow-jacket was gallantly covering their retreat. And even while he groaned inwardly, the police band suddenly broke into the rollicking notes of "Never Let the Same Bee Sting You Twice." And the mayor took the hint and left, too.

#### **ADMIRAL HERBERT QUICK**

Herbert Quick, member of the new farm loan board, looks like a magnate, even if he is a farmer. One day when he went into breakfast in Youngs hotel in Boston, one of the dignified and portly negro waiters came over and filling his glass said: "Good mornin', general, will you have some canteloup?" "Yes," sald Quick, "but I am not a general." The waiter brought it and said:

"Now, governor, will you have some cereal?" "Yes, some oatmeal, but I am not a governor." Again the waiter came and said:

"Now, Judge, what is you gwine to have for breakfast?" "Bring me some ham and eggs," said Quick, "but I am not a judge."

As the meal drew to its close the waiter said: "Boss, does you mind tellin' me what you is?" Quick's senseof humor had been already aroused and he said: "Why, no, I don't mind

telling you I am the admiral of the Swiss navy." "For de Lord," said the "I did not know jes what you was, but I done know dat whatever you was you was de top of the henp,' His tip was scarcely less generous than the compliment.

Mr. Quick has been many things besides admiral of the Swiss navy. Having been born and reared on a farm in Iown and having attended country schools, it was not unnatural that in later life he should become the editor of a farm journal; but he also has been a teacher, a practicing lawyer, manager of telephone companies, associate editor of a political weekly and mayor of Sioux City. In his spare time he has written a number of novels and numerous magazine articles, and he has been at times quite active in politics as a member of the Democratic party.

#### X-RAY AIDS DENTISTS.

A compact, easily operated X-ray apparatus designed especially for dental work, is described in the July Popular Mechanics Magazine. With this outfit dentists can quickly determine whether or not root canals have been properly filled, and locate infected areas, unerupted or impacted teeth. pyorrhea, etc. The thoroughly reliable information which this equipment treating teath.

One morning last winter, during the sessions of the Fan-American Scientific congress in Washington, a newspaper of that city published, between two columns devoted to the proceedings of the congress, a half-column article recording the ravings of a soothsayer with regard to the future progress of the European war. Science and soothsaying bore equally conspicuous headings and were apparently looked upon, from the journalistic angle, as possessing approximately equal news interest. The juxtaposition was striking; but just what interpretation should be placed upon it we are unable to decide.

A considerable number of wealthy American women who married Englishmen and are living in England will be hit heavily by the new income tax on American securities.

Four Mexicans were convicted of highway robbery in the superior court in San Diego, Cal., recently, by a jury composed of 12 women.



"Mister," said the small boy who was sitting on a rock by the roudside. "do you s'pose they's any kidnapers afraid she is losing her mind." goin' through the county this time of "Indeed!" exclaimed the M. D. year in automobiles?"

"I haven't heard of any." "But sometimes they come along unexpected, don't they?"

"I suppose so." "Well, I'm goin' to hung on here a Alabama, not long ago was trying a little while longer. There's enough case in which the question of a man's chores waitin' fur me at home to keep handwriting was involved. Under the me goin' till ten o'clock tonight an' i Alabama law it was always necessary | uin't never had an automobile ride in

A FOOL.



about a fool-" "Is what?" "Is de way he'll holler and git mad

if you don't let him s'row off his mis-

Speaking His Mind. "I see where a defeated candidate claims he was double-crossed." "The idea of makin' a squeat like

that!" exclaimed the practical politician. "Politics ain't no kindergarten game, played accordin' to the golden If a man can't stand to be knifed, double-crossed and plastered with mud, he ought to stay out of polities an' run for superintendent of a Sunday school."

Time Wasted. Some men loaf till they grow old, And then they brag and blow About the fortune they'd have made, If they'd only had a show.

Not the Idle Sort. "A foreign visitor says Americans are the noisiest people on the face of

"Maybe he's right about that, but

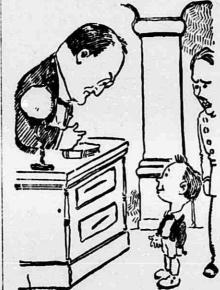
"And what is that?" "We seldom make a fuss without having some definite purpose in view.' Obeying Orders.

Mrs. Naggs (at telephone)-Is my husband in the office? Office Boy-No, ma'am Mrs. Naggs-When will he be in? Office Boy-I can't say. Mrs. Naggs-Why can't you? Office Boy-Because he told me not

Sense of Beauty. "A woman's sense of beauty is greater than a man's."

"Not if you judge it by the appearance of the dog she selects for a pet." Easily Convinced. 'My love's as deep as yonder sea,"

"That may be right," the maid replied, "For they both make me sick." AMBITIOUS.



Judge--You are only twelve years old and have been caught four times at petty larceny. Where do you expect to tinish? Culprit-If I tend strictly to business I hope to grow up to be a firstclass second-story man.

Strangers Now. Mrs. Oldham-My husband has been a number of years. Mrs. Knox-Ah. that accounts for it like what I will perform. all. I have often wondered why he

Congratulations in Order. "Mrs. Twobble says she has found ber metier at last." "Do tell!" exclaimed Mrs. Wadley.

"I'm glad to hear that. So many of our best people are having their cars stolen these days." An Infant Industry.

Guyer-Aren't you afraid to sing that lullaby, my dear? Mrs. Guyer-Why should 1 Guyer-Well, it's a sort of kidnapping stunt, isn't it?

Ain't It the Truth?

Her-Goethe says "Life is a quarry out of which man must chisel himself your face this morning? a character." their best to chisel him out of his guess my face is just as good as my character.

Sure Thing. She-I want to tell you what Carry

He-But maybe she doesn't want you to tell She-Oh! yes, she does. She expressly said it was a secret. through the keyhole, and I git a nickel aplece admission. Things Theatrical.

"I have just signed a contract for next season at a salary of \$500 per week," said the leading lady. "Huh! that's nothing," rejoined the tow comedian. "I have an offer of \$75 another thousand or two, couldn't of cantaloupe pulp. Press through a per week in real money."

Why He Was Unsasy. "Doctor," said Enpeck, "I wish you would call at the house this morning and have a talk with my wife. I'm

What reuson have you for thinking 'Well," explaimed Enpeck, "our baby is just a week old, you know, and when I asked her last night what she

intended to call it she said, 'Oh, I'll placing its dish in a pan of heavily leave that entirely to you, my dear." His Occupation. Directory Canvasser—And what is your husband's occupation, Mrs. O'-

Flannigan? Mrs. O'Flannigan-Sure, an' it's a shovel engineer he do be. Directory Canvasser-Oh, you mean he's a civil engineer, don't you? Mrs. O'Flannigan-Faith, an Oi pfwat he does is shovel coul under th' biler Of dunno.

Didn't Make the Sale. Of course the shoe clerk was new to the business or he never would have made such an awful break. to a prospective customer "is a number five instead of a number three."

shopper indignantly. "You must be

young man."

Disproved. "Titewad says that no matter how much he drinks, he always knows what he is doing." "I don't believe it."

"Why not?" "After consuming only four highballs last night he gave up \$5 to 1

So They Are.

"Wouldn't it be unique," said the ro-

mantic maid, "for a young married couple to spend their honeymoon in a balloon? "Oh, I don't know," rejoined the fussy old bachelor, "Most married people are up in the air for a few but pieces of linen.

weeks after they face the parson."

HIS WAY ROUND.



Politician-You wouldn't sell your ote, would you? Rastus-No, sah; but ef any candidate would gib me \$2 I'd feel so grate-

ful dat I'd vote fo' him. Vain Wishes. "I wish I had some of those good

old-fashioned biscuits like my mother used to make," sighed the husband. "And I," rejoined the wife, "wish ! had some of those nice new-fashioned clothes like my father used to buy for

Denied. "I've often heard that money talks," And though I've taken many walks, In vain I've sought its conversation.

Just the Thing. "My boy," said the man of millions with a note of pathos in his voice, "I hoped when you became of age would be able to relinquish some of my business cares and take a little

replied the gilded youth. "Come with me and take a cruise in my yacht." Few and Far Between. Harker-If men would only vote as

"Good old dad! And so you shall,"

they pray this would be a happy old world. Parker-Oh, I don't know. In that case you wouldn't get some men to the polls once in ten years.

Easily Understood. "Bropson talks as if his opinions carried weight." "Speaks ex cathedra, eh?" "No. He speaks plain United

States." Of Course. The Embarrassed Youth-I-I am collector of curios and old relics for liberal with my promises. Ah! but

what I-er-er-promise is nothing The Heiress-That's just what is making me cautious. Between Two Fires.

He-I understand that a doctor and chauffeur are suitors for Miss Shape-She-Yes, and she finds it awfully hard to choose between them, for they

are both such killing fellows.

He Was Doomed. Anxious Mother-Young Millyuns seems to be quite friendly with you of late. Do you know what his intentions are? Pretty Daughter-No, and I don't

care; but I know what mine are.

Following Doc's Advice. Aunt-Willie, why didn't you wash Him-Yes, and the other people try ful and not get my feet wet; and I

> feet. Enterprising. Sister-Now, Willie, George is coming over this evening. I'll give you a quarter if you'll stay outside and play. Willie-Nothin' doin'! I've invited lot of me friends over to watch you

Every Little Helps. He-My income is \$5,000 a year, dear. She-And you could easily borrow

you?

SOME CHUNKS OF WISDOM Various Suggestions That Are the Re-

sult of Many Years' Experience and Observation.

Did you ever know that you could test an oven's right heat for cooking certain entables with a simple piece of white paper? If the paper turns a light yellow, scarcely perceptible, it is ready for cookies or sponge cake; if it turns a nearly decided yellow. It is ready for ples, pound cake and mince ples; if a deep yellow, it is rendy for bread. If it blackens the

paper, cool the oven right off.
Did you ever know that if you wanted anything cooled quickly that by salted cold water, you would get results as quickly as if it were set on

Did you ever hear from old-fashioned folk that all vegetables that grow above ground must be put to cook in boiling water and all that grow below ground, but new potatoes, must be put to cook in cold water?

Did you ever know that in enting you must not mix too much fruit and reckon he do be civil enough, but vegetables? Cabbage and apples are not intended to be eaten together, but by those who have the strongest of digestive organs, and these can soon be abused. Grapefruit, or an orange, and cereals and milk, eaten at the same meal will sometimes, after a while, and occasionally very soon, set "What you need, madam," said he you to wondering what has gone wrong with you.

#### "Number five!" exclaimed the fair TABLE LINEN REQUIRES CARE thinking of the size of your hat, Must Not Be Laundered in the Usual Ways, if Best Results Ara

Good table linen, in the first place,

to Be Obtained.

linen means more. acids must be used, they should be ap- trades and what the next market day would bring forth. plied and removed by intelligent hands. They should be allowed to remain on the spot just long enough to eradicate them, and then rinsed thoroughly out with clear water. For if they remain on too long they remove not only spots

Some old-fashioned housewives oc- believe. They were there to give casionally have their table linen dipped their blood for the sake of sufferers in buttermilk to whiten it. The linen is allowed to remain in the buttermilk for women and children were all cripples. a day or two, if necessary, and is then thoroughly rinsed in cool, clear water. later in warmer water.

For fruit stains, pour boiling water through them while the stains are damp, if possible. If they dry on, rub them with lard and put through the usual washing process,

Always dry table linen out of doors little bleaching green of grass, protected from the inroads of cats and

To Clean Couch Cover.

Put the couch cover into a sheet and sop it up and down in a generous quantity of naphtha and gasoline. Do not rub or wring. When ready, take from the cleansing agent, press gently against the side of the tub, remove the sheet which had been wrapped around the cover and dry the cover out of doors. A knitted or crocheted wool baby afghan can be treated in the same way, using a pillowcase as a holder,-New York Evening Journal.

Easy Way to Make Lemonade. Do you relish good lemonade during hot weather? Then make it the following way: Buy a number of lemons, extract the juice, strain and add to a rich boiled sirup made of plain sugar and water. Place the solution in self-sealing fruit jars and place on ice or in a cool place. When you want a cool, refreshing drink, add a spoonful of this mixture to a glass

of water.

Washing Knives. Table knives are not always well treated at the hands of the dishwasher. One special point about washing them is to keep the handles out of the water or they will become loosened from the blades. Wipe the solled knives clean on a damp cloth, after wiping them on paper, then stand them with the blades downward in a jug of hot water in which a little baking soda

Best Results With Potatoes. It is amazing how few even good cooks, and still fewer housewives, know of the following aids in cooking:

has been dissolved.

drain, shake in the air for a second, then sprinkle generously with salt and a poor variety palatable. If you doubt it, just try it once.

Boiled Dressing.

This is a good boiled salad dressing: Beat the yolks of two eggs until creamy. Mix with a teaspoonful of mustard, the same of salt, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of cream and one of butter. Over this pour two-thirds of a cupful of hot vinegar and cook over hot water, stirring until thick and smooth. Cool and use with vegetable salads.

Coffee Ice Cream. Two cans condensed milk, half pint cream, one pint strong cold coffee, two quarts milk. Very little, if any, sugar is required. Smooth and fine, Leave out coffee if desired and add a box of crushed strawberries, or add another pint of milk and flavor with vanilla. Ice should be chipped very fine for freezing creum.

Tomato Savory. Take one-half pound of tomatoes, skin them, cut them in sices, put one ounce of butter into a saucepan, add the tomatoes, pepper and salt, and cook them slowly about ten minutes, then add the yolks of two fresh eggs. Stir and serve it on little croutes of fried bread.

Blueberry Dumplings. Two-thirds cupful sweet milk, two cupfuls flour, two tenspoonfuls baking powder, a little salt. Have pint of boiled canned berries, drop by full teaspoonfuls into dumplings and boll until done, like any dumpling. Any berry will do. Eat cream and sugar on themif you like.

Melon Frappe. Add one-fourth cupful of lemon juice and one cupful of sugar to one quart fine sleve and freeze soft.



### Picturesque Market Day in a Suburb of Chicago

CHCAGO.—The conductor on an Illinois Central early morning suburban train bound for Blue Island hitched up his belt with one hand and chucked a dark-eyed Italian child good-naturedly under the chin with the other. Then he turned to the futher

on the opposite seat. "Take that pig off the seat, Tony," he said, "and put it on the floor. And don't let that rabbit fall out of the window."

Tony grinned and shoved a diminutive porker down between his

"I won't have him long," he answered in broken English, wiping his brow with a red bandanna. "I'm go-

ing to trade him for some rabbits." in a short time the brakeman burst through the door, yelling "Blue Island," and the exodus began. The weird procession looked like a second edition of the disembarkment from Noah's ark after the flood. The cause of the unusual circumstance lay in the fact that it was Blue Island's own "market day," held the first Thursday of each month the year

around and which for nearly two generations has been one of the most picturesque institutions of the middle West, A tour along the street revealed an interesting sight, as in the jumble were hucksters, patent medicine venders, groups of horses, a cow now and then, a sprinkling of automobiles and motor cycles and long rows of wagons containing chickens, ducks, geese, pigeons, white rabbits, goats and pigs for

sale or trade. Most of the trading was done a la "20 chickens for a goat" or "six white rabbits for a pig." Trading began early, and by ten o'clock long lines of the picturesquely means much. But care of the same attired foreign peoples who go to make of America a great melting pot could be seen making their way to the depots, carrying baskets or boxes under Strong bleaches must never be used arms, on top of heads and in wagons, containing noisy geese and chickens, on fine table linen. Of course, table in- Here and there would be a man bearing a grunting pig under his arm or en is often badly spotted and needs to trying to drive a stubborn goat. They made their way into the railway cars be cleansed in some way. But boiling -it was said in Blue Island that on market day only the railways permit Impecunious friend without a strug- water removes coffee spots, cold water persons to take into passenger coaches anything that they can carry under removes cocon spots, and sunshine re- their arms, whatever its nature-and with noises resembling Cy De Vry's moves many stains. When stronger famous zoo chattered in strange tongue, presumably about their various

### Unselfish New Yorkers Give Their Blood Freely

NEW YORK.—Those who recently watched young men and women and even children crowd into Dr. Abraham Zingher's office at Willard Parker hospital were convinced that unselfishness is commoner than most people

they had never seen. These men and They were well now, but each had a limp arm or a shortened leg resulting from an attack of infantile paralysis some time, perhaps many years ago. Without hope of reward, except the satisfaction that comes from all good deeds, they responded to the physicians' appeal for the life fluid of

recovered poliomyelitis patients, which has been discovered to benefit those just stricken down and still in the sunshine. If possible, have a struggling against the terrible fever in the acute stages. "I've had a tough time of it," he confided to Doctor Zingher, "ever since

the disease left me this way as a child. I've had jobs and have had to give them up because I couldn't do the work. Vicious people have made me the butt of their fun and sensitive people have burt me as much by avoiding me as if I were an unclean thing. All my life I've felt that I had no place in the world, that I was left out of everything worth while-until today. Now I feel that I am of some use. I can save others from my own fate." Another volunteer was a youth, who said:

"Don't tell my parents, pleases doctor. They'd be frightened if they knew I was giving blood, for they do everything to make my life full and happy. But of what use are all their efforts? I'm no good, anyhow, so if all my blood will save others, take it."

The blood is carefully and almost painlessly drawn. The only ill effect those giving it feel is sometimes a slight weakness, which passes off in a

### Pittsburgh Discards the Title of Smoky City

DITTSBURGH .- Pittsburgh has announced to an admiring world that it is no longer "The Smoky City." "To all intents and purposes Pittsburgh has solved its smoke problem," it is stated. "Although it is having a hard time living down its time-worn nickname of "The Smoky City," the fact remains that the 'production and emission of smoke' in Pittsburgh has been abated fully 75 per cent within the last three years. And that in spite of the fact that the business activity and coal

consumption have greatly increased during that time." No other city has been confronted with a smoke problem of such magnitude or has encountered so many dif-

ficulties in solving it. The three rivers, the deep valleys, the frequency of high humidity and low wind velocity, with resultant fogs, were handicaps to be overcome. The extent of the mill district, the great number of stacks in restricted areas, the immense quantity of smoke-producing fuels consumed, the characteristics of the high volatile coal natural to the district, and the variety of boiler and metallurgical furnaces, were in part responsible for the dense smoke that used to cover the city like a pall, making it necessary to use artificial light in midday. Investigators of the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research, University

sance, was at least \$10,000,000. The agitation for smoke abatement crystallized into a great civic movement in which all the industries of the city were wreed Never put salt in the water when to join. On March 4, 1913, the city council passed several ordinances relating boiling potatoes. When entirely done, to the regulation of production and emission of smoke and enlarging the scope of the bureau of smoke regulation, organized some time before. Conferences with railroad operating officials and manufacturers enabled return to a slow fire. This makes even the bureau to suggest smoke-abatement appliances especially fitted for each plant. The widest publicity was given the campaign by local newspapers, and there were few stacks in the city that did not have their smoke output closely watched. Improvements had to be licensed by the bureau, so that

only practical appliances were permitted. Hundreds of concerns subsequently

reported to the bureau that the smoke abatement crusade had benefited

them by helping to reduce their coal consumption and lessening operating

of Pittsburgh, discovered that Pittsburgh's annual loss, due to smoke nul-

### Tussock Moths Destroying Chicago's Shade Trees

CHICAGO.—Chicago has been invaded by millions of tussock moths, busily engaged in enting the leaves from the trees of the city. The moths, in the enterpillar stage, cause a rash if they fall on the bare skin. Practically

every section of the city is subject to the invasion. The only spots which have not suffered are the big parks. which have their own forces of laborers to combat the enemy. The continued hot wenther is held accountable for the invasion. "I never saw the city so infested

with the tussock moth as it now is," said City Forester Jacob H. Frost. "The pest is worst over among the willows on the West side lowlands.

