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## ITS COMMENCEMENT TEACHERS ENGAGED WELL DONE, JUNIORS UNDERHILL-CURTISS The Annual Event Takes Place S. C. Mitchell Heads Lowell Patriotic Act of Lowell Students West Lowell Home Wedding Schools for Another Year. This Evening.

and class officers:

Yeiter.

President, Robert Horn. Secretary, Edith Parks.

panied by Dorothy Blake and

This is the program:

Isadore Cuddihy.

With all but two contracts The great annual event of the school year so long anticipated closed, announcement is made of a unique and noteworthy place in occurred at the home of Mr. and by the class of 1917 takes place the engagement of the following the history of the Lowell High Mrs. Whitman Kiel when Mrs. at the High school this evening, teachers for the Lowell schools school, by reason of the patriotic Kiel's sister, Miss Laura Muriel Following are the graduates for the 1917-18 school year:

G. A. Himebaugh, science, agri-Wilma Acheson, Howard Aldrich, Harvey Avery, Maude Curculture, principal senior high. tiss, Helen Flogaus, Geneva Hol-comb, Robert Horn, D. S. Hud-H. R. Smith, commercial arith-

metic. son, Ruth Kinyon, Charles Law-Neenah Keyes, household arts Kate Perry, third grade. yer, Lucy Parrott, Lucile Robbins, Charles Read, William Schneider, Letha O'Harrow, Edgrades.

son O'Harrow, Lottie Warner, Vesta Gardner, Edith Parks, and mathematics. Bernice Creaser, mathematics. Donald Harvey, May Velzy, Ora

Anna Thompson, first and second grades. Grace McMahon, assistant in Treasurer, Harvey Avery.

unior high. Louella D. Arnold, history.

Salutatory, May Velzy. Music, vocal trio, Ora Yeiter, Helen Flogaus and May Velzy. Dorothy Blake, Latin and Ger Class History, Wilma Acheson. Class Poem, Edith Parks. man. Beatrice VanDyke, Kindergar-

Class Song, composed by Maude Curtiss and Ora Yeiter, accom

### **PROCLAMATION OF**

## **RED CROSS WEEK**

Class Will, Charles Lawyer. Oration, "The Low Beginnings of Great Men," D. S. Hudson. a nation are now turned in united purpose towards the performance to the utmost of the services and duties which we have assumed in the cause of justice and liberty. Presentation of Spade, Howard Aldrich (17) and Herbert Brez-

opportunity to serve upon the actual field of battle, but all men, women and children alike may serve and serve effectively by making it possible to care properly for those who do serve under arms at home and abroad.

can Red Cross is the official recognized agency for voluntary effort in behalf of the armed forces of the nation and for the administration of relief.

this work of national need.

Excites Favorable Comment. Consummated Tuesday. The Jumors of 1917, will have

A very pretty June wedding and sensible procedure outlined Underhill, was united in marriage S. C. Mitchell, superintendent. in the following announcement: to Dale C. Curtiss Tuesday eve-For a number of years it has ning at Sp. m.

been customary for the juniors of The bride was daintly gowned Lowell High school to entertain in white net and carried a beautithe seniors at an elaborate ban- ful bouquet of bride's roses and quet. An inexpensive picnic will ferns.

be held this year and the money The bridesmaid, Miss Bernice Daisy Brown, first and second thus saved has been used to pur-thus saved has been used to pur-chase a \$100 Liberty bond. This of the bride, wore a gown of pink Anna L. Howe, assistant science bond will be presented to Lowell silk voil with white lace and car-High school. Each year the in- ried American Beauty roses. terest will be offered as a prize for The best man Cecil Warner of the student in the graduating Lowell, cousin of the groom, class having the highest general joined the bridal party in the average. After the bond matures guest room where the solemn English and history, principal the money will be reinvested and vows that made them husband

the same general plan will be fol- and wife were spoken by the Rev. Weldon of Lowell. Only a few of the immediate relatives were there to congratulate and wish them a pleasant journey on life's

Dainty refreshments were union of the Lowell Alumni Asserved. Guests from away were sociation which will be held Fri- Mrs. Underhill of Boice City, day evening, June 15, 1917, at mother of the bride, Grandfather 7:30, in the High School building. Gains, Mr. and Mrs. William The annual membership fee of Wilkinson and daughter Laura, Mrs. John Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chase, Cor. Secy.

Don Miller and Miss Berniece Undernill of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Disloyal Worse Than Alien En-Mrs. O. J. Yeiter and daughter emy-Sessions



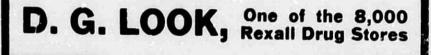
The sale of Rexall Sarsaparilla Tonic lasts only until Saturday night. Remember you get the regular \$1 bottles for 60c and it's a standard spring tonic and blood purifier. We can show you the formula if you want to know just what it is made of.

Have you got your last year's straw hat cleaned up yet? Elkay's Straw Hat Cleaner will do it and it costs only ten cents.

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and we don't believe you can duplicate them for the price, 15c, 50c, \$4.50.

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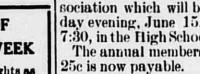




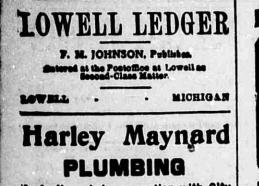
Jennie Huckle, English.

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standing in San Salvador. Strong

earthquakes, the report says, were fol-

- A dispatch from Tegucigalpa, Hon-

duras, says that in addition to San

southeast of the volcano of San Salva-

been lost.

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LOST AND FOUND

Advertise Found Articles. The Michigan Law Says in Effect.

A person who finds lost property der circumstances which give him San Juan Del Sur, Nicaragua.-San knowledge or means of inquiring as Salvador, capital of the republic of to the true owner, and who appropri- Salvador, with a population of more stes such property to his own use or than 60,000, Santa Tecla and neighborto the use of another person who is ing towns and villages were destroyed not entitled thereto, without having in an earthquake, according to inforfrst made every reasonable effort to mation received here from the presiand the owner and restore the prop- dent of Nicaragua. erty to him, is guilty of larceny .- Sec- A report received from San Miguel tion 5739-40 of the Compiled Laws of says that only 100 houses were left Michigan.

The most effective way of restoring lowed later by lava and boiling water. bund property to the owner is Hundreds of lives are believed to have through The Lowell Ledger.

DRAPER, V.S. duras, says that in addition to San Salvador, the towns of Quezaltipeque, Nejapa, Santa Tecla, Huchishoto, Treats all Diseases of Horses and other Domestic Animals destroyed by an earthquake. Residents

OFFICE and HOSPITAL-On Wash- San Salvador on Base of Volcano. Ington Street, Opposite Residence. San Salvador is about three miles PHONES-OFFICE 1442. RES. 1443. dor. The eruption of which is believed

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taff were accorded a tremendous name unknown, and a boy from a

ovation on their arrival. ships, Washtenaw county. 100 Airmen Land in France. It was also announced that 100 American aviators from the United SPUDS LEFT IN CARS TO R.T. States navy flying corps had landed i

the first of the Yankee fighting force The force includes four highly trainid navy aviators and a high percent. Chicago-Government investigators week.

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EARTHQUAKE WIPES MANY WAYS TO PATRIOTISM REPORT FROM SAN MIGUEL SAYS ONLY 100 HOUSES WERE HUNDREDS OF LIVES LOST Was Completily Destroyed By Quake in 1873 and Since Then

## TORNADO SWEEPS

Storm Cuts Swath From Battle Creek, premier, at his residence on Walton Calhoun County, to Vicinity of

Salem, Washtenaw County.

but most densely populated of the re-ber of injured, and property loss are mublics of Central America. publics of Central America. far greater than was at first believed. the British mines were exploded along sumed, for war uses: Brass, \$1,271,- Houghton-Walter Utrecht, 6 years the German front the distance ranged the German front the distance ranged the component section and the distance ranged the distance range distance ra Physician and Surgeon First record of an earthquake there Calhoun, Jackson, Ingham ad Wash-from 130 to 140 miles. was in 1873, when the entire city was tenaw counties were struck by the The British rush took them well amount than usual; lead, \$920,728 and was drowned.

of the most extensive and the most storming troops.

large number of volcanic cones. Its max, Kalamazoo county, leaped on in- to Ploegsteert wood, north of Armenpopulation is 1,133,000, and the most to Calhoun, roared across the Goguac tieres. swath from 100 to 1.500 feet wide through the city, bounced on again, half a dozen miles to the northeast to Pentfield, jumped on again to recent census places the number of prairie into Pattle Creek, ripped a inhabitants in the capital at 64,000. swath from 100 to 1,500 feet wide DRAFTING TO BEGIN JUNE 18 half a dozen miles to the northeast Springport, Jackson county, where it Local Officials Are to Choose Names killed one and injured five more, sent one wind division sweeping north and

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ed navy aviators and a high percent. Chicago-Government investigators week. age of the remaining men is also com- inquiring into the reasons for high Arrivals numbered 2,692, and sail- New Railroad Bond Issue O. K'd. Battle Creek-Resorters near Goguac lake, used as the city's re-

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Lowell and Environs

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expeditionary force to France, has ar-rived in England, accompanied by his staff. The Pershing party, includes 198 officers, enlisted men and other attach-- ick, Springport, aged 8 and 3, injured in mediately after completing two inmediately after completing two in the intensive training processes. on the tag Aif nearly met their doom ing camps back of the line in France. senate and by the proper authorities

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five fishing vessels were sunk last & Milwaukee railroad, \$122,000. western Michigan. -----



IRON. STEEL AND MEAT LEAD district court here was dismissed to them over there as nearly as possible escape contact with it, especially so

Value of Autos and Parts Amounts to About Twice the Value of Horses and Mules Shipped.

(By W. L. CALNON.)

Lansing. the exports from Michigan for the worked. high record. The total value was \$29. schools must undergo a physical exam- ing's division to the other side. Un- to obtain. Iron and steel and the manufactures | fall while cleaning windows.

Mines Containing Million Pounds of 160 is in hog products and \$2,097,334 is ocean. He also figured in numerous reaches Europe, or rather after it has no realizing sense of what this war There were 64 commercial automo- this port.

cornmeal and \$168,991 in rye. Other county, celebrated the 50th aniversary how many men there are to be in minority. Inspiration to those at first Heath. The plans for the attack had long been maturing, and when the prepara-term is and \$168,991 in rye. Other food products were represented by been maturing, and when the prepara-term is and \$168,991 in rye. Other food products were represented by term Cali-term is plans for the attack had long been maturing, and when the prepara-term is and \$168,991 in rye. Other food products were represented by term Cali-term is plans for the attack had long term is presented by term is plans for the attack had long term is plans for the attack had long term is presented by term is plans for the attack had long term is plans for term is plans for the attack had long term is plans for term is plans for the attack had long term is plans for t

seat of government of the smallest, but most densely populated of the re-but most densely populated of the 416; copper, \$\$7,905, a much smaller old, fell in an abandoned cistern and may have on the future.

p. m.ed. Since the unit of the missing and believed to be dead,<br/>try surrounding it have been rocked<br/>again and again, whole cities and<br/>towns being razed and many personsthree missing and believed to be dead,<br/>sines has been taken and that Lenfer<br/>and Zareeba also have fallen. Wys-<br/>toal and coke, \$763,587; raw cotton<br/>and cotton goods, \$742,944; oils \$1,-of Pershing's force will not be chron-<br/>ing to \$1,500,000 destroyed, is the toll<br/>of the most extensive and the mostAdministration officials and espe-<br/>drugs, dyes and medicines, \$716,210;<br/>and coke, \$763,587; raw cotton<br/>and cotton goods, \$742,944; oils \$1,-

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Washington, General Barry, comman- Christ.

in each federal judicial district. Here fatally injured 5; other injured, 58; motion of three new major generals. federal officials on all producers and five days' campaign recently.

es. about the head; Stewart Mock, 12, Inneutately after comparison on the tug Alf nearly met their doom of the line in France, Senate and by the proper authorities of the other country which is a party All farmers and egg dealers must be rines during which he landed at Vera of the irrest, it becomes the law of the treaty, it becomes the law of the treaty, it becomes the law of the treaty of enforced this year as they never have the corner of the boat, crashing The war department has not yet se- the land. An enabling act with monbeen before."

## Specific Tax Nearly Collected.

More Than 1600 Tons Sunk. \$4,341,370 of the specific tax for 1916. Michigan Pike backers to Cass City, was to be removed from New York, war recognized the necessity of pro-London-The weekly report of the total specific tax levied last year. Michigan Pike backers to Cass City, was to be removed from New Total tecting the crops so essential to success in war by prometing the birds ment will be erected in honor of Hor-British admiralty concerning British The unpaid railroad tax amounts to atio S. Earle, the father of good roads Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards com- which destroy the insects which forsafely in France. These aviators are the first of the Vankee fighting force in Michigan, completed at a meeting mands the Northeastern department, age on grain and other growing food While Prices Are Boosted. Ines says 15 vessels of 1,600 tons, and \$132,000 and the Detroit, Grand Haven of pike delegates from all parts of with headquarters at Boston. General products.

