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A FEW FACTS!

The County Taxes Not Such a Bugaboo as Stated.

Certified Statement Showing Cause of Increased Taxes.

The East Jordan Enterprise of Oct. 20th publishes an article headed: "County Tax Raised \$1,000; How long will the tax-payers keep still and see the taxes grow and keep in office the men who are boosting them?"

It is very evident that the publisher, Mr. Lorraine, does not present this matter in a fair way to the voters of Charlevoix county.

In the first place the County Officers do not audit any bills presented to the County, neither do they authorize the expenditures of any moneys at any time.

The Board of Supervisors have full power in these matters, auditing all bills and appropriating all sums, except what the Superintendents of the Poor are empowered to act upon pertaining to their own department.

A statement was prepared and certified to under the seal of the Court, the same being a true copy of the records of proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, and Mr. Lorraine given an opportunity to correct some of the erroneous statements made in the issue mentioned and publish same in his paper believing he would be honest and fair, offering at that time to pay the full legal rate per folio for publication and he would give satisfactory answer whether he would print the statement or not.

In reply to the question he asks, "Where has the money gone?" the following statement has been prepared from the public records, and anyone doubting their correctness has the privilege to inspect the same in the County Clerk's office at Charlevoix. This is done for the simple purpose of correctly informing the public as to the disposition of the funds and in explanation of the increase in taxes for the last few years.

WM. J. PIERSON,
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FRANK A. KENYON,
Sec'y Republican Co. Com.

Analysis of the Extraordinary Expenses

Of the County for the Years 1900 to 1904, Inclusive.

The tax levy in 1900 was \$14,262.96 on a valuation of \$3,365,756.00.

The poor Commission that year expended but \$3,487.19, and the other expenses were ordinary running expenses. And in 1901 the tax levy for the County was \$11,628.58 on a valuation of \$3,595,827.00. But in this year (1901) the poor commission expended \$5201.06, small pox bills amounting to \$545.15 were paid by county by order of supervisors, and the bridge at Charlevoix was supported to the amount of \$480.00. From this it will be seen that these expenses alone in 1901 exceeded those of 1900 by \$3799.00.

Again, the tax levy in 1902 was \$16,154.38 on an assessed valuation of \$4,615,567.00, and small pox bills, amounting to \$2904.64 were allowed and paid and the poor commissioners report \$8552.50 for general fund and \$2904.64 for buildings and \$480 is spent on the Charlevoix bridge.

These unusual expenses this year exceeded those of 1900 by \$8355.38, and those of 1901 by \$5556.38, yet the tax spread this year only exceeded that of 1900 by \$1891.42, and that of 1901 by \$4525.80.

Again, in 1903 the board raised a County tax of \$18,156.45 on a valuation of \$5,187,550.00, and these same class of expenses were as follows: Smallpox bills, \$867.16, poor commission, \$4859.85, Charlevoix bridge, \$918.40, an all paid excess this year over 1900 of \$3148.55, and an increased tax of \$3893.49, and again in 1904 the Board raised a tax of \$21,585.88 on a valuation of \$5,396,468.00, and audited small pox bills amounting to \$5632.08. The Poor Commissioners had used \$5662.45 and the Charlevoix bridge, \$995.85, an excess over 1900 of \$8810.39, and over 1901 of \$5011.37, while the tax levy of 1904 only exceeded that of 1900 by \$7322.92, and that of 1901 by \$9957.30.

The figures used above are from the record of the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, as published from year to year.

Does this look as if the present car-

dates for County office or any other County officers were responsible for the increased raise in County tax? This does not include improvements on the Ironton ferry, the Charlevoix County Normal School or \$1,000 for State Census or \$800 for Steam Heat in the Court House, but just four items of expense alone.

Statement of County Taxation.

For the Year 1900.
Assessed valuation \$3,365,756.00
Total amount raised for
County taxes 14,262.96
Extraordinary Expenses were:
Smallpox bills \$ 545.15
Charlevoix bridge 480.00
Poor Commission 3,487.19

For the Year 1901.
Assessed Valuation \$3,595,827.00
County taxes raised 11,628.58
Extraordinary Expenses were:
Smallpox bills paid \$ 545.15
Poor orders drawn and paid 6,261.06
Charlevoix bridge, paid 480.00

For the Year 1902.
Assessed valuation \$4,615,567.00
County tax raised 16,154.38
Extraordinary Expenses were:
Smallpox bills paid \$2,905.43
Poor orders drawn and paid, less proceeds from farm, ... 6,552.50
Am't expended on Poor Farm in addition to above 2,904.64
Charlevoix bridge 480.00

For the Year 1903.
Assessed valuation \$5,187,550.00
County tax raised 18,156.45
Extraordinary Expenses were:
Smallpox bills paid \$ 867.16
Poor orders drawn and paid 4,859.85
Charlevoix bridge, Co. paid ... 918.70

For the Year 1904.
Assessed valuation \$5,396,468.00
County tax raised 21,585.88
Extraordinary Expenses were:
Smallpox bills paid \$5,639.08
Poor orders drawn and paid 5,662.45
Charlevoix bridge, Co. paid ... 995.85
Paid for taking census 1,000.00
Pd for steam heat in Ct. House 800.00

I hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing figures and amounts with the official proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for the years 1900 to 1904, inclusive, and find the amounts as given above are correct.

DARWIN F. MEECE,
County Clerk.

The Works of Democracy.

"By their works shall ye know them." By what single work are the American people to know that the Democratic party can be safely intrusted with power? There is not a single distinctive policy of the party that, put to the test, ever worked without creating damage. The Democratic party has favored slavery, free silver and free trade, but never a single principle has it ever favored that meant greater happiness and prosperity for the American people. The Republican party freed the slaves, and it has stood and still stands for sound money and protection to American industries. It is the party of construction, not the party of destruction.

The Growing Magazines.

All the magazines seem to be growing! We notice, for one thing, that a change is going on in the editorial policy of THE METROPOLITAN MAGAZINE. It has greatly increased in circulation; the older periodicals had best look to their laurels. Those who have watched it recently have noticed an improvement in its general character and tone, and, with the November number, two new departments have been added.

One of these, "The World at Large," dealing with noteworthy men, women and events of the day, will be conducted, in the future, by Alfred Henry Lewis, who is widely known as a writer of great strength and vitality. Mr. Lewis' ability to see things clearly is rivaled only by his knack of stating, in the simplest and most direct fashion, the conclusions he draws from them. This department is fully illustrated.

Another department, to which added attention seems to have been paid, deals with things theatrical and dramatic. In this part of the magazine the personality and opinions of Mr. James Huneker will predominate. There are also a great number of full-page and smaller pictures of players. It seems to be the editor's ambition to give THE METROPOLITAN MAGAZINE a stronger theatrical interest than that attached to any other high-class monthly.

The other features and departments of THE METROPOLITAN go on as before.

NOVEMBER.

A breath of the glory of summer
Sweeps over my soul to-day,
Though the winds are searching and
tireless
And November's skies are gray.
Yet beyond all the mists and the
shadows,
The fragrance and beauty arise,
And I tread—by some magic and mus-
ic—
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—Lillian Whiting in the November
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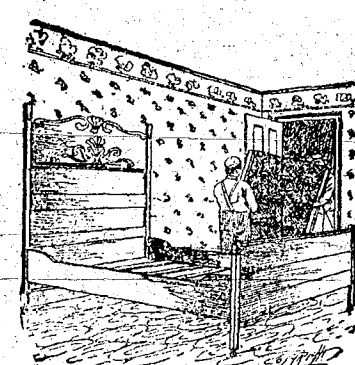
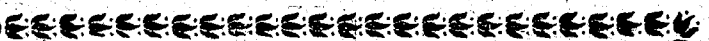
Largest Single Exposition at the St. Louis World's Fair.



DATTO FACUNDO AND HIS GUARDS.

The above exposition which by the way is America's first colonial exhibit, covers some 47 acres of rolling country and includes a hundred buildings of all sizes and shapes, and nearly 1300 natives representing about 20 different tribes. Among the latter are the Samal-Moros, forty of whom occupy a village on the shores of Arrow Head Lake, come from the Island of Mindanao. They are notorious pirates and famous pearl divers. For two and a half centuries, they made life miserable to the Spaniards and the natives of the islands. Villages were sacked, churches looted,

and Spaniards and Spanish subjects made prisoners. In the nineteenth century even, Musselman war junks appeared in the Bay of Manila. The religion of these Samals is Mohammedan and their chief is Datto Facundo, brother of the Rajah Muda Mandi, who rules over several thousand persons, has travelled through Europe, carries a retinue of people, reports himself as an Oriental of high degree, is possessed of considerable wealth, judged by American standards, and has gathered around him many of the luxuries and conveniences of Western civilization.



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"The wages of sin is death." And sooner or later every man collects his pay.

Chefs do not guarantee the quality of its war news, but it makes good on quantity.

A Pennsylvania woman has been killed by a henpeck, which looks like a turning of the table.

Dancing masters have decided that the two-step must go. The side-step will continue to be popular.

Commander Peary feels that he has a few more toes to sacrifice in the great cause of arctic exploration.

Game is reported plenty in the woods. A pinch of salt sprinkled on the bird's tail adds to its edible quality.

Editor Bok says every woman should wear a beauty spot. The women, no doubt, will accept the advice on the spot.

How queer it must look to a Spaniard to read in the American newspapers about a flood on "the Rio Grande river!"

The Guatemalan ants have not done much so far beyond providing the detectives with another mysterious disappearance case.

The Vancouver Indian who bought a coffin and a keg of gunpowder subsequently discovered that he really didn't need the coffin.

Dr. Wiley says that Scotch whisky is an imitation. Hoot, mon! You will next be telling us that the Scotch bagpipe is full of hot air.

They haven't got through wondering out in the Cream City yet why the battleship Milwaukee was "christened" with champagne.

Tobacco is smuggled across the Canadian border in bales of hay. Some antidote will have to be discovered for that tobacco habit.

An Indiana man has invented a folding chair that will go into the hip pocket. Wonder what he thinks a hip pocket is made for, anyhow?

The news that alcohol is made from honey may lead some gentlemen of leisure to revise their adverse opinion of the little busy bee.

At the last battle of Bull Run 10,000 militiamen got blistered feet. As Gen. Sherman might have said, but didn't, sham war is a blistering shame.

An African potentate, the alake of Abeokuta, is on his way to this country. Our native smart alakes will, of course, receive him with due honor.

Japan is all ready to dictate terms of peace to Russia, but, like the typewriter with the toothache, Russia isn't taking dictation just at present.

Chicago reports a growing tendency toward vegetarianism. That is not surprising. Corn and rye products have always had a wide vogue in Chicago.

So "New York crowds stare at William Waldorf Astor." No wonder. They want to see the eccentric person for whom "little old N'York" is not good enough.

The scientists say there'll be no Niagara falls 3,500 years hence. We're very glad now we didn't miss our chance to see the falls on our last vacation.

Gen. Corbin is opposed to army officers marrying without the consent of the war department. This may be all right, but what does Gen. Ma say on the subject?

Before accepting Prof. Metchnikoff's theory that sour milk is the elixir of life, will some one kindly ascertain whether the professor is interested in any dairy enterprise.

Mr. Chesty Gullett is running for office in one of the southern states. If he doesn't get it in the neck it will be safe to assume that there is absolutely nothing in a name.

The war department has rightly decided that the bow-legged man is as much out of place in military service as he would be as a shortstop—though not exactly in those words.

It is said that tobacco hidden in hay is being smuggled into the United States from Canada. We have long suspected that most of the campaign cigars we have been smoking were largely composed of hay.

The eminent bacteriologists' germ-killing bees confine all gentlemen with coppered stomachs that they may drink any kind of water with perfect safety. But the trouble is they don't want to pay such a price for safety.

A Utah preacher having sued a widow for \$150 for preaching her husband's funeral sermon obtained judgment. Perhaps her disinclination to pay was due to a too strenuous assurance that the dead man had entered a happier state.



The rising inflection—"May we go to the picnic?" In asking a question the rising inflection is to the voice what cheerfulness is to the face.

THE VOICE AND THE RISING INFLECTION. HOW TO ASK QUESTIONS.

It seems unfair, but we must make the best of it—that some people have naturally without any study or effort, better voices than others can acquire by any amount of patient practice.

The kinds of voices can be represented by the kinds of type in a newspaper, as slim, thick, small large, high, low, clear, dim, strong, weak, attractive, pleasant, respectful.

Anyone is able to improve the voice by watching it and listening to others and by exercising it systematically. An old professor of music and elocution said: "Go slow and low in order to get a clear and pleasant voice before trying to have it loud and strong."

If a hundred people were to say to a clerk, "Have you any good peaches?" there would be many kinds of accents and the clerk would be more attentive to some than to others on account of the way the words were inflected. Make your voice climb the stairs when asking questions.

