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"Too Proud to Beg."

The next attraction at the Loveday Opera House, Tuesday night is Lincoln J. Carter's latest and by many pronounced his best effort, "Too Proud to Beg." The story is said to fit the title of the piece to perfection. The heroine, who is thrown on her own resources with her two children, after it is reported that her husband has been murdered, spurns with contempt the smooth villain's advances for her heart and hand and his offer of gold, preferring starvation and death to a loathsome marriage. The husband makes his appearance after a serious illness, as a result of being dragged out of a fire in which he was trapped. At this juncture, his two children are stolen by the rejected suitor and the husband starts at once to find them. Being a detective he disguises himself, locates their hiding place and rescues the babes. The story finally ends in the hero making himself known to his enemies and justice is meted out to the guilty ones while he is once more united to his happy family.

The cast promises to be among the best seen here this season and includes many stage favorites who have endeared themselves in the hearts of the theatre going public.

There is not a man in our city, however indifferent to the claims of Christianity, who would want to rear his family here if there were no churches or church influence for he at once recognizes them as the guardians of the morals of the community. What would be the condition of this community at the end of the next ten years if from this time until then the churches were closed? To what extent would life and property be safe? And yet, with all the organized agencies of the churches, the devil too frequently holds high carnival. What might we not expect if wholly divested of these good influences?

There was the most excellent production of "The Clay Baker," with Wm. V. Mong as Peter Denig in the leading role at Loveday Opera House Friday evening. Mr. Mong played his part in a strong, intensely interesting manner and held his audience in close attention, being liked especially well in the third act which is the strongest part of the play. The other parts were well taken and the company on the whole was above the average seen here. The play is filled with thrilling situations and a wholesome heart interest predominates throughout the action of the piece. The company is more than usually strong and entitled to the favorable consideration of a critical audience.

Where are you going my pretty maid, I'm going to Moyer's Sir, she said. Can't I do your painting my pretty maid,

Not on your tin-type Sir she said. Argo Flour once tried, always used. Made from the best hard Spring Wheat. Guaranteed and sold by Bowen & Kenny and George Carr, East Side. C. A. Brabant, West Side.

Have you pains in the back, inflammation of any kind, rheumatism, fainting spells, indigestion or constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes you well, keeps you well. 35 cents at Warner's Pharmacy.

BRICK YARD FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my Brick Yard together with a quantity of Brick and Tile. Cheap if sold at once.—C. A. BAYLISS, East Jordan, Mich.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

ELK RAPIDS TRAVERSE CITY Sunday, September 9, rate \$1.00. Train will leave Charlevoix at 8:30 a. m. See posters, or ask agents for particulars.

COLORADO SPRINGS, SEPT. 18-21 Very low rates to Colorado on above dates. Ask agents for particulars. Return limit October 15th.

WEST, NORTHWEST AND CALIFORNIA

One way, second Class Colonist rates to points in the West, Northwest, and to California. Ask Agents for particulars. Tickets on sale every day until October 31st, 1906.

H. F. MOELLER G. P. A.

Shot at Random.

Nature studies should be found in all grades of public schools, from the kindergarten to the college; that it is of utmost importance, since it appeals to our practical life, and for developing our highest and best good, by bringing us close to nature's heart, and nearer to nature's God.

True, there are no merchant princes here, as are often found in the larger cities, but at the same time the town is remarkably free from the class that is watched with tender solicitude by the wholesale houses, and whose devious ways cause much foreboding to their numerous creditors.

It has fallen to the lot of the writer to travel up and down this broad commonwealth to a considerable extent, both in search of business and pleasure, and without an attempt to flatter the good people of this section it can be truthfully said that no town of equal size has yet been found that equals our own little city.

The farmer, if he only knew it, is a little nearer the kingdom of heaven than anyone on earth. He is certain of three square meals a day and is the only man who can fence himself in and live in spite of the rest of mankind. A few cattle and sheep and fowl provide him with food and clothing, while his fields yield him flour and a source of revenue. So generous are provisions and so common, that hardly one farmer in ten makes any account of them, although the ordinary business man thinks he has done well when he reaches the end of the year and finds that he has a little more than made ends meet.

Two ladies were talking the other day and in some way the telephone subject came under discussion. They both had "party-line" telephones. One of the ladies was telling about how mean somebody in her neighborhood is. To use her own language, the somebody will "talk to some other fool for half an hour, and never say anything either, and here I will be nearly wild wanting to order things for dinner or tell Tom what I want him to fetch home. Are you bothered that way?" The other replied: "I used to be, but am not any more. A friend of mine who is connected with the service told me how to put on a choker and I will tell you. You may have noticed those two metal knobs at the top of the instrument? Well, they are there whether you have noticed them or not. Now, when somebody has used the line about twice as long as they ought to, I just lay a key or a short piece of wire across those two knobs. Then, in a minute or two, I take off my short circuit, and can get central all right. I used to feel as if I wanted to say bad words, but now I let the gossips feel that way." The hint was thankfully received by the one to whom it was given and perhaps others will be thankful too.

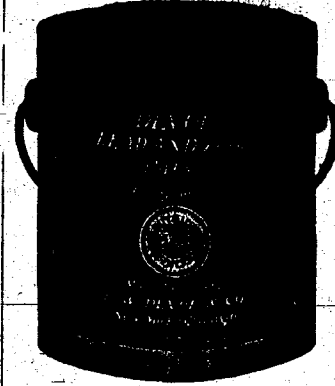
One of the most notable facts connected with a country newspaper of today is the large increase in the advertising of local business houses. The change has taken place gradually, and has been marked especially during the past year or so. It is highly significant, and an inquiry as to the cause of it is of great profit, not only to those in the newspaper business, but to every business man and citizen of our town as well. The change, in brief, means that local merchants have found it necessary to call attention to their goods because of the immense competition they face the most deadly element of which is that from the great stores of the large cities. These great establishments advertise their wares most lavishly, and the metropolitan newspapers which contain their advertisements are distributed over the country, some one paper of which enters nearly every home. The result is that these metropolitan establishments have built up an immense mail trade. In our town, and indeed in most of the towns hereabouts, there is no occasion for this out-of-town buying. The duty of citizens in the matter is plain, and where other things are equal, support should be given local dealers. Our merchants have invested their capital, have erected buildings, which are the pride of the city, and have established concerns which are almost metropolitan in character. They have built up our little city, and it is only a fair return that they have the city's trade, to turn trade otherwise, even in the line of small purchases which are great in aggregate, is to invite the decline of property values in our town.

Majestic Steel Ranges excel all others.

Conches all grades and prices found at Whittington's.

If you listen to workmen who know Paints you'll hear some facts about the

DEVOE PAINTS



That will influence your choice of them above all others. You will learn that Devoe Paint produces a hard, durable, lustrous, surface to which dust and dirt will not adhere. It is made only of the best and purest ingredients and is sold subject to chemical analysis.

W. E. MALPASS HARDWARE CO.

Some Points About A Grocery Stock.

Many people think that "groceries are groceries," and that it makes no difference where they buy. It's not so. The man who keeps his grocery stock neat and fresh is the man who deserves your patronage. Such are the kind of Groceries we aim to keep at this store including STAPLES, CANNED GOODS, PROVISIONS, FRUITS and VEGETABLES in season. We buy in small quantities and thus keep everything fresh. Prompt delivery and satisfaction guaranteed.

Our MEATS are Always Fresh.

BOWEN & KENNY.

Telephone No. 61.

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BLOOD POISON

On account of its terrible effects, blood disease is called the king of all diseases. It may be either hereditary or contracted; so while it may not be a crime to have the disease, it is a crime to permit it to remain in the system. It may manifest itself in the form of Scrofula, Eczema, rheumatic pains, stiff or swollen joints, itching of the skin, eruptions or blotches, ulcers in the mouth or on the tongue, sore throat, falling out of hair, disordered stomach, and a general depression of the system. If you have any of these symptoms don't neglect yourself. You have no time to lose. Beware of "old fogey" treatment—beware of mineral poisons—beware of Quacks and Fakirs. OUR NEW METHOD TREATMENT is guaranteed to cure this disease, never to return. Bank Bonds will protect you. Our treatment is not injurious in any way, but reaches the very root of the disease and eliminates all poisons from the system. The symptoms of disease gradually disappear. The blood becomes pure and enriched, the whole system is cleansed and purified, and the patient feels prepared anew for the duties and the pleasures of life. **GUARANTEE—GUARANTEE—OR NO PAY. 25 YEARS IN DETROIT. 250,000 CURED.**

Consultation Free. Question Blank for Home Treatment and Books Free.

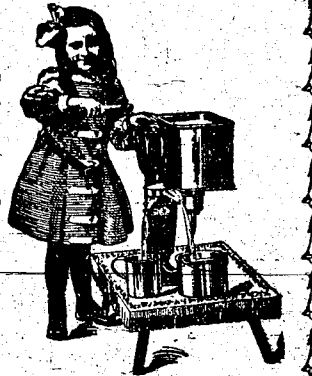
DRS. KENNEDY & KERGAN

Cor. Michigan Ave. and Shelby St., Detroit, Mich.

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Lame Horses Are Poor Travellers.

Did you ever try to drive a horse that went lame easily? Or one always afraid he wouldn't hear you say, whoa? Some horses can't travel because they are lame and others won't travel without a lot of urging. They are not the horses to buy. It's just the same with cream separators. Some are always out of fix, and some turn like corn shellers. Such separators don't have the up-to-date features found only in THE SHARPLES TUBULAR.



Buy a Tubular. Have a separator with waist low supply can, simple bowl hung from single, frictionless bearing and driven by wholly enclosed self-oiling gears—a separator a child can care for—one that will last a life-time. Will take a tubular all apart and show you how simple, strong and efficient it is.

Supernaw Bros.

Fresh and Cured MEATS

Home Made Sausage, Lard and Bologna.

Fresh Fish Every Week.

Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables

"The Very Best of Everything," is our motto.

Special Attention is called to our Delivering Goods All Day and to Any Part of the City.

Phone No. 49.

Sherman & Son's.

We Stake Our Reputation On the Quality of These Goods.

If you want the Best you can place your faith in the Schloss Label. It's the Clothes that make the label worth looking for.

There isn't much satisfaction in buying a suit that begins to show its lack of reliability by the time you have worn it a week or two; yet in a large proportion of clothes, especially if you make cheapness the basis of your selection, you are apt to get this result.

It's easy enough to make claims and to talk about the label, but it isn't the label you are going to wear. It would be a poor protection in cold weather. It's the quality of the clothes that counts.

The store that handles clothing that is not dependable, and knows it, is certainly not worthy of respect or patronage; yet some experienced buyers for stores may be deceived in the same way that YOU may be fooled into buying a suit that looks all right when you get it, but soon shows its lack of quality.

We know what we buy and what we sell, and we know that there's nothing better than our line of SCHLOSS CLOTHES. After all, it's the clothes that make the label worth looking for. We guarantee every suit and overcoat bearing the SCHLOSS label, and if it doesn't come out just right, we will refund your money or exchange the suit for one that IS right.

Prices range from \$12.50 to \$22.00 for Suits and from \$10.00 to \$20.00 for Overcoats.

Just Received.—New goods all along the line—Skirts, Wrappers, Waists, New Linens, Dress Goods, Shoes.

Quality First of All, Our Motto.

FRED E. BOOSINGER



Fresh Hope of Cancer Cure.

Again the hope of curing cancer looms large—only as brightening hope—in the report of the British imperial cancer research fund. The brightening is this, that it has been found possible to prevent the development of cancer in animals by inoculation with a kind of serum. A mouse was thus protected, and injections from its body into other field mice retarded the growth of cancer artificially induced. This is different, it will be noted, from a cure. To avert small-pox by vaccination is very different from curing smallpox. Still the hope is expressed that this discovery may be a step toward the great one of a cure for this hitherto incurable disease. In the current number of McClure's Magazine, Dr. Saleeby, of Edinburgh university, gives an account of experiments by Prof. Beard, of the same university, in the use of the ferment known as trypsin, which seems to prove that the active agent of the pancreas will destroy the malignant cancer cells and bring about an absolute cure. Briefly, according to Dr. Beard's theory, a cancer develops from cells remaining in the body from an asexual stage of the embryo; cells which should have been degenerated and absorbed or digested by the fluids of the pancreas, an organ which develops just after the sexual stage. These are really germ-cells that might have developed into another organism, and, therefore, death by cancer is fratricide—one germ-cell killing the organism that has developed from its brother. The treatment is tentative, but experiments on human beings show apparently satisfactory results in preventing the recurrence of cancer after operation. Statistics show that this disease is increasing both in this country and in Europe, and if its cure is not in sight it is hoped that there is here the development of a preventive inoculation which may be effectively applied as needed.

Bird Breeding Preserves.

To protect the birds is the object of the National Audubon society, and among the most notable results are those achieved in the preserve in Louisiana. During the last year 17 bird breeding islands in the Gulf of Mexico were leased by the national committee, and the success of their plans is encouraging, reports the Milwaukee Sentinel. Two wardens acting under the direction of the national committee of the Audubon societies guarded the islands, and prevented, to the best of their ability, trespassing, the killing of birds, and the destruction of their eggs. According to the report, by these simple preventive measures, there were hatched and raised all of 40,000 birds composed of the following species: Common terns, forsters, royal terns, laughing gulls and black skimmers. There is a practical problem involved in the preservation of the birds as they are a part of the economic system of nature. They destroy pests, they are excellent scavengers, and they add to the beauty of the world. The work of the Audubon society is an excellent one, and the results achieved by the practical demonstration of its methods, show what it stands for, "is not a fad, but that it is accomplishing some of the real work of the world."

Cultivating Arbitration Sentiment.

All the countries represented in the Pan-American congress at Rio de Janeiro will send delegates to The Hague conference who will be pledged to their best efforts for the adoption of a general arbitration convention for the nations which are to be at the Dutch capital. The idea is right. Arbitration as a substitute for war may be a long way ahead of us, but the agitation of the question will do good, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. It is well for the great nations occasionally to cry out peace, peace, even if there is no peace. The peacemakers have not brought Tenyson's parliament of man and federation of the world, but they are diminishing some of the horrors of war, and they are likely to make war less frequent. Peace conferences at Rio, The Hague and other places ought to be encouraged. The United States, which has taken the lead among the nations in peacemaking of a practical sort, always stands ready to give aid and comfort to the cause of international amity.

