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Excellent Attractions

For the Charlevoix County Fair at East Jordan Sept. 24-25-26.

Our County Fair is now within only a little over a week hence and everything points to one of the best attractions ever offered by the Association. Liberal premiums are being offered in every division and already there is the promise of a big exhibit.

In the line of attractions, outside of the horse-racing, there will be a Balloon Ascension each day. The Martin Balloon Co. of Grand Rapids are under contract to give three ascensions with their famous Torpedo-Explosion parachute descent. In this act the parachute is enclosed in a canvas globe and when the proper height is reached, man and parachute are apparently blown to atoms only to appear in a moment in a graceful descent.

The Committee in charge of the Band Music are in correspondence with several good bands and will contract within a few days.

Secretary Brintnall is anxious to have all entries for exhibits made the first day of the Fair and wishes all who have such to make their plans accordingly.

The Grand Stand is being enlarged to care for the crowds which increase from year to year. Below we give a list of the races scheduled.

WEDNESDAY—	Purse
3:00 Class, trot or pace	\$100 00
2:18 Class, trot or pace	200 00
Novelty Race—1 mile walk, 1 mile trot, 1 mile go-as-you-please	25 00
THURSDAY—	Purse
2:40 Class, trot or pace	\$150 00
Free for all	200 00
Running Race	100 00

In addition to dancing and other side attractions The Electric Theatre will run several sets of views and songs each day and Loveday Opera House will be open two nights with a couple of A-1 attractions.

Every effort is being made by the officers of the Association and our citizens to make this a banner year and they invite the people of this and adjoining counties to come and enjoy the event.

WILSON.

Plenty of rain. Delos Hunt spent a few days in Advance and vicinity recently.

Miss Eva Mackey of East Jordan began school in Afton last Monday morning.

Charles Clark has been the guest of his sister Mrs. Elmer Haynor the past few days.

Mrs. Arwilda Saunders and children of Boyne visited relatives in Wilson over Sunday.

Miss Mabian Cliffe has been engaged to teach the Bills school this season.

Misses Glennie Vrondran, Agnes Shepard and Gladys Hudkins are attending High School in East Jordan at present.

Mrs. Wm. Burley and children and Miss Pearl Shepard came down from Lakewood the last of the week for a short visit.

Mrs. Thos. Shepard has been enjoying a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rath, who came up from Kent Co. on the excursion last week.

One trouble with independence is that some men think they must make fools of themselves to show it.

There would be nothing doing for the bill collector if people met their other obligations as readily as they give the devil his due.

A good many people announce they are going away "for the summer," then they go away the last week in July, and return the first week in August.

What is a well bred stare? We have read in several of the magazines and books of recent publication of this well bred stare. The stories tell of how the hero meets the heroine and they exchange well bred stares. A stare is a stare, and we cannot see where the well bred part comes in.

A verse that is going the rounds: "A young heiress a lawyer went to see, to give his advice on her property; the lawyer the papers carefully read, then turning to the girl he said, 'You have a nice fat legacy.' When next he awoke, lying in bed, with handgags wrapped about his head, He wondered what the devil he'd said."

"As Told in The Hills."

"As Told in The Hills"—which appears at Loveday Opera House next Thursday night, Sept. 19th—is one of the few plays produced this season that has met with deserved success from the first production. The charming love story which contributes largely to the success of the production is one of intense interest, made especially romantic through the conception of the two prominent characters, Pamnena and Little Fox, an Indian boy and girl who have been adopted and reared by an emigrant and his wife returning from Texas after an unsuccessful attempt to better their lot in the far west.