Number, please? What is it, please?

Do not let your voice fall down stairs when asking questions. As a question requires or invites some one to make an effort or exertion it should be given in a way to create respect and compliance. (Copyright, 1904, by Earl M. Pratt.)

RICE PAPER IN FLORIDA.

Queer Tree Successfully Introduced There From China.

The rice paper tree, one of the most interesting of the entire flora of China, has recently been successfully experimented with in Florida, where it now flourishes with other subtropical and oriental species of trees and shrubs.

When first transplanted in American soil the experimenters expressed doubts of its hardiness, fearing that it would be unable to stand the winters. All these fears have vanished, however, and it is now the universal opinion that it is as well adapted to the climate of this country as to that of the Flowery Kingdom.

It is a small tree, growing to a height of less than fifteen feet, and with a trunk or stem from three to five inches in diameter.

The celebrated rice paper, the product of this queer tree, is formed of thin slices of the pith, which is taken from the body of the tree in beautiful cylinders several inches in length.

The Chinese workmen apply the blade of a sharp, straight knife to these cylinders, and, turning them around, either by rude machinery or by hand, dexterously pare the pith from the circumference to center. This operation makes a roll of paper, the scroll being of equal thickness throughout.

After a cylinder has been pared it is unrolled, and weights are placed upon it until the surface is rendered smooth throughout its entire length.—New York Herald.

Action and Relaxation. The American girl is developing two sides of her nature—two moods—one of action and one of relaxation. And, of course, it goes without saying that she dresses to suit the mood.

When she plays golf and tennis, it is the short skirt and the comfortable shirt-waist that she wears, and it is since she has become such an active young person that she has taken to wearing the short skirt, not only on the golf links and the tennis court, but shopping, traveling and for general utility wear, says the Chicago Herald.

So clever is the American girl of the day that one would never recognize her as the same girl as she appears at different hours of the day. She has learned the importance of resting just as she has realized the benefit derived from outdoor exercise. She regards being lazy as a virtue—that is, just for a certain length of time each day. Her relaxing hour is part of her beauty culture treatment, and it is then when she is resting body and mind that she is wearing the fascinating negligees that the shops show the whole year through.

Unlucky Thirteen. A gentleman who had been dining at a restaurant, and who often ordered a dozen oysters, counted them one day, and found but eleven.

Still another day he counted them, with the same result. Then he said to the waiter:

"Why do you only give me eleven oysters when I order a dozen?"

"Oh, sir," answered the waiter, "I didn't think you'd want to be sittin' thirteen at table, sir."—Spare Moments.

IS YOUR FARM VACCINATED?

Means Devised by Science for Making Land More Fertile.

Have you had your farm vaccinated? If not, you should proceed to have it done at once. Science has done a great deal for the farmers. It has killed the bugs and worms that prey on his crops; it has treated his animals when sick and saved their lives; it has experimented with seeds and raised the quality and quantity of their yields; it has done a great many things to help him achieve success.

The latest service of special interest which we have heard is that of the process of inoculating sterile ground and making it bring forth the fruit in abundance and in an easy task. Inoculation to prevent smallpox, diphtheria, rabies, etc., we knew about; but it is quite as mysterious as the inoculation of the old worn-out soils to make them fertile.

Certain germs make for fertility of the soil. They are collected or generated by the department of agriculture, according to this voracious authority, and sent by mail in a small package about the size of a yeast cake. The cake is said to contain millions of dried germs.

It is thrown into a barrel of pure water and turns it a milk-white. Seeds of grain and grasses are washed with this water and when planted are said to produce wonderful results even on what is regarded as exhausted soil. The land is really treated to an inoculation and cured of its disease of barrenness. Have your farm vaccinated and get rich from the big crops you will raise.—Minneapolis Journal.

Advantages of Sunshine. The importance of admitting sunlight into our dwellings can not be too highly estimated. Every house should be built if possible, in a way by which sunlight, may force itself through during some portion of the day. A sun bath is one of the most important factors in producing a healthy condition of the body. It is a misfortune that a sun bath costs nothing, for if it did it would be more highly prized.

There is no doubt that people who are exposed to the sun and live out of doors are much stronger and more healthy than those who are compelled to labor in close rooms. Indeed, good health is quite as much dependent on sunlight as on pure air. How depressing are the dull, sunless days! No matter how much fatigued physically, a few minutes in the fresh air and bright sunshine is a better tonic than people realize.

What's in a Name? On one occasion North Ovington Messenger, a Washington political writer, was doing reportorial work and was assigned to interview Murat Halstead, somewhat of a political writer himself.

Mr. Messenger sent his card up to Mr. Halstead, bearing the words "No. O. Messenger" and no other designation as to his business. The old newspaper man sent word for the young one to come up. He was met at the door of Mr. Halstead's room with cordiality. Mr. Halstead had his card in his hand.

"Um—er," he hesitated, "glad to see you. Come in—but what is the New Orleans Messenger? I never heard of that paper before."

SQUAWS PROUD OF HUSBANDS.

Give Dance to Boast of Villainies Committed by Braves.

John Bradbury, who traveled in the region lying west of the Mississippi river early in the last century, has an interesting description of a squaw dance which he witnessed. He says: "The dance was performed in a circle, the dancers moving around with tomahawks in their hands. At intervals they turned their faces, all at once, toward the middle of the circle and brandished their weapons. After some time one of them would step into the ring and make an harangue, frequently brandishing her weapon. I found that the nature of all the speeches was the same, which was to boast of the actions of her husbands. 'One woman said that her husband had traveled southeast to a country inhabited by white people, which journey took him twenty days to perform. He went to steal horses and when he came to the white people's houses he found one where the men had gone out. Here he killed two women and stole from them a number of horses.'"

BLOOM IS SIGN OF DEATH.

Oriental Plants That Flower and Then Pass Away.

In some parts of China the natives are in dread of the bloom of the bamboo, at which season all kinds of dreadful disasters are predicted and confidently looked for. Like some other superstitions, this one has a slight foundation. The fact is that the bamboo only flowers once and then dies, and as a rule the whole lot of plants, often covering large areas, bloom together.

The reason of this is that the individuals of a species are commonly gregarious, and all are of the same age, having taken simultaneous possession of a ground rendered vacant perhaps by a similar depopulation.

A somewhat analogous case is presented by some of the Strobilanths of tropical Asia. These plants live about seven years, then all burst out into a glorious mass of blue flowers and then die away, leaving to be hundreds of acres of ground destitute of the luxuriant vegetation it previously supported.

Examples of Red Tapisim.

There is a story of a man in the British foreign office who one day seized a heavy poker and with maniacal frenzy attacked his chair until he had knocked off one of its legs. Then he went on with his work in another chair, happy. The explanation of his conduct was that his first chair lacked a castor and the foreign office will not replace a castor—nothing less than a leg. The other day a man took his seat in a dining car of a well-known railway. He tried to open a window, but the patent spring had gone wrong. The waiter was called. "Sorry, sir, I have not been able to open that window for weeks," he said. "But if you could happen to shove your elbow through it when you are having your lunch, I could get the whole thing put to right." The traveler took the hint.

Medicine of Long Ago.

Andrew Wilson, the well-known naturalist and writer, in commenting on Culpepper's "Complet Method," published in 1652, shows how this enabled a man to "cure himself, being sick, for threepence charge, with such things only as grow in England, they being most fit for English bodies." John Wesley practiced physic. "Wilson continues, 'his system was not strictly limited to vegetable simples; Wesley prescribed boiled carrots as an exclusive diet for a fortnight for the cure of asthma, and recommended bald-headed people to wash their vacant spots with a decoction of box-wood. For bleeding from the lungs or stomach the juice of nettles is ordered and for an acute six pills of middling size of copwebs.'"

Upon Her Lips.

Upon her lips a kiss there lies. One kiss at least, perchance a hundred! The question's, How secure the prize? Should it be begged, or deftly plundered? 'Twould mean so much to me, so much while to its owner fair, I wish it. To neither needful star nor crutch. If fished she might not even miss it. There lies a kiss upon her lips. What ease about her mouth should tempt me? Since bees from blooms take nectared Should hope indulged by man prove empty? Beneath this one a score may wait. Release he praying now for kiss it. From off the top, Oh chance it, Fate! I wonder will she ever miss it?—Roy Farrell Greene.

Table Superstitions.

To miss the mouth when eating and drop one's victuals is a sign of approaching sickness. Every time one turns a loaf upside down a ship is wrecked. On this the Dutch say: "A loaf lies topsy-turvy, it is not good." Scott, in "The Tales of a Grandfather," says: "Never turn a loaf in the presence of a Menteith." Hazlitt, in his "English Proverbs," quotes: "Are there traitors at the table that the loaf is turned the wrong side upward?"

Bulgarian Embroidery.

The popular "Bulgarian embroidery" originated in Constantinople. During the "Bulgarian atrocities" and the Russo-Turkish war many thousands of Bulgarian women were torn from their homes and made prisoners in the harems of Constantinople. They were clever embroiderers, but they knew nothing of drawwork until the Turkish women taught them. Then they combined the two arts, making a drawwork foundation for their embroidery and thus obtaining much better effects.



Short Circular Capes in Style.

Short circular capes are all the fashion right now. Those most in vogue for late August days and early autumn weather are of coarse lace; any lace like Cluny, Bruges or point Venise is in favor. The capes vary in length. Sometimes they fall just to the shoulders, other reach to the bust line, and still others touch the waist. In every or dyed to match the color of the gown they will be the most fashionable during the early fall. The smart girl is sure to contrive many novel ways of adding to the charm of her cape. She may fasten it down the front with big, artistic-looking buttons, or it may have the effect of being tied together with many smart-looking little black satin bows. If she wishes to more decidedly change its effect she will slip satin messaline or velvet ribbons through the meshes of the lace at either side of the front. At the neck the ribbons are tied in rosettes, and then again a bit further down.—September Woman's Home Companion.

Midget Furniture.

For the nursery there is midget furniture, of a kind that delights the hearts of the children, not doll furniture, but furniture of just the right sort for the use of children; comfortable easy-chairs—about one-third the size of those in mother's room, covered with pretty cretonne; a small sofa and a little box couch, covered to match, says the Ohio State Journal. The little toilet table is draped with the cretonne, and there are hangings of it at the door. A small white writing desk and table, with a white chair of corresponding size, have a place in one corner of the room and on the desk are slate and pencil and an alphabet game. The cretonne box couch makes an excellent receptacle for toys when they are not in use.

Excellent Pear Dessert.

Cook one-half cup of rice twenty minutes in plenty of boiling salted water. Drain and put in the double boiler, with a half cup of rich milk. Cook until the rice is soft and the milk absorbed. Sweeten lightly and season with a few drops of vanilla, two teaspoonfuls of preserved ginger juice and a few drops of lemon juice. Turn into a mold to cool. Drain a quart of stewed pears free from juice, fill their centers with preserved ginger chopped fine and moistened with a teaspoonful of orange juice. Turn the rice into a low glass dish, arrange the pears about it, and garnish with ginger and whipped cream.

For Afternoon Wear.

Full waists made with deep pointed yokes are exceedingly becoming to girlish figures and are much liked for the waists of afternoon wear. This one is made of rose-colored wool batiste, the yoke being of finely tucked silk, with a design of bias banding forming loops in which, medallions of lace are set, and round the lower edge of the yoke is a frill which matches the waist and which is stitched and trimmed with an embroidered band. To make the waist



Designed by May Manton. for a girl of 14 years of age will be required 5 yards of material 21, 4 yards 27 or 2 1/2 yards 44 inches wide, with 1 yard of yoking material.

Grape Catsup.

To make grape catsup get seven pounds of grapes. Pick them off the stems, wash them, put them in a stone jar and set the jar over the fire in a deep pot of boiling water. Let the grapes cook in thisanner for an hour in order to loosen the seeds. Remove from the fire and strain through a sieve, being careful that all the pulp goes through. Then add a pint of good elder vinegar, three and a half pounds of sugar and a teaspoonful each of cinnamon and cloves. Return to the fire and cook until thick.

Fish Pudding.

Ingredients—One-half pound cooked fish, 1/4 pound cooked potato, 1 ounce butter, 1 egg, 1 tablespoonful milk, 1 teaspoonful chopped parsley, pepper and salt. Method—Remove the fat and skin from the fish, and break the fish into small flakes; rub the potato through a wire sieve; mix it with the fish,

add pepper and salt; melt the butter in a saucepan, add the fish mixture to it, mix well together; add the egg (well beaten), the milk and parsley; pour the mixture into a buttered mould or pie dish, cover with crumbs, bake in a moderate oven for about thirty minutes, turn out on to a dish-paper, garnish with parsley and lemon, and serve.

Misses' Tourist Coat.

