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Our Village Ticket

Below Gentlemen are the Ones Whom We Are to Have the Pleasure of Voting For, Next Monday.

The Village Caucus, held at the Hose House last Saturday evening, was a very harmonious and peaceful affair. The attendance was large, about 100 being present. That the residents are satisfied with the labors of our present president and clerk was shown by the fact that they were chosen by acclamation for another year's service. Following is the ticket in full:

President, L. A. Hoyt.
Clerk, Charles A. Hudson.
Treasurer, George G. Glenn.
Assessor, William A. Pickard.
Trustee, Charles H. Whittington.
Trustee, John Shapton.
Trustee, Moses Lemieux.

The outgoing trustees are R. L. Lorraine, Dr. C. A. Sweet and Moses Lemieux. As there will be but the one ticket, the nomination is virtually an election and the above list of efficient gentlemen will manage our interests through the coming year.

Are You A Builder?

The below is clipped from the editorial columns of the Traverse City Evening Record, and there is quite a bit of good common sense in the article.

"A few days ago a gentleman was in Traverse City with a desire of locating here. He had heard others speaking well of the city, its industrial advantages, its schools, its value as a home city and had just about made up his mind to locate here permanently. He was conversing with a citizen, when the man made the remark, 'Did you know there's aully one hundred cases of cholera here?' 'No,' was the reply. 'I don't think I'll come here.' 'That was only one instance. We could cite many others but they all show the same thing. That report was utterly without truth. It not only gave the city a bad name, but it discouraged someone who undoubtedly would come here, settled and became a part of the business life of the city.'"

"Qui non proficit deficit," is an old Latin motto, which translated into plain Anglo Saxon means, 'He who does not progress, retrogrades,' and if it's true of a man, it's true of a city because cities are made through men. If few people don't come in, new industries are not attracted, if new capital does not take hold, of natural advantages, a city will go so far and no farther. It will get into a rut and a rut that is deep and tends only in one direction, down hill!

"A city never progressed through ill-speaking by its inhabitants. A town was never built by one who was ready to magnify rumor. One who speaks ill of his home city is not a builder but a destroyer. Twenty enemies without are easier withstood than one traitor within. And yet, the 'knocker' keeps going, along, without compensation, even perhaps, marring his own chances, yet cheerfully contented because he or she has a chance to speak ill of his or her own and work injury instead of good."

Primary Election Reform.

The Republican State League suggests the following as a suitable resolution expressing the desire of the people for a law embodying the principle of direct nominations and recommends its adoption by the various conventions to be held throughout the state.

Primary Election Reform in Michigan means the nomination of candidates for public office by direct vote of the people. The great reformations effected in our general elections through the Australian ballot inspire us with confidence to apply the same method in making nominations, so that every voter may exercise his sovereign right of choice by direct vote without the intervention or interference of any political agency. The people of Michigan demand the enactment of such a law. We therefore demand that caucuses and conventions for the nomination of candidates for state, legislative, congressional and county offices be nominated at a primary election, upon the same day, by direct vote, under the Australian Ballot.

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

Mrs. FRED DUPOND.

Co. School Com's Column

TO THE TEACHERS AND PATRONS OF CHARLEVOIX CO. PUBLIC SCHOOLS:

In assuming the duties of Commissioner of your schools, I anticipate your hearty co-operation. I shall be ever ready to receive and answer any correspondence from you to the best of my ability, and in any way further the interests of the school.

Tennyson says, "In the spring a livelier iris changes on the burnished dove." Can not we in the spring take a livelier interest in the schools we love? Everyone is willing to admit that we have no institution in America more potent for good than the public school. It is true that a child's ideals are very little higher than his environments. For this reason the public schools should be made the most attractive place in the neighborhood. To this end, viz: Making the schools attractive, the publishers of Youth's Companion make the following offer to the schools of Michigan. This proposition is heartily seconded by State Sup't Fall.

THE OFFER.

To the five hundred schools in the State of Iowa and to the five hundred schools in the State of Michigan showing the greatest interest during 1904 in the setting out of trees, shrubbery and vines, and improving their grounds in other ways, we shall present a set of six historical pictures, namely: "Washington," "Lafayette," "Signing the Declaration of Independence," "The Constitution," "Surrender of Cornwallis," and "The Landing of the Pilgrims."

To the ten schools in each state doing the best work we shall present a large American flag.

In every public school in Iowa and Michigan there are, no doubt, those who are readers of The Youth's Companion who will see this notice. We shall ask each one of these Companion readers to show this offer to the teacher of the school, to the school committee, and to as many friends of the school as possible, and also to urge that the school grounds shall be made beautiful.

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Michigan, Hon. Dejos Fall of Lansing and the State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Iowa, Hon. Richard C. Barrett of Des Moines, are cooperating in this movement, and they will also make known this offer throughout their respective states. We shall, therefore, expect that during the year 1904 great interest will be shown in these two states in this movement. Last year we made this offer to the states of New York and Illinois. The results were very encouraging.

Let us try to secure some of the prizes in our own county.

ASSOCIATIONS.

In order that a better professional spirit may prevail among our county teachers we are planning a series of Associations or more properly speaking, Teacher's and Patrons' Rallies. It is hoped and expected that not only the teachers but officers and patrons will avail themselves of the opportunity of becoming better acquainted with schools and school work. There will be local meetings held in different parts of the county and a regular Association in Charlevoix. All teachers are expected to attend at least their own local meeting and are urged to attend the final meeting in Charlevoix.

J. M. TICER.

Maddock Goes to Utah.

Joe Maddock undoubtedly cares very little how the professors at the U. of M. view his work in English, neither do "cons" worry him in the least. He has accepted an offer to coach for the University of Utah, at a salary of \$1,200, and will go to Utah late next summer. Joe, it will be remembered, received his first football training on the streets of Petoskey in a scrub eleven, some six or seven years ago. With Petoskey having seen Tom Cooper's first experiences on a bicycle, and at one time having sheltered the world's champion billiardist Ives, we are not so "small pumpkins" after all, when it comes to cutting a figure in the world of sports. While speaking of Joe Maddock it is interesting to note that he was offered \$1,500 per year to coach a South Carolina college team, but preferred the west because he considered future prospects in that section better. —Petoskey News.

New Organization

Meguzee Association, O. E. S., of Northern Michigan is the name formally chosen for the district organization comprising the counties of Antrim, Kalkaska, Charlevoix and Grand Traverse. "Meguzee" is an Indian word meaning Eagle and was applied by the Indians to a portion of territory in Antrim county in the pioneer days. The officers of the association are: President, Mrs. Wooden, Kalkaska; First Vice President, Mrs. Hattie Cooper, Charlevoix; Second Vice President, Mrs. Ruth Kelly; Secretary, Mrs. Carrie Hemstreet, Bellaire; Treasurer, Mrs. Wallbrecht, Central Lake.

Literary Club Meet.

East Jordan Literary Club met at the home of Mrs. Wiesman Saturday p. m. March 5th. Program: Paper, Life and work of Will Carleton Reading, Betsy and Iareout, Mrs. Frank Greenwood; Solo, The old fashioned mother, Mrs. Sweet; Song, America, by the Club; Cornet solo, Mr. Joe Wiesman; Reading, Mrs. Wigg's Cabbage Patch, Mrs. C. G. Bush; Paper, Making of China, Mrs. Sherman; Talk on the paintings of Wirtz Museum, Brussels, Miss Lovelady; Current Events, Miss Boosinger. The Club will meet with Miss Boosinger, at the home of Mrs. Asa Lovelady, Saturday March 12th at 2 o'clock standard time.

Mixed Up in a Runaway

Sylvester Neuson is nursing the after-effects of a dislocated shoulder, the result of a mix-up in a runaway last Friday night. While driving near Nettleton's corner, he turned the center out of the beaten path and was immediately upset. It threw Mr. Neuson heavily on his shoulder, badly dislocating same. The horse took fright and ran back to town, where it was stopped near the lake. Mr. Neuson was compelled to walk to town to receive medical aid; Dr. C. A. Sweet reset the injured member.

THE GLORY OF WAR.

The war drums beat upon the shore. The cannon booms at sea. And watching nations wait once more For what the end may be.

New heroes rise and men go down. Defeated and disgraced. And yonder in the smoking town Are corpses interlaced.

And after all is done a few Will have the gains, and then The rest will plow and dig and hew And carry brick again.

S. E. Kiser.

Spasmodic Advertising

Is better than none at all, but the kind that builds fortunes every year for men in every line of business is that continuous advertising that never ceases in any season of the year.

It is the kind that works, whether the weather is hot or cold, wet or dry, whether it be the busy or dull season. It's constantly talking and impressing the advertiser's goods and store so strongly on the mind of the people that they're unconsciously drawn to that store.

A merchant prince of this country says, "The best time to advertise is all the time."

WANTED

Special Representative in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21 weekly, with expenses, paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expenses advanced and horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent.

Address, The Columbia, 630 Monon Bld'g., Chicago, Ill. 25-8

SAN FRANCISCO-LOS ANGELES.

Special low round trip rate for above points. Tickets on sale April 22nd to 30th inclusive. Return limit June 30th. Ask agents for particulars or write.

H. J. Gray, D. P. A., Grand Rapids, Mich. 25-6

Nobody Can Deny

that BOWLING

is a Nice, Clean Sport.

Not a possible objectionable feature.

Try it for yourself.

Bush's Bowling Alleys

JOHN KENNY,

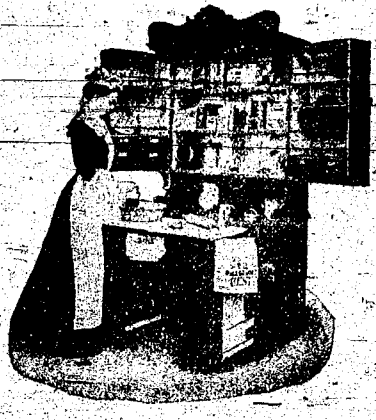
GENERAL

DRAYMAN

Moves household goods, baggage and other household articles of all descriptions.

Stove wood and lumber delivered.

EAST JORDAN, MICH.



A Kitchen Cabinet

Lightens the work of the housewife a hundred fold.

It is not only a luxury but an absolute necessity for the thrifty housekeeper.

We have a Large Assortment and the prices are right.

The ladies are invited to call and inspect them.

C. H. WHITTINGTON, Leader of Low-priced Furniture

HACKETT & ISAMAN

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.

East Jordan, Michigan

Have For Sale the following valuable real estate:

Village Lot, size 30x50, on south side Mill-st. joining Duell Lalonde restaurant property on east side. Price only \$500.

Lots 5 and 6, block H, Stone's Addition to the Village of East Jordan. Grand frame house with large addition. Price \$400.

Part of Lots 1 and 2, block 3, East Jordan. This property has 93 ft. front and is one of the best locations in the city. Price \$2400.

