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Postoffice Burglarized.

Over One Thousand Dollars

In Stamps and Currency Taken by Burglars.

Robbers Were Systematic In Their Work, Indicating Professionals.

The East Jordan Postoffice was burglarized Thursday morning and over \$1,000 in stamps and money carried away.

Postmaster Kenyon was in the office at 12:30 a. m. and the burglary took place between then and morning. The thieves first entered Moses Lemieux's blacksmith shop where they procured several chisels. At the postoffice building they obtained entrance by prying open a back window. They turned out the light, closed the two front delivery windows to hide their operations, and opened the safe by the combination. The chisels were then brought into play and the interior of the safe was badly hacked-up in securing the steel money drawer, which they carried away with them. Contents of the safe were scattered over the floor and the stamp book and money orders, amounting to upwards of \$1,000 taken.

The loss was discovered by Miss Mattie O'Brien who opened the office in the morning. She at once telephoned Mr. Kenyon who was just starting to the office. Mr. Kenyon immediately notified all the surrounding postoffices and Sheriffs of both Charlevoix and Antrim counties. Every effort is being put forth to apprehend the thieves.

The postoffice adjuster—who is investigating the postoffice robbery at Ludington, is expected here in a day or two.

Mr. Kenyon had part of the supply of stamps stored in the safety-deposit vault of the State Bank of East Jordan so the postoffice was not without supplies.

December Delineator.

For colorwork, presswork and general beauty and usefulness, the December Delineator is conspicuous among the Christmas magazines. Eight paintings by J. C. Leyendecker, illustrating and interpreting the Twenty-third Psalm, is the most extensive color feature of the number, but a painting by Alphonse Mucha, accompanying a poem, "The Mother of Bartimeus," by Theodosia Garrison, is fully as notable as an art work. The short fiction of the number comprises stories by Hamlin, Garland, John Luther Long, Gilbert Parker, and Alice Brown. The opening chapters of a new serial—a woman's club story—"The President of Quetz," are given. It is said to be in the nature of a reply to "The Evolution of a Club Woman," which created great interest in the magazine last year. There is also the continuation of "At Spinner Farm," articles on Brass and Copper Utensils in "The Collector's Manual" and the Child at Play in "The Rights of the Child." A series of illustrated papers under the title, "Some Heroines of Shakspeare—by their Impersonators," also begins in this number with Eleanor Robson on Juliet. The pastimes for children are filled with the spirit of the season, and there is an abundance of matter of housewifely interest.

When you want Silverware go to C. O. Mack's and look over his fine line of "1847" Rogers Bros. ware.

It is difficult to cure a cough or free yourself from the discomforts of a cold unless you move the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar acts on the bowels and drives all cold out of the system. For Croup, Whooping Cough, Colds, and all Lung and Bronchial affections, no remedy is equal to the original Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. A Liquid Cold Cure, Sold by Warner's Pharmacy.

Senior Musicale.

The High School Seniors have arranged a Musicale and Lunch to be given at the High School Building next Wednesday evening, Nov. 29th, commencing at 7:30 standard. Admission is fifteen cents. After the program, Hot Cocoa and Wafers, Candy, Fortune Telling, and Egg Kisses will be dispensed. Below is the PROGRAM.

Instrumental Duett, { Ray Nicholas
Flora Porter
Vocal Solo, Flora Haire
Recitation, Mildred Gilbert
Selection, Mixed Quartette
Vocal Solo, Mrs. Bush
Recitation, H. H. Emler
Violin Duett, { Mildred Sweet
Eunice Malpass
Vocal Solo, Miss Robertson
Reading, Nell Maddaugh
Instrumental Solo, Mrs. Andrews
Vocal Solo, Bert Sheldon
Girl's Quartette.

At Valparaiso, Indiana.

A line from Jerome B. Allen indicates that he intends to make above city his home for a little while. In regard to the city, he says: "This is a city of about ten thousand inhabitants, and a University of about three thousand students, with a department of Law, Medicine, and other modern appendages of institutions of this kind aside from the usual Academic courses."

"It is an excellent place for persons of limited means, as the University controls the price of living and rooms can be rented as low as thirty cents per week with bed but no heat furnished at that price, but good rooms can be furnished with heat, bedding and table and other necessary furniture at the low price of \$1.00 per week, and good table board can be had for \$1.50 per week, or board and room and heat, either coal or steam, for the low price of \$2.50 per week. The University controls the whole thing and others are obliged to conform or get no custom. Good single meals at ten cents per meal. How it can be afforded I cannot see but such is the fact."

List of Advertisers Letters.

Following is a list of the letters remaining un-called for in the East Jordan postoffice for the week ending Nov. 20, 1905:

Cook, Geo. W.
Smith, Albert J.
Shaw, Willie
Fahs, Mrs. Eva
Burk, Miss Ruby Bell
Porter, Mrs. M. O.
CARDS.

Baird, Jas.
Diment, S.
Cushman, Louis A.
Rollins, Maud
Raghuback, Anton
Schoff, Christian
FRANK A. KENYON, P. M.

Mounting Board for Sale at this office. Ten cents per sheet.

COMING!



Consult.....
J. LEAHY
Expert Optician

AT
Sherwood House

Wednesday Dec. 6th
Remaining Two Days.

Glasses, when properly fitted, will cure Headache, Dizziness, Nervousness, Indigestion and all symptoms of Eye Strain.

Guaranteed to fit any eyes that can be fitted.
Fitting Children's eyes a specialty.

A MATTER OF HEALTH

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
HAS NO SUBSTITUTE
A Cream of Tartar Powder, free from alum or phosphatic acid
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

One night is all the time necessary to prove that Pineules is the remedy in the world for backache and all kidney and bladder troubles. If you have rheumatism or any other blood disease a single dose will give relief. Sold by Warner's Pharmacy.

BEE'S Laxative HONEY AND TAR

An improvement over Cough, Lung and Bronch Remedies. Cures Cough Strengthens the Lungs Gently Moves the Bowels Pleasant to the taste good alike for Young and Old.

PREPARED
Pineule Medicine Co., C.

Everything you eat will taste good and do good if you take Ring's dyspepsia Tablets. Sold by Warner's Pharmacy.

WANTED: By Chicago wholesale and mail order house, assistant manager (man or woman) for this county and adjoining territory. Salary \$30 and expenses paid weekly; expense money advanced. Work pleasant; position permanent. No investment or experience required. Write at once for full particulars and enclose self-addressed envelope.
COOPER & CO.,
132 Lake Street, Chicago, Ill.

Present to your Friends
—As An Xmas Gift—
a Portrait of Yourself.

Have them made at
PALMITER'S STUDIO.

As the various styles—mounted on heavy or soft decorated mounts, also in folders, finished on platinum or carbon-platinum—will produce the best photographic effect, have sittings at once that the photos may be finished early and reach your friends at distant points.

This is the time of the year the light fades early; we cannot do justice by you if sittings are had later than three o'clock p. m., especially on cloudy days.

W. T. BOSWELL, Operator.

Before Purchasing Books, Etc., For The Holiday Season

We cordially invite you to visit our store and examine our assortment, consisting of all the New and Popular Copyright Books. We are adding daily to our stock and intend to make our store a First Class Book and Cigar Store. We carry the largest line of Cigars, Pipes, Tobaccos, Candies and Stationery in town.

Yours for business,
EAST JORDAN'S LARGEST CIGAR STORE,
E. O. COY PROP'R.

Be Kind To Your Horse



Blanket Him.

Don't Go around with cold fingers when Gloves are so good and cheap, at

1 SQUARE BLANKET
The East Jordan Harness Co.

I have the most complete line of everything you can possibly want in

GROCERIES

and shall be glad to supply your wants at lowest possible prices.

We solicit a share of your patronage.

WILL RICHARDSON.

BOOSINGER BROS.

In Our Lines.

In our line of **LADIES' JACKETS** we are offering some of the season's best and most exclusive styles. Styles that always appeal to the most particular buyer. Our sales of these beautiful garments has been far beyond our expectations and we can only account for it because of the beautiful styles and the moderate way in which we have priced them at from \$8 to \$20.

We are showing some new and beautiful things in Ribbons, Laces, Shirt Waists, Collars and Furs. All of them new and up-to-date.

A full line of the Iron-Clad Hosiery. Specials in Ladies' Sweaters, and exceptional values—made from the best quality of pure wools from the nicest weaves.

If you want clothing for comfort and economy together with the latest styles, call and see our beautiful stock.

Now is a splendid time to make your selections for Christmas. We will gladly lay away anything you may select for Xmas with just a simple guarantee that you will take it, and save the usual discomforts and uncertainties in the last rushing days of the holiday season. This will insure you against disappointment. Remember Xmas is not far off. We offer values unequalled.

Quality First of All,
Our Motto.

BOOSINGER BROS



East Jordan Lumber Company

CLOTHING.

INSIDE INFORMATION.

Why some men appear tidy and neat while others look as though their clothes had passed through wringers.



Every Suit of Clothes you buy looks neat and tidy when you first buy it, whether it cost you \$3.75 or \$25.00. But the true value depends how long the suit will retain that appearance. The value of fine clothing is not on the outside. It is hidden in the unseen interior. When an honest coat is built, the tailor builds what might be termed a framework, shapes it to what an ideal of the customer's form should be, then puts the cloth on the outside. This interior framework, if it is to hold its shape, must be built from high class materials; best French Elastic Canvas, Irish Linen Stays and Tape, finest Lamb's wool Padding, Imported Sicilian Horse Hair cloth.

HICKEY & FREEMAN CO. MAKERS ROCHESTER, N. Y.

This is what Hickey & Freeman's Coats are made up from.

Their Coats retain their shape forever.

Would be pleased to show you their complete line.

Prices ranging from \$12 to \$20.

Overcoats.

We also carry Hickey & Freeman's line of Overcoats, made up in the same manner, and beautiful patterns ranging in price from \$10 to \$22.50.

Come in and inspect this line of Clothing.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

We have everything new and attractive in this line.

New Neckwear, New Hosiery, Nice All Wool Underwear \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, and a brand new line of

Fancy Vests.



HICKEY & FREEMAN CO. MAKERS ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Come in and inspect our well selected stock of Clothing and Furnishings for the fall and winter wear.

YOURS FOR GOOD GOODS.

East Jordan Lumber Company.

DON'T FORGET we are Agents for the White Sewing Machine.

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD

G. A. Lisk, Publisher

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR

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

School Notes.

Howard Porter was absent from school three days.

Opal Lalonde has returned to school after a two week's absence on account of sickness.

The East Jordan High School football team played the Boyne City team at that place the score being 35 to 0 in favor of East Jordan.

The Teachers of the East Jordan School entertained the foot ball team at Mr. H. H. Fuller's Tuesday evening. The boys report a delightful evening.

Bessie Light has been absent the past week.

Mrs. G. E. Allan visited the High School Monday morning.