The gaokwar of Baroda has again demonstrated that he is a wise ventral. He did not confide to the public the fact that he did not find American women to be as beautiful as they have been described to be until he was ready to leave our shores.

Maine is reported to be practically devoid of big game, most of the deer and moose having been killed off during the past few years. It is understood that the same thing has happened to the Maine guides.

MICHIGAN EVENTS NOTED

STARTLED THE POLICE WITH STORY OF HIS MANY CRIMES.

SAGINAW YOUTH OWNS UP

Worked as a Clerk Days and Was a Fearless Crackman at Night, So He Says.

Choose Life of a Crook. "I am the man you are looking for, and I've got a lot of things to tell you about," said Byron Lumby, a flaxen-haired English youth of 19, as he walked into Saginaw police headquarters and addressed Chief Kahn. Whereupon the young man, of a well-known family and a clerical employe of the Whittier Lumber Co., sat down and calmly told of a series of crimes that fairly took the chief's breath away.

He admitted first that the satchel of burglar's tools found back of Calum's flouring mill, which contained a complete kit ranging from a dark lantern, handles and keys, to explosives, belonged to him.

He said he had cracked the Carlisle tannery safe, doing the job alone; that with two other young men, who stood guard, he robbed the safe of Fred Gill of \$43, and with the same pair had committed the burglary of the Pere Marquette ticket office in Grand Rapids. His pals, he said, were a Saginaw boy named McLean and a Lansing youth.

Lumby said he began his career as a burglar only a few weeks ago. Throughout it all he kept his position with the lumber company, working during the day, exchanging his business suit for a laborer's attire in the evening, and salting forth at night in his disguise, equipped with the crackman's outfit for more lucrative employment. He says he never once feared capture.

His father finally learned of the dual life he was living and persuaded him to give himself up and make a clean breast of everything. Lumby's parents have resided in Saginaw many years and are highly respected, while the young man himself was regarded as exemplary and was popular among his friends.

Arrests to Be Made.

New evidence in the Gallen murder mystery has caused the abandonment by Sheriff Tennant and the detectives of all theories except robbery.

The sheriff made a hurried trip to northern Indiana early Friday morning and when he returned he gave out the following statement:

"A plan to rob the depot caused the murder of Lloyd A. Dynes at Gallen, Monday. All of the officers at work on the case have come to that conclusion from the new evidence just obtained. We know who the men are, but until we can join a few more links in the chain of evidence against them, there will be no arrests. For this reason I cannot give out the nature of the evidence. However, I can give assurance that the men will be caught."

Fire Loss at Empire.

The mill of the Empire Lumber Co., at Empire, one of the largest in the state, owned by the T. Wilce Lumber Co., of Chicago, the carshops of the Empire & Southeastern, a blacksmith shop and six logging cars were entirely destroyed by fire. The loss is \$60,000 and the insurance, \$35,000. They will rebuild immediately.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It was discovered by the night watchman in the filing room. A heavy gale off the lake fanned the flames. The water supply gave out and the fire department was powerless.

The mill had been in operation for 18 years and had six years cut ahead, two million feet of which was on the banks for this season's cut.

Malignant Brutality.

Nell Hatch, a farm hand, was arrested in Flint Saturday, charged with the malicious destruction of property. Hatch's alleged offense was the most brutal that has yet come to the attention of the county officers. A cow, which persisted in walking into his garden, was struck by him several times with a keen-edged corn-cutter. The animal's back and hips were lacerated in a horrible manner.

When arrested Hatch stated that he wanted "to teach the cow a lesson." The officials state that Hatch was once before arrested and served time in a Michigan penal institution for brutal conduct toward animals.

Seven Buildings Burned.

Seven buildings, comprising practically the entire business section, were reduced to ashes, approximating a loss of \$10,000, Friday night. The buildings burned are as follows: The Eagle hotel, loss \$4,500, insurance \$3,700; postoffice, \$1,000, partially insured; Osborne & Hammond, drug store, loss on stock \$5,000 and building \$1,500, partially insured; Attorney Cutler, library, \$150, and Lillian Parfite's bary, loss \$500, some insurance.

Peter B. Klansner, a M. C. R. R. conductor, fell between the cars at Michigan City and had one leg and an arm amputated, and may not survive. Four members of the Klansner family have died in the past year.

There is every indication that the semi-centennial year of the Michigan Agricultural college, an occasion that will be celebrated by the visit of President Roosevelt next May, will be a banner year for attendance. It is estimated there will be 1,000 students. The college year begins September 17.

Weeping over the bier of Lloyd Edward Dynes, the Detroit woman in the case assured Albert Dynes, the believed father of the operator who was murdered in Gallen, Mich., that there is no foundation in fact to the theory that the crime was committed by any man who was jealous of Lloyd Dynes' attention towards her.

Ex-Gov. Bliss.

For the first time in ten weeks ex-Gov. Bliss Tuesday read a newspaper. During all that time he has practically been kept in ignorance of what was going on in the outside world, save the reading to him occasionally of minor news events.

Especially have all political matters been suppressed along with things that might agitate him. It is doubtful if Mr. Bliss could name the Republican candidates for senator, and he has only just been told of the nomination of Warner and his Democratic opponent. His interest in politics, however, is as keen as ever, and the first thing he did when a newspaper was handed him, was to search the political columns for news of his friends. His doctor, however, would permit him to make no comments on what he read or engage in any discussion.

Gov. Bliss was down at his office on Genesee avenue, Saginaw, at the time and all he would say was that he was done with politics, even if he got well. He is emaciated and weighs but 86 pounds.

Conquered the "White Plague."

Six months in the open air has saved the life of Herbert Josslyn, a tuberculosis patient, who has been cared for by the poor department. He has just been discharged by the city physician, who pronounced him absolutely free from the disease.

Josslyn weighed but 100 pounds when the poor department's attention was called to his case. He was so weak and the disease had such a hold on him, that it seemed a question of but a few days at most when death would claim him.

He was taken to St. Mary's hospital and there placed in a cot on the porch. He grew stronger and in two weeks was taken to a rude open shack just outside the city limits. People living in the vicinity, fearing contamination, forced the city authorities to move him. Another place in the country was found, and there he grew still stronger. He took much exercise and spent day and night in the open air. He now weighs 140 pounds.

Litigation Cost Most.

The so-called Gibson drain, controversy among Tuscola, Bay and Saginaw counties, which has been in the courts for nearly a generation and has been appealed to the supreme court seven times in various forms of litigation, has been settled at a conference resulting in an amicable agreement among three counties.

The drain will be built jointly by Blumfield township, Saginaw county; Marick township, Bay county; and Denmark township, Tuscola county, at an expenditure of \$25,000. The law suits, it is estimated, have cost more than the expense of building the drain. The drain will be one of the largest and most valuable in this part of Michigan, opening up large tracts to cultivation and will, it is said, now be pushed to completion.

MICHIGAN IN BRIEF.

The cash balance in the state treasury Aug. 31 at the close of business was \$11,257,460.83.

The first opera house Lake Linden has ever had is fast nearing completion and will be opened early in October.

About 7,000 people attended the pioneer picnic in Fenton, Gov. Warner and Congressman Sam Smith were present.

Cheboygan lost one of its most prominent citizens Aug. 31 in the death of Wm. C. Boggs, a lumberman known throughout the state.

Over 300 foreigners were made citizens of the United States in the circuit court in Bessemer Wednesday. That day was the last under the old naturalization law.

The first night's attendance at the State fair, now being held in Detroit, was 15,000. It is the greatest fair ever put up in the state.

Harry Wright, aged 18, from Indianapolis, is in jail in Adrian on suspicion of being a safe-blower. He had a burglar kit, dynamite and jewelry when arrested.

Michigan railroads during 1905 killed only two passengers and 15,723,682 persons were carried, according to reports received by Railroad Commissioner Atwood.

Brick street pavement which cost Lansing \$54,000 only last year is fast crumbling, and the taxpayers are enraged at the manufacturers of the poor quality of brick.

Contracts for a \$100,000 high school in Escanaba have been awarded. The building is to be equipped with a stage, gymnasium and bath rooms, and be completed by next August.

The 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. Henry Hainstock, of Kingsley, died on the 30th ult., making the third death in the family in a week. The child's father and grandmother died on the 27th.

James Kluzak, Bohemian emigration agent for the Michigan Land association, has established a prosperous colony of 73 Bohemian families at Karlin, 20 miles northwest of Traverse City.

There is to be a special election in Mt. Pleasant on Sept. 10 to vote on bonding the city for \$20,000 to enlarge and increase the city's water system. The town is bonded already for about \$40,000.

W. M. Guilford, a lumberman, has leased 3,000 acres of stump land in Rosecommon county to a large turpentine manufacturing company. The concern claims it can make turpentine at a big profit from the stumps, of which there are thousands on this vast tract.

The Lloyd Manufacturing Co. will move from Minneapolis to Menominee. The capital stock will be increased to \$250,000. Half of it is to be held by Menominee business men. The new plant will employ 250 persons.

Complete rural delivery service, consisting of 61 routes, 17 of which are new, have been ordered established in Ottawa county, Mich., effective October 16. The list of new routes is as follows: Allendale, route 1; Berlin, 3; Conkila, 4; Coopererville, 4, 5; Grand Haven, 3, 4; Holland, 11, 12; Hudsonville, 6; Jenison, 2; Robinson, 1; Spring Lake, 2; West Olive, 1, 2; Zeeland, 5, 6.

PENINSULAR HAPPENINGS

SOME FEATURES OF THE STATE ASSESSMENT AS JUST NOW COMPLETED.

WHY TAXES ARE HIGHER

Rate This Year \$1.95 per Thousand—The Legislature Did Some Slovenly Work on Appropriations.

The New Tax Rate. State Accountant F. Z. Hamilton has computed the annual state tax to be raised this year at \$3,383,785.28. This embraces all the purposes of state taxation, including the one fourth mill tax for the state university and the one-tenth mill tax for the agricultural college.

The tax this year is lower by almost a half million than the tax of a year ago, the levy during legislative years always being higher. Last year the total state tax was \$3,869,724.98. As compared with two years ago the tax to be apportioned among the counties is higher, the figure for 1904 having been \$2,954,692.98.

The smaller levy, together with the increased valuation of the state, as fixed by the board of equalization, has taken a clean \$50 cents off the state tax rate on every \$1,000 valuation. The rate for the current year will be \$1.95 per \$1,000. A year ago it was \$2.45. The \$1.95 rate, applied to the equalized valuation of \$356,000,000 for Wayne county, gives \$694,200, as approximately that county's share of the state tax levy.

The apportionment among the counties will be officially made the second week in September.

Careless Legislation.

Inconsistencies in several appropriation acts of the last legislature have been discovered. The original appropriation bill for the Michigan School for the Blind called for \$33,500 a year for each of two years for current expenses, but the legislature cut the amount to \$32,000, not changing, however, the figures in the section which directs the auditor general to spread the tax to meet the appropriation. The trustees of the school asked the auditor general for the \$33,500, but he follows a previous ruling that the two sections of appropriation acts are distinct and that no more can be allowed than specifically stated in the first section.

In the case of the Marquette Normal school the situation was reversed, \$98,000 being appropriated but requiring the auditor to raise only \$89,000 by taxation for the purpose. The difference must come out of the general fund.

The Law Is Peculiar.

Because it is a law in Germany that a woman's word counts for naught in court, unless backed by that of her husband, and in case she is a widow must furnish legal proof of his demise, Mrs. Harmon W. Bens, of Bay City, is in a dilemma. She has just been notified of a legacy left her by a relative in Germany. Seven years ago her husband, Harmon Bens, died and was buried 65 miles within the Arctic circle in Alaska. Mrs. Bens alone was present at his death. Judge Francis, of the probate court, will make an effort in her behalf to satisfy the German court that Bens is dead.

Chloroform Works Blown Up.

Elmer Gilman was killed, several were injured, and the plant of the Midland Chemical Co., manufacturers of chloroform, was wrecked by an explosion.

The head of a huge tumbler, weighing 700 pounds, struck a man, after it had been hurled 65 feet, breaking both his legs, crushing his bones and mangled him almost beyond recognition. A companion close by escaped serious injury.

Immediately after the explosion the workmen ran for their lives, as the deadly fumes of the chloroform filled the air. The injured men were rescued by their companions at great risk, even though they were 65 feet from the plant.

A tumbler weighing several tons was blown through the end of the building and tore its way through the ground for 50 feet.

Three doctors and an ambulance cared for the injured men.

Miner Electrocuted.

Isaac Williams, aged 36, a miner in the Shawawasee mine, at Carr's landing, Saginaw, met a horrible death Thursday and his body was not discovered till late in the afternoon. He operated an electric drill in a room by himself. When he did not come out of the mine, search was instituted.

Williams' throat was found resting on the foot of the drill and the electric current had burned a ghastly hole clear through the neck.

It is believed that in moving the drill a tin oil can, used as a gauge, formed a short circuit. The current of 250 volts burned him for about seven hours and his head was nearly severed. He leaves a widow and two children.

Sammy Edwards, 12 years old, of Pullman, ran into a barb wire fence while chasing balls during a ball game, and had his face frightfully lacerated.

George B. Freeman and Edwin McFarland, of Detroit, are on their way to Chicago on foot and just for the experience.

The ashes of Otauma Jumagami, a Japanese boy who was killed by a fall in the Michigan Trust Co. building July 28, are held in Grand Rapids awaiting word from Kumagawa, Japan, where his relatives live.

Pearson and McBride, mining experts of Pittsburgh, Pa., have secured options on several farms in Cadillac vicinity for the purpose of prospecting for iron, coal and copper. They will commence operations at once by putting down shafts 600 feet deep.

FARM PRODUCTS.

Prices as Proposed by the Society of Equity.

The convention of peppermint growers, under the auspices of the American Society of Equity, for the purpose of deciding upon a minimum price for peppermint oil, followed one of the stated objects of the society as to fixing the farmers' selling price of other products. It is not believed the action will be in violation of the anti-trust laws, or that it will necessarily be an action in restraint of trade. The society has been referred to as the "farmers' trust."