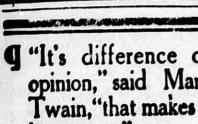
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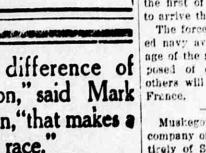
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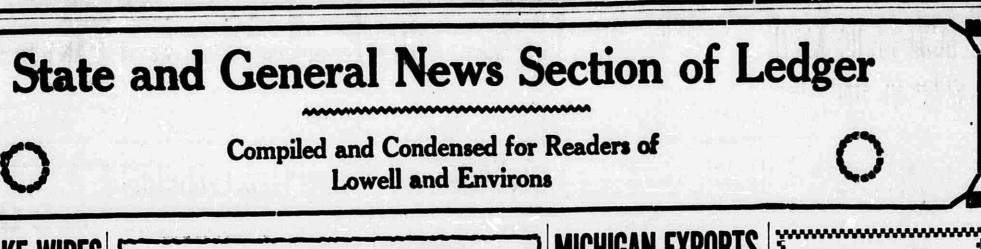
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Battle Creek-Resorters near

Quite Appropriate.

WAR PLAN CHANGED Edwards will have but one training camp to command. On an average there will be about 22.000 young soldiers in each camp for the training of the new army. This JOFFRE'S APPEAL FOR TROOPS means that there must be lots of elbow ALTERED THE SCHEME OF room. Extended order is the order of the drill day.

A plan has been suggested by which the young men of the National army may be taught something besides drill-ONG DELAY NOT NECESSARY ing and fighting. The recruits for the new army are to come from all elements of the American, the half-Ameri-That America Will can, and the quarter-American body. Be Represented on the Fighting Some of these men, many of them, in Line Far in Advance of the Date fact, must be taught what we are fighting for, what it all means, and why it is that they should be willing to risk their lives for their country.

By EDWARD B. CLARK. Army officials realize that persons Washington.-The American peo- who want Germany to lick us and perple were given to understand that it sons who do not think that there is was the intention of the war depart- any ideal in the wide world that is ment to hold American soldiers in worth fighting for, say that the army this country until an enormous force life does nothing to uplift a man, and ed here for tornado sufferers at Char- was trained and ready to send to Eu: that it adds nothing to his education. rope virtually in one great expedition. Officials hold that those who so think Grand Rapids-The traverse jury Of course all the troops could not be do not know anything about the army, for the June term of the United States sent together, but the plan was to get and probably hope that they will far as fighting touch with it is con-This planning of the army authori- cerned.

Traverse City-Grand Traverse will ties, so far as the military chiefs To Be Taught Why We Are Fighting. hold its annual fair this year, it was decided after it was planned to aban-Most people, however, probably will will enter the service and who are not remember the "recall" which was well read concerning current events Flint-Joseph Schmidt, 24 years old, got blood poison as the result of a cut the request made by General Joffre have been indifferent to them, will in his shoulder caused by a chisel for the dispatch of an immediate be given lessons in lecture form in American history, and with them they According to figures just compiled the floor above the one on which he It may have been President Wilson will get a conception of republican who finally decided the question of institutions and why it is they are month of April again established a Grand Rapids-Janitors in public the wisdom of sending General Persh- worth fighting the world, if necessary,

47,133, an increase of \$3,230,000 over ination, the board of education decid- questionably General Joffre's plea The new army is to be a selective he highest previous total and of \$12. ed, following the death of Michael Mc- made a great impression upon Presi-00,000 over the total for April, 1916. Donald, janitor, who was killed in a dent Wilson. Pershing's force is to greater part of its rank and file will go, and it seems now to be extremely he men of the volunteer spirit. There hereof again lead with about 40 Manistee-Capt. John Hanson, 61 likely that other original plans of the will be those, however, in the ranks lasses, representing a total of \$8,021. years old, for 30 years keeper of the war department may go the way just who will be resentful, either because 062. Meat products came next with a local coast guard station, is dead. He total of \$5,864,990, of which \$3,618. experienced three shipwrecks on the when General Pershing's division in any cause, or else because they have rescues of crews and passengers near been there a short time, it will be means to Americans of the present found to be serviceable in a way that generation, and will mean to those of

were destroyed, stellcanos was a sub-urb of San Salvador. An operator who reached the edge of the destroyed zohe reported San Salvador was in ruins and everything within a radius of 30 miles hab been destroyed by an earthquake, Residents of San Salvador are camping in the opened the British attack were heard<br/>by David Lloyd-George, the British<br/>premier, at his residence on Waltoninguring up to \$127,000.St. Louis-Mr. and Mrs.<br/>Shong, pioneer residents of GratiotThe government of the United<br/>States has allowed newspapers to tellabout H."The spirit which has pos-<br/>session of a majority of the soldiers 'a<br/>the ranks soon takes possession of the been maturing, and when the prepara-tions were perfected the premier was fornia and \$430,823 in vegetables, fornia and \$40,823 in vegetables, atives attended the celebration. Mr. cause the intention to dispatch a force the men as one and to keep them fight-

the general staff's original plans were Bird Protection a War Measure. shell riddled and to say something al- What have birds to do with war or so concerning what effect the change war with birds? The bird protectors of the country, men who not only No one knows, of course, and no would save the birds but help to save

The country of San Salvador itself destructive storm that has swept lowsecrecy will be thrown about the de- desire that congress at the present Charlotte-Misses Iva Clay and Olga parture of other forces in the future, session shall pass the enabling act Dean, of this city, were seriously hurt Out of the general field of the plan- which will permit the United States when an automobile crashed into the ning, however, one or two things may government to put into instant effect Focd City Selected As Camp Site. buggy in which they were riding. be picked for proper comment and ex- the treaty now existing with Canada

to Pentfield, jumped on again to Springport, Jackson county, where it Un One Grade. many months. A long time will enforce certain regulations protectder of the central department had Owosso-Charles Lawrence, 82, pioone wind division sweeping north and east, through central lingham below Washington.—President Wilson has forwarded the recommendation of this neer resident and former postmaster, on the fighting line, but it can be said States senate ratified the treaty and By wheer system. By sys

will be instructed to appear for physi-cal examination before an official me-dical board. to appear for physi-cal examination before an official me-dical board. to build the can-to do the intensive training possioni-to mail to do the intensity possioni-to the intensity possioni-3. If found physically fit, the man will have an opportunity if desired will have an opportunity if desired will be an opportunity if desired will be creek 50 feet below but into Battle creek 50 feet below but weeks' intensive training. to report the bill in order that it may Port Huron-James P. Gates, man- Training Won't Take So Long. become a law at this session.

ager of the Morton Salt Co., has been Everything that has developed with- President Wilson is strongly in fachosen as president of the Chamber of in the last few weeks tends to show vor of the passage of the enabling act. Commerce, recently organized. The that America will be represented on The real sportsmen of the country and riew, one of which will be established riew or and total: Dead, 3; were passed over to secure the pro- Notice has been served by state and chamber secured 906 members in a the fighting front of Europe a considdecision will be final, aside from a pos-sible appeal to the president. It was definitely declared at the war department there is no basis for the two basis for the the Liberty road, six widespread reports that the physical requirements of the army will be lowdairy commissioner, will co-operate Indians, but given to his heirs. The ing back of the lines to make them fit adequate protection during certain with the federal authorities in enforc-case has been pendiing six years. for the fight. Our regulars, with less seasons of the year. Of course song

through the front, breaking all the lected sites for all the training camps, ey, however, is necessary to secure windows and wrecking the front of Gen. Leonard Wood is to have 16 of the enforcement of the terms of the them under his directing and disci- trenty. Canada acted promptly, for Muskegon-Plans for a big automo- plinary control. There were those the Washington officials say the Ca-England Reports Only 15 Ships of Auditor General Faller has collected bile pligrimage, to be made by West who thought that if General Wood madians at the very outbreak of the

### There Are Others. "I roomed with Skinnem, president of the Hide and Seek Trust company, last night, and he sure did talk in his

"What did he say?" "'Not guilty !' most of the time."

------An Exception.

Redd-Is his car well equipped? "Got everything on it?" "Oh, no! The mortgage is on the

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## Plant a Few Pots of Freesias for Early Flowers Next Year. SOME TIMELY HINTS

By L. M. BENNINGTON. they have finished flowering. The the seedlings are introduced. secret of pruning shrubbery, in a nut- Centaureas are hardy, but as a rule ing the alfalfa or clover seed, as the shell, is to study the habit and growth they come up somewhat irregularly The other known as the solling the solli shell, is to study the habit and growth of each plant, and to strive to encourage it; not alter it to your views. Make a note of the yellow spots on the lawn. If the grass is scanty the trouble is possibly sand or poor soil. as possible in the process. The best cure is to dig out the place

and put in some good loam. Then resod the place. If the grass is there, but dead, the trouble is lack of moisture.

or two weeks, followed by a raking to all parts. remove the cut grass. To insure a thick privet hedge, cut acid should be used with all vegetables

Evergreens from the nursery can be If the ground was well fertilized besafely transplanted by the end of July. fore planting the seeds there will be it is important to keep the roots moist but little trouble through plants dwinwith as much soil adhering as possible. dling in the hot weather providing the Pinch off the seed-pods from azaleas soil is kept light. and rhododendrons to insure good Much of the trouble laid to drought flower buds for next year,

insure good blooms. ous plants, remove them. By not al- food is provided. lowing seeds to form the flowering sea- If you have not made due provision son will be considerably lengthened. for this in the planting it may still fall when there are few flowers in the as possible with the soil.

July will make good winter-flowering plants will thus find a source of conplants. During the latter part of the stant renewal.

Plant a few pots of oxalis and

freesias for early flowers next year. When watering, do it thoroughly. SWEET SULTAN.

## The peculiarly sweet, spicy smell of

ly to gardeners, and, moreover, this grow better when set in the perma-ployed, the procedure is as follows: eases, anthracnose and blight, have cent fields into the side ditches.

and splendor with the improved im-perialis grandiflora. This is immense in flower. The flowers are large and two feet long pick off the ends of the vines. This will induce free branchflower. The flowers are large and soft, of thistle shape, with beautiful flament petals of pinkish illac, and vines. This will induce free branch-ing and heavier and better fruiting. is convenient to place the seed in a grain sack and dip into a tub of fresh, clean water, then suspend the sack for the home-grown seed, rather than seed there is a white variety, not pure white, but with a primrose tint, which is exquisite as a table decoration, but

These giant-flowered sweet sultans leaves and fallen flowers are allowed or jarring the bottle against the hand, and all blighted and frosted beans

should be supplied at the time of supply on hand adequate, at least, for

planting out, when a little well-slaked Michigan's requirements. powdered lime may be put on as a \_\_\_\_ Two Methods of Inoculation. Prune flowering shrubs as soon as surface dressing and forked in before

Amateur gardeners often make the mistake of planting vegetables too If the grass on the lawn is growing close together. Plants having large fast two mowings a week, allowing the foliage such as tomatoes, peas and clippings to lie where they fall, are beans, should be given plenty of room, easier than one mowing in ten days in order that the sunshine may reach

back three inches every time the plants make six inches of growth.

Give Japanese iris plenty of water to Some plants are such rank growers As fast as flowers fade on herbace- soil very quickly unless some reserve

The larkspur, if treated in this man- be easily done by digging a large hole ner, will produce spikes almost as between the rows or hills and filling good as those of the first crop, in late this with fertilizer, mixing it as much Geranium cuttings made early in ity down among the roots and the Rains will wash a part of the fertil-

month sow seeds in cold frames of This will keep them vigorous and

Fill up the gaps left by the popples by transplanting on the cleared ground hegiecting the soil.

### SUMMER GARDEN HELPS ----

sweet corn and snap beans up to the been removed. The best time to apply middle or last of July. These will it to the new field is in the evening. Against Disease Losses of give you good vegetables for late use. just before a rain, or during a rain. Transplanting celery three or four The inoculating, of course, should be times develops a stronger root system done before the seed is sown. East Lansing, Mich.-Recalling the tersecting road down the side ditches would have to be crowned as usual. sweet sultan has always endeared this sweet sultan has always endeared this for the plants, and the plants will when the purse cultures are em-disastrous losses which the bean dis-of another. Also avoid draining adja-ment it is desirable to "bank" or ele-

is a very useful flower for cutting, as it lasts wonderfully well and is light and graceful. The older forms of sweet sultans, are, however, nowhere as regards size

less effective in the border than the Too much stress cannot be laid place. smaller, old-fashioned ones, but they characterize it is gone, and no amount one to three teaspoonfuls) into the share the family affection for a limy of bloom can make up for the lack of bottle of culture and mix the contents Do not plant immature or frosted



Massing of Shrubbery Makes an Effective Hedge, Cutting Off Croquet Lawn or Tennis Court.

