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Four Days' Fair.

September 23d to 26th.

Directors Meet and Make Plans for the County Fair this Fall.

The Board of Directors of the Charlevoix County Fair Association were in session here Thursday to make arrangements for their Eighteenth Annual Fair. A remarkable feature of the meeting was the large attendance, all but two of the directors being present.

It was decided to hold a four days' Fair this year and the dates were fixed at Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 23d, 24th, 25th and 26th.

Committees were appointed to make all needed repairs on buildings and fences and to fit up the race track in the best possible condition.

Some changes were made in the premium list in minor details but the greatest innovation was in the matter of offering prizes for Grange exhibits. In past years prizes have been offered for fruit exhibits entered by Granges but this year the Directors have decided to increase the prizes offered as well as to include displays of grains and vegetables. Accordingly the following offers will be incorporated in this year's premium list:

For best Grange display of fruits, \$20.00; second \$10.00; third \$5.00.

For best Grange display of vegetables, \$20.00; second, \$10.00; third, \$5.00.

For best Grange display of cereals, \$20.00; second, \$10.00; third, \$5.00.

The Grange fruit exhibits in years past have been very large and we are of the opinion that under the new arrangement it will be necessary to provide more room to take care of the displays of grains and vegetables.

Superintendents for the different divisions were chosen as follows:

Division A—Horses—Martin Rubling.

Division B—Cattle—William H. Jaquays.

Division C—Swine—Henry Nowland.

Division D—Sheep—Van R. Newville.

Division E—Poultry—Robert Paddock.

Division F—Farm Implement—Robert Trimble.

Division G—Grain and Vegetables—Richard Lewis and A. B. Goucher.

Division H—Fruits—John Newville and Robert Price.

Division I—Dairy Products—Mrs. D. S. Payton and Mrs. Robt. Price.

Division J—Fancy Work, etc.—Miss Aylla Burdick, Mrs. Robt. Paddock, and Mrs. W. A. Whitman.

Division K—Flowers, Plants, etc.—Mrs. N. L. Cash and Mrs. A. Bush.

Division L—Miscellaneous—H. M. Enos.

Division M—School Work—Abel W. Chew.

Division N—Speed—W. A. Whitman, B. W. Miller, W. L. French.

The following officers and directors were present at the meeting:—President, D. S. Payton; Secretary, C. A. Hudson; Treasurer, Chas. Hipp; Directors, Richard Lewis, Henry Nowland, A. W. Chew, J. H. Lanway, M. Rubling, Robt. Paddock, Robt. Price, Robt. Trimble, Mrs. Alex. Bush and Mrs. N. L. Cash.

WAS WASTING AWAY.

The following letter from Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well."

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NOTICE.

Bids will be received by the undersigned up to and including Monday, June 9th for making water taps and materials used in connection therewith stating kind of material upon which bids are based.

CHAS. A. HUDSON,
Village Clerk.

When the people of Havana awoke last Friday morning they saw on the wreck of the Maine an evidence of thoughtfulness and appreciation on the part of President Palma, who ordered that the wreck, which stands as a monument for more than 200 brave Americans, be appropriately decorated to commemorate the day. American and Cuban flags, garlands of roses and wreaths constituted the decorations, and memorial services were held in several American churches.

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Amid the applause of admiring friends, sweet music and the perfume from great banks of flowers the Class of '02 received the crowning reward for their many years of school work at Loveday Opera Tuesday evening. The Class are Seniors no longer but must go out to fill their respective positions in the world for which they have been fitting themselves by their labors in school.

Miss McCullough opened the program with an instrumental solo which was followed by the invocation by Rev. E. E. Sprague of the M. E. Church.


Mrs. W. J. Palmer rendered a vocal solo, "The Vesper Prayer," a beautiful piece and given in Mrs. Palmer's usual artistic manner.

The address of the evening was given by Rev. H. R. Shawhan, of Petoskey, his subject being, "The Making of a Man." Rev. Shawhan is an eloquent speaker and handled his theme in a masterly manner, which statement is borne out by the testimony of all who were fortunate enough to hear him.

Miss Madge Nicholas gave the audience another musical treat, an instrumental solo.

The final feature, the presentation of diplomas was made by Mr. Wm. Malpass, who addressed the Class with a few words of counsel before handing them their diplomas. All was now over except the congratulations from their friends.

Any mention of the graduation is incomplete without a reference to the lavish and exquisitely beautiful floral tributes. Pink and white carnations were the class flowers and there were hundreds of these as well as dozens of roses and other flowers.



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Alex. and Duncan Ferguson Get Into Trouble Again.

Alex. and Duncan Ferguson, of Echo township seem unable to exist peacefully for any great length of time but have to come to town about every so often and filling up on whisky proceed to paint things red. Some months ago in attempting to run a boarding house to suit themselves one of their gang was shot in the head and seriously wounded. This seemed to have a salutary effect upon them and since that time they have kept fairly within bounds. Their old spirit of lawlessness broke out again Monday however although it was not until evening that they got filled up to the fighting pitch when they made an unprovoked attack upon Charles Henderson. Mr. Henderson defended himself as best he could until the arrival of Marshal Johnson, who took charge of the Ferguson's and with some assistance took them to jail, finding it necessary to club them into submission. When it was all over Alex. looked as if he had been run through a threshing machine while his brother had fared but little better.

Tuesday morning they were brought separately before Justice Clement and both entered a plea of guilty. They were sentenced to ninety days at hard labor in the Detroit House of Correction.

There was a time when these fellows could get a gang of toughs together and terrorize the town after filling up on booze; but those days are past and every attempt of the kind will be summarily dealt with and the participants will receive the extreme penalty of the law.

Stand up to the rack, young man and you will find fodder in it. Put on your working harness early every morning and see that you keep at work, and you will make want a stranger. But don't wait for a job that you want. Grasp the nearest chance. If you can't get \$50 a month, get \$25—take \$10—take anything until you can do better—even if it be only board. But work, for the world is watching you. The farmer, the merchant, the business man—all are watching for honest workers. Don't shirk—the world will know it.—Cedar Springs Clipper.

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CHAPTER VI.

Captain Brand, of the Hespasia. The young girl heard her companion make this declaration with an interest she did not attempt to conceal.

"Many times that thought has come to me, but I dismissed it as unworthy. He brought several things my father had with him when he went away, and he resembled the only picture I had of my father—that is, in a general way. You could not expect very much after his cruel years of hardship in the desert. Besides, he knew all about our family matters, the quarrel with mamma's people on account of her marriage, and many little things connected with the past."

"I shall devote myself to the task of discovering the truth. Heaven alone knows who he is, or how he came into possession of the facts he has used to such advantage; but I intend to satisfy my curiosity in that respect, at any cost."

"Something tells me you will succeed," she said eagerly, so that Charlie flushed with pleasure.

"Thanks for your faith in me. It will go a great way toward assisting me. Of course, you would be gratified should I find the means to expose him as an impostor?"

"So long as I still believe him to be what he claims, I cannot find it in my heart to turn against him. He has told me so many awful stories of the cruelties practiced upon them that I sometimes feel as though possibly his mind had been a little affected, and that he could hardly be held accountable for his actions."

Charlie seized upon a slender cue, quick as a flash to discover a vulnerable point.

"Ah!" he said, eagerly; "you speak of their suffering among the Arabs. Then he had a companion in exile, I imagine."

"Oh, yes—three at first; but later on there was only one left."

"And the name—do you remember?"

"Yes, it was his mate, Ben Hazen."

"Ah! that is a substantial point from which to work. Our friend, if an impostor, may be very cunning; but I doubt if he has been able to cover his tracks so that we may not learn something of Ben Hazen's past: Shipping books and shipping masters may tell the story of identification if all else fails. By the way, what does he say became of Ben Hazen?"

"He was shot while defending a wretched woman slave against her inhuman master, and died of his wounds."

"Well, the incident may be true enough; but the chances are that it was your own father who gave up his life in this chivalrous fashion; and that what papers he had hidden on his person he confided to his fellow prisoner in the hope that at some day he might escape and carry the news to those he loved in old England."

Arline heard him with both wonder and delight.

After confidence had apparently gone out to him in the start, and now she felt it growing he was so earnest, so positive that his logic seemed to have the faculty of convincing others.

"There is one thing I meant to ask; you gave me the wrong card by a singular accident, but at the same time intimated that you were known by another name than Arline Brand at the hotel."

"Yes; I should have explained. When my aunt adopted me I assumed her name of Wallis; and as her title was hereditary, and could descend to the next of kin after her demise, I became Lady Arline Wallis. As such I have been sometimes known."

Charlie cringed somehow, at this. It seemed to raise a wall between them—wealth and title. What few ordinary young Englishmen dare aspire to win a bride from behind such ramparts?

Never before had Charlie Stuart wished for fame and fortune as now; nothing could be too grand to lay at the feet of such a royal princess.

And while he was thus battling with his thoughts, she suddenly caught his arm.

"He is out yonder! I heard his laugh! Now, come to the door, Mr. Stuart, and take your first look at Captain Brand of the Hespasia, before you meet him face to face."

Nothing loth Charlie followed her to the door, whence they could look into the office of the hotel.

Several men were in sight; but almost instinctively his gaze settled upon one who seemed to command general attention; and no sooner had Charlie clasped his eyes on this remarkable individual than he uttered a little ejaculation of surprise and pleasure.

Possibly he had seen this same eloquent Captain Brand of the Hespasia under other and more exciting circumstances.

"Tell me," he said quietly, to the girl who was hovering over his shoulder, "have you given him any particulars as to how you chanced to escape from the Hespasia?"

"Only that just in the nick of time I was discovered by some tourists who had come down to see the awful place for themselves."

"My name was not mentioned?"

"To the best of my recollection, not at all."

"Good! Then, if I meet the orange you can introduce me as one of your friends."

"I trust such is only the truth," she said.

"An old, old friend, let us say, for whom you have always entertained feelings of profound respect."

"It shall be as you say. I am sure you have some motive in this action."

"I certainly have. Truth to tell, I believe I have seen this gentleman before, under other conditions. I shall know to a certainty after I have been in his society a while. At any rate, there is reason to hope for the best."

"Shall we go out and meet him?" asked Arline.

"Yes, indeed. The Fates have decided that Captain Brand and I shall come together for a trial of strength, and it might just as well take place now as later. I am ready."

So they went out. The ex-sailor quickly sighted them and "bore down with all sails set," as he would have nautically expressed it. Charlie played his part well.

He met the captain in a bluff, friendly manner, just as a young man might wish to receive the father of a lovely girl he admired.

Plainly Captain Brand found no especial reason for alarm.

He set out to be even more jovial and debonaire than usual, with the idea of creating a good impression on his daughter's old friend, whom he wished to study at close range.