An official publication of the society, setting forth its practices in price-making, is as follows:

Below are the prices decided on by the American Society of Equity. They are the minimum prices, below which farmers should not sell. They are all based on some central market, and the farm price will be enough less to equal freight and a legitimate profit to the handlers. Farmers should control the marketing so as to keep the market hungry and the demand seeking the supply, when they can make their own prices—control marketing so your crops go off the farms over the period of a year instead of in a few months. The world must have your products at your price if it cannot get them at prices made by some other people.

Prices per bushel unless otherwise stated: Wheat, No. 2 red, Chicago, per bu. \$1.00; Corn, No. 2, Chicago, Jan. 1 to April 1, 1906, .50; Corn, No. 2, Chicago, April 1 to next crop, .55; Rye, No. 2, Chicago, .75; Oats, No. 2, Chicago, .38; Barley, good malting, Chicago, .38; Hay, No. 1 Timothy, Chicago, per ton, 12.00; Beans, No. 1, handpicked, Navy, Detroit, 2.00; Cotton, middlings, New York, per lb., .12; Broom corn, Chicago, per ton, .12; Hogs, Chicago, cwt, alive, \$0.00 to 6.50; Cattle, Chicago, cwt, alive, 5.00 to 6.00; Woolen, medium, unwashed, on farm, per lb., .30; Potatoes, Chicago, .65; Sweet potatoes, home market, .75.

Peculiar Accident.

A peculiar and startling accident occurred at Pentwater, when the steamer Kansas, of the Northern Michigan Transportation Co., in clearing, Sears & Nichols' cannery factory dock, caught her aft hawser beneath a corner of the dock, raising perpendicularly in the air a 12-foot square section of the massive hardwood dock and letting L. A. Sears, a member of the firm, into the water. Then it toppled completely over and crushed down Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilson, of Chicago.

Sears swam under the warehouse and crawled out on the bank. A space of two or three minutes elapsed before the dock could be removed from its new position. The cries of the woman were frightful and were heard for blocks. The whole section of the dock remained intact when removed, and tipped into the lake.

Dr. Wilson's wrist was broken, and he is badly bruised. Mrs. Wilson was terribly bruised all over her body. Both are internally injured, how badly is yet not known. The Wilsons had arrived from Chicago on the Kansas only yesterday morning to spend their vacation. They were removed to their boarding house.

Ruined Life.

Alice Ross, said to have been twenty years ago the most beautiful and attractive woman in Bay City, is in the county jail, violently insane. She was the daughter of well-to-do and respected parents living near Cheboygan. Her beauty attracted general attention and in a short time she had become involved in several scandals that brought notoriety to some of the first families in the city. In one of these scandals she caused the arrest of the son of a wealthy family, now residing in Detroit.

Started Chesaning.

Chesaning is stirred up over a daring raid by burglars Thursday night. The bean elevator of the Chesaning Grain Co. was entered and the safe blown, but nothing secured. The Michigan Central station was also broken into and \$10 secured. G. M. Mason Lumber Co.'s offices were burglarized and a money order for \$168 taken, together with several notes. Deputy Sheriff Simeon formed a posse who tried to trail the robbers, but without success.

His Last Wish.

Peter B. Klansner's last wish that his amputated leg be given a formal burial in a cemetery was being carried out just as he died, a few hours after life surgeons had finished the operation. Monday he was buried beside his limb.

Klansner was a conductor on the Michigan Central and was frightfully injured in a wreck at Christman, Ind. He had worked for the road 44 years and this was his first accident.

Mother and Children Escaped.

Mrs. Lawson Stearns and her two small children had a miraculous escape from death at the Pere Marquette crossing in Riverdale. A freight struck the buggy, killed the horse and ground the rig into kindling wood. The children were hurled a considerable distance, but escaped with bruises. Mrs. Stearns was dragged under the buggy several feet but was not seriously hurt.

Flint city hospital, which has been in existence for four years, will be transformed into a boarding house.

In his latest bulletin State Dairy and Food Commissioner Bldr says that of the so-called maple syrups commercially handled in Michigan, less than one per cent consists of the pure product of the sap of the live maple trees.

The grand lodge of the state of Michigan of the International Order of Good Templars elected the following officers: G. C. T. James, Big Rapids; G. C. M. E. Curtis, Big Rapids; G. B. T. Mrs. B. S. Black Bolger; G. S. M. E. Whitney, Grand Rapids; G. T. Guy V. Payne, Rockford, Mich.; G. S. J. W. Emma Hood, Grand Rapids; G. E. S. Dr. Bailey Jones, Muskegon.

Became a Pillar of Flame.

Milan L. Farnham, a painter living near Ceresco, was transformed into a living electrical pillar when the telephone line which he was repairing became charged by a live wire Wednesday afternoon.

He was standing on a wooden platform, and sparks flew from all parts of his body like those from an emery wheel. He was wreathed in a continuous flame of fire. His hands unwillingly grasped the telephone wire which he was repairing. He could not let go, although he tried hard to free himself from the awful torture.

His calls for help and the sparks flying from his body attracted the family, who lived nearby. His daughter ran to his assistance, and with the help of neighbors took the man away from the wire.

Farnham's hands were tamely burned by the "juice." He is now recovering. Wires carrying 40,000 volts pass near the telephone wire, which became charged through bad insulation.

Preparations are already being made for the 41st annual reunion of the Twenty-third regiment Michigan volunteer infantry, which will be held in Birch Run September 20. The first meeting was held on Lake Erie, July 7, 1865.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Trading in cattle is more active. Steers and feeders were from 10c to 15c higher. Range of prices: Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$4.75 to 5.25; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$4.60 to \$5.00; light to heavy, 800 to 1,000, \$3.50 to \$4.25; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$3.50 to \$4.25; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$3.00 to \$3.75; good fat cows, \$2.50 to \$3.25; common cows, \$1.50 to \$2.25; canners, \$1.25 to \$1.50; choice heavy bull, \$2.00 to \$2.50; fair to good bollocks, bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.25; stock bulls, \$2.25 to \$2.75; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$3.50 to \$4.25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$3.00 to \$3.75; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.00 to \$3.75; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$2.50 to \$3.25; choice heifers, \$2.50 to \$3.25; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$4.00 to \$4.50; milkers, \$2.00 to \$2.50. The quality of the calves offered was not as good as usual, a large proportion of the receipts being goats and heavy. Prices were fully steady with last week, best grades selling for \$7 to \$7.50.

Sheep—The receipts in the sheep yards were twice as heavy as they were a week ago, but the quality was not as good. They opened and closed fully steady with the opening, the receipts being a large number of scragle sheep were condemned by the inspector as unfit for food. Best lambs, \$7.50; fair to good lambs, \$6.00 to \$7.00; common lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$6.50; good butcher sheep, \$4.50, culls and common, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Hogs—The quality in the hog yards was the worst of the season, lots of roughs and grassy hogs being in the receipts. Packers do not want rough and bear-down hard on this rough and big, heavy hogs. Packers did not pay over \$6.50 for anything and the market was 10c to 15c lower than last week.

Chicago—Common to fine prime steers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; cow, \$2.50 to \$3.50; calves, \$2.00 to \$3.00; bulls, \$2.25 to \$3.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.00 to \$3.00; Good to prime light, \$3.00 to \$3.50; good to prime heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; butchers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; good to fair mixed, \$1.50 to \$2.00; heavy packing, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Sheep—Market steady for sheep, strong to higher for lambs; sheep, \$4.25 to \$5.75; yearlings, \$5.40 to \$6.50; lambs, \$6.75.

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; best 2,000 to 3,000-lb shipping steers, \$4.35 to \$4.75; best fat cows, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fair to good, \$3.00 to \$3.25; trimmers, \$2.50; best fat heifers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; medium to heavy, \$3.50 to \$4.00; feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, dehorned, \$3.50 to \$3.75; best yearling steers, \$3.25 to \$3.50; common stock steers, \$2.75 to \$3.00; export stock steers, \$2.75 to \$3.00; light stock steers, \$2.50 to \$3.00; the cow market was from \$2 to \$3 lower; \$2.00 to \$2.50; \$1.00 to \$1.50; medium, \$2.25 to \$2.88; common, \$1.80 to \$2.00.

Hogs—Medium and heavy, \$6.50 to \$6.75; mixed and yorkers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.65 to \$6.70; roughs, \$5.40 to \$6.50.

Sheep—Top lambs, \$8.00 to \$8.35; few choice at \$8.50; \$7.50 to \$8.75; wethers, \$6.75 to \$6; culls, \$3.25 to \$4.25; yearlings, \$5.65 to \$5; ewes, \$5.25 to \$5.50.

Best grades, \$8.25 to \$8.50; medium to good, \$6.00 to \$8; heavy, \$5.50 to \$4.50.

Grand, Etc. Detroit—Cash No. 2 red, 73c; No. 3 red, 70c; No. 4 red, 67c; No. 5 red, 64c; No. 6 red, 61c; No. 7 red, 58c; No. 8 red, 55c; No. 9 red, 52c; No. 10 red, 49c; No. 11 red, 46c; No. 12 red, 43c; No. 13 red, 40c; No. 14 red, 37c; No. 15 red, 34c; No. 16 red, 31c; No. 17 red, 28c; No. 18 red, 25c; No. 19 red, 22c; No. 20 red, 19c; No. 21 red, 16c; No. 22 red, 13c; No. 23 red, 10c; No. 24 red, 7c; No. 25 red, 4c; No. 26 red, 1c; No. 27 red, 0c; No. 28 red, 0c; No. 29 red, 0c; No. 30 red, 0c; No. 31 red, 0c; No. 32 red, 0c; No. 33 red, 0c; No.

SERIAL STORY

A FOOL FOR LOVE

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.

Those who knew her best said it was a warning to be heeded in Miss Virginia Carteret when her eyes were downcast and her voice sank to its softest cadence.

"Why, certainly; how simple!" she said, taking her cousin's arm again; and the secretary went in to set the wires at work in Winton's affair.

Now Miss Carteret was a woman in every fiber of her, but among her gifts she might have counted some that were, to say the least, super-feminine. One of these was a measure of discretion which would have been fairly creditable in a man at master of diplomacy.

So, while the sympathetic part of her was crying out for a chance to talk Winton's threatened danger over with some one, she lent herself outwardly to the Reverend Billy's mood—which was one of scenic enthusiasm; this without prejudice to a growing determination to intervene in behalf of fair play for Winton if she could find a way.

But the way obstinately refused to discover itself. The simple thing to do would be to appeal to her uncle's sense of justice. It was not like him to fight with ignoble weapons, she thought, and a tactful word in season might make him recall the order to the superintendent. But she could not make the appeal without betraying fastrow. She knew well enough that the secretary had no right to show her the telegrams; knew also that Mr. Somerville Darrah's first word would be a demand to know how she had earned the company's business secrets. Regarding fastrow as little as a high-born young woman to whom sentiment is as the breath of life can regard a man who is quite devoid of it, she was still far enough from the thought of effacing him.

To this expedient there was an unhelpful alternative: namely, the sending, by the Reverend Billy, or, in the last resort, by herself, of a warning message to Winton. But there were obstacles seemingly insuperable. She had not the faintest notion of how such a warning should be addressed; and again, the operator at Argentine was a Colorado & Grand River employe, doubtless loyal to his salt, in which case the warning message would never get beyond his waste basket.

"Getting too chilly for you out here?—want to go in?" asked the Reverend Billy, when the scenic enthusiasm began to outwear itself.

"No; but I am tired of the sentry-go part of it—ten steps and a turn," she confessed. "Can't we walk on the track a little way?"

"We can trot down and have a look at their construction camp, if you like," he suggested, and thitherward they went.

It was Virginia who first marked the boxed-up tent standing on the slope.

"What do you suppose that little house-tent is for?" she asked.

"I don't know," said Calvert. Then he saw the wires and ventured a guess which hit the mark.

"I didn't suppose they would have a telegraph office," she commented, with hope rising again.

"Oh, yes; they'd have to have a wire; one of their own. Under the circumstances they could hardly use ours."

"No," she rejoined, absently. She was scanning the group of steel handlers in the hope that a young man in a billy-cock hat and with a cigarette between his lips would shortly reveal himself.

She found him after a time and turned quickly to her cousin.

"There is Mr. Adams down there by the engine. Do you think he would come over and speak to us if he knew we were here?"

The Reverend Billy's smile was of honest admiration.

"How could you doubt it? Wait here a minute and I'll call him for you."

He was gone before she could reply—across the ice bridge spanning one of the pools, and up the rough, frozen embankment of the new line. There were armed guards here, too, as well as at the front, and one of them halted him at the picket line. But Adams saw and recognized him, and presently the two were crossing to where Virginia stood waiting.

"Eh! what a little world we live in, Miss Virginia! Who would have thought of meeting you here?" said the telegraphologist, taking her hand at the precise elevation prescribed by good form—Boston good form.

"The shock is mutual," she laughed. "I must say that you and Mr. Winton have chosen a highly unconventional location for your sketching field."

"I do," he admitted, cheerfully; "please don't trample on me. But really, it wasn't all fib. Jack does do things with a pencil—other things besides sketches and working profiles, I mean. Won't you come over and let me show you the nature of the studio?" with a slight arm-sweep meant to indicate the construction camp in general, and the "dinky" caboose in particular.

It was the invitation she would have angled for, but she was too wise to assent too readily.

"Oh, no; I think we mustn't. I'm afraid Mr. Winton might not like it."

"Not like it? If you'll come he'll never forgive himself for not being here to 'shoot up' the camp for you in person. He is away, you know; gone to Carbonate for the day."

"Ought we to go, Cousin Billy?" she asked, shifting, not the decision, but the responsibility for it, to broader shoulders.

"Why not, if you care to?" said the athlete, to whom right-of-way fights were mere matters of business in no wise conflicting with the social ameliorations.

Virginia hesitated. There was a thing to be said to Mr. Adams, and that without delay; but how could she say it with her cousin standing by to make an impossible trio out of any attempted duet confidential? A willingness to see that Winton had fair play need not carry with it an open desertion to the enemy. She must not forget to be loyal to her salt; and besides, Mr. Somerville Darrah's righteous indignation was not lightly to be ignored.

But the upshot of the hesitant pause was a decision to brave the consequences—all of them; so she took Calvert's arm for the slippery crossing of the ice bridge.