"The best method to save the trees at this time of the year is to hire small boys to climb the infested trees and brush the egg masses into a pail, then burn them. Wire brushes are the proper thing. It is well to back this method by spraying with arsen-

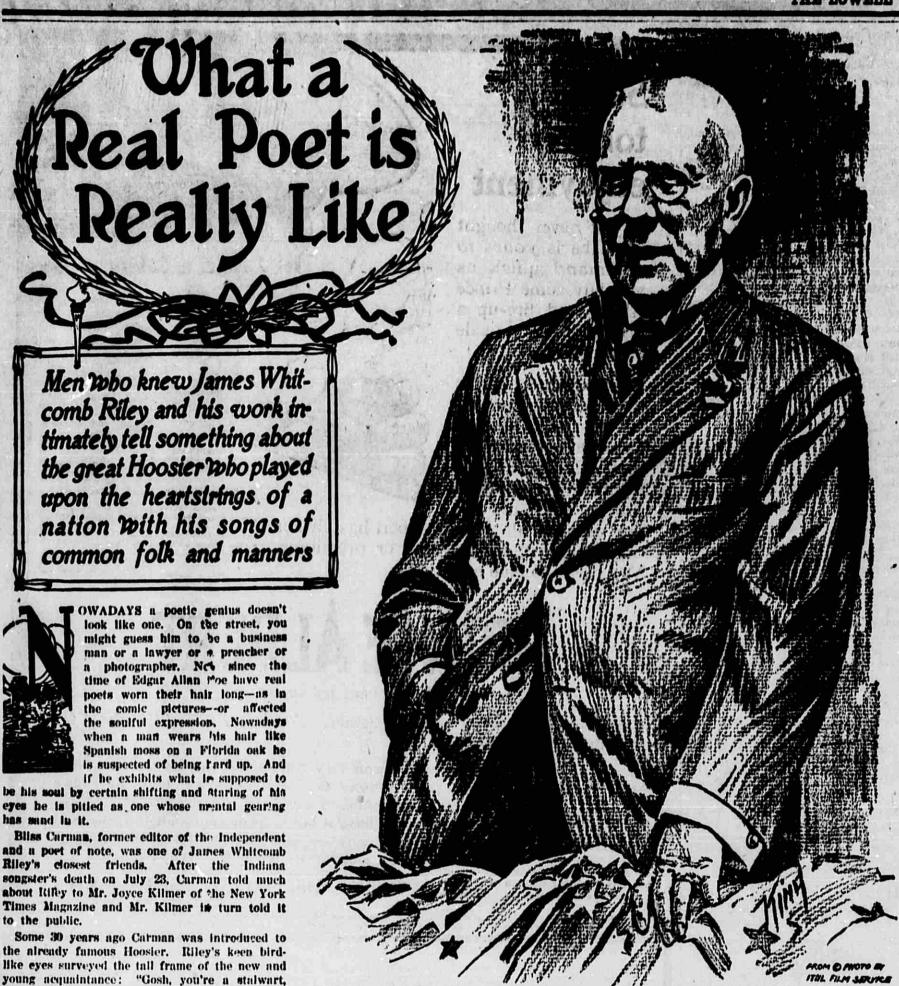
ate of lead. "These moths are in the caterpillar stage now and they crawl into open windows and onto porches. If they drop onto the bare arms or neck they will raise a rash. Hundreds of instances of this kind of a rash have be reported to my office."

CAT CALLS HELP FOR KITTENS.

John McNulty, a fireman in the federal building, was annoyed by the meowing of a cat the other evening. The next morning he found Minnehaba. the post office cat, clawing at the cracks of the door of one of the big vaults in the basement. McNulty hastily opened the door and was startled to see a kitten jump from within. It was one of Minnahaha's kittens, which wandered into the vault when it was closed, and the mother cat had traced it to the vault door and called for help.

A Lenox (Mass.) man says that 70 millionaires receive their mail daily at the post office in that town, and that the cost a day in maintaining each of the estates will average \$200.

A late picture shows Queen Wisseimina of Holland to be a beautiful mother. Which is more important than looking like a queen,



wanted to get even with him, so he wrote his Imitation of Poe, and had it published in a paper in another part of the state with an elaborate

RILEY'S LAST PUBLIC APPEARANCE

story about the discovery of the manuscript. "At once it made a great sensation all over the country. It made so great a sensation that Riley was terrified, and feared that he would be accused of literary forgery. Meanwhile the editor of the rival paper wrote: 'No doubt our young not the work of Poe. But it is Poe, and Poe's best manner.' The sensation grew to such proportions that Riley had to confess that he had written the poem. And then the editor of the paper discharged Riley because he had not published it in his paper.

"Then the Indianapolis Journal gave him a job, which he held for years. He wrote reams of nonsense verse, and wrote up in verse the shops of the merchants who advertised in the Journal. "Riley's first book was called "The Old Swim-

min' Hole and 'Leven More Poems.' He published it himself. It sold so well that it was boon taken over by a publisher, and passed through many editions.

"Riley's exquisite penmanship showed the care with which he wrote. Originally he wrote a careless and rather illegible script, but he had so much difficulty in getting the printers to rend his writing, and printing his dialect verse correctly. that he took up the study of penmanship. He was careful always to get the dialect of one part of Indiana as distinct from the dialect of

"'Any man's character,' he said, 'is best remembered, I suppose, by some of his habitual gestures and expressions.' I remember Riley as very deliberate in his motions, especially in his last years. Smooth shaven, ruddy, well groomed, he looked like a benign old English bishop more than anything else."

Mr. Don Marquis of the New York Sun aptly considers Riley and his poetry from an entirely different angle.

"James Whitcomb Riley," says he, "was the companion of fairles in Arcady; for the Hoosier belongs to a race apart. And while some are captured and broken to trade, the gentle poet escaped and kept always the vision of hidden

With these prefatory remarks the writer goes on with his essay: "There are two sorts of Indianan-the ordinary

Indianan, who is not so very different from the Ohioan or the Illinoisan, and the Hoosier. "The Hoosier belong not merely to a race apart,

but to a separate species. He is human, but with a difference; he is aware of the kinship between humanity and the so-called lower animals (and even the plants and streams) on the one side, and on the other side of the kinship of humanity with the elves.

"When the moon turns the mists to silver and the owls wall and the frogs wake up along the creeks and lakes and the fairles saddle and bridle the firefles and mount them and go whirring and flashing off in search of airy adventures the Hooslers steal out of the farmhouses and hamlets and creep down to the bottom lands and dance and sing and cavort under the summer stars. They do so secretly, dodging the mere humans, for secrecy is the essence of their midnight. whimsical revels.

"In the daytime they pretend they are just ordinary Indianans; their own brothers and mothers may not realize that they are Hoosiers. "But in Indiana, as elsewhere, there is business and the need to attend to it. There must have

been even in Arcady-somebody owned the flocks and herds of Arcady and turned them into butcher's ment and leather, and the shepherds only piped on the sufferance of their commercial-

minded masters. These Hoosiers, these wild bards and prancing, long-legged lovers of the moon, are often captured and broken and tamed to trade and industry by the more sordid citizenry. They are yoked to the handle end of the plow, chained to the desk; by the hundreds and thousands they become clerks and salesmen and railroad presidents and novelists and business men

"James Whitcomb Riley was a Hoosier who happily escaped; he was never captured, never enslayed; the things hidden from the rest of us, or revealed only in flashes, remembered but vaguely from the days of our own happy Hoosierdom, he continued to see steadily; he lived among them familiarly to the end, and until the end was their interpreter to us.

"'Bud come here to your uncle a spell,' says Riley in effect, 'and I'll show you not only a fairy, but a fairy who has for the moment chosen to be just as much of a Hoosier as the Raggedy Man, or Orphant Annie, or Old Kingry, or the folks at Griggsby Station.'

"The critics and the learned doctors of literature are already debating as to whether Riley had imagination or only fancy. (It would be a terrible calamity to some of them if they said it was imagination and it was officially declared later to be merely fancy; that is the sort of mistake that damns a critic and makes the sons and grandsons of critics meek, hacked, apologetic young men.) And doubtless the point is exceedingly important. For if a poet has imagination they say his work is significant. And if he has only fancy his work is not significant.

"The chief merit of Riley's dinlect versewhich is the most popular part of his production and the part with which the critics chiefly concern themselves—is its effectiveness as a medium for character portrayal. Whimsical, lovable, homely, racy, quaint, salty, pathetic, humorous, tender are his dialect poems; essentially, he has, gress. There will be a mobilization form their functions when they become shown us life as a superior writer of prose sketches might do, adding the charm of his lyri-

"But, personally, we never like him so well as when he is writing sheer moonlight and music. Probably no poet who ever wrote English-certainly no American poet-got more luscious language than Riley. A sweetness that is not so sugary that it cloys, having always a winy tang. For instance, from "The Flying Islands of the

. . . in lost hours of lute and song. When he was but a prince-I but a mouth For him to lift up sippingly and drain To his most ultimate of stammering sobs And maudlin wanderings of blinded breath. . . .

"There is no better evidence of the genuineness of Riley's sentiment, particularly in the dialect poems, than the discretion with which he touches the pathetic chord when he touches it can be mobilized by motor cars beat all. One of the most pepular poems he ever fore the railroads operating in the rewrote was 'Old-Fashloned Roses,' and one word too much, one pressure the least bit too insistent cars ready to transport them. Demon- in the highways came up in a case would have made the thing as offensive as a strations, which have been made re- before the St. Louis court of appeals, vaudeville ballad. The taste which told him to peatedly, show that troops can be St. Louis, Mo., recently. Judge G. D. be simple and the sincerity which begat the taste save the verses from the reproach.

"His verses for children and about children could only have been written by a man whose love and understanding of children was real, for children are quick to detect and repudinte anything of the sort that is 'pumped up' for effect, and they contributed enormously to the general feeling of affection for him. The regard of the children was in a way a testimonial to his persisting youthfulness of spirit; he was still their playmate; perhaps it is an earnest of immortality, if immortality can be. Certainly love endures longer than anything else, and this man with the childlike sweetness in his soul goes from us loved as few men have been."

Operated like a pair of shears, a new implement revolves a buffer to polish the fingernalls.

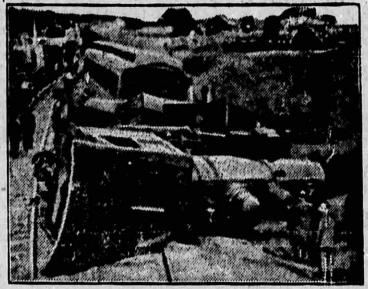
The 25,000 inhabitants which were credited to Dawson City, Alaska, dur-

in tracks. Russia is estimated to have more produce cotton if irrigrated.

Famburg has an experimental plant nah, Ga. They were pushed through ing 1915 and 231 in 1914. The correwere 200 and 191, respectively.

er than I can." nade by mixing black asphaltum with call them "curses."-Beecher.

TRAIN DERAILED BY STALLED MOTOR TRUCK



A MOTOR TRUCK.

& Maine railroad at West Peabody, pilot of the locomotive and was was delayed for several hours.

It is not often that a motor car bumped along the track for approxiwrecks a train, but such was the re- mately 100 feet. It then became sult of a recent collision on the Boston | wedged beneath the engine, causing the latter and its tender to double up, Mass. A heavy truck became stalled plunge from the rails, and drag three on the tracks near a blind curve pre- ing remained of the motor truck except coaches with them. Practically nothsumably a moment before a passenger splintered wood and smashed and train rumbled down upon it, cutting it twisted metal parts. The locomotive in two and killing its driver. One sec- was badly damaged and some of the tion of the vehicle buckled under the passengers slightly injured. Traffic

Greater Importance Than the

Quantity.

the price of several gallons of oil he

is setting up a wear in the working

parts of the motor which will event-

ually cost more to replace than any

amount of oil that would have been

"Motor oil, no matter how good,

loses its lubricating qualities after be-

ing in the motor a certain length of

time, especially in hot weather. It

disintegrates, leaving only a remnant

of what was once good motor oil, and

it has no value as far as lubrication

"The wise owner will drain all the

oll from the crank case of his car

every 1,000 miles of service, regard-

less of how much oil is still there at

the time. He will then replace it with

"Another place where lack of lubrica-

tion can do damage is in the rear axel

upon grease as the action of working

parts of the motor has on oil. It robs

the grease in time of the lubricating

ing fresh grease every 1,500 miles-it

mission at the time-he will save

"It is well enough recognized that

lubrication is the life of a motor car.

cant requires attention and is of great-

er importance than the quantity. We

Tire Care.

a tube always spread the inside of

the casing with tire tale, the cost of

which is 10 cents per can. This pre-

vents the tube from sticking to the

casing. If you have no tire tale, use

the tube or the inside of the casing.

If you have time graphite the rims

If you use tire chains do not make

Rights on Highways.

decision, ruled that pedestrians have

Bearing Cans.

In removing play from rod bear-

ings by reducing shim thickness, great

The question of pedestrians' rights

occasionally so that the tire beads do

not stick to them.

will occur.

When you remove a tire to replace

many a dollar in the long run.

ing to an expert.

used," he says.

is concerned.

FOR MOVING TROOPS IS

SAVING IN OIL CAUSES WEAR IN Auto Beats Railroad in Trans-WORKING PARTS. portation of Soldiers on Border. Freshness of the Lubricant Is of Much

TESTS ARE MOST SEVERE

Long Lines of Communication Maintained Without Use of Railroads -Problem is Studied at the War College.

Another meeting was held at the War College in Washington to discuss plans for mobilization of troops and supplies in time of war, particularly so far as civilian organizations are concerned, and the following account of it was prepared by the Society of Automobile Engineers: Major Palmer E. Pierce of the General Staff Corps, presided at the meeting, Lieut, Colonel Chauncey B. Baker being present to represent the quartermaster general's office. Representatives of the Naval Consulting Board, the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, the Society of Automobile Engineers, and the American Automobile Association committees were in attendance.

just how many government departments need a large motor-truck equipthis regularly he will prolong the life ment in order that suitable specifications can be developed for each type of truck required. and transmission. For here the ac-

It is agreed that the tests to which tion of the gears has the same effect trucks have been subjected on or near the Mexican border are the most severe that have been had in any part of the world. The conditions of qualities by the process of disintegraservice have been abnormal in that tion. the lines of communication have been maintained without the use of railroads. The performance of some is not necessary to replace the supply of the trucks has been wonderfully which is in the rear axle and transgood, but there is room for further beneficial specification in various respects. The necessary engineering study is now being made, many of the Society of Automobile Engineers It is a fact, too, that many owners members going to the Mexican border keep enough oil and grease in their to view at first hand the unusual cars. But the freshness of the lubriconditions of weather, sandy grit, and alkali encountered.

The development of suitable tractor impress this point on car owners. types of motor vehicles will also be

Regulations are being prepared for in other expenses, aside from the anof the reserve organizations of a 'pep-less' from too long service." fortnight's duration each year. Reserve Corps officers will be appointed in sufficient number to make possible the assembly of troops at local points and transporting them to strategical

Ex-President Wilson of the American Automobile Association announced that over 90 per cent of the milgraphite and, spread it evenly over lions of American pleasure-car owners would very willingly and quickly Do not use too much of either lubritender the use of their vehicles un- cant. der any suitable plan of mobilization. This will make possible immediatetransportation preparedness, which would be wanted in case of emergency. It is stated reliably that in them fit too tightly, for this may many districts large bodies of troops cause cutting of the trend. spective districts can get sufficient moved by automobile faster than by Reynolds, in the St. Louis court, in his

Suitable types of armored cars for the same rights in the public highways use by the Ordnance Department, as as persons driving vehicles drawn by well as types meeting the needs of horse or propelled by other power. the engineers, the signal and the artillery corps, will be developed.

Locating Trouble. A simple method of locating a wrist care should be taken in getting each pin knock is by short circuiting each rod bearing to be as free as every spark plug in turn, noting the sound other bearing. To make one bearing

of the engine when each plug is short- tight and the other rather free is ro ed. When the knocking sound lessens court trouble, for it is to be found you have located the cylinder with that in most cases of this sort a knock Bliss was his heir. loose wrist pin. Why Called "Poppet" Valve. The exhaust valve is continually popping up and down as the cam turns.

Know the Magneto. Study the magneto on your truck, tractor or auto. Know the name and which may account for the name "popaddress of the manufacturer of the pet" for this type of valve. However. magneto. Send to him for booklet the word poppet probably is a corrup- containing complete illustrated detion of the name puppet applied to scription of each part of the magneto. this type in England, on account of with instructions as to its care, and its resemblance to the popping up and | what to do when it goes on strike. down of the puppets in the old-time This knowledge may save you vexinch and Judy shows tious and costly delays

Worth While Quotation. "Education is only second to nature."-Horace Bushnell. spoiled by praise.—Emerson.

Lightning Change Artist.

Mission Stain.

turpentine. Any desired brown shade Administrations came and went at can be obtained by varying the amount Washington, but a Vermont postmas. of turpentine. Apply the mixture to ter held his office for 24 years. When the work with a brush. After it has omeone asked him how it came that been on a minute, rub it dry with a he could do so, he replied with engag- clean cloth or cotton waste. It wil ing frankness, "Wal, it takes a damned dry quickly and leave a dull mission smart administration to change quick: finish.-Popular Science Monthly.

Cannot Be Spoiled.

Some natures are too good to be

Daily Thought.

Many of our cares are but a morbi-One of the best and cheapest stains way of looking at our privileges. W. for mission furniture can easily be let our blessings get moldy and then The Stream of Power

By GENEVIEVE LEE

(Copyright, 1916, by W. G. Chapman.) Max Bulger was known to the well advised in metropolitan business circles as "a shark." He had capital coming, going, doubling, trebling, and called it "the stream of power." Within its depths he turked, ready to pounce on any unwary victim who trusted to its treacherous course. Into the stream he lured fair but unsuspecting craft

-und generally scuttled them. His only living relative seemed to be Bliss Porter, just out of college and headed for a local granter. The round Alax Bulger had stolen from them. hended for a legal career. The young man had barely heard of this sordid half-uncle until he was amazed, in another city, struggling along indifferently, to receive a check for five hundred dollars from his relative, crisply ordering him to close up his affairs and appeared who told them that there come to Chicago.

"I am going to leave my fortune to you," was the blunt startling announcement of old Max, "provided you learn my business and carry it ou where I leave it off."

This seemed promising, but, at the end of a week, after his esteemed relative had shown him "the ropes," Bliss Porter was disgusted. The precious ways of the shark, the tricks, the trups, the preversions amuzed and then shocked him. He now deluded business men in need of money place themselves totally in the power of a heartless, devouring monster. He saw a family disrupted through the The car owner who takes pride in reharsh measures employed in collecting an overdue obligation. Max Bullating how he has covered from 1,000 ger cared only for his pound of flesh. to 2,000 miles on a gallon of motor oil It muttered little to him that his exis practicing false economy, accordacting extortions were at the cost of all his victim possessed. "The great mileage record that is

"I wouldn't accept his money, I often boasted of may sound impreswouldn't adopt his business methods sive, but while such an owner is saving



Left Open the Door.

if he gave me a million!" decided Porter, "I shall tell him so today

and end the farce." They were out in the Bulger automobile that afternoon and Bliss was waiting till they got away from the crowded business center to deliver his ultimatum. A jam of vehicles blocked Every dollar spent by the owner on them near the curb at one place. Diproper lubrication saves ten dollars rectly within reaching distance stood a thin threadbare old man. He put use in the organization of officers and novances of poor operation and the de- out his hand for aims to the passersenlisted men of the Reserve Corps lays due to trying to make a gallon by. Porter's generous nature was

recently authorized by act of cone of oil or a few pounds of grease per- touched by his forlorn friendliness. He took a dollar bill from his pocket, leaned out of the machine and placed it in the hands of the old man.

"Oh, I thank you, sir," began the mendicant, and then his eye chanced to fall upon Bulger. The latter shrank, cringed. Into the face of the old man there had come a fearful rage, yet, withal, tempered with a certain dignity. He drew himself up note into a hundred pieces. He ing. leaned over and flung them squarely into the face of the cowering Bulger.