When he set out to entertain, Captain Brand of the Hespasia was a howling success, relating the most astonishing incidents connected with his long captivity in the desert, his perils on the sea, and the deep fountain of love for wife and child that had sustained him through all his trials.

Charlie was no mean actor himself, thanks to the splendid control which he was able to exercise over his facial muscles.

Although he now had not the least doubt as to the fellow being a fraud of the first water, Charlie felt that he owed it to Arline's respect for filial affection to prove this fact.

This was the task he cut out for himself.

He laid his little trap. Captain Brand was so much engaged with his flow of oratory and the charming of this friend of the family that he did not notice the pit so deftly dug.

Thus, almost without an effort, Charlie had him admit that he knew considerable about Valparaiso, in Chili, and had been there, in the course of his wanderings, many years ago.

In Charlie's mind this settled the matter. He was confident he knew with whom he had to deal, and when the time came he would be ready to dare all in defying the adventurer.

While they sat thus, speaking of the sights of Antwerp, there came a messenger from the hotel office inquiring for Mr. Charlie Stuart, whom a gentleman outside desired to see.

As he went, directed by the clerk, to the spot where he would find the gentleman who had asked for an immediate interview on serious business, he was making up his mind to tell Peterhoff the whole story and enlist his favorable consideration for Arline, so that when the denouement came the doughty captain could be taken care of.

Judge of his surprise, then, when, upon coming upon the party who wished to see him, he found it was no other than Artemus Barnaby, with his honest face clouded with an air of the darkest mystery.

It did not require much prophetic skill on Charlie's part to tell that his erratic friend had news of some importance for him.

He pressed a forefinger on his lips to indicate dead silence, when he found that Charlie had recognized him.

Charlie stood there waiting while the other crept on his tiptoes to the corner, in the regular orthodox stage fashion, and looked this way and that, to assure himself that there could be no eavesdroppers near.

Then he approached his friend, his warning finger still on his lips.

Reaching the other, he placed his lips close to Charlie's ear, and solemnly said:

"The coast is clear!"

"I see it is," said Charlie, aloud.

"What I am about to disclose to you, will give you a cruel shock, my boy."

"Shock away then, only make haste."

"I am about to make a disclosure that will, I regret to say, knock away the foundations of your belief in humanity."

"Ah! that's a serious thing indeed. Does this disclosure concern the world at large or one individual specimen of mankind?"

"One shining light."

"Then fire away, and be hanged to you."

Artemus assumed a look of extreme gravity, although Charlie was sure he heard a chuckle.

"You have met the father of the young lady of the Steen dungeons. The hotel clerk has been entertaining me with a wonderful story of his return to life and civilization. It reads like a romance, and would find a worthy niche in my notebook, only, my dear boy, it is so very ancient, a veritable stage chestnut, as it were."

"But let that pass. I imagine this Captain Brand is a character worth knowing, something unique. I could hear him out yonder, and the dulcet tones of his voice were soothing enough to conjure with."

"Yes," remarked Charlie, "he is a wonderful man, and could charm most people by the quaint manner of his speech."

Artemus again bent forward, and whispered, and then sprang back to note the stunning effect of his announcement.

"But Charlie, though interested, refused to be stunned."

"Why, what has he done?"

"He is a bold, bad man!"

Charlie was inclined to say "Amen!" to that, but he kept his own counsel as yet, seeking more light.

"See here! You have known this wonderful modern Baron Munchausen at some past date?" he said.

Artemus nodded.

"It would be impossible that two such men could ever exist. Yes, I knew him."

"Where?"

"In New York."

"When?"

"Let me see," scratching his head, as a comedian must always do when desirous of arousing memory. "Ah! yes, just a little more than two years ago."

"But at that time he swears he was in the heart of Africa, a prisoner at Dahomey."

"Well—he lies," coolly.

Charlie liked that.

It was so fresh and original, at the same time so very emphatic.

"Who was he when you knew him?" he asked, determined to get down to the facts now.

"A fourth-rate actor, on his uppers half of the time. One of these howling barnstormers, a heavy villain of the piece, at home in 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' or 'Ten Nights in a Barroom.' He was the joke of the season on the Rialto, in Gotham. I even thought seriously of utilizing him in my great play as the seedy actor who carries the mysterious secret with him through five acts, but when he found there was a chance of his being immortalized, his price for sittings went way up, and I discovered something better than Hamlet."

"Good Heavens! was that his name?"

"Certainly not. That's what they call all heavy tragedians of the barnstorming variety. Let me see," placing a finger alongside his nose, as Irving, "now I have it—bend your head lower, for that fellow has keen ears—it was Frederick Davenport Macaulay."

"Indeed! Very suggestive, considering his occupation, in life. What a man he is, to be sure; capable of having so many names, and filling such various stations in life. Why, when I knew him, four or five years ago, he was called Captain Nathaniel Kedger."

"What! you knew him, then?"

"I saw him—that is, I am almost dead certain it is the same man; and I expect to prove it presently."

"Where was this?"

"In South America."

"In Valparaiso?"

"Come, what makes you ask that?" in surprise.

"I remember him talking of being concerned in a little war scare that occurred down there—he has always been the same boaster, you know."

"Well, that seems to prove the identity. I never in all my life heard of so stupendous a rascal."

"Say what was he doing down in Santiago, or was it Valparaiso?"

"The latter, on the coast, the most enterprising city along the Pacific, south of San Francisco. What was he doing? Well, about the last I saw of him, he was dancing a Scottish hornpipe."

"Yes, he has his merry moments when the liquor is in."

"But this was a unique affair—before an audience that must have numbered thousands."

"God! that would spur even so poor an actor to do his best."

"And Captain Nathaniel did his very best. If, as you say, he has been an actor, as well as a miner, sea captain, coffee planter, speculator, and Heaven knows what not, he certainly had the chance of his life to bring out bravos. However, I don't think he took half as much interest in the affair as some of the rest of us did."

"He didn't, eh? I never knew he was acquainted with modesty. How was that?" asked Artemus, eagerly.

"Well," said Charlie, dryly, "you see, he was being hung!"

(To be continued.)

UNIQUE FISHING DONE IN JAPAN
Black Cormorants There Take the Place of Rod and Line.
"At the farmhouse, commodious and hospitable, likewise clean and charming, after the fashion of Japan, we send for the boy who brings our fishing tackle."
"They came waddling into the yard, the three birds with which we are to do our fishing. Black cormorants they are, each with a white spot behind its eye, and a hoarse voice, which of standing in the water, with which it says 'yengh' whenever a stranger makes a friendly overture. The cormorants answer to the name of Ou, which in Japanese is something like the only word the cormorants can say. The boy puts them in a box together and we set off across the drifted gravel to the Tamagawa. Arrived at the stream, the boy takes the three cormorants out of the box and adjusts their fishing harness. This consists of a tight ring about the bottom of the neck, of a loop under each wing, and a directing line."
"Two other boys take a low net. They drag it down the stream, driving the little fishes and all the rest before it. The boy with the cormorants goes in advance. The three birds are eager as pointer dogs, and apparently full of perfect enjoyment. To the right and left they plunge with lightning strokes, each dip bringing up a shining fish. When the bird's neck is full of fishes down to the level of the shoulders the boy draws him in, grabs him by the leg and shakes him unceremoniously over a basket until all the fishes have flopped out.—Outing.



FARM

Advantages of "Solling."

Prof. W. A. Henry, in his book on "Feeds and Feeding," says: "By 'Solling' is meant supplying forage fresh from the fields to farm stock more or less confined. The first American writer to bring this subject to the attention of our people was Josiah Quincy, whose essays in 1820 were later gathered into a book entitled the 'Solling of Cattle,' now out of print. Quincy points out six distinct advantages from 'Solling': First, the saving of land; second, the saving of fencing; third, the economizing of food; fourth, the better condition and greater comfort of the cattle; fifth, the greater product of milk; sixth, the attainment of manure. According to this author, there are six ways in which farm animals destroy the articles destined for their food. First, by eating; second, by walking; third, by dunging; fourth, by stalling; fifth, by lying down; sixth, by breathing on it. Of these six, the first one only is useful; all the others are wasteful. Quincy reports his own experience where twenty cows, kept in stalls, were fed green food supplied six times a day. They were allowed exercise in the open yard. These twenty cows subsisted on the green crops from seventeen acres of land, where fifty acres had previously been required."

Dairy Husbandry at Champaign.

A course of study in judging dairy products has just been introduced in the dairy husbandry department of the College of Agriculture at the University of Illinois. The course is principally designed for students in general agriculture and includes a brief treatment of the subject of dairy sanitation, the production of milk and the methods employed for the manufacture of common dairy products. Following this great stress will be laid on the proper selection of milk and the judging of butter and cheese. In judging the products score cards are used to illustrate the relative importance of each of the points to be considered essential in a standard product. The object of the course is to give the student who specializes in lines of agriculture other than dairying an opportunity to gain a proper conception of the qualities good dairy products should possess.

A Potato Crop Episode.

Mr. D. C. Prosser, a correspondent of the Farmer's Review in Oceana County, Michigan, tells how a neighbor of his made a fine thing out of a potato crop. Some years ago he had a good-sized crop and held it for the late spring market. He overdid the holding to such an extent that the market dropped on him, on account of the near approach of the time for new potatoes. Instead of letting go the owner of the old potatoes rented all the land he could in the neighborhood and succeeded in getting in 120 acres of potatoes, thus using the bulk of his old crop for seed. The harvest gave him a good crop—about 14,000 bushels. These he sold at a good price, and so made a large profit on the operation.

Use of Rape.

Edwin Spicer, a Wisconsin correspondent of the Farmer's Review, asks the uses of rape. In answer he would say: Rape may be sown at any time from April to August. Its most important use is as a pasture for sheep. It can be fed to sheep of nearly all ages to advantage. Generally the rape can be fed within two months of the time of seeding. Lambs should not be turned into a rape field till they have had about two hours' grazing on other pasture. For cattle its best use is for fall feeding, and then as a soling crop. It is fed to some extent to dairy cows. It is a good feed for swine, adding succulence to the grain feed.

Old Seed Corn.

From the Farmer's Review: I have several times planted seed corn two years old with good success, it growing as well as new seed.—G. H. Carpenter, Waushara County, Wisconsin.

To the Farmer's Review: I have planted both old and new seed corn side by side, but would not do so again. The old seed was ten to twelve days behind the new, the whole year. Plant new seed by all means. I have been in the cornfield 54 years and know what I am talking about.—Thomas Parker.

Plants for the Children.