Once on his own domain, Adams did the honors of the camp as thoroughly and conscientiously as if the hour held no care heavier than the entertainment of Miss Virginia Carteret.

"Oh, how comfortable!" she exclaimed, when he had shown her all the space-saving contrivances of the field office. "And this is where you and Mr. Winton work?"

"It is where we eat and sleep," corrected Adams. "And speaking of eating; it is hopelessly the wrong end of the day—or it would be in Boston—but our Chinaman won't know the difference. Let me have him make you a dish of tea," and the order was given before she could protest.

he could find the word for his surprise. Then he tried to turn it off lightly. "There is a good bit more of the artist in Jack than I have been giving him credit for. Don't you know, he must have got the notion for that between two half-seconds—when you recognized me on the platform at Kansas City. It's wonderful!"

"So very wonderful that I think I shall keep it," she rejoined, not without a touch of austerity. Then she added: "Mr. Winton will probably never miss it. If he does, you will have to explain the best way you can." And Adams could only say "By Jove!" again, and busy himself with pouring the tea which Ah Foo had brought in.

In the nature of things the tea-drinking in the stuffy "dinky" drawing-room was not prolonged. Time was flying. Virginia's errand of mercy was not yet accomplished, and Aunt Martha in her capacity of anxious chaperon was not to be forgotten. Also, Miss Carteret had a feeling that under his well-bred exterior Mr. Morton P. Adams was chafing like any barbarian industry captain at this unwarrentable intrusion and interruption.

So presently they all forthrightly into the sun-bright, snow-blinding out-of-door world, and Virginia gathered up her courage and took her dilemma by the horns.

"I believe I have seen everything now except that tent-place up there," she asserted, groping purposefully for her opening.

"Adams called up another smile of acquiescence. "That is our telegraph office. Would you care to see it?" The telegraphologist was of those who shirk all or shirk nothing.

"I don't know why I should care to, but I do," she replied, with charming and childlike willingness; so the three of them trudged up the slippery path to the operator's den on the slope.

Not to evade his hospitable duty in any part, Adams explained the use and need of a "front" wire, and Miss Carteret was properly interested.

"How convenient!" she commented.



"While we are waiting on Ah Foo I'll show you some of Jack's sketches." He went on, finding a portfolio and opening it upon the drawing board.

"Are you quite sure Mr. Winton won't mind?" she asked.

"Mind? He'd give a month's pay to be here to show them himself. He is peacock vain of his one small accomplishment, Winton is—bores me to death with it sometimes."

"Really?" was the mocking rejoinder, and they began to look at the sketches.

They were heads, most of them, impressionistic studies in pencil or pastel, with now and then a pen-and-ink bearing evidence of more painstaking after-work. They were made on bits of map paper, the backs of old letters, and not a few on leaves torn from an engineer's note book.

"They don't count for much in an artistic way," said Adams, with the brutal frankness of a friendly critic, "but they will serve to show you that I wasn't all kinds of an embroiderer when I was telling you about Winton's proclivities the other day."

"I shouldn't apologize for that, if I were you," she retorted. "It is well past apology, don't you think?" And then: "What is this one?"

They had come to the last of the sketches, which was a rude map. It was penciled on the leaf of a memorandum, and Adams recognized it as the outline Winton had made and used in explaining the right-of-way entanglement.

"It is a map," he said, "one that Jack drew day before yesterday when he was trying to make me understand the situation up here. I wonder why he kept it? Is there anything on the other side?"

She turned the leaf, and they both went speechless for the moment. The reverse of the scrap of cross-ruled paper held a very fair likeness of a face which Virginia's mirror had often portrayed; a sketch setting forth in a few vigorous strokes of the pencil the impressionist's ideal of the "g-d-deeds fresh from the bath."

"By Jove!" exclaimed Adams, when

Seasonable Entertainments and Suggestions for Social Functions

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Farewell Dancing Party for the College Boys and Girls—"Hop Vines" for Decoration—"Hop Pole" Dance—Fall the Time for Housewarming—Key Souvenirs Signify Hospitality—"An Ideal House" Contest.

September is a bit early for a dance, and yet for the younger sets the "time to dance" is any time the opportunity affords, no matter what the temperature records. In June we arranged a reunion party for the college boys and girls. In September a farewell party for those same boys and girls would give quite as much pleasure, for everyone is getting in readiness for the winter's separation. With them the dance is the thing, so why not arrange a "hop" party?

If ever it has been your good fortune to be in the northwest states just at the hop season, it will be easy for you to realize how beautiful this "hop" party may be made. The northwest is the hop country. In some sections of Washington during August and September, as far as the eye can reach, it rests upon great draperies of the hop vines—field after field of latticework bearing the green leaves and the fruit of the vine like a man-of-war's drapery.

For the northwestern hostess, therefore, this "hop" party will be particularly easy—if she can persuade the hop merchant to part with his wares to her—but even the hostesses of the portions of the country where hops are not as plentiful as in the northwest may find some good country woman who still clings to hop-raising for the making of her own bread yeast.

The invitations to the hop party may be the regular dancing invitations or they may assume the more informal and mystical form of the following:

"Won't you come to my hop party,

All your good friends will be there. Come to feast your eyes on beauty,

To say 'good-by' to friends and care."

Underneath write the date and place of the party.

For the decorations, use hops only. The rooms may be draped throughout the house in this vine, for nothing is more beautiful as a decoration. The walls may be draped, the ceilings canopied, the doorways curtained with the hop vines and the house may be converted into the proverbial bower. The hostess and her assistants should wear gowns of delicate green; in fact, every detail should be carried out in this color as nearly as possible.

If the house in which the party is given possesses a ballroom, one end of the room should be set aside for the after-supper fancy dance, which will take the place of the usual cotillion. For this erect an old-fashioned hop pole and arrange long strands of the vine as it would cling to the pole, naturally. When the time comes for the dance these strands will be found to take the place of the ribbons on a May-pole, and a sort of May-pole dance may be danced. Otherwise let the dance programme be the regular "hop."

If the supper is informal, and is to be served in buffet fashion about the dining-table, use the hop pole as a central decoration for the table, allowing the vines to wander out over the board and fall from the sides in natural draperies. If the affair is to be given a formal and very elaborate touch, seat the guests at small tables, each bearing its own decoration of the central hop pole, the four strands wandering to the covers and bearing the place cards on the end. The menu, carried out in green, should be entrusted to the caterer, and is guided by the formality of the affair.

During the dance serve lemonade or the ordinary punch. The young women assistants may alternate in presiding over the punch bowl, which should be sunk in a nest of the hops. The booth where the punch is served should be hung with the hop vines and gowned in dainty green, so attractive a picture will she make that it will not be difficult to persuade the young woman to forego a few dances for the privilege of being mistress of this green bower.

For the close of the evening have the musicians play familiar airs, closing with Auld Lang Syne, and asking the young people to pledge each other's health with the lemonade or punch, as they sing. A college song would please the young guests for this part of the programme, also.

"One Evening House Party." With the close of September come the housewarmings. The young folk who have been married during the summer months are throwing open new homes, and the folk who have a number of wedded years to their credit are often doing the same or are just getting settled after another fall flitting.

Ordinarily a housewarming may be nothing more than the giving of the new home over to the possession of friends for an evening, cloaking with a dance, but it can be made quite orig-

inal. The house may be decorated or not, as the hostess chooses. The decoration should be simple—autumn leaves or dahlias would be good for this season of the year.

As the guests enter they should be given small keys tied with a bit of ribbon which may carry the old meaning of giving the key of the city to an honored guest—a means of expressing that during the visit the city belongs to him. These keys should be of many sizes and kinds, duplicates to be given the men and women—the way for finding partners for the dining-room later in the evening.

After the new home has been seen, paper and pencil should be furnished each guest. The men are requested to draw plans for their ideal house and the women are asked to write out a description of the furnishings for an ideal home. Of course in this the number of rooms in the house must be designated. The papers are numbered and collected, and judges who have been appointed will pass upon the merits of every paper.

For the man who wins the prize for the best plans for a home, a doll's house may be purchased; the woman who is given first place in the furnishing contest may be given a set of doll furniture.

Do not serve in the regular manner. Simply throw open the dining-room where the table will be heaped with small cakes, apples, pop corn, bonbons, and sandwiches, with coffee served at the side, if desired, which better illustrates true hospitality. The guests are supposed to wander in at will and choose what they wish to eat.

The keys may serve as souvenirs of the evening or toy coffee pots, coffee mills, carpet sweepers, clothes pins, and the hundred and one reproductions of homely articles of household ware may be given.

The affair may be called a "one evening house party."

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HOOK AND LINE THIEVING.

Mexico Turns Out Some Artists in the Line of Petty Larceny.

In Mexico the sneak thief has his business down to a science. The favored manner of stealing is from the houses. Most of the buildings are but one story high, and the doors are kept closed and locked. The windows are as large as the doors and extend to the floor. To keep the thieves out of the house they are protected with heavy iron bars, but the Mexican sneak thief has found a way to overcome this difficulty.

Because of the lowness of the window he can look into the room and "spot" the article he wishes. Then he waits until the occupant of the room is in some other part of the house. A bamboo pole about as long as a fishing rod is produced, to which is attached a piece of string with a fish hook on the end.

The thief by practice can cast the hook so that it will catch on almost any article in the room, no matter how far it may be from the window. Slowly it is drawn forward and pulled through the bars.

In this manner articles are taken off the bureau or tables, rugs snatched from the floor and bedclothes from the bed. Clothing left on chairs or hanging on the wall is easily removed. The thieves do not even wait until the occupants are out of the room in all cases. There have been cases where men and women who were undressing in their rooms have lost clothing, while their backs were turned to the window.

A short time ago the wife of a well-known mining engineer was dressing to go to a dance. She had removed part of her clothes from the wardrobe and turned her back. Hearing a noise she turned just in time to see her dress disappearing out of the window. She screamed for help, but before she could explain what had happened the thief had escaped.

An Episcopal minister who went to take charge of a congregation had a sad experience. The congregation was a large one for Mexico, and he expected to live in a modern rectory. However, there were no American houses for rent in the town. He was shown to a typical Mexican house, and as he was tired went to bed as soon as the committee had retired.

He was instructed not to place anything movable near the window. He heeded the advice and, drawing a chair near the bed, placed his clothes on it. In the morning when he awoke he was shocked to find that his clothes and shoes were missing. He looked for his grip and saw it near the window. It had been opened and every stitch it contained taken out. The satchel would have been taken, too, if the thief could have pulled it through the iron bars.

The clergyman could not speak a word of Spanish and he was expected to preach his first sermon that morning. He could not go out in a barrel because there was no barrel. The sheet on the bed was a small affair and he was a large man. There was nothing for him to do but sit down on the bed and hope that some of the members of his congregation would come to the house. In about half an hour after the time set for the service the committee which had escorted him to the room in the evening arrived. The rectory was found huddled up on the bed with the little sheet wrapped around him. After explanations had been made the men procured a wagon and went to the station and got the parson's trunk and he was able to dress.

True Riches.
One true heart and a cottage are worth a million mockers and a throne.

BLESSING OF TACT.

OF MORE VALUE THAN BEAUTY, SAYS PARISIENNE.

Possessing This Quality, Woman Has Power to Charm All That Come Within Radius of Her Personality.

What is the most popular quality in woman? "The question was suggested," writes a Parisienne, "by a cosmopolitan reunion of friends in Paris one night recently, and the various opinions given supplied food for thought. The European countries were well represented—half a dozen Parisians, four Spaniards (two of each sex), a Russian, who had had a famous beauty in the years that are gone by, and one Irish woman, who had to represent the British empire in her own person.

"The Parisians, without exception, declared that 'esprit' was the quality which gleaned most love, the Spaniards voted for beauty and the Russian for personal magnetism. The Irish woman tentatively uttered the single word 'tact.' It was a thoroughly enjoyable evening, and every one took part in the discussion with real pleasure, but when 'tact' was the subject-matter it was a case of 11 voices to one. They all agreed that this quality, though eminently desirable, was too impersonal to attract love.

"I wonder if readers of this paragraph will also decide 'tact' as a magnet for love. Personally I think it represents the axle on which the wheels of happy life revolve. Beauty is adorable—the best introduction a woman can have, and one which gives her the right of entry into most places, but it is not enough. 'Esprit' is a dangerous will-o'-the-wisp, which leads its worshippers into uncomfortable positions, for a noted wit can rarely resist the temptation to say a clever thing even when it gives untold pain to some other person.

"If you will think the matter over," continues this critic, "you will see that 'tact' has much to do with the attracting and capturing of the mischievous little blind god! The most beautiful woman in the world will quickly become undesirable if she does not take the trouble to rub one's fur the right way; or, at least, if she does not avoid rubbing it backward! 'Esprit' is a delightful quality in a salon, but do we care to live with it when life is clouded over and when the sun of success refuses to shine? 'Tact'—at its best—is a gift of nature; certainly it cannot be learned. Of course, we can train ourselves to avoid giving offense, and we can cultivate a 'sweet manner,' but the true tact which attracts universal love is born, not made, and of all nature's gifts it is the most desirable.

"The woman who possesses it will never give or permit one kiss too many; she will never ask undesirable questions, she will never see the things which she is not expected to see.

"The woman of inborn tact is a creature of whom men never tire, to whom girls cling. If she be beautiful and witty, so much the better; but she will not let either of these qualities leap to the surface. It is a well-known fact that forgiveness may follow in the train of physical injury, but never in that of wounded vanity; it is equally true that most persons deeply resent being reminded of weaknesses when the weak moment is past. The woman of tact sees all—and sees nothing; hears all—and hears nothing."

Take Quail in Nets.
Netting quail for market is a business of considerable extent along the northern shores of the Mediterranean sea and particularly in Egypt.

The first netting takes place in the autumn, when the birds pass from their northern breeding grounds to spend the winter in the south; the second is in the spring, when they journey from their winter resort back to the familiar breeding grounds.

Made of gray twine, so as to be as near invisible as possible, these long nets are spread across the line of flight of the birds, the quail are attracted to their doom in various ways.

Sometimes artificial calls are used with great effect.

In certain parts of the Greek archipelago the first victims are made to entice others into the nets. These early captives are blinded and set in cages in the sun. They begin to sing and the great flocks that follow hear the song and seek to learn its sources.