Shaved With Glass.

volcanic glass, each piece as it lost

sued that all military chins were to Shaving was practiced in the new be shaved, and forthwith the familiar Johnny Hoy claims that the oldest Technically, temperament means world before it was discovered by characteristic "imperial" disappeared joke is one about the farmer's wife "the special type of mental constitu. Carefully Remove Waste Feed From milking. Europeans, and the Mexican barbers from 500,000 chins, shaved their customers with finkes of -----

Followed Instructions. political significance in the mode of was told that he must never shorten Milwaukee Sentinel. shaving may be remembered by some anyone's name. The next morning Ted people. It was after the downfall of came in from the poultry yard and

-James B. Angell.

NOTES -----

Plenty of potash and phosphoric

MAKE THE GARDEN NEAT.

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soil, and if this element is lacking it | care which is thus made manifest. | with the seed. It is recommended and beans. They will neither germinate

THE LOWELL LEDGER.

FERTILIZERS HELP POTATOES Yield of Crop When Judiciously Applied.

East Lansing, Mich .- Fertilizers, applied judiciously, have been recomended by potato specialists of the Michigan Agricultural college as helpful "first aids" in improving the potato rop-though the warning is added at they are advocated to supplement stable manure, and not to take the place of it.

STATE FURNISHES CULTURES plained, "potash is too expensive to varrant its general use for potatoes. of the demand being made upon them the potato crop under present condi-

ers are expected this season to devote "When a clover or alfalfa sod is ers are expected this season to devote more ground than commonly to alfalfa and leguminous crops generally, but their success, in the case of alfalfa, at least, will be good or otherwise only it the seed or soll is inoculated with the right kind of hacteria. "When a clover or allalita souther and leguminous crops generally, but their success, in the case of alfalfa, at least, will be good or otherwise only it the seed or soll is inoculated with the right kind of hacteria. "When a clover or allalita souther and leguminous crops generally, but their success, in the case of alfalfa, at least, will be good or otherwise only it the seed or soll is inoculated with the right kind of hacteria. "When a clover or allalita souther and bed: "In general, the amount of crown and is in an excate various subtable side ditches or suttable side ditches These bacteria, which are principally be used in addition to the acid phosfurnished to the farmer in the form of phate. Acid phosphate may be used cultures, are secured usually from the with profit in larger quantities on

ment of the Michigan Agricultural col-lege, but this spring the Michigan in-stifution will be compelled to meet the demand alone, for notices sent out from Washington a faw days are announce Washington a few days ago announce lizer on the surface of the ground unthat the federal bacteriologists will not less it is worked into the moist soil. fill any more orders until July 1. The A grain drill with a fertilizer attachcrop campaign, it is said, has practi-ment is a good tool for accomplishing

"If the potatoes are planted with a Still, the M. A. C. laboratory is ex-pected to prove equal to the occasion, horse planter which has a fertilizer attachment, 200 to 250 pounds of feralready been sent to various parts of the state, there is reported to be a

POULTRY QUICK MEAT SOURCE

Four Weeks Old.

crops of nodule-forming legumes. Where soil is used, 300 or 400 pounds of soil from the old alfalfa or clover of soil from the old alfalfa or clover field are put on each acre of the new field are put on each acre of the new of the Michigan Agricultural college field, either by running it through a or the succession that persons with a back yard which isn't being put to some useful purpose can profitably raise a few hens.

"Pullets," say the poultrymen, "can be brought into laying condition in four months' time. Cockerels can be lia to which there is the fact that there is no other animal on the farm capable 1 and 2 have the advantage in that they may be constructed with an or-cither breaks may consist of they may be constructed with an or-cither breaks may consist of the breaks of the breaks of the breaks we women of those countries seem to think it was necessary to economize. of converting waste material into so they may be constructed with an or-either broad, shallow ditches or flat when its time comes to go. If every family living on the outskirts of our larger cities, or in the smaller villages, was to keep a halfdozen hens, the family food cost would be appreciably lowered through the

"A well-bred hen will produce an average of ten dozen eggs a year, and for the small flock, which derives its maintenance from the home tables, a gain of \$2 a head would be realized. "Ten hens will keep an average fam-BACTERIA MAKE ALFALFA ily in eggs for a year, and perhaps pro-English daisies, pansies, foxgloves, in a healthy condition throughout the The seed from which the plant on needs but a square rod of space, and a duce a few extra ones for sale. A hen Canterbury bells, larkspur, etc., for season and the fruit formed under the left sprang up was inoculated. No backyard three rods by four rods will these conditions will lack the bitter- treatment was given the puny plant on keep ten hens, and a plano box supgrain drill, or by broadcasting it, after clippings will do for green food." and the second second second second

New York Shilling.

Temperament.

the land has been fitted. The inoculat-Make a succession of plantings of after an inch of the surface soil has Precautions Must Be Taken to Guard 5. Culve Other Years. -----

from outside of the state. California a few minutes.)

3. Sprend the seed on a clean oil- beans, for instance, will not mature cloth, table or floor in a clean, shady in Michigan. If your own seed is to be used, see

and this should be seeded first. also advisable.

Where Water Is Precious. In Cape Town, where water-espe- New York shilling, or York shilling, cially in the hot summer months-is is the old Spanish "real," or onesible. The authorities complain that | bit. persons frequently go to a tap to draw water after the supply has been shut Great Political Questions.

of water runs to waste unnoticed. lips. The Oldest Joke. agent. "Can I sell you an extermi- the bodily organism. Broadly speak-

nator for vermin?" asked the agent. ing, temperament is character-the -----

Make Haste Slowly. to know how to drill.

"Under war conditions," it is ex- (Prepared by the United States Depart- | section of a road surface depends on ment of Agriculture.) Effective drainage usually should be (a) It is desirable to get water away Altrogen also is high in price, and the very first consideration in connect from the surface as quickly as pracshould be used only sparingly and with the location and design of ticable, so as to prevent the surface New York.—The manufacturers are six shades of red, called Incende; judgment, but when a clover or alfalfa any road. This statement requires no material from being softened by sat- exhibiting their usual interest in the sod is plowed under the percentage of explanation, because the action of wa- uration or washed by water collecting colors which may come into fashion nitrogen need not be very great. A ter in changing clay into mud and in in, and flowing along, ruts. cent of nitrogen and from 8 to 12 per to give way when a load is applied, is section of the road as flat as is con- seems to be vitally wasted, but the East Lansing, Mich.—Under pressure cent of phosphoric acid is desirable for familiar to every person living in a sistent with good drainage, because man behind the business knows that humid climate. The following sum- traffic distributes itself over a flat road now is the appointed hour to look with mary supplies a few suggestions as to surface much better than over one sharpened eyes into the near future.

how water may best be removed from that is heavily crowned, and an even Merchandise is a stupendous bulk

8 to 10 per cent of phosphoric acid may vation, suitable side ditches or gutters should be greater on grades than on

EARTH, SAND-CLAY AND GRAVEL ROADS

SIDE DITCH

should be provided along the sides so level stretches of road, because the winter, then they decide a momentous that the water may be conducted to tendency for water to wash away the issue.

some point where it may be turned surface by collecting in and flowing off from the road. The accompanying along ruts depends largely upon the figures show typical cross sections for steepness of the grade. Also the care ross section shown in the preceding ruts are allowed to form,

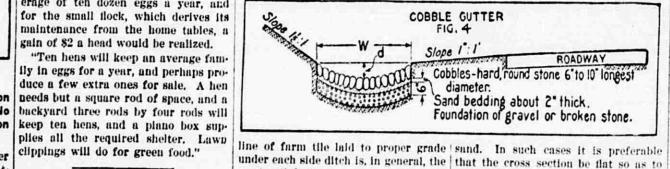
earth side ditches. The cross section with which a road is to be maintained shown in the first figure is suitable for may have an important influence on which may soon cease to be worth steep grades where the depth of water the amount of crown that should be in the side ditches must be kept low in given to the surface. It is evident that order to prevent washing of the soil, a road surface maintained in a smooth e second figure shows a modified uniform condition will shed water off ion which gives a greater capacity to the side ditches with much less r the same widths of ditch than the crown than would be required where

Slope 1":1" ROADWAY

ROADWAY

ROADWAY iss section adapted especially to | causing washes on steep grades, resort | grades where a considerable vol- is sometimes had to "water breaks," the pressure of an excuse that will ther England nor Canada cut out the four months' time. Cockereis can be marketed when four weeks old-added une of water must be carried. Ditches or "thank-you-ma'ams," constructed satisfy our conscience. If we buy buying of colorful clothes, nor did the to which there is the fact that there of the cross sections shown in figures in that These water breaks may consist of the treaks may consist of the product of the product of the constraint of

delicious meat in such a short period. dinary road grader, which is not true ridges constructed at a slight angle It is this psychological truth that he section shown in figure 3. with the road so as to turn water from 3. Where it is impracticable to con-the traveled way into the side ditches. The down deep in the constitution of the traveled way into the side ditches. The down deep in the constitution of the traveled way into the side ditches. 3. Where it is impracticable to con-struct side ditches that will carry the required amount of water without objectionable, especially to automobile required amount of water without objectionable, especially to automobile



most satisfactory way of securing ade- retain as much moisture as practicable, ing material should be taken from the clean SEED INSURES BEANS quate underdrainage. Either four-inch though in cold climates a slight crown or six-inch tile is employed for this may be desirable in order to afford drainage when the surface is frozen. 5. Culverts or bridges should be con- But sand roads must be surfaced with structed wherever it is necessary to some other material if they are to be 

 carry water across the road.
 improved to any extent, and in that

 6. Avoid turning water from one in case the surface of the traveled way

vate the outer edge of the roadway and

Cobbles-hard, round stone 6"

are no more difficult to grow than the to accumulate, the charm that should pour a little clean, cold water (from taken out. Only clean seed will pro-Clover Is Favored.

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thought best by many who are au- well nor bring forth vigorous plants. Sufficient food is essential. Every REMEDY FOR CUCUMBER BUGS on uniforms, on somber and demure kies suggested grace even where grace two ounces of granulated sugar be wet with rain or dew. To do so will of honey, White clover honey is best, Concentrated Solution of Nicotine, of style; that announce to the world: wondering whether thinness or fulltened seed before treating with the Those in doubt as to the cleanliness Dark honey should be used sparingly; culture. The use of glue is condemned. of their seed are invited to send a and honeydew honey not at .1, on ac-5. If the seed is too wet and sticky sample to the botany department of count of the waste it contains. Bees (By WILLIAM MOORE, Minnesota Ex. mite often on what she likes rather A'frock with a coat to match is of to plant, it may be spread out in the the college for free examination. never deposit fecal waste in the hive, shade. It should be neither wet nor An effective use of manure this year but retain it in the large intestine. A concentrated nicotine solution of order that she may get some piece of silk jersey embroidered in blue, the shade. It should be neither wet nor dry, but as moist as it can be and yet seed evenly. Plant the seed just as jotatoes. An enective use of manure this year potatoes. An enective use of manure this year where it causes dysentery unless soon passed out. In attempting to rid them-market, properly applied, is fatal to

> METHODS OF PLANTING CORN spoonful of a 40 per cent solution Higher Yields Obtained by Alternat. enough.

Varieties of Crop.

variety alternate with one or two cup, being sure to let it run down all rows of a later-maturing variety sides of the stalk. planted alone, according to the annual Fighting the larvae of the cucumber off for the day, and finding no water, Great political questions stir the report of the bureau of plant indus- beetle is better than fighting the adult teenth year-when she began to adopt The bodice is a band of brocaded

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After Ventilation. its edge being flung away and a new one applied. A curious instance of political significance in the mode of political significance in the mode of

If waste singe is left in the stable, Hens Need Animal Food. the favorites, with huge collars and summer frocks camisoles of Italian the air becomes contaminated with a Laying heas need animal food of deep cuffs of frilled organdie. There jersey silk or flesh-colored wash satin Napoleon III, when the French army censed to be imperial and became re-publican, that a general order was is-publican, that a general

Foundation of gravel or broken stone.

should be grown. -----

Properly Applied, Is Fatal to Larvae, Says Expert.

you would treat untreated seed. 6. A small strip should be planted bore meal at the rate cold days, become chilled and never which sometimes does a large amount can make fine capital out of this de-length kimono sleeves. A hat of navy with uninoculated seed for comparison of from 200 to 300 pounds per acre is find their way back.

of nicotine in a gallon of water is THIS IS "GINGHAM SUMMER" | A New Evening Dress. ing With Early and Late Maturing The gardener should look for the lar-

a very precious fluid, it is the custom eighth of a dollar. It is about equiv-to shut off the supply at night, in or-alent in value to sixpence, English Methods of planting corn by which the should pour his nicotine solution on carefully with a narrow half-plant of the soil. When he discovers them Formerly Outgrew When They der to eliminate waste as far as pos- In the Southern states it is called a one or two rows of an early-maturing on carefully with a narrow half-pint

thoughtlessly leave the tap open. Con- deepest nature of one-half the nation, try. Where there is likely to be a beetle itself, as the adults work chiefsequently the next morning when the supply is turned on a large quantity heads of the other half,--Wendell Phil-OFFENSIVE FLAVOR OF MILK in the milk if the barn is clean and woven, colored cottons promise to be, shoulder straps of blue and silver

who went to the door and found an tion due to natural characteristics of Mangers, Especially Silage-Look The same may be said of other feeds and waskes better than handsome ging- wide, and it is heavily embroidered in which give a characteristic flavor to ham. The fine colors endure long after silk floss and silver thread to match

Here is the Arab hood for sports FOR BOTH SLIM AND STOUT clothes. Gown of gray and gold jersey cloth with cowl and tasselled belt. Bodice Tied in Back Is of Advantage Full sleeves put into tight cuffs. Because Either Figure Can Make

that are speedily bought up by the women who make no pretense of going Just as it became almost certain in for quality.