Tenth Grade have finished the study of Venice.

No Extemporaneous Class this week on account of the teachers entertaining the foot ball boys that night.

EVELINE.

Fine fall weather at present.

Duncan McDonald is putting down a new well and also shreeding corn.

Miss Nina Healey visited Miss Lottie Coslow at W. H. Jacquways, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holt visited at Marion Hudkin's Sunday last.

Clarence Dewey has closed the singing schools for a short time, but expects to take them up later on. He has a term of five months of school being teacher at the Bies school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosby and family of Petoskey have moved in their new house near Dwight; they intend to make farming their business.

Miss Elsie Holt called on Miss Nina Healey Sunday last.

Mrs. Ed. Spence's sister, Miss Murphy, who has been staying with her a number of weeks, returned to her home the other side of East Jordan Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Towley are moving on Mrs. Hudson's place where they intend making their home at least this winter.

Mrs. Edd Coslow had a very sick attack with her heart Sunday last but is better again.

Pinesalve acts like a poultice. Best thing in the world for boils, burns, racked hands, letter, etc. Sold, Warne's Pharmacy.

It is a pleasure to take Dr. Dade's Little Liver Pills and enjoy their tonic effect upon the liver. Sold by Warne's Pharmacy.

Burglars in Paris Catacombs.

Part of the catacombs of Paris beyond the Luxembourg have been invaded by burglars who were on the lookout not for loot, but for skulls. The thieves, four in number, did not venture far into the subterranean place of the dead, as they were evidently afraid of the labyrinths of the catacombs. They attacked the first pile of bones which they saw after having effected an entrance and carried away several skulls. The four catacomb burglars were arrested and tried. They stated in the police court that they wanted the skulls to decorate the rooms of their lodgings. In reality they proposed to sell them to medical students. The four were condemned to fines and to terms of imprisonment.—London Telegraph.

An Exploded Boiler's Flight.

"The Antigo boiler explosion, I am told, still holds the record for things supernatural," said M. C. Tyndall of that city.

"The boiler was in a mill and exploded, killing two men. It took an aerial course for a distance of a third of a mile, passing over a schoolhouse in which there were several hundred children and struck a street, tearing the lower story out of one house, bounding along past two more houses and wrecking a third. The shock shook the town and broke hundreds of windows, some of them nearly a mile distant. No one there can figure out how the boiler missed the school."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

European Powers Arming.

The tremendous demands for artillery which are reported from the great Krupp foundry in Germany cannot come alone from the actual belligerents in the far east. The very size of the orders mentioned indicates as much. It is apparent that other powers are arming themselves at renewed pressure, doubtless ordering new equipments of artillery as a result of lessons learned on the field in Manchuria. Germany would seem on the face of things the power chiefly concerned. Thus the ruinous waste goes on, and "the armed camp of Europe" grows more and more a reality.—Springfield Republican (Ind.).

EXCURSIONS

VIA THE

Detroit & Charlevoix and Grand Rapids & Indiana Railways.

FOR THANKSGIVING.

Special Excursion Tickets will be sold for the evening train Nov. 28th and for all trains of Nov. 29th and 30th, good for return until Dec. 4th. See Agents for rates and particulars.

WINTER TOURIST TICKETS.

To points in the South, also California on sale daily. Through sleeper to Cincinnati daily making direct connection for Florida points. Rates and other information cheerfully furnished on application.

ONE WAY SETTLER'S TICKETS.

To the South and Southeast, and round trip Homeseekers' Excursion. Tickets to the South, Southeast, West, and Northwest, on sale first and third Tuesdays of each month at reduced rates.

E. A. Ashley, Local Agent.
M. F. Quaintance, D. P. A.
Petoskey

Croup is quickly relieved, and Whooping Cough will not "run its course" if you use the original Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. This Cough Syrup is different from all others because it acts on the bowels. You can cure Croup and Whooping Cough until you rid the system of all congestion, by working off the cold through a copious action, of the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar does this, and cures all Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. No opiates. Sold by Warne's Pharmacy.

Every Two Minutes

Physicians tell us that all the blood in a healthy human body passes through the heart once in every two minutes. If this action becomes irregular the whole body suffers. Poor health follows poor blood; Scott's Emulsion makes the blood pure. One reason why

SCOTT'S EMULSION

is such a great aid, is because it passes so quickly into the blood. It is partly digested before it enters the stomach; a double advantage in this. Less work for the stomach; quicker and more direct benefits. To get the greatest amount of good with the least possible effort is the desire of everyone in poor health. Scott's Emulsion does just that. A change for the better takes place even before you expect it.



We will send you a sample free. Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy. Scott & Bowne Chemists 429 Pearl St., N. Y. 50 cents and \$1.00 All druggists

Old papers for sale at this office. For Crockery go to E. A. Lewis'.

The International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago has been postponed until the week of Dec. 16 to 23.

You can apply Manzan inside, right where the pain is. It is put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attachment for introducing it. Manzan stops pain instantly and cures all kinds of blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by Warne's Pharmacy.

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Promptly obtained or no fee. Write for our CONFIDENTIAL LETTER before applying for money. We obtain PATENTS THAT PAY, and help inventors to success. Send model, photo or sketch, and we send IMMEDIATE FREE REPORT ON PATENTABILITY. 20 years practice. Registered Patent Lawyers. Write or come to us at 605-507, 7th St., WASHINGTON, D. C.

D-SWIFT & CO.

Cures Biliousness; Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Torpid Liver and Chronic Constipation. Pleasant to take

The Dodging Period

of a woman's life is the name often given to "the dodging period." Your menses come at intervals, and grow scantier until they stop. The change lasts three or four years, and causes much pain and suffering, which can, however, be cured, by taking

WINE OF CARDUI

Woman's Refuge in Distress

It quickly relieves the pain, nervousness, irritability, miserableness, fainting, dizziness, hot and cold flashes, weakness, tired feeling, etc. Cardui will bring you safely through this "dodging period," and build up your strength for the rest of your life. Try it. You can get it at all druggists in \$1.00 bottles.

"EVERYTHING BUT DEATH" I suffered, writes Virginia Robson, of Easton, Md., "until I took Cardui, which cured me so quickly it surprised my doctor, who didn't know I was still living."

The average wife suspects that something is wrong about five years before she finds it out.

EXCURSIONS

VIA THE

PERE MARQUETTE

LIVE STOCK SHOW, CHICAGO. Dec. 16 to 23, inclusive.

For the above occasion ticket agents will sell round trip tickets at greatly reduced rates. Tickets on sale Dec. 16, 17, 18, 19, good for return not later than Dec. 24th. Ask agents for particulars.

THANKSGIVING—Nov. 30th.

For the Thanksgiving Holiday Pere Marquette agents will sell round trip tickets to all points in Michigan, and to points in other states on connecting lines within a limit of 150 miles, not selling station; except that tickets will not be sold to points east of Detroit or St. Clair Rivers in Canada or to points west of Chicago or Milwaukee. Rate—one and one-third fare. Good going Nov. 29 and 30; return limit Dec. 4th.

HOMESEEKERS' RATES

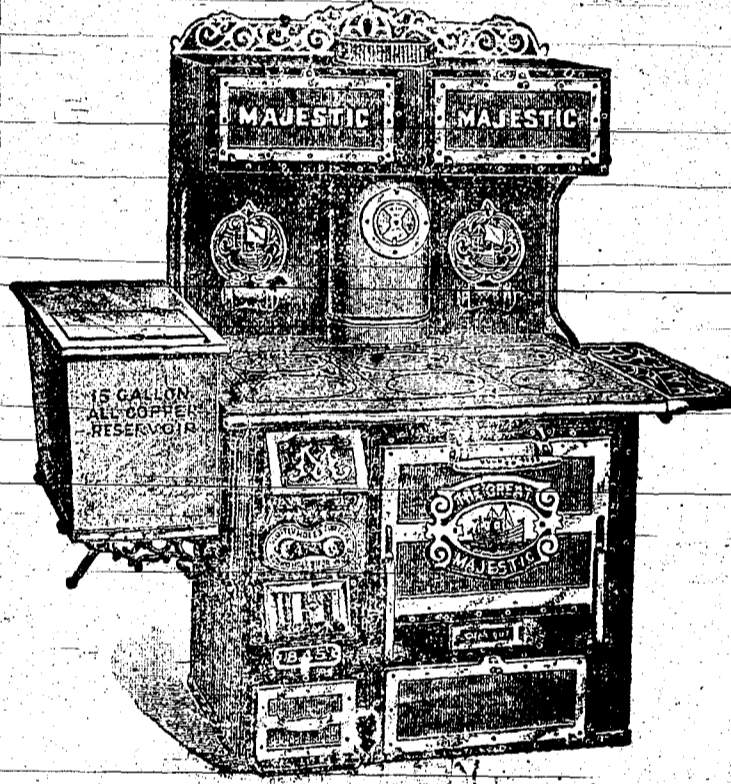
Special Home Seeker's Excursion to points in the South West and South will be on sale at all ticket offices of this company on the following dates—November 21, December 1st and 9th.

Ask ticket agents for particulars, or write W. C. Brunson, H. J. Gray, D. P. A., Saginaw and Grand Rapids.

H. F. Mueller, G. P. A.

Rackache is never known to these persons who take an occasional dose of Pileules. The value of the resin obtained from the Pine tree has long been recognized in the treatment of diseases of the bladder and kidneys. One dose of Pileules will give relief, and one bottle will cure. Sold by Warne's Pharmacy.

Took First Premium at the World's Fair, St. Louis.

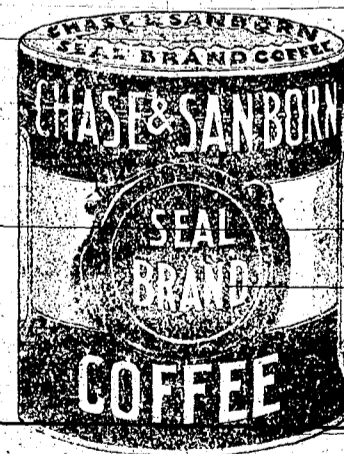


Not the cheapest but least expensive: It will last a life-time. Never need repairs.

STROEBEL BROS.

CARR'S GROCERY.

You don't knowingly put poor coal, the kind that won't burn, in your stove.



Don't put poor food, the kind that won't nourish, into your stomach.

I Sell Food That Feeds.

Perfect confidence is everything, and you can have perfect confidence in all you buy of me.

No ADULTERATED TEAS, SUGAR, FLOUR, FEEDS, ETC.

PURE GOODS ONLY.

I aim to please. Once a customer always a customer. My delivery service is prompt and reliable.

George Carr

East Jordan

Phone No. 2, two rings.