Cold Job for the Under Man.
Some years ago an Irishman, not long from the old country, secured a job cutting ice. The foreman gave Pat an ice saw (ice in those days was cut by hand) and told him to go on the pond and go to work cutting ice. Now, Pat had seen a crosscut saw that is used in cutting logs, that requires a man on either end, and, as the saw that the foreman gave him resembled the crosscut he had seen, he supposed it required two men to work it; so, seeing another man standing near, when he was to commence cutting, he said: "Say, friend, I'll toss up a cent to see who goes below."

Belief.
"You should cultivate a more cheerful disposition," said Mr. Cheerup. "Believe in the honesty of human nature."

"Yes," answered the man with the acid countenance, "most everybody does till he has indorsed notes for a few people."

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For Congressman, Eleventh District—
A. B. DARRAGH of St. Louis.

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For State Senator—
FRED C. WETMORE of Cadillac.

A. B. Darragh Renominated

Nine Counties for. With only Three Against.

Hon. A. B. Darragh defeated George G. Covell for the Congressional nomination in the Eleventh District by about 1900 majority. As will be seen by the table below Mr. Covell was never in it for a moment.

FOR DARRAGH:	
Autrim	27
Chare	168
Gratiot	904
Isabella	471
Kalkaska	163
Mecosta	126
Missaukee	26
Oscoda	165
Roscommon	60
FOR COVELL:	
Charlevoix	100
Grand Traverse	335
Montcalm	31

Just why Charlevoix County which has benefited as much if not more than any other county in the district by Mr. Darragh's administration, should be one of the three to go for Covell is pretty hard to tell. The vote was tight throughout the district and possibly this was the reason. In South Arm township only 72 votes were cast, 40 being for Darragh, 32 for Covell.

There was no contest for state senator, hence Fred C. Wetmore of Cadillac was a sure winner from the start.

After discovering what was under the lid in Illinois Mr. Bryan ought to be careful how he goes round lifting the others.

Also and likewise, the President may have started the country to talking about spelling reform, in order to put a stop to the talk about a third term.

Mr. Bryan's daughter has written a play, and there is probably no power on earth that will be able to choke off the run of comment about her having a better show than her father has.

Being a presidential candidate two years in advance of the nominations, is not a life of unbroken repose, for the county fair circuit is calling loudly for attractions of this sort.

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The Adventist Camp Meeting.

The regular annual session of the N. Michigan Conference of Seventh Day Adventists is holding a ten day's session in our city.

The Camp is very pleasantly located on the lake front, and fully eighty tents are pitched. Besides these family tents, there is a large pavilion 50x80, where the tent meetings are held, a large dining tent, a large tent for youth's meeting, and another for children's and kindergarten meetings. The Camp is laid out in regular style, with the streets and tents named and numbered. In the large tent, the platform is tastfully decorated, and a choir of about 30, renders excellent music at each of the regular services. The music this year, is under the direction of Elder B. F. Stureman, Flint.

North Michigan Conference comprises all the counties north of the north line of Midland Co. The observers of this faith in this Conference number about 1000, with one half dozen ordained ministers, several licensed ministers and Bible workers, between twenty and twenty-five church school teachers, and many colporteurs.

North Michigan Conference was formerly a part of Michigan Conference, but the state was divided into three Conferences about four years ago, and being a new field comparatively, the denomination is not nearly as strong as in the southern part of the state.

Some have confounded the Seventh Day Adventists with the Mormons. Nothing could be further from the facts in the case, as there is no similarity whatever, in the beliefs and practices of the two denominations. Some have thought that this denomination is the one who set the time for the end of the world, but this charge cannot be laid at the door of the Seventh Day Adventists, for they have never been engaged in that line of business. In fact they teach plainly that no one knows the day nor the hour, although there are many things in the Bible that indicate when the time of Christ's Second Coming is near.

North Michigan Conference is part of what is known as the Lake Union Conference, which is composed of nine local Conferences, comprising those states which touch the Great Lakes.

Among the laborers from abroad, are, Elder Allen Moon, President of this Lake Union Conference, Elder W. D. Curtis, Educational Secy., Professor J. G. Lawson, Religious Liberty Secy., Mr. J. B. Blosser, Field Secy. of the Lake Union Conference, Elder N. W. Kauble, President of the Emmanuel Missionary College, Elder S. M. Butler, Principal of the Cedar Lake Academy, Elder A. G. Haughey, President of the West Mich. Conference, Elder E. K. Slade, President of the E. Mich. Conference, and Mr. S. A. Weltman, of the Port of Spain, Trinidad, West Indies, Editor and manager of the denominational paper among the Islands.

Most of the local Conference workers are present. Messrs. Montgomery and Lewis who have been conducting tent meeting in the village, and their co workers are also taking an active part in the work of the Camp.

A visitor on the grounds, would notice just at the left of the main entry, a small square tent with windows cut in, where everything is arranged for service. You will find in this tent, tastfully arranged, a various assortment of books, pamphlets, and tracts pertaining to the religious faith of the Adventists, and a few food supplies are kept. In the other part of the tent, the Treasurer of the Conference has his office well arranged, with telephone communications with that city. Just at the right of this, is the dining hall where meals are served on American or European plan.

The revelations relative to the packing house in Chicago, do not disturb Adventists very much, as you will find out if you undertake to get a meal at this Cafe, as no meats are served at any time. Tea and Coffee are also taboed, and yet meals served are pleasant and palatable. In fact Adventists rather enjoy uniting the training of the physical man with the mental and moral, and believe that men's capabilities morally, are very largely modified if not wholly changed their method of living. In fact, we understand that Adventists do not like to admit any person to their church as a member, unless they are willing to leave off, all such things as tobacco, coffee, tea, and the excessive use of flesh meats.

While not going to the extreme that some denominations do, in the matter of dress, they believe in discarding the gaudy apparel, and endeavor to live the simple life. The main thing however, that distinguishes Adventists from other denominations, at least in outward appearance, is the fact that they observe the 7th day of the week as Sabbath. They urge the teachings of the Holy writ, that the prophecies have foretold that in the end of the world a people would rise who would bring in a Sabbath reform,

and that these same people would announce the soon coming of the Saviour to this earth in power and glory. These two features of their belief give rise to their name. 7th day (alluding to the day they keep) Adventists (signifying their belief in the second advent of Christ).

The regular services at the Camp Ground are held according to a suitable program, beginning with an early morning meeting at 6 o'clock. Children's meetings at 8, youth's meetings at 9, Conference business session at 10:30, regular preaching service at 2:30, children's meeting again at 4, youth's meeting at 5, with regular preaching service in the evening at 7:30.

Their meals are served at 7 a. m., 12:30 p. m., and then one can get a lunch in the Cafe from 5:30 to 7:00. Regularity seems to be one of the principals of this people, and their Camp is a pleasant place to be.

Smoking is so obnoxious to them that they very much prefer those who indulge in that habit, would leave their "smoke" on the outside of the Camp. One of the general workers is authority for the statement that the denomination is very rapidly on the increase, both in membership and finance, and that there is cause for great joy in the denomination over the progress of the missions which have been established in different parts of the world.

Their meeting last Saturday was an especially interesting one, it taking the form of a revival service in the afternoon, and as a result, 17 were baptized Monday, and there are still others awaiting that ordinance, which Adventists believe must be performed by immersion.

Professor Lamson of Holly, has been giving several studies on Religious Liberty, with special reference to the movement now on foot at the National Capitol, to place an amendment in the Constitution of the United States.

Adventists believe in the education of their children, but do not believe that the state has any right to teach religion, hence they are willing to not only pay their tax to the public school, but contribute liberally for the support

of the denominational school, where their teachers, besides teaching the fundamental branches, can give instruction in the faith of the denomination.

Elder Moon has assisted in the discussion of Religious Liberty questions as he is a man of large experience in the work with legislative assemblies that have had these matters under consideration.

Each night during the rest of the meeting, there will be candid discussions for the reasons of the Adventist faith, and Sunday night, the close of the meeting, has been set apart as a special service, to which a special invitation is offered to the business men of East Jordan to be present, and wish by their presence and financial assistance, their appreciation of having the Camp in our home town this year.

The Adventists spend a lot of money wherever they can. A show or street fair, spends little and takes out much but these people do practically all their buying at our stores, patronize our home pieces of business, and should receive encouragement to come again.

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Briefs of the Week

Fair Sept. 25-26-27.
Change of time card went into effect on the D. & C. last Sunday.
International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago, Dec. 1st to 10th.

Get a County Fair Premium List of either Sec'y Sherman or at this office.
Attend the Millinery Opening of Miss Jennie McFarlane, Sept. 21-22. See adv.

APPRENTICE GIRLS WANTED—Two apprentice girls can secure a good place to learn the millinery trade by applying to Miss JENNIE McFARLANE.

Capt. Frank Richardson, who was in command of the Northern Michigan liner Illinois, when it stranded at Charlevoix last Sunday, has been replaced on that ship by Capt. A. R. Jefferson.

Before Justice Boosinger this week, Mildred Holden, aged fifteen, was arraigned charged with truancy and sentenced to the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian until she is eighteen years of age.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE—Having decided to remove to the West Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haire offer their stock of Household Goods for Sale Cheap. This is an excellent opportunity as they do not wish the trouble of packing and paying freight on same.

The new Clark seed Warehouse is now completed and the management have taken in some 2,000 bushels already. As soon as received, a ten horse power electric motor will be installed and the pickers started to work. The industry makes a handsome addition to East Jordan enterprises.

In "Too Proud to Beg" which comes to the Loveday Opera House on Tuesday night next week the playwright has plunged straight to the heart of things dramatic and his expressions of impulses, his convictions and sense of dramatic color are almost as unerring as the brush of a painter putting a vision on canvas.

Charlevoix is now being furnished with current for their electric lights by the Bellaire Hydraulic Power and Light Company. The plant was tried out Tuesday evening and with the exception of a changed connection at the Charlevoix end of the line everything was found to be in perfect running condition.—Bellaire Independent.

Work at the Fair Grounds is progressing nicely. Pres. Graff and Sec'y Sherman with a force of men have been widening and laying the track the past week and now have it in excellent shape for the races. Several of the leading horsemen in this district have already agreed to be here with some pretty fast horses and the prospects are for some record breakers. All the booths in the Moral Hall have already been taken and as many more want places who are denied for lack of room. The general exhibit so far promises good in spite of our short crops.

In his effort to equal Hearst in his appeals to the radical element of the democrat party, Bryan announced his favor for government ownership and control of railroads, in the course of his home coming address. And now there is blood in the democratic moon a war in the democratic camp. Folk and Waterson and the party leaders of most strength and widest influence say that such a declaration in the next democrat national platform will insure defeat. The south will oppose the adoption of such a federal ownership scheme and Bryan's favor for it will weaken him throughout the north and west as well as in the south.

A Full Line of Men's and Boy's Clothing to go at One Quarter Off, at the Boston Store.

Fair's a comin'.
See the Bargains in Shoes offered by the Boston Store.

Archie Misenar, with the Crescent Art Co., was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Raino returned first of the week from her visit with Canadian friends.

Arthur Warne left Monday for Big Rapids where he takes a course in the Ferris Institute.

Mrs. D. W. Keenbolt's sister, Mrs. Julia Spencer and mother, of Allegan county, is here visiting.

W. P. Squier returned first of the week from a trip to Chicago, South Haven, and other places.

Bert Lorraine left Monday for Traverse City where he has accepted a position as ad compositor on the Herald.

Miss Grace Heron has returned to her home in New York, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Cottrell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haire and family leave for the southwest in October and intend to make their future home out there.

Mrs. L. A. Hoyt and sister, Miss A. M. Knave are receiving a visit from their nephew, Bert Jackman of Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. Ward Ainslie is entertaining her niece Miss Flossie Hensen and the latter's friend Miss Charnon Stoneburner, of Kalamazoo.

C. G. Warden was at Sheboygan Falls, Wis., last week, called thither by the death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Weller of Detroit are here guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Porter. Mr. Weller was formerly in the photographic business here.

Wm. Gilbert and family moved to Traverse City last week, where Mr. Gilbert has steady employment at his trade. They have been residents of East Jordan some 25 years.

The P. L. A. Society will hold a sale of BAKED GOODS this Saturday afternoon and evening in the Monroe building next to Warne's Pharmacy. Sale for the benefit of the church organ fund.

The fourth quarterly M. E. Meeting was held Saturday evening. Presiding Elder Ferguson was in charge. Yearly reports were received and the church affairs found to be in excellent shape. By a unanimous vote the Conference was asked to return Rev. George Allan to the charge here another year.

Lincoln J. Carter's latest effort, "Too Proud to Beg" which comes to the Loveday Opera House on Tuesday night is an assured and positive success. It is a comedy drama of the cleanest type having every essence of human interest and is without doubt one of the best plays of this prolific authors and producer.

A dastardly plot to blow up one end of our town was discovered Thursday morning. A lady was about to hang out some clothes to dry when she discovered several sticks of dynamite in the grass. Several of the neighboring women quickly assembled and one told of a rumor that our Village President and Marshal were overheard in a conversation the previous evening discussing an attempt about to be made to blow up our burg. Enough here was the evidence of the plot. A messenger was dispatched post haste for Marshal Johnson. The arm of the law made a rush for the scene. Several old telephone batteries were found surrounded by an excited group. At this writing the town is still intact.

At Cost—A Few Trunks and Suits at Cost.—Stroebel Bros.

See Danto for Shoes.

Mrs. Bert Seymour is quite ill, Dr. H. B. Lehner was a Detroit visitor first of the week.

Miss Ethel Fortune is assisting in the East Jordan Lumber Co.'s store.

Miss Mabel Malpass is at East Lake where she teaches the coming year.

Empey Bros. shipped a two hundred dollar line of furniture to Deward this week.

The M. E. Ladies Aid meet with Mrs. Geo. Bowen next Wednesday afternoon.

We are in position to give you the greatest quantity to select from and the lowest prices in Northern Michigan.
EMPEY BROS.

Besides being a vehicle for the introduction of sensational scenes, beautiful stage settings and startling mechanical effects, "Too Proud to Beg" which will be presented at Loveday Opera House on Tuesday night contains an intensely interesting story, told in a natural way and acted by an exceptionally clever company.