A

national practice by those who are measurement of the middle of the always trying to adjust the lives of body, the bodice tied in the back made upon neatness in the garden. If faded 4. Break up the culture by shaking first that it is carefully hand-picked SUFFICIENT FOOD FOR BEES should not be placed in a single vathe wage-earners for them from the its first appearance, says the New riety; under such conditions two or sumer, is merely sending sound into The advantage of it rested in its

Here goes one who has little chance ness rested below. for pleasure. The girl who has a mite for clothes would prefer to spend that Blue Satin and White Silk Jersey. than to hoard many mites together in dark blue satin combined with white

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Time was when the girl grew out of and this is a little longer than skirts gingham about her twelfth or thir- have been throughout the past winter. the styles of grownup girlhood-but velvet in several shades of blue, with looked back upon as the "gingham of silver. This velvet forms a wide summer," so fashionable do these girdle that is all the bodice excepti well-ventilated and the sliage fed after Gingham is by no means a humble fab- tulle. There is a hem of tulle on the ric, either, but nothing on earth wears bottom of the skirt about four inches milk, like turnips or cabbage. These the fabric has worn to shreds. Dainty the bodice in colors and design. stripes and green and white stripes are For evening year and beneath sheer

sports frocks with jumpers of plain at the top by broad elastic bands run

Six Shades of Red to Lead. It is what is soon to come. They send buyers to Paris in April and receive reports of importance in May concerning the performance of the Paris weavers, lyers and ornament makers. OMBER TONES MAY PREVAIL These reports, especially those dealng with the colors for next season are guides to the disposal of merchan-Manufacturers Think War Will Cause dise on hand and the wholesale people American Women to Choose Dull are enabled to go ahead on their production of fabrics and gowns for

Officially Announced,

Clothes Though They May

Be Expensive.

account every minor and major hap-

pening, and every shadow of coming

events, he goes down into debt and

carries the thousands with him. When

those who are more interested than

an's apparel because of the strain

caused by the war and the feeling of

false economy, say among themselves

that this color and that fabric will

have no chance for popularity next

They realize that the public must be

induced to buy while the buying is

good; while it can make use of the

pieces of merchandise that exist and

while. The public, itself, wants to

is quickly going down hill.

Weary Quickly of Clothes.

ounce of service now.

ever before in the production of wom-



know the prospects for the success of In this dance frock the skirt is of every garment. If its service is to be flesh crepe with bands of dyed Mechof short duration, then wisdom dictates | lin lace. Cuirass of iridescent beads that it must be made to yield every on metal silk. Shoulder drapery of

t figure, but which can be employed only instead of crowning the road sur-ing is to be prevented. Figure 3 shows flowing along the traveled way and for another three months, giving that it would last for another three months, giving that it would last for another three months, giving that there are shades of brown. as the reason for its reduction from Three quite adorable pinks are promthe original price. But we feel cheat- ised for evening gowns. ed and humiliated when, after buying The American manufacturers are something that was supposedly rising up the hill of popularity, we find that They think that the state of war will result in the choice by our women of Most of us are guilty-if crime it sober clothes, even though they may be-of wearying of what we possess be expensive ones. France, it is true,

in the way of clothes before they have given us value for money expended, clothes even before a single batch of and we willingly give them up under wounded was brought home, but nel-The English department shops, for in-There is every reason to suppose that when the first excitement of war

> the kind of clothes they prefer, but the manufacturers have decided that it is best to look forward to soberer colors than we have worn. Will Silks Grow In Strength? Another question important to the ople who sell apparel has to do with silk. We have been wearing it recklessly, and without regard to the fact that we could have cotton. All classes have indulged in silk weaves for every kind of garment, and the majority seems to have forgotten that in the near past only those with fine incomes Indulged in that luxury, and even they guarded their silk things. It is believed, however, by those who alance conditions, that the American woman can continue to indulge herself in the wearing of silk because woolen will be needed by our government or one across the sea. Cotton

things are expensive and will become more so, because the raw material is sorely wanted by all countries. So it may turn out to be silk for economy's sake. There is also reason to believe that satin and velvet will be in strong demand for the winter. (Copyright, 1917, by the McClure Newspa-

Use of It.

that nothing new could be originated The hue and cry raised against this in the matter of concealing the actual

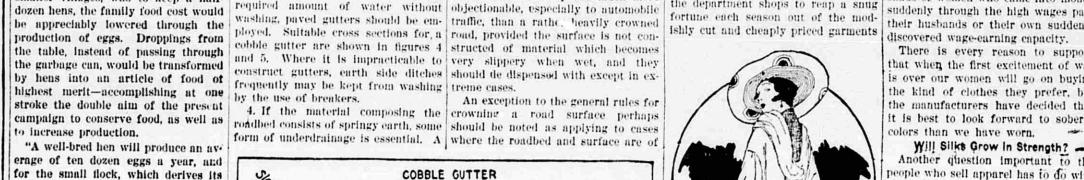
Thirty Pounds of Honey-White ably in length of growing season foundation of human nature. Why insist that those who have little of it, because it virtually covered up to spend on raiment should spend it whatever there was. Its careless wringarments that proclaim themselves out there was not. They left the observer

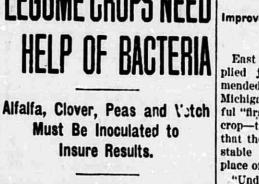
A new evening dress is made on emness on its simplicity. There is a skirt of the softest charmeuse, hung from a slightly raised waist line. It is gathered, but is not cut on very full lines.

the cold frame or in the field. One ten- advances if they are quite sure of worn,

vne of the beetle just at the surface Grown-ups Adopt Fabric Which Girls pire lines and depends for its loveli-

form of underdrainage is essential. A where the roadbed and surface are of





ederal Supply Runs Out, but Bacter ological Laboratory at East Lansing Is Saving Day for

Michigan. for food and more food, Michigan farm- tions.

United States department of agricul- heavier soils than on light ones. ture and the bacteriological depart- "The results from the use of comcally cleaned them out of the nodule- this.

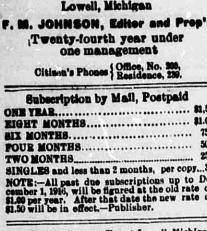
forming "bugs," for while 2,000 or more cultures have

Two methods of inoculation are em- Cockerels Can Be Marketed ployed. One of these consists in mix-



is over our women will go on buying

through lace or silk web casing.



yours too. Do a man's part and do it now.

THE Grand Rapids Herald, a staunch Republican paper, which has been loyally supporting the Democratic administration since election, very justly rebukes the petty politics of a few peanut politicians whose partisanship smothers their patriotism. President Wilson has no more loyal backers today than the best Republicans in Congress and throughout the country. Now is the time, in making appointments to positions of trust, to consider fitness, brains and character, without regard to partisanship. Congressmen and others who can not recognize this simple truth. are unworthy their trust and should be called home by their constituents and given work suitable to their small capacities.

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THAT business prospects are fine and will not be affected disastrously by the war is the opinion of Mr. Friedman, Grand Rapids merchant, on his return from New York, provided people go about their pursuits as usual, ucing, buying, selling, and thus keep the wheels of industry moving. This, also, is the opinion of other good judges the country over. It is up to the people to proceed about their affairs, industriously and optimistically, each doing his part for the general welfare and trustto Providence for the rest.

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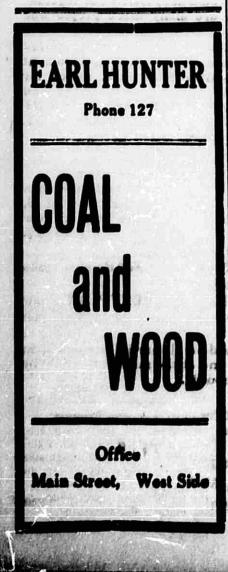
THE Holland preacher who wanted to reform Uncle Sam on a Dutch basis and sued The Grand Rapids News for libel because the editor called him down for near treason, should reform himself on an American basis, or go back to Holland. The man who tries to run this country and censures the President while still an alien, needs to be bumped and bumped hard. The verdict, "No cause for action," is just what was expected of a good American

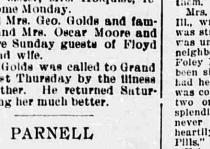
COMPLAINT is made that the concrete depot road is being used for racing purposes and a terrible accident is predicted for that drive, with, possibly, innocent parties involved in death and lisaster. That drive has been built at public expense for public purposes and the public should be protected in its use. One of the first steps to that end would be the appointment of a motor officer who is not himself a speed law violator.

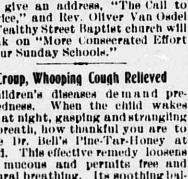
A MANISTEE preacher has been fined \$50 for an anti-draft sermon; and this is what he said: "I advise innocent young men not to go to war to take the lives of other innocent men."

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In this, he was giving aid and comfort to the enemy and combatting the cause of his own country. It will be seen from this how easily loose talk at this time may lead to charges of







your druggist, 25c.

## CASCADE

Glenn Spaulding and Mae DeYoung. days last week. They were attended by the bride's Joe Stahl and wife and Isaac Kensister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. net and family left Saturday for a Mrs. Leonard Vanderstel. Congratu-few days visit with friends in Huron

Mabel Hunt closed a very successful school year in this district Thursday. The weather being so bad, the picnic was held in the schoolhouse. The children enjoyed themselves greatly, however. Thanks to Miss flunt's untiring efforts. Russell and Kenneth Fox attended the 8th grade commencement at Ra-mona Friday. K much remained in Grand Rauda fare a visit day. The weather being so bad, the Grand Rapids for a visit. Will A. Watterson of Lansing and Mrs. J. J. Watterson of Grand Rap. Ids were Sunday guests of their par-ids were function of their par-were function of their par-ids were function of their par-ids were function of their par-ids were function of their par-were function of their par-ids were function of ents in this village. Sherman Reynolds of Seeley Corners The Loyal Workers class and lady friends ware entertained by Mrs. G. Sherman Reynolds of Seeley Corners was seen in our village Wednesday Stephens last Wednesday evening. driving a new Overland car. A number of the people from this town attended the funeral of Mrs. games and light refreshments were A id e Dennison, a former old resident, gerved.

to their home on Alpine road Friday Congratulations. after spending a week with Mrs. A.C. Auble and son Ralph. A. F. Cook of Grand Rapids was in Cascade Sunday. Edna Prescott returned to her home family of Ravenna and Mrs. Steincke of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the in the village Saturday after an ex-tended visit with her sister in Grand Miss Lillian Orlop has returned sons of Whitneyville spent Sunday with Ed. Lind and family. home after several weeks' absence. Clyde Vanetter has recovered from Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peet of Antrim the measies and will return to Wil- county have come to spend the sum liamston this week.

## SOUTH BOSTON.

spent several days last week with Mr and Mrs. Melville Ross motored his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome to Grand Rapids Saturday night. Bebee. Mr. and Mrs. Nickles Pitch motored Mr. and Mrs. Slater of Alto visited to Grand Rapids Sunday to visit her aer brother. Lewis Schrader Sunday. sister. Miss Florence Schrader is spending Edward Jackson, mother and sispart of the vacation with her sister | ter of Caledonia and Milton Jackson near Greenville. There will be Children's day exer. sister, Mrs. Bert Sherman. cises at the Methodist church one Fred Johnsma and wife of Grand week from next Sunday, June 24. Ev- Rapids visited Saturday and Sunday rybody welcome. Ralph Story and family spent Sat. Willie Schrader and wife and Mr av at the home of Ernest Tucker. and Mrs. E. McNaughton motored to Mrs. Robert Yonug and Mrs. Hugh Freeport and Hastings Saturday oung of Lowell left Tuesday for a night. visit with relatives at Maurice, Ohio, The carpenter, John Neeb of Clarksville, and 4 men began work on Ed. Tucker's barn Monday. Mae Rowley and Marie Ross of Bel-COMING TO ding visited several days at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Lewis LOWELL, MICHIGAN, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKenney and family of Byron Center spent from Wednesday evening until Friday morning with their sister, Mrs. FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1917 e . Tucker. The Ladles' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Vandyke June 28 Clare Chambers graduated from the eighth grade and he and his parents

attended the exercises at Ramona ast Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, son Glenn and Miss Johnson of Mecosta were Sunday callers at the home of W. H.