ORINO

Laxative Fruit Syrup

Cleanses the system thoroughly and clears sallow complexion of pimples and blotches. Guaranteed

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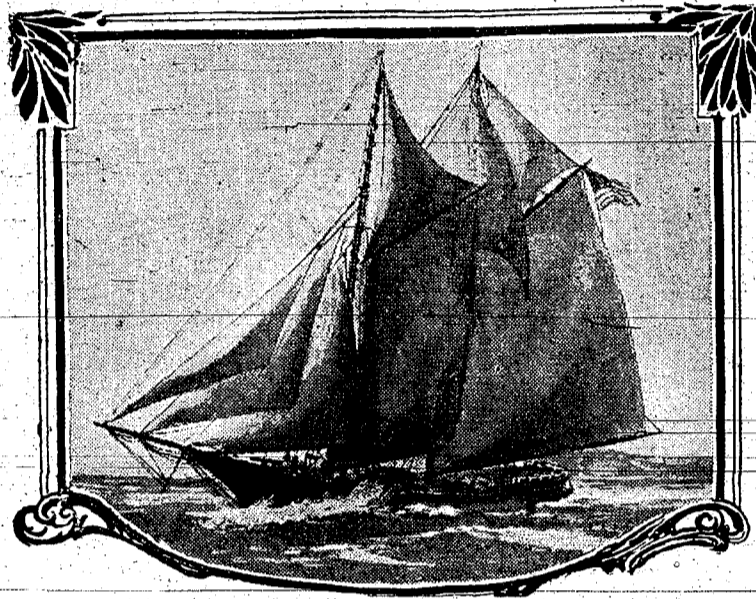
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LIKE A PIRATE OF OLD.

ALEXANDER MACLEAN ROAMED THE SEA IN SWIFT SCHOONER.

Accompanied by Thirty Reckless Buccaneers He Defied Governments and Gunboats—Now in Tolls of the Law.

There's never a law of God or man runs north of fifty-three. Captain Alexander MacLean, as bold a rover as ever lived during the privateering days when pirate ships lay waiting in the pathway of Spanish galleons, will roam the sea no more. That is, he will not sail the deep in that free-handed manner which made him the object of search by United States and British authorities. A few weeks ago, under an indictment for conspi-



THE PIRATE'S SCHOONER

racy in fitting his schooner Carmencita in violation of the sealing laws, he was arrested at Victoria, British Columbia. The Department of State received a telegram announcing the arrest of a crew made up of men said to be

"As choice a band of pirates and cut-throats as ever manned a pirate craft since the days of Captain Kidd." MacLean's home has ever been on the sea; he knows no life but that on the deep blue and he finds no enjoyment on shore. He has been a rover and not a freight carrier, and any dare-devil enterprise at sea that needed a strong arm could find an adherent in Captain MacLean, whether in search of pirate treasure, running a contraband cargo or illegally poaching for seals found him the man; he has had experience in all. MacLean's ship, the Carmencita, was formerly the Jenny Thelin, built in 1869, when speed and not carrying capacity was desired.

Poaching for Seals. What the rakish looking schooner did prior to 1894 had nothing to do with MacLean's operations, but it was alleged in April, 1904, that the schooner was chartered and outfitted for a poaching cruise among the rookeries of the far north. The Russo-Japanese war being then uppermost in the minds of the two nations concerned, it was considered by the poachers that they would



CAPT. ALEX. MACLEAN.

not be in a position to guard their interests, and a raid on the Russian seal islands was the real object of the cruise. Great Britain, Canada and the United States have an agreement to prevent pelagic sealing, so that apparently to protect the ship's owner from prosecution under either United States or British laws, the ship's name was changed to Carmencita and registry papers taken out in Mexico.

Thirty Devils at Beck and Call. On May 5 she headed for the northern islands, MacLean sitting at, thirty reckless dare-devils forward, and cases of repeating rifles and ammunition in the captain's cabin. She had cleared for Victoria for a cargo, but instead sailed for the little islands in the Bering Sea, where it was understood a new rookery was discovered.

Captain MacLean has had a varied experience with the authorities, not only on the Carmencita, but on other vessels of which he was master. At one time a revenue cutter annoyed him by demanding that his papers be sent on board for examination. Upon his refusal the revenue officers threatened to open fire on him.

Invoked the Stars and Stripes. MacLean hearing this, ordered one

of his men to "run up the flag." The Stars and Stripes were hoisted and "Big Alec," as he is known, yelled out, "Now fire and be d—d to you." The revenue cutter dipped its flag thrice and turned away. Several times this bold navigator has had set-toes with government authorities, but a short time ago the Carmencita made a raid on the copper islands and had a brush with the revenue patrol, one of the crew being wounded and sent to Seattle, Wash., for treatment.

The attention of Mexico having been called to the illegal acts of the Carmencita's crew, that government on November 1, 1904, cancelled the Mexican registry. With this taken away from him, MacLean had the name of the schooner changed to the Acapulco. It is understood that when he dropped into Drake Bay for supplies he had only 100 skins on board taken from the sealing preserves of the Arctic so that government officials have suspect-

ed that the great amount of money displayed on that occasion must have come elsewhere than from the fund derived from the sale of skins. The government agents believe that several men now under indictment in the West in connection with this poaching trip furnished the funds.

Always Eluded the Law. MacLean's movements were conducted so cleverly that he could never be held until now, he always made the technicalities of the law cover his operations, but the Department of Justice has been gathering evidence through the personal direction of Chief Wilkie of the Secret Service and it was this evidence that led to his indictment in San Francisco a short time ago. So now the piratical course of Captain Alexander MacLean seems at an end and the stern hand of the law holds him in its grip. It remains to be seen whether his luck will again serve him in good stead and enable him to sail away to the "great white silence" where the treasured furs-bearing animals are found, or whether the government's evidence will be strong enough to shackle him.

Japanese Dwarf Trees.

In Japan are some very remarkable trees. They are hundreds of years old and not a hundred inches high. The most marvelous collection is in Count Okuma's garden, near Tokio. Here are pine trees that started to grow in the seventeenth century, that at the dawn of the twentieth century are not too large to be carried in one hand, pot and all. Others, whose seed was planted about the time when Columbus sailed for America, are already outstripped by saplings planted year before last.

In another place is a grove of liliplum plum trees, gnarled and knotted and twisted by centuries of wind and weather, that are none of them too large to grace a dinner table, as they often do when in full bloom. More marvelous still, there are other little trees, probably planted in the early "sixties," that are still thriving (it is too much to say "growing") in a teacup, while others planted before Cleveland's last term in office have not outgrown a lady's thimble.

The Japanese are past masters in the art of dwarfing trees. They nip off the tree's roots and pinch its limbs and starve it with little soil and let it go thirsty and dry, but at the same time keep the breath of life in it, until it becomes the queerest travesty of a tree, a manikin vegetable, with the wrinkled face of an old man on the legs of a little boy. Infinite patience and skill and time are given in order to stunt and dwarf into these grotesque growths.

Will Wed for Love Only.

Princess Victoria of England, the only unmarried daughter of King Edward, declares that if she marries at all it will be for love. She is thirty-seven years old, and for twenty years has refused to consider every marriage proposal suggested by her father, the King.

"If I marry, it will be to the man of my choice," she is reported to have said. "Father, mother, and government shall not choose for me. I will love the man I marry, if I ever marry."

This bold declaration by the daughter of a king has shocked royal and aristocratic circles all over Europe, but it has been read with delight by the English people; and it appeals equally to Americans.

FREEDOM FOR RUSSIA.

UNDER CZAR'S RECENT MANIFESTO, LAST ABSOLUTE MONARCHY DISAPPEARS.

The New Empire Promises to Be a Regime of Constitutional Liberty and Representation—Victory of the People Widely Celebrated.

As an outcome of the tremendous agitation which has been shaking Russia to the very core, the Czar has surrendered and has granted rights which if consummated, will result in civil liberty. It seemed for a time as though the history of the French revolution would be repeated; that the aristocracy and the bureaucracy driving ahead in their arrogance and self esteem, would fail to recognize the overwhelming force of the volcano of public sentiment surrounding them, and by their refusal to recognize conditions, plunge the whole empire into civil war and anarchy. But the handwriting on the wall was recognized and the Czar compelled to practically capitulate his imperial throne. True, promises are thus, far more in evidence than fulfillment, but Count Witte has apparently been made the real Russian leader and much is hoped and expected in the way of a peaceful reform.

In old Russia, the Russia of last century, of last year, of last week, the Czar was all powerful. Russia was the last remaining absolute monarchy. The policies of the government were created and enforced by the Czar and his Grand Dukes.

Popular representation was a fragile promise. Free speech was under the ban; freedom of the press was unknown. Even all private mail was subject to censorship. The prisons were filled with political offenders. Imagine casting a man into a United States prison because his political acts were not relished by the government! A system of public espionage followed every man's move.

Old Russia was divided into two classes, the nobility and practical slaves. Education of the masses was worse than a farce.

What is promised for Russia? The abolition of the rule of the Romanoff House.

Freedom of speech guaranteed and freedom of person inviolable.

A limited monarchy similar to that of England with a guarantee of popular government, with a cabinet responsible to the people, and with suffrage made almost universal, and with provision for a representative parliament and for a general education system.

The right of habeas corpus recognized and the freedom of the press assured.

Following the Czar's imperial manifesto outlining the proposed regime of liberty, all Russia celebrated. In St. Petersburg and Moscow the day was one such as the Russians never before had seen. The Slav people, who during the long war just closed and the anxious period preceding the announcement of the new era of constitutionalism, seemed self restrained, gloomy and apathetic, gave themselves fully to the exuberance of the moment and spent the entire day in parades and assemblies which for the first time in the history of Russia were freely permitted.

It was stated as a significant omen that after a fortnight of gloomy and depressing weather, symbolic of the days of the great strike, the sun shone out brightly on the date of the Czar's manifesto, a bright and radiant Indian-summer day.

The Aromatic Havana.

Aprons of the real enjoyment of a cigar, the author of the newspaper correspondent, in that most fascinating story of "The Tallahasse Girl".

"If you will permit me, I will smoke," said he, taking out a curious cigar case of very fine workmanship.

"It does not even amount to a kindness on my part," she answered; "for I enjoy the fragrant sweet of a good cigar."

"Thank you, I can never fully appreciate an open air chat without the company of this Indian luxury. But really I am no great smoker. Two or three a day are all I take."

"You must be an exception. Papa smokes twenty pipes full a day, and most gentlemen are always indulging."

"Yes, they lose sight of the exquisite part of the thing which is a subtle pleasure coming only to those who use tobacco of the finest quality and sparingly."

"Sometimes I abstain for several days in order to get the full benefit of a slow burning Havana."

Huge Precious Stones.