WANTED:—One Hundred head of Young Stock to PASTURE. Good feed. Good water. No. 1 fences. Almost at your own price.—MAX SCHEFFLES.

At the M. E. church, Sunday, the Rev. George Allan will discourse on following topics: Morning, "Power, Love, Life; or the Manifestation of the Eternal Mind to Human Comprehension"; Evening, "The Possibility of Uselessness, or Our actions in their Relations to Destiny." This is the last Sunday in the conference year and it is hoped that the audience will be large as possible.

Bad Fire at Empire.

Empire, Aug. 31.—The most disastrous fire in the history of Leelanau county visited this village at eleven o'clock last night, destroying the double mill, car shops, blacksmith shop and machine shop of the Empire Lumber Co. entailing a loss of \$80,000 covered with but \$32,000 insurance.

The alarm was given by night watchman Mike Bröder who found that the fire had gained such headway that no means for the staying of its awful onslaught were at hand, the great effort being to prevent a general conflagration of the entire village. Three hundred citizens turned out and organized into a bucket brigade their heroic efforts to save the village being successful.

This is the second fire to raze the mills of the Empire Co. to the ground, a similar conflagration sweeping everything before it several years ago. But the milling property at that time was not so extensive hence the losses were not so great.

By the complete destruction of the milling industry employment of 200 men residents of the Village of Empire is swept away as the village itself was the natural outgrowth of the Empire Lumber Co., which by establishing upon the site brought with it, a store, blacksmith and machine shop, scores of teams and consequently employment for a thriving village.

E. R. Dalley is the local manager and prospects are that the entire plant will be rebuilt at once.

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E. J. & S. Excursions.

West Michigan State Fair at Grand Rapids, Sept. 10th to 13th; one fare plus 50 cents. Return limit Sept. 15th

A new rope factory has been opened in Texas but it is too early whether this means a new brand of cigars or a revival of the lynching industry.

The West Side schools opened Monday with an enrollment of 125. Henry Winters is Principal; Miss Bell (sister of Mrs. Lou Otto) a student of Oberlin College, has the grammar department; and Miss Grace Keenbolts has the primary.

The Literary Club held its first meeting for the new year Thursday, Sept. 6th, at Mrs. M. H. Robertson's. The program opened with greetings and address by President Mrs. D. C. Loveday, which was full of thoughts worthy of mention. The music consisted of vocal selections given by the Misses Agnes Porter and Blanche Robertson, Mrs. A. J. Sufferer accompanist. Vacation echoes and books read was discussed for roll call. Meet next week with Mrs. J. W. Empey.

Gasoline and Oil Stoves at a Bargain.—Stroebel Bros.

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Misses Nell Maddaugh, Eva Mackie and Clio McKee left Sunday to take charge of their schools in Boyne Valley, Hudson and Chandler townships respectively. Grace Gregory has the Roberts District; Lottie Carson, Bills district; Katy Kennedy, Knop district; Lou A. Rice; Chaddock district; Ruth Dillman, Ranney district; Lottie Robinson, Alton; Lilla Cliff, Advance; Kate McDonald, Mountain School; Anna Murphy, Walker district; Maud Crowell, Brown district; Miss Mitchell Ironton; Clarence H. Dewey, Beers district.

The Labor Day contests were won by the following: Boy's Running Race—Ernest Wickett 1st, Joe Donjon 2nd, John Shiers 3rd, 100 yd. dash—Guy Hunsburger, Clyde Hunsburger. Potato Race—David Burney, Wickett, Shiers. Half mile Race—Guy Hunsburger, Clyde Hunsburger, Frank Aikens. Shoe Race—Wickett, Jack Weikel, Oscar Larsen, D. Burney. Fat Men's Race—Steffes, Dixon. Wheelbarrow Race—C. Hunsburger, Guy Hunsburger. Running Broad Jump—Whittington, Maddock. Running High Jump—Whittington, Maddock. Hose Fight—Maddock and Montroy, Hulbert and Gurner. Tug of War—Dixon team. Two local teams participated in the ball game, the team with a Springvale battery winning a five-inning contest by 5 to 4.

Light and Heavy Harness.—Stroebel Bros.

The red hot state campaign which candidate Kimmerle was to put into operation so promptly after the democrat state convention had made him its candidate for governor, shows little signs as yet of even the slightest motion or life. Mr. Kimmerle will be doing Governor Warner a service of importance and value if he shall succeed in arousing sufficient interest in the democrat candidate to secure interest and activity on the part of Michigan Republicans. The people of Michigan are better satisfied with the conditions of the state affairs than they have been for many years, and that condition of mind is not conducive to red hot state campaigns. Mr. Kimmerle, however, is kindly urged in behalf of his esteemed political opponents to go ahead and do the best he can in that direction.

Millinery Opening Friday and Saturday, September 21st-22nd.

My entire stock of Fall and Winter Millinery will be opened for inspection on the above dates.

I am prepared to show a Beautiful and Complete Line of Ladies', Misses', and Children's Hats, including some of the latest city styles and colors.

MISS JENNIE McFARLANE,

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SERIAL STORY

A FOOL FOR LOVE

By FRANCIS LYNDE
Author of "The Graters," Etc.

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.
Here the matter rested, and, having done what she conceived to be her charitable duty, Virginia was anxious to get away as heartily as the heart of a slightly bored Reverend Billy, for instance—could wish.
So they bade Adams good-by and picked their way down the frozen embankment and across the ice bridge; down and across and back to the Rosemary, where they found a perturbed chaperon in a flutter of solicitude arising upon their mysterious disappearance and long absence.

CHAPTER VI.
While the technologist was dispensing commissary tea in iron-stone china cups to his two guests in the "dinkey" field office, his chief, taking the Rosemary's night run in reverse in the company of Town Marshal Biggin, was turning the Rajah's coup into a small Utah profit.

Having come upon the ground late the night before, and from the opposite direction, he had seen nothing of the extension grade west of Argentine. Hence the enforced journey to Carbonate only anticipated an inspection trip which he had intended to make as soon as he had seated Adams firmly in the track-laying saddle.

Not to miss his opportunity, at the first curve beyond Argentine he passed his cigar case to Biggin and asked permission to ride on the rear platform of the day coach for inspection purposes.
"Say, partner, what do you take me for, anyhow?" was the reproachful rejoinder.

"For a gentleman in disguise," said Winton, promptly.
"Sm'larly, I do you; savvy? You tell me you ain't goin' to stampeade, and you ride anywhere you blame please. See? This here—C. & G. R. outfit ain't got no surcingle on me."
Winton smiled.

"I haven't any notion of stampeading. As it happens, I'm only a day ahead of time. I should have made this run to-morrow of my own accord to have a look at the extension grade. You will find me on the rear platform when you want me."
"Good enough," was the reply; and Winton went to his post of observation.

Greatly to his satisfaction, he found that the trip over the C. & G. R. answered every purpose of a preliminary inspection of the Utah grade beyond Argentine. For 17 of the 20 miles the two lines were scarcely more than a stone's throw apart, and when Biggin joined him at the junction above Carbonate he had his note-book well filled with the necessary data.

"Make it, all right?" inquired the friendly bailiff.
"Yes, thanks. Have another cigar?"
"Don't care if I do. Say, that old fire-eater back yonder in the private car has got a mighty pretty gal, ain't he?"
"The young lady is his niece," said Winton, wishing that Mr. Biggin would find other food for comment.

"I don't care; she's pretty as a Jersey two-year-old."
"It's a fine day," observed Winton; and then, to background Miss Carteret effectually as a topic, "How do the people of Argentine feel about the opposition to our line?"
"They're red-hot; you can put your money on that. The C. & G. R.'s a sure-enough tail-twister where there ain't no competition. Your road'll get every pound of ore in the camp if it ever gets through."

"I suppose you stand with your townsmen on that, don't you?" he ventured.
"Now you're shouting; that's me."
"Then if that is the case, we won't take this little holiday of ours any longer; we can help. When the court business is settled—it won't take very long—we'll stop at the Buckingham hotel, and you'll see."

"Winton shook his head. "There isn't a Buckingham here, Peter. It's a big chunck that the large town down Marshall at us."
The time the train was slowing into Carbonate, and a few minutes after the stop at the crowded platform they were making their way up the single bustling street of the town to the courthouse.

"Ever see so many tin-horns and bunco people bunched in all your round-ups?" said Biggin as they elbowed through the uneasy, shifting groups in front of the hotel.
"Not often," Winton admitted. "But it's the luck of the big camps; they are the dumping grounds of the world while the high pressure is on."
The ex-range rider turned on the courthouse steps with narrowing eyes.
"There's Sheeny Mike and Big Otto and half a dozen others right there in the trap," of the Buckingham that

couldn't stay to breathe twice in Argentine. And this town's got a police!" the comment with lip-curling scorn.
"It also has a county court which is probably waiting for us," said Winton; whereupon they went in to appease the offended majesty of the law.

As Winton had predicted, his answer to the court summons was a mere formality. On parting with his chief at the Argentine station platform, Adams' first care had been to wire news of the arrest to the Utah headquarters. Hence Winton found the company's attorney waiting for him in Judge Whitcomb's courtroom, and his release on an appearance bond was only a matter of moments.

The legal affair dismissed, there ensued a weary interval of time-killing. There was no train back to Argentine until nearly five o'clock in the afternoon, and the hours dragged heavily for the two, who had nothing to do but wait. Biggin endured his part of it manfully till the midday dinner had been discussed; then he drifted off with one of Winton's cigars between his teeth, saying that he should "take poison" and shoot up the town if he could not find some more peaceful means of keeping his blood in circulation.

It was a little after three o'clock, and Winton was sitting at the writing table in the lobby of the hotel elaborating his hasty note-book data of the morning's inspection, when a boy came in with a telegram. The young engineer was not so deeply engrossed in his work as to be deaf to the colloquy.

"Mr. John Winton? Yes, he is here somewhere," said the clerk in answer to the boy's question; and after an identifying glance, "There he is—over at the writing table."
Winton turned in his chair and saw the boy coming towards him; also he saw the ruffian pointed out by Biggin from the courthouse steps and labeled "Sheeny Mike" lounging up to the clerk's desk for a whispered word with the bediamonded gentleman behind it.



What followed was cataclysmal in its way. The lounge took three staggering lurches towards Winton, brushed the messenger boy aside, and burst out in a storm of maudlin invective.

"Sign yerself 'Winton' now, do ye, ye low-down, turkey-trodden!"
"One minute," said Winton, curtly, taking the telegram from the boy and signing for it.
"I'll give ye more'n ye can carry away in less'n half that time—see?" was the mimatory retort; and the threat was made good by an awkward buffet which would have knocked the engineer out of his chair if he had remained in it.

Now Winton's eyes were gray and steadfast, but his hair was of that shade of brown which takes the tint of dull copper in certain lights, and he had a temper which went with the red in his hair rather than with the gray in his eyes. Wherefore his attempt to placate his assailant was something less than diplomatic.

"You drunken scoundrel!" he snapped, "if you don't go about your business and let me alone, I'll turn you over to the police with a broken bone or two!"
The bully's answer was a blow delivered straight from the shoulder—too straight to harmonize with the fiction of drunkenness. Winton saw the sober purpose in it and went battle-mad, as a hasty man will. Being a skillful boxer—which his antagonist was not—he did what he had to do neatly and with commendable dispatch. Down, up; down, up; down a third time, and then the bystanders interfered.

"Hold on!"
"That'll do!"
"Don't you see he's drunk?"
"Enough's as good as a feast—let him go."
Winton's blood was up, but he desisted, breathing threatenings. Whereat Biggin shouldered his way into the circle.

"Pay your bill and let's hike out of this, pronto," he said in a low tone.

"You ain't got no time to fool with a Carbonate justice shop."
But Winton was not to be brought to his senses so easily.
"Run away from that swine? Not if I know it. Let him take it into court if he wants to. I'll be there, too!"

The beaten one was up now and apparently looking for an officer.
"I'm takin' ye all to witness," he rasped. "I was on'y askin' him to cash up what he lose to me last night, and he jumps me. But I'll stick him if there's any law in this camp."

Now all this time Winton had been holding the unopened telegram crumpled in his fist, but when Biggin pushed him out of the circle and thrust him up to the clerk's desk, he bestowed him to read the message. It was Virginia's warning, signed by Adams, and a single glance at the closing sentence was enough to cool him suddenly.

"Pay the bill, Biggin, and join me in the billiard room, quick!" he whispered, pressing money into the town marshal's hand and losing himself in the crowd. And when Biggin had obeyed his instructions: "Now for a back way out of this if there is one. We'll have to take to the hills till train time."

"Didn't take you more'n a week to change your mind about pullin' it off with that tin-horn scrapper in the courts, did it?"
"No," said Winton.

"Taint none o' my business, but I'd like to know what stampeaded you."
"A telegram"—shortly. "It was a put-up job to have me locked up on a criminal charge, and so hold me out another day."
Biggin grinned. "The old b'liester again. Say, he's a holy terror, ain't he?"

"He doesn't mean to let me build my railroad if he can help it."
The ex-cowboy found his sack of chip tobacco and dexterously rolled a cigarette in a bit of brown wrapping paper.

"If that's the game, Mr. Sheeny

Mike, or his backers, will be most likely to play it to a finish, don't you guess?"
"How?"
"By havin' a policeman layin' for you at the train."
"I hadn't thought of that."
"Well, I can think you out of it, I reckon. The branch train is a 'commodation, and it'll stop most anywhere if you throw up your hand at it. We can take out through the woods and across the hills, and mope up the track a piece. How'll that do?"
"It will do for me, but there is no need of your tramping when you can just as well ride."
But now that side of Mr. Peter Biggin which endears him and his kind to every man who has ever shared his lonely roundups, or broken bread with him in his comfortless shack, came uppermost.
"What do you take me for?" was the way it vocalized itself; but there was more than a formal oath of loyal allegiance in the curt question.
"For a man and a brother," said Winton, heartily; and they set out together to waylay the outgoing train at some point beyond the danger limit.

It was accomplished without further mishap, and the short winter day was darkening to twilight when the train came in sight and the engineer slowed to their signal. They climbed aboard, and when they had found a seat in the smoker the engineer of construction spoke to the ex-cowboy as to a friend.