Each one of our experiment stations adds its quota to the list of new enterprises. In a recent public document, the station at Mesilla Park, New Mexico, states that it is anxious to do all in its power to aid in the work of beautifying the surroundings of the rural schools of New Mexico. To this end it is willing to send, free of charge, a small supply of such trees, shrubs, and plants as it has available to the authorities or teachers of rural schools of New Mexico who apply for the same. It has already sent out stock for such purposes. It is expected, of course, that where such stock is sent out, it will be cared for and watered when necessary. There is a natural gravitation toward the rural schools, through which the station work becomes exceedingly effective. The New York station at Cornell is doing a similar work in sending out flower seeds for distribution among the scholars of the state.

Although ordinary wood alcohol is a poison, Ohio is the only state which prohibits its sale on that account.

SENTIMENTAL JILES IN THE SOUTH

Incident Which Shows Love of People for Their Lost Cause.

"I was in New Orleans the other day," said a young Detroitier who has made such a success in life that much of his time is at his own disposal, "and while roaming about the city came upon the shop of an old collector of curios, himself about as quaint and interesting an object as any that his establishment contained. He took the greatest delight in showing me his treasures—bits of rare old furniture, valuable pictures and other things dear to the heart—and purse—of the lover of the antiques. After displaying scores of the most tempting objects, he took from a safe a little box that he handled with the utmost gentleness, and, opening it carefully, he permitted me to gaze upon a pair of old-fashioned earrings that to my eyes possessed little value. The gold in them could not have been worth more than \$3 or \$4, and I'm sure the stones did not represent a much larger value. Before I could express my want of appreciation of the ornaments he exclaimed:

"I gave a fine sum of money for those the other day."

"Why, may I ask?" was my reply. "They don't appear valuable to me."

"No, they're not—in dollars and cents. But their sentimental value to me is almost priceless. They were brought in only last week by a lady who gave me satisfactory proof that they had belonged to the first wife of Jefferson Davis, had, indeed, been given to her by her father, Zachary Taylor, as a wedding present, after he forgave her for eloping with the dashing young soldier who was destined to cut such a figure in American history in later years. The lady from whom I bought them is a relative of the family, and you may be sure that only the most pressing necessity induced her to part with them; and, while I deeply regret her predicament, I cannot help rejoicing that I should be the fortunate purchaser."

"And this," added the Detroitier, "is only a trifling evidence of the love and reverence the people of the South still feel for everything connected with the leader of the lost cause."—Detroit Free Press.

HOW HE SECURED AN UMBRELLA

No One Knows Who Owned It, But It Is Good Enough to Keep.

A Grand avenue merchant entered his store the other day with an umbrella in his hand and, sitting down on the nearest stool, burst into a roar of laughter. In response to queries as to the character of the joke, the merchant said, after a few minutes of hilarity:

"Well, you know, when I started out in the rain I had no umbrella. I worried along the avenue and across the pontoon, debating whether I shouldn't invest, but was deterred by the thought that I already have three umbrellas kicking around somewhere."

"When I got over on East Water street I spied a man I presumed to be Dick Wilson. I don't believe you know Dick, but he is an old friend of mine. The man I thought to be Dick Wilson was carrying a fine silk umbrella. It's mine, now," he added fondly, as he gazed on the work of art he held in his hand.

"As soon as I saw the man I presumed to be Dick I was so overjoyed that I rushed on him from the rear and, slapping him hard on the back, exclaimed: 'Look here, old man, give me that umbrella!'"

"The man turned and, to my amazement, I discovered that he was not Dick, but some one I had never seen before."

"I was covered with confusion and was about to apologize, when I observed that he was even more confused than I. He hastily closed the umbrella and pressed it into my hand with the remark:

"I—I beg your pardon: I didn't know it was yours," and vanished around the corner, leaving me standing with open-mouthed astonishment."

After the outburst of merriment from the assembled clerks had subsided, the merchant said:

"Well, I've got a fine, new umbrella any way, and they say the second thief is the best owner."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Color Affects Dew.

There are conditions in which color materially affects the formation of dew, as may be shown by a simple experiment. Place three pieces of board—one white, another green and another black—so that they may have the sun on them all day, and then leave them exposed to the air all night.

If all the conditions are normal it will be found in the morning that there is a good deal of dew on the white board, much less on the black board, and still less on the green board; indeed, there may be none at all on the latter.

The difference is due to the fact that the three boards absorb the sun's rays unequally, and are, therefore, of different temperatures at the close of the day. The black board absorbs the most heat, the white board the least.

They all begin to lose their heat as soon as the sun's rays leave them, the white board cooling first, the green board next and the black board last. As soon as they become cool enough to condense the watery vapor of the air in contact with them, dew will begin to form on them, and the most dew will form on the one that cools first.

It may be that the black board will absorb more heat during the day than it can throw off at night; if so, no dew will form on it.

The least said is the soonest mended.—Pickwick Papers.

How Pearls Are Formed.

The origin of pearls has been a subject of much speculation. About 150 years ago Phillip of Turin announced that a living organism forms the nucleus, and in a recent investigation M. Ralph Duvois, a French naturalist, has shown that all pearls found in common pearl-bearing mollusk are cysts inclosing distomes—small marine worms. In the month of August, when few pearls are obtained, the tiny young distomes, a fiftieth of an inch in diameter, are to be seen instead as reddish yellow points. These become gradually coated with carbonate of lime, in an early stage appearing as black specks and later as brilliant pearls, which remain until the following summer, when they drop to pieces, and the parasite resumes activity and reproduces its kind. But if the parasite dies the crust continues to grow, a large and beautiful pearl being but the sarcophagus of a long-dead worm.

Postal Receipts Increase.

Washington dispatch: The gross postal receipts during April at fifty of the largest postoffices show a net increase of 11 per cent over the receipts of April, 1901.

Held on to a Chair.

Palmer, Mo., May 19th.—Mrs. Lucy Compton has for the past eight or ten years suffered a great deal of pain and sickness. She had Kidney Trouble with an awful pain in her back, which was so bad at many times that she could scarcely get about at all.

"I have been down with my back for the past eight or ten years," she says, "and sometimes so bad that I could not get around only by holding on to a chair or some other object."

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have given me more relief than anything I have ever used."

"After I had used the first box I was almost entirely cured of this dreadful trouble."

"I can truthfully recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to any woman suffering as I had suffered for so long."

Mrs. Compton's cure was certainly a remarkable one.

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One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new shoes easy. Cures swollen, hot, sweating, aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and bunions. All druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address Allen S. O. Msted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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MISS BONNIE DELANO

A Chicago Society Lady, in a Letter to Mrs. Pinkham says:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Of all the grateful daughters to whom you have given health and life, none are more glad than I."

"My home and my life was happy until illness came upon me three years ago. I first noticed it by being irregular and having very painful and scanty menstruation; gradually my general health failed; I could not enjoy my meals; I became languid and nervous, with gripping pains frequently in the groins."

"I advised with our family physician who prescribed without any improvement. One day he said, 'Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies.' I did, thank God, the next month I was better, and it gradually built me up until in four months I was cured. This is nearly a year ago and I have not had a pain or ache since."—BONNIE DELANO, 3248 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.—\$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine.

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"I have been a great sufferer from Rheumatism for many years. I was laid up with Rheumatic Fever for nine weeks in 1894, and again for sixteen (16) weeks in 1896. I tried many medicines I saw advertised and others I was recommended; finally I was induced to take Vogeler's Curative Compound, which was more good than any other medicine. In fact, I feel quite a different man since I have been taking the Compound. All my neighbors and friends are quite surprised to see me about and looking so well. I can only say that Vogeler's Curative Compound taken internally and by using St. Jacobs Oil outwardly acted like magic in my case. I had been taking medicines for years without obtaining benefit, but Vogeler's has practically cured me. I have recommended Vogeler's Curative Compound to a lot of my acquaintances, and they tell me that it has worked wonders.

"Wishing you every success in the sale of your Vogeler's Curative Compound, and St. Jacobs Oil, I remain, gentlemen,

"Your obedient servant,
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Lieut. Ewing had a secret service to perform near his station. The job would require two weeks of his time; but inasmuch as the town was something of a watering place and, as he knew, fairly filled with guests, he had no fear of dying from ennui. Girls were sure to be there and with the gentler sex Ewing generally held his own and sometimes a part belonging to someone else.

He was a dashing fellow. He had the true military bearing, the soldiers' walk, the athlete's carriage, eyes as blue as the emerald sky, a face that denied he was of plebeian birth, and a forehead that denoted intelligence. He needed no one to tell him that he was good looking. At Attica, his point of destination, he registered as Giovan Colbert. There wasn't much of a purpose in concealing his identity. Still his home village was not so very far away and at certain times in his life he had said things to young women of his community that lead them to believe he was very much in love with them and really wanted to marry when such a thing was not true at all. Perhaps some of his escapades were still fresh in the minds of those about him. News travels fast and had reports linger painfully long. Perhaps some of his flirtations were known to the guests of this resort. Therefore to be on the safe side, he would conceal his identity for the time being.

He had not been in the village more than two days before he saw a dream of a woman. She possessed all the graces which belong to her sex. Certainly she was beautiful of face and figure. She dressed differently from the other women; her laugh had mirth to it, her eyes had the light of a June morning. Try as he might, Ewing could not get an introduction to her. She seemed to have few acquaintances. Her walks were made alone, and when she rowed on the little lake that fronted the hotel there was no one else in the boat with her. Her greatest delight seemed to be in the practice with bow and arrow and in this she was quite an expert.

Five days after Ewing's arrival one of her arrows pierced his coat, as he lay hidden behind a foliage of honeysuckle. Instantly he was on his feet and she, seeing what had happened, seemed for the moment quite dismayed.

But the accident gave the soldier the chance he had been looking for. She hastened an apology and he in turn made little of the incident. Indeed, the arrow had done no further harm than to make a hole in his coat. Ewing would have been willing for it to have penetrated his skin—aye, to have taken off a piece of flesh. From that morning their courses took a shape rapidly enough. He lost no time in placing his devotions at her feet. He sang for her in a glorious tenor; he played the guitar for her at the window in the evenings when the other boarders wished him sick or dead, or something of that sort; he sent her costly flowers and he forgot his business entirely, which is sometimes the way of men in love.

But Miss Agnes Dickinson, which was the name of the young lady, seemed unresponsive to his appeals. Indeed, she did not hesitate to inform the dashing young lieutenant that she had precious little confidence in what unmarried army officers, who had been educated at West Point, had to say about love. She had known too many of them. She had seen a half dozen of her young female friends heartbroken because they had listened to what some of them had had to say when the noisiest and the chiffoons had begun to roost a very long time.

One day she went into more specific details. She asked him if he had ever known Lieut. Ewing. Did he know Ewing? The question fairly took his breath away. Was it possible that she

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Her walks were made alone. certainty that they were never engaged; that he never asked her to marry him. "I know moreover—" "Ah, you seem to be one of his friends truly enough." "Well, I have a right to be—I ought to be, and I am. Listen: I happened to know that all this talk about his failure to escort her everywhere, to be constantly at her side since his return from Cuba is because she had in a measure, tired of him, and he in a measure had tired of her. Where did you get all this wild information about his playing dog in the manger, act. Somebody's been playing with you. She never told you anything of the sort." "No, but some of her friends have been more communicative. By the way I am expecting her here to-morrow."