Prior to the discovery of the South African diamond a few months ago, weighing in the neighborhood of a pound and a half, the largest perfect diamond in the world was that which was exhibited in Paris, having a value of one million dollars. This was the most valuable stone in the world; the largest and best ruby in existence is owned in London, and is valued at \$50,000. It has no parallel, even in the Crown Jewels, and it is related that it was once carried all the way to St. Petersburg for the Czar to have a look at. The largest and most beautiful cat's-eye in existence weighs one hundred and seventy carats and is insured for 30,000 roubles. The biggest emerald in the world weighs 2,080 carats, and is in the Imperial Jewel Office in Vienna.

The most costly church of its size, in America, is in the quaint old town of St. Augustine, Fla.

DRESS REFORM FOR WOMEN.

Advocate of Practical Walking and Working Garb—Relief From Heavy Skirts.

Dr. Cora Smith Eaton, of Minneapolis, Minn., believes that many of the aches and ills from which women suffer are the direct result of the clothes they wear. She says that in her professional capacity she tries to impress upon her women patients the need of dress reform. "Not the old time hideous bloomer costume of years ago," laughed the doctor, "but a rational, sensible and beautiful adaptation of our clothes to our needs."

"And what are our needs," was asked.

"Normal, unrestricted movement; a



DR. CORA SMITH EATON.

freedom from confining bands; and relief from heavy skirts."

Dr. Eaton puts to practical test her ideas on the subject. The weight of all garments she wears is from the shoulders. Her gowns are made in one piece—a little on the Princess

Shoshone Canyon Scenes.

Capt. Jeremiah Ahern.



order, though really a modification of the Empire.

It is a delight to watch the doctor move about in her brisk, energetic way. Her body, sensibly clothed, and beautifully poised, with that fine, straight line beloved of physical culturists, from the head to the heels, is responsive to the many demands of her busy life. It would be impossible for her to accomplish her work, she says, hampered by the usual style of dress.

Favorite Among Cigar Markets.

Bismarck used to boast that in his fifty years he had smoked over 100,000 cigars. In later years he was seldom without his immense meerschaum,

HUGE IRRIGATION DAM.

ROCK BARRAGE ACROSS NARROW CANYON IN MOUNTAINS OF WYOMING.

Government Works Will Store Flood Waters For Fertilization of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Desert Acres.

A quarter of a century ago the home of the buffalo, and later a cattle and sheep pasture, with an occasional ranch house, the Big Horn Basin in Wyoming is now the scene of a great activity incident to the building of one of the largest of the government irrigation works. Some years ago Colonel Cody, better known as Buffalo Bill, made a survey of the Shoshone canyon, and in connection with General Miles, projected a company to construct a dam and irrigate some 60,000 acres. The necessary capital however was not forthcoming and when the national irrigation law was passed, the government took up the proposition, and a large party of engineers has since been employed on the preliminaries of a great work of desert reclamation.

The Shoshone River dashes down a narrow canyon, with jagged and perpendicular walls, and at its narrowest point the government has begun the construction of the highest dam ever built. It will cement together the two canyon walls for 240 feet above the stream bed, and its foundation will go below the water line 80 feet additional, down to the solid bed rock. The stream, where it passes between these granite canyon walls, is but 65 feet wide, and the dam will form a great lake of 5,000 acres, with a watershed of 1,250 square miles, and storing enough water to irrigate 150,000 acres through seven miles of 14-foot tunnels bored in the solid rock.

Little Chance For Land Grabbing.

This will cost about \$25 an acre to be paid back to the government by settlers, under the business-like provisions of the irrigation law. The land flood and then boiling over great rocks itself is free under the homestead act, and has been reserved by Secretary Hitchcock from entry under the Desert and other land laws not requiring actual residence and home-building.

Few such picturesque and wild beautiful scenes can be found as this Shoshone canyon. The river is a succession of foaming, rushing rapids, the water coursing along in a deep green flood, and then boiling over great rocks and boulders in a white surge. Only for a few hours each day can the sun find its way to the bottom of this deeply-cut gorge, the mountain sides towering into the clouds two and three thousand feet. From above, the dam site as one looks down at the engineers working on the foundations, directly underneath, they appear like mimic men.

Giant Forces of Nature.

This Shoshone canyon and its surrounding mountains, are one of

prosperous homes for themselves and families, and raise an annual product of a couple or three million dollars.

In the canyon proper, the great forces of nature have wrought wonderfully. Enormous granite boulders have detached themselves from the mountains and rolled down thousands of feet, crashing their hundreds and thousands of tons into the rocky gorge. Here the river continually plays upon them, searching out the seams and splitting them up, and wearing them away and polishing them smooth.

The Rock Pile of the World.

In the canyon's middle, below the dam site, the jungle of rocks in the narrow river bed appears as though a thousand blasts of giant powder had rent the mountain sides and tumbled every rugged projection into the depths below. There is no dirt or sand in this river bed; everything is rock. The imperishable granite, gray, pink, and vau-colored, oldest of the geological formations, made by the welding of various substances when the globe was a molten mass; the later limestones and black volcanic rocks, conglomerates also melted by great heat, the hard red sandstone and its white and brown contemporaries, formed from the grindings of other rocks subjected to enormous pressure, and lastly the geyserites and sulphur rocks, soft and honeycombed, the result of ceaseless spoutings of steam and hot water from the earth's bowels—all are found in wonderful profusion.

Below the canyon where the river runs more peacefully, all these formations are represented in the huge beds of cobble stones and smaller boulders over which the water plays. The cobblestones were themselves once jagged rocks, detached by wind, water, frost and sun from their mountain bases, and rolled and ground by river force



MAKING A CANYON ROADWAY.

until all their sharp corners have been worn and polished away.

A Giant Fire Cracker.

Watching the government engineers cutting a road along the side of the canyon for the transportation of supplies to build the dam—60,000 barrels of cement alone will be needed—the writer observed the explosion of a big charge of dynamite, which burst with a roar, echoing up and down the canyon with deafening reverberations. Immediately an oblong granite rock of some 150 tons weight was torn from its base and hurled down into the river a hundred feet below. Shatters of rock flew in all directions, and a great splash of water rose like a geyser out of the black depths of the canyon.

Yet this huge block of granite was but a baby addition to the family of boulders which had been detached by more giant forces of nature, and thrown into the river bed. A few hours before we had crawled directly under this rock in our canyon "exploration." Returning, we were fain to accept the assistance of one of the road builders in getting across this place, looking down the while into the river boiling below among the rocks.

The engineering credit for this great project with its great dam, its enormous spillways, its mountain road building and its miles of canals and huge tunnels bored through the solid rock is due to Jeremiah Ahern, a government district engineer who, almost cut off from the outside world, has taken up his residence for several years in this wild canyon, once a fastness of the Shoshone Indians.

The Government Irrigation Program.

What does all this great irrigation work of the government throughout the west signify? Simply that the nation has decided to use the money derived from the sale of western public lands to make its desert soil of value, and furnish many home-building opportunities. It means that many men will find employment in the construction of dams and canals in every western community, and that finally, as the works are completed, one by one, new farm homes will be established, adding to the nation's wealth and balancing our population now inclined cityward.

For a thousand years longer this splendid dam site would likely stand idle before private capital would develop it to its magnificent full capacity, for the difficulties in the way of the engineers are many and unknown; but the government will meet all obstacles and overcome them, and finally turn over to a thousand farmers a perfect job of engineering, comparable to the great works of the Peruvian Incas, the Egyptian Rameses or the British engineers of India—an enduring monument for all time to the wisdom of the present generation of America.

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FITZHUGH LEE'S ESCAPE.

BULLET FROM REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS' MUSKET PLOUGHED THROUGH HIS HAT.

Thrilling Occurrence of the Civil War—Confederates Made Three Desperate Charges in Blinding Midnight Thunder Storm.

W. M. Wooster.

One warm summer evening in 1895, I sat smoking with Judge Jenkins, of Wisconsin, who is now ably representing his State in Congress.

We were watching the oncoming of a heavy thunder storm, and the conversation had turned, as it often did, to the time of his youth when he entered the Union army and was, by the stirring events of the war, transformed into the fearless, iron-muscle that has since characterized him.

"It was just such an evening in the summer of '62," he remarked, "that I nearly killed Fitzhugh Lee."

"We were down in Virginia, and I was in charge of an ammunition train which was on its way to McClellan's army."

We had been halted by a brief order from headquarters, and directed to remain where we were—near a little village about thirty miles south of Washington.

"No reason was given for the delay, though some of the boys thought it was for the purpose of enabling an escort of cavalry to join us. Others said they guessed 'Mac' didn't have any further use for powder. However, we were mighty glad to go into camp, as many of the raw men were about 'bushed' by the long and hot marching, besides it gave us opportunity to forage and get better rations than hard-tack and maggoty bacon—so lively that it followed us around camp."

"We pitched our tents in an open field, a short distance to the east of a high road which stretched away toward home. About a quarter of a mile to the south was a thick piece of timber."

The Old Pie Woman.

"The third day we were in camp a woman came through selling pies. We thought nothing of her visit, other than that her pies were home-made and tasted awfully good."

"It was just such a day as this," continued the Judge, "and in the afternoon the heat became very oppressive. As the evening wore on we observed thunderheads piling up in the southwest, and the boys prophesied that we would have a break in the hot spell."

"I became uneasy as the night wore on, and walked about the camp watching the flashes of distant lightning and the dark masses of drifting clouds which seemed to be flanking us on the north."



GEN. FITZHUGH LEE.

I realized that the open field offered the more safety for the ammunition in case of severe lightning. Still an unaccountable sense of impending danger possessed me; and, acting upon what appeared to be a foolish impulse, I ordered the boys to move all of the ammunition into the timber just below the camp. This was done without lights, and the tents and other equipment were allowed to stand where they were. Camp fires were lighted as usual.

"The more I thought of the pie-woman, the more suspicious it made me; and feeling ill at ease, I spoke to some of the boys about her visit. They joked about it and suggested that her pie had given me indigestion."

"Why, my orderly said, there ain't a Johnnie reb nowhere around here. They're all down there with 'Mac' keepin' him busy."

"That's all right," said another, "but why were we halted here, if there's no danger?"

Doubled the Pickets.

"No one volunteered an answer to his question, and I decided it would be wise to double the pickets."

The men who were detailed for the extra duty grumbled some, and as they started for their posts one 'guessed' we were afraid the storm was 'going to charge us.' Another was sure the 'Cap'n' was afraid of his shadow after dark begins."

"About ten o'clock word was brought that the pickets on the west had observed a small force of cavalry, but thought they were Union men."

"An hour later a force of two or three squadrons was reported passing some distance to the south of our position and going in a westerly direction. Again, the pickets were not positive but thought they were our cavalry."

"The expected storm seemed to have passed off to the north, though the staggering half-moon showed the southwestern quadrant still dark and threatening."

"The camp had settled down for the night, but I was uneasy, and sat near my tent trying to persuade myself that the reported cavalry was the supposed escort which had missed the road to our camp and would probably pick us up in the morning. However, I did not feel reassured, and walked over to the post covering the road to the west."