160 acres, about 400 worth timber, about 20 acres cleared, small block house 2x13, 1/2 mile from school and church. Price \$1200.

50.16 acres, about 5 miles from East Jordan, 1 mile from school, frame house and frame barn, well watered pleasant location. Not frosty, would make good fruit farm. Price \$500.

40 acres, 5 miles northwest of East Jordan, about 20 acres improved, good hardwood and cedar timber. Cren runs through it, will make good stock farm. Price \$3000.

175 acres, or thereabouts, with large and well-constructed buildings, a good grist mill with good trade, also several village lots. This will be sold at a bargain. For particulars write or call at this agency.

Fresh GROCERIES

FRESH COOKIES AND CANNED GOODS

OF ALL KINDS ARE CONSTANTLY ARRIVING AT

WILL RICHARDSON'S

State Street Grocery.

BOOSINGER BROS.

EDITORIAL

THINGS today are not as they were. Time and progress work many changes.

This spirit is manifest in all forms of human effort, but in none is it more pronounced than in the Craft of Clothes-making. Throughout the entire industry there have been great improvements during the past few years, the degree, of course, depending upon the courage and ability of each individual firm. Some are away behind in methods, having lacked the courage to meet the new conditions; others, for want of ability to understand the needs of progress, are where they were ten years ago.

The tendency of the hour is toward better clothes, and as a result we meet more well-dressed men and women today than at any previous time in the history of our country. It is a mistake to say that you cannot afford to be well dressed; it is better to say that you cannot afford to be poorly dressed. Good tailors and an all-wise Providence have so arranged that a man on a moderate, or even a small, salary can keep himself about as well clad as a man with "a million."

It is very well to know what to wear, and it is equally important to know where to get it.

Quality First of All -- Our Motto.

Clothing Specialists

This is a time for specialists. We sell Kohn Brothers' Fine Clothing for Men. They're specialists in the making of Fine Clothing—"ready-to-wear"—that kind of clothing which has heretofore been found only in the shops of the merchant tailor—and the very best shops at that. They employ experts in each department. Their buyer of woolsens devotes his entire time to that department, spending a large part of his time at the mills, designing and originating new and exclusive patterns.

Their pattern designer, whose duty it is to create "Clothes Styles," travels extensively for that purpose.

All Union Made

WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF

KOHN BROTHERS

COATS that keep their shape. CLOTHING with Individuality.

Our stock of Boys' "Wear-proof" Clothing at \$2.50 to \$6.00 a suit is simply perfect. Come and see these elegant suits even if not ready to buy.

Our Stock of New Hats for Easter are the latest in style, quality, and modes. How a neat, stylish hat gives a man that splendid up-to-date appearance—especially if it is the right style hat. Our styles are right; so are the prices—\$1.00 to \$3.00.

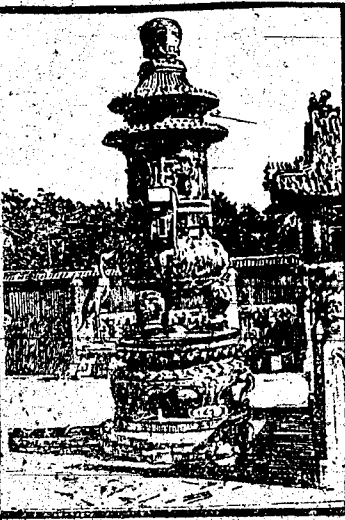


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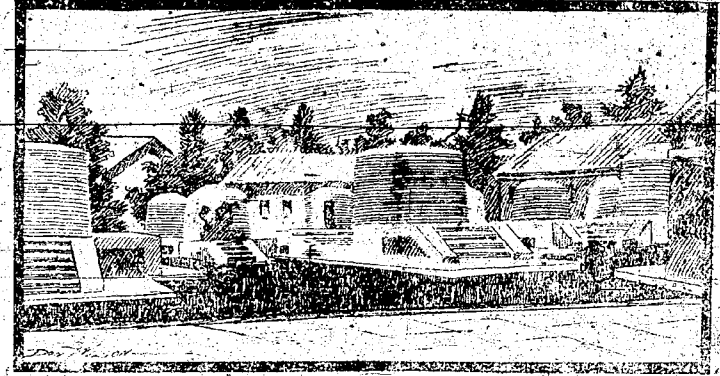
DOWAGER EMPRESS OF CHINA WILL FIGHT TO SAVE ANCESTRAL TOMBS



PAVILION BEFORE AN EMPEROR'S TOMB



INCENSE BURNER BESIDE TOMB OF PRESENT EMPEROR'S GRANDFATHER



GROUP OF TOMBS OF MING-DYNASTY

The Dowager Empress of China is thoroughly alive to the peril threatening China as a result of the Russo-Japanese crisis...

The hens are selfishly using all the egg food for the sole purpose of getting fat.

When we can vote by touching a button the women should be proficient in the useful art.

A Korean mob has wrecked an American trolley car at Seoul. Dispute over a transfer, probably.

Felix Adler wants to know why a wife ought to obey her husband. Mrs. Adler is to be congratulated.

It is claimed that Scotch whisky in this country is not so good as it used to be. But that seems hardly credible.

Maudie Gonne is a ma, and will for a while at least be more interested in baby foods than in the Irish question.

Warships are always a safe investment. Wars threaten frequently enough to make a constant market for them.

Long Island sound was frozen from New Haven to Hell Gate—which is evidence that Hell Gate is not rightly named.

One day the war cloud in the East is larger than a man's hand, and the next day it is smaller than a society girl's foot.

The American "hello" is a part of the language wherever the telephone is used. But the American hello girl is all our own.

Smith Paine of Wallboro, N. H., cut an old-growth pine recently that scaled 1,200 feet. There are a few of the old-growth left.

Prohibitors of New York men have given a complimentary dinner to Prof. Lunsley, but they don't think they live in his neighborhood.

The most interesting thing about slippery sidewalks is that some feel always happier in the morning when your feet go heavenward.

The adoption of the automobile, with its gasoline tank, by the empress of China brings her within the sphere of Mr. Rockefeller's influence.

Gen. Joe Wheeler says that he is deeply interested in war, but hardly at all in politics. And yet war is only politics carried to an extreme.

If an ordinarily old one-dollar bill harbors 40,000 germs, how many could be found and poisoning of a veteran twenty-four hours of confinement?

President Taft says the fear of poverty is one great drawback to success. All that's necessary for him who wishes to succeed is to get rich first. How easy!

Baseball has become most popular among the girls in some of the women's universities, but it usually gives place in time to the safer game of market basket.

Many a man whose brain is something under the influence of George Francis Train can remember days when it certainly felt as if it weighed 54 pounds.

They have just had a riot in the French chamber of deputies. Evidently the deputies feel that it is about time to let the world know that France is herself again.

Mme. Patti refused to appear in Butte, alleging that the altitude would have a bad effect on her voice. The effect of the altitude of the price on the audience is not stated.

Who would have thought that a question of precedence in entering a reception room or of the location of seats at a dinner table would be the impressive dignity of the Supreme Court?

The editor of the Cosmopolitan gave a dinner to Prof. Lunsley at the Waldorf, which was pronounced a great success. It is the first successful dinner participated in by the professor for some time.

Some of the people who are not very busy earning their living have taken up for distribution the old question, "Should a genius marry?" Of course each of the discussers speaks from personal knowledge.

Prof. Harber, anchored at Boston as being narrow and provincial, and Boston never said a word. "When one of the famous" called Boston "provincial" and now there is going to be trouble.

A St. Paul man has secured a verdict against Russell Sage, which entitles him to pay \$7,500. If Uncle Russell survives this blow there will be no reason to fear that he will strike enough to get through the winter all right.

At Great Neck, L. I., a woman with a fortune of \$1,000,000 recently married a poor young man whom she had known only two weeks. Still, there are plenty of men who will go right on staying in their widows' hearts.

THE MOTHERS OF MEN.

Responsibility That is Their Heritage on Earth.

The birthday of Lincoln is approaching, but the centennial for him was born amidst the years of a world full of misery...

A RUSSIAN DICK TROPIC.

Young Highwayman Who Robbed Wealthy to Succor the Poor.

His history is dramatic. He was a handsome, hard-headed student of the Kiev Seminary, but on finishing his course, writes a correspondence with a revolver, dagger and a number of forged papers and passes, and became a courier of robbery and homicide...

Azalais.

It was the maiden Azalais, And father was her hair to see, Than any garnered golden sheaf...

The Champion.

Once upon a time there was a certain grocery keeper who was very successful in accumulating money...

Royal Carpet of Value.

In the ethnographic museum of Rotterdam may now be seen a beautiful carpet which the shah of Persia recently presented to Queen Wilhelmina...

THE SUPPLY OF PLATINUM.

Very Much in Demand and Its Source Entirely Unknown.

One of the most valuable minerals of which the scientific supply is very limited is that of platinum...

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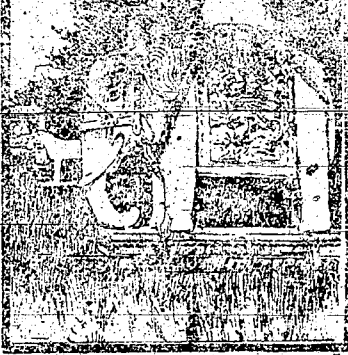
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DOWN IN THE EARTH.

Temperature Varies in Different Parts of the World.

In the report of the last coal commission the conclusion is arrived at that at a depth of 3,000 feet the temperature of the earth would amount to 93 degrees Fahrenheit...

The report of the British association committee on underground temperatures during the last thirty years tends to show not only that the temperature gradient varies considerably in different localities...

The temperature of the coal on discovery at the Rosebridge colliery in Lancashire was stated as the maximum to be 93 degrees Fahrenheit...

JUST HAVE BEEN THE LIMIT.

Prof. Blank's Features Somewhat Hard to Imagine.

Senator Hopkins of Illinois tells of a party of his acquaintance in Chicago who was recently compelled to console her little boy for making a rude reference to the appearance of a certain visitor to her home...

"No, Richard," said the mother sternly, "let me never again hear you speak in such disrespectful terms of Prof. Blank!"

"Why, well, ma," replied the youngster, "but he certainly is a homely specimen, isn't he?"

"That's your time, my child! But, all the same, you mustn't speak of it. Prof. Blank is a very estimable man."

Whereupon the mother collapsed. New York Times.

Lincoln and the Drummer-Boy.

In the spring of 1864 Col. Fox camped a few days in Washington with his regiment, the Twenty-seventh Michigan, on his way to join the army of the Potomac...

When they arrived at the first camp near the Potomac, the Colonel inquired of his officers to the President who had been taken with the last one, Lincoln said:

"Why, Colonel, you've overlooked one of your soldiers!"

The Colonel did not understand, but following the direction of the President's gaze, he saw, sitting himself away in an obscure corner where he hoped not to be noticed, his regimental drummer boy...