"You and your brood!" he shouted out. "I would starve ere I took charity from such," and then, the curious crowd surging about him, he screamed out a frightful arraignment of Bulger. He accused him of extortion, of ruining his business life,

of driving him to beggary. The few words fell like burning bot missiles. and, as the automobile started up Bulger gasped faintly: "I am ill-get me home at once." He was, indeed, ill, for he never got

over the shock of the fearful anath- chemist. A trace of storax and turemas hurled upon his guilty head. It pentine odor remained, and examinaseemed to Bliss that day and night tion showed it to be a mixture of beesafter that the old mendicant haunted wax and fat, with the addition of a Bulger. The latter gave up his blood little storax and oil of turpentine, and money traffic, but would awaken in the presence of tartrates suggested his sleep shricking out the name of that it had been macerated with wine. Robert Lane. He sought respite in a A yellow color imparted to the skin new sphere of money-mad excitement, was attributed to benna. gambling on the stock exchange, became a fleecer, fleeced and losing most of his fortune in wild speculation. Then he died with the name of Rob-

The young man was infinitely imthan fifty thousand dollars.

"It is sainted wealth." he told himself. "There is only one course, restitution. Then for my old, humble, contented life with a lesson, I shall

never forget."

tion. It was a flagrant case. Getting both pressing cloth and material are Lane into his clutches, Bulger had dry. The spots will have disuppeared. systematically robbed him. He had -National Magazine. Storms Felt in Sea's Depths. That the sen may be disturbed by

greater depths.

neized the home and business of the merchant and absorbed it for a com-paratively small debt. When he came to figure up the frightful sacrifice and injustice that had beggared Lane. he was appulled.

Step by step Bliss wrought out the need of justice. He proceeded systematically to restore to the account of Robert Lane every dollar that had been so unfairly wrested from him. Then Bles sought to find the old mendicant. He shadowed him, when the old man, counting the coins be had begged, hastened down the street, Bliss was electrified to see him enter a florist shop and expend all his mon-

ey for a bunch of roses. Bliss continued to follow him, even when Lane entered a wretched tenement house. In his eagerness the exmerchant left open the door of a room in which lay a beautiful girl upon a couch, his daughter, Ines, wasted with fever and in delirium.

Bliss was thrilled at the pathetic vanderings of the sufferer. She was in fancy once more in the rose garden

From that moment there begun in the life of this young man a sole impulse-restitution for the stricken anes, father and daughter. Mystewas a likelihood of realizing something from the Bulger estate. There was a removal to new living quarters, the services of a skilled specialist for Ines and then-oh! the wild Joy of it -one day they found themselves in the old home, with money in bank. in fact, the restoration to old conditions, except for intermediate depri-

vation and sorrow, was complete. It was a labor of love to Bliss to duplicate the old furnishings of the house as fully as possible. The day before the place was all ready for its occupants, he was hanging a picture in the very room that was to be the boudoir of Inex Lane, when the stepladder gave way. He was precipitated to the floor, insensible. A surgeon sent for directed his removal to the next house, as a limb was broken, and aside from that Bliss had sustained severe contusions about the

His lawyer came and arranged for his care in this home until he could be safely removed. Was it he who divulged to the Lanes the mystery of their suddenly restored wealth? Was it the lady who owned the house where Bliss lay as invalid who had caught certain words referring to her new neighbors, uttered by Bliss in his enrly siege of fever consequent of his injuries, who had given Inez a clue to the identity of Bliss? Ruther was it fate that led the gentle-hearted girl to each day send a fresh bouquet of flowers to the sufferer who had made It possible for her to be among the old delightful surroundings.

Then a closer acquaintance, a day spent in the lovely garden of "next door neighbors," the truth known fully and Inez Lane aware of how grandly this noble-hearted young man had come into her life.

And he, who had made himself poor to restore to the victim of his sordid relative his just due, found himself rich, infinitely rich in the possession of a love, compared with which all the treasures of earth were as dross.

WORD ABOUT CHEWING GUM It Alleviates the Pance of Hunger and Makes a Cut in the

Board Bill. The question, "Why is chewing

gum?" has at last been answered. Chewing gum, according to Dr. Anton Carlson, associate professor of physiology at the University of Chicago, reduces the board bill.

Doctor Carlson tells of hundreds of experiments on humans, dogs, guinea pigs and rabbits, proving that hunger pangs diminish with use of chewing gum, chewing tobacco, cigars and cigarettes. The direct result of gnawing at a piece of gum is the stimulation of nerves in the mouth. This sensation causes a decrease in stomach contractions, thus assuaging the sharpest appetite.

Professor Carlson found whisky or other strong alcoholic beverages introduced into the empty stomach of dogs in sufficient amount will abolish the hunger contractions of the stomach for

Doctor Carlson advocates a semiannual period of starvation as a means of lengthening the span of life and ob-

to his full height. He tore the bank taining greater enjoyment from liv-"There is no pain or suffering involved in starvation," he says. "During the entire period of abstinence

from food during my experiments the hunger sensation was strong enough to cause some discomfort, but not to a degree that could be called pain. This discomfort was at no time sufficient to interfere seriously with work."

Cream Used by Romans.

A soft yellowish-brown mass from an nncient Roman vase discovered at Ticino has been identified as tollet cream by M. L. Reutter, a French

Veteran Guard.

Gurmuk Singh, the guardian of the sacred book of "Nanuk," the Sikb ert Lane upon his tortured lips and Bible, is close upon 100 years of age, but still performs his duties at the Lion temple of the Sikhs, in Hyderpressed by the episode that had abad, where the sacred book is kept. brought to Bulger his doom. When He has seen active service with the the estate came finally into his hands, Sikh army, and after much hard lighthe found that it had dwindled to less ing, emigrated to the Nizum's country. On being pensioned, he obtained his present position at the temple.

To Remove Water Spots. Take a piece of the same material as that spotted and dampen it in Bliss went all over the private pa- lukewarm water. Place on water pers of his half-uncte. He finally spots on right side and press with a unearthed the Robert Lane transuc moderately warm tron. Press until

wegian sea, and this cable is known to have been moved in storms. Violent

Credit is the prolific parent of exgales to a depth equal to 850 times the travagance, and the piper has been height of the waves produced is a con- sharp enough to find it out. He sufclusion reached by the United States fers those who dance to pay him some hydographic office from laboratory ex- other day, with the result that they periments. At a depth of nearly 4,000 dance a good deal more than they feet, un ocean cable crosses a depress otherwise would. Often they dance sion in the ridge separating the busins | more than they can afford, but that's of the North Atlantic and the Nor- pothing to the piper.-Life.

Deepest Gold Mine. The deepest gold mine in the world empests must be felt even at much is in Brazil.

#### CONDENSATIONS

Dutch. His father was Irish.

ain't ye?" he remarked, grinning. "I guess your

Then, as reported by Mr. Kilmer, Carman went

"The next time I saw Riley was in Phile-delphia.

I went to read before the Browning society, and

death. When I got out all alone on the stage and

saw a thousand people staring up at me I felt

more like running away than doing anything else.

But when I saw Riley down in the audience,

I felt all right. I wasn't afraid to fend my

"After the reading was over Riley tucked me

under his arm and said: 'Now, let's get around

to the hotel and we'll take off our shoes and

"You know, such remarks as this were all the

more piquant because Riley was so very punc-

tilious and scrupulous in all his personal habits.

He always was immaculately dressed. I never

knew him even to make so much of a conces-

sion to comfort as to put on a smoking jucket

or a lounge cont. But he liked to go to his room

and stretch himself on his bed and talk. And

he never talked about anything but literature,

poetry and knew lots of out-of-the-way homely

verse. He delighted particularly in ridiculously

"Riley liked to rend poetry aloud. When I went

to his house of an evening, he generally was wait-

ing for me with some favorite book, ready to

"His tastes covered a wide range. Two poets

"Riley liked Longfellow's directness and sim-

plicity. The things that pleased him in Swin-

burne's work were the music and the deft crafts-

"After Riley had received his degrees from

some of the colleges, he seemed to feel that he

ought to be known as a poet, rather than as a

humorist and writer of dialect verse. He tried

hard to live up to the name of poet, and wanted

his nonsense rhymes of his vagabondage forgot-

ten. Yet his vernacular verse, or, as he called it,

his dialect verse, was his chief contribution to

"Riley was just a poet. That was all he ever

cared to be. He was not interested in anything

not voted for 30 years. And as for philosophy,

he had nothing but contempt for the modern

"There was something very pathetic and charm-

ing about Riley's tenacity in holding the serious

poet pose. His nonsense was just one of his ways

of writing which happened to prove popular;

when he got a chance to write in another way

how engerly he seized it, and how persistently he

"His last years were the happiest of his life

I think. He had his own car and rode around

Indianapolis and its suburbs every day, generally

taking with him some friend. He was honered

and loved, and I think he felt that life had been

"Riley's father was a lawyer. His grandfather

came to Indiana from Pennsylvania. His grand-

mother on his mother's side was Pennsylvania

"Riley had many prejudices. He disliked Poe

very much. He disliked Poe's character so much

that he could hardly read his poetry. Of course,

be must have liked Poe's music and splendid

"Of course, you know the story of Riley's fa-

mous imitation of Poe? He had taken a position

on the staff of an Anderson, Ind., paper, and the

editor of a rival paper kept ridiculing him. Riley

but poetry. He knew nothing of politics-he had

to whom he was especially devoted were Long-

"What sort of poetry did he prefer?"

read aloud."

clung to it!

metrical effects.

fellow and Swinburne.

"Riley had a great fund of knowledge of

get a chew of tobacco and be comfortable.'

don't mind telling you that I was scared to

parents must have trained you on a trellis."

The English language has 82 sounds. Prince George of England, who is years. only fourteen years old, is an expert with knitting needles.

There are 3,500,000 acres of land in Spain devoted to the culture of olives. Australia's sheep herd arounts to one-sixth of the world's total. tion ivory.

One of the newer vacuum bottles can be taken entirely apart for cleansing, are exactly alike. About 70,000 tons of corks are ansmally needed in the bottling trades in Puerto Rico that they attract survey- to \$254,235,000. The bulk of this than 4,000,000 acres of land that would the British isles.

tion of \$1,870,000,000. The average yield of corn in this thut obtains power from the ebb and sheets of cardboard and arranged busi-sponding averages at Kansas City country is a little more than 23 busnels flow of North sea tides. to the acre.

Russia has a land area of 197,155,- experienced by airmen flying at high ish firms. Danish and Norwegian largest mirror ever cast. It will be 587 versts, equal to 8,417,118 English altitudes, and it is obvious that builders are also busy on bouts for thirteen inches thick and will contain. square miles, or one-seventh of the numbed hands in particular may lead Swedish owners. Thus Sweden's mer- in one solid piece, four and one-half land surface of the globe.

George Dunbar of Lenox, Mass., | The Berlin military authorities are says he has attended every circus awarding an iron cross to all schoolwhich has been in Pittsfield for 70 masters who induce 100 school chil-

Letters to the number of 3,586,473. forming 775,698 words, 81,737 verses,

In the course of ten years the Greek | lcans.

to magnetic are the mountains of

ors' plumb lines, and it has been amount is kept abroad. The meat packing industry of this found that some oil surveys are incorcountry in 1910 represented a valua- rect by half a mile or more.

A British firm has recently intro- Most of the shipbuilding yards in The reflector, 100 inches in diam-At the beginning of the nineteenth duced a line of electrically heated Sweden have enough work on hand to eter, for the Mount Wilson observacentury more than 200 offenses were glotes for aviators. Cold hands and keep them busy until the end of next tory in California, which will be feet are among the prime discomforts year. Most of the ships are for Swed- finished early next year, will be the to disaster.

drep to subscribe to the war loans.

The British government recently purchased 1,000 tons of hay in Kan-1.189 chapters and 66 books, make up sas City, which it will ship to some scene of hostility by way of New Or-

government has received \$8,225,000 A large industry in Christiania, Nor-Mr. Bentley, an American, has photo- rate to its employees, who will erect France for rullroad men, so that they graphed 2,000 snow crystals and no two thereon individual suburban homes of can escape should their feet be caught their own.

> Japan's gold holdings now amount Tacks have been scattered in the streets of litney bus-infested Savan- ceived at Chicago was 219 pounds dur-

chant marine will be greatly increased, tons of glass

ness end rampant.

### WORTH KNOWING

ing the height of the 1898 gold rush, have now dwindled to a mere 2,000. Shoes with quickly femovable soler way, has leased its idle land at a cheap and heels have been invented in

The average weight of the hogs re-

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Longing. How often in the after years when Has touched us whitely with his frosty rime,
In slient moments never spoken of,
We long to know again a mother's

stung, When from the heart hot, careless

Ab, Mothers, little do you know or

-Arthur Wallace Peach in Farm and

only paper in a city of 6,000 people. The business men

cover their territory at one ad-

vertising expense and the pub-

lishers are able to give the best possible service. In addition to this, the outside world judg-

ing the city by the paper in which all industrial and commercial interests are represented, gets a vastly better impression than in cases where such

representation is divided and

belittled. Cities and towns

throughout the state and nation are coming to this basis of

SENATOR SMITH Was sum-

moned back to his job in Wash-

ington and stayed long enough

to vote "No," on the strike

settlement bill. However, Henry Ford had telegraphed the President that all of his 49 .-

000 employes would be thrown out of work if the strike came,

because his factories couldn't

run a day without transporta-

tion facilities. They have heard of Michigan, Smith and

Ford in Washington; and the strike was settled, and Billy is

A STATEMENT made by Mr.

Diekema in his Lowell address ought not to go unchallenged. When he said: "A public offi-

cial's first duty is to his party and his second to the people, he got the cart before the horse, and he was dead wrong. Put

the people first, Friend Diekema. You know that's right.

The man who puts party be-

fore country may be a good

partisan but he's a poor patriot.

Next time you run for office,

you get that right and you'll

JOHN P. ST. JOHN, candi-

date for the presidency on the

Prohibition ticket in 1884, is

dead at the age of 83. While

he did not live to see the full

and complete triumph of the

principles for which he fought,

the morning light of a better

day was breaking just as his own sun went down, and he

knew that he had had a part in

ushering in the world's great-

est reform. No effort for good, though it seemed to fail, was

THE U. S. Department of

Agriculture regards the Amer-

right.

keeping him at home.

run a better race.

mad. It's stew bad.

publicity.

FEAR of infantile paralysis lead to the destruction of 248 Bright gold, hard labor's guerdon, may be ours,
And fame have brought us satisfying of August. These people liked Bright gold, hard labor's guerdon, may be ours.

And fame have brought us satisfying dowers,
Yet in the moment when our life has all—
All would we give to hear her gently call.

When levered with the fret of life and tooll,
The strive of living, and the day's turmoll,
How do we yearn, so deeply and so much,
To feel again the healing of her touch.
When bitter in defeat, by failure

Cats and sixty-two dogs in Grand Rapids during the month of August. These people liked their pets; but they love their children and their neighbors' children more.

WELL, the strike is off and we are loaded up with a lot of triple-priced paper. If our foresight were as good as our hindsight—we wouldn't be human.

Jay Ellis.

Rev. Pegg is moving his family to Grand Rapids.

Elizabeth Cook has typhold fever and a trained nurse is caring for her.

Byron Patterson and family Mrs. Marguerite Warren and baby and Joe guerite Warren and baby and Joe guerite Warren and Mrs. D. C. Blood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Colby returned home Thursday from a trip to the coast.

Alice Konkle of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. G. H. Clark a few days.

When bitter in defeat, by failure human.

hoped that it was the precur-

sor of a favorable fall over a

wide expanse of country.

words are flung.

How thought brings back, our dark moods to beguile.

The pleased, reproving laughter in her smile!

How in our secret hearts your name

We blees;
How you are present through life's joys and tears,
Forgotten not through life's increasing years! Better to Scatter Sunshine Determine to add nothing, not so much as a passing sigh even, to the great total of man's unhappiness, in his way through the world; that is something to hold on by in the drift THE Dowagiac News is the of mere "appearances."-Walter Pater.

THE Ford Motor company McCORDS and announces a profit of nearly

WHITNEYVILLE \$60,000000 during the year ending July 31. There's nothing that succeeds like success; and sneers and jokes to the contary, notwithstanding, "The little old Ford rambles right along."

Our long drouth was broken by a fine rain Monday night and probably assures consumers relief from the threat of two dollar potatoes. It is to hoped that it was the precur-\$60,000000 during the year end-

A surprise party was given Kenneth Fulton Saturday evening at the home of his aunt, Mrs. D. C. Blood. Refreshments were served and all enjoyed the evening. Kenneth expects to leave soon for Flint.

Hulda Heinsman has returned to her home in Grand Rapids after a week's visit with her cousin, Mrs. Jay Ellis.

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Carl Gress and Nellie Diefenbaker were married in Grand Rapids last Wednesday, Rev. Freeman performing the ceremony. The young couple went at once to house-keeping on Quigley ave. Chas. Gress and family visited them Sunday.

R. E. Ellis came from Detroit to spend a few days at his home here. Carl Brewer went Toledo Thursday. returning Friday with a new Overland.

A Test. When boiled and unboiled eggs get mixed, spin them and the boiled ones will spin around quite fast, while those which have not been cooked will hard-

'How Long, Oh Lord, How

Editor Lowell Ledger:

How long do the people living on the roads leading from the northern towns to Lowell, where those men and women go for boose, have to be disturbed by their drunken carousals, etopping on their return, under trees and especially on the Keene church corner, desecrating that which has been dedicated to Almighty God? Not satisfied with that, but pushing in the church door and decorating the siele with beer bottles?

How long, I ask again, till the curse is voted from our state in November? Or do we have to call proper authorities to arrest such parties?

Disgusted Woman. By a Michigan Editor.

Disgusted Woman.

Sioan's Liniment for Neurolgia Aches.

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Fearlessness a Virtue. From one cause or another we shrink from the responsibility of avowing our deepest convictions. Partly it is from the fear of ostentation and singularity, partly from self-distrust and sincere humility, partly from more unworthy motives. But from whatever cause it may be, by so doing we wrong our friends,-B. F. Westcott.

To Brighten a Carpet. Wiping a carpet with a cloth wrung out in warm water and ammonia in which a tablespoontul of kerosene has been bixed, cleans the carpet and brightens the colors wonderfull

HOW PROHIBITION WORKS Some Very Interesting Facts Gathered

Port Huron, Mich.-Louis A. Well, editor of the Port Huron Times-Heraid, returned recently from a trip to the Pacific coast, bringing several interesting incidents which show that prohibition is taken very seriously in

"They told me," said Mr. Weil, "that few people in Oregon believed the lumber camps could be run without boose, on account of the wild and irresponsible nature of the workingmen. Since January 1 it has been proved that a lumber camp in Oregon not only can retain its full force of men under prohibition methods, but that much greater efficiency and general content is the result of saloon abolition.

"A striking incident in Portland came to my attention from the social welfare department. A day nursery was established some time ago in which mothers could leave their babies while they went out to work. Since prohibition went into effect this nursery has practically lost its patronage. The mothers do not have to work because their husbands now

"The pleasures of a people are not naimpartant. In Seattle I found one of the leading hotels managed by a rian who fought prohibition hard. He had been conducting dances for the public and of course there were convivial features in connection. When stopped at the hotel the people were dancing in the evening and having a thorough good time, though without the attendant inspiration of alcoholic beverages and without the other objectionable results which frequently follow public dances.

'Altogether the dry regime seemed to be thoroughly welcome wherever I went in Washington and Oregon."

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SOUTH LOWELL. Richard Murphy of Brinton is vis-ting his daughter, Mrs. C. G. Wis-and.

Martin Schnieder has a new Over-

Miss Jessie O'Harrow of Detroit

Miss Jessie O'Harrow of Detroit spent Sunday with her parents.

Earl Behler, wife and son visited his brother John and wife Sunday.

Chas. Corman is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Schwarder.

Mrs. Lucy Wilson of Kalamasoo is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Schwarder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer of Ionia were Sunday and Monday guests of John Rittenger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kendall of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Chas. Rittenger and family.

R. Murphy and Mrs. C. G. Wieland visited Simon Petit at Lowell Monday.

automobile trip to Bellaire, Traverse

week from an auto trip to Brinton,

School began Tuesday morning with Miss Ruby Willette teacher.