The tourist coat has taken a firm hold on popular fancy and will be much worn during the coming season by young girls as well as by grown women. This one is peculiarly desirable and suits the general wrap and the costume equally well, but, in the case of the model, is made of dark blue cheviot trimmed with braid and stitched with corticelli silk and



is designed for wear over any gown. The coat is made with loose fronts and back, the latter being confined at the waist line by means of a belt cut in two portions that are lapped one over the other and held by buttons. The sleeves are wide and ample, finished with roll-over flare cuffs. The quantity of material required for the medium size is 4 1/2 yards 27 inches wide, 2 3/4 yards 44 inches wide or 2 3/4 yards 52 inches wide.

Jellied Salmon.

Those who are most interested in the more substantial courses at the table will be glad to try the jellied salmon, which makes a most appetizing as well as a tasteful luncheon dish, or one to be served at a Sunday evening supper. It is easily made. Soak one tablespoonful of gelatine as usual, and mix it with a can of salmon and three-quarters of a cup of salad dressing. Set it away to harden. This is but one of many similar dishes which any skillful cook may devise.

Fancy Covert Coats.

Let the covert coat approach monotony a variety of finishings is introduced into its making. Full sleeves have been introduced, and now some of the short jackets have full backs held in at the waist with a short strap. Others have wide stitched bands curved around over the shoulders half way to the back, forming a cape effect. Slot seams, braiding, appliques and ruffings are all introduced, leading the erstwhile simple covert jacket a most festive aspect.

New Form of Entertainment.

At a luncheon a short time ago a new form of entertainment was provided by the guests themselves. The hostess asked each one to come in some way representing her fad; then the guests were supplied with pencils and cards and the one who guessed the greatest number of hobbies suggested received a prize. One girl, who wished to show that she was fond of music, had fastened to her dress a picture of a crying kitten with a bandaged head—mieu-sick.

Pineapple and Orange.

Cut the top from a pineapple and carefully remove the inside, so that the shell may not be broken. Cut the pulp into bits, mix it with the pulp of three ripe oranges, also cut very small, and liberally sweeten the mixture. Smooth off the bottom of the pineapple shell so that it will stand upright, refill with the fruit pulp, and set in the ice for three hours.

Mixed Catchup.

Take equal quantities of green tomatoes, white onions and cabbage; grind in a sausage mill. Sprinkle with salt, turn into a bag and hang up to drain all night. Put in a jar with one ounce each of white mustard seed, powdered mace, ground cloves and allspice; chop two pods of red pepper and add. Cover with strong, cold vinegar.

Whole Canned Tomatoes.

Immature the tomatoes in boiling water and slip off the skins. Into a large kettle of boiling water put just enough tomatoes to fill a jar. Cover and steam for eight minutes, then pack into a hot jar, fill to overflowing with boiling water and seal.

Look Cheerful

No matter how depressed you feel, Look cheerful! A gloomy face is ungentle, Look cheerful! Nobody cares about your woes. Each has his sorrows, goodness knows Why should you your griefs disclose? Look cheerful!



REWARD FOR GOOD SERVICE

Kinsale's Earls Had Privilege of Being Covered Before King. Paris has caught the habit of going hatless and many stories connected with hats and their history are recalled. It was once counted a privilege to walk, not bareheaded, but covered, before a king. The earls of Kinsale had this dubious distinction as reward for an old-time service. Seven centuries ago Philip of France summoned that cheerful hero, England's King John, to mortal combat. John thought he would rather not, but offered De Courcey, earl of Kinsale, freedom from the dungeon where he lay if he would take in hand the commission. De Courcey, spurring for a fight, agreed, and John and Philip sat together to see somebody's head cracked. The French champion cried off on seeing the size of the Englishman, whereupon the untired conqueror playfully stuck his helmet upon a post of oak and droye his sword through it and so deep into the wood that none save himself could withdraw it. He had purchased his freedom and his reward he heard from his magnanimous sovereign's lips: "Thou art a pleasant companion and heaven keep thee in good beavers. Never unvell thy bonnet again before king or subject."

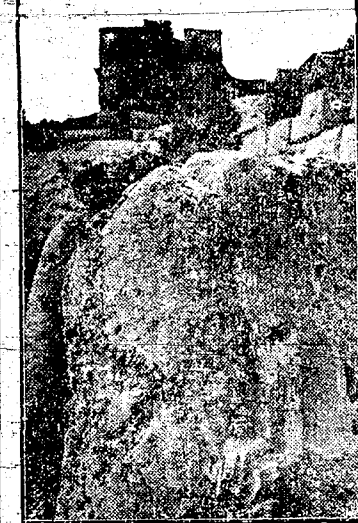
Art of Vanished Race

(Special Correspondence.)

The wonderful prehistoric architecture of Central America and Mexico is illustrated in a strikingly realistic manner at the St. Louis World's Fair by a set of models included in the exhibit made by the United States government. These models exhibit in a good representative fashion the diversity of styles and types in this indigenous architecture. The series includes the "House of the Governor" at the ruined city of Uxmal in Yucatan, the "Castillo" at Chichén-Itza in Yucatan, the "Temple of the Cross" at the ruined city of Palenque in the state of Chiapas, Mex., the "Palace" in the ruined city of Mitla, state of Oaxaca, Mex., and the ruined temple of Xochicalco in the state of Morelos, Mex.

the strongest evidences of one great type of indigenous culture, its diverse manifestations differentiated in various degrees of advancement through North and South America, rising from the crude organizations of the savage tribes up to the mound builders, the cliff dwellers, the Pueblos of New Mexico and Arizona, and finding its highest expressions among the Aztecs, the Incas and the lost cultures of Mexico and Central America.

Immense artiquity has been attributed to these wonderful ruins. But the best evidence goes to show that,



Aborigine Amid Ruins.

however ancient may be the civilizations that they represent, the ruins themselves, although "prehistoric" in consequence of the fact that everything before the European discovery of this continent is shrouded in a mystery almost imperforable, are comparatively modern; young in comparison with the Parthenon or the Coliseum, and probably not antedating many well-known historic European buildings erected in the middle ages.



Travel in Central America.

hitherto formulated principles of design. They were architects in the true sense of the word. They developed styles as distinctive as those of the Egyptian, the Greek and the Gothic, and they had clear conceptions of the value of ornament and its distribution with relation to architectural effect. They understood well how to achieve qualities of monumental impressiveness, and knew how to utilize to such ends features like grand stairway approaches and ornamental elements like the frieze and the cornice. The latter are admirably illustrated in the "House of the Governor" and the Xochicalco temple.

Some of them may have been almost new when the Spaniards came. But what became of the extensive civilizations that must have existed all around them, and which could not well have expressed themselves so monumentally with cut stonework and long enduring conditions? We know much about the Aztecs and the Incas, but how shall we learn anything definite about the builders of these temples? Will the words they carved upon their walls ever be deciphered, and thus unravel the enigma of the literature developed by those peoples?

It is thought by certain eminent authorities that the civilizations were autochthonous, developed solely by man on this continent. Hence it is held that certain significant resemblances between this indigenous architecture and decorative art and similar forms of art in the old world are to be traced to the circumstance that the mind of man, working independently along lines that originate in human nature and human needs, will in widely separated parts of the world reach similar and possible identical conclusions. So in architecture, features like the frieze and the cornice might be developed independently through suggestions derived from phases common in construction.

Among those who hold that there must have been some connection between the cultures of the two continents, it is ordinarily assumed that the influences proceeded from the eastern continent to the western. But a belief is gaining ground among some of the most scientific investigators that the influence must have proceeded from the western continent to the eastern, and that human institutions are of older date here than there!

The great ethnologist, the late Frank Hamilton Cushing, in frequent visits to the Chinese theater in San Francisco, discovered extraordinary agreements between the primitive beliefs of the Chinese and those of the Zuni Indians. And an investigator so keen and thoroughly equipped as Stewart Culin, familiar alike with the culture of the far east and that of the American aborigines, declares that, in his mind, there is not the slightest doubt that the cultures are of identical origin, and that the influences proceeded from this continent to eastern Asia. So perhaps the origin of the Chinese alphabet may yet be traced to the hieroglyphics carved upon the walls at Uxmal and Palenque.



Ruins of Palace.

sorts of theories have been propounded concerning them, from the wildly imaginative conjectures of an enthusiast like Le Plongeon, who placed them at the beginning of all things in the history of civilization, and of others who find them to be survivals of the culture that distinguished the lost continent of Atlantis, to the sober investigations of trained students like Adolf Bandler, Mrs. Zella Nuttall and numerous others who have devoted themselves in patient research to various aspects of the subject. Mr. Bandler, for instance, finds

PENAL SETTLEMENT OF SPAIN.

Government of Centra Corrupt as Was That of Cuba.

"On the Spanish section of Morocco's coast line stands the penal settlement of Ceuta," writes a traveler. "It has a large number of soldiers, a huge convict prison and legions of small boys, who mobbed me when I was last there because they did not approve of my English hat and limited Spanish vocabulary. Now, the governors of Ceuta prison draw rations for every convict in their charge, so, from their point of view, it is no bad thing for a convict to escape. So long as he is on the books he is entitled to rations, even though he has shaken from off his feet the dust of the great gray prison on the hillside. Consequently, a good bit of this dust shaking goes on and countless Spanish convicts escape to Tetuan and Tangier, sometimes in Moorish garb. They are safe from pursuit when the sentries are passed."

Cape Cod Wedding Custom.

The people down on Cape Cod have a way of letting all the world know when a man and his wife set out on their wedding journey. A friend who has just returned from the cape boarded the train one afternoon with a conspicuously unadorned young couple. Their clothes were carefully chosen from last year's stock, and they scarcely glanced at each other as they took their seats in the car. The whistle blew and the train started. The village slid away, but the whistle kept up its wild tooting. Everybody in the car turned to grin at the two young people, and they blushed hopelessly. All the way to the next station the whistle shrieked. It is a Cape Cod custom, and everybody who heard knew that Jim and Susy had started on their honeymoon.

On the Plains.

The sun sinks low, The golden glow Falls staining o'er the tawny plain; A gentle breeze From far off seas Blows gently o'er the wagon train; How sweetly beauty softly reigns, 'Tis sunset on the western plains.

Ancient Civilization.

In the Etruscan museum at Rome in the Villa Papa Giulia, among the objects found at Faleri belonging to the sixth century before Christ, is a skull which has the gold mounting of several false teeth fixed in its upper jaw, very similar to the mountings used by dentists of our own day. Cremation is as old as the days of Romulus and Remus. If Romulus did not cremate Remus his contemporaries certainly cremated their dead, as is shown by the graves of this epoch recently discovered in the Roman forum.

The Poetical Farmers of Korea.

The Korean, who is a poet before he is a cultivator, speaks of his rice as "The Golden Sand." When it sprouts it is "The Bright Green Field." It then becomes "The Blue Green Plain." When it begins to ripen it is "The Mottled Jade Wave." When ripe it is "The Yellow Gold Wave." When cut it is "The Yellow Ice," and when harvested it is "The Home of the Golden Child."

Ornamental Nest of Eagles.

In Scotland a naturalist has found a golden eagle's nest that contained a rubber ring, carried thither by the birds as an adornment, says the Chicago News. An observer in California has reported that a pair of golden eagles there decorated their nest with sacks. "When the little birds look to lesser linen," says Shakespeare, alluding to the robberies committed by those birds from the hedges where linen was put to dry. The late Mr. Booth described a kind of bower made by some aesthetic eagles in Scotland.



Irreproachable.

again, as it will save us the trouble of finishing him. Hello, Mr. Harding! addressing me, are you here?" "I asked the meaning of all the excitement, and as I spoke the crowd gazed curiously at me, and some of them audibly remarked that I had been fooled, too. "Well, it means that your twin brother, as he was called, is not Mr. Chatterin, but Jake Gaston, the most

bloodthirsty and relentless villain in the states. You needn't look alarmed. I don't blame you, as I know you never suspected him—neither did I, for he has been hiding here for years. He dispatched a message down the coast this morning to send a vessel up, for he smelled a rat; but we were too quick and made a raid on the house. Confound the fellow! He slipped through our fingers like an eel and made for the coast. Finding himself closely pressed, he went down these rocks like a monkey, and now sits below out of reach awaiting the vessel. By heaven! there she is and he signals her!" and he pointed to a schooner that swept around the point under sail and anchored half a mile from the shore.

"The excitement was now intense, and bets were freely taken about the result. They of the schooner saw that they dare not approach nearer to the shore, and were evidently afraid to send a boat through such a treacherous reef. "The sheriff danced with glee at their discomfort, and, turning to me, said: "Would you oblige me with your rifle, Mr. Harding, as my revolver can't reach him? I have instructions to take his body, alive or dead."