Pamnena, the girl, is the daughter of Red Wolf, an Indian Chief, who was killed while acting protector for Mr. and Mrs. Howard, who afterwards adopt Pamnena and rear her as their own child. Under the influence of civilization, Pamnena grows to be a beautiful and accomplished young woman, as courageous and true as she is talented. Little Fox, the young Indian brave, who has had the same advantages, falls deeply in love with her but refrains from expressing his devotion until he goes back to his own people and is able to return to Pamnena and offer her a share in a fortune at least equal to her inheritance from her father. Little Fox's return furnishes one of the strong dramatic incidents of the play, for his entrance is just at the time when his sweetheart is being annoyed by the persistent attentions of Jim Dexter, an example of the unprincipled villain who cares more for the girl's wealth than for his own honor. The play is a type of the best American melodrama and does not depend on scenic or mechanical effects for its effects, relying on its dramatic merit and the ability of the excellent company for its success that has been unprecedented.

Mr. Rockefeller says that all he has done he has done in love. In love of what?

Old Hickory chairs are just the thing for the porch. They can be found at Warrington's.

Wellman can soon start on his new series of lectures on "Why I have not started for the North Pole."

An Ohio woman refused in court, to tell her age, and the judge sustained her. Upright—also wise—judge.

Judge Parker has decided never to run for any office again. Colonel Bryan could not find anywhere a nobler example.

Senator LaFollette says graft exists everywhere, but the correctness of that assertion will be doubted by men who have to work hard for a living.

The Pittsburg man who had a two-year old child arrested on the charge of tearing up his lawn has given the country the impression that he is blessed with a disposition like a crosscut saw.

Answers Every Call

Petoskey People Have Found That This is True.

A cold, a strain, a sudden wrench, A little cause may hurt the kidneys. Spells of backache follow.

Or some irregularity of the urine. A certain remedy for such attacks. A medicine that answers every call. Is Doan's Kidney Pills, a true specific.

Many Petoskey people rely on it. Here is Petoskey proof.

Mrs. L. J. Beals, living at 402 Liberty Street, Petoskey, Mich., says: "Mr. Beals suffered severely from aches and pains arising from a disordered condition of the kidneys and other organs seemed to fail to perform their duties properly. We heard of Doan's Kidney Pills being a valuable remedy and he began using them. After a week or so the weakness of the kidneys was corrected and their action became normal. Mr. Beals was so much pleased with the result obtained from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills that he has since then often recommended them to others."

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Resolutions.

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God, the Ruler of the Universe to remove from our midst our sister and friend Mrs. Geo. W. Peck,

And whereas in our departed sister, Peninsula Grange loses one of its honored and efficient workers commanding the respect of all who knew her.

Therefore be it Resolved: That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to her bereaved family and friends in their hour of trouble recommending them to him who doeth all things well; that the flight of the spirit is the second birth and the beginning of its sublime journey in the ethereal world is a thought uplifting and grand.

We think of her as not dead, only our arisen sister whom we hope to meet in the Summer Land.

Resolved: That our Charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, placed on the minutes of the Grange and given to our town papers for publication.

Mrs. Mary Price, Mrs. Anna Ruhling, Mrs. Irena Gunsolus.

Now, watch President Harahan light out for Professor Bill Muldoon's correspondence school, to acquire expertise in dodging, at least.

A Nebraska man and woman have recently been married to each other for the fourth time. There can't be very much truth after all in the old saying that "a burnt child dreads the fire."

"Should wives get salaries?" asks a woman writer in one of the magazines. Men who are in the habit of handing their pay envelopes over every week will think this a rather late day to spring a question like that.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some Little Candy Cold Tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are new dispensing Preventics, for they are not only safe, but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippe, etc. Hence the name, Preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventics 25 cents, Trial Boxes 5 cts. Sold by All Dealers.

The Best Laxative for Children. Parents should see to it that their children have one natural, easy movement of the bowels each day. Do not dose the child with salts or gripping pills, as they are too powerful in effect, and literally tear the little insides to pieces, leaving the bowels weakened and less able to act naturally than before. Laxative Iron-Ox Tablets tone and strengthen the bowels, and stimulate all the little organs to healthy activity. Chocolate coated tablets, easy to take, never gripe or nauseate. 10c, 25c and \$1.00.