Mrs. Pattengal of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at Mrs. Ora Morton's Mr. and Mrs. H. Draper of Freeport spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of th. tr son, W. H. Draper. Bessle and Carl Hatch of Saranac spent Saturday at Mrs. Ora Mortou's. Carl has enlisted in the Red Cross work and expects to leave about July 1. Goldie Evilsizer and baby of Ionia — The United Doctors is an organiz . spent from Thursday till Monday at tion of reputable, licensed, physicians the home of Mrs. Morton. Miss Francis Hess is working for the treatment of certain discusses. Mrs. Ora Morton and Miss Selina They are all specialists. The United Johnson is assisting Mrs. Oxel John- Doctors treat, without surgical oper-

 time may lead to charges of treason.

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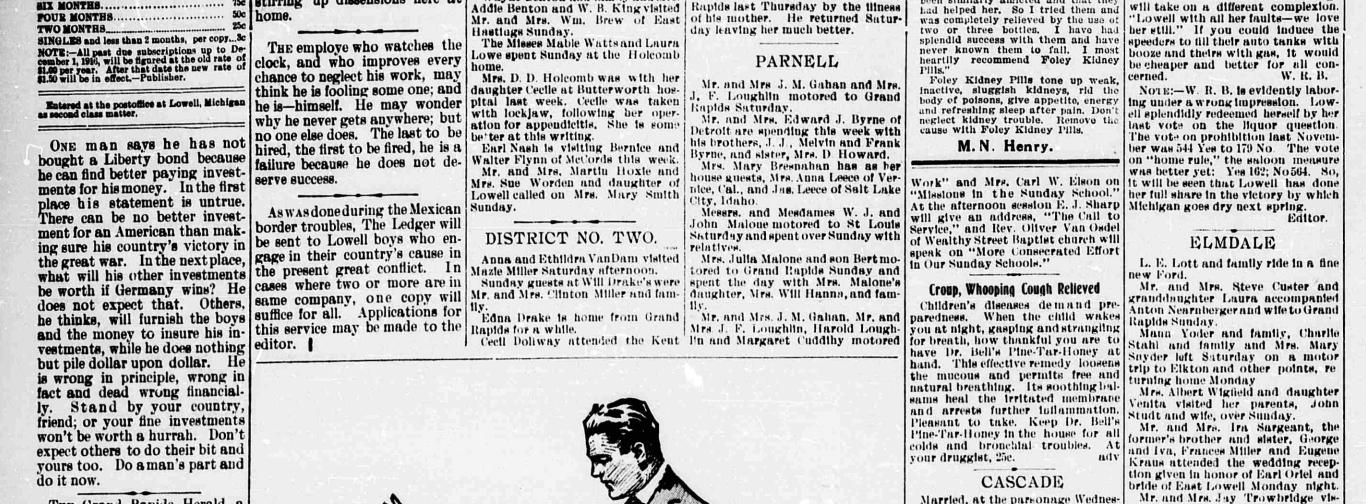
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KEENE NEWS CHARGED that bickering, pro-crastinating congressmen are re-sponsible for delays in enacting needed legislation. Publish their names. "Put the cusses on record." WILL Mr. Peabody include in his "Case Against Christian Science" the fact that the mother church of thatsect has subscribed \$271,000 for the Liberty loan? KEENE NEWS Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kinyon of Low-the second of the top of the second second for the top of the second second for the tiberty loan? KEENE NEWS Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kinyon of Low-the second for the second second for the second second for the tiberty loan? Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kinyon of Low-druggist, 25c. King's the second for the second for the second for the second second for the second second for the second ell. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kinyon of Low-ell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sturges at the home of W. R. Bowen. CANNON-GRATTAN Floyd Miller and family of Irving spent Sunday with A. J. Miller and Sunday visitors at A. L. Pant's The Cannon-Grattan Sunday school formity.

Ford? He subscribes \$5,000,000 to the Liberty loan. He's all right. There's no Dodging that. There's no Dodging that. Mrs. New York of them have read "The Sunday guests at Officer Simpson's Simpso were John Simpson and daughter family of Grand Rapids spent the has to banquet the winning side. and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oimstead | week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCormack and family. WHILLES DKIDGE the methods of the United Doctors Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCarthy and Mrs. Rittladraugh passed away at are right. They were among the first

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Monity: Mrs. Earl Fox and children were in Hastings Saturday. Sunday visitors at John Nash, Jr.'s Eimer Lawrence, son Earl and Ea Sunday visitors at John Nash, Jr.'s Eimer Lawrence, son Earl and Ea Culver will speak on "Elementary

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Jeweler and Optometrist

her parents here. in Grand Rapids.

relatives here Sunday.

the Northwestern University, Chi- but convalescing.

Mrs. F. J. Morse,

Cedar Springs High school won he fourth annual championship meet of the Kent County Inter-scholastic Athleticassociation at Ramona Friday afternoon. Arehart Bank of Lowell was third in 50 yard dash, second in 100-yard dash and third in 220 yard dash. In the running high jump Getty of Lowell tied with Cedar Cedar Springs for second place. In the mile run, Horn and Willett of Lowell won first and second place. Lowell was also second in the half mile relay race.



1 Mrs. Chris Bergin entertained Sunday with relatives here. Bruce Stocking is home from ed from Ann Arbor. She is weak afternoon.

Away.

Lowell women know how the aches

evening, June 18, at 8:00 standard

SOUTH VERGENNES

A number of Vergennes people a

FALLASBURG

Mr. Rockwell came with his las

Floyd Walton of Freeport spent and pains that often come when the cago, for the summer vacation. An A No. 1 single buggy, al. Saturday and Sunday with his kidneys fail make life a burden Backache, hip pains, headaches, dizzy

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McCann of spells, annoying bladder troubles, Grand Rapids Sunday evening. Mrs. E. Sweeney and Miss Cora Mrs. E. Sweeney and Miss Cora All are frequent indications of weak kid-mother, Mrs. A. D. Lincoln Mrs. E. Sweeney and Miss Cora

they have never failed to give me re

Repairs are being made in the net "

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Smith and where she took 12% weeks' treat. brick building in Lowell. Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that While plowing Tuesday morn- Mrs. Sinclair had. Foster-Milburn

Announcement has been re. Rev. Laity of Lake Odessa will give

the homes of A. W. Knee and pleasant balsam remedy allays in-flammation, soothes the cough and repairs the tissues. Better be safe of Grand Rapids were in town Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Misner and than sorry. Break up the cold with

tried in Attorney Shivel's office Pauline Whitfield, Eitha Richardson,

ford Co. at Ionia and began work Cuddeback will act as agent dur-there last Monday. John Young ing Mr. Anderson's absence.

his home here and went last Friday to work for Carl James of Vergennes. Lee Rockwell and family and friends Grand Rapids were Sunday guests at Mrs. Janie Sherrard's. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stekette of the Damaged Goods A Vital Drama of Moral Uplifit, in Seven Awe-Inspiring Parts

Admission, 25c.

## Rapids were visitors from Sunday until Tuesday of J. E. Tower and wife. J. E. Tower was at A. G. Steketee's Friday afternoon. Company at Frank Jones' Sunday Friday afternoon. Company at Frank Jones' Sunday Fairchild. Sunday in Grand Rapids. Harold Fairchild of Grand Rapids. Harold Fairchild of Grand Rapids. Sunday in Grand Rapids. Harold Fairchild of Grand Rapids. Sunday in Grand Rapids. Harold Fairchild of Grand Rapids. Sunday in Grand Rapids. Barbar Stream Str

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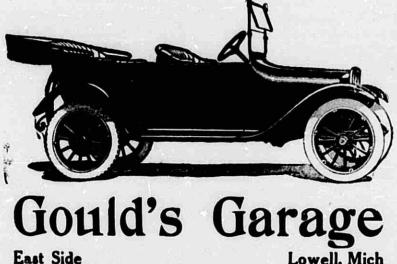
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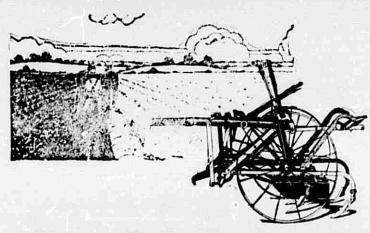
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## SAM RICE, Prop.

MORSE LAKE. Dale Curtiss and slater Bessle spent

Company at Frank Jones' Sunday were Frank Zahm of Lowell, H. Con-verse of Keene and Will Risedale of Smyrna with their families. Frank Jones and family were in Saranac Sunday. Dave Garfield and wife of Moseley were callers Sunday on C. Bieri and wife. John King of Lowell was here Fri-day helping James Stanton. Symathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Stauffer of Vergennes in the lose of their youngest child and only little girl, of 4 years. Nellie May, who was

son, Miss Hale and Judd Balwin and family, all of Grand Rapids. Mrs. L. A. Houghton is under the

watch, and Miss Bessie returned turned with them.

Inst taken his place with the Cut-ter company.
Miss Francis Drew was attend-ing lady at the wedding of her cousin, Miss Florence Malone, to Bed ward S. Carling in St. Al-phonsms church, Grand Rapids, iast week Wednesday morning. Elgin prices. Let us show you the beats separator made, beats all.—Boy-land Creamery, Lowell, undernew management, just north of Shiles that because and with and the desired from volunteering or is father and moter. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reuter, and all will take a several weeks' trip and visit regulars at any time day, where they joined the form-cr's father and moter. Mr. and workfarm, made possible throman workfarm,

Matinee, 2:30; Evening, 7.

be started this week. It is possible that a new building will be constructed on the farm before it is placed in active operation. -Herald.

Wanty farm, are being worked recruiting office. out by the board of control and work of cultivating the land will

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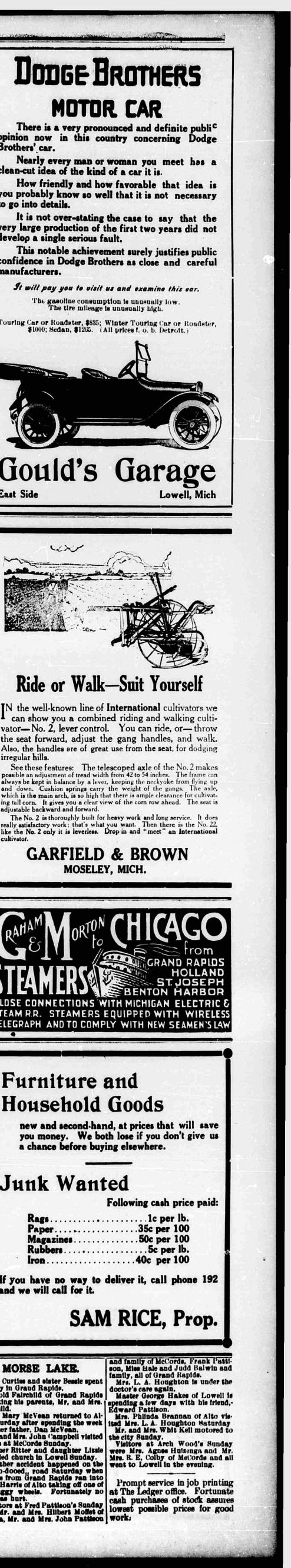
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but a hard-faced clock nurser, showed greater than his father, yet for the the other day that he has a tender spot sake of the fame of a dead man, to under his money pocket. He stopped whom after all it would matter little, at Bellevue hospital and helped a rag- he had thrown away that spiendid opgedly dressed little girl out of his cab, portunity! after which he called to an orderly to This was a new thought to Meade ask: "Where d'ye take sick people and a disturbing one. Unfortunately, the reception ward was, and the chanf- knowledge, the suggestion came too feur led the aged woman and the little late. The course had been entered upgirl into it. "This lady," said the chauf- on. It would be cowardly to try to feur to the doctor, "ain't feeling none change it now. Indeed it would have too good. I sees her leaning against been impossible with the disappeara post on the Bowery, and the little ance of the written protests and notes. one tells me they're flat broke and live Even if Shurtliff had been willing, no Winters Passed the Letter Over to you to help me." way uptown. She don't feel good one would have believed a delayed reenough to even go along up there, but traction and explanation, and Shurtliff the stone-visaged person whistled his was Meade himself. He was glad that situation. He decided finally that so tation." way out to the taxicab .- New York the affair had been settled and would long as he had been born an engineer

Much Untilled Land.



WEB OF STEEL By CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY FATHER AND SON

Convright by Fleming H. Revell Co.

BERT MEADE'S FRIENDS LOSE TRACK OF HIM WHEN HE GOES WEST, CHANGES HIS IDENTITY AND GETS A JOB, BUT THEY SET OUT TO PROVE HIM BLAMELESS OF THE BRIDGE DISASTER

Bertram Meade, Sr., plans an international bridge for the Martlet Construction company. His son, Bertram Meade, Jr., resident engineer at the bridge site, and Helen Illingworth, daughter of Colonel lllingworth, head of the Martlet company, are engaged to marry when the bridge is completed. Young Meade had questioned his father's calculations but was laughed at. The bridge collapses with 150 workmen. Meade, Sr., drops dead after writing a letter for the public, taking all blame for the accident. This letter is hidden by Shurtiffe, a faithful old secretary. Young Meade takes all blame to protect his father's professional honor, breaks the engagement with Helen and disappears.