Now, that was something that set Ewing's mind thinking rapidly enough. Sure enough he had never been engaged to Miss Sherman, but it was tacitly understood that he wanted to be and could be if he were to say the right thing. And she coming where he was and finding that he was misrepresenting his name. Whew! There was a dilemma.

If he was going to say anything to Miss Dickinson, with whom he was now really in love, now was the time; and so he told her of the entire affair, of how in a spirit of fun he had registered under an assumed name, and his love for her from the moment he first saw her, and of his earnest desire to make her his wife.

"Well, I patched the coat I tore with my arrow. See there," as she pointed to the place, "one can scarcely perceive that it ever needed a darning. Maybe I can heal the broken heart you have been talking about. At all events I am willing to try. I have known by that intuition peculiarly the gift of woman that you were in love with me from the first time we met, and it was a good arrow that has given light and love to both our hearts, wasn't it, dear?"

And the next day, hand in hand, they went to the train to welcome Miss Sherman.

The Bishop Fizzled.

Bishop Potter is an enthusiastic golf player. Some time ago he was on the links at Saranac, accompanied by a caddy who was himself a golfer of acknowledged skill. The bishop made ready for a mighty drive, and with one tremendous sweep he topped the ball. Of course, he was deprived of the consolation which in such cases serves to soothe the temper of the layman. All he said was: "Sh-sh-sh-sh-sh!"

It was his way of relieving his feelings. Then he tried again. This time he scooped up some cubic feet of sod, and once more the sibilant but inoffensive and ineffectual protest escaped his lips. For the third time the bishop teed his ball, for the third time his driver missed the mark, and for the third time he unburdened his oppressed soul as above. The caddy could stand it no longer.

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Consisting of CUTICURA SOAP (25c), to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales, and soften the thickened cuticle; CUTICURA OINTMENT (40c), to instantly allay itching, inflammation, and irritation, and soothe the heat; and CUTICURA RESOLVENT PILLS (25c), to cool and cleanse the blood. A SINGLE SET is often sufficient to cure the most torturing, disfiguring, and humilitating skin, scalp, and blood humours with loss of hair, when all else fails. Sold throughout the world. British Depot: 27-28, Charterhouse Sq., London. French Depot: 5 Rue de la Paix, Paris. FOSTER DRUG AND CHEM. CO., Sole Props., Boston, U. S. A.

CUTICURA RESOLVENT PILLS (Chocolate Coated) are a new, tasteless, odorless, economical substitute for the celebrated liquid CUTICURA RESOLVENT, as well as for all other blood purifiers and humour cures. Each pill is equivalent to one teaspoonful of liquid RESOLVENT. Put in screw cap pocket vial, containing the same number of doses as a 50c. bottle of liquid RESOLVENT, priced, 25c.

MANAGER WANTED—Every Large County for drinks and cigars; strictly lawful, takes place of forbidden slot machines, thereby filling up one of the most profitable and profitable places in the world. Rent or sold on easy payments, sells at sight. Forty thousand now in use. **CONRAD JACKSON DESK CO.**, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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PISO'S CURE FOR

COUGHS, BRONCHITIS, AND CONSUMPTION

Best Cough Syrup. Always Good. Use in all cases.

RHEUMATISM and BLOOD CURE

you are not satisfied with results. This is our guarantee, which goes with every bottle.

For sale by first-class druggists or direct from manufacturers, **MATT J. JOHNSON CO.**, 151 E. 6th St., St. Paul, Minn.

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East Jordan Company's Store.

"Kitch your wagon to a Star."

Or, in other words, work up to the very best of your opportunities. Young man, young woman, merit has its reward.

Don't Forget St.

On the other hand, our goods have merit and we want you to see them.

SHOES Our Ladies' Shoe at \$1.50 the pair is a real winner.

Misses and Children's Our line of Misses and Children's Shoes have no equal at the price.

Babies' All the pretty little Infants' Shoes worthy of interest to a happy mother are found in our store at present.

MONDAY, JUNE 9TH We shall put on our counter many things in Youths' Boys' and Men's Clothing; broken lots and odd sizes. Don't fail to participate in this opportunity.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear and Corsets We have a full line of these goods at prices to suit all. A Summer Corset at 40 cts. and up.

Embroidery and Laces Our line of these goods is equal beyond doubt to any found in a large city. Prices will please you as well as the goods. 2 cts. per yard and up.

Ribbons No end to our line of pretty Ribbons—all widths.

Notions We are showing everything in the line of of Staple Notions.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs Twenty dozen at 5 cts. and up.

Another car-load of No. 1 Street Car Feed, Middlings, Oats, Etc.

EAST JORDAN CO.'S STORE.

JOS. O. GLENN, President. W. L. FRENCH, Vice President.
GEO. G. GLENN, Cashier.

State Bank of East Jordan.

CAPITAL, \$20,000.00 SURPLUS, \$500.00

Money to Loan on Short Time.
Deposits of \$1.00 and upward received and interest allowed if left on deposit three months or longer.
Bank Money Orders sold at lowest Rates.
Fire Insurance Written—we have seven good companies.
Private Deposit Boxes to Rent at \$2.00 per year.

DIRECTORS—JOS. O. GLENN. W. L. FRENCH. WM. P. PORTER.
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Charlevoix County Herald

R. L. Lorraine, Publisher.

Entered at the postoffice at East Jordan, Michigan, as second class mail matter.

Peace at Last in South Africa.

The bloody war which has been going on for many months in South Africa has at last been brought to a close the terms of the peace agreement being announced Monday, the Boers being granted everything they asked for except their political independence. The war, which has lasted nearly four years has cost Great Britain 125,000 men and more than \$230,000,000 and there is great rejoicing all over the British empire at the closing of the war. The terms of peace as announced are as follows:—

First—The burgher forces in the field will forthwith lay down their arms and hand over all guns, rifles and ammunition of war in their possession or under their control and desist from further resistance and acknowledge King Edward VII. as their lawful sovereign.

Second—All burghers outside the limits of the Transvaal and Orange River colony and all prisoners of war at present outside South Africa, who are burghers, will, on duly declaring their acceptance of the position of subjects of his majesty, be brought back to their homes so soon as means of means of transport can be provided and means of subsistence assured.

Third—The burghers so returning will not be deprived of their personal liberty or property.

Fourth—No proceeding, civil or criminal, will be taken against any burghers surrendering, or so returning, or any acts in connection with the prosecution of the war.

Fifth—The Dutch language will be taught in the public schools of the Transvaal and Orange River colony, where the parents desire it, and will be allowed in the courts of law, for the better and more effectual administration of justice.

Sixth—Possession of rifles will be allowed in the Transvaal and Orange River colony to persons requiring them for their protection, on taking out a license, according to laws.

Seventh—The military administration of the Transvaal and Orange River colony will, at the earliest possible date, be succeeded by a civil government, and, so soon as circumstances permit, representative institutions, leading up to self-government, will be introduced.

Eighth—The question of granting the franchise to natives will not be decided until after the introduction of self-government.

Ninth—No special tax will be imposed on landed property in the Transvaal or Orange River colony to defray the expenses of war.

Tenth—As soon as the conditions permit it a commission, on which the local inhabitants will be represented, will be appointed in each district of the Transvaal and Orange River colony, under the presidency of a magistrate or other official, for the purpose of assisting in the restoration of the people to their homes and supplying those who, owing to war losses are unable to provide for themselves, with food and shelter, and the necessary amount of seed, stock and implements, etc., indispensable to the resumption of their normal occupations. His majesty's government will place at the disposal of these commission the sum of £3,000,000 and will all the notes issued under the law of 1900 of the South African republic, and all receipts given up to officers in the field of the late republics, or under their orders, to be presented to a judicial commission, which will be appointed by the government, and if such notes and receipts are found by the commission to have been duly issued in return for valuable considerations they will be received by the first-named commissions as evidence of war losses suffered by the persons to whom they were originally given.

During the summer kidney irregularities are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure.
Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

Fourth Grade Report.

The following pupils have been neither absent nor tardy during the month ending June 3, 1902:

Anthony Burney,
Clarence Bridge,
Kenneth Bridge,
Bata Curry,
Julia Codersten,
Vernon Hammond,
Lea Healey,
Gladys Kenny,
Goldie LaLonde,
Winnie Maddaugh,
Fay Nicholas,
Lena Stoehr,
Lottie Strong,
Leta Stewart.

The following pupils have been neither absent nor tardy during the last three months and receive diplomas from the County Commissioner:

Anthony Burney,
Lena Stoehr,
Leta Stewart,
Goldie LaLonde,
Lottie Strong,
Gladys Kenny,
Fay Nicholas.

J. HELEN CAMPBELL,
Teacher.

E. W. Brown

This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

J. F. Stovin, a farmer living near Ludington, brought to town this week a nugget of pure copper weighing about 20 pounds. The copper was turned up by the plow while Mr. Stovin was breaking up a piece of new ground. Several small pieces of copper mixed with other mineral have been found near the spot. People who have visited the copper country in northern Michigan say that the region in which Mr. Stovin's farm is located bears a very close resemblance to that around the mines. Experts will be asked to investigate the situation.

INTERESTING TO ASTHMA SUFFERERS

Daniel Bante, of Otterville, Iowa, writes, "I have had asthma for three or four years and have tried about all the cough and asthma cures in the market and have received treatment from physicians in New York and other cities, but got very little benefit until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar which gave me immediate relief and I will never be without it in my house. I sincerely recommend it to all."
Sold by L. C. Madison & Co.

List of Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters for the week ending June 2.
Chapman, Mr. John,
Kitters, Mr. Frank,
Lavalley, Mr. Alexander,
Morley Bros.,
Saunders, J. E.,
Slaght, Mrs. L.,
Eriksson, Mr. Karl B.
E. N. CLINK, P. M.

Among the largest farmers in the country is Colonel W. F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill") who is now reclaiming through irrigation some 600,000 acres of arid land in northwestern Wyoming. The land is in the Big Horn basin and the flourishing little town of Cody has sprung up there within two years.

Gray Hair

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for over thirty years. It has kept my scalp free from dandruff and has prevented my hair from turning gray."—Mrs. F. A. Soule, Billings, Mont.

There is this peculiar thing about Ayer's Hair Vigor—it is a hair food, not a dye. Your hair does not suddenly turn black, look dead and lifeless. But gradually the old color comes back,—all the rich, dark color it used to have. The hair stops falling, too.