And what did the great President do but walk over to the boy and take his hand, saying:

"My name is Abraham Lincoln. What is yours?"

He talked to the surprised and delighted lad until he put him entirely at his ease. Whether that drummer boy is still living or not is not known, but if he is, he has not forgotten that incident. - Detroit Free Press.

The Hand of Time.

Old Time flies on his endless race Overland, over ocean, and in space He reaches forth his specter hand, And grasps his millions in the land. Time strides hard that path to meet Time holds him fast, by his decree, Our plans, we make them, he ordains, But Time will end them—that is sure. Man carves his name upon the rock, The earth but harkens, and in the shock The name he sets us in the sand, When washed by ocean's busy hand, Then let our plans be made to save That endless life beyond the grave. - Hamilton.

What Rip Forgot.

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"If I do say it myself," observed the host, "I have an especial gift for serving hot Scotch. Billy Florence used to say that I should have been a barkeeper. Now try this, Mr. Cleveland, and let me know your verdict."

"Several times Mr. Cleveland tasted the scummy Scotch thoughtfully, naming the ingredients as he identified them. "Nothing but man water, sugar, he mused approvingly. "But I don't imagine you would hold a position as barkeeper very long."

"What's wrong?" queried Mr. Jefferson.

"You might be a great success as attendant in a hot water hospital," said the ex-president, "but as a connoisseur of delectable drinks, you're certainly a failure. You've forgotten to pour in the Scotch." - New York Times.

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No Race Suicide Here.

Behind two young women kindergarten teachers riding in an elevated train sat a drowsy old Irishman.

"How many children have you?" inquired one teacher of her companion.

"Twenty-two," was the reply. "How many have you?"

"I have only nineteen," was the answer. "Faith," spoke up the Irishman, "it's aisy to see you're none of them race suicides." - New York Press.

Chance to Get Even.

Mrs. Gabel—What do you think, George? When the doctor called the other day he asked me to put out my tongue, and when I did so he quite hurt me. He—

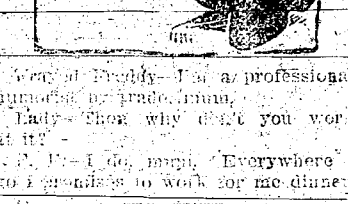
Would Not Hurt Them.

Stranger—Gracious! What a rude conductor!

Native—This is the elevated road, you know.

Stranger—Well, it wouldn't hurt the conductors to be a little more elevated.

Genuine Joke.



"What a pretty girl! A professional humorist or tragedienne?"

"Lady, then why don't you work at it?"

"I do, mum! Everywhere I go I'm made to work for me dinner."

Hobson's Choice.

"If I were you, I'd never have chosen that car to race in!"

"I've chosen it because it's the only one I can afford to buy."

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DIG IN!
When you want to get ahead,
When you're up to work you dread,
When Dame Care comes down your way,
Days are sad instead of gay,
When there's nothing seems to pry,
When the other fellows lead,
When you're short on things you need,
When this rent is overdue,
And the landlord says he'll sue,
When the world is looking blue,
Never mind the other man,
You can win, you know you can,
Better luck will come your way,
Just make up your mind to stay,
Every dog will have his day,
—Frank Farrington in New York Sun.



DORIS GOES A WHEELIN'

By JESSIE WADE MANNING
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Early one morning, when the crocuses, tulips and daffodils were vying with one another in their gaudy raiment, a delivery wagon stopped before the garden gate at the Gorham home.

ly unknown to her older sisters, who had kept up their daily routine, year after year unconsciously heartless, unconsciously soulless.

"So, Doris, she had, satistically, without looking up from her work, 'You've thrown your money away on this device of the devil! If you'd only taken it when other people did, there'd be some excuse for it, but from a child you've always showed such perverse-ness.'"

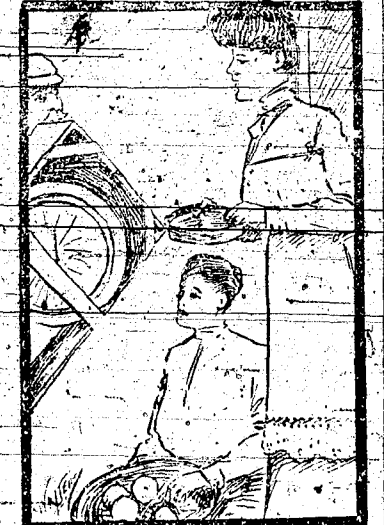
"Poor, loving Doris, in her inharmonious atmosphere, when fearful of breaking the tenth commandment, had bravely hard for fortitude and grace, but a phantom Seth had been her constant companion, whether she would or not—although, when, as neighbors, they met occasionally, they rarely passed the time of day, and since his wife's death, the old lovers had seen nothing of each other."

"Cut the meadow up into city lots," spoke up Eunice, the second and practical sister.

"Some one's cheated us out of years and years of happiness."

"Well, we'll take our usual vote on it. All in favor of selling the meadow off in lots say 'yes'." Eunice and Lorinda fairly shrieked the necessary word.

"The quaint little woman soon gained confidence and was able to wheel down the steep hill at the end of the street without any mishaps."



The wheel was placed beside her on the stoop.

"Where you've sent me, I reckon," answered Doris not daring to look up and following her leader at a terrific speed.

For a second Doris was more annoyed than surprised at finding her idol of a quarter of a century riding a wheel at his time of life. Then she blushed, as she remembered that there was only two years' difference in their ages. Conscious of each other's embarrassment, they sat down on a nearby pile of lumber, while Seth apparently looked over the damaged wheels.

ble, as she tried to pull her short skirt down over her old shoes.

"Nor mine," answered the spinster, a little more gently, meeting his gaze.

"Some one's cheated us out of years and years of happiness, little woman, but if you'll say the word now, we'll wheel to Parson Woods and to-morrow I'll buy a tandem."

A bashful, middle aged bachelor recently fell a tardy victim to one of Cupid's shafts. The very thought of having to make a personal offer of marriage was sufficient to give him nightmare and to propose by letter he looked on as a father cowardly shirking of an obvious duty. At last a happy solution occurred to him. Purchasing a photograph and a number of cylinders he sent them anonymously to the lady of his choice, who was delighted with such an acceptable present. She excitedly proceeded to try the records and her confusion may be imagined when she heard a voice she knew well declaring undying love for her and begging her to be his wife. What could a poor maiden do under these conditions but answer "yes" to such pleading? And less than two months ago the story of the strange wooing was told by the bridegroom himself at a wedding reception.

As seen by different persons, the size of the moon varies from that of a cart wheel to a silver dollar.

Almost 300 men were killed in the anthracite mines of Pennsylvania during 1903, according to the records kept by the State mining inspectors.

WORK FOR THE BLIND.
Message Seems Proper Occupation for the Afflicted.

EVERYDAY FARE IN INDIA.
Chickens and Rice the Staple Food of Diet.

Use of Earth as Food.
Consumption of earth as food is said to be common not only in China, New Caledonia and New Guinea, but in the Malay archipelago as well.

Where Lord Nelson Really Died.
Visitors to the Victory at Portsmouth, England, who have gazed upon a spot in the cockpit and believed it to be the place where Nelson breathed his last, were quite mistaken, according to discoveries just made during the overhauling of the ship.

Gentle Japanese Deities.
Japanese deities are as kindly and gentle-hearted as the people themselves.

Heaviest in Winter.
Some curious experiments have been made at one of the royal philanthropic institutions at Copenhagen.

MUST KEEP FATHER'S PROMISE.
Russian Girl Forced to Marry Chosen for Her.

WOMEN NOW RAISE MICE.
seem to Have Overcome Their Constitutional Aversion.

A Pair of Valuable "Black and White Even-Marked" Mice.
means that even in the most fashionable circles ladies are the possessors of valuable mouseries and have succeeded in evolving some beautiful specimens of the house tribe.

New Zealand's Old Age Pensions.
New Zealand pays out \$1,000,000 in old age pensions. A person must be 55 years old, a resident for twenty-five years, a clean record—that is, never has been convicted of crime—and his yearly income must not exceed \$250 and his capital not more than \$1,500, nor must he have deprived himself of property in order to qualify himself for a pension. He then receives \$90 per year.

Stone Saved Warship.
The British warship Belleisle struck on the Labrador coast on Sept. 22, '85, and when she was docked at Portsmouth a month later it was found that the stone here figured had plugged a leak and saved her and her crew. The stone has just been recovered from a little-used storehouse at Portsmouth, and has been placed in a prominent position near Admiralty House.

World's Cotton Spindles.
The number of cotton spindles in the principal countries of the world is as follows: Great Britain, 47,000,000; continent of Europe, 34,000,000; United States, north, 15,000,000; United States, south, 7,000,000; East India, 5,070,000; Japan, 1,500,000.

FRAUDS IN A BALE OF HAY.
Frauds in Watch Cases.

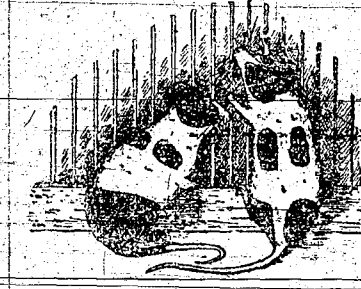
Start River Oyster Farm.
Mammoth Springs, Ark., dispatch: Col. H. G. Carey of Springfield, Ill., and R. S. Kinkpatrick of Newport, Ky., are about to establish an "oyster farm" on the shoals of Salt River, just above this town.

Governor's Relative Dies.
Baraboo, Wis., special. Mrs. Anson Case, mother of Mrs. R. M. LaFollette, is dead. Besides the governor's wife, she is survived by her husband and one son.

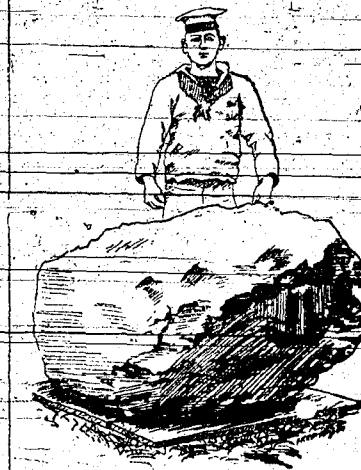
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Stone Saved Warship.

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No surer evidence of satisfactory service and satisfactory merchandise than to have the mass seek you out and buy your goods.

Echoes of spring are heard in the near distance—sounding over the railroad track or on the top rail of your worm-fence and the birds are beginning to inhabit the tree tops and door-ways, all this betokens spring—

AND

We are Making Ready for the Spring.

New Goods in every department. An opportunity for the housekeeper to do up her early sewing.

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Shoes for Men, Women and Children

Green Quality

American Lady

Wells Shoe

Wells Shoe

Wells Shoe for Children

Mustiff for Boys and Girls



Corsets, Ribbons, Gloves, Laces, Belts, Neckwear, Hosiery, etc. &c.