"I politely declined to part with my rifle for such a purpose, much to his astonishment, as Chatterin had never wronged me and I had no wish to assist at his death. "When matters were at a deadlock a skiff shot out from the coast, describing a crescent, spoke to the schooner, and skimmed in to the rescue of the prisoner. All eyes were turned on the fragile boat, and as it drew near to the rocks below I saw, with horror, that the occupant was the sheriff's pretty daughter. "Nearer and nearer crept the little boat, dodging through the network of rocks till at last it was so near that I could distinguish the golden locks and white, set face of the rover. Poor girl, she loved him despite his wicked career, and I could not but admire the unselfish devotion of the unfortunate girl.

"The sheriff was beside himself with rage and vexation at being cheated by his own daughter, and as the skiff shot out, Chatterin, or rather Gaston, stood up and waved him an ironic adieu. Eva stood by his side, the tears streaming down her face. But they were tears of joy. "We watched them till the boat was a mere speck on the bosom of the ocean. That was the last I have ever seen of my twin brother. Like Barkis, he went out with the tide."—Henry Q. Barrison in Chicago Journal.

The Sheriff's Daughter

BY HENRY Q. BARRISON

"About five years ago I was staying in a little town on the Pacific coast, partly for health and partly for pleasure, and it was there I first made the acquaintance of Tom Chatterin. Tom was a great favorite in the neighborhood, as his face, form and manners were irreproachable, and we soon became fast friends. We were called the twins by the wits of the town, for we were inseparable, and many a lonely night we spent together, camped on the hillside under the twinkling stars. But Tom had a buried past, and no matter how jovial he was he would never speak of his early life, so I concluded he had suffered some bitter disappointment and had buried himself away from civilization in the rude but hospitable west.

"He was, like many others, very susceptible to female charms, and was—or was reputed to be—in love with Eva Liston, the daughter of the sheriff of the county, one of the greatest of thief hunters known, but his daughter was his opposite in every way, and was the fairest and sweetest girl on the shores of the Pacific.

"One morning I shouldered my rifle and sauntered down the principal street of the town, on my way to seek Chatterin, who was to accompany me on a day's shooting. I had not proceeded far before I met the object of my search, who rushed up and said, hurriedly:

"I can't go to-day, Jim. I have received some news about family affairs that has staggered me completely. I'm awfully sorry, but I really don't feel fit to go out. Good-by and a pleasant day's sport.

"I watched his retreating form as he dashed up the street, and then slowly paced along wondering what could disturb a man usually so cool and confident, but I soon gave up surmising and started for the hills intending to make the best of a bad matter and spend as good a day as possible.

"It was a singularly unlucky day, for I could not get within range of anything large, so with a curse at my ill-luck I made tracks for the town early in the evening. I did not tell you that the town was situated on a rocky coast, whose shores were precipitous and dangerous to the extreme, especially near the town; in fact, no vessel save skiffs and small boats dare run the gauntlet into the little sheltered bay inside the breakers.

"As I approached the town I felt a little sheepish at returning so early, and empty-handed to boot; so I determined to take a stroll by the shore until night fell, when I could slip unnoticed home. I struck down by the shore road, but soon quickened my pace, for I observed a crowd running in the direction of the Black Rocks, the most dangerous point on the whole coast, and I immediately concluded that some wayfarer had fallen over the rocks and was dashed to pieces below. I rushed up breathless and saw them gazing into the roaring sea hundreds of feet below, straining their eyes to catch a glimpse of some object beneath.

"He has escaped!" roared a big, burly man whom I recognized as the sheriff; "but, by heaven, he shall never leave there alive! Would a revolver reach him, I wonder?" and, throwing himself down, he crept to the edge of the cliff and fired several shots toward the sea.

"Missed!" he growled as he wiped

The sheriff's daughter, the clay of his trousers; and worse luck, the tide is running out. I hope he'll remain here until it comes in



Department of Agriculture to Raise Fowls and Domestic Animals. The government is going into the horse-breeding business. Plans are now under consideration, by the department of agriculture for the expenditure of the \$25,000 appropriated by the last congress for the purpose of breeding domestic animals and fowls. Especial attention, it is understood, will be given to the raising of horses, both for cavalry and carriage purposes and preparations to this end are being made at the Fort Collins experiment station, in Colorado. At other stations in various parts of the United States experiments will be conducted with full-blooded chickens, sows, sheep and hogs, and Secretary Wilson is determined that the limit of excellence in each class shall be reached. The progress of the experiment is being watched with interest by breeders and cattlemen throughout the country.

Ungrateful Teacher. Elbert Hubbard was born in Bloomington, Ill., and a Bloomington man said of him the other day: "Hubbard and I went to school together when we were little chaps. It was a private school, a kind of kindergarten, and the teacher allowed us a good many liberties. Hubbard had a little puppy dog, and one of the liberties allowed to him was the privilege of bringing in the dog and keeping it at his feet during the session. "This went on for a week or more. The puppy was quiet at first, but, as it got accustomed to the school, it began to take liberties, to be free, to caper about and bark. "One morning it disturbed the whole room. It broke up the session altogether. Therefore the teacher said: "Elbert, take that dog out, and never bring it in here any more." "Hubbard, nearly heart broken, lifted the puppy up in his arms and went slowly down the aisles. He held its head against his cheek, and, as he departed, looking back reproachfully at the teacher, he said: "And it's named after you."

The Road to Success. "The world is overfull to-day," said the discouraged man. "I'm sure you can see any way My destiny to plan; The pictures are all painted now. The songs have all been sung. There's not a mission left, I vow. For hand or brain or tongue. "I'll make a mighty bid for fame!" Said the persistent man; "I'll paint a picture and my name Shall future ages scan. And while I work I'll sing a song. Of rollicking good cheer To help the lagging ones along, And keep my soul from fear. His picture hung on castle wall. Fame knew him for her son; The song was sung in stately halls 'Twas his largest labor won. And if you want to move the world, Make no object appear. But with your strength against it hurl. Put shoulder to the wheel."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Refused His Own Medicine. A noted surgeon of this city was recently attacked by appendicitis. This surgeon performed last year 500 operations and lost but two, but when he was told that he had to be operated upon he objected, although the operators were also noted surgeons and intimate friends. "Not on your life," said the patient. Urging was of no avail, and finally remedies unaccompanied by the knife were used. The surgeon was sick some weeks, but he finally recovered, and only recently has been chronicled as having performed an operation for the disease with which he, too, was afflicted, and for which he would not undergo a siege at fellow professionals' hands. —Baltimore Sun.

Things of Birth. Last fall Daniel J. Sully, the de-throned cotton king, was down South making a personal inspection of the condition of the cotton crop. He traveled quite a little and visited one plantation after another. Driving along the road with a planter one afternoon, Mr. Sully noticed a swarm of negro children playing. They had sufficient clothing on them, but not one wore shoes. Mr. Sully then remarked: "I thought everyone was getting rich down here on thirteen cent cotton. Now, not one of those children has shoes on. Do they always go barefoot?" "Yes," said the planter, "they were all born that way."

Would Display a Star. Representative Charles F. Landis, of Indiana, one evening sought rest at a rural inn the proprietor of which was opposed to him politically. While seated on the veranda a star fell and elicited from the landlord's wife this comment: "Another soul has gone to heaven." "Madam," asked the statesman good-naturedly, "will a star fall at my death and indicate that I, too, have gone to heaven?" "Mr. Landis," said the woman laughingly, "to make room for such a star as you in heaven a star must fall."—New York Herald.

Consolation. One day Gen. Wood attended the funeral of a friend, and, waiting for the procession to start, the inevitable garrulous citizen stepped up to him and remarked: "Saw about poor Jones, isn't it?" "Very," replied Wood. "And yet," persisted the citizen, "his pretty little widow doesn't seem quite broken-hearted. I suppose her composure is due to her pastor's assurance." "Don't you believe it," said the general; "it is due to her late husband's insurance."

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Although a young man, Fred M. Warner has been in public life for a number of years. He was the youngest member of the state senate during the two terms he was a member of that body, and the youngest man ever elected secretary of state of Michigan. His official acts are known to his fellow citizens. They, more completely than anything else possibly could, give the lie to the charges now being made by newspapers that have assailed the character of every public man since their establishment, that he is the tool of the machine and the corporations. We have the testimony of these newspapers, recorded in their editorial columns at the close of two sessions of the legislature of which he was a member, that his vote was on the right side of every question affecting the people's interests. Mr. Warner's record in the senate at a time when the question of corporation influence was strenuously in evidence is an open book, which may be scanned from cover to cover without disclosing an instance of failure on his part to vote and act independently in the interest of his constituents.

His record as secretary of state is equally commendable. In all matters growing out of the litigation with the railroads he has stood steadfastly by the attorney general, upholding the latter's hands in every effort made by the companies in their fight to defeat the tax law and recover damages for the repeal of the special charter of the Michigan Central. From the beginning the railroads have cunningly sought to set the public against the further defense of the suits by making it appear that the expense would be ruinous. Notwithstanding adverse criticism due to these tactics of the railroad companies, Mr. Warner, as chairman of the board of state auditors, before which all these items of expense come for allowance, has never for a moment hesitated about voting to give the attorney general all the assistance asked for. His record both in the state senate and as a member of the board of state auditors has been one of honesty and independence. And we have the voluntary testimony of the Scripps newspapers to prove that he was never controlled by the machine or the corporations.

There's no finer appearing fellow, or more alluring talker, than the devil, so we are told, but we cannot support him, as he is not on our ticket or a member of the republican party. Ferris may be one of the finest men the democratic party could present, but he is a democrat, and as such is entitled to democratic support, but not that of republicans. There's not a single reason why he should have it and many why it should be denied him. We have a principle to maintain and a party to uphold that has proved itself deserving. Mr. Warner is on the same ticket as Mr. Roosevelt. Both are loyal republicans, with clean records, men who have been tried, and their worth determined. Mr. Warner is a man of affairs. He is not an "experimenter," and he belongs to our party. If Mr. Ferris wants our help then he should get upon our ticket. It's mighty cheeky to ask the people to turn from so good a man as Mr. Warner to vote for their political enemy.—Ishpeming Iron Ore.

The manical frenzy of the Russian admiral Rojestvensky, who turns the guns of his Baltic fleet upon the peaceful British fishing fleet in the North sea, is paralleled by that of Admiral Scrippsky. He opens the big guns of his flag ship Tribunovich, and the rapid fire batteries of his armored cruiser Newsoff, and the destroyer Pressemdownski, upon the innocent and useful fleet of country papers, and makes a tremendous racket. But like his great Slavic prototype his extreme panic distracts his aim, and he does little damage. It is certain that the explanations demanded will compel the recall of the boastful squadron by Nov. 8th; and the permanent disgrace of the unworthy admiral Scrippsky.

The boys in New York ward were found wearing Roosevelt buttons and shying the Parker buttons at a fence in a newly invented game. This accounts for the sale of some Parker buttons, anyway.

The fact that many of the workers in the Republican ranks throughout the state were found to be lined up for Mr. Warner for governor, has given rise to the charge that he was in the hands of the "machine." There is nothing further from the truth. The fact is that these workers were brought in by Mr. Warner instead of the workers bringing him in. He made his own canvass, and by his good fellowship and clean record won his own nomination.—Judge Lamb, Cadillac.

The Democratic war cry to Democrats in this campaign is "Vote 'er straight," while to Republicans they dishonestly talk non-partisanship, but the game won't work.

E. J. Literary Club

Met with Mrs. Robertson, Thursday, Oct. 27th.

A miscellaneous program was presented. Several discussions by members of the members were heartily enjoyed.

PROGRAM.