## CHAPTER XI-Continued.

There would be no engineering on that changes.

Rodney and Meade had been the warmest of friends. Of course Mende could he at last heard the truth, he blamed teard, Cuticura, Dept. L, the nobleness of his self-sacrifice. Th clear-headed, practical Winters put it this way: Meade was capable of doing splendid service to humanity as an 155 lriver of doing anything but his fare, engineer and bade fair to be even

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tragedy and failure of the Internation-al? Although his frank statement was to the eastward over the river. It was not such an undertaking as his father."

of the sort of food, every man, woman reached the Mississippi river. He left Would they unearth it? Well, he had and child is a law to himself, and his seat in the dining car, his dinner done his best for his father, yet he was much of the indigestion deplored is ungaten on the table, to go out and in- glad those two disbelieved and were sponsible at all was more or less little interest for Meade. I have heard an engerly.

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Although his frank statement was corroborated by that of the older Meade's private secretary, I have never been able to believe it, neither does Miss Illingworth. I know Bert, and so does she. We can't have meter the mean of the best of the best

society. She took up life with its de spect the bridge, as he would probably serve from her mind. lous of everyone who might come in contact with her, but he knew the him there. And no one would ever think of looking for him there. And no one would ever based on anything tangible, together. I made a careful search among my parameters of none except Rodney. The marine sunfish (Mola mola) is the rough-bearded work- Perhaps the sum of them may yield pers and by happy chance I found the the tangent from the period of them may yield them the sum of them may yield them the tangent for the sum of them may yield them the sum of them may yield the tangent for the sum of them may yield the tangent for the sum of them may yield the tangent for the sum of them may yield the tangent for the sum of them may yield the tangent for the sum of them may yield the tangent for the tangent for the sum of them may yield the tangent for t

intense energy and a powerful will, quick-tempered and not very receptive "Yes; for confirmation I ascertained that there were ink-stains on his finwas not deterred from beginning things verest stricture from the old man with- gers." by fears of consequences. She was con- out a murmur." vinced that Meade had not told the "Here we have," sale the woman, truth in that famous declaration in his who had listened with strained attenfather's office. She respected him for tion, "an early devotion to a person "The assumption of entire responsihis desire to shield his father's name and an unbounded respect for his at- billty and the exculpation of his son, easiness. If he could only have found and rame even at the expense of his tainments. Go on." probably to some paper." "From the same motives that it and destroyed it himself he would been a woman if she had not resented ordinately proud of his family reputa- prompted Bert?" be suitable to the individual, that it be sound, well cooked and not excessive in quantity. As to the suitability held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and held up for half an hour just as it is the construction of the individual in the train was delayed and have been happines. Could it be in exmuch of the indigestion deplored is caused by kindly tyrants, who insist on their family and guests eating what suits the tyrant and not the victims. One robust and genial head of the

not be immediately adapted to a sup-ply so unwonted in quantity and qual-ity, and if they weakly consent so to There would be no engineering on that ranch on the slopes of the range. He could settle the question there. In the end he handed the letter back to Winters, only charging him that if Winters was glad to see him. He and he wrote to Rodney he must not betray tated by the highest of motives and that he would have done anything on and, furthermore, there is no evidence himself, personally, to Mr. Meade and instead of being a fit subject for cen- earth to save his father, even at the of any signature having been written so he became his private secretary sure and condemnation, he merited ad- sacrifice of his own career, and since I beneath it." sore and condemnation, he interfed au sacrince of ms own career, and since I "Is that all?" "Is that all?" "Is that all?" "There is one more bit of evidence. In the dead man on the dead man ually, perhaps in spite of her lover. Rodney said this quite simply, as if The sheet of paper on which the deand to this end she applied herself as it were a matter of course, rather than sign computations for the compression spoke with fine conviction. siduously to solve the problem. a compliment, and bluntly as he might chord members appear was not with To her, at her request, came Rod- have said it to a friend and comrade, the other plans and tracings of the ney. Now the reporters had dealt very and Helen Illingworth understood and bridge." gently with Helen Illingworth. They was grateful. had made no announcement of the en- "It has been a grief to me that I "These plans were taken over by her's earnest request. There was no said simply. necessity of bringing her into the "I shouldn't put it that way exact- them. We found that sheet missing." bridge story, although it would have ly," observed Rodney carefully, "You "It's wonderful!" cried the girl, her added a dramatic touch to their nar- see even if it could be shown that it eyes shining. "I was convinced beratives. Her inclination had been to was the old man's fault entirely the fore, but, if I had not been, you would avow it. But upon reflection she saw young one would still have to share have persuaded me beyond a doubt." t would have annoyed her father be- some of the blame." per her in her work. She realized "I think he did, but if he did forethat she had Rodney to thank for this see it and point it out, he should not He Who Would Reach the Goal of His Where the Cheetah Is Given a Chance. omission and after she had time to col- have allowed the older man to overawe lect herself she asked him to call upon him or force him to accept what he beher. He was very glad to come. "I sent for you, Mr. Rodney, on ac- don't know whether he reasoned it out. Success, to be achieved in reality, The "formal" cheetah hunt, which by count of Mr. Bertram Meade," she be- I don't think he had time to argue the must be mentally lived for months, sure to constitute a part of the enter-

was Meade himself. He was glad that the affair had been settled and would the affair had been settled and would not change it even now though Win-ters' rough-and-ready presentation of

The department of agriculture esti-mates that only 27 per cent of the till-wrought and unstrung his friend was, ability and experience, but under some wrought and unstrung his friend was, ability and experience, but under some as a man of honor he could do no less." qualities merit and would evoke in in history, but unless you are disposed utation for hospitality is held to hang "Mother," he said, "this is the pedi contented nimself with the assertion. Assumed name he would begin at the did not press the point or argue it with him. He rested quietly confident der as a rodman, if he could; and an a little bitterly. "Your notions are "Mother," he said, "this is the pedi-the mind of a discerning woman." "Mother," he said, "this is the pedi-the mind of a discerning woman." "Mother," he said, "this is the pedi-the mind of a discerning woman." "Mother," he said, "this is the pedi-the mind of a discerning woman." "On the could; and "Thank you. Will you go on, now?" that matters would right themselves then he would work on quietly, faiththat matters would right themselves then he would work on quietly, faith-r some way in the long run. He treated fully, obscurely, praying for his chance. e Meade exactly right. He left him to If it came he would strive to be equal (1) of course you know that what we than you are now. Look about you at the point of course you know that what we than you are now. Look about you at the point of course you know that what we than you are now. Look about you at the point of course you know that what we than you are now. Look about you at the point of course you know that what we than you are now. Look about you at the point of course you know that what we than you are now. Look about you at the point of course you know that what we the cases where good luck seems to have attended the efforts of well-ing that the cheatable is soon for north. The point of th w. This includes large areas not his own devices. He did not force his to the opportunity; if it did not at least "And yet if we weren't honorable" "It's as true as gospel," said the girl known workers of today. You will ing that the cheetah is seen far nearer Mother, Bill Hite's pigeon."

> gineer would mount a horse-and all an honest way. at the ranch were at his disposal-and It was a very humble program, not it was a very humble program. would ride away into the woods and mountains with a camping outfit. Some-just a beginning. He would work on

does she. We can't accept even his own testimony. We have been working together to establish the truth, but | building this steel bridge and they had avowal by one who, though young, was with very faint prospects of success so just finished the arch up under the already an authority in the literature far. There's some tremendous mystery mesa. A well-known construction com- of engineering. "Why do you say that? far. There's some tremendous mystery about it. I have thought that maybe Meade might have come to you. If he has show him this letter and beg him Meade's engineering life had been Meade might have come to you. If he has show him this letter and beg him to tell us the exact truth at any rate." Dent mainly out of the United States. ever, but I know Bert Meade as few Winters passed the letter over to He had never been connected with the people know him, Miss Illingworth. Meade without comment. The en- Martlet and its employees until he had perhaps not even you," he went on, in gineer read it with passionate eager. been associated with his father on the spite of her unspoken, but vigorous He was hungry for any news of International. He could have gone protest at that last statement, as she Helen Illingworth. Rodney was call- among them with little danger of im- shook her head and smiled at him. ing upon her. A sharp pang of jealousy mediate discovery, since most of the "And there are several little circumthrough him at that, although he men he had known had gone down with stances that make me feel that he there was no reason. Dear old the bridge, but he decided not to do could not have been to blame. Have Rodney! He could see his grave face, so. The work on the dam would be you any ground for your conviction?" his disapproving manner, his air of un-bellef, as he had taken down Meade's tunity to betray himself and it would and yet I, too, know him." Helen Ilwords in the office that tragic day, give him more chance to work up in a lingworth looked into the plain, home-Of course, Helen Illingworth was not plausible and reasonable way. Besides, ly, but strong, reliable face of the recluse as he was. She mingled in if Colonel Illingworth came on to in- man and dismissed any thought of re- "The King Could Do No Wrong." mands. She entered into its pleasures do. Meade would have to leave before "Let us place," she began, "the little separated he wrote me a letter about oughly with clean water and then use pearl from the River Ythan has adoraand fulfalled its duties. He was jea- his arrival. The dam would be safer. circumstances upon which our intui- it, adding some new arguments to re- in metal polish.

structural steel. But what was the boy was as clear as a bell on most "Oh, Shurtliff !" use? He would not dare trust himself things, but I recall that he would main- "We'll come to him presently. It to the sheet that we lack, and Mr. 

gan, after thanking him for his cour- case, the shock was so swift and sud- sometimes for years, before it arrives. tainment provided by any one of a "Mother." he said. "I want a dollar tesy toward her the day the older den, but as soon as he did see the situ- Napoleon, with his dreams of power couple of dozen of the most prominent to buy a pigeon." "I shall be delighted to do so for affection, which he could not accept, d'Arc, with her dreams of freeing her thing, tamer and more tiresome than birds averaging ten cents. you can fix her, doc. Here, miss, this half buck'il get her home. After which well knew. Neither for that matter had plenty of time to think over the interested you are in Meade's rehabili- may all be the wildest speculation, but rightful throne, accomplished her dethis is the way it presents itself to sires through the very force and the torpid quarry and still more elabo-

the areas not bis own devices. He did not force his to the opportunity; if it did not at least company upon him. Sometimes the en- he would be engaged in honest work in "Yes, I suppose that's it. Well, I do "To you and to me, yes, Well," he is the person who reaches his goal is the when the game, frightened and con-



names of none except Rodney. And they were suspicious of his soul. Of course Eelen Ilingworth was sumption of the bianey assumption of the size assumption of the size assumption of the size assumption of the size assumption of the bianey assump

owed himself to be persuaded by his "I have perstaded myself, too," said FAIR er man is right. We know now, and prove it." Bertram Meade, Sr., would admit it if "You are wrong," said he were alive, that Schmidt-Chemnitz "Shurtliff." guess that young Meade did not let it you." pass without a protest." "Mr. Rodney, it's wonderful."

Marshaling the Evidence. For all her sweetness and light, Helen Illingworth was dowered with king could do no wrong. Meade was "Yes; for confirmation I ascertained

> "What did he write and to whom?" "I don't know. I can only guess." "What do you guess?"

probably to some paper."