A Lazy Liver

May be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. It would be a stupid as well as a savage thing to beat a weary or starved man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging, torpid liver it is a great mistake to lash it with strong drastic drugs. A torpid liver is but an indication of an ill-nourished, enfeebled body whose organs are weary with over work. Start with the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in working order and see how quickly your liver will become active. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs.

If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or variable appetite, coated tongue, flat breath, capricious or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, dependent, frequent headaches, pain or distress in "small of back," gnawing or distressed feeling in stomach, perhaps nausea, or "rises" in throat after eating, and kindred symptoms of weak stomach and torpid liver, no medicine will relieve you more promptly or cure you more permanently than Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Perhaps only a part of the above symptoms will be present at one time and yet point to torpid liver or biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to it until you are vigorous and strong.

The "Discovery" is non-secret, non-alcoholic, is a glyceric extract of native medicinal roots with a full list of its ingredients printed on each bottle wrapper and attested under oath. Its ingredients are endorsed and extolled by the most eminent medical writers of the age and are recommended to cure the diseases for which it is advised.

Don't accept a substitute of unknown composition for this non-secret medicine of known composition.

A recent writer says the need of the day is a new type of driving horse. Perhaps it ought to be a horse that won't climb telegraph poles when it sees an automobile.

"The Democrats must nominate a man on whom all factions can unite," says a Southern contemporary. Just now it looks as if no matter who is nominated all factions will unite in jumping on him.

ke County, in the southwestern corner so far for the precious stones.

ere views on railroads, trusts, and fact, on every subject from the "bug" to the lecturer at his chat qua.

late. This rise of the farmer's national significance is welcome view of the inundation of great by immigrants who have signified only an masse.

The farm is the nursery of individualism. If you are a cliff dweller the city send your boy there, and him see what it means to wealth with the help of nature, rather than with the ticker. You will make him a better American—World To-Day.

BOOSINGER BROS.

There Are Several Points

That are usually looked for when buying a Cloak. One is style, another is beauty, or exclusiveness of design. As a rule you get these because they are visible qualities. But how about the others that are not so readily apparent, such as perfection of detail, wearing qualities, expert tailoring, etc. These are the essentials that develop after you have purchased. You will find them all in the fullest measure in B. H. & K. Garments.

Model 14—A B. H. & K. Leader. Ladies' Coat of fine heavy weight broadcloth. Beautifully silk embroidered, and braided front and back. Gibson effect over shoulder, extra large full sleeve with silk embroidered and braided trimmed turn back cuff. Lined throughout with good quality satin. Can be furnished in black, castor, brown, green, red or tan. **\$16.50**

Model 38—A Misses' Nobby Coat made of all-wool kersey. Has full back, inlaid collar of velvet and braid. New full sleeve with braid and velvet trimmed cuff. Patch pockets. Made in castor, brown or red. **\$11.50**

OPENING. The new "Queen Quality" Shoe fashions for Fall are now ready. Needless to say, they are authoritative and correct beyond question. Why is it that "Queen Quality" Shoes are actually superior to many other makes that cost from one to three dollars per pair more? There is a perfectly logical reason for this.

The originator of the "Queen Quality" Shoe combines with a rare genius for creating beautiful shoes, the still rarer ability to create a factory organization capable of reproducing them in great volume—10,000 pairs per day.



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The large savings this great output effects in buying materials and reducing manufacturing costs, enable the makers to offer these masterpieces of shoemaking at prices that are simply out of the question for the smaller manufacturer who makes but a few hundred pairs per day. We invite you to see our new assortment to prove this.

"QUALITY FIRST OF ALL" Our Motto.

BOOSINGER BROS.