"Scarcely had I reached the picket when we heard the tread of a horse walking slowly up the road."

"Don't challenge," I whispered,

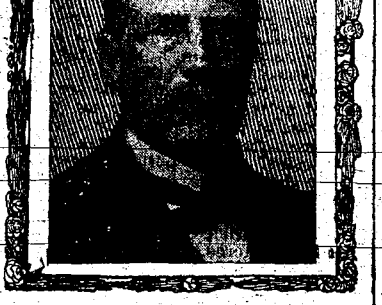
"We'll take him if it's a Johnnie." "We stepped into the deeper shadows, and soon a mounted Confederate officer emerged from the dark bend of the road, and was silhouetted against the sky. In a moment or two he reached the point commanding a view of our camp, drew rein and sat not fifty feet away, peering toward us."

"I cautiously took the picket's rifle, and we sprang out into full view. The officer started as he saw us, and wheeled his horse to escape."

"Halt," I cried, and as he dashed on with a quick aim, I pulled the trigger. Simultaneously with the report, the picket struck up the gun, exclaiming, "My God, Cap'n, you're shooting one of our men!"

Bullet Ploughed Through Hat.

"I saw the officer's hat twitch sharply as the heavy bullet tore through it. For an instant he swayed as though



HON. JOHN J. JENKINS

hit, then spurred up the road before I could reload. The quick blow of the picket had saved his life.

"With the sound of his galloping horse, we heard shots on the north, and soon afterwards our pickets were driven in by a force of the enemy's cavalry."

"The camp was hurriedly aroused, and our boys were ready for the attack. Bayonets were fixed. The men were ordered to reserve their fire until the horses were almost on them."

"It had become very dark, and from the flash of the lightning we saw that the expected storm was at last upon us. In a few minutes it broke over us in all its fury, and as it did so the enemy charged, yelling like devils. On they came, riding as mad, and led by the very officer I had so narrowly missed. I recognized him instantly."

The Midnight Charge.

"We held our fire until they were almost on top of us, and then along the whole front of our triple line, blazed our guns full in their faces."

"The crash was terrific. Troopers staggered and went down with their riders. The others broke in confusion and dashed wildly past our ranks."

"It was worse than nightmare—the torrents of rain, the total darkness, intensified by the crashing, blinding lightning, and the cursing, yelling troopers charging along over us."

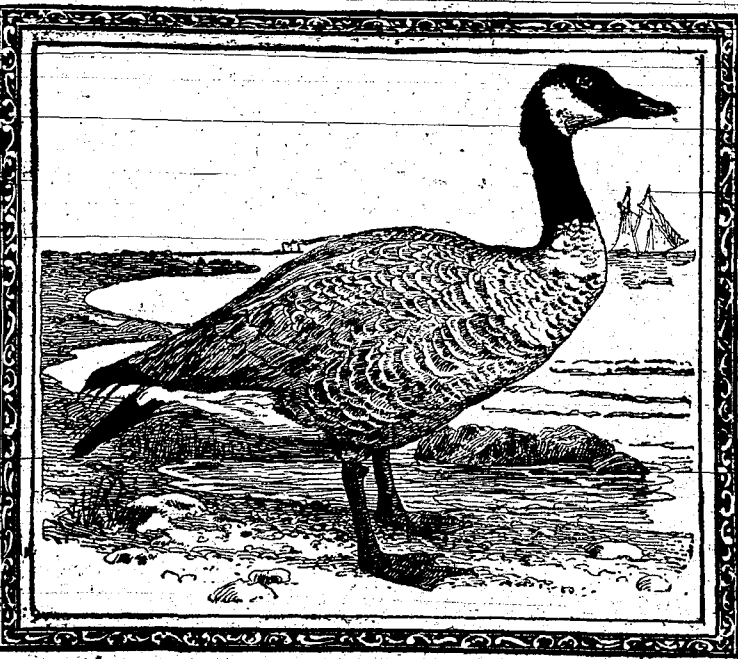
"The flashes showed us the killed and wounded strewn along our front, and I took a dismounted captain prisoner."

"Three times they charged us that night, and as many times were driven off. The last time retreating southward."

"When the morning came, we buried our killed side by side with the Confederate dead."

"My prisoner told me that the charge was led by Fitzhugh Lee in person and then I knew who it was that I so nearly killed with the picket's rifle."

"Do you know," said the Judge after a long silence, as he withdrew to the house to avoid the heavy gusts of rain, "I've always been thankful to that mistaken picket."



The Canada Goose.

With the cry of "honk, honk" like the warning of an automobile horn, the hunter is warned of the approach of the leader of a flying flock of Canadian geese. On come the long-necked wild fowl from their northern hunting ground. They stream across the sky much in the form of the flying wedge formerly used in football tactics. Gradually the wedge closes together, making a homogeneous mass of black and brown, with sprinklings of white. Usually the Canadian geese stop flying about sunset, feeding on eel-grass, sedges, roots of water plants, and occasionally on small fish and insects. Even at times they will eat the corn, wheat or other grains dropped by the farmer in the stubble. Supper over they return to the water, sleeping with heads tucked under wings, waiting only to start out again in search of breakfast. These two large birds get into one another's way, so that the marksman has excellent opportunity to bag a brace. With the typical "honk, honk" they rise against the wind until they are once more in orderly array, the wedges flying on to other parts.

And yet, notwithstanding their wild nature, Canadian geese are often domesticated and crossed with the common barnyard goose. Sometimes wounded birds are allowed to run with the domesticated birds, until some migratory flock passes over the head with its cry of "honk, honk." The call of the wild is on again and the nursed bird once more in a state of health, rejoins his companions. A wounded bird is often known to dive beneath the water's surface, exposing only its nostrils, until all danger has passed. Surprised, a flock rises suddenly and apparently in great confusion, the large birds get into one another's way, so that the marksman has excellent opportunity to bag a brace. With the typical "honk, honk" they rise against the wind until they are once more in orderly array, the wedges flying on to other parts.

THE POWER OF SONG.

AN INCIDENT OF LIFE IN LIBBY PRISON DURING THE CIVIL WAR.

How the Prisoners Sang the "Star Spangled Banner," and There was Chattering in the Streets of Richmond.

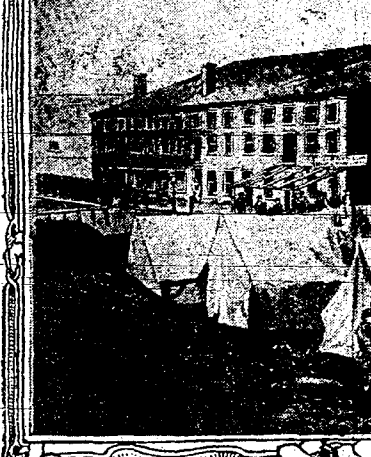
Taken prisoner while in charge of the rear guard, on Stoneman's first raid, near Richmond, Va., relates an old captain of the cavalry, and after various adventures, I, with 2,600 of the prisoners taken at Chancellorsville, was sent to Libby prison. The large excess of prisoners on the Confederate side procured us, most fortunately, an exchange in a very short time, and within a month or so I participated in another raid under Colonel Spear of the 11th Pennsylvania Cavalry over the same ground where I had been lately led a prisoner of war.

We had passed but one Sunday in Libby—83 officers confined to an upmost story. About the middle of that afternoon I changed to look around the room. A half-dozen parties were playing cards, many were sleeping, several were lying on the floor pretty sick, while one squad of a dozen or more had organized a prayer meeting. Not being a saint and perhaps not much of a sinner, I was simply a "looker on in Venice." The leader was a captain of a Massachusetts regiment. The meeting was evidently dragging, the great heat and perhaps hunger and our position not proving conducive to much thanksgiving.

The National Anthem.

Suddenly the captain started up, and taking his place near the centre of the room, exclaimed in a voice loud enough to attract immediate attention, "Let us all sing 'The Star Spangled Banner.'" and commenced in an exceptionally fine baritone, "Oh, say, can you see?"

Cards were dashed aside, the sleepers awoke, the sick leaped to their feet, and like magic every one of the entire 83-officers crowded to the centre, singing with the greatest enthusiasm. At least two dozen of the men had fine voices, and never did the grand old words seem so like a mighty anthem.



LIBBY PRISON, RICHMOND, AS IT LOOKED DURING THE WAR.

That the American negro is gradually becoming yellow.

That Columbus was a grafter.

That George Washington liked onions and tripe.

That John D. Rockefeller is a greater man than Shakespeare.

That the Junebug has seven stomachs.

That Arabia produces more bullfrogs than Bulgaria.

That marriage is a form of insanity.

It will take the world a generation to ponder over the few propositions here mentioned. The countless others promulgated by the Chicago savants would keep a thousand scientists busy, even if they worked day and night, in three shifts, for fifty years.

Certainly, Mr. Rockefeller's money is being well spent. The fact that the public laughs at the oil-born professors and regards them as low comedians is of no significance. The world, it will be remembered, laughed at Copernicus, Galileo and Sub-Lieut. Napoleon Bonaparte.

FORTUNES FOR BALL PLAYERS.

Friendly Rivalry in the Two Great Leagues.

The great baseball battle which occurred a short time ago between the pennant winners of the National and American Leagues for the season's playing rights to mind that it was but a few years ago that these two rival baseball associations were clashing tooth and nail in a deadly war of extermination and survival. It was then that the American League, under the leadership of Ban Johnson, made inroads into the ranks of the National League, capturing its star players and enlisting them in its cause through a rainbow of big salaries. Rival teams were placed in Chicago, St. Louis, Boston, New York and Philadelphia, and princely salaries offered to the players of ability. There were, of course, suits at law, and injunctions were sought restraining the contract jumpers. One particular instance of this is remembered in the case of Lajoie, Delehanty, Wolverton, Orth and Townsend, one-time members of the Philadelphia Nationals, who jumped to the rival team in that city. When injunctions were secured preventing their playing in the Quaker town, they were transferred to the Cleveland and Washington teams. The injunction, of course, prevented their playing in Philadelphia, and when occasion required that their team should go through that city, these players were always switched over on an-

other train which circuit through New Jersey.

Now all is peace and harmony between the two organizations; they have adopted a set of rules regulating the players in each, and schedules are prepared each spring, which will provide for as few conflicting dates as possible. New York and Philadelphia in October were the scenes of notable battles for supremacy between the teams representing these cities, that of New York having won the banner in the National and Philadelphia's that in the American League.

Veritable cheers they were. Cheers, streamed down the veterans' cheeks, the boys in the room below took up the shouts, and three times three were given.

Hearing some cheering on the outside, I moved cautiously near the window—it was dangerous to go too near—and saw all the guards in line with their muskets pointed toward the building, but, massed up and down the streets, were hundreds upon hundreds of people, four-fifths of them women, clapping their hands and waving their handkerchiefs, showing by their approval a most remarkable tribute to the power of song, and that love for Old Glory still held a warm place in their hearts and memories.