Misses' Hats and Caps

Carpets—A very nice line of Carpets soon to arrive.

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- 25 Pairs Misses' Rubbers, former price 40c, now 29c
- 25 Pairs Ladies' Rubbers, former price 45c, now 29c
- 25 Pairs Ladies' Arctics, former price 75c, now 49c

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FINDING OF "HER"

By LOUISE J. STRONG

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The stagecoach slowly emptied itself as the travelers reached their various destinations, until only three were left to be stranded by a breakdown at a cluster of houses called a town. Two of them were residents of the country, neighbors returning from a business trip necessitated by the bogus sales of a bogus land agent, which had involved their property.

The third traveler was a woman from a far New England town; whose whole life, up to her comely middle age, had been spent in the rush and turmoil of a monster factory. To her the wide, illimitable plain was a revelation of the vastness of God's domain, and she brooded over it in silent, dreamy contemplation. She smiled and answered pleasantly when spoken to, but had volunteered no information concerning herself, and Lee and Bainbridge felt some curiosity as to her destination.

They knew nobody in the sparsely settled region beyond who was expecting company, and such an event would be news for fifty miles around.

She had accepted the detouring accident without worry or impatience and after supper sat on the porch of the small hotel, her eyes fixed in wondering awe upon the distant mountains, beyond whose peaks streamed the glory of the setting sun.

"She looks like home," Bainbridge said, indicating her with a nod.

"She's that kind," Lee returned, with the assurance of knowledge gained by experience. He was a married man.

They lounged out and took a bench near her.

"Going on with the coach, ma'am?" Lee ventured after awhile.

"Why, yes," she replied pleasantly, rousing. "I'm going out near Wallace."

"Why, that's our postoffice! Just a shack, you know—store, and postoffice together. Are you loitering in that neighborhood?"

"Yes, quite near. And you are some of our neighbors? That's good! I seem to almost know you. I'm Almira Burton." She laughed like a pleased child and put out her hand as she introduced herself.

The men exchanged startled glances at the name, but they shook hands cordially.

"I am Bob Lee, have a wife (best in the world) and four towheads. This is Willie Bainbridge, the old bachelor who 'lived by himself,' as you went on so logically."

"I'm glad there are children near. I am going to miss ours at home so dreadfully," she said.

"Maybe they won't be what you'd call near," he laughed. "Anything's near out here inside of twenty miles."

"Our quarter section is two miles south of Wallace, and the agent said there'd be a railroad soon. I hope you're not far away."

"You bought, I reckon," Bainbridge said. "Land's all been taken up round here ever so long."

"Yes, that's what the agent said, though it doesn't seem possible. Why, it's just one great ocean of land out here. I didn't realize there was so much—and all taken. But some folks own miles, don't they?"

Bainbridge nodded, and she went on with a deprecatory smile at her former ignorance. "Our place seemed so big—a hundred and sixty acres—and that is big when you've never had even a garden spot—just rooms and a tiny mite of a dooryard!"

"It does," Lee assented. "I came from that kind of a home myself—hardware clerk and wife a teacher back in Ohio. Tell you, we stretched out here!"

He did not say that their "stretch" covered several miles, as he might.

"We're going to raise cattle as soon as we get started." She seemed suddenly to feel herself among friends and neighbors, who had a right to know the prospects and intentions of the newcomers. "We think it will be easier for Tom, and we've heard it was more profitable than ordinary farming."

"Tom is, maybe, your husband?" Lee inquired.

"Land, no!" she laughed, her plump face rosy. "He's my brother—all the folks I've got. I raised him, and, like me, he's been a factory worker all his life. He's married and has two little tots, so smart!"

"Thomas H. and A. Burton—the names you bought under?" Bainbridge queried, with a warning glance at Lee.

things as soon as I can. Tom's sticky, and he's dreadfully run down. He couldn't be alone out here." A glow of confidence lighted her eyes, and she continued: "We've been saving a long time to get a home out in the country somewhere. Tom was never strong and the last year or two has developed consumptive tendencies, and the doctors advised him to come out in this part of the west and live. They say he'll get well and be stronger than ever. We got this land real cheap through the agent, and it's all paid for and enough over to bring me out and get some sort of shelter and a staff of cattle. I thought I could buy some calves cheap, and I'll hire some breaking done and raise some grain and get chickens. They'll come out as soon as we get enough to bring them. I hope it won't be long, I'm so anxious about Tom." There was a thrill of apprehension in her voice. "The coughs had at times and some days can hardly get to his work. Annie, his wife, goes in his place part of the time and makes him rest off and stay with the children. I must get them here as soon as possible."

"Yes, he needs to come," Lee said, regarding her with a sort of amazement. "And look here," Bainbridge put in, "we'll put up your shanty and do your breaking, and it shan't cost you anything. We always do that for our new neighbors, and I guess we can rustle up some calves for you, and you return them when you're all here and your herd grows."

The tears rushed to her eyes, and she exclaimed: "Oh, what big hearts you have out here in this big country! I'll be the best neighbor you ever had. There's lots I can do for you if you are alone."

"Yes, ma'am; I reckon there is," he said awkwardly, a wistful pity mingling with the embarrassment in his face.

He strolled away presently, and Lee followed in obedience to a sly sign, and she relapsed into dreamy contemplation, her heart warm with the kindness of these new neighbors.

"Look here," Bainbridge said savagely when they were out of sight, "if you let it out I'll kill you!"

"That's right," Lee assured him. "What's a beggarly quarrel section anyway? I'd cut 'em off that much and welcome."

"But it's already cut off of mine," Bainbridge bristled jealously. "That recently back there! This is only one of the many pitiful cases of his thieving. But they've dropped right on to their feet! I'll fix it so they'll never know."

Lee gravely shook his head, then burst out: "But Lordy, Lordy, the innocence of it! Cattle raising on a quarter section, and all the rest of it—their's the kind that fatten the mammals. But she's good! I've got a good woman. I know one when I see her!"

"Yes, she's good," Bainbridge asserted absently. "Makes you feel like Sunday morning, and all the bells ringing."

"Ho, ho! I must tell Ellen that. She says you're a born poet and only need a good woman to bring it out."

"Reckon I've found her," Bainbridge grinned sheepishly, turning away.

The moon was diffusing a mellow daylight when he returned from a long walk in communion with himself. He found her still on the porch and sat down in a low seat.

"Don't be frightened, Miss Burton, at what I'm going to say. My head's level, anybody round here'll tell you that. I always know what I want, and we do things quick out here. Once when I was young I was going to be married, but she died." He paused an instant. "Since that I never found any one I wanted till right now, and—and I'm waiting to be married any minute you say so. If it's too quick I'll keep on waiting, but I'm not going to let anybody else have you."

"Mercy!" she gasped in helpless surprise, but with appreciation of his sturdy manhood gleaming in her eyes. "I mean anybody out here," he amended. "Of course if there's one back there I'm out!"

She shook her head, her face one vivid flame.

"Well, then, I think you can trust me." He leaned toward her coaxingly, his strong hand swallowing hers. "Tom and Annie and the kids'll be our next door neighbors, and if you get tired of me you can go back to them." His eyes twinkled.

She was still silent, and he went on: "We've been together several days and have a pretty good notion of each other—and I'll feel like the bottom had dropped out of everything if it isn't a go."

"I guess it's a go," she stammered.

"Glorious!" he exclaimed, taking possession of her. "And see here—I'm going to telegraph money to fetch my brother-in-law out immediately! Give me a kiss, little woman."

Soil Wet and Dry.

Wet soil assumes a darker color than dry because its particles thus become semitransparent, as is the case also with a piece of wetted tissue paper or ground glass.

This change of color is due to the fact that the interstices between the grains of soil are filled with water, so that the number of reflecting surfaces, which in a dry condition scatter and break up the light, are greatly reduced in number. It follows that the total amount of light reflected to the eye is correspondingly diminished.

In short, as the color shade of an object depends upon the proportion of light that is reflected for all the light that falls upon it, dry soil is lighter in shade than wet, which reflects less light. That portion of incident light which wet soil fails to reflect penetrates below the surface, where it is lost or absorbed.

School Notes.

Spring vacation will be from April 1st to April 11th instead of from Mar. 18th to March 28th as previously announced.

A party of high school students enjoyed a sleigh ride to Afton last Friday evening.

On account of illness, Mr. Pinney is unable to attend to his work. His son, Hubert is acting as janitor during his absence.

Supt. Tice is in Charlevoix this week conducting the teachers' examination. Ray Clink accompanied him as one of the applicants for certificate.

Many pupils have been absent from high school the past few weeks because of sickness; the latest victims are Harriet Barrett, Mildred and Dan Seymour. We are glad to welcome back Vernon Payton, and Edna Gage.

The sixth grade has its full number of pupils now, those who were sick having returned.

There are two new pictures in the primary room.

Blanch Zudek, Kate Malpass, Grace Shepard and Tressa Reed have returned to school.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy for the month ending March 4th:

FOURTH GRADE

John Fitzgerald, Stewart Carr, Harry Walstad, Jessie Weikel, Lydia Malpass, Ethel Burak, Lucile Boostinger, John Lavally, Lawrence Lemlerux, Florence Bartlett, John Freese, Ralph LaLonde, Julius Nachazel, Mary DeWitt, Florence Cottrell, Pearl Lanway.

THIRD GRADE

Leonard Deford, Dalton Goy, Maude Hayes, Pearl Lanway, Marjorie Lemieux, Esther Malpass, Florence Maddough, Emma Nachazel, Esther Penter, Frank Shepard, Mary St. John, Guy Edgman, Miss Stewart, June Hoyt, Laura Wheeler, Harry Griffin.

SECOND GRADE

Clara Farson, Clyde Doher, Clinton Bowen, Constance Loveday, Floyd Hull, Florence Yost, Harry Crothers, Josephine Thompson.

VILLAGE ELECTION NOTICE.

To the Electors of the Village of East Jordan, County of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing election for said Village will be held at the Town Hall in said village on

MONDAY, March 14, 1904,
at which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz: One Village President, one Village Clerk, one Village Treasurer, three Trustees for two years, one Assessor.

The polls of said election will be open at 7:00 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5:00 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

By order of the Board of Election Inspectors of said Village.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D. 1904. CHAS. A. HUDSON,
Clerk of said Village.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the Electors of the Village of East Jordan, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the Village aforesaid, will be held at the Hose House with said village, on

SATURDAY, March 12, 1904,
for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessors of the necessary qualifications of electors and who may apply for that purpose, and that the said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid, from 9:00 o'clock a. m. until 8:00 o'clock p. m. for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D. 1904.

By order of the Village Board of Registration. CHAS. A. HUDSON,
Clerk of said Village.

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We Did Em Up.