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.
If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express-office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Pure and Delicious Ceylon Tea

The name _____

"SALADA"

Ceylon Tea on the packet ensures you getting the genuine. Sold only in sealed lead packets. Never in bulk. Japan tea drinkers should try SALADA Green and Black tea. 50 and 60 cts. per lb.

GAGE & CO.

Phone 32 (2 rings.)

Goods delivered promptly any time of the day.

The Reception is Over

But we are still selling the beautiful **Palace Range** and it is just as good as it looks. FULLY WARRANTED.

NEW HOME

That name needs no explanation. It stands the world over for the lightest running, the most easily adjusted and the most durable machine. Call and see their latest design—the automatic drop head. We sell them on easy terms.

THE BRIDGE HARDWARE CO
EAST JORDAN, MICH.

A Toast

Here's to America,
The country that's known near and far.
Here's to the Pride of Charlevoix Co.,
The best of cut, cigar.

R. F. STEFFES,

Warne Block

Fresh GROCERIES

FRESH COOKIES AND CANNED GOODS

OF ALL KINDS ARE CONSTANTLY ARRIVING AT

WILL RICHARDSON'S

State Street Grocery.

Satisfaction

Guaranteed

IN EVERY PACKAGE THAT LEAVES.....

Sherman's Central

Meat Market and Grocery

THE **HERALD** \$1.00 PER YEAR

LOVEDAYS
HARDWARE

Seasonable Goods of Reliable Make.

- REFRIGERATORS,
- ICE CREAM FREEZERS,
- BLUE FLAME OIL COOK STOVES.
- SCREEN DOORS AND WINDOW SCREENS
- SIMPSON SOYTHES.
- ALABASTINE WALL FINISH.
- PARIS GREEN.
- BUG FINISH, and
- BUILDERS' HARDWARE,
- LIME, CEMENTS, ETC.

W. A. Loveday & Co.

LOVEDAYS
HARDWARE

Regular meeting of the Village Council next Monday evening.

W. A. Loveday went to Battle Creek Monday to attend a meeting of the Bill Posters' Association.

All kinds of wearing apparel Laundered all right.
EAST JORDAN LAUNDRY.

A number of her lady friends gave Mrs. C. Cook a pleasant surprise party at her home on Stone's, Addition Thursday afternoon.

Judge Wayne has sentenced James Fitzgibbon, who was last week convicted on a charge of assault and battery, to serve ninety days at the Detroit House of Correction, the heaviest penalty for that offence.

You've got to hustle all the time to keep in the swim. If you are slipping down the ladder of prosperity, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes people strenuous.
Warne's Pharmacy.

An editor in Newygo who knows, concludes that the man who rocks the boat, brother to the man who didn't know it was loaded, is getting in his work, and remarks that his proper place is over a reserved seat on the lid of the middle kettle in the Inferno.

At Iron Mountain there has been a stampede to the Pike river because of the fact that several log drivers have picked up clam shells containing pearls. The stones are small, but are of great beauty. The discoveries are the first of the kind ever made in a stream so far north.

The Lady Maccabees will hold an ice cream social and entertainment at their Hall Saturday evening, June 7th for the purpose of raising money to send their delegate to Marquette. Everybody come.

Each and every Lady Bee is expected to furnish half a cake. R. K.

An unknown man was found dead on the outskirts of a small Kansas town recently. A revolver and \$100 in cash were on his person. The coroner held an inquest and took \$75 to defray expenses and bury the body. The police judge fined the corpse \$25 for carrying concealed weapons and confiscated the gun. The local newspaper, which published the obituary, got—nothing.

An exchange observes that a boy can sit on a sled six inches square tied to a sled moving nine miles an hour, but can't sit on a sofa five minutes for a dollar. A man can sit an inch board and talk politics for three hours, but put him into a comfortable church pew forty minutes and he gets nervous and goes to sleep. A man can pouch his cheeks with tobacco and the juice running down his chin feels good, but a hair in the butter simply knocks him out completely.

The progressive farmers around Central Lake are now getting their Sunday morning sermons by telephone at their own homes, the innovation being first tried last Sunday when a telephone transmitter was rigged up in front of the pulpit at the M. E. church and connected with the local telephone exchange and the farmer subscribers treated to the novel experience of having a sermon delivered in Rev. Deets' best style, laid down at their own door, as it were, instead of having to drive to town after it.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

TRAVERSE CITY, ELK RAPIDS, and KALKASKA.
SUNDAY, JUNE 15TH.
Train will leave Ellsworth at 8:55 a. m. Rate, 75 cts. See posters or ask Agents for particulars.

We are dismayed by the action of a jury who recently decided that a jug was worth only a cent. Besides the fact that it was a lie it is an awful cheapening of a valuable asset. Just think of it. One hundred for a dollar. A man could go out this beautiful bright weather and hug his collar bones loose for fifty cents. Everybody knows a hug is worth more than a cent. Most of us would willingly pay as high as a dime. But now here comes a jury and awards a woman who has been hugged one cent. If this is fixed by law as the ruling price there won't be any other work done this year.

DOCTORS
say "Consumption can be cured." Nature alone won't do it. It needs help. Doctors say

"Scott's Emulsion"
is the best help. But you must continue its use even in hot weather.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York.

Personal Mention.

E. C. Plank was in Bellefleur on business Wednesday.

Miss Nourse departed Wednesday for her home in Chicago.

W. H. Lanway is suffering from an acute attack of lumbago.

Register of Deeds Kenyon was up from Charlevoix Thursday.

Miss McRae returned to her home in Mt. Pleasant this morning.

Rev. J. G. Inglis has been the guest of Rev. E. P. Dunlap this week.

Hon. John Nichols, of Charlevoix, was in town on business Thursday.

A. F. Young came up from Charlevoix on insurance business Wednesday.

Mrs. E. N. Clink is receiving a visit from her sister, Mrs. J. D. Storms, of Madison, Wis.

E. N. Clink went to Mt. Pleasant Thursday to attend the Republican Congressional Convention.

Earle Batterbee was very ill with quinsy the first of the week but was much improved at last reports.

Henry Winters returned from the Indian Territory where he has been teaching school during the past winter.

F. A. Kenyon has traded his nappa launch for a larger and more speedy boat, the "Beatrice."—Charlevoix Courier.

Miss Mae Mitchell returned to-day to her home in Big Rapids, her two weeks vacation from the hospital having ended.

N. Muma has a handsome new delivery outfit which he uses in connection with his meat market and ice cream business.

Alfred Rogers, who still has one month more of school in Marion township, was home for Decoration day, returning to his school Sunday.

Wm. Gilbert, accompanied by his son Fred., was in Charlevoix Tuesday doing some lettering on a number of the small water craft owned there.

Robert Paddock, of Charlevoix, and Robert Trumble, of Marion twp., were in town Thursday attending the meeting of the Fair Association Directors.

J. J. Gage has resigned his position with Mitchell Bros. at Jennings and will return this evening to take charge of the Gage & Co. grocery business here.

Wm. Harris, of Norwood, was in town Wednesday morning enroute to Crawford county to review some of the assessments there as a representative of the State Tax Commission.

Deputy Sheriff R. A. Emery and Gus Chaloupka, came down from Charlevoix Tuesday evening and left for Detroit Wednesday morning in charge of Alex. and Duncan Ferguson on the D. & C. train.

A. W. Chew and son Willard, of Bay Shore, visited J. E. Chew and family Wednesday evening and Thursday. Mr. Chew was in attendance at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Fair Association Thursday.

Miss Hulda Haack, who has been teaching German and English in our High School for the past year, departed Wednesday for her home in Saginaw. We understand that Miss Haack has been offered and accepted a good position in the Lake City schools for next year.

Mrs. J. J. Gage had the misfortune to step on a loose board over their well Tuesday evening, causing her a bad fall and dislocating her right shoulder. Dr. Warne was called and put the bones back in place and the injury is doing well although it has caused her considerable pain.

No good health unless the kidneys are sound. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys right.
Sold by L. C. MADISON & CO.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will give an excursion to Fredric and return on the Detroit & Charlevoix railroad Wednesday, June 11th. Fare for the round trip \$1.00. Tickets may be procured at the Bridge Hardware Co.'s store, Roy's restaurant, Warne's Pharmacy, Boosinger Bros.' store or at the East Jordan Lumber Co.'s store.

Chronic bronchial troubles and summer coughs can be quickly relieved and cured by Foley's Honey and Tar.
Sold by L. C. MADISON & CO.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.
The next regular teachers' examination for Charlevoix county for second and third grade certificates will be held at East Jordan on June 19th and 20th, 1902. Examinations will commence at 8:30 a. m. sharp, standard time.
Paper furnished free to applicants.
A. W. CHEW,
School Commissioner.

Spring Millinery

To the Ladies of East Jordan and Vicinity.

You are invited to call in and inspect our new line of Spring Millinery which we have just received. It includes all the latest Shapes and Styles.

Skirts and Shirtwaists

We also have a complete line of Ladies' Tailor made Suits, Skirts, etc., the prices of which are the lowest in the city. Our Shirtwaists for the coming season comprises all the newest shades and fabrics. You should see these before buying

J. L. WIESMAN,

LEADER OF LOW PRICES,
Loveday Block, East Jordan.

JEWELRY

THE BEST LINE IN CHARLEVOIX CO.

I am receiving new goods every day—elegant up-to-date articles—and am better prepared than ever before to supply the wants of my many customers—Watches, Diamonds, Cut Glass Novelties, Silverware, Flatware, etc.

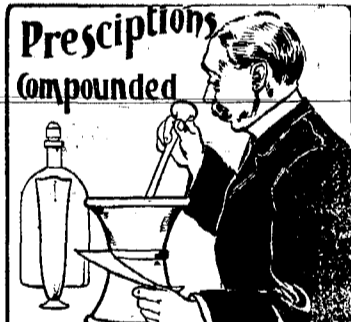
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Celebrate the

FOURTH

at East Jordan.

Prescriptions Compounded



The Doctor's Prescription

needs to be filled with care and pure Drugs. He expects it when he prescribes Our Prescription Department

has become famous to the people of East Jordan on account of the quality of the Drugs used, the accuracy of the compounding and the promptness in filling. When the doctor prescribes bring it here to be filled. Of course you know we keep a large stock of Proprietary Medicines and Toilet Articles.

WARNE'S PHARMACY.

H. MADDAUGH,

SHOP ON MAIN STREET. **MERCHANT TAILOR** EAST JORDAN, MICH.

Samples of the Very Latest Styles always on hand.

Alive and doing Business!

More accidents occur in runaways than in all the railroad tavel and the number injured is all out of proportion considering the number who travel.

Be sure you have a good Neckyoke, Whiffletree and Evener before you start or call on

J. W. Coates,

The Carriage and Wagon maker of East Jordan,

who will sell you Second Growth Hickory goods at no more than you pay for common ones and you will be safe.