SOME GREAT DISCOVERIES.

The Chicago University Scores Some Important Achievements.

Almost every day one of the professors of the University of Chicago, the financial machinery of which is oiled by John D. Rockefeller, breaks into print with some new discovery. They keep the world startled and wondering.

During the past few years, for instance, the following epoch-making discoveries, among a host of others, have been listed by a Buffalo newspaper as Chicago University discoveries:

That kissing causes lockjaw.

That a dog never follows an uneducated man.

That the Pennsylvanians are turning into Indians.

That Ireland was once a lake.

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That a cabbage contains more nourishment than twelve eggs.

That Bocaccio was a Swede.

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"CHRISTY" MATHEWSON, The star pitcher of the New York "Giants"—the pivotal man upon whom turned the world's championship.

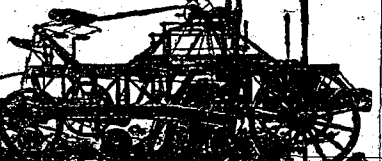
In accordance with an agreement made before the playing of the world's championship series, 60 per cent. of the gate receipts from the first four games played was divided among the players, 75 per cent. of this going to the winners, the New York Giants, and the remaining 25 per cent. to the losers, the Athletics. This netted each individual on the former team nearly \$1,200 and approximately \$500 to each of the latter.

In addition to this the management of the Philadelphia aggregation has divided among its players its share of the gate receipts—nearly \$9,000—as a reward for winning the pennant in the American League.

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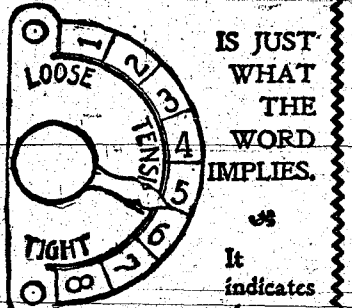
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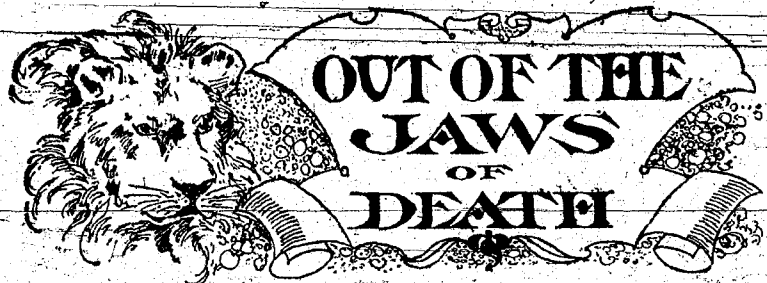
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It mattered not that the runaway was second hand, and purchased at auction, though at a ridiculously low price. It mattered not that I had but nine-horse power while Fred Wilson, in his fine new touring car, had forty. I was as happy as a king, for my new possession set aside, to some extent, at least, Fred's advantage over me in the attack upon Miss Steadman's heart. He had been taking her riding on the Beach Drive, and I had ground my teeth with futile jealousy, until along came my wonderful opportunity. I bought the machine, though it was really beyond my means. I simply couldn't help it. When a man is in love, you know, he is all kinds of a fool.

And didn't my breast swell with pride when I whirled up to Alice's house that evening, the second after my purchase, to take her in the moonlight along that magnificent five-mile stretch of perfect road? I had made up my mind to tell her that night all that had been in my heart for so many apprehensive hours—that I loved her, that I wanted her for my very own—in fact, that she was the only girl in all the world for me.

Oh, it is glorious to sit by the girl you love and spin through the night in a silent, smooth-running machine. I drank in the full joy of it. A dozen times I was on the point of speaking. I had been practicing steadily at the steering, endeavoring to be able to manage the machine with one hand, in order to have the other free for Alice's waist. I pictured it all out—how she would listen in silence, then look at me with sparkling eyes and let her pretty head fall on my shoulder; and how I would then put my arm around her, very tenderly, and draw her close and kiss her, and it did not turn out that way at

I was going to say 'precious head,' but my mouth became suddenly dry and my heart made violent leaps. I was stage-struck—love-frightened. I had a sort of back-ache. I took courage and found my tongue. "Alice," I said gently, placing my disengaged hand on her own, "I want to tell you something that has—has been—has been on my mind for—"

I think she understood what was coming, but I got no further. In the darkness, at the roadside, a huge black bulk loomed, like an enormous dog. A sudden terror shot through me. The machine swerved sharply, and I was compelled to use both hands to steady it. I turned up the speed a trifle, and then instinctively looked behind. A glance was enough. The bulk had moved out into the road and was directly behind us. What could it be? A dog? A—my heart sank. I thought of the chorus of unusual howls and roars heard shortly before. I looked back again. There was no doubt about it, behind us, loping easily with tail switching in grace, came a huge male lion. I recognized the great shaggy head. It had escaped from the Zoo, and was probably mad with fright from the attempts of the keepers to capture it.

A little faster, and still a little faster. I did not want to turn on full speed at once. Alice, might understand. Probably we could slip away from the pursuer, and run into town without her knowing the risk. But as I turned my head a few hundred yards further I saw that my speed was of no avail. The lion was just as close as before, bounding like a giant cat, as easily and as quietly as a phantom.

But you can not keep a secret from a woman. Alice turned her eyes to

made a prodigious leap, and had we been a trifle less swift would have landed on top of us. But we shot from under it, and as he descended one great paw swept over the seatback and wiped off half of the leather covering. God, those claws and their power. Another jump and we would be done for.

The automobile in front was now almost upon us. The deep-toned horn sounded a warning. At that instant I decided on a new course. We were approaching a road crossing. Taking the handle firmly I swerved sharply across the track, just grazing the big car in front, and darted down the side road. But I had miscalculated, or my hand was unsteady. The next moment we crashed into the bushes at the side of the road and came to a short stop in the midst of a dense clump of laurel. I crouched and awaited the descent of the lion. I could feel him in the air behind me. I waited with a prayer on my lips.

Instead I heard confusion out on the Wood Road. There were loud voices. The machine was at a stop, for I could see the lights through the trees. Alice was in a dead faint, and seeing that I could not help her at that moment and that the beast had disappeared I jumped out and ran to the roadside. There stood Fred Wilson's big touring car, with the front smashed in; there stood Fred and his three companions; and there, in the middle of the road, lay the lion. My plan was successful. Following us closely he had no time to dodge the heavy car. He met it head on. There could be only one result.

My runaway was not hurt, and after a time, with Alice beside me, recovered, though tremulous, we rode slowly home. The supper was abandoned. But in the quiet of Alice's dainty parlor, with no fear of pursuers or intruders, I went on with my interrupted story. And later, with both arms around her, and her dear face very close to mine, we planned our honeymoon.

Delightful—For the Guests.

There were many visitors that summer at his suburban home. He was a suburban club-drawing, the large monthly stipend of a hundred dollars, but of course the guests were not cognizant of the extent of his income, nor did that question appear to enter their minds.

He was anxious to do everything in reason to make life in the country endurable to his wife who hated house-keeping under the best of circumstances, especially in the country, while the breath of fresh air and communion with nature were proving his salvation from exhaustive daily brain work, by which the current funds were supplied.

So he made these guests welcome in every way, giving up his room at times, changing his former easy habits, (but not his best clothes, as had been his wont when he reached home an evening, returning company calls and thereby neglecting necessary work on his part, et cetera. Of course there were many extra expenses. A drive now and then, extra servant hire, the greatly increased cost of the table, the milk bill, the butcher's bill, the bill for fuel and the general wastage, all of which would have been of small moment to a man with a large income, but were to him very disconcerting, as weeks passed by and the guests made no sign of departure.

But all things must come to an end, and as the cooler days and evenings of autumn arrived they said, "But indeed, we surely must return to the city. We have staid months where we expected to remain weeks."

And so they gave their host a formal handshake and a perfunctory good-bye while they kissed and embraced the hostess and to her said: "Never have we been more charmingly entertained; you have done everything in your power to make this a summer long to be remembered."

And the poor clerk returned to his desk and work, the house resumed its normal condition, but as each pay day rolled around he added his debits and his credits, only to find that extra hundred dollars persistently remaining on the wrong side of the ledger.

Whether it is ample compensation for him to hear, when he occasionally meets one of his summer friends, of "the charming hospitality shown by his wife," is known only to himself. Doubtless, so, since husband and wife are one.

Uncomfortable English Hotels.

W. D. Howells, in Harper's.

With the aid of the two candles which I lighted I discovered the grate in the wall near the head of the bed, and on examining it closely I perceived that there was a fire in it. The grate would have held quite a double handful of coal if I carefully put on the fire which seemed to be flickering so feebly but yet the weary effort to draw all the warmth of the chamber to the chimney, and I stood shivering in the temperature of a subterranean dungeon. The place instantly gave evidence of being haunted, and the testimony of my nerves on this point was corroborated by the spectral play of the firelight on the ceiling when I blew out my candles. In the middle of the night I woke to the sense of something creeping with a rustling noise over the floor. I rejected the hypothesis of my bed curtain falling into place, though I remembered putting it back that I might have had to read myself drowsy. I knew at once that it was a ghost walking the night there, and walking hard. Suddenly it ceased, and I knew why—it had been frozen out.

Has Many Diseases.

In Bellevue Hospital, in New York, there is a man who should be the object of everyone's sympathy. His name is Job Keeley and his occupation is that of a painter. A short time ago he fell from a low scaffold and sustained such injuries as necessitated his being taken to the hospital for treatment. There the surgeon found that he had a slight fracture of the base of the skull. After a further examination it was found that he had tuberculosis of the lungs complicated with bronchitis. His occupation as a painter had given him painter's colic. He is not a young man and his age had hardened his arteries—arteriosclerosis—also old man's eyes—presbyopia—the opposite of nearsightedness; he also has water on the brain and his skin is puffed up by air which has escaped under it.

The oldest applejack distillery in the United States is at Warwick, N. J. The worm still in use was brought from England before the Revolutionary war.

QUEER DANISH SITUATION.

European and Diplomatic Gossip.

The late Lord Stanley, of Alderley, England, entertained absolutely fantastic hatred towards everything American. Some few years ago the American Society in London was holding its annual dinner on Independence Day, and invited Lord Stanley to the feast. His reply, typical of his dislike of everything American, was: "Lord Stanley presents his compliments to the secretary of the American Society, but can not conceive why he should have been asked to a banquet to celebrate an unatoned rebellion."

Countess Raben Levetzau, wife of the Danish Minister for Foreign Affairs, is American born, as is her mother, wife of the Danish Minister at Berlin. By the bye so much has been said about the personal popularity of King Christian of Denmark, that most people will probably be surprised to learn that for twenty years, until not many years ago, there has been a deadlock between the veteran monarch and the national legislature. The Liberals have continuously held a majority in the



KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK.