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Charade, Maud Muller. Mrs. Ashley
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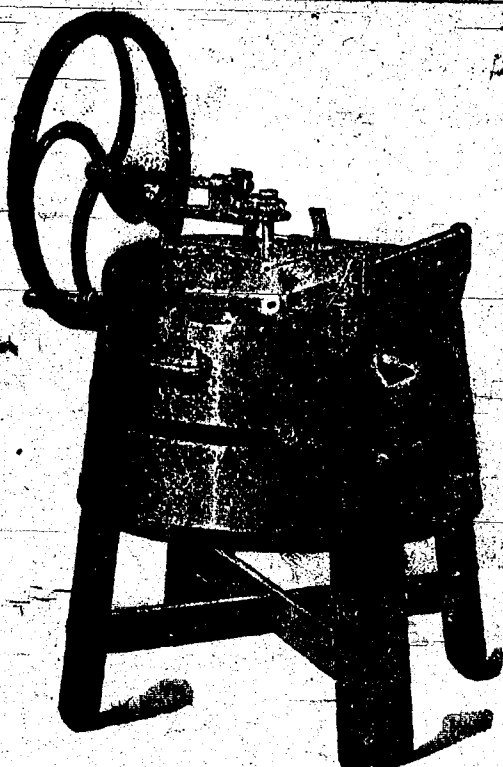
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Briefs of the Week

Spow.
 Lecture Course soon.
 Lilley, next Tuesday.
 The leaves are leaving.
 Season of potato stories.
 M. C. Lilley at Loveday Opera House next Tuesday evening.
 Open Lyceum next Wednesday evening. Everybody's invited.
 If the Democrats keep on abusing Roosevelt his plurality will blanket the whole country.
 The Teachers and Patrons hold a Rally at the High School Building Friday and Saturday Nov. 11 and 12.
 French Gray Silverware is one of the latest things. Mack, the Jeweler, has a fine stock of French Gray Silverware and Novelties.
 The board of supervisors of Grand Traverse county last week raised the salary of county clerk to \$1,400 and that of the prosecuting attorney to \$1,000.
 The Epworth League Society will give a Halloween Social at the residence of James Howard next Monday evening, and invite all to come and enjoy the entertainment.
 The muskrats have not yet begun to build their houses, a sure sign of a milder winter. The nut crop is exceptionally heavy, an equally sure sign of a long, cold winter. You pay your money and you take your choice.
 The Telephone station was, Thursday night, transferred into the new Warne block. They have some very nice and convenient offices now. Dr. Warne will follow with his drug and stationery establishment in about a month.
 The lightning bug is brilliant, but he hasn't any mind, he meanders through the darkness with his headlight on behind. Likewise the foolish merchant, whom no one would advise, he declares there's nothin' doin' when asked to advertise.
 At Loveday Opera House next Tuesday evening. Hon. M. C. Lilley will deliver an address on Republicanism as laid down in their platform. Turn out and hear this able speaker discuss primary reform and the other topics of interest to all voters.
 A copy of The Pennsylvania Grange News, Vol. 1, No. 1, published at Chambersburg, Pa., is out. It is to be issued monthly, and, as its publishers say, "is designed to further the objects and purposes of the Order of the Patrons of Husbandry."
 Andrew Dennis, aged 26 years, a Pere Marquette brakeman, fell between the cars of his train at Bellefleur, last Friday. The cars passed diagonally across his legs, severing both. He was taken to Traverse City but died within twelve hours. He was to have been married to Miss Lillie Ford of Traverse within a fortnight of the accident.

Wedding Rings at Mack's.
 Open Lyceum Wednesday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crossman returned from their New York trip, Tuesday.
 For tarnished Silverware try some of that Silver Cream, best in the world, at Mack's.
 The Band Concert has been postponed owing to difficulty of obtaining soloists, etc., at the time planned upon.
 The Latter Day Saints, who are holding meetings in South Arm, baptized four children last Sunday in the lake.
 What "love would do if doves died" is frequently never suspected by the neighbors until a week after doves really and truly shuffle off!
 Hon. M. C. Lilley will deliver a lecture at Loveday Opera House next Tuesday evening under auspices of the Republican County Committee.
 Come to the Open Lyceum of the East Jordan High School Literary Society next Wednesday evening and enjoy a well-prepared program. An effort is being made by the Literary Society to purchase an Encyclopaedia and all should encourage the young people in their efforts. Admission 15 cents.
 The Saturday Evening Post of recent date contains an article on "The up-to-date play" in which the writer states the following wholesome facts: "The educational usefulness of the play is recognized to-day as never before. Its opponents on religious or moral grounds, erstwhile so numerous and formidable, are reduced to a small and hopeless minority. As a means of amusement, pure and simple, it has steadily grown in popularity, and, in response to the efforts managers are making to offer better things and more of them, an enlightened public is showing a disposition to spend money with unprecedented freedom on a form of entertainment which appeals more strongly than any other to both the mind and the heart of the every-day man and woman."
 The East Jordan Creamery is turning out some first-class butter these days and Kemper Bros., of Chicago, to whom the principle portion of their produce is shipped, attest to its merits in a letter sent to Mr. Pfender, and containing the following: "This was a nice lot of butter and we hope that you will continue to make it nice in the future as we will have ready sale for it. We were disappointed in not receiving shipment this week as some of the customers that had this butter wanted more of it, and when they came for it the past few days, we had to disappoint them. We were expecting that you would ship regularly each week, at least one shipment, if not two. Let us know if you will have a shipment ready for us the first of next week. Yours truly, Kemper Bros."

C. G. Mack, the Jeweler.
 S. Wiesman is here this week from Albar visiting.
 Miss Blanche Robertson left Tuesday for Chicago.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Scott a daughter, on Monday.
 Mrs. Andrew Kimes was a Maconona visitor, Thursday.
 Mrs. O. H. Moyer returned from a visit at Kalkaska, Monday.
 Mack, the Jeweler, carries a complete line of Rogers 1847 Silverware.
 Miss Essie Wiekell is here from Holly and making her home with her grandmother.
 Miss Mable Munroe has returned from a visit with her grandparents in New York.
 The ladies of the Literary Club are talking of renting the Lumber Co.'s hall for a meeting place.
 Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Dicken entertained the latter's father, Col. Dickinson of Petooskey, over Sunday.
 The Presbyterial Ladies Aid Society meet next Friday afternoon, Nov. 4th, with Mrs. Fred E. Boosinger.
 The Macraebes dance given at their hall last Friday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all present.
 Take your Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing to Mack, the Jeweler. Work promptly done and fully guaranteed.
 John Martin, to whom is accredited the breaking up of the Mormon settlement of the Beaver Islands nearly fifty years ago, is dead at Escanaba, aged 78 years.
 A woman writer advises man to study his sweetheart at the seashore before he marries her. What is the use when the same result can be had by turning a mouse loose in the parlor?
 The young ladies of St. Agnes Sedality - St. Joseph's Catholic church - will serve a pumpkin pie social this Saturday evening, October 29th. The bill is 15c. Come and have some "pie that mother used to make."
 Hon. M. C. Lilley at Loveday Opera House next Tuesday evening. Mr. Lilley is a member of the Executive Committee of the State Grange and will discuss politics from a Republican standpoint. Everybody invited.
 Roosevelt voters need only put a cross (x) in the circle at the top of the ticket, directly under the picture of Lincoln. Look for the honest face of the martyred president, and put it there. Then it counts for all the electors without further markings.
 Ira D. Bartlett left Wednesday for a week's trip through the Southern part of the State in the interests of his industry - (h)oice Comb and Extracted Honey. He is putting out considerable this year in Paraffined Paper Eggs which is quite a novelty and a great seller.
 The case of Ward Estate vs. the Township of Echo for the recovery of taxes levied against their right of way was decided in the Antrim Co. Circuit Court this week in favor of defendant. Wm. J. Bennett, supervisor of that township is highly pleased with the result.
 R. P. Vansaw was elected school examiner at the Board of Supervisor's meeting, instead of Atty J. Ernest Converse (as stated last week). The Board of County Canvassers elected were Atty J. Ernest Converse, E. A. Ruegger and W. E. Vallet. Robert A. Miller was re-elected Sup't of Poor, and H. A. Thompson, Drain Com'r.
 Political parties, which are an absolute necessity in a republican form of government, can only be operated through political machinery. There must be organization, which is the machine, or there will be anarchy, which is the antithesis of government. The cry of "Machine! Machine!" is largely a cry to prejudice the unthinking voter, and the politician who cries the loudest is usually one who belongs to an opposition machine.
 The East Jordan Creamery, J. J. Pfender, prop'r, will this Saturday close down until Spring and no cream will be received after that date until same re-opens. When the Creamery began operations several months ago it was planned to run all winter but, owing to the scarcity of cream it was found necessary to close down for a few months. The Management wish to thank their many friends for their patronage and trust that they may have the pleasure of dealing with them another season.
 Republican Rallies have been held in various parts of the County the past fortnight all of which were well attended and much interest manifested. At Wilson Town Hall, last Friday evening, a big crowd was present in spite of the stormy weather. Several candidates for County office were there. The addresses were given by Atty's L. F. Knowles and J. Ernest Converse. Mr. Converse's speech received considerable favorable comment. He spoke for over an hour on the issues of the day and had close attention throughout.
 Lulu Stanhope, St. Louis: "I used to have a horrid complexion. I took Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea and am called the prettiest girl in the city." Tea or tablets, 35 cents. At F. C. Warne's.

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 One Ayer's Pill at bedtime insures a natural action next morning.

School Notes.
 Miss Eva Heller entered the 9th Grade Tuesday.
 Myrtle Ward was absent from school a few days last week on account of sickness.
 Supt. Tice attended the teacher examination at Boyne City Thursday and Friday of last week.
 The subjects debated in the Extension class Monday evening were Resolved that (1) should be annexed and Resolved that the present system of taxation is the best that can be devised. Mr. F. E. Boosinger was present.
 The E. J. S. Literary Society will give another open Lyceum Wednesday evening Nov. 2nd. The public is cordially invited. The society is constantly improving and those who are present will be treated to a good program. Admission 15 cents; proceeds to go to the Encyclopaedia.
FIFTH GRADE.
 The fifth grade is studying fractions. George Jepson has returned to school after an absence of some time.
 Carl McKinney and Alfred Bergman are absent from school.
 Florence Cottrell and Belle Gotham played us a very pretty duet Friday afternoon.
 We now have quotations every Friday morning.

THIRD GRADE.
 The following pupils were perfect in spelling last week: Grace Shepard, Ethel Scott, Grace Light, Florence Post, Ivan Atkinson, Blanche Zeulek, Lynn Van Steinburg, Mary St. John, Olive Bartlett.
SECOND GRADE.
 Mrs. Cash visited the second primary last week.
 John Nochazel and Gwendoline Boyd have re-entered the second primary.
 Verne Walker and Fred Hpdgkin were Second Primary visitors Monday.
 Agatha Kenner, Anna Berg and Isatta Shaler, have helped to brighten the school room by bringing several plants.
 Ralph Kille has left school as his parents have moved to Levering.

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 NOTARY PUBLIC - WITH SEAL.

JOHN BURT

By FREDERICK UPHAM ADAMS

Author of "The Kidnapped Millionaire," "Colonel Monroe's Decline," Etc.

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CHAPTER XXXIII—Continued.

"You are very good to come at this hour," the sufferer said. "I spoke to you this evening of my dear friend from California. Miss Carden, allow me to present him. God bless you both!"

And thus they met, after the weary flight of years. Tenderly laying Blake back on the pillows, John clasped Jessie's hands and looked in her face.

"John!"
"Jessie!"
"Take her in your arms, John! Don't mind me. She loves—"
His voice died with a whisper, and with a long drawn sigh, he closed his eyes.

"He's dying! Call the doctor!" exclaimed Jessie, fear and pity chasing the love light from her eyes.

"Don't send for him, I'm all right now," pleaded Blake, opening his eyes. "Let me lie here and talk to you. The sight of you two is better than all the drugs or instruments. I have something to tell you, Miss Carden. I—"

"You promised not to talk," interrupted John Burt, with a look at Blake which had all the effect of a command.

"Let me say just a word!" he exclaimed. "To see you two together, and to hold your hands in mine after all that has happened, gives me new courage and renewed ambition." The subdued sound of conversation came from the adjoining room. All of Blake's faculties seemed abnormally acute.

"Is not that Edith's voice?" he asked.

"She is in the other room," said Jessie.

"Let her come in," pleaded Blake. John made a gesture of disapproval.

"I should like to see her, but you know best, I suppose, John," he said.

Dr. Harkness entered the room and signaled to John that the interview

extending his hand, "but any friend of my grandson's is welcome to such hospitality as a Burt can offer."

"Aye, aye, sir, Captain Burt! My name's Hawkins, John Hawkins, and I'm coming ashore," said the gentleman, stepping from the carriage.

Peter Burt grasped him by the shoulders and stared into his face.

"Jack Hawkins! Jack Hawkins, of the Segregansett! The dead has come to life, and God is good to his servant! Forgive me, Hawkins, as He has forgiven me!"

"Nothing to forgive, Captain Burt!" exclaimed John Hawkins, heartily, as he grasped the patriarch's hand. "You dropped me off the Segregansett in the right place and at the right time. Destiny orders all these things, and I am content. I am content. I'll tell you all about it, Captain Burt, when we have lots of time."

Linked arm in arm the old captain and his first mate entered the wide door of the Burt farmhouse.

Never had the great open table upheld such a dinner. Mrs. Jasper was temporarily supplanted by a chef from Boston. Rare old plates came for the first time in John's recollection, from mysterious chests stored away in the attic. Those who surrounded the board never will forget the invocation offered by Peter Burt when he blessed the food. The shadows which darkened his life had all been lifted, and the austere cloud passed from his features as fog before a quickening gale.

Glistening in a new coat of paint, the Standish bobbed at the landing when John helped Jessie off her board. They had accepted Sam Round's invitation to a clambake at Churchill's Grove, and Sam asked all his old friends and neighbors. For the first time in the memory of the living generation, Peter Burt attended an outing. Under the starlit lines he sat

was sacred to the ancestral founder of the house of Burt.