The Bellaire Bowling Team came over to our burg last Monday evening carrying with them a nice bird's-eye maple ten pin which they were foolish enough to risk on the outcome of a game with East Jordan boys. They went back to Bellaire minus the pin, which is now decorating the desk of Besh's Bowling Alley. To those who wish to know the why and wherefore we present the below tabulated score:

EAST JORDAN.			
	First	Second	Third
Gilbert	126	109	146
Howard	170	154	173
Rewley	140	156	133
Kenney	147	134	116
Price	109	130	114
Totals	692	685	681

BELLAIRE.			
	First	Second	Third
Hierlhy	99	153	104
Seaman	103	168	139
Smith	158	127	106
Watterick	114	106	113
Cole	127	118	115
	599	672	597

Her Opinion.

He was very badly gone indeed indeed, as may be judged by the fact that he sat up till the wee sma' hours and nibbled two inches off a pep in composing the following epic:

Beautiful one with eyes so blue,
Oh, how my fond heart sighs for you
Sweet spirit, listen to me now,
Hear once again my ardent vow!

There was about two feet six inches of this soul inspiring verse, and he sent it to the object of his adoration, with a request that she would express an opinion on its merits. He got it.

Dear Mr. Theodore Hopkins—You ask me for my opinion of your verses. I do not like to hurt your feelings, but if you will read the initial letters of the first four lines downward I may say that you express my sentiments exactly. Yours very truly,
MABEL BROWN.

And when Theodore strung the first four letters together he pondered bitterly. London Telegraph.

Detroit & Charlevoix R. R.

Time Schedule in effect Sunday, December 20th, 1903.

Going East	Stations	Going West
9:00 am	Ly South Arm Ar	6:15 pm
9:20 am	Wards	5:55 pm
9:35 am	Jordan River	5:50 pm
9:50 am	Graves Camp	5:45 pm
10:00 am	Green River	5:40 pm
10:45 am	Alba	5:20 pm
11:00 am	Deward	4:55 pm
12:35 pm	Ar Frederic Lv	4:00 pm

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DETROIT	White Lead Works Paints	DETROIT
ROGERS	Enamels, Carriage Paints, Varnish Stains, Etc.	ROGERS
PERFECT	Woven Wire Fencing, electrically welded joints.	PERFECT
PULP PLASTER	the kind that makes a perfect wall.	PULP PLASTER

LOVEDAY HARDWARE.

Register today.
Hattie Barrett is sick with pneumonia.

We sell only the best Furniture.—S. E. Landrum.

Something that puts you at peace with all the world—a Pride Cigar.

Go to Malpass Hardware for all kinds of Fencing; their prices will interest you.

Roy L. Lorraine and Atty. Converse were at Boyne City on business Saturday last.

Because a man is smoking a ten-cent cigar doesn't prove that he paid that much. It may be a Pride Cigar.

Frank Mastnek has added a large supply of Musical Instruments to his already well-equipped stock. See adv.

John Hanson, manager of East Jordan Lumber Co.'s branch store at Hitchcock, was in town over Sunday.

John A. Boosinger returned Tuesday night from a visit at Lansing, and other places in the central part of the state.

A bel liar claims to have seen thirteen robins building nests yesterday, while on his way home from the village saloon.

At this season clubs to aid various presidential booms are being formed. Next summer some of these same booms will be clubbed to death.

John Fowler, an old resident of this locality, has sold his farm to his brother, Roy, and intends going to Indian Territory for a future home.

Gorton's Minstrels are coming soon. They travel in their own special car, and are thoroughly equipped to give their patrons an evening of solid enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Landrum have been entertaining Mr. Landrum's sisters, Mrs. E. Goodwin of Kalkaska and Mrs. G. W. Newport with little daughter Marie of Central Lake.

Some people think its a fair business proposition to have a dealer send outside for a certain cigar in M. R. but should you send outside for an undershirt you would be considered the unjust, degraded citizen in the town. Get a Pride—just as good as any.

The case of George Sherman vs. Messrs. Madison, Warne, Dicken, and Lorraine was called Tuesday afternoon by Justice Boosinger. After a trial which lasted until the evening, the Justice gave plaintiff verdict for \$50 and cost. It is probable that the case will be appealed.

Says one subscriber: While the Republicans are looking about for a candidate for Governor it seems to me as though they would do well to investigate thoroughly the personal fitness of G. B. Horton, the Master of the State Grange. I know him personally and he is thoroughly competent and would give the people a strong vigorous executive. Our "Retired Business Men Governors" of the past decade haven't been a complete success. Let's have a change.

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A crank always knows more than a good judge but be careful and don't take a crank's advice when buying a cigar. Try a Pride and try and be your own judge.

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NOTICE—Mr. G. Arthur Lisk purchased and took possession of The HERALD Feb. 10. All subscription accounts should be paid to him. All advertising accounts to that date should be settled with the undersigned.

R. L. LORRAINE.

S. E. Landrum moved his stock of Furniture this week from the Glena block to more commodious quarters in the Highland building, across from Malpass Hardware store. Mr. Landrum carries a nice stock of goods, is now in a position to display them to advantage, and will be pleased to see both old and new customers in his new place of business.

Walter Bailey of Boyne City, an 8 year old lad, was drowned in Boyne River Sunday. He was standing on a bridge with his brother when he slipped fell into the river, and was immediately carried under by an undertow. A searching party was organized and late Monday afternoon the body was recovered some 200 feet from where he was carried under, and in sixteen feet of water. The searching party cut holes in the ice, and by placing a fishing shanty over the holes were able to reach the bottom of the river.

Doerr & Munroe are pushing the sales on their patent Spraying Machine which is one of the best of its kind. Lawrence Doerr is the general manager of the Traverse City Spraying Co. which has the manufacture of the machine. John Munroe, Jr. has considerable capital invested in the manufacture and sales of the machine. They recently shipped one to Fenville and Patrick Welch, as agent, left Tuesday to cover the region around that place. Mr. Doerr returned home from Bowling Green, Ohio, Friday, and immediately leaves again for another field. The machine is a good one and will command sales.

For a first class job of Painting or Paper Hanging call on O. H. Moyer, East Jordan, Mich. All work guaranteed. Leave orders at Landrum's Furniture store.

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The ice crop is safe.
March acts like a ground hog.
St. Patrick's Day next Wednesday.
Republican State Convention at Grand Rapids, May 18th.
Grand Traverse Dairymen's Ass'n meet at Traverse City Mar. 16-17.

A Hearst club was organized at Grayling a few days ago with a membership of about 100.

There may be substitutes nowadays for nearly everything but the veteran smoker doesn't believe anything will equal a Pride Cigar.

The first harbinger of spring, a robin, was heard and seen on State St. early Sunday morning. Here's hoping that it will not be a case of misplaced confidence.

"A Talk on the Apple" is a well-compiled booklet put out by the Michigan Agricultural College. Anyone wishing a copy can obtain same by addressing the M. A. C. Clinton D. Smith is director of that department.

W. A. Chipman, the well-known Grand Rapids Piano Tuner will be in town for a few days the fore part of next week to attend to the wants of those who desire a first-class job done. Those wishing his services can leave word at this office.

Residents of the village should watch for something from the Board of Trade soon in regard to a canning plant. Sec'y J. E. Converse is in correspondence with a large Company that are desirous of establishing a branch of their business in this locality. Nothing definite has been reached as yet but the Board officials will do all they can to get it headed our way.

The notices in last week's issue announcing the engagement of "Down Mobile" for tonight proved to be premature, as through a clerical error of the company the wrong month was named in correspondence. The Show will be here a little later, and when it is next advertised it may be considered definite. Gorton's Minstrels comes first.

March term of Circuit Court convenes Monday next at Charlevoix with a light docket. The criminal cases are: People vs. Ernest Crippen, attempt rape; People vs. James King, burglary; People vs. Charles Marsh, burglary. It is alleged that King swiped a traveling man's case containing sample gloves, all left-handed. (Looks like a case of King getting left.) Among the civil cases is that of E. F. Meech vs. Citizen's Insurance Co. of Missouri—a suit to collect insurance on the hotel Mr. Meech lost by fire in this village a couple years ago.

Roy Gregory is ill with pneumonia. Morris Quinn is working at Deward.

Charles Hudson is confined to his room with lung trouble. Better now.

County Com'r of Schools J. M. Tice is conducting a teacher's examination at Charlevoix.

The big stock of Wire Fencing in front of Loveday's Hardware takes the eye of everyone interested in farming.

If the world seems to be moving around in your head, try a Pride Cigar and that awfulness will disappear like magic.

Don't forget to look at those fine Sewing Machines that the Malpass Hardware Co. is offering at such low prices.

The East Jordan Military Band are giving the citizens a good quality of music in their weekly open air concerts.

The Herald has secured a good live correspondent at Ironton and will hereafter publish the doings at that village.

Gorton's Minstrels are pleasing large audiences in the principal cities of Wisconsin this week. They are very highly spoken of wherever they play.

Zimmer Spanish mixed with Porto Rico Fiting and Sumatra Wrapper ain't a bad combination for a cigar. That's all there is to Pride—No dope. Try one.

Otto Hubert Moyer, our popular band instructor, left Thursday noon for Kalkaska where he takes part in the Annual Band Concert of the Kalkaska Military Band.

W. A. Loveday & Co. have just received a stock of 12, 14 and 16 foot Ladders which they offer at very low prices. One of these ladders, on the premises, will be found very useful to every house owner.

Ewing Blake of South Arm, aged 68 years, died last Monday. Funeral services were held Wednesday at the house, Rev. Yost pastor of the Methodist church officiating, and Undertaker C. H. Whittington taking charge of the remains. In accordance with the wishes of deceased, the remains were sent to Cedar Springs and laid beside relatives in the cemetery there.

East Jordan Harness Co. is the name of the new firm located in the Votruba Block. George Otis and W. J. Smith are the gentlemen interested. Mr. Smith's residence was formerly Sheppard, and Mr. Otis, while claiming Grand Rapids as his home, is too well known hereabouts to need an introduction. Both are veterans in the harness business and will give the people of East Jordan a first class harness store.

Go to S. E. Landrum's for the best in Furniture.

Loss of Flesh

When you can't eat breakfast, take Scott's Emulsion.

When you can't eat bread and butter, take Scott's Emulsion.

When you have been living on a milk diet and want something a little more nourishing, take Scott's Emulsion.

To get fat you must eat fat. Scott's Emulsion is a great fattener, a great strength giver.

Those who have lost flesh want to increase all body tissues, not only fat. Scott's Emulsion increases them all, bone, flesh, blood and nerve.

For invalids, for convalescents, for consumptives, for weak children, for all who need flesh, Scott's Emulsion is a rich and comfortable food, and a natural tonic.

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We will send you a free sample.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE,
CHEMISTS,
409 Pearl St., N. Y.
50c. and \$1. all druggists.

W. L. YANCY BAFELED PHYSICIANS.

W. L. Yancy of Paducah, Ky., writes: I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave me immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." sold by L. C. Madison.