Folkething, the Danish House of Commons, but the King has insisted on choosing his cabinet ministers from the other party, the Conservatives.

The representatives of the minority have conducted the routine business of the government, but whenever they have had to ask the Folkething for special funds, that body, which controls the official purse, has thwarted them. The royal residence in Copenhagen, the old palace of Christiansborg, was destroyed by fire in 1853, and the legislature had been so bitter that money had never been appropriated to restore it. For almost twenty years King Christian lived in comparatively small and shabby quarters at the Amalensborg palace until finally the long-standing dispute was ended by the King's recognition of the majority party.

It may not be surprising that the expatriated William Waldorf Astor should claim for the first American Astor and inferentially, of course, for himself, an ancient and distinguished lineage. The distinguished ancestor to whom his descent is traced is Don Pedro d'Astorga, a Spanish grandee of the eleventh century, who settled in France, where his successors—a long line of "signeurs and marquises—changed their name to Astorg. At the revocation of the Edict of Nantes, Jean Jacques d'Astorg, who was a Huguenot, fled across the Rhine; Johann Jacob Astor, the Waldorf butcher, was his grandson. This information will, no doubt, be of interest to American antiquarians. It is well known that John Jacob Astor came to this country an almost penniless immigrant, hailing from the village of Waldorf in Baden. His descendant of today speaks of him as a "peasant" but as a matter of fact he was the son of the village butcher, and began his career by working in his father's shop—a fact which it is not recorded that he ever sought to conceal.

King Leopold of Belgium has conferred upon Mrs. Ellen M. Herrold, vice-president and acting president of the Woman's Auxiliary Congress of the World's Columbian Exposition, the order of the Knighthood of Leopold. It is believed that Mrs. Herrold is the only woman in this country who has received this decoration. She was at one time national president of the Federation of Women's Clubs, and is prominent in society. She is the wife of Charles Herrold, Belgian Consul in Chicago. The Order of Leopold was founded in 1832 by Leopold I; there are five classes.

In selecting a wife, Serge de Witte the great Russian statesman, chose a Jewess, one of the race which has been treated so cruelly in his country. Mme. de Witte was formerly the wife of a subordinate official, but she secured a divorce and has been very happy in her second marriage in spite of the fact that she has never been received at court. She also has been ignored by the leading society women of St. Petersburg, notwithstanding the high positions her husband has held.

Van Calava.

THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH.

(From the Automobile Advocate.)

Under the spreading chestnut trees the village smithy stands. The smith, a lordly man is he, with vast and fertile lands. No more his brawny back he bends beneath the horse's weight; No more his ringing sledge he swings in giant strength elate. No more his face is covered o'er with blazing forge's smut. Nor beaded with his honest sweat, its channels there to cut. Above the street he sits at ease before the wayside inn. And jingles in his broadcloth pants his stacks of easy tin. For wise was he within his day and seized the chance that came. By charging fourteen prices when the motor cars went lame.

Chinese the First Paper Makers.

The first real paper was made by the Chinese. The papyrus of the Greeks, Romans and Egyptians was not paper at all, but simply the piths of the inner of a plant cut into strips, placed side by side and across each other and pressed into a sheet.



HE HAD MADE A PRODIGIOUS LEAP.

all. It seldom does turn out just as you plan it.

"We will go clear to the end of the Beach Drive," I said, as we slipped away down Main street and turned into the Boulevard. "Then we will come back by the Wood Road, skirting the Zoo and ending up at Alphonse's for a little supper. How will you like that?" And she smiled up at me so appreciatively that I felt perfectly sure, for full half a minute, that she was just as much in love with me as I with her.

It was open on the Drive, and there was such a stream of automobiles and carriages that I deferred speaking to her of my secret. It would be better in the seclusion of the Wood Road. So we talked generally, and looked out over the water at the vessels in the Sound, and admired the beauty of the glorious moonlight on the dancing waves. Then, at the end of the beautiful path along the water we turned abruptly and entered the quiet and seclusion of the great pine woods. The road was rather narrow here, and wound intricately through the forest for several miles, emerging upon a broad plaza at the front entrance of the Zoo. This road was not much frequented at night, and I felt that I would have ample opportunity to express myself. I trembled inwardly. The time was very near. I must speak soon.

It was very quiet in the woods. At intervals we could hear faintly the baying and howling of the animals in the Zoo. Occasionally an elephant trumpeted, or a jaguar screamed. We were used to these sounds, but Alice was just a little frightened when there came a perfect babel of sounds from the enclosure. She drew closer to me, and, relying on my skills, took my left hand from the steering bar and slipped it gently behind her, though I dared not take the liberty of embracing her. She looked up at me in some alarm. "Suppose one of those terrible beasts should get out and come after us?" she asked timidly. I laughed at her fears. "Why it would be easy to run away with this machine," I said. "And anyhow you don't suppose I would let anything harm a single hair of your, your—"

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A TALK WITH SECRETARY WILSON.

GUY ELLIOTT MITCHELL

Secretary Wilson, as the official head of the great family of American farmers, views with some considerable satisfaction the abundant crops which have blessed almost every section of the country.

"The harvests have been heavy," he said, "and the farmers will make more money than in an average year. The prices on farm products will be lower, but the crops will bring the farmers, nevertheless, more money. Living should be cheaper, too. The hay and grain crops have been enormous—probably record breakers—and meat as a result should be more plentiful and cheaper. I say it should be. The producer and consumer are so far apart, and so much goes on in between these two principals that it is difficult to say just to what extent production

send our hogs abroad and are eating more mutton, veal and beef."

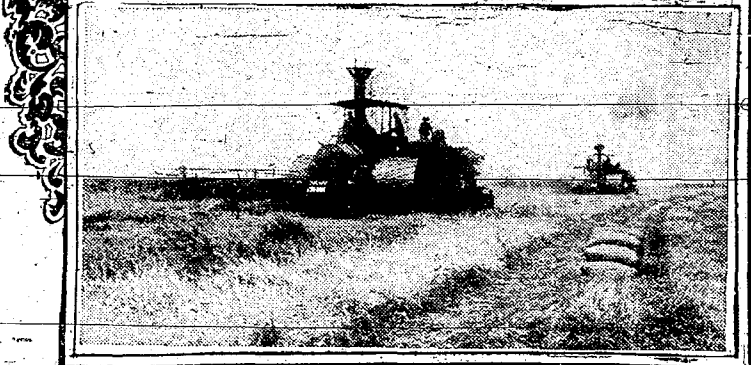
"The present condition and the future outlook for the American farmer is a good one then, Mr. Secretary?"

"Yes, things certainly look well, generally; yet I believe we are very near to a sort of agricultural crisis—hardly a crisis perhaps, but an important and radical change. The farm hands everywhere are leaving the farm for the factories. Wherever there is any manufacturing you will find this to be the case.

"The farmer has pretty nearly reached his limit. He is doing about all he can do with his hands and with the most improved labor-saving farm machinery worked by good horses. This bad condition on the farm is going to affect production and prices, and that



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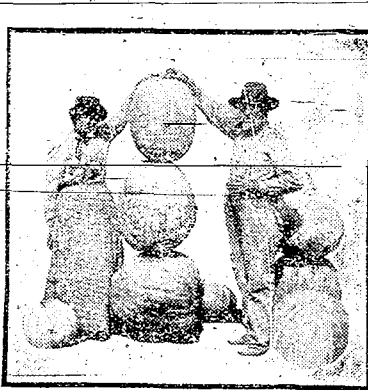
affects the cost of actual consumption. A great deal goes to the middleman; too much, I believe. It is a long and devious pathway from the farmer to the man who eats the things which he has grown. I gave out a statement here the other day intimating that the local Washington dealers were charging in certain instances too much, and a dealer came at me with a wrathful assertion to the effect that I did not know what I was talking about and that he made a profit of only forty per cent.

very shortly. It is impossible to say just what the effect will be, but a change is coming. The farmer must have labor, but with the prices of farm products as they are now, he can not meet the wages offered by the factories; therefore the farm hands are gradually shifting toward the centers—the towns and the cities."

Mr. Wilson Not a Theorist.

"I would like, Mr. Secretary, to have a message from you to the American farmer for the coming year."

"Oh, I can never discuss things in an academic way," remarked Mr. Wilson, with a smile. "You will have to



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"Well, I mean a few words of personal advice to the farmer, to an individual American farmer regarding his work for next year."



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"No, I can not do anything with these hypothetical cases of higher farm education."

"Well, then, what should a man do with the manure which accumulates on his farm?"

"He should put it on his land," replied the Secretary, now thoroughly at home; he should take it out on the land at once and not let it accumulate; haul it out and spread it on as fast as it is made. The ground will get the good of it."

"Won't the ammonia evaporate and the fertility be lost to the soil?"

"No, it has been demonstrated by careful experiments that the hauling out of manure is the best method. It will go down into the grass roots. It will not lose the ammonia because ammonia is produced by bacteria and these bacteria flourish only under three conditions, moisture, heat and oxygen. There are three classes of bacteria which must operate upon manure before it is available for plant food. The ammonia bacteria attacks it first; it is then converted by other bacteria into nitrates, and, lastly, by still other bacteria, into nitrate, when the roots of the plant can then take it up as food.

THE KITCHEN GARDEN.

More Than Two Thirds of the Living of a Family Can Be Raised.

If the farmer's wife could induce her liege lord to contribute the same care, patience and labor next spring to the kitchen garden which his grandfather did during his day, there would be perhaps a considerable gain in the household's economy as well as much satisfaction developed for the housewife. The old folks insist that even with the greatly increased variety and excellence in fruits and vegetables, due to many plant generations

the boiled job at "roasting ear" stage. And, among others, okra or gumbo makes equally as good soup in winter as when fresh in summer.

When it comes to canning and preserving, there is little real comparison between the home canned product and bought goods. It is considered as money, canned tomatoes can be bought probably cheaper than they can be grown and canned at home. But how about the results? If the farmer's wife should go through the ordinary canning establishment she would probably conclude to do every speck of her own can-



SECRETARY WILSON AND GROUP OF CHIEFS, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE GROUNDS AT TIME OF COMMENCEMENT OF WORK ON NEW BUILDING.

of selection and breeding by the seeds. The farmer must have labor, but with the prices of farm products as they are now, he can not meet the wages offered by the factories; therefore the farm hands are gradually shifting toward the centers—the towns and the cities."

ing hereafter and avoid setting on her table sour green fruit, artificially colored and sweetened with coal tar products.