"I hope Adams has knocked out a good day's work for us," he said.
"Your partner with the store hat and the stinkin' cigaroots—he's all right," said Biggin; and it so chanced that at the precise moment of the saying the subject of it was standing with the foreman of track layers at a gap in the new line just beyond and above the Rosemary's siding at Argentine, his day's work ended, and his men loaded on the flats for the run down to camp over the lately laid rails of the lateral loop.

"LET'S HIKE OUT O' THIS, PRONTO!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

CARE OF THE SKIN.

TOO MUCH SUN IS QUITE AS BAD AS TOO LITTLE.

Some Valuable Suggestions from an Authority on the Proper Care of the Complexion—The Effect of Lotions.

By G. Elliot Flint.
(Author Power and Health Through Progressive Exercise.)

The tan craze, so prevalent last year, is abating. A fine coat of tan bespeaks a love of athletics, and it makes one look healthy. But now the fair ones are discovering that too long exposure to a summer sun rather coarsens the skin.

The change, from a beauty viewpoint, is not wholly a bad one; and yet the face may be too assiduously protected as well as too much exposed. Nothing more beautifies the complexion than judicious exposure to sunlight and fresh air. The truth of this is recognized when we observe the pale, sallow complexions that prisoners acquire after even a short confinement, says the Chicago American. Plants that grow in dark places are almost colorless; whereas those exposed to the sun's rays are variegated with the brightest lines.

It is good occasionally to anoint the entire body with oil or glycerin. The application of vaseline, camphor ice or cold cream to the hands, lips and face at night, especially in winter, will keep the skin of those parts soft and pliable and prevent chapping. Exercise, by inducing perspiration and thus getting rid of noxious secretions, does much for the skin's health. In fact anything that tends to raise the general body tone, such as proper diet, plenty of fresh air, etc., conduces to beauty. Clogged pores and deficient perspiratory action are common causes of colds, fever and diarrhea.

Sunbaths are extremely beneficial to the skin; they first redden it, and then it peels, disclosing the new, delicate membrane underneath. But there is a mean in the duration of sunbaths beyond which one should not go. Constant exposure to a torrid sun destroys the skin's natural sensibility, coarsens and roughens it, and, by causing the obstruction and rupture of its capillary arteries, imparts to it the streak-ruddy, weather-beaten appearance that we see in the countenances of most mariners.

The importance to health of exposing the body for a few hours, however, each day to the sunlight cannot be too strongly insisted on. The sun, having remarkable germicidal power, destroys all disease germs; and rooms into which it occasionally enters are more healthful than those into which it never enters. The sun's actinic or chemical rays are great beautifiers.

When the complexion is coarse, covered with blackheads, and of a sallow color, it is because the epidermis is of undue thickness. The rosy lips—parts where the outer skin is thin—of many yellow-complected persons show how essential to beauty is a thorough, though not excessive, desquamation of this first layer. Rubbing the face vigorously with a coarse washcloth wet with soap and water will make one as rosy as a baby. Still another way to thin the epidermis is by dry friction with a coarse towel. If never rubbed even metals become incrustated and dull-looking.

And friction has more than a superficial effect on the skin. By bringing blood to the surface it enlarges the capillaries, which, as I have said, the arteries supply to the derma, and this permanently heightens the skin's color. Again, the increased flow of blood effects a more thorough destruction of fat; that is characteristic of youth. While massage has somewhat the same effect, it is not so pronounced as when it is combined with friction.

The claim has been made that scrubbing the body daily with a flesh brush prolongs life, the argument being that friction, by rousing and accelerating the circulation in the minute vessels of the peripheral parts, which are especially prone to decay in old age, energizes them and thus conduces to longevity. Friction was recommended by some eminent physicians as a panacea for premature decay. At all events simple rubbing with the hand, or preferably with a glove, will restore tone and color to the most lax and pallid skin.

To remove the freckles that often appear on fair-skinned persons who have been exposed to the sun, the frequent application of dilute spirit, or lemon juice, or a lotion formed by adding acetic, hydrochloric, nitric or sulphuric acid, or liquor of potassa to water, until it is just strong enough to slightly prick the tongue, has been recommended.

New Hues Are Warmer.
Colors appear more accentuated. The blues and amethysts are deeper, browns and greens richer and warmer, even the paler tints are more distinct and colorful than of yore. The mauve and orchid tints of this season are certainly very lovely and pure, so are the numerous shades of lilac-leaf green and pea green. Gray in every tone, from London smoke to silver and dove, is worn, and black and white harmonies appear to be popular.

Select Brush Carefully.
The hair brush should have long, soft bristles that will go quite through the hair and remove every particle of dust, and must, above all things, be immaculately clean. A comb is rarely necessary, if the hair is well brushed, but, when used, should be a coarse one.

WORN TO A SKELETON.

A Wonderful Restoration Caused a Sensation in a Pennsylvania Town.

Mrs. Charles N. Preston, of Elkland, Pa., says: "Three years ago I found that my housework was becoming a burden. I tired easily, had no ambition and was fading fast. My complexion got yellow, and I lost over 50 pounds. My thirst was terrible, and there was sugar in the kidney secretions. My doctor kept me on a strict diet, but as his medicine was not helping me, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me at once, and soon all traces of sugar disappeared. I have regained my former weight and am perfectly well."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

A Real Celebrity.
The local pride of the natives of Cape Elizabeth, Me., is so intense that it takes the attitude of pity for all who have the misfortune to dwell elsewhere. This is known to regular summer visitors, and by most of them respected.
One rainy day a newcomer, who had joined the gathering at the store, composed of fishermen and summer visitors, ventured to enumerate some of the distinguished men who had come from Maine.
"There's Longfellow," he said, "and Hannah Hamlin, and James G. Blaine, William Pitt Fessenden, Thomas B. Reed, and—"
Here an old fisherman looked up from his work of splicing grass blades, and broke in:
"Smart? Those fellows smart?" he questioned. "You just come down an' see Josh Pillsbury skin fish!"—Lewiston Journal.

WILD WITH ITCHING HUMOR.

Eruption Broke Out in Spots All Over Body—Cured at Expense of Only \$1.25—Thanks, Cuticura.

"The Cuticura Remedies cured me of my skin disease, and I am very thankful to you. My trouble was eruption of the skin, which broke out in spots all over my body, and caused a continual itching which nearly drove me wild at times. I got medicine of a doctor, but it did not cure me, and when I saw in a paper your ad, I sent you for the Cuticura book and I studied my case in it. I then went to the drug store and bought one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and one vial of Cuticura Pills. From the first application I received relief. I used the first set and two extra cakes of Cuticura Soap, and was completely cured. I had suffered for two years, and I again thank Cuticura for my cure. (Claude N. Johnson, Maple Grove Farm, R. F. D. 2, Walnut, Kan., June 15, 1905.)"

Beit's Deed of Generosity.
One of the many persons who the late Alfred Beit had befriended repaid him with ingratitude and abuse. Later the ingrate fell on evil times. Though down in the gutter, he still had a little shame left and would not ask Mr. Beit for help. The South African diamond magnate sent for one of the unucky one's friends and said: "Go and see So-and-So, ask if he wants any help, and give it to him, but don't let him think it is from me. I have had a difference with him and perhaps it would annoy him!"

Sensible German Idea.
On continental railways and the Rhine steamers there is no miscellaneous scrambling for meals. Instead a steward goes through the train or boat and lists the people who want to eat. Each gets a number, and this insures a seat without crowding or delay.

GAINED 34 POUNDS

Persistent Anæmia Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills After Other Remedies Had Failed.

"When I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills," says Mrs. Nathaniel Field, of St. Albans, Somerset county, Maine, "I was the palest, most bloodless person you could imagine. My tongue and gums were colorless and my fingers and ears were like wax. I had two doctors and they pronounced my trouble anæmia. I had spells of vomiting, could not eat, in fact, did not dare to, I had such distress after eating. My stomach was filled with gas which caused me awful agony. The backache I suffered was at times almost unbearable and the least exertion made my heart beat so fast that I could hardly breathe. But the worst of all was the splitting neuralgia headache which never let me for several weeks. About this time I had had several numb spells. My limbs would be cold and without any feeling and the most deadly sensations would come over me."
"Nothing had helped me until I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in fact, I had grown worse every day. After I had taken the pills a short time I could see that they were benefiting me and one morning I awoke entirely free from pain. The distress after eating disappeared and in three weeks I could eat anything I wanted and suffer no inconvenience. I also slept soundly. I have taken several boxes of the pills and have gained in weight from 120 to 154 pounds and am perfectly well now."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure anæmia because they actually make new blood. For rheumatism, indigestion, nervous headaches and many forms of weakness they are recommended even if ordinary medicines have failed. They are sold by all druggists, or will be sent postpaid, on receipt of price, 60 cents per box, six boxes for \$3.00, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

It's unsafe to bury the dead past—better cremate it.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, relieves all kinds of inflammation, allays pain, cures whooping cough, croup, etc.

What a miserable crowd of pessimists we would be if we could see ourselves as others see us.

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Fear for Cologne Cathedral.
Serious damage to the magnificent central portal of Cologne cathedral is feared. Several large pieces of carved stone have fallen and numerous other portions show signs of loosening. The cathedral, begun in 1248, was not completed until 1880. It is generally regarded as the finest piece of Gothic architecture in the world.

A HEALTHY OLD AGE

OFTEN THE BEST PART OF LIFE

Help for Women Passing Through Change of Life

Providence has allotted us each at least seven years in which to fulfill our mission in life, and it is generally our own fault if we die prematurely.



Nervous exhaustion invites disease. This statement is the positive truth. When everything becomes a burden, and you cannot walk a few blocks without excessive fatigue, and you break out into perspiration easily, and your face flushes, and you get excited and shaky at the least provocation, and you cannot bear to be crossed in anything, you are in danger; your nerves have given out; you need building up at once! To build up woman's nervous system and during the period of change of life we know of no better medicine than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here is an illustration. Mrs. Mary L. Koehne, 371 Garfield Avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes: "I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for years in my family and it never disappoints; so when I felt that I was nearing the change of life I commenced treatment with it. I took in all about six bottles and it did me a great deal of good. It stopped my dizzy spells, pains in my back and the headaches with which I had suffered for months before taking the Compound. I feel that if it had not been for this great medicine for women that I should not have been alive to-day. It is splendid for women old or young, and will surely cure all female disorders."
Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., invites all sick and ailing women to write her for advice. Her great experience is at their service, free of cost.

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DANNY HOGAN'S DIR'Y

By J. A. TIFFANY.

When Rufus Hiperant, in boring for water, came across an old horse shoe, embedded in the rock at a depth of 20 feet, he pronounced it a "durn" curus coincident," and let it go at that. News of the singular find in the village of Somnolton coming to the ears of Mr. Ignatius Ingleton, of Bigville, 50 miles away, set that gentleman in a ferment of excitement. He started for Somnolton immediately.

A gentleman of newly-acquired wealth and leisure, who had sought in many eccentric ways to attract public attention to himself, Mr. Ingleton's real ambition was to effect a footing in learned, scientific circles. As one means to this end, he had joined the County Archaeological society; and had succeeded in having himself elected president.

Mr. Ingleton's visit to Somnolton was conducted with as much of secrecy as possible. Six months later, he invited the members of the Archaeological society to accompany him on an excursion to that village, promising them a rare treat.

He chartered a special car for the occasion; and it was not until the party was well started on its journey that the president enlightened any of his guests as to the real object of the trip.

Then, Mr. Ingleton told them that, in the previous spring, hearing of a most remarkable find at Somnolton, he had at once proceeded to that village and purchased eight acres of land immediately surrounding the spot at which the discovery had been made. For months past, he had had a gang of men digging and delving in this tract; and he himself had personally sifted thousands of tons of earth and rubbish that they had thrown up.

He announced, with a singular mixture of pride and modesty, that he had found many things of immense archaeological interest and historic value. The present party, he said, would be the first persons to view the results of his labors.

On their arrival at Somnolton, the president conducted his guests to the scene of excavations, the entire tract being enclosed by a high boarding. He let them in at a small gate, and led them to a one-story brick building of recent erection.

Inside, he showed them skeletons and other objects of interest, which he informed them, had been found buried under the solid rock, and in many cases actually embedded therein.

After an excellent dinner at the village hotel, the company repaired to the schoolhouse to hear the president's address; and many of the villagers came in and occupied seats near the door.

After telling of the news of the finding of the horse shoe—which first brought him to Somnolton—Mr. Ingleton gave them figures, showing the number of tons of rock and earth that had been blasted and dug up; and dwelt in detail upon the skeletons and other objects that had been found, all pointing to the presence of man in this locality in the early twilight of the ages.

Here, he said, they found a city buried at a depth of 20 to 30 feet, under the solid rock and clay—not as one found cities in the old world—buried under two or three feet of earth, which had accumulated naturally in the course of a few centuries.

"Here," he went on, "we have traces of a civilization so remote that the brain reels in the attempt to conceive any adequate idea of its antiquity. Here, my friends, a civilized people lived and loved and wrought and died, sons and sons ago.

"That it was no rude, barbaric people that inhabited this region, but a race learned in letters and skilled even in those manufactures the origin of which we are wont to arrogate to our own generation, is sufficiently evidenced by this interesting fact:

"Under the skull of a venerable sage—whose skeleton you have seen for yourselves (the skeleton numbered 5), we found, in a remarkable state of preservation, a roll of manuscript, written in a language unknown at the present day—strange hieroglyphics, my friends, cabalistic signs—pregnant with the wisdom of an intellect infinitely superior to that of man as he is to-day.

"But, still more remarkable, perhaps, than the writings themselves, is the fact that they are done upon paper—upon paper much the same in texture as that now in common use. Somewhat coarse, it may appear to us; but the marvel is that it should have endured at all, after the flight of an eternity.

"I frankly confess, my friends, that I am not deeply learned in philological lore; but, at the proper time, these manuscripts will be submitted to experts; and my impression is that in these cabalistic signs will be traced an affinity to the Ancient Sanskrit.

"The grandeur of Egypt's pyramids, the mysterious inscriptions of the ruined temples of Central America pale in interest before these priceless manuscripts that, so near our own homes, we have wrested from the heart of Mother Earth, where they have reposed in peace and security from an infinite antiquity."