In the long summer days Jessie's children play about Peter Burt's knees. Nearly five-score years have passed over his head. His shoulders are bent, and the voice falters at times, but his eyes preserve the spark of their wonted fires.

Watched and cared for by those who love him, he calmly awaits the coming of the reaper, into whose garner long since have been gathered the atoms of his generation.

A few miles away another mansion fronts the ocean. James Blake and his fair Edith have been blessed with two children and with each other's love. A roguish boy bears the name of John, and a dainty little miss responds to the name of Jessie. James Blake is now in fact as well as in name the head of the great firm so conspicuous in this narrative. In a thousand ways he has merited the confidence reposed in him by John Burt. Generous as yet, almost to a fault, he has acquired with responsibility that burden of new and noble judgment which found its highest expression in the man who made his success possible.

Retiring from active business when most men are making a start, John Burt has devoted his time to the study of statesmanship in its purest sense. Political honors have crowded upon him. There are thousands who share the confident faith of his loving wife that the highest place in the gift of the people shall some day crown his career.

There are frequent reunions in the old farmhouse or on the spacious lawns surrounding John Burt's residence. Once a year Sam Round's superintends a clambake, and John Hawkins always manages to be present. To the latter's inquiries concerning the future Mrs. Round's, Sam turns a grinning, untroubled face.

"No man in Rocky Woods is a bachelor until he is way past sixty," Sam declares, "and I'm spry yet as a colt in clover. Sometimes Ma Round's is a bit doubtful about my matrimonial chances, but I have hopes; I still have hopes. Edith may help you to some more of them claims? Jessie, please pass young Master Burt's plate; it's empty already. How that boy grows! He's coming up like sparrowgrass after a rain."

Mrs. Round bustles around, her eyes bright with the joy of being busy.

"You set down, Ma Round's," commands Sam in a hopeless tone. "You set right down and let us young folks wait on the table. I can't break her of workin', John; I swan, I just can't do nothin' with her. Well," raising a glass of sparkling cider, "here's God bless all good people, an' happy days tew all of ye!"

(The End.)

HARD WORK TO KILL BEAR.

North Carolina Men Evidently Not the Marksman Their Fathers Were. Some of the citizens of the Ashtand section had a novel experience in killing a big black bear recently. He was discovered passing across the bottoms of the Bushnell plantation about noon, by Alfred Jones, a colored tenant on the place, who notified all the farmers in the neighborhood. A number of men came with their dogs and their guns, and proceeded to locate the beast.

The dogs soon struck the track and several of the hunters got within close range at 2 o'clock. Five or six loads were fired into him before he had apparently noticed any onslaught. Firing continued for several hours with slight effect, and several fierce fights between the dogs and the bear occurred, but he apparently made no effort to attack any of the hunters. Late in the afternoon, after considerable dodging in a thick swamp, he climbed a large tree. Several shots were fired at him from below, and he went out on a limb which was so small it broke under his weight.

When he fell to the ground Mr. Ed Harrell was at very close range and got a good aim at a point just below the heart, which ended the conflict. Mr. Summers, who sent for his wagon, carried the bear to the nearest scales and found that he weighed 267 pounds.—Charlotte Observer.

Scientific English Farming. At Farlington, Berkshire, farming has been raised to a science. Mr. George Adams, of the royal prize farm, Wadley house, farms some 4,000 acres, of which about half is arable and half pasture. He employs from 200 to 250 laborers, milks 500 cows daily, keeps about forty Shire brood mares, a score of breeding sows, and from 3,000 to 4,000 laying hens, grows about 1,000 acres of grain, besides attending to other multifarious items in the ordinary course of farm practice. About 1,000 acres of meadow hay are harvested annually. All the work, cutting, carrying and ricking, is done by piecework.—Tid-Bits.

Like Resembles Lincoln. Representative John Lind of Minnesota, who has twice been governor of that state and has been nominated for justice of the Supreme Court, is said to bear a marked resemblance to Lincoln. In fact, he seems a perfect double of the martyred President; even the expression of his face is, similar, as well as its contour. He is extremely tall and gaunt and has a shambling gait.

The Woman of It. She—I had a splendid half hour's chat with young Simpkins last evening. He—Indeed! Why, everybody says he is stupid and never says anything. She—True; but he's an excellent listener.



AGRICULTURE

Buying Fertilizers.

Our state legislatures are doing what they can to protect the people against low grade fertilizers. Some of the states require the experiment stations to publish special bulletins on fertilizers and send them to all the farmers that want them. This is to spread the information among the farmers as rapidly as possible. If our farmers would avail themselves of these opportunities more than they do, they would be the gainers. The fertilizer trade is already a very large one in the East and is growing rapidly in the West. All the information that can be gained should be laid hold of. Our best fertilizer firms are selling only good materials and are as anxious as the farmers can be to keep the poor goods out of the market. Any attempt to enforce the fertilizer laws always has the support of these companies, for their worst enemies are the small companies that are selling inferior goods at a low price. The farmer thinks he is getting a bargain in buying these cheap goods and so goes to the men that sell him the poorest stuff and make the most out of him. If the men that are selling the cheap fertilizers sold it as low as do the men that sell only high grade fertilizers the men that sell the poor stuff would have to go out of business. They sell the poor stuff and make money by really getting the fertilizer companies to pay for their fertilizer. The farmer is finding this out only slowly.

Some of the large firms stoop to create bogus companies, that sell this material. The writer happened in the territory of one such firm doing business in the southern part of Illinois. The large firm in question had an agency in the place and this agency sent out two sets of agents, one set representing the agency and the other representing a fictitious company supposed to be located in the same place. The cheap material was worked off under the name of the bogus company and generally on farmers to whom could not be sold the high priced goods, but who wanted something cheap. It was found best to sell mostly to farmers too far away to come to the place and look up the headquarters. But one day a farmer who had been buying the cheap goods came into the agency referred to and said he was very much dissatisfied with the fertilizers of the company he had been buying of, and he wanted to be directed to their store. The agent informed him that the company he was looking for had formerly been located in that neighborhood, but had been burned out and had gone out of business, but that he would be glad to supply the farmer with goods that could not be found fault with.

The farmer, that is always looking at the price and not at the quality at the same time is always getting beaten in his trades. It is impossible that it should be otherwise as long as there are unscrupulous men that are making a living in commercial ventures.

Professor Hopkins has been telling the farmers that they must ignore everything in fertilizers except the elements that they are looking for, and he is right. It is not a question of how many tons of fertilizing material a farmer buys, but of how many pounds of potassium, phosphorus and nitrogen he is getting, and at what cost per pound.

Records of Farm Drains. Another feature of engineering work for farm drainage in which there should be great improvement is that of maps and records. At Ames, on the college farm, the present authorities have had predecessors who put in quite extensive amounts of tile drains without leaving accurate plans, so that in many places we cannot now find even where the drains were built, to say nothing of their sizes, grades and depths. In making excavations old lines of tile whose very existence was not suspected are not infrequently encountered, and the writer knows of places where at least two systems of tiles in the same locality have been put in by successive generations of authorities. The same or a worse state of affairs must result on individual farms throughout the state, as time goes by and the farms change owners, unless the present almost total neglect of keeping complete records of all tile drains built is remedied. Even if the land does not change owners, men's memories fail, and the writer has often noted that even after a very few years men who actually help build drains are frequently unable to locate them within a considerable distance. Without complete maps showing the particulars of our drains how can we hope to keep them in working order? The breaking and choking up of a single tile might render many acres of land worthless in a wet season, and cause enough damage in a single year to have paid ten times over for records which would have enabled the difficulty to be located and remedied at less than one dollar's expense.—Iowa Station.

At the Ontario agricultural college potatoes were planted in rows 26 1/2 inches apart with the sets one foot apart in the row, and others were planted 33 inches apart each way, exactly the same amount of seed being used in both cases. The close planting gave a yield of 31.4 bushels more than the other method.

GOING TO FIND MOTHER.

Pathetic Story of Henry Ward Beecher's Childhood.

William James, one Harvard psychologist, was illustrating the confusion into which children's minds may be thrown by the reception of different ideas about the same subject.

"Henry Ward Beecher," he said, "furnished us in his childhood with a good example of this thing I mean. On the death of Beecher's mother the little fellow was told by some that she had gone to heaven, and by others that she had been laid in the ground."

"He brooded over these contradictory ideas until they were reconciled in his mind. Then, one morning, he was found digging in the garden very busily."

"What are you doing?" they asked him.

"Why," said the child, "I am going to heaven to find mother."

Then Finish the Dishes. The B's had given an impertinent maid notice, and in consequence were obliged to assume the duties that she pointedly neglected. On the last day of Katie's stay, as one of the ladies of the family was hastening to answer a ring at the front door, she was arrested by an explosive whisper from the rear of the hall, where the picturesque ex-maid, Katie, in most unpicturesque dishabille, was established. "Mrs. B. if that's anyone for me, say I'm out."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Fish Fighting in Siam.

Fish fighting is the most popular sport in Siam. The two fish, trained from the age of six months to fight, are placed in a large glass bottle. It is most curious to note each fish's attitude when it becomes aware of its adversary's presence in the bottle. Swelling with rage and pride, they sail around and around the narrow space, pretending not to notice each other, until suddenly one fish makes a savage dart at its unwelcome companion, biting its fins and body. The fight continues until the referee sees that the issue is no longer in doubt, when the contest is stopped.

Straining the Air.

A woman living in a smoky city helps to keep her house clean by straining the air as it is drawn into the cold air register or box to be sent up through the pipes into the different rooms, says Good Housekeeping. The register is taken out, a piece of cheesecloth a trifle larger than the opening is spread over the pipe and the register is replaced, its edges holding the cheesecloth in place. The particles of soot and dust which accumulate on the cheesecloth soon prove how much the wall paper and furniture have been saved.

Animals of Angora.

A writer on the Angora goat calls attention to the fact that the climate of Angora possesses some remarkable peculiarity causing the development of a silky coat on animals of various kinds. Not only the famous goats, which produce mohair, are thus furnished, but a similar tendency is exhibited among such animals as cats and greyhounds living in the same country.

Spectacles of Famous Man.

Walter Newbegin, a Kezar Falls, Me., collector of curiosities, has the spectacles worn by Rev. John Buzzell, the first Baptist minister in Maine, who is said to have had his eyesight suddenly restored and to have grown a new head of hair and a set of teeth at the ripe age of 50 years.

CAN DRINK TROUBLE

That's one way to get it. Although they won't admit it many people who suffer from sick headaches and other ailments get them straight from the coffee they drink and it is easily proved if they're not afraid to leave it to a test as in the case of a lady in Councilsville.

"I had been a sufferer from sick headaches for twenty-five years and anyone who has ever had a bad sick headache knows what I suffered. Sometimes three days in the week I would have to remain in bed, at other times I couldn't lie down the pain would be so great. My life was a torture and if I went away from home for a day I always came back more dead than alive.

"One day I was telling a woman my troubles and she told me she knew that it was probably coffee caused it. She said she had been cured by stopping coffee and using Postum Food Coffee and urged me to try this food drink."

"That's how I came to send out and get some Postum and from that time I've never been without it for it suits my taste and has entirely cured all of my old troubles. All I did was to leave off the coffee and tea and drink well made Postum in its place. This change has done me more good than anything else put together.

"Our house was like a drug store for my husband bought everything he heard of to help me without doing any good, but when I began on the Postum my headaches ceased and the other troubles quickly disappeared. I have a friend who had an experience just like mine and Postum cured her just as it did me.

"Postum not only cured the headaches, but my general health has been improved, and I am much stronger than before. I now enjoy delicious Postum more than I ever did coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason" and it's worth finding out.

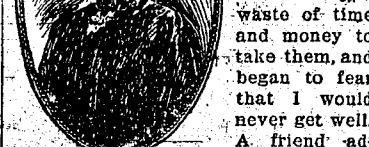
THOUGHT SHE WOULD DIE.

Mrs. S. W. Marline, of Colorado Springs, Began to Fear the Worst. Doan's Kidney Pills Saved Her.

Mrs. Sarah Marline, of 428 St. Urain St., Colorado Springs, Colo., President of the Glen Eyrie Club, writes:

"I suffered for three years with severe backache. The doctors told me my kidneys were affected and prescribed medicines for me, but I found it was only a waste of time and money to take them, and began to fear that I would never get well. A friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. Within a week after I began using them I was so much better that I decided to keep up the treatment, and when I had used a little over two boxes I was entirely well. I have now enjoyed the best of health for more than four months, and words can but poorly express my gratitude."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



Embroidered and lace-trimmed window blinds are generally placed in sitting rooms now. Those trimmed with dainty and polite arabesque are very handsome, while still more elaborate are some embroidered duchesse blinds deeply flounced with lace.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one cure for that disease which has been able to cure all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CURE & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Table cloths and serviettes should be slightly starched, for thus they will be made to retain their fresh and clean appearance longer.