With the supposed degeneration of the individual farm garden, it is interesting to note that the professional market garden, as an industry, has tremendously increased. As an industry, "market gardens" and "truck gardens" of today are the producers of a multitude of "miscellaneous vegetables" almost unknown fifty years ago. In the census



These Are Not Typical.

and that with thoroughly rich soil, good seed, a well planned rotation of garden crops and a medium amount of hard work—a good wheel hoe will reduce this last expense—a very small area will produce a very large amount. Not only should the table be supplied from spring to late fall, but large stocks of staples should be saved for winter use. Of course, every farmer stores in his cellar potatoes, turnips, pumpkins and other course crops, but there are many others equally good and almost as easily cured and kept which no longer contribute to the winter's table and have been supplanted by cheap canned goods, in the long run expensive and usually very inferior.

Limas for Drying: Pick Them Green.

Take, for instance, lima beans. If these are picked and shelled when green—the same as though for immediate table use—and then dried in the sun, they will constitute through the winter a delicious and wholesome dish almost equal to the fresh bean. The same applies to green corn, which our grandfathers will tell us was a staple winter produce, also easily dried in the sun, having been cut from

of 1890 the large increase in garden products was recognized, and a systematic count of their bulk and value was made. It is possible, therefore, to make a ten-year comparison of the increase of such products, and this records the remarkable increases from 190 per cent to 400 per cent in the five several divisions of the country. The North Atlantic States had a well developed industry in "garden products" before 1890, which accounts for the relatively low increase. However, 190 per cent in 10 years, while the population increased only a trifle over 20 per cent, is amazing.

When Tomatoes Were Believed Poisonous.

Could our great-granddaddies, who thought tomatoes poisonous, and our great-grandmothers, who grew them as ornamental plants in window pots,



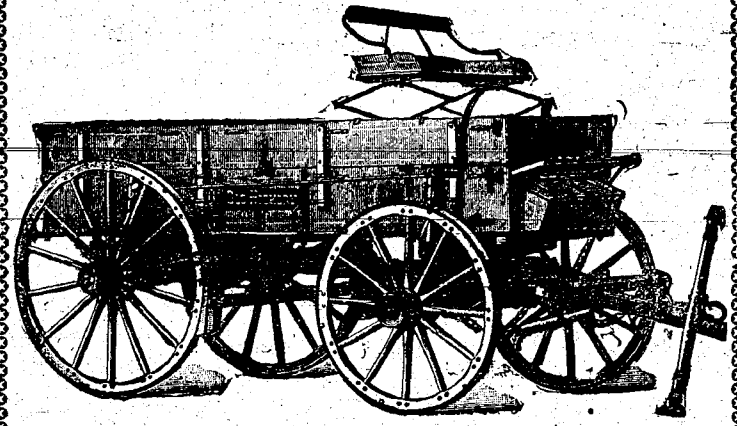
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under the attractive name of "love apples," come back and realize that over thirty million bushels of the pretty poisonous vegetables, according to a statement in Harper's Weekly, are eaten as a common and healthful food, they would surely realize that time works wonderful changes.

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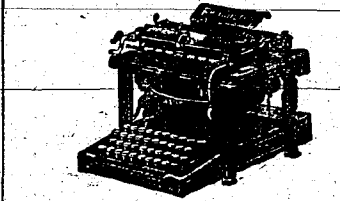
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Briefs of the Week

Masquerade.
Thanksgiving next week.
Tax Rolls being prepared.
Canadian Jubilee Singers.
Our Foot Ball Team go to Boyne City next Thursday—Thanksgiving—for a game.
The barges John O. Pridden and John J. Eddy are here this week loading lumber.

Mrs. E. A. Ashley leaves this Saturday morning to spend Thanksgiving with her parents at Gladwin.

There is rumor that one of the through trains each way will be taken off the Pere Marquette next month.

Clare H. Laper of Charlevoix and Miss Annie Provost of this village were married at Charlevoix last Tuesday evening.

If horses could talk, they would point with pride to one of their race that outruns the automobiles. The old white horse whose rider is Death.

A pleasant place to spend the evening on Thanksgiving is at Loveday Opera House witnessing the Masquerade Ball or else participating in the fun.

James Landrum, who purchased the laundry stock of Charles Barret a couple of weeks ago, has sold the outfit to Anthony Nachazel. We understand Mr. Nachazel intends to install same in his building—next to Lewis' Grocery—and do a general laundry business.

The directors of the Board of Trade, and the special committees are very busy of late and if the citizens will give a little encouragement, they believe there is no doubt that a valuable enterprise for the town may soon be announced. The farmers may be especially interested in the first one on the list.

Antrim County's new court house is finished and is now occupied by the county officials. It is a fine building which cost \$30,000, and it is claimed that there was no graft in connection with it but that the people get their money's worth. This probably settles forever the county seat war in that county and Bellaire will henceforth be the capitol of the county without dispute.

O. W. Sherwood was called to Kalkaska, Monday, by the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Cassin, who was found dead in bed Sunday morning. The only person in the house was the daughter of the deceased who is 14 years old, and who discovered that her mother was dead when she awakened that morning. Mr. Sherwood expects to return this Saturday.

Eugene Adams is at Escanaba.
Lunches at all hours at The Inn.
L. A. Hoyt was a Chicago visitor, recently.
John Baker, here from Charlevoix, Wednesday.
Mrs. Arthur Moore and children are guests of Alva friends.
Miss Lella Clink is guest of Mrs. G. A. Hobler at Petoskey.

Miss Mattie O'Brien Sundayed at Charlevoix.
Miss Bessie Warne spent Sunday with Charlevoix friends.
Mrs. Stella Burr is guest of her mother, Mrs. Ed. Smatts.
Mrs. Charles Coy of Aidan was guest of Mrs. Wm. Voight, recently.
Miss Anna Light is home from her visit in the Upper Peninsula.
Mrs. Bird of Kalkaska is guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Sutton.
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The work of putting in the vaults at the court house is well under way and the lower floor, especially the offices of the clerk and register, is "all torn up." Register Pearson has moved up stairs into the office of the prosecuting attorney temporarily. It will take some time to complete the improvements, but it was something that had to be done, to make it possible to care for the records in safety.—Charlevoix Sentinel.

At the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday next Nov. 26th, the Rev. G. E. Allan will discourse on the following topics: Morning 10:30, "Faking Away the False from the True" or "Essentials" and Non-Essentials in Religion." Evening 7:00 o'clock, Lecture sermon to young men, "A Prince Among Men."
Also on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 30th, at the Presbyterian Church the Rev. George E. Allan will preach a sermon. The time of service will be given later. All East Jordan invited.

Mrs. Willard A. Smith of Charlevoix was here guest of friends fore part of the week.
The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society meet with Mrs. E. J. Crossman, Dec. 1st.
The finest and best assorted stock of Furniture in Charlevoix County will be found at Whittington's.
Miss Lillian Anderson, who received a broken wrist while working at Boyne City, is recovering nicely from her injury.
Empey Bros. are in close touch with the sleigh trade. They have a very fine line of Children's Cutters and Sleighs.
A birthday surprise party was given Mrs. Lon Sheldon Monday evening. She was presented with a handsome set of fruit knives.
When you are working very hard take some comfort in this: Those who are idle don't seem to be having a very good time.
Miss Bessie Dixon, who has been guest of her brothers, George and Robert, returned to her home in Flint, middle of the week.

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Clayton Shapton got his two deer and they were received here Wednesday by his father.
Richard Beyers and sister, who were here from Big Rapids guests of friends, returned home, Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Locke have moved back from Marquette and are domiciled in the Lawrence Doerr house.
The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. Robert Atkinson Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments were served.
Mrs. Carl Strobel was at Central Lake, Saturday last to attend the funeral of her sister—Mrs. Wm. F. Roberts—little son.
A pedro party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Pringle last Saturday evening. About thirty guests were present.
H. B. Lehner, Doctor of Dental Surgery, is now located over Sherman's Market, where he is prepared to do all kinds of dental work.
Farmers will serve their own interests by not being in a hurry about contracting for seed peas—the Board of Trade can tell something of interest soon.
A number of Mrs. H. S. Price's friends gave her a pleasant little surprise party last Friday evening and presented that lady with a china bon bon dish.
The general public today keep in close touch with all the market. The prices that Empey Bros. are giving on Furniture seemingly cannot last a great while.
The Thanksgiving service will be held on next Thursday morning at ten o'clock standard time in the Presbyterian church. The Rev. George E. Allan will preach the sermon.
The Masquerade Balls at Loveday Opera House are always successful, and there are several reasons for it. There is one advertised for next Thursday night—Thanksgiving evening.
The time that Mrs. A. Dean drove to East Jordan and missed Sandy on the road, she left her cellar unlocked. When she got home she found things a little awry, but laid it to the cat until a jay came when she had company to tea and wanted a can of nice fruit for their special delectation. Repairing cellarward, she reached into the accustomed corner for a can, when lo! none arose to her touch. Again she reached, but the bare, damp walls of the cellar met her hand. The rays of a lighted lamp were then turned upon the shelf, but a few scattered pots of her less choice preserves and some empty tins were all that met her gaze. The feelings of Mrs. Dean upon this occasion are perhaps better imagined than expressed, but something of her state of mind may be gleaned from the fact that she has promised, when next she leaves home, to hang the key by the cellar door. There are a few cans of her second grade tomatoes and five or six bushels of potatoes to be had for the taking. Still, we don't advocate the use of any of this stuff, for we have a premonition that whoever eats it will find it well charged with something about 98 per cent stronger than Paris green.—Central Lake Torch.

Eber Burdick returned Monday evening from Petoskey where he has been taking treatment for his eyes. They are much improved.
The Boyne City—East Jordan High School Foot Ball game at the first named place Saturday last resulted in a score of 35 to 0 in favor of our boys.
The neighbors of Mrs. L. M. Foote gave her a pleasant surprise party on Monday afternoon and presented her with a beautiful oak rocker. Refreshments were served.
A party consisting of Misses La Verne Crossman, Emma Zoulek, Blanche Roberson, Helen Stone, Bessie Warne and Mrs. Carl Andrews took dinner at E. J. Lumber Co's Camp No. 10, Wednesday.

The Steamer Hum has been chartered for use of Maccabees desiring to attend the Grand K. O. T. M. M. Rally at Charlevoix Friday evening, Dec. 1st. Boat leaves East Jordan at 7:00 p. m. and returns after close of exercises. Important matters will be discussed at this meeting and full attendance of the membership is desired. Expenses of the evening will be paid by North Star Tent.

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Present, John M. Harris, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of George Jenson, deceased.
Florence C. Jenson having filed in said Court her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of George Jenson, deceased, now on file in said Court, be admitted to probate and that the administration of said estate be granted to Florence C. Jenson, deceased's other surviving person.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 27th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, be required to appear at a session of said court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

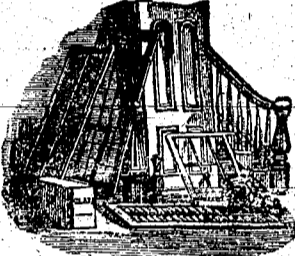
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