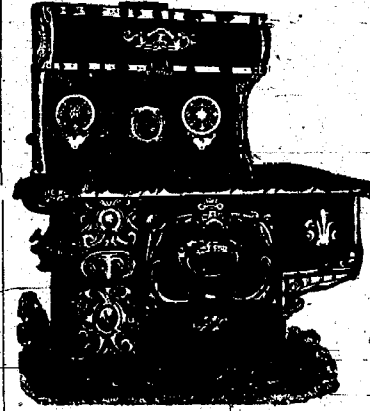
Honk! Honk!

Can you tell the difference between a goose and an automobile, if out of sight around a corner? Hundreds of pleased customers can tell the difference very quickly between our line of Groceries and Meats and those of others. That is why our telephone is on the "jingle" bringing us in orders.

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ASK AGENT TO CALL.

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

Lansing.—If Gov. Warner carries out his present intention to call the legislature together October 7, he may find himself with the legislature and a constitutional convention on his hands at the same time. The constitution provides that members of the legislature may draw pay for only 20 days of a special session, but the legislature may remain in session as long as it pleases without pay. The constitutional convention is to meet October 22, so that if the legislature meets October 7 it may remain in session but 15 days without conflicting with the holding of the convention to revise the constitution. What would happen if the legislature did not conclude its work and refused to adjourn before the date of the convention is a matter of speculation. Probably the convention would have to meet in another hall. In that case, it is asked, how would Paul King as clerk of the house, or E. V. Chilton as secretary of the senate, act as clerk of the convention? Gov. Warner's reasons for wishing to call the legislature a little later than the time originally fixed is that he wishes to accept the invitation of the president to accompany him and the governors of several states on a trip down the Mississippi river from St. Louis to Memphis. As yet the governor adheres to his intention to bring before the legislature only the primary election question, and the appropriation for the Mt. Pleasant Normal school. If there is time he will submit the proposition of an anti-lobby bill, and it is possible that another important matter may be presented to the legislature in a special message. The governor's appointments on the new railway commission will necessarily be submitted to the senate for confirmation. The special session will come just in time to give the members of the legislature the benefit of the two-cent fare law which goes into effect September 28.

Deer Ruining His Crops.

A suit for damages threatens the state in consequence of that provision of game laws which prevents a person from protecting his crops from the invasion of deer by killing the invaders. John M. Greig, living on Whitefish point at the eastern end of Lake Superior, is the man with the grievance. Greig owns a farm at the point, which includes a fine garden from which he usually derives a considerable income. This year, however, the deer have played havoc with his crops, this despite a high fence and unique devices which Greig has installed to frighten the animals. These include life-sized scarecrows and a set of bells operated by wind power; but nothing so far has been able to check or prevent the depredations. Vegetable tops have been eaten to the ground and the garden has the appearance of having been trampled by a herd of cattle. The loss occasioned by the destruction of his crops is considerable, and more than Greig is able to bear. He will take up the question of damages with State Game Warden Pierce, and if he receives no satisfaction from this source will probably begin action in the courts against the state.

Improvements at School for the Blind.

Vacation days are over for the students at the Michigan School for the Blind. When they assembled at the old building they were surprised at the improvements which have been made since the last term. The dormitories have been thoroughly renovated and freshly painted and everything possible done for the ease and convenience of the pupils. Painters and decorators have been at work for several weeks and the halls have been entirely changed, and they present a neat appearance to the most critical eye. Over \$2,000 have been expended in a new cooking system and this will enable the management to feed a larger number of students in a manner more satisfactory than heretofore.

Chicory Crop Is Good.

In another month the packing and shipping of chicory will begin at Port Huron, where there is located the largest chicory factory in the state. In the fall the root crop commences to arrive by train loads, and from fifteen to twenty men and girls are given steady employment. If present signs do not fall the present crop will be even better than a year ago. While the weather has been very unfavorable for the other crops, the chicory plant has been given careful nourishment and it should be very plentiful at the time it is ready for picking.

Fair Is Big Success.