World's Fair Visitors.

Persons attending the great Exposition at St. Louis should secure a room close to the Fair and in a safe brick building. Hotel Epworth has all the conveniences of a first-class modern hotel, within four minutes' walk of Convention and Administration entrance. Rates \$1.00 per day and up for lodging. Meals at reasonable prices. From Union Station, go to Olive Street, take Duane Car, then go east to 600. Our boys meet all cars.

A box filled with lime and placed on the shelf in a pantry and frequently renewed will absorb the damp and keep the air pure and dry.

Many Children Are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Summer Complaint, Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

"How gracefully young Skivey raises his hat." "I wish he could raise the price of the hat half as gracefully."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Some women can keep a secret easier than they can keep money.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. T. Ross, R. 2, Main St., Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Merchants who make each customer believe they are special cases are the ones who win.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy cured my wife's rheumatism and kidney disease. Dr. S. Senator Albert Merritt, Park Place, N. Y., 51 a bottle.

A large proportion of the cooking in Paris restaurants is done in sight of the customers.

Murine Eye Remedy cures sore eyes, makes weak eyes strong. All Druggists, 50c.

For Cupboard Corner

St. Jacobs Oil

Straight, strong, sure, is the best household remedy for

Rheumatism

Neuralgia Sprains Lumbago Bruises Sciatica Stiffness Backache Soreness

Price, 25c. and 50c.

MEXICAN Mustang Liniment

cures Cuts, Burns, Bruises.

Wiggle-Stick

Wiggle-Stick LAUNDRY BLUE. Women's and girls' use. 25c. and 50c. worth of any other blueing.



must end. Blake gallantly raised Jessie's hand to his lips.

"Good-bye, until I'm better," he said, almost gaily. "You and John have saved my life."

John escorted Jessie to the door, whispered a few words and returned to Blake's side.

"You're a god, John," said Blake, in a low tone. "You are the only man in the world worthy the love of such a woman."

It is merciful to draw the curtain over the two hours which followed. At last a moment came when the grave face of Dr. Harkness was touched with a smile of professional pride, as he drew from an incision a flattened, jagged piece of lead. The patient glanced at it with pain-distorted eyes, and then sank into a sleep, the awakening from which meant so much in deciding for life or death.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

The End. Peter Burt stood by the gateway and shaded his eyes with his hand as he gazed down the road. Two weeks before that day he had received his first letter from John. It briefly and modestly recited the story of his struggles and of his success, and ended with an account of the tragedy which resulted in the death of Arthur Morris and the wounding of Blake.

The old-fashioned clock had sounded the midday hour, and Peter Burt looked beyond the turn of the road, where the yellow-brown dust had dulled the green of foliage. Responding to the touch of a whip a spirited team of horses dashed ahead as they reached the summit of the hill.

Sam Round's was driving, and a stranger to Peter Burt was beside him. John Burt and Jessie were in the rear seat.

"God is very good to us, John," said Peter Burt, as he took his grandson's hand and looked, through glad tears, into his face. His stern old face grew tender as he turned to Jessie Green.

"An old man's blessing on your pretty head," he said, gently touching the folds of her hair with his huge palm. "You are very beautiful, my daughter, and it is God's will that you shall be happy. I am glad to see you again, Samuel."

He looked searchingly at the silent man in the front seat.

"I do not know you, sir," he said,

with John Hawkins and told and listened to tales of the sea.

The Standish pointed her bow out towards Minor's Light, and picked her way between threatening rocks. Under the shadow of Black Reef John dropped the anchor and watched the line until it became taut as the incoming tide swept them near the rocks. Above his head he could see the spot where he had knelt as a boy and listened to Peter Burt while he prayed to the God who ruled the storm. For some minutes no words were spoken.

"Do you remember the last time we were here, Jessie?" he asked.

"Yes, John," without raising her eyes.

"Do you remember what I said to you that day, Jessie?"

"I think I do, John." It may have been the reflection of the sun, but a touch of crimson came to her cheeks. "It was a long time ago, John, and perhaps I've forgotten just what you said. Can you repeat it?"

An arm reached out and the little hand was firmly clasped.

"I told you that I loved you, Jessie," he said. The imprisoned hand made no attempt to escape; "I told you that that love was my inspiration; that no woman on earth should share it; that no matter whatever befell you—sunshine or rain, happiness or sorrow—that my ambition was to see you showered with all the blessings God can grant to a good woman; I said that if a day came when I had a right to ask your love in return that I should do so, making no claim on our old friendship. And then you said something, Jessie—do you remember what you said, darling?"

"I said that I wanted you to love me, but not to speak of it again—"

"Until I said you could," said Jessie, jutting her laughing eyes. "You can say it again—if you wish to, John."

Two soft arms were around his neck and two sweet lips met his. "You knew I would wait for you, John, didn't you?"

John Burt's modest mansion stands on the crest of the hill which slopes down to the old farmhouse. It commands a superb view of the crescent sweep of Ocean Beach, and also of the more quiet beauties of Hingham bay. Verdant terraces and winding paths and roads come to the edge of the yard surrounding the old homestead, but no gardener's hand has been permitted to touch the quaint surround-

IN GREAT DISTRESS

VOMITING SPELLS LONG RESISTED EVERY EFFORT TO CHECK.

Mrs. Brooks Became So Weak She Thinks She Would Have Died But For Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. Sarah L. Brooks, of No. 45 Lincoln Park, Chicago, Illinois, gives the following account of her cure from distressing spells of vomiting:

"For five years off and on I was treated in vain by different doctors for relief from a stomach trouble which showed itself in frequent and trying spells of vomiting. Part of the time I was able to work, and again I would be confined to bed for three or four days in succession.

"My stomach was at times so delicate that it would not retain even plain water. The spells would sometimes occur at intervals of half an hour, and would leave me so weak that I would be compelled to lie down between them. I would have several of them during the night following a day of such attacks. Finally I became so weakened that I had to give up working altogether. I weighed only forty-four pounds.

"Last January I read about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People in one of the Chicago daily papers and bought a box and began to use them. After I had used half a box I found that I could keep on my stomach the food I ate. I was encouraged by this and kept on using the pills for four months. At the end of that time the vomiting spells had ceased altogether and my weight went up to 142 pounds and is still growing.

"I think I surely would have died if it had not been for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I sometimes vomited clear blood, and for three or four days at a time I could not eat a bite of anything. One doctor said I had chronic inflammation of the stomach, and another said my difficulty was a cancer, but none of their medicines did me any good at all. Finally I concluded that I did not have blood enough to digest my food, and I began the treatment that has cured me. I can eat anything now, and have strength for all kinds of work. I always keep Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on hand, and I recommend them to my friends because I know they cured me.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills agree with the most delicate stomachs and strengthen the digestive organs until they do their work perfectly. They are sold by all druggists.

Good Housekeeping.

Good housekeeping is the science of combining perfect cleanliness and neatness with economy and comfort, of giving to the inmates of the home healthy bodies through the preparation of wholesome and palatable food, careful and intelligent attention to sanitation and the laws of hygiene. It also includes the fine art of homemaking in its highest and truest sense.

Allen's Foot-Ease, Wonderful Remedy. Have tried ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, and find it to be a certain cure, and gives comfort to one suffering with sore, tender and swollen feet. I will recommend ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE to my friends, as it is certainly a wonderful remedy.—Mrs. N. H. Galloway, New Orleans, La.

Uncle Eben.

"I ain't got no objections at all to de man what assumes to be superior," said Uncle Eben. "Provided he makes an honest effort to live up to his own representations."—Washington Star.

They Like Homer Sometimes. "It's a strange fact," said the college professor, "that the very students who don't like Greek in my classes are the ones who yell for 'Homer' at a baseball game."

CURIOUS WAYS OF SEA CRABS.

Take Elaborate Precautions to Protect Themselves From Enemies.

Certain species of crabs cover themselves with sea weed in order to deceive their foes. One crab was seen by the naturalist, Eissig, in 1878, to pluck off zoophytes, those plant-like animal colonies which grow on shells and stones, and to fix them on the spines and hairs of its shell. A still deeper ruse of defensive tactics is to be found in the case of certain hermit crabs. They live in the cast-off shells of whelks and crawl about on back. One claw is bigger than the other, and this is an adaptive feature, for when the crab retires into its house the bigger claw is tucked across the mouth of the shell to bar the way against a possible intruder. More curious still is the habit of one species which toils along with a sea anemone fixed to his shell, like Sinebad carrying the Old Man of the Sea. Great care is taken of this anemone. It is fed by the crab, and if the latter has to seek a new shell by reason of its growth he tenderly shifts his tentacles off the old abode and places him on the new one.

A Small Boy's Essay on Water.

A very original essay on water by a very small boy is quoted by a contemporary. He divides all water into four subheadings—rain water, soda water, holy water and brine. "Water," he continues, "is used for a good many things. Sailors use water to go to sea on. Water is a good thing to fire at boys with a squirt gun and to catch fishes in." But the strangest of all uses for water is this: "Nobody," he says, "could be saved from drowning if there wasn't water to pull them out of." One is here reminded of a similar essay on pins, in the course of which the boy writer said that pins had saved many lives by people not swallowing them.—Ram's Horn.

Restrict Heights of Buildings.

These requirements as to height of buildings in Manchester, Eng., are enforced: Buildings in narrow streets shall not exceed in height two and a half times the width of such street; buildings in the principal streets are restricted to ninety feet, and buildings in ordinary streets are restricted to sixty-five feet.

Support Oak by Props.

In the village of Meavy, Dartmoor, England, is an old oak which was flourishing in the reign of King John, and is still flourishing, though supported by stout props.

Sure Cure at Last.

Monticello, Miss., Oct 3 (Special)—Lawrence County is almost daily in receipt of fresh evidence that a sure cure for all Kidney Troubles has at last been found, and that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Among those who have reason to bless the Great American Kidney Remedy is Mrs. L. E. Baggett of this place. Mrs. Baggett had Dropsy, Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her. "I was troubled with my kidneys," Mrs. Baggett says in recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills to her friends, "my urine would hardly pass. The doctors said I had Dropsy. I have taken Dodd's Kidney Pills as directed and am now a well woman."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the kidneys. Cured kidneys strain all the impurities out of the blood. That means pure blood and a sound energetic body. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the greatest tonic the world has ever known.

If your window glass is lacking in brilliancy clean it with liquid paste made of alcohol and whiting. A little of this mixture will remove specks and impart a high luster to the glass.

Cling to Their Farms

"All the farms in New England are not in the market," said a man whose business tends to speculation in farm property. "Some are being held by the old people as a matter of sentiment."

"In one of my recent trips down in Maine I stopped at a farmhouse that was erected more than sixty years ago. The owner did not know it, but I had gone all over his land and had taken a fancy to it. He and his housekeeper were the sole occupants of the house at the time of my visit.

"We were on the veranda one evening when I broached the subject of buying his farm. He said it was not for sale at any price. I suggested as diplomatically as I could that he would not need the place much longer, and that with the money I proposed to pay him he could pass the remainder of his days in peace and independence.

"I knew that he had a boy in New York who was doing well, and who would never return to the old farm. I mentioned this as an inducement to make the trade. He shook his head the more determinedly.

"That's the reason," he said, "that I don't want to sell. If it was not for that boy I might be tempted to let the old place go. But it's this way:

"He was born here. He went to school not more than three miles from here. He knows every path in the woods. He has played all over this ground as far as your eyes can see.

"Just across the field over there is the family burying ground. His mother and brother and sister are all there, side by side. I guess you are right when you say he will not want to come back. He's got to be quite a city man, and I never expect to see him come back here to live. Perhaps that's natural that he should.

"I ain't never asked him to come back, and I don't think that I ever shall. But some of these days when he gets along where I am now, maybe he'll get tired. Of course, he'll have his own home in the city by that time, where he can sit down and take it easy. I hope so.

"But after that it may be some consolation to him to know that he will be sent back here. That's why the farm ain't for sale."

"And his refusal to sell is the refusal of many others in the old state. They are holding on their places for the sake of their children who have gone away, but who, they are sure, will be sent back if they do not come of their own volition. That is why the old farms in New England are not for sale."—New York Sun.

Crabs Made the Trouble

One of the prominent women of Orange, N. J., gave a crab dinner the other night, to which she invited a dining room full of guests. The function proved highly enjoyable, and not a few remarked to their hostess that they had never seen crabs so delicately cooked. Some of her more intimate neighbors even besought of her to tell them the secret.