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tries in the world, its annual per-cap-

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#### WEST BOWNE

Agriculture regards the American wild or Passenger pigeon as extinct; but on our recent trip to Grand Traverse Bay we met a man who believes he has seen several of the birds recently and who said his opinion is shared by a friend who

ion is shared by a friend who saw them at the same time. It is to be hoped that they are

Tom Rogers of Ravenna was defeated in his race for re election to the legislature and he deserved the wallop. He runs a "wet" paper with booze ads, and takes several nips himself. It is no time to trust such men at Lansing and his district did the right thing in keeping him at home.

school.

Jimmie Lewis of Lansing has come to spend some time with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ross.

Chas. Forward and wife of Caledonia visited Sunday with their brother, Wm. Schrader and wife.

Wilbur Stauffer and mother of Caledonia spent Sunday with J. E. Stauffer and family.

Mrs. Robert Stone and lady friend of Traverse City were callers at the J. E. Stauffer home Sunday.

Ben Eastek accompanied his father and mother to their home in Merrill last Friday, his father being in very

WHEN President Wilson signed the child labor bill, he relieved the South of a great curse and marked another great forward movement in the history of Rumanity. Industries that can not live without depriving little ones of all the joys and advantages of child-hood deserve to die.

Last Friday, his father being in very poor health.

Bert Sherman and family and James Sherman motored to Leroy Saturday, returning Monday, where they visited Mrs. Sherman's brother, will Jackson.

Loraine Dygert stepped on a rusty nall so seriously as to injure the bone. She was taken to the hospital in Grand Rapids, where several doctors were in council. She is now at now at home under the care of Dr. Hubbard of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morse, son and

publishers are facing a charge of \$6.50 per cwt for print paper that should be sold for \$2.50 or less. Nothing can prevent a general advance in aubscription rates if such conditions continue.

Hubbard of Calefonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morse, son and daughter, Lile and Adelaide, of Lansing visited the week end with their sters, Mrs. F. Hulsings and Mrs. A. Ross and Monday they attended a picule and family gathering at the pleasant home of Mrs. Philands Brannan and son John.

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sone motored to Lansing Friday.
Mrs. Rose McCauley has returned
to her home in Detroit accompanied
by her mother, Mrs. Anna Myrss.
Mrs. E. Hettle has returned home
from Minneapolis where she spent the

Miss Mary Steel entertained several of her young friends at her home Sunof her young friends at her home Sunday evening.

Richard Walker of Grand Rapids visited at John Cary's over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Evans and family of Edmore visited old friends and neighbors in this vicinity Sunday.

Mrs. Ann Ferois visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. Foster, and other relatives in Grand Rapids.

Schoolhouse in district No. 6 is being repaired and painted. W. Perkins and J. Cooper of Ada are doing the work.

Mrs. John Schwarder.

Mrs. Lucy Wilson of Kalamasoo is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Schwarder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer of Ionia were Sunday and Monday guests of John Rittenger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kendall of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Chas. Rittenger and family.

R. Murphy and Mrs. C. G. Wieland visited Simon Petit at Lowell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Acheson visited Willis Lape Sunday.

Mrs. John Devries and son Berdick have returned from Flint where she has been for three weeks caring for her daughter, Mrs. M. Boylan, and infant son:

Miss Kate Farrell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett and ents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farrell, last week.

Mrs. G. Fero and children have re-turned home after spending two weeks with relatives near Big Rap-ide. Mrs. Robert Brown returned from

City and other points.

Mrs. Wieland, Emerson and George,
Miss Wilma Acherson and Frank
Rittenger and family returned last Chicago Thursday after spending several days visiting there. Ruth Cary entertained a party of young people at her home Sunday

The first known use of steam to drive a kind of steam engine was described by Hero of Alexandria, probably in the first or second century B C. But the first real steam engines were those used at the end of the seventeenth and in the early eighteenth 400 TYPEWRITERS centuries for pumping water out of mines. Newcomer's engine was used in English mines about 1711

The First Steam Engines.

## Advertising a Sale!

OU don't leave your rie in the middle of the road and so to a fence-post to read a sale bill do you? Then don't expect the other fel-low to do it.

Put so ad in this paper, then, regardless of the weather, the fellow, you want to reach reads your announcements while seated at his fireside.

If he is a prospective buyer you'll have him at yoursele. One extra buyer often pers the entire expense of the ad, and it's a poor ad that won't pull that buyer. An ad in this paper reaches the people you are after.

Bills may be a necessity, but the ad is the thing that does the business. Den't think of having a special sale without using advertising space in this

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STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Kent. At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the 23rd day of August, A. D., 1916.

Present: Hon. Lewis L. Thompson, Acting Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elisa M. Blaisdell, deceased.

Leander J. Post having filed in said court his final admistration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is ordered, that the 19th day of September A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forencou, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowell Ledger, a sewipaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true conv. Lewis L. Thompson.

She—If mamma consents to our engagement, we needn't bother about

He—I do hope the nonimportance of the male member of the family is not an ingrained idea with you.

what papa says.

county.
A true copy. Lewis L. Thompson,
Acting Judge of Probate.

L. D. Flory, Clerk of Probate.

Railroad Time Cards

PERE MARQUETTE Effective June 18, 1916,
East Bound—
7:00 a. m. Dally except Sunday
2:10 p. m. Daily except Sunday
6:00 p. m. Daily except Sunday
Mixed train leaves 10:17 a. m., daily ax. Sund
West Bound—
10:17 a. m. Daily except Sunday
2:35 p. m. Daily except Sunday
9:55 p. m. Daily except Sunday
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General Repair Work.
Call Phone 202. I make
a specialty of hot air
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Phil Krum. Hoffman Shop. Train Block.

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Prince Albert gives you every tobacco satisfaction your smokeappetite ever hankered for. That's because it's made by a patented process that cuts out

bite and parch! Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!



has a flavor as different as it is delightful. You never tasted the like of it! And that isn't strange, either.

Buy Prince Albert corporates to the said in the said i

Men who think they can't smoke a pipe or roll a cigarette can amoke and will smoke if they use Prince Albert. And smokers who have not yet given P. A. a tryout certainly have a big surprise and a lot of enjoyment coming their way as soon as they invest in a supply. Prince Albert tobacco will tell its own story!

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The system of ice delivery must be as efficient as our mail service or other public utilities. Only when we re-member that practically the entire current supply of household foodstuffs are at the mercy of the ice man do we realize the importance of the service rendered.

The cost of ice and necessary delivery service is small when compared with the actual saving of

Reliable ice service is the back bone of economy and Reliable ice service is the back bone of economy and health in the home during the summer months. Analyze the proposition fairly! Horses that serve on the ice wagon are only in service four months of the year. Other equipment and putting up ice cost a large amount of money. Still the price of ice and service rendered is about one per cost of the actual cost of foodstuffs protected. Pretty cheap insurance when you stop to think it over. Figure this out for yourself and you'll decide that efficient ice service is worth while.

### Ice Delivered Daily in Any Part of Town.

Rates for Ground Floor Service. 25 lbs. Daily, 40 lbs. on Sat. on walk......\$2.00 per Mo.

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Northern Ice Co.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Having purchased the

### Jones Meat Market

I wish to announce a continuance of the business at the old stand and to solicit the patronage of Mr. Jones' old customers and the favors of all my own friends. Will maintain the high standard set by Mr. Jones.

## Specials for This Week

All lines of Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Cooked Meats in

RUFUS GREGORY.

Newsy Notes About People You Know.

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Rapids Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. English of Grand Rapids visited the home

folks over Sunday. Jesse Knee was home from there for the winter soon. Ionia to spend Sunday and Mon-

day with his family. Labor day with his father, J. W. Maynard and family.

Raymond Hunting of Rock- Hulbert. ford visited his aunt, Mrs. A. G. Sinclair, over Sunday.

Miss Matilda Brunthaverspen a few days last week with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. H. W. Seese of Freeport spent Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. B. C. Smith.

Miss Libbie Lawrence was a guest of Mrs. Joe Tallent in South Boston Saturday and Sunday Perrin McQueen and Walter

Lundquist of Detroit spent over Sunday at the McQueen home. Miss Hazel Stocking was in Greenville over Sunday and Mon-

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Converse spent Sunday with Mrs. Will Converse at Dorus

ary H. Randall, Pioneer

on Township, is Dead.

ary H. Randall, 71 years old, f Silas Randall, a pione r of township, died at Reed's Itarium Thursday. Of her

e family she leaves three pert Take of Denver, Col.; Take of Valpariso, Ind., and andall of Grand Rapide; also

ters, Mrs. S. A. Brown of Ill.; Mrs. M. C. Collins and

O Young of Grand Rap-

Randall was a respected resident of Cannon town-

rch, a member of Bostwick rch, where funeral services ald Saturday at 2 o'clock p. ment in Bostwick lake ceme-rald, Sept. 1.

ION OF THE SALOON

Proposed Amendment and

the True Facts.

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Born, August 30, to Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Hawk, a son.

Latelle-Ecker was home from Detroit over Sunday. Henry and Tudor Rauch of Ionia were in town Sunday. Ernest Miller of Ionia spent Saturday with friends here.

H. L. Weekes and N. V. Warner were in Grand Rapids Monday. Mrs. H. M. Parrott returned Friday from a visitat Woodland. Mr. and Mrs. Seth Compton of Shelby spent Sunday at S. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morse of Lansing were guests of friends here Sunday.

Vernor Fisher of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Miss

Beatrice VanDyke. Mrs. Hattie Culver has gone to Grand Rapids and Sand Lake

for a week's visit. Mr. and Mrs. James Walden of St. Cloud, Fla., are visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Lincoln.

Mrs. O. C. Johnston of South Bend, Ind , is the new trimmer at Mrs. Andrew's millinery store. Miss Edith Chaffin of East Lan-

sing is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Collar. Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Conklin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Glenn Conklin in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Benj. Soules spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Woodworth, in Grand

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Conklin and two sons of Grand Rapids visited last week.

Frank Thomas of Dorr, and Doc Thomas of Sand Lake spent Saturday with their brother,

Scott Thomas. tion in a telephone office in Do-wagiac. Her mother will join her dall.

Spend the week-end with his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ran-dall.

An idea flashed through Lucy's mind.

As soon as Fred went on, she rushed back to the farmhouse and found her

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Smith and Carl Maynard of Milford spent motored to Eagle Sunday and vis. Odessa. abor day with his father, J. W. ited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore Born,

Mesdames E. D. McQueen, D. Walter Ransford returned Sat- G. Look and J. Schrouder were Grand Rapids, Sept. 5, an 11 urday from Detroit where he spent at Macatawa park a couple days pound son. the summer vacation. last week, the guests of Mrs. S. J. Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bushnell of Odessa and Mrs. Jennie Saxton of in Belding. Portland motored here Sunday Mrs. John Gray and two sons and visited their sister, Mrs. Mar-

Miss Mable Shores of Belding Mr. Jorden. Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Ransford, Mrs. Lew-Reed's lake last Thursday and again throng our streets. spent the day.

day and attended a house party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fuller and

Elgin prices in Lowell. F. W. H. V. Gettv and family retu

LIQUOR BARS EFFICIENCY

High Catholic Churchman Says Coun-

try Suffers From Use of Intoxicants.

Washington, D. C.—The work of

"identifying religion and sobriety," in

the words of the Very Rev. P. J.

O'Callaghan, formerly a resident of

Chicago, was continued here with the

opening of the forty-sixth convention

of the Catholic Total Abstinence union,

with 600 delegates in attendance. The

chief address of the day was that of

"The country is suffering from in-

efficiency induced by intoxicants," he

said. "We have too much crime, pov-

erty, misery, and sin as the conse-

quuence of liquor. The per capita con-

sumption of alcoholic liquors steadily

increases notwithstanding all our ef-

"We know that if every man in Am-

erica would become a total abstainer

the most serious social problem would

be no more. Then the most threaten-

ing menace to our posterity would be

almost negligible. This is not rhetoric

WHAT DO THE WETS MEAN?

There Seems to Be a Diversity of

"Does prohibition prohibit " It

"Many mail order houses say that

they will retire from business if the Webb-Kenyon law is declared consti-

tutional by the Supreme Court of the

United States. These men say there

is no money selling liquors under the

drastic limitation laws that many of

the states have adopted and that oth-

ers will adopt-they think-if the

limitation laws will cause a return to

the license system, and we hope that

they will be made more drastic than at

present."-Bonfort's Wine and Spirit

The above is a sample of wet logic

which shows how hard it is to please

some official of the liquor interest

exulting over increased dry territory

and drastic Prohibition law, because

"it means increased sales." We turn

over a page or two and find some oth-

er liquor publicity man complaining

because "Prohibition laws are so dras-

It has been suggested that these fel-

lows get together and agree on one

line of argument to be used in ex-

plaining the decline of the liquor

Important Scientific Feat.

chemist for extracting essential oils

from citrus fruits is said not to affect

the chemical properties of the oils in

any way, and it is predicted that it

eventually will revolutionise the in-

A process invented by an Italian

tic that liquor men can no longer

"It is our opinion that the drastic

Webb-Kenyon law is valid.

law of the state into which | the liquor interests. On one page of

to be shipped. The pro- almost any liquor journal we find

make a living."

seems to, according to the wets, says the American Issue, and quotes:

it is cold truth."

Arch-bishop Keane of Dubuque.

F. H Misner is attending the Hastings fair this week. Single copies of The Ledger will

hereafter be sold for 3 cents. J. P. Norton of Grattan Center was a Lowell visitor Saturday. Mrs. Claud Staal was a Grand Rapids visitor one day last week. Miss Mary Smith of St. Johns spent the week end with Mr. and

Mrs. Weldon.

day last week.

Walter Maynard.

Mrs. Lyle Denick and son Robert spent over Sunday with her parents in Belding.

Lake Odessa Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ace Vandenbrock

and children of Moseley were Lowell visitors Saturday. clamen Chapter, No. 94, O. E. S.,

Friday evening, Sept. 8. Al. Perry has so far recovered from his recent accident as to

get about town on crutches. Mrs. G. W. Hatch of Grand with Cliff Hatch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Sterkins and two children spent over Sunday with relatives in Grand Rapids. Miss Cecelia Noble has returned their parents here several days to her school work at Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Misner, ac-

companied by Mrs. Jas. Spencer, were in Belding one day last week. Orris Randall of Grand Rapids summer before in Riverside. spent the week-end with his par-

H. V. Getty and family entertained relatives last week from Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Brighton Clinton, Iowa, Ontario and Lake

> Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Deryke (nee Jennie DeWeert) in do you think, mother?"

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch, accompanied by Mrs. G. W. Hatch

of Coldwater spent a few days last week with the former's father,

Rapids one day last week. School opened for classification is Jones, Mrs. James Denton and and enrollment Tuesday and Mrs. Orley Rulason motored to groups of merry boys and girls

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holliday Take your cream to the Durand and three children of Lansing are Creamery depot and get highest making a week's visit at the home

9tf ed last week from Remus where best white and gold eggshell china,

### THE TEA-HOUSE

Lucy Cutier was helping her mother finish the Saturday cleaning and bak-ing, and was rebelling in her soul. Not that she so particularly disliked the Mrs. F. H. Misner was a guest work itself, but the thought that she of Mrs. Ed. Keller at Saranac one had to do that kind of thing day after day, with not even a maid servant's The Vergennes Grange will hold a pie social at the hall Friday evening, Sept. 8.

wage, stirred her to anger. Her father, a presperous farmer, could well afford to pay for it, as she knew, yet he seemed to think it was the natural John Willett of Lyons spent and proper thing for herself and her over Sunday at the home of younger sister, Florence, to scrub along, week after week, satisfied with an occasional small sum with which to buy necessities.

When Lucy finished her work, she started to walk rather aimlessly down Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hutch and the road to rest and cool off. Her fason George called on friends in ther had just acquired, through a foreclosure, a piece of property of about two acres adjoining his land, on which was a picturesque little cottage. As she reached a place in the road opposite the new property, she stopped to Regular communication of Cy- admire the tiny house and the old-fashloned flowers bordering the walk, as well as the climbing roses over the

and the two stood there together. Fred was a hustling young chap, with quite a bank account already. He had Rapids spent a few days last week for some time been casting longing glances in Lucy's direction, but, being somewhat bashful, he had not progressed very far in his wooing.

Now, as they viewed together the anug bit of land and the house, with the "For Sale" sign against the stone wall, a thought of himself and Lucy Ind., accompanied by her mother. In such a home rushed into his mind, and he wanted to give expression to it; but all he found himself saying was that it made him think of the little tea house some women had opened the

An idea flashed through Lucy's mind. "Mother, what's father going to do

with the Clapp house?" "Why, nothin' this year that I know of. Of course, he wants to sell it." "Would he let me use the cottage,

"Use the cottage! For the land's sake, child, what for?" "Well, I've got an idea. You re-

member when I visited Aunt, Carrie last summer in Riverside? Some womof Grand Rapids, spent Friday en set up tea house not half so pretty as the Clapp place and sold tea and things to motorists over there, and Aunt Carrie said they made a lot of money. I could make more here because it's on the state road."

It took considerable persuasion to and sister Bessie and little daughter Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch, actor Maxine of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Moses Erb ley of Belding, were in Grand Florence all eagerness, he finally gave in reluctantly.

The girls worked with a will all the next week. They cleaned out the little cottage themselves. It was in pretty good order already and was furnished. There were three rooms on the ground floor. They turned the parlor, which was the largest, into the tea room proper, and made a sort of serving room of the dining room. H. V. Getty and family return. The small plazza, they decided, would hold three tables. Mother loaned her

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### Other Fall Furnishings That are Beauties

Buy what you need as early as you can this fall and winter, remember every reorder and every special order will cost you more.

# Lalley & Shuter.

erintendent of Schools ell and family are settled in loseph house. Principal s and family are nearby bors in the Ecker house.

I. Merrifield, advertising exsays: "Trying to do much less without advertising is ike winking at a pretty girl e dark. The one you want ach most doesn't even know

're alive." lton W. Hatch, a former ent of Keene township, is ing John Hatch and other ives and friends after an abof 23 years in California. eports a honey crop of seven last year.

orge DuPree, 79 years old, Wednesday at his home in Mr. DuPree had been a ent in this vicinity since . He is survived by his w and a brother, John Du-Funeral services were held e residence Friday afternoon

e portraits of Woodrow Wiland Charles E. Hughes for distribution to paid-up 1856. Gramme invented the ring wind er subscribers are ready at office. Only 500 of each. take your choice, but no rewill be kept. Come and get s while they are going.

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## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

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He married her and then he said He vished he never had

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Before eating, Before handling, preparing or erving food. After using the toilet,

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is now under new management, having been purchased from Mr. W. V. Warner, and the new owners intend to make this theatre a popular place of enjoyment by exhibiting the best and latest productions possible in movieland. We will be open

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wish to announce a continuance of the business at the old stand and to solicit the patronage of his old customers and the favors of my own old time friends.

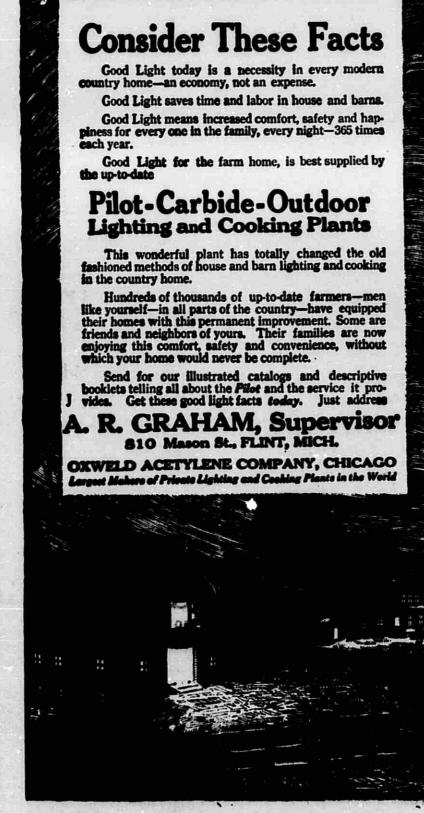
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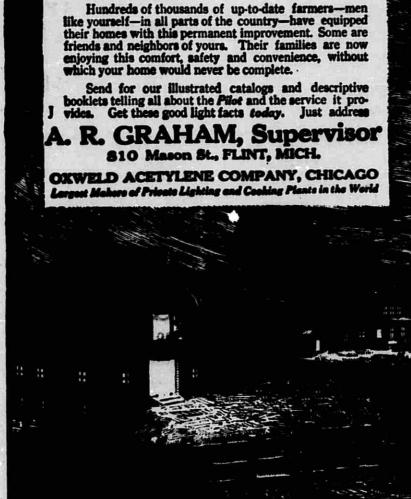
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By FANNY GRAY.