"Down Mobile" being a southern plot, gives opportunity for the introduction of a few genuine negro characters which are supplied by some of the best colored talent in the profession.

This spring you need a nerve food one that will cleanse and reconstruct your nerve centers and wasted energies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do it. 35 cents. Tea or tablets at F. C. Warne's.

Following is a list of the letters remaining uncalled for in the East Jordan postoffice for the week ending February 29, 1904:

Peters, Miss Della
Wells, Mrs. Mary
Balk Stella (2)
WM. HARRINGTON, P. M.

JUST RECEIVED

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

SUCH AS

Violins, Guitars, Mandolins, Accorinas, German Accordions, Violin Boxes and Bows, Guitar Cases, and Strings for all instruments. Repairs for same always kept on hand.

I will furnish anything known in music not kept in stock at ten per cent. above cost. Fine Watch and Jewelry repairing a specialty.

FRANK MARTINEK.

For a full line of Pure Drugs

Go to

Warne's Pharmacy.

Prescriptions Carefully Compounded.

JUST RECEIVED

50,000 Pounds of Barbed and Twisted Wire

500 Kegs of Wire Nails

Bought below present market price and will give our customers the benefit.

Besides we carry the best assorted stock of

HARDWARE

That can be found in this town.

Yours for Good Goods and Courteous Treatment.

The W. E. Malpass Hardware Co.

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DON'T BE AN ASS.

If you are buying a pair of shoes or a suit of clothes you are particular as to the honesty and reputation of the merchant. Your health is of more importance than either, yet you let quacks, medical fakirs and other humbugs deceive you by their deceptive offers of something for nothing. After being defrauded by these medical sharks you think all doctors are rogues, whereas, you alone are to blame. Why not first demand from them evidence of their honesty and responsibility as specialists.

READER Are you a victim? Have you lost hope? Are you contemplating marriage? Has your blood been diseased? Have you any weaknesses? Our **New Method Treatment** will cure you. What it has done for others it will do for you. **Consultation Free.** No matter who has treated you, write for an honest opinion free of charge. Charges reasonable. **Books Free.**—"The Golden Monitor" (Illustrated) on Diseases of Men.

NO NAMES Used without written consent. No Medicine Sent C. O. D. No names on boxes or envelopes. Everything confidential. Quantities and cost of treatment FREE.

DRS. KENNEDY & KERGAN,
148 SHELBY STREET, DETROIT, MICH.

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THE FATAL REQUEST OR FOUND OUT

By A. L. Harris—Author of "Mine Own Familiar Friend," etc.
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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

One member of the household was soon to discover this. Miss Perkins came upon him unexpectedly, as he was stooping, with his back toward her, and apparently engaged in closely examining the keyhole of the door belonging to his master's private room.

"What's that you're doing?" she cried, sharply.

The individual thus addressed started violently, and something fell to the ground with a clink—something which he immediately covered with his foot, before he turned and faced her without making any reply.

"You've changed your ways lately," she said, seeing he made no answer, "and always hanging about this door. What's your game, I should like to know. Anyhow, you aren't up to no good. People as gets into respectable houses under false names very seldom is up to any good!"

With this Parthian shaft she turned away and left him looking back once over her shoulder, with that same malicious smile, as she marked the effect it had produced. What did she mean by that remark of hers about a false name? How could she have found it out? The shot was too near the bull's eye to have been fired at random. Good heavens! Was it possible she could have any suspicion of the real truth?

There was no source whatever from which she might have obtained this information—Ah—

He flew upstairs at a tremendous rate, after flight to the top of the house, to his own room, burst the door open and catered.

There was a modest looking box in the corner of the room—a box which contained his few belongings.

Had he remembered to lock this on the last time when he had occasion to resort to it?

No, he had offered no resistance to his hand.

He began to turn over the articles which it contained, but could not hit

ment she stood motionless, holding the magazine in one hand, while she looked at the individual before her with a puzzled, searching expression upon her countenance. Then a sudden light seemed to break in upon her—she gave a gasp—her expression changed from curiosity to amazement, and uttering a little cry, she turned sharply round, and ran rapidly up the staircase, leaving the other a prey to the liveliest astonishment. What other remarkable incidents was the day to bring forth?

Meanwhile the young lady had regained the stronghold of her own apartment, locked the door, and throwing the now despised magazine into a corner, sat down to confide in the state of her feelings to the keeping of her faithful diary.

"A most extraordinary thing has happened," she wrote, "My head is in a whirl and I hardly know what I am writing, or what to do, or think. To imagine that I have so often puzzled myself over that young man's likeness to someone else, a likeness which I could never quite fix, though I have often seemed just on the joint of doing so. Very likely I should never have hit upon it but for that, apparently, utterly insignificant action of mine in dropping the book I was carrying. He rushed forward to pick it up and returned it to me—and all at once it struck me like a flash—where I had seen him before. It was the same circumstance—the same action—and the same young man!"

"It is a most extraordinary thing and takes my breath away even while I write; but there is no mistake about it. There could not possibly be two people so exactly alike and with precisely the same manner—unless this is a twin brother of the other. But, if so, how is it that one is a gentleman and the other only a servant?"

"Was there ever such a combination met with before, and what—oh, what is the reason for his extraordinary conduct, unless—unless he is the Prince in Disguise, after all!"

thought there was no objection to my adding the letter."

"Then your name, according to your own statement, is Edward, and you have merely added the final letter. If so, I am sorry."

This was more than the woman could stand, and she broke in, unceremoniously upon her master's speech. "Edward! Edward what, I should like to know? He's deceiving you, sir, in trying to make out as that's his name. Ask him what the other is and why he's had to drop it!"

Mr. Ferrers turned toward him, wearily. "Is the woman right in asserting that the name you have given is only your Christian name? In which case it would seem that you have added the other letter for the purpose of making it do duty as a surname?"

There was a second's hesitation, during which the housemaid at her up with impatience, before the answer came, slowly.

"My Christian name is Edward; it did not seem to me to be of any importance which I gave."

Perkins sniffed triumphantly. "So you're going to try and get out of it that way," she thought, "but it won't do."

Something in this last answer had helped to raise him in his master's suspicions.

"I must insist upon your giving me your right name," he said, authoritatively.

"Shall I answer him with a lie?" was the thought which passed through the other's mind. "Surely, one more need not weigh very heavily upon my conscience? And in such a cause!"

But, in the same instant, the face of this man's daughter rose up before him. "How she would despise him, if she knew," he thought, with a sudden reaction and a sense of self-contempt, as he answered, still respectfully enough.

"I should prefer not to mention it."

"Oh, you would prefer not to mention it, would you? And what have you done to make you ashamed to own it?" exclaimed Perkins, the housemaid, who was carried away by her feelings at this point, in a tone of triumph.

She had better have remained silent. "Hold your tongue, woman," was the angry reprimand she brought upon herself. "This is no business of yours."

Woman, indeed! A crowning insult! And to be told to hold her tongue!

Her master, turning again to the young man, repeated his question, with the addition of the inquiry suggested by the last remark of the woman Perkins.

"What have you done that you are ashamed of your name?"

"Nothing," was the proud reply, given with head erect and defiant, and there was something about the manner and tone by which the other was obviously impressed.

"Why, then, do you refuse to answer the question I have put to you?" he asked in a milder voice.

"There are family reasons," was the answer.

Family reasons! A man servant with family reasons, just as though he were anyone else, instead of being a useful sort of machine, hired out at so much a year, with board and lodging! No wonder there was something incongruous in the sound!

"I have nothing to do with your reasons," was the answer, "and I must absolutely decline to retain any one in my service under a false name."

He knew now that it was coming—notice to leave on the spot. Or might there not be a reprieve? He was entitled to a month's notice in the ordinary course of things. Oh, why had he procrastinated so long and wasted such golden opportunities? A month's warning—that was all he prayed for. A month?—another day was all he asked.

"Then you refuse to give me your proper name? I ask for the last time."

(To be continued.)



upon the thing he was in search of. The little shabby prayer book, containing his real name in his father's own handwriting, was gone! Gone! Stolen! That hateful woman, with her sly, cat-like step and hypocritical ways, had taken advantage of his one act of carelessness, in leaving the box unlocked, to pry into its contents and carry off the most compromising article of all.

Well, the damage was done, and could not be repaired. The only thing now, was to try and stave off the discovery of the double part he had been playing a little while longer.

After a time he rose from his groveling attitude with his mind fully made up. There was only one course to pursue, and he would pursue it.

He must appear totally ignorant of the theft, and receive every allusion of insinuation with an affected utter lack of comprehension. Let her suspect what she might, let her act and talk as she would, he must keep up the deception and try to baffle her for at least one more day. Or else, if she seemed inclined to show her teeth—if she appeared disposed to be dangerous, he must hurry on the matter.

A little later in the day, as he was absent starting out of a window in the hall, he heard a faint rustling sound, and looking up, saw Miss Ferrers descending the staircase. He allowed his eyes to rest upon her for an instant, telling himself, that his opportunities for doing so would soon be at an end now.

She must have felt his glance, for a certain air of embarrassment seemed to fall upon her, and the color rose in her face.

Then she gave herself an impatient twitch, as though she said to herself, "Stand upon your dignity and do not allow the impudent gaze of a mere mortal to discompose you!"

The young man who had picked up my catalogue at the Royal Academy! One of the effects of the twitch was, that it caused her to drop a magazine which she was carrying, just as her foot was upon the last step.

Before she could stoop to reclaim it, there was a hurried dart across the hall, on the part of the meek in question, and the article was restored to her with, what was not so much the respectful deference of an inferior, as the ordinary and natural courtesy of an equal.

The effect of this simple act of politeness upon its recipient was as singular as unexpected. For a mo-

ment she stood motionless, holding the magazine in one hand, while she looked at the individual before her with a puzzled, searching expression upon her countenance. Then a sudden light seemed to break in upon her—she gave a gasp—her expression changed from curiosity to amazement, and uttering a little cry, she turned sharply round, and ran rapidly up the staircase, leaving the other a prey to the liveliest astonishment. What other remarkable incidents was the day to bring forth?

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CHAPTER XXII.

Perkins' Revenge.

Friday morning came, bringing with it, about eleven o'clock, a message which struck a feeling of chill foreboding to the heart of the individual whom it concerned.

The master of the house desired to speak with the young man Edward at once, in the dining-room. What did it mean? Was it merely some matter of small importance in connection with his household duties to which he wished to draw his attention personally, or—?

Mr. Ferrers was sitting in his place at the head of the table. There was something judicial looking in his attitude and expression, and, standing at a short distance from him, was the housemaid, Perkins.

"Come in and shut the door," was the first sentence addressed to him.

He obeyed noiselessly and carefully, more than ever mindful of his assumed position and grateful for each second's delay, which allowed him the opportunity of searching his brain for some way out of the dilemma.