As the cheers that greeted the president's peroration subsided, the village patriarch rose in the rear of the room and asked permission to say a few words.

"I'm no scholar," he went on; "and

I'm not a bit scientific. In fact, there is than as thinks that Gran'pa Whiteley's nothing but a damned old fool, any way; and maybe you'll think the same when I've got through.

"But before you begin burning your Bibles or set to work rewritin' history, I want to give you a few pointers about these strange writin's that you've found.

"Sixty years ago I came to this place, where the village of Somnolton now stands; and here I've lived ever since. The place was wild and rugged, with an unfinished look; seemed as if the Lord had left it that way when the 12 o'clock whistle blew, and then forgot to come back and finish up.

"There were ten families, besides a few young unmarried men. We worked along at farming and home-building for about six years, happy and contented; and then typhus fever broke out and carried off most of the poor little children.

"Mary Hogan, the girl as I was going with, had a little brother named Danny, who had a great notion of learning to read and write. As there wasn't nobody to teach him, he used to scribble on any piece of paper that he could get hold of, and try to make letters same as he saw in his mother's Bible.

"Well, Mary died, and when they put her in the coffin, Danny cried for them to put his 'Dir'y' in there along with his sister. 'Y see, he used to call the stuff he scribbled on odd bits of paper his 'Dir'y,' an' this 'dir'y' and his sister Mary were the two things he loved most in the world, so he wanted them to go together.

"I was kind of broke up after Mary's death, and went away to the city for a time to forget my trouble. "One day as I was coming back, riding my old nag, I'd got within about two miles of the settlement, when I hears a terrible rumbling noise. Looking towards the village I sees a tremendous cloud o' dust, w' stones an' all sorts of things fling. Seemed as if the hull mountain was a-fallin' down top of the place.

"By the time I reached the spot where my home should have stood, tons of earth and rock had fallen on the village, burying it to a depth of more'n 20 foot. Every man, woman an' child perished. I was the only one out of the original 60 settlers left alive.

"I couldn't tear myself away from the place where all my friends lay buried, so built myself a shanty, and I've lived to see the village grow up again.

"That's all I had to say. You've found traces of an extinct civilization, all right; but it's only been extinct about 54 years.

"These skeletons you've dug up are the bones of my friends that were buried in the landslide; and the ancient writin' as y'r puzzlin' over is Danny Hogan's Dir'y—written on scraps of paper that sugar an' candies and 'bacey came wrapped up in."

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WAS NAPOLEON AN EPILEPTIC?

Not So Proven, Though He Had Auditory Illusions.

The question of whether or not Napoleon Bonaparte was an epileptic will perhaps never be settled conclusively. It has lately been studied anew by Dr. Cabanes in a contribution to a work entitled "Les Indiscretions de l'Histoire," and in the Progress Medical for July. M. J. Noir presents us with an abstract of Cabanes' essay. In favor of a negative answer to the question—it may be said that no competent observer seems to have left a record of having seen the great soldier in a frank epileptic fit, and we confess that we can accord but little significance to the so-called stigmata on which Lombroso and his adherents lay stress.

On the other hand, the nervous peculiarities of Napoleon seem to mark him as at least a highly neurotic individual, and history has handed down the story of some strange traits in his family that support this inference. We are reminded by M. Cabanes that Napoleon's father was a toper and a man lacking in moral sensibility, also that his sisters, particularly Pauline, were immodest and hysterical. Napoleon himself was exceedingly sensitive to changes of atmospheric temperature; he often suffered from unilateral headache and appears to have had auditory illusions.

He had a spasmodic affection of the arm, the shoulder and the lips. He was excessively irritable and given to violent outbreaks which made him at times unapproachable. He seems to have had a mania for destruction, so that he whittled pieces of furniture, broke articles that were presented to him, pinched children while he caressed them, and took pleasure in shooting the rare birds with which Josephine had stocked Malmaison. The least opposition set him into a paroxysm of rage.

Napoleon's pulse was habitually very slow, ranging ordinarily between 35 and 38, and never mounting above 55, and this slowness of the pulse is reputed to be common in epileptics. He had periods of excessive depression, and sometimes they amounted to fainting spells. But we may well imagine that his physical defects vanished when a campaign was on, and it would be daring to assert that he was really the subject of epilepsy.—N. Y. Medical Journal.

All Chemically Pure.

The mistaken idea of a few years ago, about Alum in Baking Powders being injurious, no longer prevails, or scarcely exists. It is a well established fact by chemical analysis that Cream of Tartar being less volatile than Alum, when exposed to heat, is not entirely vaporized as is the case with Alum, but leaves a residue in the bread, which is injurious. Alum, on the contrary, is entirely evaporated while performing its function during process of baking, leaving no atom of injurious residuous substance. The words "Chemically Pure" erroneously used to designate Cream of Tartar from Alum baking powder is a misnomer. Baking Powder made of pure Alum is as chemically pure as made from pure cream of tartar. These words mean nothing more nor less than pure chemicals, and in no way can they imply that one baking powder is Alum and another Cream of Tartar. Alum has been declared to be wholesome; an established fact. Every large water system in the cities along the Missouri river use Alum in large quantities to purify the water before pumping it into their water mains for consumption. Cream of Tartar baking powder is perhaps good enough for any one; Alum baking powder is better, and very much cheaper.

Deadly New Rifle.

Bullets from the new .50-caliber rifles of the United States army whirl with great rapidity. The rifle gives one revolution of the bullet about its axis in ten inches. At the muzzle the velocity of the bullet is 2,300 feet a second, which means 2,700 turns a second, assuming that the bullet does not strip in the filling. The circumference of the bullet is .942 of an inch, which gives a peripheral velocity of 2,600 inches each second, or 13,000 feet a minute.

To keep your auto looking bright use the following mixture for all painted parts: Spirit oil, one-half pint; common kerosene, one-half pint; oil bergamot, one dram. Mix and rub with clean cloth. For all brass work use tripol, one and one-half pounds; any lubricating oil, eight ounces; gasoline, three quarts. This is one of the best cleaners for all polished brass.

If you contemplate buying a medium priced automobile and want to be certain of securing a car suitable for touring on country roads, up hill as well as down hill, you will make no mistake in buying either a Buick, Maxwell, Mitchell, Reo, Knox, Franklin or Queen. These range in price from \$750 to \$2,000.

MORE PULQUE BEING DRUNK.

Mexico City Gets Away With 800,000 Litres—Every Day.

The consumption of pulque in Mexico city is rapidly increasing, and the hauling of the drink is becoming one of the principal sources of revenue on a number of lines entering the city.

On nearly every railroad entering the city a special pulque train is run into the city daily and many of the regular freight trains carry large numbers of cars containing the popular drink.

During the month of June three railroads, the Hidalgo, the Mexican and the Interoceanic, carried into the city 59,861 barrels and 334 skins full of the pulque gathered within a radius of sixty miles of the city. The National, the Central and the smaller lines brought in an amount probably half as great.

Allowing that the population of Mexico city is 400,000 men, women and children, the quantity of pulque brought into the city daily is sufficient to supply almost two liters to every individual. Do you drink your share? During the month of June 14, 1905, 290 liters of pulque were brought into the city, as in one barrel there are 250 liters and in one skin 60 liters. During each day of the month an average of 748,263 liters was brought to the city.

The amount thus reckoned is exclusive of the pulque brought to the city in wagons and on muleback from the nearby haciendas.

GOOD AND HARD.

Results of Excessive Coffee Drinking.

It is remarkable what suffering some persons put up with just to satisfy an appetite for something.

A Mich. woman says: "I had been using coffee since I was old enough to have a cup of my own at the table, and from it I have suffered agony hundreds of times in the years past. "My trouble first began in the form of bilious colic, coming on every few weeks and almost ending my life. At every attack for 8 years I suffered in this way. I used to pray for death to relieve me from my suffering. I had also attacks of sick headache, and began to suffer from catarrh of the stomach, and of course awful dyspepsia.

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"No wonder I condemn coffee and tea. No one could be in a much more critical condition than I was from the use of coffee. Some doctors pronounced it cancer, others ulceration, but none gave me any relief. But since I stopped coffee and began Postum I am getting well so fast I can heartily recommend it for all who suffer as I did." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville." "There's a reason."

North Dakota Solves the Adulteration Problem.

North Dakota seems to have found the key to the question, "How shall we protect the people from frauds in manufactured products?" A new law has recently gone into effect designed to make it impossible to deceive people into buying inferior and adulterated paint under the impression that they are getting real paint, viz.: pure white lead and linseed oil.

The North Dakota lawmakers did not attempt to absolutely prohibit the inferior pigments, or mixtures of pigments. They adopted the slogan, "Let the label tell," and then left to the people to buy whichever they wished.

Under this plan, if any one wishes to buy a mixture of rock-dust, ground quartz and other cheap elements which are found in many paints and so-called "white leads," no one can object; for they do it with their eyes open. But if they prefer genuine white lead and linseed oil, they can be sure of getting it, for none but the genuine article can bear a label which says "pure white lead."

In all other States mixtures are often sold as pure white lead which contain little—sometimes no—real white lead.

It would seem that were this same principle applied to food, beverages and all other prepared articles, where deception is practiced upon the buyer, the question would be solved. It would leave us free to buy what we pleased, but would protect us from unwittingly buying what we did not want.

Cruising for Derelicts.

The excellent work in destroying a dangerous derelict last week, begun by the Tacoma and completed by the Columbia, gives renewed point to the suggestion hitherto made in these columns that vessels of the navy of the world might with peculiar profit be employed in tracking and destroying the abandoned hulks which dot the seas and which present one of the most serious dangers to navigation, says the New York Tribune. Of the need that derelicts shall be destroyed as speedily as possible there can be no question. Many known accidents and disasters have been due to them, and there is reason for supposing that many, perhaps most, of the mysterious disappearances of vessels might truly be explained on the ground that they had come into collision with those wandering destroyers. Carrying no lights, making no noise, giving no signal of any kind, often lying so low in the water as to be scarcely perceptible, and heavy and solid—almost against which a vessel can scarcely be guarded in the dark and collision with which is always serious and often disastrous.

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Eugenie's Mission to Austria. The Paris papers still insist that Empress Eugenie went to Iach on a match-making errand. She wishes, it is said, the hand of a granddaughter of Francis Joseph for Princess Louis Napoleon.

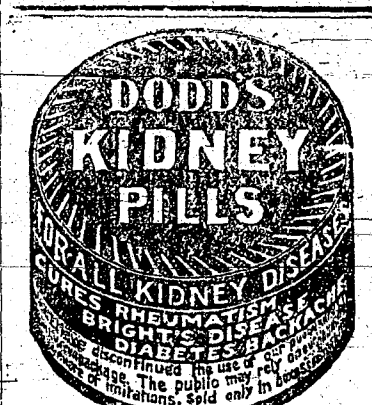
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Atmospheric Poisoning.

The protests against the automobile omnibuses of London have received a powerful reinforcement by a declaration of Sir James Dewar on the chemical basis. He is undoubtedly among the high chemical authorities of the world, and his condemnation of the motor buses and freight vans seems conclusive unless invention provides innocuous motive power.

Sir James Dewar states that the combustion of petrol or gasoline in these motors throws off vast quantities of noxious gases. Some of these are absolutely poisonous and all injurious. He holds that the air of London is bad enough already without the addition of carbonic acid gas, the sulphurous gases, and worst of all, the asphyxiating carbonic oxide. Moreover, while he admits that science can improve motors, he declares that it is impossible for it to burn petrol and render the resulting gases innocuous.



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WILSON.
 A small vote polled Primary election on Tuesday.
 Miss Ruby Shepard spent the past week at her home in this place.
 Supervisor Smith made a business trip to Charlevoix last Saturday.
 Arthur Graves and family moved back on their farm in Wilson last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Haynor of East Jordan visited relatives in Afton, Sunday.
 Richard Lewis and family made a trip to Bear Lake the first of the week.
 John Hudkins and family visited his brother Marlon, in this place, on Sunday.
 The severe frosts Saturday and Monday mornings did considerable damage to corn and potatoes in this vicinity.
 John W. Isaman, accompanied by his two daughters, visited his daughter, Mrs. Irving Thompson in Echo last Sunday.
 Co. Clerk Lewis came up from Charlevoix on Saturday and remained with his family until Tuesday afternoon.
 Elmer Haynor has sold his team to Dan Caton and has gone back to White's Camp to work. His family will remain on the farm for the present.
 Miss Belle Saunders who has been staying with her aunt in Southern Michigan the past year, returned home last Friday. She was accompanied by her cousin and a friend who came North for a short visit.

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 No more wonderful pleasure resort exists than Chicago's famous water park, "The Chutes."
 Its fame is international. This season it offers two sensations which have set the big city agog. One is "Elter," the Beautiful Mystery of the Lake, and the other King Humboldt's Royal Italian Band, led by Maestro Francesco Pozzi. The "Banda Italiana Abruzzi" is an organization of forty skilled musicians, which created a furore in Europe. It is touring the world and will delight the Chutes' patrons this summer.
 "Elter," who is a beautiful young woman, emerges from the depths of the lake and disappears beneath its waves like a fabled nymph. Her marvelous feat amazes and mystifies.
 "Shooting the Chutes" over the biggest artificial cascades in the world is the favorite pastime of Chicago. Shouting and laughing throngs descend the glistening cascades with the speed of the wind until their gay gondolas splash in the lake and glide swiftly forward on foam-crested waves to a placid harbor.

While Pozzi's big band fills the park with majestic strains, delighted celebrants are whirled through mid-air at marvelous speed; phantom cars flash across the horizon laden with gaily attired children and young women; mist of opalescent spray cool the beautiful park; its blue lake glistens and scintillates under the glorious sun and against the blue sky flutter and gleam countless flags and vari-colored lights.
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9:20	Wards	4:40	
9:25	Jordan River	4:35	
9:30	Graves' Camp	4:30	
9:40	Green River	4:20	
10:50	Alba	3:58	
11:40	Deward	3:00	
12:25	Frederic	2:25	

 CLARK HAIRE, General Manager.

East Jordan & Southern R. R.
 TIME TABLE
 (In effect June 24, 1906)
 LEAVE EAST JORDAN at 8:30 a. m., and 1:30 p. m.; Arriving at Bellaire at 9:30 a. m., and 2:30 p. m.
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