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Two great victories for prohibition have been won since our last issue: The decision of the U. S. supreme court declaring valid the Webb-Kenyon law prohibiting shipments of liquor from wet to dry states; and the passage by the U. S. senate by a decisive vote of a bill to abolish saloons in the District of Columbia.

IF "VARIETY is the spice of life," the rule should apply to reading matter as well as to other duties and pleasures.

CONTRASTING strongly with "Prudence of the Parsonage," "The Quarterbreed," a tale of the Indians of the Northwest, will satisfy those who like action and romance in their literature, at the same time pointing a good moral in the triumph of honesty and virtue over wrong and immorality.

RECOUNT of county votes in the McNaughton contest shows that Dexter G. Look of Lowell was actually re-elected county road commissioner, an office into which his opponent, Rial V. McArthur, has been sworn.

Let us preach a little sermon to married men. Take the price of two rounds of drinks for the boys at the corner and buy a dozen roses for wife.

VERY good; but a glance into most homes whose fathers buy "rounds of drink for the boys," would suggest more substantial needs than roses as a first aid.

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ANOTHER violent outburst of anti-Wilson invective by Theodore Roosevelt, would indicate that the Colonel has not profited mentally by the election returns from the Western states which he campaigned in the same manner.

THE sale of \$40,000 of the U. S. naval vessel Severn, built 18 years ago, shows how soon the public's millions go to the junk heap when invested in war ships.

ALL country editors are not so fortunately located as the West Virginian who suspended publication, closed his doors and went to work in a coal mine.

NORWAY is to harness a waterfall and provide 125,000 horse-power for industrial purposes. Thus, science is doing its work in the conservation of natural resources in the uttermost parts of the world.

THE falls of Iguaçu in South America are said to be fifty feet higher and twice as wide as Niagara.

Our revival meetings started last Thursday evening and will continue this week. All welcome to these meetings.

John Keating of Detroit is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Sherman and mother, Mrs. Hyeroff, are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watts visited Mr. and Mrs. Watt Thomas Sunday evening.

Good Morning! Are you following out that New Year Resolution to buy at Coons' in 1917 and be Economically Better Dressed? Don't Envy your Well-dressed Friend his Good Appearance—come where he does and get one.

Leon Weeks and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bachelor and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pant and grand-son of Blanchard and George Pant of Zealand spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen.

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Delicious! Sounds good, doesn't it? Especially to a hungry person. It conveys the impression that somebody has tasted something that hit the spot.

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1000 VOTES given in the Library Contest for each dollar paid THE LEDGER for subscriptions old or new. Votes also given for job printing and advertising.

Library Contest A beautiful library of 115 volumes and cases to be given away in a Library Contest. This handsome library and cases will be given by vote to the Church, School, Lodge or Society in Lowell and vicinity having the largest number of votes in the following manner:

HOMES Many people have paid for their homes through THE LOWELL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION on small monthly payments, just about what rent would be. This Association offers you the same opportunity.

Farmers Attention! Am in the market for your Wool, Live Stock, Potatoes, Beans and Seeds. For highest prices call Citizens Phone No. 80, or call at my elevator, Lowell, Mich.

Inactivity Causes Constipation. Lack of exercise in the winter is a frequent cause of constipation. You feel heavy, dull and listless, your complexion is sallow and pimply.

WEST BOWNE Mrs. Thomas Sherman has been quite ill in the past few weeks.

NORTH CAMPBELL Isaiah Long is in town on business this week.

SEELEY CORNERS. Our revival meetings started last Thursday evening and will continue this week.

PARNELL. Miss Sarah Doyle of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. Brennan one day last week.

SOUTH BOWNE. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Thompson were Grand Rapids visitors Tuesday.

Don't Let Skin Troubles Spread. Red, pimply skin that itches and burns, is embarrassing, and gets worse if neglected.

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