"Edward,"—it was the voice of his master and enemy addressing him—"I have one or two very serious questions to put to you."

The young man bent his head deferentially, and seemed to intimate his entire readiness to answer all inquiries.

"It has been brought to my notice—that is, I have reason to believe—the voice continued, as its owner seemed to experience some difficulty in opening up the subject—that I have been deceived in you, and—in fact, that the name under which you are at present passing, is not your own. Is that so?"

Ted answered respectfully, "Begging your pardon, sir, but the name, I am going under is my own. Might I be allowed to ask who says anything to the contrary?"

"You mean to maintain that your name is Edwards, after all?" he inquired, bending his brows upon Miss Perkins, whose—as he now thought fit to describe it—unwarrantable interference in the matter had subjected him to this annoyance.

"My name is Edward, sir. An 'e' at the end makes it sound better, and I

EXPENSE OF COLLEGE MUSCLE.

Vast Sums Spent by Leading American Universities.

The impressive totals of university funds invested in athletic equipment during the present year make the outlay for "developing the sound body" rival for endowment of classical chairs and foundations, says Collier's Weekly. The University of Pennsylvania is completing an athletic field and a gymnasium in one magnificent quadrangle at a cost of nearly half a million dollars. Harvard has just thrown open a new field called the "Stadium," at a cost of \$250,000.

A movement is under way at the University of Chicago to endow athletics in order to remove certain objectionable features of an admission fee system to struggles for college honors, and a half million dollars is the amount needed to provide sufficient capital to maintain the varied sporting interests of the institution. Columbia has recently purchased real estate valued at \$2,000,000, a part of which will be used for an athletic field, according to present plans. Princeton is building a gymnasium which will rival in cost and elaborate equipment any of her collegiate halls. There are several preparatory schools whose gymnasiums and fields added within the last three years represent an outlay of \$50,000 each.

He Knew Him.

Hicks—Gayman seems to be very happy to-night. He must have money. Wicks—Why do you think so? Hicks—Because of the way he's cracking jokes. Wicks—Nonsense! If he had money he wouldn't be happy unless he was cracking bottles.—Catholic Standard Times.

Box Kite Photographs.

Remarkable have been the photographs taken in cloudland by means of box kites. The kite is first flown to the height at which it is intended to take the photograph, and, having been made secure to a windlass below, the camera is attached to the line on one side and to a second kite on the other, and is thus taken up to the first kite. Some remarkable pictures have been secured in this manner, and it is certain that in the next great war the kite-camera will play an important part.

To Yawn and Stretch.

Do not try to suppress a yawn. It is nature's way of resting tired muscles and does not necessarily mean that you are sleepy. You yawn because you are tired. You may be sleepy, also, but that is not why you yawn. To gape is not an indication of laziness either, for more frequently it is an evidence that muscles have been overstrained and require rest. If you are where you can stretch at the same time, do so, for it is also nature's way of relaxing the muscles.

Three Doctors' Opinions.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 15th.—Physicians have accepted Dodd's Kidney Pills as the standard remedy for diseases of the Kidney and kindred complaints. R. H. Dunaway, M. D., of Bonton, Ill., says:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me of Diabetes after everything else had failed and I was given up to die. I have since prescribed them in my regular practice for every form of Kidney Trouble and have never as yet known them to fail."

Jesse L. Limes, M. D., St. John, Kansas, says:

"I prescribed Dodd's Kidney Pills for the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McBride of this place who suffered from Epileptic fits following Scarletina; results were miraculous; I have never seen anything like it."

Eeland Williamson, M. D., Yorktown, Ark., says:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best medicine I know of for all forms of Kidney Disease. I believe in using the remedy that relieves and cures my patients, whether ethical or not, and I always prescribe Dodd's Kidney Pills and can testify that they invariably accomplish a permanent and perfect cure of all Kidney Complaints."

ARE WOMEN REALLY STINGY?

Some Good Reasons Why They Should Not Be So Considered.

Are women meaner in giving than men? It cannot rightly be urged that they are. Women, after all, in giving or in giving are commonly making use of money that others have earned. They have been trustees of other people's money for two thousand years, and long use has made them careful of their trust. Of course the petty meannesses of a certain kind of woman have afforded infinite opportunities for men's jests and contempt, but those petty meannesses are nothing in comparison with the great meannesses of really sordid men.—Spectator.

Novel Court Decision.

During the severe earthquake in Guatemala, April 13, 1902, a certain block of buildings was destroyed. It was insured against fire, but not as was stipulated in the policy, against fire occasioned by an earthquake, and in this case the fire which destroyed the buildings and the shock were almost simultaneous. The owners of the property claimed that its destruction was caused by the overthrowing of a lamp immediately before the earthquake, and thus in the end the legal decision was made to hinge on the exact time when various cities on the line of movement were wrecked. Timing an earthquake by a court decision is a novelty.

SURE.

The Robust Physique Can Stand More Coffee Than a Weak One.

A young Virginian says: "Having a naturally robust constitution far above the average and not having a nervous temperament, my system was able to resist the inroads upon it by the use of coffee for some years but finally the strain began to tell."

"For ten years I have been employed as a telegraph operator and typewriter by a railroad in this section and until two years ago I had used coffee continually from the time I was eight years old, nearly 20 years."

"The work of operating the telegraph key is a great strain upon the nerves and after the day's work was over I would feel nervous, irritable, run down and toward the last suffered greatly from insomnia and neuralgia. As I never indulged in intoxicating liquors, drugs or tobacco in any form I came to the conclusion that coffee and tea were causing the gradual break-down of my nervous system, and having read an article in the Medical Magazine on the composition of coffee and its toxic effect upon the system, I was fully convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble."

"Seeing Postum spoken of as not having any of the deteriorating effects of coffee I decided to give-up the stimulant and give Postum a trial. The result was agreeably surprising. After a time my nerves became wonderfully strong. I can do all my work at the telegraph key and typewriter with far greater ease than ever before. My weight has increased 35 pounds. My general health keeping pace with it, and I am a new man and a better one." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Look in each pkg. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

SHARKS IN TORPEDO WORK.

Suggestion That the Great Fish Be Utilized in the Naval Service.

All sorts of queer devices are offered the army board of ordnance and fortifications as engines of destruction. One of the strangest suggestions of this kind yet presented to the consideration of the board contemplates the use of large fish, preferably sharks, for the propulsion of submarine torpedoes. According to the plan proposed a shark is to be imprisoned in a tube at the rear end of the projectile, and is to be controlled in its movements by the active application of wireless telegraphy.

In case the shark became restless and attempted to swim away on his own account it was to be given an electric shock, and in that way kept on its course until the torpedo had reached its target. Another remarkably ingenious proposition emanated from the same fertile brain, and contemplated the employment of war balloons in any desired direction. In this case also the birds, harnessed to the aerial vehicles, were to be controlled in their movements by a system of wireless telegraphy. These balloons were to be provided with torpedoes, or bombs, which could be dropped at any desired point by the use of wireless telegraphy.

SCHOOL ESSAY ON DUCKS.

Boy's Writing Showed He Had Deeply Studied the Subject.

A schoolboy in Joyce City, Kan., was assigned to prepare an essay on the subject of "Ducks," and this is what he wrote: "The duck is a low, heavy-set bird, composed mostly of meat and feathers. He is a mighty poor singer, having a hoarse voice caused by getting two many frogs in his neck. He likes the water and carries a toy balloon in his stomach to keep him from sinking. The duck has only two legs and they are set so far back on his running gear by nature that she came partly near missing his body. Some ducks when they get big have curls on their tails and are called drakes. Drakes don't have to set air hatch, but just loaf, go swimming and eat. If I was a duck I'd rather be a drake every time."

So Much—So Little!

"So much to do, so little done!"—Cecil Rhodes.

Is there no debt that the most owe to lighten others' care and woe? Is there no patriot that can give to help another creature live? Just try to please than canst bestor And let a sadder being know?

Oh, fellow Pilgrim, stop a while To give a helpful loving smile. Thy life is not thine own to live. Thou hast not riches enough to give. Thou art not only of thy wealth, Give, for a little—of thyself.

Oh, do not answer this to me—'I've greater cares that first must be.' Thou canst not live this way, for friend, What will content thee at the end, Since there is little comfort stored For those who live to merely-board?

Oh, soul so staid and mean, What bit of love canst thou then glean? Will not one voice to lighten need? And help thee in thy pressing need? Look then to it. Ay, count the cost of precious, helpful moments—lost.

So much to do—so little done! Is not strange the World's unwon, So little done by all and none, So little done by Charity.

The Future Life of Animals.

Sir William Blunden, a doctor and barrister, has just favored a meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals with some views of the future state of animals. He "certainly believed," he said, "in the future existence of animals, and though he could not bring forward evidence in support of the proposition, he could not at the same time bring forward evidence to the contrary. If they took the case of the tinker's ass, which was born and reared in hardship, he found it hard to think that a merciful Creator formed that animal merely to suffer at the hands of man without receiving some compensation in the next life, if not in the present."

Juvenile Reverence.

Two little children of Rochester were sitting in a room one evening after dark with their faces pressed to the window and their eyes fixed on the stars. For some time they contemplated the firmament in silence, when suddenly one of the little fellows turned to the other and said: "Wasn't God a nice man to give us the stars for a light?" "Oh, Paddy, how can you say such a thing?" said the other boy, much shocked. "You wouldn't call God a man if ever there was a gentleman, he's one!"—New York Tribune.

First Strike by Unionists.

The English tailors have the credit for being the first to offer organized resistance to industrial oppression, and hence were the pioneers of modern trade unionism. As early as 1721, in the days of the handlooms, there was a union of tailors in London numbering 15,000, and they went on strike for better conditions of employment, notwithstanding the acts of parliament that outlawed such combinations, made strikes a criminal act and limited wages by law.

Power of Thought.

"Although the power of thought is often exaggerated, it is much greater than most people imagine," said a woman. "Evil or depressing thoughts, it is said, create a literal poison in the blood, and by producing enough of this poison a man could actually think himself to death. Depressing thoughts depress physical vigor and lead to diseases such as dyspepsia, which in their turn lead to still greater depression, and, once started on this track, the end is a mere matter of time."



A Professional Nurse Tells Her Experience With Doan's Kidney Pills.

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Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Gentlemen—I heartily wish those who are suffering from backache and disturbed action of the kidneys, would try Doan's Kidney Pills. As was the case with me, they will be more than surprised with the results. I had been troubled for years with my spine. I could not lie on either side. Spinal cramps would follow, and words could not explain the agony which I would endure. While in these cramps, I could not speak or move, but by making a great effort after the cramp had left me I could begin to speak and move a little, but my whole back was so sore and lame that I could not even have the back bathed for some time. My nerves were in a terrible state. I would rather sit up at night than go to bed, dreading the cramps and the terrible backaches. I consulted physicians, but got only a little relief for the time being. Seeing your advertisement, my mother urged me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. After using one box I was better, and have ever since been on the gain. I have no backache and no cramps now and feel like a new person. My nerves are better and I know my blood is purer. Words cannot express my thanks to you for what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for me. In my work as professional nurse I have a chance to recommend them; and they do me so much good that I will do so on every possible occasion.