We are sole agents for the Flint Engles and P. & O. Agricultural Implements. See our Beet Cultivator.

BREVITIES

E. J. Crossman is in Detroit on business.

Work on Dr. F. A. Foster's new barn is again being pushed.

Miss Elizabeth Houghton returned to her home in Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

Make your plans to celebrate the 4th of July in East Jordan. You will be assured a good time.

The Village Board of Review is in session at the Bridge Hardware Co.'s store yesterday and to-day.

Harry Price's residence lot was graded and leveled the first of the week, greatly improving its appearance.

The Longshoremen's strike at this place is still on with apparently no prospect of immediate settlement.

Mrs. Sarah Abbott returned to her home in Alba to-day after visiting at the home of L. Moore and family for several days.

Restaurant and Lunch Counter and good accommodations for Boarders on State St.
MRS. PHOEBE DUFORD.

The Alumni Ball at Loveday Opera House Wednesday evening was a great success socially, being very largely attended.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Mrs. C. A. Reinhart came up from Charlevoix Wednesday to visit friends and play the piano for the Alumni Ball that evening. She was accompanied by her son Frank.

Reed City girls are to combine against the cigarette habit. They will have nothing to do with the young men who use the sticks and now the boys are contemplating boycotting girls who chew gum.

Wise is the girl whose sense of self interest prompts her to take Rocky Mountain Tea. It fills her full of vigor and there is always honey in her heart for you.
Warne's Pharmacy.

The Republican convention will be held in Charlevoix Tuesday, June 24th. This was decided at the meeting of the Committee Tuesday. The formal call for the convention, however, will not be issued until next week.

Following custom established one year ago, the department of public instruction Friday presented each soldier of the civil and Spanish wars employed in the capitol with a bouquet of carnations. There are sixty-seven soldiers in the big building.—Lansing Republican.

James Haworth, aged 81 years, intends to pull the bell rope in St. Paul's Cathedral on coronation day. He rang the bells for the death of William IV. for the accession of Queen Victoria, the birth of all her children, and her two jubilees, and for the accession of Edward VII.

E. A. Ashley and family were in Boyne City Sunday.

The Wards are now unloading lumber at their new transfer dock at the old Bush mill site.

We are improving in our work lately. Try us and be convinced.
EAST JORDAN LAUNDRY.

Capt. Jepson has the steamer Pilgrim almost ready for her season's run on the East Jordan-Charlevoix route.

Chas. Howland returned from Charlevoix Tuesday and resumed work on the cement walks here which he had been obliged to suspend owing to lack of material.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

There was no service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening on account of the Class Sermon at the M. E. church that evening delivered by Rev. E. E. Sprague.

\$20,000.00
To loan at reasonable rates on Farm and Village property. Enquire of
A. B. NICHOLAS,
12-14 Office over Bank of East Jordan.

The Catholic Ladies will hold an ice cream social in the Heston building, one door south of Roy's restaurant, Thursday evening, June 12th. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Tell us why a druggist offers you a substitute for the Madison Medicine Co.'s Rocky Mountain Tea. Does he love you or is he after the bigger profit? Think it over.
Warne's Pharmacy.

Wm. Renard, D. F. Clement and the others who make up a camping and fishing excursion over on the Black river every summer are already making arrangements for the trip which they will make this season early in July.

A South Boardman kid was sent to the store to purchase a gallon of oil. He was in need of some spending money just then, and he embraced the opportunity to secure it by buying half a gallon of oil, filling the can up with water and putting the other half of the purchase price in his pocket.

It transpires that President Roosevelt's letter to the pope congratulates the pontiff on the completion of his twenty-fifth year as pope and thanks him for his kindly expressions concerning himself and Mrs. Roosevelt. He also presents the pope with a full set of his own works, each volume containing his autograph and an appropriate sentiment of presentation.

The forty-third annual commencement exercises of Olivet College occur June 15-19. Sunday morning President Sperry will preach his ninth baccalaureate sermon; in the evening Dr. Loh, an alumnus of Evanston, will give the missionary address. "The Dark and Bright Sides of India and Ceylon." Monday is preparatory day; Tuesday is devoted to prize speaking; Wednesday is given over to reunions of the various societies and classes; on Thursday morning occur the graduating exercises of the class of 1902.

One cow in the trust is worth two on the farm.

Honor bright, wouldn't you be a J. Pierpont Morgan if you could?

The crew of the Chicago evidently mean to live up to the name of their ship.

Indications are that if Paris were France it would be a cold day for the latter.

Evidently the Russian peasants do not consider it good fun to sit still and starve to death.

Baltimore has mobbed an umpire already. Who says interest in the game is waning?

Why not let William Waldorf Astor step into the peerage? No man ever paid dearer for a whistle.

A new sleeping car is provided with a bath for each passenger, but the use of it is not compulsory.

The name of the Austrian cruiser Szigetvar and that of Capt Praprotnik are almost equally formidable.

As the sultan of Turkey gets only \$30,000,000 a year it is no wonder that he cannot pay his personal debts.

It is understood that the hobo combine will not make any effort to oppose the formation of the soap trust.

Paderewski, the prince of pianists, cleared \$125,000 in three months. Almost a good day's work for J. Pierpont Morgan.

Baseball rules should be revised in such a way as to permit each captain to give his legal counsel a chair near the umpire.

As summer advances there is the usual revival of interest in the problem of getting into closer touch with the north pole.

"Be virtuous and you will be wealthy" says the venerable Russell Sage, enjoying a retrospect of his own speckless career.

Newspaper writers are at last making a concession to ordinary readers and talk about steerable balloons instead of dirigible ones.

Now it is a Worcester man that is at work on a flying machine. The aerial bacillus is getting in its work all around the country.

Prince Henry seems to have carried home with him from this country the reprehensible practice of riding his bicycle on the sidewalk.

W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., has bought the fastest automobile in the world. Get out the bandages and keep the surgical instruments handy.

Paderewski wept when he started for Europe last week. Perhaps he was afraid that before he could come back again Morgan would have it all.

A Chicago man lost \$8,000 playing the races on "tips" that he received from spirits. It's a wise spirit that knows just how the jockeying is to be done.

A Kansas man has named his baby daughter E. Pluribus Unum. He isn't as crazy, however, as might at first be supposed. She is his eleventh, and the other ten are living.

"I love Americans," said Paderewski as he sailed away with \$125,000 netted during the past season. Kubeff says no revolt in the same way. These musicians can agree on something after all.

Herr Most caused a riot in New York Sunday evening. As a public nuisance Herr Most has already broken all records, and there is no reason to hope that he is anywhere near through.

The decision of the American Alkali company to reduce its capital stock from \$30,000,000 to \$3,000,000 seems to be a sensible move. There are other corporations whose capital should be divided by ten.

Nicholas of Russia has bounced his minister of war and foreign affairs. He gives no explanation. That's one nice thing about being a czar. He needn't give explanations if he doesn't feel like doing so.

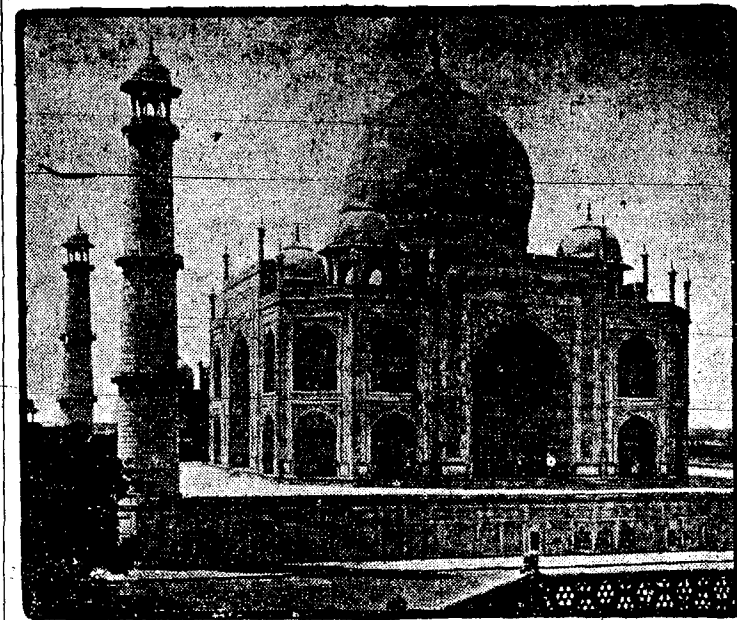
After two farewell tours and a "final" farewell Actor Mansfield says he will leave the stage and devote himself to writing plays. What will some of our critics do when he is no longer behind the footlights?

A New York doctor argues that indigestion is at the bottom of the lying habit. If psypin tablets may be prescribed as a cure for prostration, the manufacturers may be justified in announcing a considerable rise in prices.

Another dividend has been declared by the Standard Oil Company, which shows profits of 30 per cent on its \$100,000,000 capital for the past six months. People who own Standard Oil stock will continue to have meat on the table.

MAGNIFICENT SPECIMENS OF INDIAN ARCHITECTURE

THE buried cities of Ceylon, being far removed from the centers which usually attract passengers calling at Colombo, are not so well known or so often visited as their interest and antiquity demand that they should be.



THE TAJ MAHAL.

The buried cities are three in number, if one includes the rock fortress of Sigiri. Anuradhapura and Polonnaruwa are more exactly described as cities. Our time being so short, my companion and I determined to confine ourselves chiefly to Anuradhapura, named after and founded by one of the earliest Sinhalese nobles, Prince Anradha, 504 B. C.

It is situated in the center of the North Central province, in a district covered with the remains of palaces, shrines, temples, vast tanks and intricate irrigation works, all bearing witness to the greatness and power of the earliest Sinhalese monarchy.



TEMPLE AT AGRA.

The earliest authentic records of Anuradhapura date back to the year 437 B. C., a time when Britain was still unknown to her Roman conquerors, when our forefathers, stained with wood, still practiced the mystic rites of Druidical worship. When England was still sunk in barbarism this fair city of the east was at the height of its glory, her vast walls surrounded an area of 250 square miles, thousands of priests thronged the courts of her temples, which rivaled in magnificence the richness and glory of the great temple of Solomon.

Its height, power brought luxury, luxury brought destruction and the Sinhalese dynasty fell before the fierce hordes of Malabar invaders from southern India, who, with the Tamils, overran the land, ruthlessly destroying palace and temple, with every treasure of art and beauty.

Where the proudest city of the east shone in wealth and splendor and worshipped with a glorious ritual, there are now only mighty ruins, the fallen figures of giants and the overpowering vegetation of the jungle covering all things.