Rapids visitor one day last week. Lucy Cutler was helping her mother Miss Mary Smith of St. Johns finish the Saturday cleaning and bakspent the week end with Mr. and ing, and was rebelling in her soul. Not that she so particularly disliked the Mrs. F. H. Misner was a guest work itself, but the thought that she of Mrs. Ed. Keller at Saranac one had to do that kind of thing day after day, with not even a maid servant's wage, stirred her to anger. Her fa-The Vergennes Grange will hold ther, a prosperous farmer, could well Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morse of a pic social at the hall Friday afford to pay for it, as she knew, yet he seemed to think it was the natural John Willett of Lyons spent and proper thing for herself and her Vernor Fisher of Detroit spent Over Sunday at the home of younger sister, Florence, to scrub Sunday and Monday with Miss Walter Maynard. an occasional small sum with which to Mrs. Lyle Denick and son Robbuy necessities.

When Lucy finished her work, she started to walk rather aimlessly down Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch and the road to rest and cool off. Her fa-Mr. and Mrs. James Walden of son George called on friends in ther had just acquired, through a foreclosure, a piece of property of about two acres adjoining his land, on which Mr. and Mrs. Ace Vandenbrock was a picturesque little cottage. As and children of Moseley were Lowshe reached a place in the road opposite the new property, she stopped to Regular communication of Cvadmire the tiny house and the old-fashloned flowers bordering the walk, as well as the climbing roses over the

Al. Perry has so far recovered Just then Fred Emerson came along, and the two stood there together. Fred was a hustling young chap, with Mrs. G. W. Hatch of Grand quite a bank account already. He had for some time been casting longing glances in Lucy's direction, but, being somewhat bashful, he had not pro-Mr. and Mrs. Orin Sterkins and gressed very far in his wooing.

two children spent over Sunday Now, as they viewed together the snug bit of land and the house, with the "For Sale" sign against the stone wall, a thought of himself and Lucy Ind., accompanied by her mother. in such a home rushed into his mind, and he wanted to give expression to it; but all he found himself saying was that it made him think of the little tea house some women had opened the Orris Randall of Grand Rapids summer before in Riverside.

An idea flashed through Lucy's mind. As soon as Fred went on, she rushed back to the farmhouse, and found her

H. V. Getty and family enter-"Mother, what's father going\_to do with the Clapp house?" "Why, nothin' this year that I know

of. Of course, he wants to sell it." "Would he let me use the cottage, do you think, mother?" "Use the cottage! For the land' sake, child, what for?"

"Well. I've got an idea. You re-Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch, acmember when I visited Aunt, Carrie companied by Mrs. G. W. Hatch last summer in Riverside? Some women set up tea house not half so pretty as the Clapp place and sold tea and things to motorists over there, and Aunt Carrie said they made a lot of money. I could make more here because it's on the state road."

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> The girls worked with a will all the next week. They deaned out the little cottage themselves. It was in pretty good order already and was furnished. There were three rooms on the ground floor. They turned the Take your cream to the Durand and three children of Lansing are parlor, which was the largest, into Creamery depot and get highest making a week's visit at the home the tea room proper, and made a sort

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Buy what you need as early as you can this fall and winter, remember every reorder and every special order will cost you more.

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#### ELMDALE

Miss Jessie Chambers underwent an operation Saturday for the re-moval of her tonelle. Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Vaughn, attended the church services at Elm-dale Sunday. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Agar,

Sept. 2, a son, Mrs. Fanny Tucker of Lake Odessa visited at the home of Vernor Trow-bridge from Thursday until Sunday. Elmer Archer of Flint was a guest of his friend, Miss Mary Harris, over

Sunday.
Cleatic and Clarence Miller returned home from the West Saturday for a short visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Polly Livingston and daughter Edythe left Tuesday for a two weeks visit with friends in Northern Michigan.

Mr. Clack entertained his wife and

Mr. Clack entertained his wife and daughter of Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Compton of Shelby is visiting her husband of this place and Sunday they spent the day with friends in Lowell.

Listen for the wedding bells.

Vernon Trowbridge and family entertained Austin Bowman and wife

Ira Sargent and wife spent Sunday with relatives in East Lowell, Miss Freida Shaffer is assisting Mrs. W. E. Chambers with her house-

work this week.

Adam Herber is attending camp
meeting near Bad Axe for two weeks.

Mrs. Terry Berry of Allegan is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Adam Herber,
for an indefinite time.

Try Ledger job print.

Morris called on Mrs. Shear.

Mrs. Jenkins called on Mrs. Dodds

Incle Eb. Bowen have been sick. Mrs. Lawrence is spending a days with Mary Lott.

vited.

Mrs. George Stahl and family entertained two of her schoolmates of near Richmond, Ind., the past week, and Saturday night a party was given at the Stahl home in their honor.

Cold is Droken up. Treat a cold permit a cold permit a cold in sistently; half-way measures leave a lingering cough. Take Dr. King's New Discovery until your cold is gone. For 47 years the favorite remedy for young and old. At your given at the Stahl home in their druggist, 50c.

Clarence Kinyon, Peter Devries, Stub Sinclair, and Bertha! Althous were Sunday guests of Chara and Lena Abel.

SOUTH VERGENNES

D. S. Hudson, Marion Roth, Kleth and Marjory Himehaugh started to school at Lowell Tuesday. School begins in District No. 4 Fr Ada September 11.

WEST MICHIGAN

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#### WHITES BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris brought Grandma Morris home from her vacation last Monday and Mrs. Tom

Mrs. John Loucks is on the gain.
Mrs. John King called on Mrs. John
Loucks one day this week.
Erwin Ridgeway is taking Mr.
Dodds place in the Lowell plant.
Mrs. Bert Norton and Mrs. Jenkins
called on Mrs. Goseby, Thursday

ray lake.
Mrs. Chas. Bowen's baby and

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### Lois and Mary Alice James re-turned to their home Saturday after viciting their grandparents in Grand Rapids. Their aunt, Miss Felicia Smidt, came with them and stayed

over Sunday.

Carl Wittenbach spent Sunday afternoon with John Andrews' people at Moseley.

Misses Agnes and Edna Steele visited at Allen and Ed. Bennett's last

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Misses Fern Belding, Mildred and
Hildreth McNaughton were guests of
Chris Wittenbach and family Tuesday evening.

Roye Ford and family attended the reunion at the Moseley schoolhouse

last Thursday.
Mrs. G. M. Hudson spent Tuesday Rapids Labor day.

(hanging Sessess Bring Celds)

"Stuffed-up head," clogged-up nose, tight chest, sore throat are sure signs of cold, and Dr. King's New Discovery is sure relief. A dose of this combination of antiseptic balsams soothes the irritated membrane, clears the head, loosens the phlagm, you breathe easier and realize your cold is broken up. Treat a cold persistently; half-way measures leave a mid wednesday afternoon of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Ward, at Rockford. Her little grand-daughter Norma has been very ill.

The Vergennes Grange will have a give me relief."

Price 50c at all dealers. Simply ask for a kidney reme Doan's Kidney Pills—the sar day echool picnic at Murray lake last Thursday. A good time was reported.

Rid Your Child of Worms. Thousands of children have worms that sap their vitality and make them listless and irritable. Kickapoo Worm Killer kills and removes the worms and has a tonic effect on the system. Does your child eat spasmodically? Cry out in sleep or grind its teeth? These are symptoms of worms and you should find relief for them at once. Kickapoo Worm Killer is a pleasant remedy. Atyour druggist, 25c.

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The symptoms of kidney trouble are many. Disordered kidneys often xcrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of Mrs. ke winking at a pretty girl scalding. The back may ache, headaches and dizzy spells may occur and the victim is often weighted down by immed. a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is dan-

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### KEENE CENTER.

Clifton Pant and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al. Pant and Earl Pant motored to Muskegon Sunday to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. Gage. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andrews accompanied

Wheeler Hull and wife, his father and mother and Mrs. Mina Gardner and daughter Evelyn called on their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels are making a trip with their auto to Jackson, Adrian and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Golds, Jennie and Brayton spent Sunday with her Mrs. Gusta White and daughter of Grand Rapids were dinner guests Saturday of her uncle, King Rickert. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Arnold of Chicago are visiting her brother, King Rickert, and other friends in

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Mrs. Elizabeth Daniels went to
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Simpson and Dan Erb. tended the Lampkin-Haines wed. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brandenberry interests of the Clark-Anderson new owner for a lease, that owner ding at Sparta Wednesday, Aug. of Evart and brother and sister, motor stock, in which he is a live being Fred Emerson. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Forbes of factor.

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State Wide "Dry" amendment Pres. H. L. Fish.
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> who has been visiting relatives at once. here, returned home with them

Married at Folkston, England, August 4, Vern H. Getty and Annie Ahern. Vern has left the hospital and has been given permanent base in England being unfitted for active service in

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nicholson of rand Rapids with their son, Earl, and daughter, Lucretia, have returned from a motor trip through the southern part of the state.—Herald.

Advertised letters in Lowell postoffice for week ending Sept. 4: Chas. Howard 2, C. N. Johnson, A. F. Peary & Sons, Walter Streter, A. Weldon, Miss Neva

Sargent, Miss Joe Scheleberg. Charles Mitchell, a city mail age given me. The basket will be at Mr. Stocking's store or I will call for your laundry if you the state, in which was a check will telephone 168. covering the amount which the writer had stolen from the counter of the store of Mr. Mitchell's father, the late Henry Mitchell, in Lowell more than 32 years ago. The amount of the check also covers the interest for more

than three decades.—Herald. We will gladly meet any mail order competition at lower figures than you can get any where, on any house plan or barn. Don't greatest romantic stories of the be buncoed by any promise of year, do not miss "The Chain Inany out of town concern to save visible," when this great Equityou a large amount of money. able five-part motion picture is Remember your home dealer, the shown at the Idle Hour theater Westfield & Fall River Lumber on Saturday evening, Sept. 9, Co. here today and tomorrow, with Bruce McRae and Gerda

### THE TEA-HOUSE

By FANNY GRAY.

Lucy Cutler was helping her mother finish the Saturday cleaning and baking, and was rebelling in her soul. Not Mrs. F. H. Misner was a guest work itself, but the thought that she Mr. and Mrs. Seth Compton of of Mrs. Ed. Keller at Saranac one had to do that kind of thing day after day, with not even a maid servant's Avery's.

The Vergennes Grange will hold ther, a prosperous farmer, could well a pie social at the hall Friday afford to pay for it, as she knew, yet he seemed to think it was the natural John Willett of Lyons spent and proper thing for herself and her over Sunday at the home of younger sister, Florence, to scrub along, week after week, satisfied with an occasional small sum with which to

buy necessities. When Lucy finished her work, she started to walk rather aimlessly down Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch and the road to rest and cool off. Her father had just acquired, through a foreclosure, a piece of property of about two acres adjoining his land, on which was a picturesque little cottage. As she reached a place in the road opposite the new property, she stopped to admire the tiny house and the old-fashioned flowers bordering the walk, as well as the climbing roses over the

Just then Fred Emerson came along, and the two stood there together. Fred was a hustling young chap, with quite a bank account already. He had for some time been casting longing glances in Lucy's direction, but, being somewhat bashful, he had not progressed very far in his wooing.

Now, as they viewed together the snug bit of land and the house, with the "For Sale" sign against the stone wall, a thought of himself and Lucy in such a home rushed into his mind, and he wanted to give expression to it; but all he found himself saying was that it made him think of the little tea house some women had opened the summer before in Riverside.

An idea flashed through Lucy's mind. As soon as Fred went on, she rushed back to the farmhouse and found her

"Mother, what's father going to do with the Clapp house?" "Why, nothin' this year that I know of. Of course, he wants to sell it."

"Would he let me use the cottage, do you think, mother?" "Use the cottage! For the land's sake, child, what for?"

"Well, I've got an idea. You remember when I visited Aunt, Carrie last summer in Riverside? Some womas the Clapp place and sold tea and things to motorists over there, and Aunt Carrie said they made a lot of money. I could make more here be-

cause it's on the state road." It took considerable persuasion to make Farmer Cutler give his consent. in reluctantly.

The girls worked with a will all the next week. They deaned out the little cottage themselves. It was in pretty good order already and was furnished. There were three rooms on the ground floor. They turned the parlor, which was the largest, into the tea room proper, and made a sort of serving room of the dining room. The small piazza, they decided, would hold three tables. Mother loaned her best white and gold eggshell china, which seldom saw the light of day, and

agreed to supply the first biscuit. Two or three days before they were ready. Lucy put a sign out on the lawn near the street, announcing the opening of the tea house.

The first afternoon she told herself they reafly must not expect anyone; but her heart beat high with expectation just the same, as she and Florence, in white muslin dresses and dainty aprons, waited in the cottage. A man and woman driving through the country in a buggy were their first guests. A motorcyclist and one large automobile party made up the list for the day, and they thought it very encouraging, even if father did sniff a in around six o'clock, just to cheer them up, he said. But it was notice-

all through the prosperous season The tea house was a great success, on the whole, and when the time came to close it and Lucy counted up the

Her surprise was very great when her father told her that the cottage was no longer his to dispose of. It had been sold, and she must apply to the

For some reason, which she didn't quite comprehend herself, Lucy felt Charles Forward, wife and shy about going to him. But one day daughter Leona of Standish spent when she was alone at the cottage, Saturday night with his brother, putting away the last things for that Riley Forward. Mrs. S. B. Cook, season, Fred appeared. Lucy began

> "Father told me you had bought the place, Fred. I want to know if I can have it again next year, and what the

> It isn't necessary for us to know in just what words Fred told her that the house was hers on one condition, and that he had been determined to own it and install her as mistress ever since the first day he watched her moving about in it, looking so sweet and dainty, serving tea to her guests. She must have accepted the condition, for the next summer saw the little cottage transformed into a comfortable, livable home, and there were biscuits and tea, but the order was for two. (Copyright, 1916, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Angela McGee began her school at Cornith this week. I have purchased the agency

for the American laundry and will be very thankfull for patron-Gerald White.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Arthur of Bath, Mich., and Dr. and Mrs. Warner of Clarksville were Lowell visitors on Sunday. Five of these were young people at Bath when Mr. and Mrs. Weldon were sent by Conference to that charge eighteen years ago.

If you want to see one of the ready to back up his own goods. Holmes in the leading roles.

Since the European war started, prices have been on the rampage. You can count on your hand the necessities whose prices you know to be the same as two years ago.

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is one of the very very few necessities whose price and quality remains the Today you can come into our same. store or any other Styleplus store with the confidence and assurance that you are going to get Styleplus quality of fabric and workmanship, in any style you may want from the conservative models to the new Pinch Backs, without hearing the dealer say: "The price of Styleplus clothes has advanced. We cannot sell them for \$17 any longer!" A written guarantee in the pocket always.

### See The New Fall Styles

#### **New Fall Hats**

from the house of Gimble and other famous hat works. Blues, Greens, Tans and Pearls. New styles all the time. \$1.00 to \$3.00.

#### **Sweaters**

Bradleys-enough said. You all know the quality of Bradley Knit .Wear. Now is the time to buy a sweater. They will cost you more

### Other Fall Furnishings That are Beauties

Buy what you need as early as you can this fall and winter, remember every reorder and every special order will cost you more.

# Lalley & Shuter.

Superintendent of Schools Mitchell and family are settled in the Joseph house. Principal Monks and family are nearby neighbors in the Ecker house.

C. H. Merrifield, advertising expert, says: "Trying to do much business without advertising is bit when told. Fred Emerson dropped just like winking at a pretty girl in the dark. The one you want to reach most doesn't even know able that the cheering process lasted vour're alive."

Wilton W. Hatch, a former resident of Keene township, is visiting John Hatch and other relatives and friends after an abexact profit, she was highly elated, sence of 23 years in California. and began at once to plan for the next | He reports a honey crop of seven

George DuPree, 79 years old, lied Wednesday at his home in Ada. Mr. DuPree had been a resident in this vicinity since 1870. He is survived by his widow and a brother, John Dupree. Funeral services were held at the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The portraits of Woodrow Wilfree distribution to paid-up 1856. Gramme invented the ring wind Ledger subscribers are ready at this office. Only 500 of each. You take your choice, but no record will be kept. Come and get yours while they are going.



WE have all the things you need for school—text books, drawing materials. tablets and other supplies, including the CONKLIN Self-Filler so well adapted to students use.

Students everywhere say this efficient fountain pen means better work and better grades.

Self-Filling Fountain Pen NON-LEAKABLE D. G. LOOK

### THE CHEERFUL CHERVB

My best friend stole my sirl from me: At first it made, me

He married her and then he said He wished he never had

Early Dynamos

The principle of electro-magnetic the dynamo-electric machine is based was discovered by Michael Faraday of London in 1831. The first machine to give continuous current was that of Sir Charles Wheatstone, in England, in 1841. One of the earliest suc on and Charles E. Hughes for cessful dynamos was that of Siemens

> To Remove Tar. Tar may be removed from the hands tf by rubbing with the outside of fresh orange or lemon peel and drying immediately. The volatile oils dissolve tar so that it can be rubbed off.

> > Clean Hands.

Disease germs lead a hand to

mouth existence. If the human race would learn to keep the unwashed hand away from the mouth many human diseases would be greatly diminished. We handle infectious matter more or less constantly and continually carry the hands to the mouth. If the hand has recently been in contact with infectious matter the germs of disease may in this way be introduced into the body. Many persons wet their fingers with saliva before counting money, turning the pages of a book, or performing similar acts. In this case the process is reversed, the injection being carried to the object handled, there to await carriage to the mouth of some other careless person. In view of these facts the U.S. Public Health Service has formulated the fol-

United States. Wash the hands immediately Before eating, Before handling, preparing or erving food,

lowing simple rules of personal

hygiene and recommends their

adoption by every person in the

After using the toilet, After attending the sick, and After handling anything dirty.

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is now under new management, having been purchased from Mr. W. V. Warner, and the new owners intend to make this theatre a popular place of enjoyment by exhibiting the best and latest productions possible in movieland. We will be open

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

We cordially invite the patronage of the public

and will try to merit your approval in the class of pictures shown. The Family Theater

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Admission 5 & 10c. Earl Wright, Mgr.

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ZINES and POST CARDS Allen Lasby

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\$100 and \$200 and would suggest if you are thinking of getting one to place your order while we have the goods. The market is flooded

with imitations but if you get a genuine

Victrola you will not be sorry. Call us for

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a demonstration in your own home.

JYNOPSIS.

-12-Chesnayne, a belle of New he to learn details, forced into marriage with a Cassion, henchman of France, is forced into marriage with Commissaire Cassion, henchman of Governor La Barre, who is piotting to oust La Salle and his garrison from the frontier Fort St. Louis, on the lilinois river, Adele had overheard the plotters say she had inherited a great fortune from her father and they had kept it from her. La Barre and Cassion learned of the girl's knowledge—thus the marriage and the hurried departure of Cassion and a company for Fort St. Louis. The bride refuses to share sleeping quarters with her husband. She has but one friend, young Rene d'Artigny, a guide. He is chary of helping her. Chevet, the girl's uncle, one of the party, is found murdered. A fierce storm scatters and wrecks the boats. Adele is rescued by D'Artigny. They learn they had thought one another guilty of Chevet's murder. Adele loves her rescuer. Phey hide from a search party and were cool and green. Not a sound were cool and green. Not a sound the a new found friend, Barbeau, pro-ed overland toward Fort St. Louis,

Madame Cassion owes her life to D'Artigny. She is now in his hands. She loves him. She has a high sense of honor and obligation. Will her conscience force her to go on to the fort, where her husband is, and tell him she thinks her real lover may be a murderer-giving her reason for the belief? In this installment the author gives a vivid portrayal of her dilemma at the very time her life is in grave danger.

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Madame Cassion, D'Artigny and Barbeau are making their way in canoe and on foot to Fort St. Louis.