At three a. m. on the morning after the opening of the Michigan state fair Treasurer John McKay of the state fair came down Woodward avenue, Detroit, convoyed by Deputy Sheriff Martz, carrying \$65,000 in cash, the day's receipts at the fair. Several hundred people were at the gates when the grounds opened and many of them had started from home so early that they had neglected their breakfast. They had brought big lunch baskets along, however, and repaired to the grays for breakfast.

Annual Methodist Conference.

Lansing will be the next meeting place of the Methodist Protestant church. The sessions will be held in the new building, which is now well under way. It will be an edifice of decided attractiveness—one of the neatest and handsomest in the state. The denomination is now reaching out to the cities and its marked advance in Lansing is one of the first results of the special endeavor. The congregation is small but enthusiastic and self-sacrificing and the completion of the building and the entertainment of the conference will be important occasions. Rev. W. C. Harger, just reelected president of the conference, lives here. In the session at Gull Lake the conference took a somewhat radical move, voting to bar women from its ministry. The vote on the proposition to forbid the ordaining of women as ministers resulted in a decided endorsement of the dictum of St. Paul. The policy of the denomination at large has been liberal toward women in public life. It was the first of the orthodox denominations to ordain women and one of its earliest ordinations under the new rule was that of Dr. Anna Shaw, the woman suffragist leader and lecturer. W. R. Kinsman is the lay delegate from Lansing to the conference. The attendance is about 300 delegates—clerical and lay. Rev. C. E. Perry, a former pastor of the Main street church, was a candidate for president this time.

To Change Trout Law.

Resenting the action of the legislature in amending the game and fish laws so that the brook trout season closes each year on August 15, upper peninsula sportsmen have launched a movement looking to a concerted appeal to Gov. Warner, asking his cooperation in an effort to have the provision rescinded. With the summer period opening fully a month later than in the territory below the straits, under the new law the best part of the trout season is lost to north country anglers. From April 15 to the latter part of May slush ice and surface water make fishing for trout decidedly discouraging. With the cutting off of 15 days at the end of the season, sportsmen in this part of the country really have but about 45 days of fishing. With the closing provision as it now stands, the novel spectacle is presented of Michigan anglers fishing from the Michigan side into the Wisconsin waters of border streams, and doing so legally, it is claimed. The trout season in the Badger commonwealth, heretofore ending August 15, has been extended to September 1, the legislative action at Madison being directly the reverse of that at Lansing.

Sees "Grafting" in Potatoes.

E. N. Ball of Ann Arbor, secretary of the American Society of Equity, reports about 2,700 acres of potatoes pledged by the growers at 50 cents a bushel at the time of digging. This means about 350,000 to 400,000 bushels. The bean growers are asking \$1.50 a bushel for beans. Ball insists that the advance in price to the producer will not mean an advance in price to the consumer. Potatoes, last year, in some localities, averaged the farmers but 18 or 20 cents a bushel, but retailed at five times that. The Society of Equity believes that somewhere there is a profit that should be eliminated and believes that through its distributing agencies some of the "graft" can be done away with.

Local Option Not Successful.

Reports given out by officials of boat and railroad lines show that more beer and whisky has been shipped into South Haven than ever before. Local option in the county appears to have little effect on the amount of liquor consumed. It is likely that another effort will be made to defeat local option at a special election next spring.

Adopts Daughter of Regiment.

Little Lottie McFarland, of Detroit, was formally adopted as the daughter of the regiment by the Twenty-second Michigan regiment. She is the granddaughter of Comrade Miles and gave a pretty recitation to the veterans with the self-possession of a much older person.

Michigan Breaks Record.

All records of a smelting plant were broken at Houghton, on Portage lake, when a single furnace charge consisted of 475,000 pounds of refined copper was poured. This is believed to be the record for the entire world.

Attack Flying Rollers.