With a smile which reflected the pride she felt, the hostess was about to whisper the recipe to a haughty looking dame at her elbow, when a low moan from the kitchen alarmed the whole table and brought the conversation to an abrupt stop. The next moment the waitress, who had been acting queerly for some time, rushed back from the kitchen with a bandage in one hand and a bottle of sweet oil in the other. The hostess was the first to recover her composure, and, catching hold of the bandage, she asked:

"Mary, is there anyone hurt?" "It's the c-c-cook, mum," stammered Mary. "And what is the matter with Bridget?" "Shure, mum, she burnt herself. I

ought to haf told you afore mum. It wuz in the fixin' of them crabs, mum."

The hostess excitedly excused herself and rushed to the kitchen. There she found the cook, rocking back and forth in a chair, doubled up as with the most intense pain. On seeing her mistress, Bridget showed fright, and attempted to disguise her sufferings by struggling to her feet.

"You're badly hurt, Bridget?" said her employer hurriedly. "What is the matter? Tell me all about it."

"I's ashamed ter tell yuh. I's afraid yull fire me if you knows what's happened. It wuz the crabs, mum."

"Did you not prepare them according to the cook book I gave you yesterday?" "That new way, called Tote embrolle!"

"Sure, I did, mum, but when I chucked 'em in the pan the blasted critters kicked the grease all over me."

The housewife threw up her hands. "Oh, Bridget!" she screamed, "do you mean to say you didn't clean them?" "Shure I did, mum," was the reply. "I held them under the faucet."—New York Tribune.

Love Among the Japanese

The boys and girls, the young men and young women of Japan do love each other, I suppose, but one never sees the slightest shadow of evidence to prove it. The spirit of love does not dominate the national life as it does in America and the countries of Europe. Japan's poets do not sing of love; her story writers tell no tales of love that can thrill an Anglo-Saxon heart, and her artists paint no pictures of love that can reach the Anglo-Saxon understanding. Now, considering all this, how can there be such a thing as "a good old summer time" in this land of the sunrise? And yet there is, and it is especially delightful in its way, too, because the Japanese are a nation of reasters and picknickers, of nature lovers and world-beautifiers, and if one can only lose sight of the fact that everywhere one goes the poor little women toddle meekly along behind the men, who stalk pompously ahead as if they owned the earth, one may almost enjoy one's self.

One never sees a woman caressed in Japan, not even with a glance; one seldom sees a baby fondled; in fact all human tenderness or expression of human tenderness is conspicuous by its absence, and I believe that is the one impassable great gulf that is fixed between us and this people which is endeavoring so earnestly to become one of us. And yet the people are happy, with a simple, sweet happiness that is charming. That is it. It is an atmosphere that milky charms, but never thrills, the western heart. All the nation's love is concentrated upon the emperor, and the highest note of the national life is sounded in yamato-kamashi, Japan spirit—patriotism—and even this is beyond our comprehension, because it is empty of romance and unsatisfactory to us, who cannot separate the interests of "fair women and brave men" even upon the battlefield.—Elean Franklin's Japan Letter in Lecturer's Weekly.

Valuable Red Sea Jewels

Many valuable jewels are fished out of the Red Sea. The pearl fisheries in that body of water are very little known, but according to United States Consul Masterson, who writes from Aden, Arabia, they are important.

The name Lohia applies to a small group of islands at the lower end of the Red sea, and pearl fishing has been carried on there for a number of years. The divers are all Arabs, but the men who finance the industry are generally natives of India, and for this reason it is hard to get the correct output in numbers of pearls or their value for any particular year, as a great number of the pearls found at Lohia go direct to Bombay and are not reported here at all.

"There are several merchants who handle these pearls. Each pearl or

collection of pearls is sold according to the particular perfection of the pearl or collection, and there can be no price given for pearls indiscriminately.

"Several years ago there was a trade with the United States in mother-of-pearl shells from these pearl fisheries, but the entire output now goes to Europe.

"Pearls are the most popular of all the precious stones among the inhabitants of India and Arabia, and it is very seldom that a native woman of any social position is seen without pearl ornaments of some kind, either in rings for the nose, ears or fingers, and some even wear pearl rings on their toes. There are also extensive pearl fisheries in the Persian gulf, the entire output going to Bombay."—Jewelers' Circular Weekly.

Washington Had His Heart

Mrs. N— is the teacher of the infant class in one of the best known Sunday schools in the city of Washington. Among her numerous scholars is her own small son, who has the greatest respect and love for the memory of that illustrious man whom all loyal Americans love and revere—George Washington.

"On the Fourth John was up bright and early, and between firing on 'crackers,' exploding bombs, and throwing torpedoes on the ground to hear the noise they made, beseeched his mother to tell him of the first president of the United States, being particularly interested in the tales of him as a great soldier.

The Sunday following Independence day, the Sunday school lesson was

about Paul. Mrs. N— laid special stress on the fact that Paul was a soldier of the Lord, ever ready to fight when duty called. When she thought the lesson had been fully understood by all the small tots present, she said:

"If any one of you can tell me the name of the brave soldier I have been telling you about, raise his hand."

The silence in the room could be felt. The little ones gazed at "teacher," but did not offer to answer her question. Finally her son caused her heart to swell with pride by raising his hand.

"Speak loudly, John," she said, "so we can all hear."

The answer came in strenuous tones: "George Washington!"



Many women are denied the happiness of children through derangement of the generative organs. Mrs. Beyer advises women to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered with stomach complaint for years. I got so bad that I could not carry my children but five months, then would have a miscarriage. The last time I became pregnant, my husband got me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking the first bottle I was relieved of the sickness of stomach, and began to feel better in every way. I continued its use and was enabled to carry my baby to maturity. I now have a nice baby girl, and can work better than I ever could before. I am like a new woman."—MRS. FRANK BEYER, 22 S. Second St., Meriden, Conn.

Another case which proves that no other medicine in the world accomplishes the same results as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was married for five years and gave birth to two premature children. After that I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it changed me from a weak, nervous woman to a strong, happy and healthy wife within seven months. Within two years a lovely little girl was born, who is the pride and joy of my household. If every woman who is cured feels as grateful and happy as I do, you must have a host of friends, for every day I bless you for the light, health and happiness Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has brought to my home. Sincerely yours, Mrs. M. P. WHERRY, Flat 31, The Norman, Milwaukee, Wis."

Actual sterility in woman is very rare. If any woman thinks she is sterile her write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., whose advice is given free to all would-be and expectant mothers.

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It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect of taking the first dose. Sold by dealers every where. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

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Strawberry and Vegetable Dealers The Passenger Department of the Illinois Central Railroad Company have recently issued a publication known as Circular No. 13, in which is described the best territory in this country for the growing of early strawberries and early vegetables. Every dealer in such products should address a postal card to the undersigned at Dubuque, Iowa, requesting a copy of Circular No. 13. J. F. MERRY, Asst. Gen'l. Pass'r Agent.

BLINDNESS AND DEAFNESS CURED AT HOME. Dr. Mudge was appointed by the two Governors, Chief Eye and Ear Surgeon of the Illinois State Institution for the Blind, and was also Professor of the Eye and Ear in the American Medical College. Cures eyes strabismic by new scientific method. Write to Dr. J. H. ALFORD, Eye and Ear Institute, Suite 20, Commercial Bldg., St. Louis.

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Thompson's Eye Water. W. N. U.—DETROIT—NO. 41—1904. When answering ads, please mention this page.

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TIME TABLE

(In Effect Sept. 25, 1904)

LEAVE EAST JORDAN at 8:30 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; Arriving at Bellaire at 9:40 a. m. and 2:15 p. m.

LEAVE BELLAIRE at 10:20 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.; Arriving at East Jordan at 11:20 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.

All trains daily except Sunday. Trains run by central standard time. W. P. PORTER E. J. CROSSMAN, Gen. Manager. Traffic Mgr.

Grand Rapids & Indiana R. R.

In Effect Sept. 25, 1904.

Trains Depart from Petoskey: Going South—9:25 a. m., daily; 2:50 p. m., except Sunday; 11:20 p. m., except Saturday. Going North—2:55 p. m., daily; 9:35 p. m., except Sunday; 8:03 a. m., except Monday.

Trains Depart from Alba: Going South—10:44 a. m., daily; 4:59 p. m., except Sunday; 12:36 a. m., except Sunday. Going North—1:38 p. m., daily; 8:18 p. m., except Monday; 4:48 a. m., except Sunday.

M. F. Quaintance C. L. Lockwood, Ag't Petoskey, Mich. G. R. T. A.

PERE MARQUETTE

In effect Sept. 25, 1904. Trains leave Bellaire as follows: For Traverse City, 10:15 a. m. 3:57 p. m. For Grand Rapids, Chicago and West 10:15 a. m. and 3:57 p. m. For Saginaw and Detroit—10:15 a. m. 3:57 p. m. For Charlevoix and Petoskey—2:28 p. m., and 7:28 p. m. H. F. MOELLER, General Passenger Agent. F. N. STEWART, Agent, Bellaire.

Detroit & Charlevoix R. R.

Time Schedule in effect Sunday, Sept. 4th, 1904.

Going East	Stations	Going West
A. M.	Leave	Arrive
9 00	South Arm	P. M.
9 20	Wards	6 45
9 25	Jordan River	6 40
9 30	Graves-Camp	6 35
9 40	Grgson River	6 20
10 30	Alba	6 00
11 40	Deward	5 05
12 15	Frederic	4 30

CLARK HAIRE, General Manager.

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SETTLER'S FARES TO THE SOUTH and SOUTHEAST. One way second class tickets on sale at all stations on first and third Tuesdays of each month. Ask agents for particulars.

WORLD'S FAIR, ST. LOUIS.

Round-trip tickets at low rates. On sale at all ticket stations. Ask agents for rates, limit of tickets, and full particulars.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Date of first publication Sept. 3, 1904. Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Christopher Vandevreze and Emma Vandevreze, his wife, to L. C. Allen, dated December 24, A. D. 1902, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Charlevoix, and the State of Michigan, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1902, in Liber 33 of mortgages, on page 45, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of the making of the same (\$337.75) Three Hundred and Thirty-six Dollars and Seventy-five cents, and an Attorney's fee of \$23.00; Twenty Dollars, provided for in said mortgage and also on proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the East front door of the Court House in the Village of Charlevoix, in said County (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix sits) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent. interest and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty Dollars, as covenanted therein, the said premises being described in said mortgage as follows:—to-wit: Commencing at the South-east corner of the Village of South Lake, commonly known as East Jordan, as per recorded plat of said Village now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix, thence North One Hundred and Twenty feet (120) along the East line of Lots One and Two (1 and 2) of said Block Four (4), thence West Eighty Seven feet (87) along the North line of said Lot Two (2) thence South One Hundred and Twenty feet (120) to the South line of said Lot One (1), thence East Eighty Seven feet (87) along the South line of said Lot One (1) to the place of beginning. Dated, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1904. (313) A. B. NICHOLAS, Attorney for Assignee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Date of first publication, Aug. 13, 1904. Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William J. Wetzel, dated August 4th, A. D. 1899, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Charlevoix, and the State of Michigan, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1899, in Liber 32 of mortgages, on page 12, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of (\$21.41) Three Hundred and Twenty-one Dollars and Forty-one cents, and an attorney's fee of Twenty Dollars, as covenanted therein, the said mortgage and which said mortgage was assigned to George G. Glenn on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1901, and which said assignment of said mortgage was recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds for said County and said State of Michigan on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1901, in Liber 34 of mortgages, on page 32, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of November, A. D. 1904, by ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the East front door of the Court House in the Village of Charlevoix, in said County (that being the place where the Circuit Court for County of Charlevoix sits) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent. interest, and all legal costs together with an attorney's fee of Twenty Dollars, as covenanted therein, the said premises being described in said mortgage as follows:—to-wit: Commencing at the South-east corner of the Village of South Lake, commonly known as East Jordan, as per recorded plat of said Village now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix, thence North One Hundred and Twenty feet (120) along the East line of Lots One and Two (1 and 2) of said Block Four (4), thence West Eighty Seven feet (87) along the North line of said Lot Two (2) thence South One Hundred and Twenty feet (120) to the South line of said Lot One (1), thence East Eighty Seven feet (87) along the South line of said Lot One (1) to the place of beginning. Dated, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1904. (313) A. B. NICHOLAS, Attorney for Assignee.

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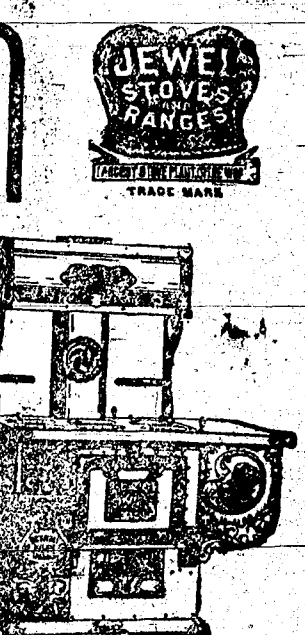
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