I was but a girl in years, excitement was still to me a delight, and I ha! listened to so many tales, romantic. wonderful, of this wilderness fortress perched upon a rock, that my vivid imagination had weaved about it an atmosphere of marvel. The beauty of the view from its palisades, the vast concourse of Indians encamped on the plains below, and those men guarding its safety-the faithful comrades of La Salle in explorations of the un known, De Tonty, Boisrondet, and all the others, had long since become to my mind the incarnation of romantic adventure. Wilderness born, I could comprehend and appreciate their tolls and dangers, and my dreams centered shout this great lonely rock, on which they had established a home. But the end was not yet. Just below the confluence of the rivers there was a village of the Tamaroas, and the prow of our canoe touched the bank, while D'Artigny stepped ashore amid a tangle of low-growing bushes, that he might have speech with some of the warriors, and thus learn conditions at the fort. With his foot on the bank. be turned laughing, and held out his hand to me.

"Come, madame," he said, pleasantly, "you have never seen a village of our western tribes; it will interest

I joined him gladly, my limbs feeling awkward under me, from long cramping in the boat, yet the climb raiders?" was not difficult, and he held back the boughs to give me easy passage. Beyoud the fringe of brush there was an open space, but as we reached this both paused, stricken dumb by horror at the sight which met our view. The there to make sortie against a large dent we must save ourselves." ground before us was strewn with dead, and mutilated bodies, and was black with ashes where the tepees had been burned, and their contents scattered brondenst.

Never before had I seen such view of devastation, of relentless, savage cruelty, and I gave utterance to a sudden sob, and shrank back against D'Artigny's arm, hiding my eyes with my hand. He stood and stared, mo tionless, breathing heavily, unconsciously gripping my arm.

"Mon Dieu!" he burst forth, at last "What meaneth this? Are the wolves of La Salle's absence from this valley: again loose in the valley?" He drew me back, until we were

both concealed behind a fringe of longer in command. They are here leaves, his whole manner alert, every to sweep the French out of this lillinstinct of the woodsman instantly awakened. "Remain here hidden." he whis-

may face grave peril below."

He left me trembling and whitelipped, yet I made no effort to restrain him. The horror of those dead bodies gripped me, but I would not crept forth, and I lay in the shadow of the covert, watching his movements. Body after body he approached, seeking some victim alive. and able to tell the story. But there was none. At last he stood erect. satisfied that none beside the dead were on that awful spot, and came back to me.

"Not one lives," he said soberly. "and there are men, women, and chil- peril to which I dread to expose the dren there. The story is one easily lady." told-an attack at daylight from the woods yonder. There has been no fighting; a massacre of the belpless and unarmed."

"But who did such deed of blood?" "Tis the work of the Iroquois; the and I shall not fall. Explain to us way they scalped tells that, and be- your plan." sides I saw other signs."

"The Iroquois." I echoed incredulous, for that name was the terror of my childhood. "How came these sayages so far to the westward?"

"Their war parties range to the great river," be answered. "We followed their bloody trail when first we came to this valley. It was to gain | Barbeau?" protection from these raiders that the Algonquins gathered about the fort. other choice," he answered loyally. washed down by water from the keep well. Even babies flourish in was, "A good name is rather to be We fought the flends twice, and drove "But we have no time to waste here stream-yet hunger served to make them back, yet now they are here in compliment. You know a safe pay again. Come, Adele, we must return sage, you say?" to the canoe, and consult with Barbeau. He has seen much of Indian

War. bank, Barbeau holding it with grasp hide the canoe, and make our way fort gate. If aught happened to him. on a great root. He must have read through the forest. Once safely afoot we were to press on until we attained in our faces some message of alarm. for he exclaimed before either of us could speak:

"What is it-the Iroquois?" "Yes; why did you guess that?"

"I have seen signs for an hour past so close to the bank. The village has been attacked?"

"Ay surprised and massacred; the ground is covered with the dead, and ing determined upon his course. the tepecs are burned. Madame is half cruzed with the shock."

scarce glancing at me, so eager was

"The fiends were in force, then?" by way of the Fox. I counted on the to my kulfe. Madame, you will fol-

them would hold twenty warriors; the rear. Are both ready?"

were cool and green. Not a sound awoke the echoes, and the horror I and across broken land. My route is vilings, his curses, his orders that had just witnessed seemed almost a almost directly west, except that we were insults. You think it was easy? dream.

> "Where are they now?" I questioned faintly. "Have they gone back to

their own country?" "Small hope of that," answered D'Artigny, "or we would have met with them before this, or other signs of their passage. They are below. either at the fort, or planning attack on the Indian villages beyond. What think you, Barbeau?"

"I have never been here," he said slowly, "so cannot tell what chance the red devils might have against the white men at St. Louis. But they are



With Dead.

that, and engaged in some hell act. I know the Iroquois, and how they conduct war. 'Twill be well for us to think it all out with care before we I make out no moving figures." venture farther. Come, D'Artigny. tell me what you know—is the fort run away. They could not have been one to be defended against Iroquois attacked, or the tepees would have

"'Tis strong: built on a high rock. and approachable only at the rear. Given time, they might starve the garrison, or drive them mad with thirst, for I doubt if there be men enough

war party." "But the Indian allies-the Algon

quins?" "One warwhoop of an Iroquois would scatter them like sheep. They are no fighters, save under white leadscenes of horror. I have seen all this before. Barbeau, and this is no mere raid of a few scattered warriors, seeking adventure and scalps; 'tis an organized war party. The Iroquois have learned of the trouble in New France. they know of the few fighting men at the Rock, and that De Tonty is no

nois country, and have given no warning. They surprised the Indian villages first, killed every Algonquin pered, "until I learn the truth; we they could find, and are now besieging the Rock. And what have they to op pose them? More than they thought. no doubt, for Cassion and De la Durantage must have reached there safe ly, yet at the best, the white defendhave him know the terror which held ers will scarcely number fifty men. me captive. With utmost caution be and quarreling among themselves like mad dogs. There is but one thing for

us to do. Barbeau-reach the fort." "Ay, but how? There will be death now, haunting us every foot of the

D'Artigny turned his head, and his eyes met mine questioningly. "There is a passage I know." he said gravely, "below the south banks yonder, but there will be peril in it-

I stood erect, no longer paralyzed by fear, realizing my duty. "Do not besitate because of me. monsieur." I said calmly. "French women have always done their part

CHAPTER XVI.

The Words of Love. His eyes brightened, and his hard

sought mine. "The spirit of the old days; the I Found Little Difficulty in Following words of a soldier's daughter, hey,

"A La Chesnayne could make mo cracker, and some jerked deer ment.

The canoe rode close in under the to the opposite shore, where we will scription of the trail leading to the

drawn up, and concealed among the cance of the action, my hand clasped bushes, while we descended a slight his. I felt the grip of his fingers, and declivity, and found ourselves in the saw his face turn toward me in the which made me fear this might be stience of a great wood. Here D'Ar. dusk. Barbeau got to his feet, gun true. That was why I held the boat tigny paused to make certain his in hand, and stood shading his eves. sense of direction.

vance," he sale, at last, evidently have down the bank a hundred yards or 80."

Barbeau took no heed, his eyes | knows where the enemy are to be met with in Indian campaign, and we are without arms, except for Barbenu's

our venture."

to meet his.

querade?"

cols Cassion."

"Oh, monsieur!"

tiercely.

He disappeared in the shadows,

"You did not like to hear me speak as I did?" he questioned quietly.

He bent lower, still grasping my

fingers, and seeking to compel my eyes

"Adele," he whispered, "why is it

necessary for us to keep up this mas-

"This pretense at mere friendship,"

he insisted, "when we could serve

"Monsieur," and I tried to draw my

"I care nothing for that unholy al-

hand away. "I am the wife of Fran-

"What masquerade, monsieur?"

sion of the truth. You love me-"

each other better by a frank confes-"I retain my pistot," I interrupted. "Of small value since its immersion in the lake; as to myself. I must trust low me, but merely close enough to make sure of your course through the woods, while Barbeau will guard the

"Perhaps it might be well to explain more clearly what you propose," said the soldier. "Then if we become separated, we could figure out the proper direction to follow."

"Not a bad thought, that. It is a

bear slightly south to keep well away' I am a woodsman, a lieutenant of La from the river. Three leagues will Salle, and it has never before been bring us to a small stream which my way to receive insult without a empties into the Illinois. There is a blow. We are not of that breed. Yet faint trail along its eastern bank. I bore it for your sake-why? Bewhich leads to the Rock, where it is cause I loved you." possible for one knowing the way to attain the palisades of the fort. If we can attain this trail before dark of us," he continued, now speaking we can make the remaining distance with a calmness which held me silent. by night. Here, let me show you." and he drew with a sharp stick a hasty map on the ground. "Now you has been in my mind for weeks, and understand; if we become separated, keep steadily westward until you

reach a stream flowing north." sor. You have been to me a memory In this order we took up the march, of inspiration ever since we first met and as I had nothing to bear except a years ago at that convent in Quebec. blanket, which I twisted about my I dreamed of you in the wilderness, in shoulders. I found little difficulty in the canoe on the great river, and here following my leader. At first the un- at St. Louis. Never did voyageur go derbrush was heavy, and the ground eastward but I asked him to bring me very broken, so that oftentimes I lost word from you, and each one bore sight entirely of D'Artigny, but as he from me a message of greeting." constantly broke branches to mark his "I received none, monsieur." passage, and the sun served as guidance, I had small difficulty in keeping failed to learn your dwelling place. the proper direction. To our right Yet when he finally chose me as his along the river appeared masses of comrade on this last journey, while I isolated rock, and these we skirted would have followed him gladly even closely, always in the shadow and to death, the one hope which held me silence of great trees. Within half to the hardships of the trail was the an hour we had emerged from the re- chance thus given of seeking you mytarding underbrush, and came out into self. an open wood, where the walking was the whole journey; I have borne in-

much easier. The sun had not entirely disap-sult, the charge of crime, merely that peared when we emerged from the I might remain, and serve you. Why dark wood shadows into a narrow, do I say this? Because tonight-if grassy valley, through which flowed we succeed in getting through the Ina silvery stream, not broad, but deep. dian lines—I shall be again among my involved in your decision. I must Assured that this must be the water old comrades, and shall be no longe we sought, I sank to the ground, eager a servant to Francois Cassion. I shall for a moment's rest, but D'Artigny, stand before him a man, an equal. tireless still, moved back and forward ready to prove myself with the along the edge of the forest to assure steel-" himself of the safety of our surroundings. Barbeau joined him, and ques-

"We have reached the trail?" "Ay, beside the shore yonder; see

me spare him?" you anything of Indian tepees across the stream to the left?" "Below, there are wigwams there plain. You say you love me, andjust in the edge of the grove. You and the words bring me joy. Av. I con-

can see the outlines from here; but fess that. But do you not see that a "Deserted then; the cowards have cols Cassion would separate us for-

been burned." "An Algonquin village?" "Miamis. I had hoped we might no clash of swords. Perhaps it cangain assistance there, but they have not be avoided, for Cassion may so

either joined the whites in the fort. or are hiding in the woods. 'Tis evi-"And how far is it?" "To the fort? A league or two, and

rough climb at the farther end through the dark. We will wait here until after dusk, eat such food as we have without fire, and rest up for a ership, and 'tis likely enough their vil- bit of venture. The next trip will lages are already like this one yonder. test us all, and madame is weary enough already." "An hour will put me right." I said

> miling at him, yet making no attempt to rise. "I have been in a boat so long I have lost all strength in my limbs."

that come Barbeau unnack and le us have what cheer we can."

I know not when food was ever nore welcome, although it was simple enough to be sure-a bit of hard



My Leader.

peril of our situation bad tendency to "Not a safe one, yet a trail which keep us silent, although D'Artigny enmay still remain open, for it is known | deavored to cheer me with kindly to but few. Let us aboard, and cross speech, and gave Barbeau careful deyonder, I will make my purpose clear. shelter. The way in which the words A dozen strokes landed us on the were said brought a lump into my other bank, where the canoe was throat, and before I knew the signifi-"I would like a closer view of that "I will go forward slightly in ad. village yonder," he said, "and will go

"And we will move slowly, and as "Twill do no harm," returned tered out-" "Well?" "If they will hurting the book's chances when it apnoiselessly as possible. No one ever D'Artigny, still clasping my hand, get peppery?"

There is time yet before we make straint. But I beg of you, monsieur, to hold your band, to restrain your temper-for my sake." leaving us alone, and I glanced aside "You make it a trial, a test?"

at D'Artigny's face, my heart beating "Yes-it is a test. But, monsieur, there is more involved here than mere happiness. You must be cleared of the charge of crime, and I must learn the truth of what caused my mar-"No," I answered honestly, "the hought startled me. If-If anything riage. Without these facts the future happened to you, I-I should be all can hold out no hope for either of us. And there is only one way in which this end can be accomplished-a confession by Cassion. He alone knows the entire story of the conspiracy, and there is but one way in which he can

be induced to talk." "You mean the same method you proposed to me back on the Ottawa?" I faced him frankly, my eyes meeting his, no shade of hesitation in my

"Yes, monsieur, I mean that. You refused me before, but I see no harm, no wrong in the suggestion. If the men we fought were honorable I might hesitate-but they have shown no sense of honor. They have made me llance. You are his only by form. their victim, and I am fully justified in Do you know what that marriage has turning their own weapons against cost me? Insults, ever since we left them. I have never besitated in my pur-Quebec. The coward knew I dare not lay hand upon him, because he was pose, and I shall not now. I shall use your husband. We would have crossed the weapons which God has put into steel a hundred times but for my my hands to wring from him the bitter



"You Make It a Trial Test." rath-the weapons of a woman, love, and lealousy. Monsieur, am I to fight

this fight alone?" At first I thought be would not answer me, although his handgrip tightened, and his eyes looked down into mine, as though be would read the

very secret of my heart. "Perhaps I did not understand beknow now the truth from your own

lips before I pledge myself." "Ask me what you please: I am not too proud to answer." "I think there must be back of this "No, monsieur," I burst forth, "that choice of yours something more vital must not be; for my sake you will not

than hate, more impelling than revenge." "There is, monsieur." "May I ask you what?"

"Yes, monsieur, and I feel no shame It is so hard for me to exin answering: I love you! Is that enough?"

"Enough! my sweetheart-" "Hush!" I interrupted, "not now-Barbeau returns yonder." \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

What course do you think Adele would follow if she should learn that it is impossible to reach the fort?

insult you when he sees us together.

as to let his insolence go beyond re-(TO BE CONTINUED.) MORE NERVY THAN THE MALE! LANGUAGES THAT HAVE DIED

Fair Sex. Tell a man that tight belts cause appendicitis and he loosens his belt present time are the Sumerian, Baby-Warn him that stiff hats make the hair tian. The earliest known inscriptions grade. fall out and he carries his hat in his belong to about the fifth millengium hand until he can find a soft one to B. C., but it is reasonable to assume

Writer in Toledo Blade Comes Boldly

Forward With a Tribute to the

"You know the rest. I have made

"For your sake? You would have

"Oh, why do you put it thus, mor

blow from your hand struck at Fran-

ever? Surely that is not the end you

seek. I would not have you bear af-

front longer, yet no open quarrel will

serve to better our affairs. Certainly

at once, remarks the Toledo Blade. on. This is one of the striking that these were antedated by many in parts of Kansas, four plants per hawk are the natural enemies of mice, and all the mobs on earth could not differences between men and women. You cannot scare a woman with any antiquity,

such threat. It must be centuries since gern's. But what did the women think tight skirts until they were blessed weil ready to abandon them. They familiar to them. tared their necks to the wintry breezes as if there were no such thing. You may be sure that the fur collars will not come off until they become unfash- cities as existing before the flood, and ionable. You may be equally sure Arabic tradition says Haran was the that women will be callous to the ad- first city that was rebuilt after the vice of the Cleveland doctor now urg- deluge, but archeology has offered no ing the discarding of high heels be- certain data on the subject. cause they make bow legs. The female of the species is more nervy than the male.

Healthful Summer. itself on people's attention in a dis-

it. When the thermometer registers above 90 everybody knows it is hot. mere annoyance. There is less sicksummer people live out of doors. They new suit. have plenty of fresh air and they The text which the preacher used the heat if proper attention is given chosen than great righes,"

It isn't pleasant to swelter. But it isn't dangerous. And consider the splendid compensations of the out-

Inadequate. "The train service at Beanville is simply atrocious. Why, there are only two trains a day." "Oh, well, I should think that would be enough to accommodate all the people who want to go there." "Yes, but how about the people who

want to get away?" Too Much So. "I wonder, now the militia troops nection with "Anonymous'" identity are getting seasoned, if they are mus- and ultimate fate--without, naturally.

Archeologists Can Tell Us Little of Tongues Which for Ages Have Been Forgotten.

The oldest languages known at the lonian (or Accadian) and the Egypdifferent languages which had a great

The script of the Sumerian, Babywomen were told that stays would be lonian (or Accadian) and Assyrian was everlasting ruin to them. But is there the cuneiform. Chaldean, the language broadcast and disked or harrowed in. been killed off. There are few of them Tidings of the riot came to the chief any decrease in the use of these ar- used generally as the diplomatic lanticles? None that is indicated by the guage about the time of Belshazzer, is their steps permanently. V-necks light on the subject of the confusion would invite Ills with the most terrify- of tongues. Abraham very probably tion. en their resistance to murderous Aram. In Canaan his descendants ap- a firm seed bed. parently used the language of the land, of these cautionings? About as much which was that of the Ammonites. as you would think of the hum- This is what we now know as Hebrew. ming of a gnat. They were the It would seem that the Israelites re- plow up the clover and seed to altained while in Egypt the language

Nothing has been discovered which can be determined as antediluvian. Babylonian legends mention several

Good Name Better Than What? His first suit of "bought clothes" was gray. He was only six, but he was inordinately proud of his new gray Hot weather has a habit of forcing suit. He could scarcely wait for Sunday to come so he could wear it. And agreeable way. There is no escaping when the day did finally arrive, he begged to be permitted to stay after Sunday school for the church service, family. But there is this comfort: The and he asked to sit by his father, as trouble from hot weather is mostly any other young man would do. But before permission was given he had ness in hot weather than in cold. Win- to promise to listen to what the minter is the time of epidemics. In the lister said instead of thinking of his

> When the lad reached home he was asked what the preacher talked about. He promptly replied:

breeches."

pears shortly

Mystery in Unclaimed Novel. An "unclaimed" novel is the latest mystery of the London literary world. Some time ago an anonymous manuscript was left with a prominent publishing concern, which decided, in due course, to publish the same. Upon inquiry it was discovered that the author had not troubled to leave either dose will usually suffice. name or address when he handed in his MS. Now all sorts of romantic conjectures have been made in con-

REDUCING COST OF PORK PRODUCTION

PIGS ON OAT AND PEA FORAGE.

From the United States Department of thogs are feeding on legundaous pas-The cost of pork is reduced materially by the use of pasture and forage crops, but it is desirable to feed grain or other concentrated feed in addition. In some sections of the country where pastures are luxuriant, mature hogs are maintained in an apparently satisfactory condition on pasture alone. This practice should not be followed. however, in the case of young, growing pigs, because they will become thin in flesh and stunted if compelled to live on pasture alone.

Hog raisers differ widely regarding the quantity of grain that should be fed to hogs while on pasture. Some feeders give them all they will consume. Others feed a ration equal to grain and more time to finish off the about 2 to 3 per cent of the live weight hogs than if they had been fed a libof the hog. Still others will allow pigs eral ration while on pasture. to run on pasture and feed them a 1 per cent grain ration. There is no fixed depend upon the length of time the rule governing the supplemental grain ration which should be fed in combination with forage. The amount of grain ten to twelve months old are usually fed depends upon the kind of pasture used, the price of grain, and the mar-

Pasture forage has a variable composition. Alfalfa, clover, vetch, and is made from the cheaply grown forpeas furnish feed much richer in pro- age. Where rapid finishing is desired. tein than most other crops. Where the liberal use of grain is important,

Use Seed Which Is Pure and of Good Vitality-Thick Stand Will Keep

The amount of seed to sow per nere is variously estimated at from 8 to 20 pounds. It is well to have a rather thick stand the first year, as some of

Out Weeds.