HATTIE BRIGHAM, Nurse.

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China silk dresses may be quite successfully washed. Remove all spots with benzine. Then wash in warm soapuds, rubbing between the hands, rinse through several waters. Use Ivory Soap and do not rub the soap on the dress. Wring as dry as possible, wrap in a sheet or clean cotton cloth and when partially dry, iron.

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A witness testified to having voted 100 times at one election in Scranton, Pa.

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Congressman Meekison Suffered With Catarrh—Read His Endorsement of Pe-ru-na.



CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON, OF OHIO.

Hon. David Meekison is well known, not only in his own State but throughout America. He is a man of high character, having four consecutive terms as Mayor of the town of Napoleon, Ohio. He was elected to the Fifty-first Congress by a vote of 1,000 majority, and is the acknowledged leader of his party in his district.

"I have used several bottles of Peru-na and I feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head. It felt encouraged to believe that in these few short lines longer I will be fully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing."—David Meekison, ex-member of Congress.

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It is the only remedy that cures catarrh generally. It is a time when the head is most liable to suffer from the effects of the disease. It is a time when the head is most liable to suffer from the effects of the disease.

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Deceived Rebuke.

A certain Mrs. Beaumont of Bretton, England, who lived in the time of Pitt, and whom the possession of lead mines made wealthy and purse-proud, one day thought to impress Pitt, who was staying at Bretton; with her riches. She had the most splendid service of plate at dinner, and, waving her hand, she said: "There, Mr. Pitt, that's all from the mines." "Indeed," answered Pitt, "if you had not told me, Mrs. Beaumont, I should have thought it was silver."

Keeping Down the Bill.

A very parsimonious old man was stricken with illness some time ago. His chances of recovery were not many, and to his knowledge of this was added a dire anticipation of the cost of the numerous visits of the doctor. Suddenly the old man died, and his little granddaughter, who seemed to share the latter sentiment, called to the doctor as she saw him approach: "It's all over, doctor; you needn't come in."

Street Runs Through Church.

One of the best-known instances of churches with streets through them is that of St. John the Baptist's church in Bristol. The church is situated right over the ancient gateway into the city on the Avon, and the towering spire, standing high above the neighboring houses and streets, is a remarkable sight as one surveys it from the roadway below.

To Make Rugs Beautiful.

A connoisseur in rugs advises that they be washed at least once a year. "And some of your treasures," he says, "and you will wonder at their real glory and color." Good soap will be necessary in bringing the original beauty back to a rug, if the cleaner all remember to stroke the rug softly with the hand while the rug is dry.

Confession of a Doctor.

A London physician, in the last issue of the "Lancet," writes to a paper that in the course of thirteen years he has seen 1,000 cases of yellow fever. The first was in 1817, and the second was in 1820. The last was in 1853. The disease was introduced into the city of London by a vessel from the West Indies, and the first case was in a young man who had been in the West Indies for some time.

Reclaim by Pitch-Blends.

The Ohio Swine Breeders' Association had an interesting and instructive meeting at Columbus, Ohio, January 12th. Officers elected were: President, J. A. Snyder, Paris, Ohio; vice president, S. S. Pickett, Yellow Springs, Ohio; secretary-treasurer, Carl Fraigan, Dayton, Ohio; executive committee, for the term of three years, W. A. Erdley, Middletown, O.; for two years, R. C. Picking, Canal Winchester, O.; for one year, J. J. Beringer, Marion, O.

Such Knits Stockings.

The Knit Stocking is one of the most useful articles in the world and is a most valuable article in the wardrobe of every man, woman and child. It is a most valuable article in the wardrobe of every man, woman and child.

Ward Rat of Somali.

The Somali rat burrowing rat lives in the interior of the Somali peninsula. It was discovered in 1895 by Dr. Phillips.

More Diamonds in South-Africa.

The recent discovery of new diamonds in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony is resulting in increased orders being placed with diamond manufacturers for diamond washing machinery.

What Would Father Say?

A woman's father said that if there were money enough in the family to buy a new baby, it would be a good idea to buy a new baby.

Waste Curfew Still Rings.

The curfew bell is still ringing in the ears of many people. It is a most valuable article in the wardrobe of every man, woman and child.

Parade for Royal Visitors.

The French government has undertaken the construction of a new parade ground for the royal visitors to Paris.

Weight of Snow.

The weight of snow is a most valuable article in the wardrobe of every man, woman and child.

American Wealth in Korea.

The American wealth in Korea is a most valuable article in the wardrobe of every man, woman and child.

Power-Boat Trainers.

The power-boat trainers are a most valuable article in the wardrobe of every man, woman and child.

SPORT IN JAGUAR HUNTING.

Element of Danger Makes the Pastime Popular.

For the hardy sportsman the stalking of the jaguar is the real sport. For the panther is a kitten beside the jaguar. The natives there call the panther the "friend of man," as those of the Argentine do, but they call the jaguar a devil. The natives hunt the jaguar by putting out bait and lying in wait for him on some elevated hiding place. I saw a man who had killed a jaguar thus with bow and arrow. For stalking a jaguar in man fashion the best place is on a sandy stretch of sea beach, and the time when most likely to find the jaguar is on a moonlight night. For the jaguars are as partial to the sea beach on a moonlight night as more or less civilized cats are to back fences of the city. They can be found in the uplands, however, with no great difficulty, and it is safe to say that, wherever found, they are not to be considered lightly. They have not learned to fear man on the isthmus, as they have in most of the other parts of the world where found, and they do not hesitate to charge when they think there is any occasion for it, and even without occasion. A moonlight hunt for the jaguar may be called the best sport the new republic affords.—Illustrated Sporting News.

The Iowa Battle With Oleo.

In Iowa the battle with oleo has been severe and long drawn out. Year after year the sellers of oleo have had to fight for existence in the state courts, and the butter-makers have been almost uniformly successful. The dairy commissioners of Iowa, have been men that have not hesitated to use the full power of their office to make the dealers in oleo conform to the state law. The result has been that in recent years very little oleo has been sold in Iowa. Recently the commissioner, H. H. Wright, has won four cases, and an appeal for a new trial in the last one has just been refused, and a fine of \$200 imposed. The last battle was won over the use of the word "yellow" in the Iowa law, the makers of the oleo declaring that their product could not be thus designated. The court, however, held otherwise. The last result was that the oleo in question was only slightly yellow than in white butter as made at this time of year. But the practical result was that it was difficult for the buyers to tell it from "white" made butter.

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Introduced by the U. S. Dept. of Agr. It is a tremendous cropper, yielding in good land 50 bu. per acre, and on dry, arid lands, such as are found in Mont. Idaho, the Dakotas, Colo., etc., it will yield from 40 to 50 bu. This wheat and Speltz and Hanna barley and Bronus Inermis and Billiga DoHar Grass, makes it possible to grow and fatten hogs and cattle wherever soil is found. Just send 10c and this notice to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La. Crosse, Wis., and they will send you free a sample of this wheat and other farm seeds, together with their great catalog, worth \$100.00, to any wide-awake farmer. (W. N. U.)

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Miss Caustic—"Well, in your case, I think it would be permissible."

Kindness is the sun of life,

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Of 90,000 European emigrants to America last year 58,000 were Italians.



Mrs. Haskell, Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order Good Templars, of Silver Lake, Mass., tells of her cure by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: Four years ago I was nearly dead with inflammation and ulceration. I endured daily untold agony, and life was a burden to me. I had used medicines and washes internally and externally until I made up my mind that there was no relief for me. Calling at the home of a friend, I noticed a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My friend endorsed it highly and I decided to give it a trial to see if it would help me. It took patience and perseverance for I was in bad condition, and I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for nearly five months before I was cured, but what a change, from despair to happiness, from misery to the delightful exhilarating feeling health always brings. I would not exchange back for a thousand dollars, and your Vegetable Compound is a grand medicine. I wish every sick woman would try it and be convinced."—Mrs. Ida Haskell, Silver Lake, Mass.—Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order of Good Templars.

When a medicine has been successful in more than a million cases, is it just to yourself to say, without trying it, "I do not believe it would help me?"

Surely you cannot wish to remain weak and sick and discouraged, exhausted with each day's work. You have some derangement of the feminine organism, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you just as surely as it has others.

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Be it, therefore, believed by all women who are ill that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine they should take. It has stood the test of time, and it has benefited thousands of ladies to its credit. Women should consider it unwise to use any other medicine. Mrs. Pinkham, whose address is Lynn, Mass., will answer cheerfully and without cost all letters addressed to her by sick women. Perhaps she has the knowledge that will help your case—try her to-day—it costs nothing.

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IRONTON NEWS.

Spring will soon be with us. Wood is high, but ice is cheap. Ironton School is closed for two weeks, spring vacation. The log harvest is about completed, and our boys are returning from the woods.

Dr. Lewis was called to attend a case of "Michigan-itch."

Miss Kate MacDonald is teaching a successful term of school in District No. 5.

Our tax collector has retired for another year. He reports collections good.

The Republican State League, is flooding our town with Primary Reform literature.

Stearns and reform. Consistency where at all?

In the fire which destroyed Mr. Burdick's residence, store, and hall, the Ironton Grange lost its organ and all implements, and the County Pomona Grange its regalia and all paraphernalia recently purchased.

Robert Miller, who has been dangerously ill since last December, will soon be able to resume his duties as superintendent of the poor. Bob is now shaking hands with his friends. He says he is not quite ready for his part-bearers yet, but gracious!

SOUTH ARIZONA

Mrs. Wm. Braun and Miss Bertha Kake are on the sick list, while Mrs. Henry Kake is slowly recovering from her severe illness.

Chas. Locke came up from Deward, and Sunday with his family.

Mrs. Lon Sheldon is very improved in health and is expected home next week from Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vance, who have been wintering in Georgia have returned to their home in Mitchell, Arizona County.

Change in Management.

George H. Waltensperger and William E. Bolles, who have been connected with the Detroit Free Press for many years, have resigned to take charge of the Twentieth Century Review, an illustrated, monthly home-magazine published in Detroit. Mr. Waltensperger is the advertising manager, and Mr. Bolles is the managing editor. The magazine is now compiling its fourth year and has the largest number of subscribers among the publications of its class in Michigan; the monthly circulation being 125,000 copies. Mr. Waltensperger has been connected with the business department of the Free Press for twenty years. He is widely known as a hustling, wide-awake, progressive advertising man. Mr. Bolles has been a member of the editorial staff of the Free Press for seven years. He has published a number of popular short stories, and is the author of the amusing "Get Their Quick Club" burlesques.

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