At Anuradhapura the Isurumuniya temple, carved out of the natural rock, has a splendid position, though the modern entrance, with its tiled roof gives one rather a shock. Before it

and behind it are large lotus ponds, inhabited by sacred crocodiles. The terraces which lead to the shrine are covered with frescoes and sculptures in bas-relief. The natural rock itself is frescoed in high relief and beautiful carving abounds everywhere.

One of the most interesting temples is called Loha Pasada, the brazen palace. It was built by Duttagamini, a successor of King Tissa, for a community of Buddhist monks. The sixteen hundred monolithic columns of granite, on which it rested, are all that now remain. The college is said to have contained 1,000 dormitories and to have been 232 feet square. All the pillars were covered with burnished brass and ornamented with precious stones, the building itself being nine stories high.

The ruins cover a wide extent. On all sides are vast dagobas, surrounded by shrines and stonework of great beauty, and often in excellent preservation. The ruins of numberless temples, guardhouses and priests' quarters, pillars with finely molded capitals and massive stones, figures of gods and kings, of elephants and

horns, horses and oxen, stand out prominently on every side. Large and handsome "pokunas," or bathing places, with three or four tiers of massive stonework leading down to them, remind one that the ancient Sinhalese valued cleanliness as much as godliness. "How are the mighty fallen" was in one's mind all the time.

A Historic Flag. "There is one relic in the treasury department which is not seen by half the visitors to Washington, simply because their Washington friends don't know it is there," said a treasury girl the other day. "It is the flag which was draped over the coffin of the boy in which Lincoln sat from he was assassinated. You can see the torn place where Booth's spur caught when he tripped and fell. 'You don't know where it is? Well, it is somewhere in the treasury building, and you'll find it if you look.'

GOOD EXAMPLES OF IRISH WIT

They Are Told by a Kerry Man in the London Spectator.

The late Lord Morris was full of legal stories, but the following did not belong to his budget: A case of assault came before a Kerry court. In the course of it the counsel for the defense, when examining a witness for the prosecution, asked: "And you say the man who assaulted you is blind, or is as good as blind?" "Yes, sir." "Then how came he to get into the scrimmage?" "Well, counsellor, it was this way. Wherever he heard the blows goin' he slipped in, feelin' for a vacancy, and when he found it, he let fly like a good wan."

"But you said just now that there was a storm of thunder and lightning going on at the time." "There was so, yer honor." "Then I suppose it got darker, and darker?" "Thru for you, counsellor!" "And you say this man was nearly blind; surely the darkness would have made him quite so?" "Not at all, sir. Contrarily, every time a flash of lightning come he shtrucked out and hit me in the eye." "It was raining, too, I suppose?" "It was so, sir!" "Perhaps, then, as you are so exact, you'll tell the gentlemen of the jury the size of the drops of rain." "I will thin; to the best of me recollection they varied in size from a shilling to eighteenpence!"

This hazy view of the size of drops of rain is somewhat suggestive of a drop too much of another sort, and reminds me of another whose absurdity is due to the provision of a drop too little, or, rather, a drop of the wrong sort. A priest who is a total abstainer was expecting his cousin, a Dublin solicitor, on a visit, and knowing that he did not hold the same views as himself on the drink question, went to the village grocer and ordered a bottle of port. This was duly delivered and decanted by his reverence.

At dinner time he hospitably poured out a glass and said: "There, Cousin Tom, that's the best vintage Ballyporeen affords." The solicitor sipped it critically, and then said: "Well, Cousin Cornelius, to my mind it tastes a wee bit too much of the musherins (mushrooms)." It proved to be ketchup.

As I am on the drink question, let me wind up my string of Irish stories by saying that while there are several well-known humorous recipes for mixing a good glass of punch, no apology is needed for adding the following to the number: "Mix the materials in equal portions—half whiskey and the other half whiskey and water."

HOW TWO ARTISTS SPEND MONEY

Bernhardt and Calve Find Ways to Squander Their Incomes.

Sarah Bernhardt has her own ideas of extravagance, and a transcendent one upon economy. She flouts the spendthrift fancy of Emma Calve, who is one of Sarah's ardent admirers and friends, because Calve rushes to the mountains and green vales of the south of France as soon as the duty and pleasure of bowing to plaudits releases her to pastoral existence.

"You spend all your fortune," says Sarah, who is never out of debt, "running big farms and ranches, waste your time shooting birds, herding cattle and driving sheep. Bah! You should be rich, but have nothing but cows and veal and pigs and tax-eating lands."

So lectures Sarah, and she fills her boathouse palace in Paris with 1,500 worth of flowers a day and is regularly sold up every spring, no matter how much money she makes.

Calve says she was intended for a shepherdess. All summer she is lost in the fastnesses of an inaccessible mountain over which roam hundreds of Calve's bleating lambs and ewes, which she herself follows in watch day and night. She rides like a man, shoots and really enjoys life to its heartiest extent, and comes back to new triumphs with fresh vitality and glad eyes.

Sarah keeps herself under lock and key, but in the house on high rocks—inaccessible, to be sure, and barren of green or living things. After all, she would rather be in Paris, and does not stay away long.

Poker Won.

After dinner one very disagreeable night last week a certain Madison avenue physician, looking from his office window and seeing the rain beat against the glass, decided that he would have a quiet, uninterupted evening at home, says the New York Post. He was soon in his house coat, a novel in his hand, and tobacco smoke was curling around him. About 10 o'clock some one rang the door bell.

"The doctor is wanted right away at —" began the caller.

"He can't go, sir," answered the servant, quickly. "He left word that he was not well and that unless it was a case of life or death he would not venture out."

"Well, you tell him he must come over; we need him to sit in a poker game."

"Oh, you're Mr. B—, are you? Step in, please, and I will see."

A minute later the servant reappeared with: "The doctor says he'll be right over."

Ancient Temple Discovered.

Dr. Sieglin, professor of ancient history at the University of Berlin, has discovered during his recent tour of southern Spain what is probably the oldest temple of the ancient rivers Odal and Rio Tinto, near Huelva. The temple was dedicated to the Goddess of the Lower World and is connected with two caves, which are filled with debris.

HEROES OF THE RAIL

Sublime Bravery of Two Western Trainmen Saves a Passenger Train and Many Lives.

From Victor, Col., comes a story of such a remarkable combination of heroism, coolness and judgment that it is a matter of regret that there does not exist a national board of award to decorate the central figures in recognition of their worth as men of nerve and grit. At Eclipse, on the Florence and Cripple Creek Railroad, away up in the dangerous part of the mountains, where tracks seem to cling by some miraculous means to the steep, rugged slopes, a loaded freight car broke from a train, with Brakeman Lund on top. He applied the brake, but the chain broke and down the incline he went at a frightful speed, yet bravely staying at his post, with almost certain death ahead. A suburban passenger train was due to leave Anaconda at about the same time. Conductor Blondy, on an engine, sped in pursuit of the runaway car. As he passed Eclipse station like a streak of lightning he hurled a message, wrapped around a piece of coal, through the window to the operator. It was caught and flashed to Anaconda just in time to stop the passenger train, and the engine, with the fearless conductor in the cab, whirled on in the pursuit of life and death.

The deadly peril as the freight car and engine rounded treacherous curves with speed undiminished, riding on one track at times, now apparently sailing over the side into some canyon, now rearing and threatening to bounce up the hillside at some sharp change in the roadbed. The serpentine track was followed with a fierce determination. Just four seconds before Anaconda would have been reached the freight car was overtaken. Leaping through the window and climbing around to the pilot, Conductor Blondy made a hazardous coupling at full speed. The air brakes were applied. The runaway was brought to a stop. The brakeman remained at his post. The conductor resumed his engine. The car was taken back up the hill. Those who sat in the passenger coaches at Anaconda probably never knew how near they were to death. The conductor and brakeman? Well, they knew—yes, but it was a part of their daily existence. They recognized a duty, they had the nerve to perform it, they had the presence of mind and the grit and the brawn to make it a success.

It was a thrilling incident. It should be handed down to posterity as an example of what is possible with a man who is equal to the occasion.

SAW SEA SERPENT

Captain of Vessel Arriving at Georgia Port Tells a Remarkable Story.

A monstrous sea serpent, vicious and awful looking, was the sight that brought fright to the crew of the schooner Samuel B. Hubbard only a few days ago, says the Atlanta Constitution. This vessel, of which Capt. Mehaffey is master, has just arrived in port from New York. Her commander, who is well known to all of the north Atlantic ports, vouches for the authenticity of the story, and the facts are corroborated by his first mate, Mr. Coverdale. Capt. Mehaffey says:

In circumference. A smooth body, showing no fins but the dorsals, three of them, one short, one, say, about a foot long, near the head. Then half way down the body a long, tail-like fin about seven feet long and about five inches wide, and near the tail a small hind fin. The tail was unlike a fish, ending at a point, without a fin. The body was a deep pink color to the middle, and darkening to a light brown at the tail.

It was on the 23d instant, in north latitude 34 degrees 41 minutes, and west longitude 76 degrees 10 minutes. The ship was lying becalmed about 12 noon, when the chief mate called my attention to something in the water just ahead, a quarter of a mile off. A long, slim object, moving from side to side, and coming toward us with such great rapidity that it looked like an old threshier at work. It very quickly worked under our quarter, and in the clear water we saw the queerest fish out. As it lay quiet within fifteen feet of the vessel it appeared to be about thirty feet long by three feet

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He makes no friend who never makes a foe.

Sioux Falls Divorce Colony

Novel Community That Has Brought Prosperity to Merchants of the Dakota City.

The Sioux Falls divorce colony is growing into quite massive proportions. It is estimated that at the present time in the neighborhood of 300 females and males, who have attachments to them in the shape of husbands and wives, are either in the city sojourning or are paying for room rent here, while enjoying the luxuries of the far East, says the Sioux Falls Journal. Some of the divorcees are going on the theory that so long as they pay room rent and claim their residence as Sioux Falls, they are exempt from living here during the seven months necessary to get the decree of separation from uncongenial spouse.

There are some that certainly need to be caged. It would undoubtedly be a disagreeable experience for them if they should be riding out in the country and meet some farmer lad who was cut hunting. The farmer lad would be justified in thinking he saw some new species of something and took a shot at it. Then there are the divorcees, nearly all of whom are good-looking. Some are quiet and demure sort of individuals, and have their brothers (?) with them, while there are others who are trying to turn the heads of some of the traveling men and gay members of this city, who are apparently succeeding in pretty good shape.

There are all grades, kinds, colors and degrees of divorcees here; from the kind that are compelled to work for a living in order to make both ends meet to the aristocratic German count and prominent citizens of New York, the latter generally preferring to remain in New York to residing here. Then there is a prominent coach for a famous football team who is represented in eastern papers as visiting occasionally at Sioux Falls to look after some patients he has there.