Benjamin Purnell, head of the House of David of Benton Harbor, is defiant under the investigation by the attorney general's office of this state. It is now certain that Deputy Attorney General Harry E. Chase will commence proceedings to oust the Flying Rollers from Michigan by annulling their charter. Mr. Chase declares he is sure of his ground, as the House of David, incorporated merely as a church organization, has been operating as a business concern in violation of the act under which it was formed.

LAST OF STONE AGE MAN.

Tasmanian Aborigine Not Appreciated Until It Was Too Late.

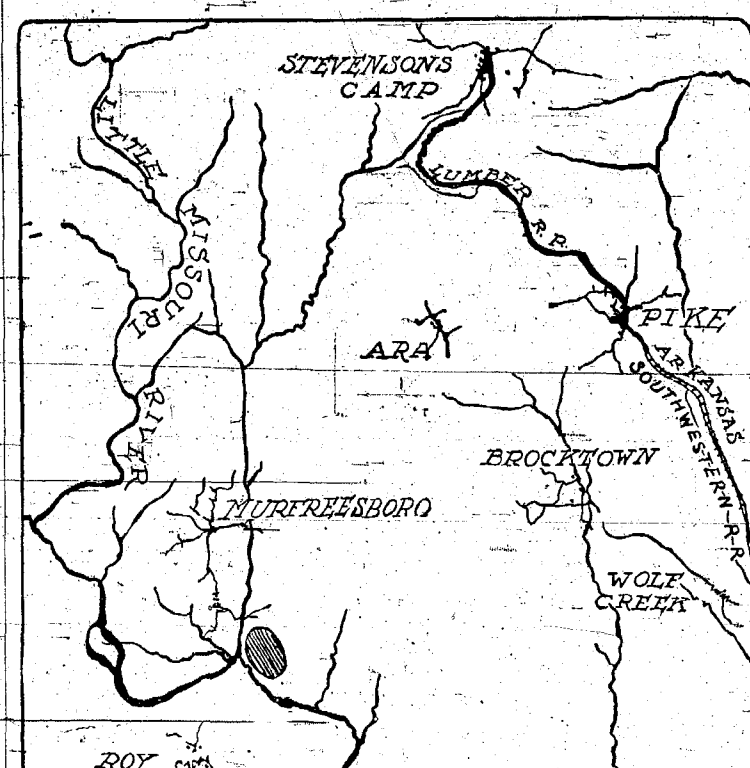
The visitor to Tasmania can have an experience that is novel—he can call on the last of the native race of the land. She is Trucanini, and she holds receptions in a glass case in the National museum. There is only the skeleton left, but judging from that she was a well-organized little body of about four feet. The Tasmanian aborigine was a clean sort of person, moving every day, so as not to have the dirt or ashes of yesterday in his camp. The mode was uncut hair for men, shaven heads for women. Both wore at times a necklace and also on occasions tied a strip of fur around the necks of their legs. They seemed to get along very well with this, even though the winters were cold. Then came the white man with his gun and his modesty. Between the gun and the blanket and some other clothes and the permanent shelter, there was only one left in the '70s, and she—Trucanini—died at about the age of 70 years in 1876, and her bones, well articulated and polished, stand in state today. When this face had disappeared the "paleozoic fellows" discovered that

THE DAY OF THE FARMER.

Useful, Tiller of the Soil Has Come to His Own.

The farmer who is not an amateur is a really increasing factor in to-day's life. In fact farming is rapidly becoming one of the professions. We have our agricultural schools just as we have our law schools. It is getting to be a business as well. Farmers have their trusts, like other manufacturers. It is a far cry from the New England farmer, trying to arrange an exploded granite quarry into a stone wall that he may have room in which to plant his crop, and that master of capital, science and black earth ten feet deep who plows with a traction engine and reaps with a ten-horse team. And between these two types of farmers the drift is steadily toward the latter. The comic paper does not laugh at the "granger" as frequently as it used to laugh. It wants his subscription. The capitalist does not foreclose mortgages on the prairie farm now. He borrows money of its owner. And what is vastly more important, the entire country looks with a respect bordering upon apprehension on this new type of American who has decid-

MAP OF NEWLY DISCOVERED AMERICAN DIAMOND FIELD



Oval incloses that part of Pike County, in the southwestern corner of Arkansas, which has been explored so far for the precious stones.

these Tasmanian aborigines were probably the world's only specimens of the people of the stone age.