Alfalia Plant, Four Years Old.

die, and with a thin stand the stems are coarser and not so palatable, but 10 to 12 pounds of seed per acre is

enough to sow. A small amount of seed which is pure and of good vitality is better than a larger quantity of seed of lower

One advantage of a thick stand is to more common.

Sometimes it is possible to get a stand by sowing a few pounds of alfalfa seed with red clover. Then

falfa. The soil will contain enough bacteria to make a good catch fairly cer-

SWLET CLOVER FOR PROTEIN

Until Quite Recently Plant Was Considered as Merely a Worthless Roadside Weed.

Analyses which have been made of sidered as merely a worthless roadside per cent of protein and more nitrogen bacteria capable of storing up nitrogen from the air than alfalfa, which is the most highly prized of the legume

FEEDING SILAGE TO CALVES In Absence of Other Nutritious Feeds

It May Serve as Substitute-Avoid Coarse Parts.

prevent the feeding of coarse parts. Intestinal Worms in Chicks. For intestinal worms in chicks, give mixture of one part turpentine and covered. Leave them there until they take care of us. two parts olive oil. As a dose give forget it, one to two tablespoonfuls in proportion to size: the dose for the chicks must be regulated by the size. One

Handling Balky Horse. If you show fight with a balky horse the jig is up. Keep cool, and ten to one the horse will cool off in a few minutes, too.

ture they require less concentrated feed than when grazing upon nonle-

date. When this is the case, the pasture will last longer if a full grain ration is fed. The more grain a hog consumes, the less forage he will eat. When grain is high, it is rather expensive to feed a supplemental grain ration. At such times there is a great temptation to place the hogs upon pasture alone. This practice will hardly ever pay, for it generally takes more

guminous pasture such as timothy, or-

In the early stages of growth the ce-

reals may be classed as nitrogenous

forages. A farmer may have more

hogs than his pasture will accommo-

The amount of grain used will also feeder has in which to fit the hogs for market. Hogs that are marketed from maintained on pasture alone during the grazing season. If any grain is given at all it is very light. In this way the greater percentage of growth

Sunstroke Caused by Sun's Rays Fall ing Directly on Skull-Heat Exhaustion Similar.

Experiment Station.)
Sunstroke is caused by the direct ays of the sun falling upon the skull, A horse so affected may die suddenly lessness, pawing, spasms and a marked redness of the mucous membranes lining the cavities of the head. The above normal during the whole course of the disease.

Another condition very similar to or heat exhaustion. This is brought about by overexertion and insufficient 21). heat elimination. The direct rays of the sun are not responsible for this II. The Arrest (vv. 27-36). Paul's

plentiful apply it all over the body.

Enemies Have Been Killed Off and the Jews to kill Paul at once without Little Rodents Have Increased

Quite Rapidly.

prevent the weeds getting a foothold. difficult question. The owl and the law. Paul's time had not yet come, square foot is considered the best ra- as is the cat, and to some extent the kill him until God permitted it; his tio; in Ohio, one every four inches is dog, the weasel, the mink, the otter, deliverance came by the hands of an and the beaver perhaps, but these unscrupulous heathen (23:27). The seed may be drilled or sown suspected enemies of the mice have In broadcasting, many people favor remaining, thus mice have increased captain, equivalent to our colonel

bages, Letting Dealers Stand Risk of Storage.

later, one of the many plans in use is sweet clover, until quite recently condown, and then covered with soil. weed, show that it contains a larger Straw, litter, and manure are placed over this to prevent deep freezing. Storing in a warm, damp cellar ruins the flavor of cabbage.

Rags or Waste.

tute. It should never be fed extensive- trees are not too large a handy and speak to these rioters, hoping to quiet. "A good name is better than gray ly, and care should be exercised to quick method is to do the job on horse- them with the simple facts of his life. back.

> Coops for Broody Hens. little garlic in the food, or give a slat-bottomed coops as soon as dis- and exercise self-control, God will

> > Watch for Head Lice.

Watch for head lice on the chicks, mist derstood, If found, rub top of head with a small piece of lard free from salt.

Seed Alfalfa in August. be well prepared.

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 10

THE ARREST OF PAUL

LESSON TEXT-Acts 21:17-40. GOLDEN TEXT-Thou shalt be a witness for him unto all men of what thou

No study of the book of Acts to complete unless the teacher impresses upon his pupils the opportunities for living the Christian life in the normal environment of the home or school, at work or play. Deep interest attaches to every detail leading up to Paul's visit to Rome, Therefore let the teacher trace Paul's journey from Mileta to Jerusalem, which occupied chard grass, Bermuda, or bluegrass, about four weeks, and took pince in the early part of the year A. D. 57.

1. The Arrival (vv 17-26), The Spirit revealed to the disciples and to prophets that if Paul went to this city he would be in great danger, and the Spirit was not forbidding but only teaching him for he knew Paul had n great work to do in Jerusalem, and that he only could do it. Everywhere Paul went he "searched for" (v. 7) disciples, with whom he tarried and whom he enlightened in the way of truth. Arriving in Jerusalem, he appears to have made his home with Mnason, outside of the crowded city. thus being less exposed to danger and finding a place of rest. At a public reception (v. 18) Paul reports of his work, and no doubt he laid his strongest emphasis on what God had wrought through him, among the churches of Asia. The leaders of the Jerusalem church received the gifts Paul brought from the Gentile churches, glorified God for what he had accomplished, but saw clearly that, to accomplish his statesmanlike purpose, something must be done to make clear that the false reports as to Paul's teaching were discredited GETTING STAND OF ALFALFA! WARM WEATHER AND HORSES (vv. 20-22). They therefore reserted to diplomacy (vv. 23-26). To the many thousands of Jews gathered on this festival occasion in the city. some of whom were zealous for the law, they declared first that Paul (By PROF. O'TOOLE, North Dakota taught all the Jews which were among the Gentiles not to forsake Moses; second, that he had not taught them not to walk after the customs of as though stricken with apoplexy or the Jewish ceremonial laws personhe may have a gradual paralysis of respiration. The symptoms which respiration of salvation of salvation to the tought condition of salvation that the Gentiles need not become Jews nor obey the Jewish ritual, and that the law was not necessary for temperature in sunstroke may not rise He taught also that the promises of the Jews were to be fulfilled in both Jew and Gentile who by faith became sunstroke is that known as heat stroke the promise. This made Christianity a true child of Abraham and heir to a universal religion. (See I Cor. 9:20.

> affection, which very often occurs to attempt at conciliation resulted not an animal on a cloudy, sultry day, in peace but in more discord. Evers Some of the more prominent symptoms true servant of God is sure to be misof heat stroke are weariness, profuse represented, and it will not do always sweating, difficult breathing, an ex- to attempt to set straight all the lies tremely high temperature, and a rapid that are told about him. God will pulse, which gradually grows weaker take care of the lies and of ou. repuand upon the approach of death mus. Ir tions. Most of the charges that cular tremors will be noted. The treat- men, even Christians, bring against ment for sunstroke and heatstroke one another are based upon "sunare the same. Remove the animal to position" (v. 29). It was not a new a cool, quiet, well-ventilated place, experience for Paul to be mobbed. As and permit a stream of cold water to the maddened Jews dragged him out flow over the horse and if possible of the temple he must have recalled apply ice packs to the head. If ice is the treatment of Stephen in which he. himself had had a hand (7:57, 58). How frequent it is that we, ourselves. are in due time treated in the same TO DESTROY INJURIOUS MICE way in which we have treated others (Gal. 6:7). It was the intention of a trial (26:9, 10). They fancied they were doing God's service (John 16:2). This lesson is a striking example of How to destroy injurious mice is a the utter folly and wickedness of mot

sowing one-half the seed in one distrapidly and it seems necessary to emwindows of the dry goods stores. what we now know as the Aramale rection and the remainder at right ploy strychnine, which may be mixed two chains, one from each of his arms Tight skirts were bound to shorten language. Archeology has thrown no angles to the first sowing. This is bedry or otherwise with crushed grain to a soldier, secured, yet left free to lieved to give a more even distribution or whole grain, wheat or oats. How walk with his guards, thus fulfilling to place this deadly poison within the prophecy of Agabus (v. 21). Mohs ing names. Fur collars would weak- spoke the Aramaic, the language of Disking before plowing helps make reach of mice without destroying other usually have great respect for soluseful creatures is a question difficult diers, for they are inwardly cowardly. No sooner was Paul on the stairs which led to the top of the fortress SELLING DIRECT FROM FIELD than the mob, afraid that they were cheut to be balked of their vengeance. Farmers Favor That Plan With Cab. made a mad rush at him, with cries of "Kill him; kill him!" and Paul. unable in his fettered condition to steady himself, was carried off his Most farmers prefer to sell their feet and hurried off in the same nath cabbage direct from the field, prefer. his Master had trod (John 19:15) ring that the dealers stand the risk of and he was again to hear that ery. storage; this is probably the better (Ch. 22:22). During all this tunnit plan. Where it is desired to store cab. Paul had but one thought, how he bage for home use, or even for sale might witness for his Master, and bring some of his blinded accusers to that of trenching. A shallow trench a saving knowledge of Christ. Thus it wa that he asked for the privilege of speaking, and most courteously did he make his request. He spoke to the captain in the Greek tongue, not in Hebrew, and great was the surprise of the captain. The surprise probably were caused by the fact that he thought he had an ignorant brigand, and not DESTROY BUGS IN ORCHARDS that he had a cultured, scholarly Hebrew and Roman citizen as a prison-Torch for Burning Out Nests of Tent er. A short time before this, a cer-Caterpillar Can Be Made of Old tain Egyptian had gathered a large body of discontented Jews on Mount Olivet, whom he had deluded into the A handy torch for burning out nests belief that he was the Messiah, and Vexue of corn silage for young calves of the tent caterpillar is made by wind- to whom he had declared that at his sence of other and more nutritious end of an iron rod and fastening this fall down. Paul told the captain who feeds, it may serve as a good substi- to a pole of some kind. Where the he was, and asked permission to

> and his petition was granted. Practical Application. When we are attacked, no matter for what cause, if Broody hens should be removed to we confidently look for deliverance

Such conduct is disconcerting to our enemies. Diplomacy is often dangerous and

Circumstantial evidence is never of rrent value. There is, however, a desirable form

of diplomacy as when Paul addressed-Seed alfalfa in August has usually the soldiers in his native tongue. given good results. The seedbed should Paul's principle was in essentials,

firmness; in non-essentials, liberty.

Many automobiles have been stolen a number burned up, and a number of accidents have happened resulting in some cases in death

Glen Gillespie Assistant Prosecuting Attorney at Pontiac, had his automobile stolen. Thomas Cavanaugh, a prominent lawyer at Paw Paw, had his car catch fire while driving from Battle Creek home. Each had his automobile insured in The Citizens Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, of Howell.

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WHY THEY FOUND A VERDICT

Bailiff's Message Evidently Impressed the Jury, Though It Somewhat Disconcerted Judge Blair.

A story told by Judge Alonzo Blair of Shelbyville explains how a court bailiff caused an early verdict in a complicated case because the bailiff misunderstood the judge's conversation. The jury in a damage suit had long been out, according to Judge Blair, when it requested the builiff to ask the judge whether the latter had to stay up at night as long as the Jurors did, to receive the verdict.

"I told the bald"ff," said Judge Blair, "that I thought I could retire whenever I pleased. I had no infention of retiryou went back the last time?

"'Why, judge, I just told them,' said monkey business." - Indianapolis

Forewarned.

"If we are going to get married you must give up smoking," she said, "Yes," he agreed.

"And drinking and your club."

"And playing cards for money. Now, doesn't anything else suggest itself to you that you will give up of your own necord?" "Yes."

"What?"

'All idea of getting married."

Obtrusive Garment. Miss Ruffles-Look at the green and white striped sweater the blonde in the next foursome is wearing! Mr. Truffles-Anything as loud as

that is distracting and should be suppressed under the head of unnecessary noises."-Judge.

Too Suggestive. "I wish our landlady wouldn't read the war news so attentively." "Why, why is that your business?"

"My business? Great Scott, man, she's put us all on meat cards for twice-a-week days."

Proper Punishment. If we constantly deny pleasure to others, the time will come when none will come to us.

Life's most desirable pleasures cost



### Two Fellows

are trying to get ahead.

It's easy to see who'll win

If you have any doubt about coffee holding some people back—in fact many leave the hesitating class, stop

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coffee ten days, and use

This delicious pure fooddrink, made of wheat, roasted with a bit of wholesome molasses, has a delightful, snappy flavor. It is free from the drugs in coffee and all harmful ingredients.

Postum is good for old and young, and makes for health and efficiency.

"There's a Reason"

## INSURE YOUR In Woman's Realm TO WEAR ON TOUR TERM "GRINGO" LONG IN USE Contemptuous Epithet Applied to For-

Coat Suits for Fall and Winter Show Little Changes in Style, Though Their Designers Have Been Successful in Turning Out Becoming and Beautiful Garments — Illustration Shows Some of the New Millinery Styles.

suits for fall and winter reveals only lengthens the neck and shoulder lines. minor changes in style and no radical new departures in trimmings and fin- ponent of its particular kind of milish. But styles are reserved and elecolors are beautiful, so the new fall and velvet. So far, velvet dominates ship as well as smart style.

good materials and exact workman- junction with velvet, for making the

A review of numbers of new conti widen the figure. Even the collar Three pretty new hats, each an exlinery, are shown in the group picgant, lines are trim and becoming, and tured. They are of velvet and of felt suits are destined to satisfy even an the season, but there are close seconds exacting taste. Manufacturers say to it in popularity. Hatter's plush, that women are growing more discrim- velours, felt, and soft, brilliant sliks inating and that the demand is for and satins are used, alone or in connew shapes.

As to changes in styles, coats are Shapes the coming fall are charac-



COAT SUIT FOR FALL AND WINTER.

ing early, but as I was fired of waiting of them show a closer adjustment to the close-fitting turban to the very would then go to supper. I had scarced the figure, above the waistline, than broad-brimmed sailors. They include ly put on my coat and hat and got for several seasons. Collars are high, mushroom brims, those that show a outside the courthouse when the bailiff usually of the turnover variety. Skirts colonial inspiration, the Napoleon, and to wear under a gown that is flat in raised a window and shouted to me, and coats remain full, and for trim- many "tams?" Many inequalities in front and distended at the sides. O, judge, come back—they've got ming there is the choice of fur or fur- width abound in a single brim and all A fine quality of pink crepe de chine one? Mystified, I returned, and, sure fabrics, braid, buttons, and machine sorts of curvings, droopings, and lift- fashions a chemise trimmed with one enough, the jury had agreed upon a stitching. Skirts have been made ings make them interesting. verdict, which I received and then dis- longer also and appear in both ankle. Trimmings are exquisitely made and ling how a panel effect may be given

missed the jurors. But I was suspi- and instep lengths. But it remains to they are designed to emphasize the with two rosettes to gather the Fillcious and as I was again about to be proved that women will make a contour of the shape, or at least not ness to the sides. leave, I said to the bailiff, John, fashion of this feature of the new to interfere with its lines. Tinsel what did you say to those jurors when models. The skirt cut to reach a lit- braids, bead and silk embroidery, nar- made of white flaxon evenly striped, tle below the shoe top has so much to row ribbons and fancy feathers are with one sheer and one heavier stripe, recommend it. For the street suit it among the most important trimmings. The bodice is of flesh-colored habutat the truthful John, 'that no you didn't is easy to walk in, clean, and smart At the center of the picture a wide- silk, straps and all, with picot edgehave to stay up as long as they did, looking. Some designers have pinned brimmed mushroom shape is shown. for a finishing and three tiny flat bows but you was gettin' tired of all this their faith to the tailored skirt of a It is made of black velvet and the fac- of satin down the front. sensible length, and in this one in-stance, anyway, sensible goes hand in It will be noticed that the brim widens



EXPONENTS OF NEW MILLINERY STYLES.

hand with smart-looking. The longer | at the back. Its simple decoration is skirt is not as attractive as the short made of a ruche of box-plaited ribbon tied in a rosette at the base of a spray

A good example of the new styles of fancy feathers at the front. appears in the street suit shown. It The small turban at the left is in is of duvetine in dark brown and em- burgundy felt with a wide collar of ploys a little silk braid of the same velvet about it. Velvet ribbon in two place in some of the summer frocks color, with bone buttons for adorn- shades is drawn through slashes in the ment. The skirt is plain and moder- collar. Loops of gilt cord and two pen- ter frocks. ately full. The coat is an excellent dent balls finish the trimming. model for a stout figure, with an un- The small colonial shape at the broken line down the front and a flare right is in black velvet trimmed with to its skirt that is not, calculated to two curving feathers in black also,

Mirror Balls for Table.

enough to polse them. to white mirror color. They come also several of the new celluloid butterdelicately tinted in yellows, pinks, wa. flies that come for flower bowl decoter greens and blues. They effective- ration. ly reflect the lighting, crystal, silver Mirror balls are becoming London

Especially effective is one of these wrought metal standards

Butter is being sold in Leeds. England, at 47 cents a pound and in con sequence many people are turning to ing. margarine at 20 and 24 cents a pound. People in the middle classes as well is estimated to have increased during as in the laboring classes are now the present year by about 35.000learning to use it.

**POSTSCRIPTS** 

new nautical instrument, to be mount. employed in Bridgeport by one coned over a ship's compass, enables the cern, in three shifts of eight hours directions of objects at sea and their each. This phenomenal activity is distance away to be determined

great luminous balls set in among one New decorations for the center of of the large shallow basin bowls, used the dining table are mirror bails set now as a little take for single floating All Sorts of Useful and Pretty Arti- A small bow of inch-wide ribbon of the in standards of dark wood just big flowers, gives a pleasing fantastic effect which may be further enhanced Mirror balls do not limit themselves by polsing here and there on the ball

For garden ornaments they come set ir

In Mexico and parts of Colorado

there grows a "soap plant" the roots

of which, on being placed in water

form suds and are suitable for wash-The population of Bridgeport. Conn., growing from 115,000 to 150,000. Twen Without resort to computation, a ty thousand persons are said to be

the result of "war business."

Her motor coat may be copied after (Copyright, 1916, by the McClute Newspaper Syndicate.) UNDERWEAR THAT IS SMART

An unusual petticoat is made of nainsook trimmed with two deep ruffles of batiste cut in points and chemise has a panel front and shirred val lace. Rosebuds are placed at intervals on the rutlles.

selves in Providing Pretty Lin-

gerle for Milady's Use.

Voile Frock for Dinner.

be banded with fur from the knees

down and the shoulders up, and she

may wear fur hats as well, if she

FOR FAIR MOTORISTS.

Furs of Every Kind and Design Are

Permissible-Empire Hats Reap-

pearing-Dinner Frock in

Pale Smoke Gray.

No matter now sensitive a woman

may be about wearing great bands of

fur, ermine capes and foxes strung

about the neck on hot days, she may

throw her sensitiveness to the winds

Here she may glory in all the peltry

that she wishes. Her sports suit of

Jersey, woolen, rather than silk, may

when it comes to motoring.

A pink crepe de chine envelope chemise has a panel front and shirred | The shoulder straps are ribbon, and a sides which make it especially suited ribbon is laced in and out of the yoke.

A dainty pair of kulckerbockers is

Val lace, is ruffled on every edge of a nainsook chemise in princess style and festoons of insertion in bolero effect. A ribbon bow with fluttering

ends trims the front. A band of French knotted embroid-

Manufacturers Have Outdone Themsock chemise and double ribbons are used for shoulder straps.

is of olive green velour, with a cape

collar, tumense cuffs and a straight

white fur laid in broad checks.

panel from neck to bem of back and

France is wearing fur on all her

Rhone valley, and America is wear-

every state in the Union. She has

unearthed or else bought a top cont

of soft fur which she uses on cold

in the way of weather, for the shops

have provided for her usage in case of

rain, a London coat made of truns-

parent oliskin, in colors plain or iri-

This, with a hood to match, can be

rolled up in a tiny case and stowed

away as easily as a box of biscuits.