The divorce colony as a whole is a pretty good thing for the merchants of this city. They are all money spenders, and those who have the coin want the best going. They are naturally a restless lot; having nothing in particular with which to interest themselves during their sojourn here, and are naturally ready to do anything that will pass the time, which accounts for some of them getting reputations for giddiness.

THE TROUBLES OF ARMLESS MEN

Three Ways That Cause Them the Greatest Annoyance.

Three common incidents of everyday life worry men without arms more than many of the graver questions of existence. In the first place, the armless man seldom finds any one who can put his hat on so that it feels comfortable, scarcely no one is able to adjust his glasses, and, lastly, he experiences great difficulty in getting his shoes laced in such a way that his nerves are not set going.

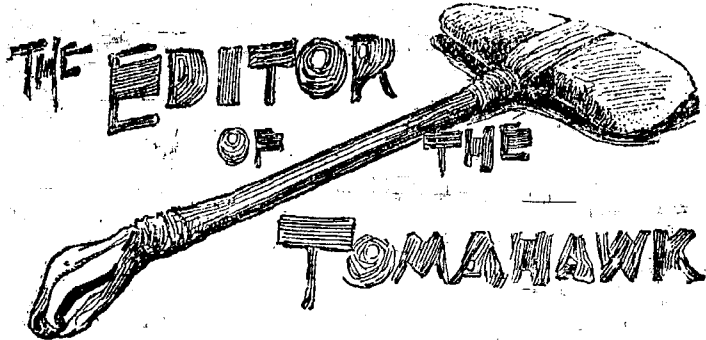
Even rough men can be gentle when they meet a real woman.

"They're small things to complain about," said one armless man, "but they worry me more than even the fact that I have no arms. My wife has made a careful and conscientious study of my peculiarities with reference to my hat, my glasses, and the lacing of my shoes, yet even she does not give satisfaction, and as for strangers, they are simply unbearable. "When my hat is set on my head it never seems to touch the right spot. It is either too far down over my eyes or too far back, or else, if the position happens to be somewhere near correct, the hat sets too lightly or is pushed down on to my ears. I always wear a stiff hat, so I can butt my head against the wall and adjust my top piece to my own satisfaction. "My glasses cause me even more worry than my hat. I've tried all kinds and styles with the same result. I'm now wearing old-fashioned spectacles, so I can by rubbing the bridge against the sharp corner of a door or the bottom of a table adjust them at least half way correctly. "My strangest trouble is with my shoes, and they cause me the most worry because I have not yet been able to remedy the annoyance caused by them. My wife usually laces them in the morning, and frequently she is compelled to make two or three trials before she gets them properly drawn together. If they are a bit too tight or a bit too loose, they set my nerves on edge, and make my life miserable. I don't know whether I'm a crank or not. Sometimes I think I am, but of this much I am sure—I can't help it."

Those who are in the habit of making capital out of the misfortunes of others will find themselves with a lot of worthless assets sooner or later.

ONLY ONE WAY IS RIGHT.

"My boy," said Uncle Hiram once, while giving me advice, "the man that does not walk in the way that cuts the throat...



THE title of his paper was ferocious, but not he. Of all the editors that pushed west of the Red River in the "boom" days...



BARRICADED HIMSELF.

and cleanly comments on the news of the day. He set no moral standard for the community in which he lived; he indulged in no lengthy dissertations...

posture, knew the wild band of frontier spirits that usually journeyed with him when he was "out on business."

His last act Sunday, before he went to bed, was to saw off the barrel of a shotgun and load the weapon with a curious mixture of slugs.

He awoke the next morning to find himself besieged. The store manager from Sand Bluff had, with half a dozen cowboys prepared for any kind of ruthless sport.

He sat behind a barricade with the shotgun across his lap. He was most carefully dressed and extraordinarily calm for a man who had been under fire for an hour or more.

At noon a big cloud of dust rose on the trail from Sand Bluff. It was the stage coming in.

The editor opened the letter, read it most carefully, laid it down and said half to himself and half to the press beside him: "It's two days from Monday."

The cowboys, headed by the store manager, were in front of his office, preparing for their final charge.

The editor staggered a little, then made for the girl. She held out her arms to him, he his hands to her.

"That's all yours, Kate," he said, with a little gasp in his throat. "I waited for you, Kate."

Most people forget that geology is not altogether a history of the past. The forces that made the mountains are still going on.

This "mountain" is a knob or mound, which is sliding down the side of a full sized mountain.

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THE HUMOR OF LIFE

LATEST WORK TURNED OUT BY THE WORLD'S FUNMAKERS.

Mrs. O'Flynn's New Allment—Coming of the Second Baby Woke Parents from Their Dream—What Brake Up the Ping-Pong Social.

His Message Was Not Urgent. "I was out in a town in the interior of the state," said a Chicago business man the other day, "and, desiring to telephone, I stepped into the head-quarters."

"There was a farmer just ahead of me, and he turned to me and said: 'If you wish to use the wire first, go ahead.'"

"But you have the privilege," I replied. "Yes, but I'll waive it."

"I only wish to talk with Chicago, while your message may be one of life or death."

"O, it's not so bad as that," he replied, with a grim smile. "My wife eloped with a windmill man last night, but you go right ahead with your talk. I was simply going to notify the constables along the line to let her slide right along."

Lo and the White Man. "Is your hair cut?" "It is," answered the Indian. "Have you washed all the paint off your face, and instead anointed yourself with bay rum?"

Then She Froze. An attendant at Mt. Vernon not long since found a lady weeping most bitterly and audibly, with her handkerchief at her eyes. He stepped up to her and said: "Are you in any trouble, madam?"

As They Impressed Her. No reader of Frank Stockton's books can deny that there is a decided element of the unreal about all of them.

Up in the Air. Casey—Did you say that Brannigan had quit? "Cassidy—Aye! He left his place last week."

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"Prisoner," said the stern old judge, "the jury, by a vote of 11 to 1, has found you guilty of smashing all the windows and ruining the stock of ten millinery stores. Have you anything to say before sentence is passed upon you?"

"I have," announced the prisoner, rising to his feet. "I protest, your honor, against this verdict. I was not tried by a jury of my peers."

Home Compliments. The south Georgia man was loudly proclaiming that southwest Georgia was the garden spot of the world.

Wanted It Good. Tramp—Lady, I'm hungry enough to eat a house. Kind Lady—What kind? Tramp—Porter-house.



Their Sad Good-bys. "But, Agatha," said the husband whose heart was breaking, "what I want is your love. You seem so cold at times. Think of the affectionate good-bys Chaffeur's wife gives him each morning."

A False Alarm. Doctor (who has been sent for a 2 a. m.)—Madame, pray send at once for the clergyman, and, if you want to make your will, for the lawyer.

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Purchased Scenery. A story is told of a man in Massachusetts who sold a scrubby farm for \$12,000, although its value was not more than \$1,000.

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ELUQUENT WORD PICTURE INSPIRED BY SCENE OF BEAUTY.

There are sermons in song, in stone and in sunsets. It is one of these latter, says an impressionable writer, which has left an indelible glow on my memory I would tell you.

The gray, wet day was drawing to a cheerless close. Hours of incessant weeping had drained the clouds of their last tear, and they loitered slowly above the city, muttering in low thunder tones like vexed children.

Slowly almost as the flame of a candle sickly flickers when first lighted, a thin streak of gold grew out of the gray, low down in the west. It was a lone taper, lifted through the cloud curtains to the chandelier of the dome, and quickly the masses caught its gleam and became a sea of saffron so vividly yellow that it paled to stamens the headlights of the puffing locomotives, crawling, hither and thither far below me like pigmies decked with jewels.

Along the sky-shores of this sea where it paled into cool canary and softly lost its outlines rose wonderful cliffs of strange greens and purplish blues, ever changing in form and color. A cloud that sailed too low to be caught in the golden noose scudded across the waves like a wild bird affrighted. To the south stood mountains of a whitish hue, like towering icebergs. Slowly they floated into the flood of light, and were melted in the saffron sea.

I turned to rest my eyes a moment from a glare. Then, stretched across that other corner of the heavens, its seven-fold pillars resting, the one far to the east, the other southward, and its every hue as brilliant as that of the sea of gold, I saw a rainbow.

Long I stood, looking first on the one and then the other scene. The cloud-sea was restless—like the world—constantly changing in its beauty. The bow of color was serene and staid, like the hope of higher things for which it stood. Now the bloom of the dying sun sent a great tinge of rich red through the golden waves. Then, as darkness slipped in to help the sky on with its night robe, a single star came out to light the clouds to bed.

We sail over wide seas to look upon the master paintings of men, when before our sight many evenings and mornings are spread these far more beautiful and wonderful scenes. And there is just one thing finer and more sublime—less sad—than a glorious sunset. That is a glorious sunrise. Get up early some morning and see.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN AN "OLD FOOL" Man Who Married Third Wife Says, "I'm Hanny and That's Enough for Me."

Judson W. Oliver, who in his 70th year was married for the third time, and who has been connected with the Somerville police department thirty years, is as "chippier" as a young bridegroom.

He appeared at the police station at roll call, with a box of cigars which had been made by his bride, who likewise embarked with "Jud" in her third matrimonial venture.

The cigars went around with the rapidity of "hot cakes" and the gathering of 30 patrolmen called on the bridegroom for a speech. He accommodated them in a somewhat interesting manner.

"I was born among the rocks and hills of Maiden," quoth he. "My grandfather lies buried in the Maiden cemetery, surrounded by four wives. My father is there surrounded by two wives. Last night I took unto myself a third wife, and who knows but I may have a fourth?"

"Some have called me a fool, some an old fool and some a d— old fool. I'm happy, and that's enough for me." Oliver was given three cheers and declared to be all right.—Boston Journal.

Antiquity of Cards. The game of cards was first played in the east, and seems to have had a military origin. Cards were introduced from Asia to Europe at the time of the Crusades, and were first used by necromancers to tell fortunes. They soon became a popular amusement in the south of Europe, where the Saracens and Moors taught the people how to use them, and card playing spread to all parts of the continent. The state records of Germany mention the fact that Rudolph I., in 1275, was fond of the game, and played with his courtiers.

After the invention of paper the manufacture of cards became extensive, but declined somewhat when card playing was forbidden by several of the German states and by the English government on account of the supposed immoral tendency. Before the era of paper, cards in the Orient were made of ivory, papyrus and canvas, less frequently of the precious metal, and quite commonly of wood.

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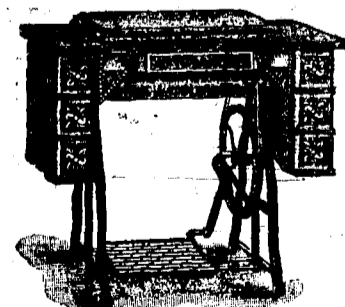
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In this case appearing that Washington J. Fyke is a non-resident of this State but is a resident of the State of Washington...

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