"How do you know?"

e Martlet company after Meade' death, and Mr. Curtiss and I examined

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Desires Cannot Admit Possibility of Defeat.

specially painted on another, with the djuration, "If you must shoot, shoot

act, I suppose that Bertram Meade, thing here that would justify any pub-Sr., was a greater authority on steel licity, even if we were prepared to go bridge designing than even Schmidt- against Meade's obvious desire. As I Chemnitz. Well, sometimes, the small- say, it is all assumption. No one could was right, and we can make a good "I wondered if that would occur to

"Of course. You think that Meade. Sr., wrote a letter assuming the blame "Well, that's not all. There was not because it was his. I have no doubt a little bit of hesitation in Meade's assumption of the blame, not a person who heard it doubted it, apparently But I was the first man to see the older Meade as though the bit of hesitation in Meade's had made his protest in writing. Per-haps he indorsed it on the missing sheet," continued the woman, making hold and builtent measure it is a sometimes it seemed as though hold and builtent measure it is a sometimes it seemed as though hold and builtent measure it is a sometimes it seemed as though hold and builtent measure it is a sometimes it seemed as though and the clang and the clash of the old man was not always right. The Meade except his son and Shurtliff." bold and brilliant guesses. "Or maybe he wrote a letter that was attached



By his own showing he had been with the dead man on that afternoon. He

Fate, it seems, has marked a strange pathway for young Meade to follow. Things begin new job. There are interesting developments in the next i

(TO BE CONTINUED.) it would have annoyed her father be sould of the should have foreseen MUST KEEP SUCCESS IN MIND "FORMAL" HUNT POOR SPORT

### However, It is Something of a Different Matter.

strength of her thoughts. To her it rate precautions against anyone but it's cheap at a dollar." the engagement broken." is suppose so. That would be like fortune." which the spiritual voices had bidden her pursue. The pursue of the dollar and left to buy his blooded bird. He returned with the find in practically every instance that the limit of its really phenomenal

variably gets. One of the newest de-signs was developed by a prize contest with the bundle in his arms. He rushed corn, root and all, lifts right off. in Illinois. The prize-winning design forward and tapped the woman to This drug dries at once and simply the names of towns and distances in turned to face a woman who asked at any drug store will cost very little a second s

## Stone Age Pearls.

Pearls were one of three possessions for which our wonded British ances- "Say, Elmira, who's that chap com-Removing Rust From Nickel. tors were mainly respected in the an- ing here so much evenings?" First smear the rusted place with cient world, the other two being tin "He's a man, pa, I've engaged to imgrease and rub it well in; this in itself and oysters. The Romans found pearls will frequently remove a great deal of as plentiful as blackberries, and Julius the school of Eros." the rust. Allow the grease to remain Caesar dedicated to Venus Genetrix a "What were you doing last night, or several hours and then remove it breastplate studded with British when Benny said you and he made a with a rag which has been dipped in pearls. These were probably obtained noise that sounded like kissing?" born spot or two remains, wipe it with pearis" have existed on many rivers of "That so? I'll tan that little rase a little diluted hydrochloric acid. The Ireland, Scotland and Wales from time | cal's hide, blame him !" acid should be used very quickly and immemorial, notably in the River with care, otherwise it will remove the Strule, near Omagh. Pearl fishing is nickel as well as the rust. When all now discouraged by riparian owners, the rust has disappeared wash thor- in the interests of salmon. But a fine dime." ed the crown of Scotland, and a Weish food goes; but I doubt if it's nourish-



Pinkham's Vegetable

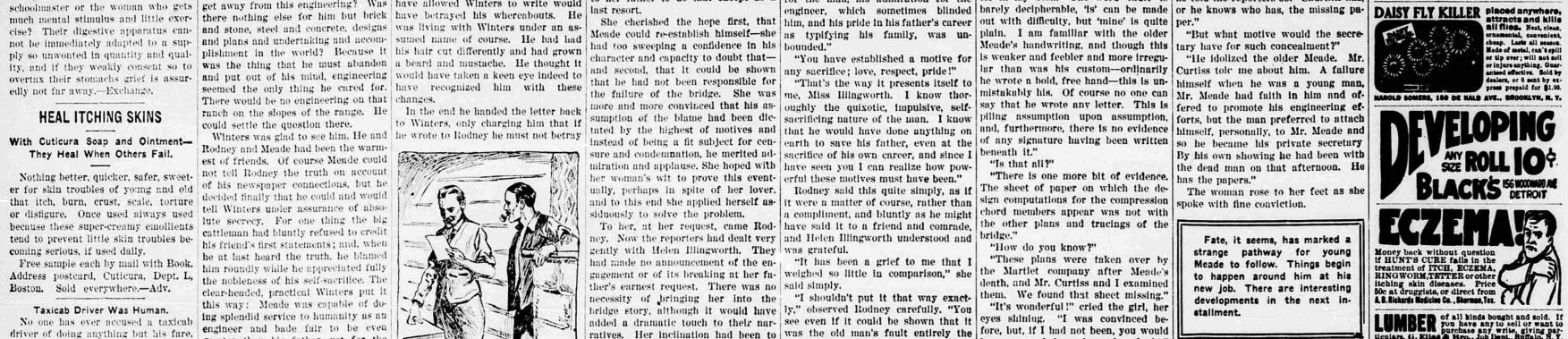
any longer. was all in my lower organs. At times I could hardly walk, for if I stepped on a little stone I would almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was at for and the doc-

tor came. I was ta-ken to the hospital and stayed four weeks but when I came some I would faint just the same and ad the same pains. A friend who is a nurse asked me to

try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the cospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug-store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home." - Mrs. W. C. BROWN, 2844 W. 12th St., Cleveland, Ohio. DON'T CUT OUT

A Shoe Boil, Capped Aock or Bursitis FOR

## ABSORBINE



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Blue Blood. Bushrod was establishing a pigeon coop of his own, emulating his neighbor. Bill Hite, in arranging the financial promotion of this venture, he went

Mende died and thereafter. "I want ation he discovered that you were lost and conquest, realized them more fully native chiefs of northern India for Mother thought a dollar a rather anyway, except of the charity of your than any other man. Jeanne his distinguished guests, is, if angyour own sake. I know how deeply and that he could save his father. This country and setting her king on his a state tiger hunt, with the latter's "But, mother," Bushrod said, earn-

pedigreed pigeon. With its pedigree

## YOUR CORNS

OFF WITH FINGERS

stand up under the abuse it almost in- car reached her destination and the a tender, aching corn, instantly re-

calls for a post which is built of con- whom he thought it belonged on the shrivels up the corn or callus without crete throughout. Another concrete shoulder. She glared at him and said even irritating the surrounding skin. post which is finding favor has even testily, "Sir." He apologized and A small bottle of freezone obtained

concrete letters. In the West much angrily, "How dare you touch bun but will positively remove every hard damage is done by hunters and others, dies that do not belong to you?" The or soft corn or callus from one's feet. who shoot the signboards full of holes, conductor promised the crowd on the If your druggist hasn't stocked this The newest post in this region has its platform that he wouldn't dare in the new drug yet, tell him to get a small directions on one board, and a target future .-- Worcester Evening Post. bottle of freezone for you from his wholesale drug house,-adv.

## Mental Improvements

ammonia. This usually will remove all from fresh water mussels with dis-traces of the rust. If, however, a stub-torted shells. Fisheries for these "seed through some osculatory exercises."

### -----Cheap Enough.

"Oh, John, the baby has swallowed a "Well, the diet isn't expensive,

## Immaculate.

## Nan of Music Mountain By FRANK H. SPEARMAN (Copyright by Charles Scribner's Sons) DARING IN MORE WAYS THAN ONE, DE SPAIN TELLS NAN THAT SOME DAY HE AND SHE WILL BE MARRIED

-SHE DOESN'T LIKE IT.

Henry De Spain, general manager of the stage coach line running rom the Thief River mines to Sleepy Cat, a railroad division town in the Rocky Mountains, is trying to rid the region of a band of horse thieves, cattle rustlers and gunmen known as the Morgan gang. They live in Morgan Gap, a fertile valley 20 miles from Sleepy Cat and near Calabasas where the coach horses are changed. De Spain has killed two of the gang and has been seriously wounded. Pretty Nan Morgan, niece of the gang leader, has saved his life and he is trying to make love to her, but receives no encouragement.

## CHAPTER XIII-Continued.

She caught her cousin's arm. "Stay give it a thought."

"When I come back, I'll give you what "What do you mean?" you're looking for."

more of you. Stop!" With one hand still on his revolver, he pointed the way. "Go down that trail first, Mor-gan. Stay where you are, girl, till he gets down that hill. You won't pot the felt it questioningly, hurriedly, start of the pointed the whisper. He felt it questioningly, hurriedly, the point of me over her shoulder for a while yet. then with amazement. "Not a car- hung diamondlike in the heavens and the gap to find out.

He looked at the darkening sky. "They said you should never leave er he could get past the waiting traps. In the barrooms. De Spain, according-

eration: "Don't ever give me a chance cartridges around him.

d, fear and distrust burning in her He had drawn his revolver from his came.

worth it." "You know-" He could see her resolute underlip, pink with fresh young self. Except for your cartridge, the ing at a leisurely pace up the Thief "Your fault, Bull." blood, quiver with intensity of feeling gun is empty. When you do that you River road. The barnman scrutinized "Say!" Up went the broken brim,

"May God wither my tongue before ahead of mine-name him, or them, had dismounted in front of the barn- "Bull, is old Duke Morgan a Repub-

said swiftly. "Listen: a trail around spite of her refusal, made her do his man rubbed his eyes hard before he De Spain's question, but answered in this mountain leads out of the gap, straight across the face of El Capi-belt, and waited for her to slip them de Spain into the barn office. "I can make it."

"A good climber can do it-I have done it. I'd even go with you, if I "Why?"

She shook her head angrily at what

"See," she said, triling him eagerly to left untouched. "Who is nearest and have thought its occupants, if there the line of Mr. John Woods of the ing Archie Roosevelt approached him "follow that trail, the one to the east- "My Uncle Duke." you can't get lost; you can reach El "Then I never will raise a hand could be heard. The night man threw his line over the bird, and somehow kin?" Capitan before dark-it's very close. against your Uncle Duke. And this open the door. By the light of two he actually succeeded in looping the "Certainly," Governor Walsh said, Creep carefully across El Capitan on man, tonight—this cousin—Gale? Nan, stage-lamps, one set on the dresser line round its left wing in such a man-keeping a grave face, "in a minute, be side there is a wide one clear down to "I hate him." the road-oh, do be careful on El Capi- "Thank God! So do I!"

"I'll be careful." "I must watch my chance to get mine." way from the corral with a horse. If "Unless he tries to kill you." I fail it will be because I am locked "He won't be very long in trying when De Spain walked into the room length of line beyond it, with a ten-"Aren't you the butler?" he asked, up at home, and you must hide and that. And now, what about yourself? and, with the night man tiptoeing be- ounce sinker at the end, it might have doubtfully. will surmise of this, I don't know." "Go now, this minute," he said, restraining his words. "If you don't come, I shall know why." She turned without speaking, and, fearless as a chamois, ran down the rocks. De Spain, losing not a moment, bobbled rapidly up along the granitewalled passage that led the way to his chance for life.

### CHAPTER XIV.

A Venture in the Dark. Pushing his way hastily forward when he could make haste; crawling slowly on his hands and knees when held by opposing rock; flattening himself like a leech against the face of the precipice when the narrowing ledge left him only inches under foot ; clinging with torn hands to every favoring crevice, and pausing when the peril was extreme for fresh strength, De Spain dragged his injured foot across the sheer face of El Capitan in the last shadows of the day's failing

Spent by his effort, De Spain reached the rendezvous Nan had indicated, as nearly as the stars would tell him, by ten o'clock. It was only after a long and doubtful hour that he heard the muffled footfalls of s horse. He stood What have you got to defend yourself pile of chips. "Gentlemen," he said early as 1885 at the little village of concealed among the smaller trees un- against him, and against every other lightly, "this game is interned." He Wrangell, til he could distinguish the outlines of drunken man?" the animal, and his eye caught the fig- She laid her own pistol without a table over Elpaso's shoulder. "Henry," ure of the rider. De Spain stepped out of the

and, moving toward Nan, caught her "That's a good defender—when it's in thunder did you do it?" hand and helped her to the ground. She enjoined silence, and led the one." horse into the little grove. Stopping "It will never be at home again ex-well within it, she stooped and be- cept when I am." gan rearranging the mufflers on the "Shall I tell you a secret?"

"I'm afraid I'm too late," she said. ingly. "How long have you been here?" She "We are engaged to be married." to a bed in the Sleepy Cat hospital, De "Not hay. Gasoline. Dis vas a moder self?" faced De Spain with one hand on the She sprang from him like a deer. "It's Spain had no escape from one week of car, nod a horse." pony's shoulder. "Did you have any falls?"

"You see I'm here. You! How "You need never talk again like that moved him the first moment he found that if you want to be friends with could get out of bed and into a saddle though evil follows not behind. "Why. when they treat a mar make him pay for it."

"They are hiding on both trails-out- time. I waited till all the men stopped own marauding relatives.

She began to unbutton her jacket. "I could ride a razorback-why take anyone. "Bring your friends," said De Spain Throwing back the revers, she felt all that trouble for me?" tauntingly. "I'll accommodate four inside around her waist, unfastened "If you don't start while you have De Spain's having seen Nan or having more of you. Stop!" With one hand after a moment and drew forth a leath-n chance, you undo everything I have heard of her being seen, the conclu-

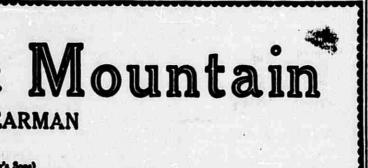
"You should never have taken that

t out. "Load it for me, Nan."

"But he is a cousin."

"Then I suppose he must

THE LOWELL LEDGER



little bit of lead and brass on the again.

almost up. You must go."

and- ride for it. But since you have-." yet lived and could yet laugh; none

among them whose life ought to come the figure. But when the night rider Bull chuckled. will. He guided her hand to draw the could believe them. Then he uttered

"Now, Nan," he said, "you know me. down, forbade the barnman to disturb You may have doubts-they will all them, on y asking who they were,

Frank Elpaso nor McAlpin-looked up rately, and had it not been for the not smile. something unusual.