It is the raincoat de luxe for motor-

ing, and it has solved the problem for

the woman who can stand anything

the hostess of a fancy dress ball.

purple, but so far, the American wom-

which have only a bow of ribbon or

The charming dinner frock illus-

trated is of pale smoke gray, made

over a slip of gray satin and is

trimmed with bands of sky blue ribbon.

a buckle for trimming.

descent.

but getting wet.

Another chemise of white batiste is tucked to just below the bust line and finished with insertion. Ribbon is laced through eyelets in this band, tying in front, and double ribbons form the shoulder straps.

Below a yoke of embroidery and lace another chemise of white batiste hargs nearly straight in box plaits,



In black or navy charmeuse edged ery finishes the straight top of a nain- with silver galon, brim becomingly bent.

### **IDEAS FOR COLOR SCHEMES**

-Flowers That Make Beautiful Table Decorations.

uncheon or dinner it is not wise to with a plain white or colored blouse try to stick to it too closely so far as to give the best results. the food is concerned, but rather to Yellow is enjoying a vogue it has suggest it. For instance, in a violet not before known for years. Yellow and yellow scheme, in the first course silk sweaters seemed to blaze the way the yellow may be suggested in an for the vogue, and now there are yelegg-yolk garnish and the purple in low and white striped sports clothes, ripe olives. The custard in the soup and many attractive frocks of yellow should be yellow, as well as the sauce combined with white or some other with the fish, the orange cup for the color. salad and the yellow dressing.

Purple sweet pens form a beautiful trimming is in demand. It gives the table decoration, as do pansies or vio- same sort of touch of color that emlets. Mary flowers may be found to broidery does, if skillfully used, and, carry out this color scheme and may of course, it is far less work to tuck be used in decorating the place cards, in a bit of brocade than it is to emwhich may be lightly tinted yellow, broider even a simple pattern by hand. with a spray of the chosen flower. Nut baskets could be tied with little bows of yellow or purple ribbon and covered wi h either color of crepe paper. If another salad than orange were used, an orange ice could be served. and little cakes decorated with candled violet leaves would further carry the hat crown float over the shoulout the color scheme.

**DICTATES OF FASHION** 

The white beaded nets are in high favor for evening wear.

White bead trimming is the feature of a sports suit of white pongee. Flesh colored organdle takes the that flesh colored chiffon took in win- center or side back and falling to the

shoulders is still featured in some shades.

Must Not Be Too Slavishly Fellowed of the imported frocks of silk and

Stripes are as much worn by children as by the mammas and big sis-In carrying out a color scheme for a ters. Usually a striped skirt is made

Brocaded silk for girdles and other

Veils attached to the hat are arranged in many ways. Sometimes there is a short veil arranged almost like a frill at the back of the bat, The same arrangement is sometimes made across the front of the bat. Long veils attached to the top of ders and many veils hang like last year's trains, at one side only.

Early Autumn Hats. Succeeding the black and dark toned velvet hats of July there is a new fashion in hats appearing in the streets of New York and Chicago, 'Chese are broad brimmed and rather fixible and are trimmed merely with a broad band of velvet ribbon tied in a bow at the waistline or even below. The hats The upstanding frill around the are of the thinnest felt satin or panne neck that is cut away a bit at the and are usually in neutral or pastel

## MADE UP OF HANDKERCHIEFS

cles for the House May Be So Constructed.

Pillow slips may be made of four and floral decorations of the table, also for porch decoration, and in the be formed of handkerchiefs and they the machine to form an inch porder.

They may also be whipped together may even be used as table dollies when treated to some decorative work in stencil or needlecraft. Women's smaller handkerchiefs

make all sorts of pretty things. A rather a convenient one. It gives the bureau runner may quickly be con- economically inclined the chance of cocted of five or six bordered hand- wearing an old gown under a new askerchiefs, with insertion between pect, concocted out of two old ones. each and edging all around. A small sheer handkerchief makes a pretty pin- of an apron, and the idea of a deeply cushion cover, over blue or pink silk. accentuated point in front has fur-Buttonholed eyelets are placed at one- thered the idea. An overskirt and inch intervals around the inside of the tunic now seem to be synonymous colored border of two handkerchiefs; terms and give a great variety of then place a square pin-cushion be- choice; they both melt occasionally tween them and lace them together into panniers and do not ignore the with baby cibbon of a matching shade. bustle

same color is tied at one corner. A monogram in white or colored thread further adds to the cushion. A pretty boudoir pillow may be made

handkerchiefs to each sham, caught to- by laying two large sheer handkergether with insertion or fagotting. Ta- chiefs together and stitching them on and lace sewed at the seams.

> Tunics Are Established. The tunic is an established fact and Sometimes the tunic takes the form

eigners Alleged to Have Had Its Origin in Spain. EFFECTIVE CLOTHES DESIGNED one of the smart new models, which

> Will you permit me to contribute t w words on the subject of the origin of the word gringo? Gringo is an old Spanish word that antedates the Mexican war by seventy years. It was de-August hats, from Sap Sebastian to fined by the first edition of the Standard Dictionary, in 1891: "One of Enging it on her motor hats throughout lish blood or speech; a contemptuous epithet." By the New Standard, 1913. the term was treated as follows: "In Spanish America, a foreigner, particnights, and she has even taken her ularly an American or one of English muff out of camphor, sunned it a bit blood or speech; a contemptuous and included it in her motor wardrobe. epithet (Spanish gibberish)." She is ready for whatever comes

I have been able to trace the word back to 1787, 120 years, and find it explained in P. Easteban de Terroros y Pardo's "Dictionario Castellano," published in Madrid in that year. See Vol. II, page 24.), column 1; "Gringos -Liaman en Malga a los estranjeros. que tienen cierta especie de acento, que los priva de una locucion facil y natural Castellana; y en Madrid dan el mismo y por la misma causa con particularidad a los Irlandeses." Roughly translated, this means:

An interesting fact is that second empire hats are coming out with first to those foreigners who have a cer-"Gringos-The name given in Malaga empire frocks. What's history betain accent which prevents them from tween milliners and dressmakers? speaking Spanish fluently and natur-They have no more besituncy in minally, and in Madrid the same term is gling the eleventh with the twentieth used for the same reason, especially century, the renaissance with the with reference to the Irish." The word great war and 1800 with 1812, thun may be found also in Melchior Emmanuel Nunez de Taboada's "Diction The new second empire hats are naire Espagnol-Francais," published in made after the shape that the Em-Paris in 1845; "Gringos, ga-Adj., press Eugenie loved. The milliners (figure et famillier.) Grec, hebreu. On often call them shepherdess buts. le dit d'une chose inintelligible." They are made of a soft quality Translation: "Gringos, ga-(figuraof velvet, the edge bound with ribbed tively and colloquially.) Greek, Hebrew. It is said of a thing that is not The French draped hats are here intelligible."-Letter to Editor of New in quantities, especially in a brilliant | Yor: Times, Vatican purple and a petuniz reddish

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He Was Game. King Canute the Great ordered his

throne to be carried down to the sea-Then he sat on the throne, stretched out his scepter and commanded the will do it, even if her husband should

waves to go back. But they didn't go back, They came right on and swamped the "even" is doing in this declaration of throne, compelling the king to wade to shore or be drowned. sentiment will go uncorrected. Daring

"Oh, well," said Canute as he dried his coronation robes before the kitchen a woman is a superfluous, redundant ONE OF THE LATEST DESIGNS fire, "I didn't really think they would and superogatory piece of work. The go back, but I'm willing to try anything once."

> Hearing at Last. There was a terrible dynamite explosion near a small town the other day. An old lady, hearing it, turned toward the door of her sitting room and said:

"Come in Bella." When her servant entered the room, she said: "Do you know, Bella, my hearing is evidently improving. I heard you we came down here. knock at the door for the first time

Think of Noontime! The ship's officer was talking to the inquisitive old lady who was mak-

in 20 years."-Tit-Bits.

ing her first sea trip. "There goes eight bells," he said. "Excuse me, it is my watch below." lot of men who seem to lose their or-"Mercy on us," exclaimed the lady. dinary ideas if you show them a silver "Does your watch strike as loud as dollar."

Peace. "This war can't last much longer,"

"At the present rate, it won't be long before all the allied troops will be prisoners of war in Germany, and all the German troops will be prisoners in the hands of the allies. When hat happens they'll have to stop."

"How do you make that out?"

Idealization. "Do You mean to tell me you never went to a circus in your life?"

"Never." "But your business is designing the pictures they put on billboards." "That's why I never go to a show, It might hamper my imagination."

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"Studying anything this summer?" "Yes." replied the melancholy youth "For the past two months I've been studying the facial expression of an outrageous flirt, and she still has me guessing."

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## HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Newsy Notes About People You

School's in.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Stinchi-

cox, Monday.

Be sure to see William Farnum in "A Gilded Fool" at the Idle Hour Thursday evening, Sept. 7. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pottruff of Grand Rapids visited parents for prices. Come in and se and friends here Sunday and Mon-No trouble to show goods. day.

Ed. Flynn drew the first load of implements to Parnell Tuesday

the latter part of last week with represented. his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wilcox;

Mrs. E. Vaughan of Fremont and Mrs. S. Vaughan of Grand Rapids are visiting their cousin, Mrs. D. P. Atwater.

Mayor Weldon Smith of Alle gon and a friend were in town yesterday, the former calling on

All interested call at studio or any mail order house.

phone 296. Mr. and Mrs. George Ford and baby Norma and Mrs. Thomas Kelley of Logan were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulbert Tuesday.

Last week Mrs. H. F. Dawson entertained her sister, Mrs. Knight of Eaton Rapids, Mrs. Andrus, berdaughter from Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Elmer Howk and son Kenneth of Alma.

Edwin Fallas says the canning factory is just starting up on a small run of tomatoes; but says hands wherever he may be. He has our hearty thanks for his presence that if favorable weather continues he will need all the women he can get in order to take care children belped him celebrate his birthday Sunday, also Jesse Frost of the crop.

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6 bars Naptha Soap......25c ments from me you know the 2 lbs. Peanut Butter......25c prices are right and the goods .....18c are same as represented and you .....18c are taking no chances. H. Nash.

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Miss Mildred Fitgerald, teachterial and workmanship to be of back to the best expression of his life struction of the local market and trading center. This practice of sending vice. Earl Hunter Coal Tile and at Mrs. John Wooding's Sept. 9. low prices and better service than commercial conditions are concerned. local money to out of town merchants

ALTON.

Our Sunday evening meetings closed Sunday night for the present.

Quite a goodly number were present

and all regret that our pastor can not be with us longer. May God

with us and the good he has done.

Mr. and Mrs Geo. Frost of Smyrna,

and Mrs. Emma Nerritt of Florida

and a few old friends and neighbors.

A bountiful dinner was served and

then the groups were photographed.

May be live to enjoy many more

Glen Ford was quite seriously in-ured last week while repairing his

Ara Weeks has an auto. Bert Ford

will still travel by horse power he

There were 150 who attended the

Moseley school district reunion at

the new brick schoolhouse last

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Converse and son returned to their home at Yale

The bee at the cemetery was well

attended. Z H. Covert of Grand

Rapids was present to look after his

Louva Church leaves Tuesday to

Mrs. Thomas and two sons of

visit friends and relatives at Evart.

Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Alice Beiri enjoyed the presence of her little friends at her home Monday to help celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Lillie Murray of Hastings is visiting her elster, Mrs. H. D. Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonso Frostand son'

and Mrs. Hartwell of Keene visited

his sister, Mrs. O G. Weeks, several

Visitors at D. A. Church's last week

were Chester Church and wife, their

eon Alex, wife and three children, all

of Evart; Geo. Converse of Fallasburg, Ht. Converse, wife and daugh-ter of Keene, Sam Davis of Smyrna

and Mrs. David Condon of Grand

Mike McAndrews this week.

days last week.

Thursday. All had a tine time.

threshing engine

H. D. Weeks' children and grand-

bless and prosper His cause in his sick ones.

Will C. Stone.

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And books they say are the lightwords or anger, without bread or miles of road. money. If you approach them they Don't be a rainbow chaser, are not asleep. If you seek them they You will find the pot of gold by do not hide. If you blunder they do not highway, on which

But the worst robber in all the devil's policy to keep the masses comb were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Never buy jewelry from a picture book. Always buy at home, from your reliable merlet's see what our rural friend is reading. Oh, rara avis! Oh, book without ing. Oh, rara avis! Oh, book without parallel in the history of commercial destruction! "The book" is a huge pictorial, tricolored retail catalogue.

How about furniture? We The catalogues of mail order houses

Mud a Great Help Too. What is more natural with gloom darkness, rain and mud surrounding a farmer or suburban dweller, when to venture forth means either a sacrifice both pastime and a means of procuring the necessaries of life? Thus it can be seen that the third and best factor in favor of the catalogue houses

Man is measured by his deeds, and it seems strange that after mastering the nery line. It will pay you to ex- art of reading the stars, discovering the course of the planets, controlling the iron monster, the lightning, the sea and the wind, man shows his in-The Lowell Granite & Marble ability to conquer the one great prob-Poor roads seem to be his heritage, his is a dangerous habit.

ing and dry cleaning. Fall suit- bread has now gained a reputa- thing all right and we will do our your home town. Made clean

stlo this week.

this week.

Chris Kropf and wife were in Alto Sunday to visit his elster Rosa,

Dorus Church expects to build his

Road work was done here last and

Mrs. David Garfield is among the

Charles Rogers and wife, Mr. and

Mrs. Alex Onan, Mr. and Mrs. Austin

and Mrs. R. B Davis were at Whites

Bridge Saturday at the plant fishing

MOSELEY

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kropf and two

daughters, Lillian and Emma, visit-

ed Charles Brown and wife at Alto

Mrs. Clayton Rennells spent last week with her parents in Muskegon, John Andrews and family attended

The Moseley Ladles Ald will meet

Phillip Sayles of Toledo spent Sat-

Harley Pickens and wife spent

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cummins of

Frand Rapids visited John O. Win-

H. D. Weeks and wife entertained

their children and several other rel-atives and friends in honor of Mr.

Weeks' birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Mike McAndrews are

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Welch, Mr.

and Mrs. John Kropf, Jr., and Miss

Margaret Shrober motored to Kala-

John Miller's Sunday.
Fred Kropf, Jr., spent Saturday
and Sunday in O'sego.

Miss Susie DeVries spent last week

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Frost and

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with her brother in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Oren Sayles attended the picnic at Ada Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kropf visited at

entertaining friends from Chicago.

Sunday night with his parents at

urday and Sunday with his sister.

with Mrs. Chris Kropf Wednesday,

on their annual outing.

the Ada piente Monday.

Mrs Gordon Frost

nazoo Sunday.

geler and family Sunday.

A country's stability is measured by its agricultural importance, as the well being of a nation is like a treeagriculture is its root; industry and commerce are its branches and its life. If the root be injured the leaves fall, the branches break away and the tree dies. Community pride begins where agriculture leaves off, and both are equal and inseparable in their importance to a healthy, happy, successful

Blue Grass Roads Are Best. It is a pleasure to drive through the blue grass district of Kentucky, where they have what they call macadamized turnpikes. These roads are the [Copyrighted, 1914, by Thomas J. Sullivan.] equal of any paved city street and of course are passable at all seasons of the year. They cost approximately \$3,000 per mile. The highways in Kentucky are from thirty to sixty feet in width. It is estimated that were the highways of Illinois regulated to fifty us without rods or ferules, without That alone would build more than 8,000 | ble repairs. Smith's Garage.

Spend \$150,000,000.

nually. Statistics say we also spend world is a bad book. It has long been \$2,000,000,000 for alcohol, \$9,000,000,000 for tobacco, and it is said that the ladies spend \$365,000,000 yearly for candy. If all this money could be appropriated for road building we could have a turnpike to the moon. The principal cause of the Roman

> agriculture-the exodus of its men and women from the farm to the city, the life there to be spent in extravagant cities today and view the extravagant dress and general trend of life for pleasure and you will feel that the old Roman times are being repeated. It would seem that the remedy lies in building good roads, narrow if advisable, but firm and hard, and have them all lead to your trading center and to the doors of your local mer-

empire's downfall was its neglect of

you can do your marketing, and then "back to the farm" without sacrifice to self or injury to beast. Nothing tends to make a man a good citizen so much as co-operation with his fellows. No man can live for himself alone. Selfishness leads nowhere but to destruction, strife, bad feeling and disorder. It is one of the mean

est of all the vices. The farmer and the town consumer

iton second to none in Michigan. best to make your stay in Lowell and right from best stock. Why FOR SALE-Two A No. 1 cows.-E Try it. Herman Strong, Baker. pleasant. Fred J. Hosley, Prop. not patronize home trade?

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This Newspaper

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The liquor journals are loudly pro First. The Internal Revenue de-

Second. This revenue is collected

the payment of the government tax

distillers' organ, recently sent out a blind ballot to the distillers, asking a vote as to whether or not they believed in a curtailment of the amount of liquor to be distilled during the next year and 109 voted for producing a smaller amount and 21 voted distillers believe it is poor business policy not to curtail the production of distilled liquors.

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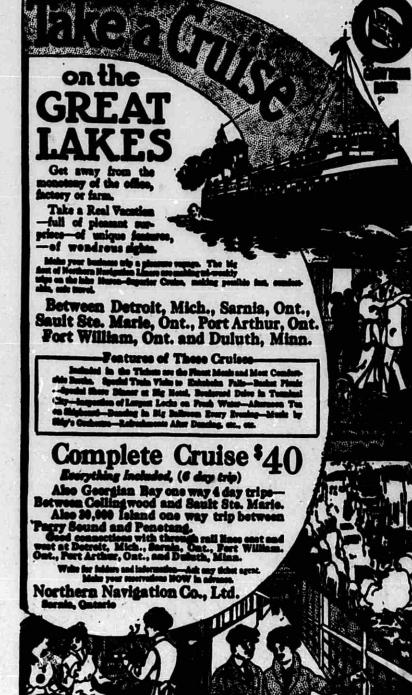
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adverse ruling by the judge, left the courtroom remarking to another law yer that 'the judge was an ass and shouldn't be on the bench." Before the case ended the judge heard, of the remark and called the attorney before him. "I hear," he said, "that you called me an ass and said Lought) not to be on the bench." "Sure," replied Poultry and Butterfat Wanted the quick-witted attorney. "Anybody with your profound knowledge of law is an ass to be on the bench. You ought to be practicing before the bar where your talents could be cashed into big money."

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Mocha and Java. Once famous for its coffee, Mochs has little left today but its colden name. At that period the Arubian province of Yemen, of which Mochs was the chief seaport, supplied prac tically all the berries used. At the end of the seventeenth century the coffee plant was introduced into Jave and in a short time "Mochaiand Java" became a trade name of great popul

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#### **ANALYZING WET STATEMENTS** FOR SALE-Five milch cows. Jake FOR SALE—A heavy work horse. Inquire Frank N. White. cl3

Some advocates of prohibition be come discouraged when they read in the public prints that notwithstanding the facts that prohibition has become effective in seven states since July 1. 1915, the internal revenue office reports an increase in revenue from distilied spirits of ten million dollars, and an increase of about seven and one-half million gallons of liquors distilled between January 1, 1916, and June 3, 1916.

claiming that this means an increased consumption of liquor despite the pro hibition victories. But these figures need to be explained and the explanstion fails to prove the liquor traffic's contention, says the American Issue. partment admits that at least one-half of this increase in revenue is due to increased efficiency in collecting.

by the government when the liquor is withdrawn from the bonded ware houses, and much has been with drawn during the past year because the time limit for storage in these bonded warehouses had expired. Third. Withdrawal from bond and

is never proof that the liquor bas been consumed. It is often withdrawn because of time expiration and placed in private warehouses, much of it is shipped abroad, much is used in the arts and sciences. The National Lignor Dealers' Journal of July 12, 1916, on page 8, says: "Withdrawal from bond may not mean increased con-Fourth. The fact must also be

borne in mind that since the opening of the European War many of our distilleries have been kept busy distilling spirits to be used in making high explosives. Tens of thousands of tarrels have been shipped to Europe and blown into the air, and not consumed here as a beverage. This increased production the liquor traffic would have us believe means an increased consumption. Do not be deceived.

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