Scott, picking up his cards one at a its capters.

ooked from one to the other of the away. remaining players to read the weather Eskimos Being Educated.

rose and put a silent hand across the -

### CHAPTER XV. -----

Strategy. "What is it?" asked Nan unsuspect- man of action such a week is longer hand to his ear. a dead secret," he said gravely; "no- thinking, and for that week he thought body knows it yet-not even you." about Nan Morgan. And the impulse

me," she said indignantly. "I hate | was to spur his way hard and fast to her; to make her, against a score what you're responsible for y'self," re-"Hate it if you will; it's so. And of burly cousins, his own; and never torted Bull with a grin. "Pity y' left It began when you handed me that to release her from his sudden arms any chips at all from that Calab

"I'll hate you if you persecute me out further careful thinking, and not drew some currency from his pocket the way Gale does. The moon is without anticipating every chance of and handed a bill to Page. "Go get "how you get away at all." They had situation, brush them aside, and have tongue short." walked out of the trees. He looked his will if the heavens fell; and he "Right-o!" reluctantly to the east. "Tell me and now set himself, while doing his rou-I'll go," he promised. "You understand." "You understand." "Take it from old Bull Page, he's a ed till the house was all quiet. Then with, struggle with the woman, or girl, knows his friends." back I got up to my room without be- fragile she was-this girl who had ing seen, and sat at the window a long given him back his life against her

"Take me away, Gale," cried Nan. will be up—" She seemed very anxious. The window and down the kitchen roof, absorbing him in an unusual, even an "Leave him here-take me home! De Spain made light of her fears. "I'll and let myself down to the ground. extraordinary way, yet none could arget past them—I've got to, Nan. Don't sy give it a thought." Some more men came past, and I hid on the porch and slipped over to the it was. The one man in the country right where you are," should Mor- "I don't know what you'll think of horse barns and found a hackamore, who could have surmised the situagan, pointing at De Spain, and follow- me-" He heard the troubled note and went down to the corral and hunt- tion between the two-the barn boss, ed around till I found this little pinto McAlpin-if he entertained suspicions, -she's the best to ride bareback." was far too pawky to share them with

ne over her shoulder for a while yet. Move!" Morgan took the path sullenly, De Spain covering every step he took. Be-hind De Spain Nan stood waiting for her cousin to get beyond earshot. "Where you left it." the exclaimed. "Use mode no answer." "Where you left it." the eastern sky across the distant des-ert paled for the rising moon. The two, standing at the horse's head, lis-tened a moment together in the dark-ness. De Spain, leaning forward, said something in a low, laughing voice. "Where wou left it." Nothing in the way of a venture could be more foolhardy—this he ad-mitted to himself—nothing, he con-soled himself by reflecting, but some-ting stronger than danger could jus-tify it. Of all the motley Morgan fol-"How?" She was silent. "When?" Nan made no answer. Then, bending, lowing within the moutey atorgan for-lowing within the mountain fastness Covering Morgan, who could whiri on him at any turn in the descent, De back tonight?" "Tonight." "Tonight." "Have you been to Calabasas and he took ner nand and, before she could count on but one man to ner him in the slightest degree—this was the derelict, Buil Page. There was no Spain could not look at her in answer-ing. "Looks pretty rocky, doesn't it?" "Everybody but Sassoon is in the "He will start the whole gap as soon chase," she replied uneasily—as if not chase," she replied uneasily—as if not chase, the stood, listening for a shot—won-she stood, listening for a shot—won-easily enlisted, for the Calabasas affair Ten Years Ago I Had Horses to Lend knowing what to say, or how to say it. dering, breathless at moments, wheth-had made a heroic figure of De Spain Every Man 'Tween Here and Thief

as she faltered. "You know what ev-ery man says of every girl-foolish, used against your own except to pro- There was something strange and shaking smile, "you turned some trick trusting, easy to deceive-everything tect my life. And if you have any something familiar in the outlines of on that Calabasas crew-some fight,"

ever it speaks to deceive you, Nan." "There's not a moment to lose," she now. Do as I tell you—load the gun." door, turned his horse loose, and, limp-He took hold of her hands and, in ing stiffly walked forward on foot, the Bull looked surprised at the turn of

in the darkness into the empty cyl-inder, to close the breech, and hand room upstairs right now," he declared. Remarkable Feat That is Credited to Reason Why Massachusetts Chief Ex. "Any man would what?" queried the bulging with shock. De Spain, sitting a Member of the New York Fire Department

he dared show in his eyes. "Oh, keep tridges in his revolver with my own answering twice as many, the barnman hand fishline, is told by a correspond- self at a dinner given to some of his Footsore and weary, the stranded hands, and I know he won't abuse the at De Spain's request helped him up- ent of the New York Sun. A number friends in Washington recently. means of defense I gave him myself.' stairs. Beside himself with excite- of fishermen were on board, he says. Some months ago, while he was gov- the well-known tie route. "I can't go, because to do any good again, Nan." He waited for her to and the other on De Spain's shoulder. the starboard side of the top deck. ter in Boston. I must meet you with a horse out-side." again, Nan." He waited for ner to and the other on De Spain's shoulder. "You couldn't have come," he whis-a dive for a bergle that was floating not introduced to all of the guests "Cheer up, old man." rejoined the He only looked silently at her, and fense," he continued, passing from a The entryway was dark, and from on the water a short distance from the because of their large numbers. Some low comedian. "That is only ten miles she turned her eyes from his gaze. subject that he perceived was better the silence within the room one might bont, between two lines, but nearer time in the early hours of the morn-apiece."

and the other on a window ledge, four ner that it could not escape.

hind, advanced composedly toward the been necessary to reel it down from "No, my name is Walsh; I am govgroup. Even then his presence would he sky instead of up from the sen. have passed unnoticed, but that Bob When it was brought to the deck and oly. Scott's ear mechanically recorded the found itself in the strong but not untrained intelligence merely notice of seemed frightened, angry and disgust-

given up for dead must have been, no ary; but above all the other volces I muscle of Bob Scott's body moved, heard a self-appointed counsel for the His expression of surprise slowly dis- prisoner, piending for its liberty with

suspicious eyes never rose above the lines again, got the bergle it started when he had thumbed his cards and looked from to get, and then leisurely flew her over in summary and the summary flewer. Little Lenuel—Say, paw, this paper has an article headed. "The Flush of Victory." What does that mean?

in unwonted expression, and looked to kimos in Alaska, for there are now out the air. eyes, at the sight of the thinned, fa- teachers, 11 physicians, nine nurses, "What do you think of that?" ig fellow spread one hand out, his districts, with about fifteen schools to wickedly, "my word, my word, my

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He Was Deaf. who was deaf.

One week went to repairs. To a "Hey!" said the farmer, putting his spent it all."

Optimistic Thought.

faith: "Duke votes 'most any ticket that's again the railroad." "How about picking a couple of good barnmen over in the gap, Bull?" "What kind of a job y' got?" "See McAlpin the next time you're over at Calabasas. How about that girl that live: with Duke?" Bull's face lighted. "Nan! Say she's a little hummer!" "I hear she's gone down to Thie river, teaching school." "Came by Duke's less'n three hours ago. Seen her in the kitchen makin' bread.' "They're looking for a schoolteacher lown there, anyway. Much sickness in he gap lately, Bull?" "On'y sickness I knowed lately is

Job. eh?" mountain tonight, to defend your life and mine." With De Spain to think was to do; "See McAlpin, Bull, next time you're over Calabasas way. Here"-De Spain

failure. And his manner was to cast your hair cut. Don't talk too much-"You haven't told me," he persisted, up all difficulties and obstacles in a wear your whiskers long and your

"After I went up to my room I wait- ticular thing-to see, talk to, plead world's wonder of a sucker, but he boy, I was chiefly interested in the ex-I started for Calabasas. When I came rather-child, even, to his thoughts, so "But remember this-you don't know



He looked at the darkening sky. "They won't be very active on the job before morning." Morgan was at a safe distance. De Bpain turned to Nan. Her eyes were bent on him as if they would pierce bent on him as if they would pierce bim through. "If I save your life-" will you?" Steadily returning her appealing gaze, De Spain answered with delib-eration: "Don't ever give me a chance comed, in her keen suspense, a sound wouldn't believe it," he said, impart-t of some kind, some reminder that he ing a cheerful confidence, "but ten principal figures at the end of a bankman 'tween here and Thief river." He the next day to interview McAlpin he waistband. He broke it now and held . . . . . nodded toward Sleepy Cat with a received more advice, with a strong Day was breaking when the night wrecked smile, and by a dramatic burr, about keeping his own counsel, "What do you mean?" boss, standing in the doorway at the the words: "They've got 'em all." until an opening presented itself on chance the broken hat-brim fell with and a little expense money to run him the pay roll.

> Comes one of the big moments In the life of Henry De Spain and Nan Morgan. You will want to read about it in the next installment-great stuff!

CAUGHT OSPREY IN FISHLINE GOVERNOR WAS NOT ANNOYED

ecutive Did Not Resent His Being Mistaken for Butler.

die. You will hear many stories about When he had asked half a dozen How a fisherman lassoed and cap- Here's a good one that ex-Governor me-but you will say: 'I put the car- more leisurely questions and avoided tured an osprey, or fishhawk, with a Walsh of Massachusetts told on him-

and-death struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but the end of the struggle at cards. No voice they were far beyond, but they were far beyond they broke the tense silence, not even when the door was thrown broadly open. No one-neither Lefever, Scott, in the big bird. It struggled despe-in the big bird. It struggled despe-in the big bird. It struggled despe-tor the suspicious. A well-trained butler does

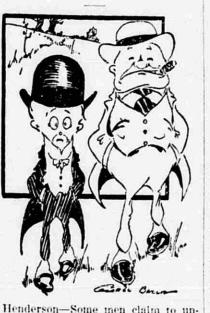
Scott's ear mechanically recorded the tound lisen in the energy fishermen, it "Oh, that's all right," Walsh said, "I facing her wash." of seemed frightened, angry and disgust-ed; but, strange to say, it did not fight can understand your mistake. I fre-quently have noticed that the butler

her eyes in surprise, and then flew to Paw-It means a royal flush, son. her perch, where she rocked herself to and fro in deep and speechless assignals, he perceived on Scott's face Education is well along with the es- tonishment, while the machine ground where the scout's gaze was turned for 77 schools for, their use, with an en-"There, Polly!" said Mrs. Boodle, shot?" an explanation of it. Lefever's own rollment of 3,563, in addition to 109 when the song had come to an end. "Yes, ma'am," replied little Johnnie What do you think of that?" miliar face behind Elpaso's chair, and three hospital attendants. The "My word!" shrieked the old bird, before it was shot." starting, opened like full moons. The native villages are divided up into five her head on one side, and winking

Investing for Baby. The visitor had forgotten how young so much valuable time in asking for CARS \$685 the baby was and when about to leave | what can be had for the taking." word in De Spain's hand. He felt it, he exclaimed impassively, "one ques- A foreign chauffeur driving outside gave Bobble half a doltar for himself feur, "vere I can get some gasoline, money?" asked his mother. than ten years of service. But chained "Himmel!" cried the chauffeur, money to help buy a book for your-

out of date before she is big enough exceptional class."





derstand women. Henpeck-They are mostly Tall Buildings.

Oh, see the elevator slide, Along its pathway sheeting far that when you take a ride You think that you're commuting.

Undoubtedly. "Yes," observed the party who occa

unperturbed. "But, believe me, I never There can never be any real doubts ment, the night boss turned, grinning and we were anchored with lines out ernor, Mr. Walsh was a guest at a re- "By my halidom !" exclaimed the Adv or misunderstandings between us as he laid one hand on the doorknob in every direction. I was fishing from ception given by Mrs. Mabel Hunt Sla-heavy tragedian, as he caught sight of a signboard. "'Tis still twenty miles

"She's upstairs washing her

"Then tell her she had better come

Will Bear Watching.

"I don't care. Her smile is artifi-

Naturally.

"Now, Johnnie," queried the teacher,

"can you tell me the size of a bird-

Foolish Follow.

Much the Same

Their Case.

"Would you be angry if I asked you

A Peace Emergency "Say, where's the missus?"

down and see the laundress who's here

the as Lefever dealt, raised his eyes. Someone suggested killing it, and is the best-looking man in the room at "Oh, well, her complexion is the real Startling as the sight of the man one man urged sending it to an avi- a Back Bay party."-Boston Post. thing, at any rate."

Mrs. Boodle was proud of her parrot. "That's not so bad." solved into a grin that mutely invited an oratory effective if not classical a wise and wily old bird; but she was "Furthermore, she kisses all her the others, as he had found out for "Aw, let the poor fellow go!" And prouder still of the new phonos woman friends effusively. That's a himself, to find out for themselves. Lefever finished his deal, threw down the pack, and picked up his hand. His emerthedence

cards hidden within it, and with the district. The first school for es. word! You've got the old man boxed other hand prudently drew down his kimos in Alaska was established as up this time, and no mistake!" for a kiss?" queried the bachelor. Contraction of the second seco

far into the country ran out of gas- and one for the baby. "And I bought oline, but chanced to meet a farmer that book you said I might have if I "Did you ever buy a gold brick?" had the money," he told his mother. asked the very young man. "Tell me, please," asked the chauf-"Tell me, please," asked the chauf-"And what did you do with the baby's "Well," replied the middle-nged man with the absent hair, "several years Der automobile has stopped already." "Oh, the book cost a dollar and I ago I married a girl whose father declared she was worth her weight in "But is that fulr to take the baby's gold."

"But, mother, the half-dollar will be "Doctors in one way are a

to spend it, and when I get through "What way is that?"