But the discovery came too late. The folk who had mixed up with them were not of the caliber to give the world a very good, to say nothing of reliable, record of the inner characteristics of this extra primitive people, or their traditional account of how they got marooned on this isolated island.

Their principal record left is that they did not worry—a fact from which it may be reasoned that bald heads and gray hairs were probably not known in the days when slabs of granite were legal tender.

A Happy Family.

A boy and a girl in Alabama whose parents are named Ashmead have gathered together a happy family consisting of a cat, a rat, a dog, a mouse and a canary bird. The dog will brace his feet and let the cat jump on his back. Then the rat will climb on her back. Then the mouse and the canary will complete the pyramid. Then all will grab each other by the tail, the canary coming last, and march around the room. They have been taught to perform many other tricks, and the young people are quite proud of their circus.

Couldn't Get Off.

"Well, how did you get on at your first appearance?" asked a man of a friend who had just joined the theatrical profession. "Oh, I got on well enough," was the reply, "but I couldn't get off half quick enough!"—Exchange.

TO KEEP FATHER NEPTUNE IN HIS BOUNDARIES



A Portion of the Gigantic Sea-Wall Being Built for the Protection of the City of Galveston.

DIFFICULT PROBLEM

HOW TO REDUCE PRICES WITHOUT LOWERING WAGES.

Inasmuch as the Purpose of Tariff Revision is to Force Down Values, It is Not Easy to See How American Labor Will Be Able to Escape the Cheapening Process.

It is gratifying to learn that somebody has solved the difficult problem of how to lower the tariff, increase foreign competition and bring down prices without decreasing either the volume or the rate of wages paid to American labor. Senator Lodge of Massachusetts is the man. In a speech at Nantasket Beach on the 8th of August, according to the report in the New York Press, "Lodge said there would be no revision of the tariff before 1909; that the party leaders were opposed to any tariff tinkering preceding a presidential election; that a revision would not mean the lowering of duties on any manufactures the importation of which would hurt our workmen; and that a new tariff act would be along the old Republican lines of protection for the American workingmen."

Here we have the problem solved, but with no hint as to the process of solution. Like all the rest of the tariff "reformers," Mr. Lodge fails to furnish a bill of particulars. The tariff, he tells us, is going to be reduced along protective lines and not on any manufactures the importation of which would hurt our workmen.

In that case, how shall competition be increased from abroad and prices lowered accordingly? For it must not be forgotten that the sole end and aim of tariff revision downward is to increase competition and force lower prices. If this were not the end sought, why talk of tariff revision?

Now, as a general rule, there are but two causes of price reduction. One is a diminished demand, and the other is an increased supply offered at cut rates. At present there is no decrease of demand and no overproduction to break down values. On the contrary, prices remain firm and the facilities of every line of domestic production are strained to the utmost to supply the demand. Then if the supply is to be so increased as to break down prices, it must be by importations bearing lower values. This is plain. Just how the tariff is going to be tinkered to suit all the shoppers for downward revision Mr. Lodge does not make clear. He does not tell us how the tariff can be so manipulated in the revision process as to satisfy the free-traders, the "progressive" Republicans like Cummins, who want to bring in foreign competition that will do away with "the monstrous extortion and graft" being practiced under the Dingley tariff, and the demand for free raw materials and reciprocity in competitive products that is so strenuous in Massachusetts, and at the same time keep the peace with American labor on the farms and in the mines, mills and factories. The jaunty, off-hand assurance that all this can and will be done when the tariff comes up for revision will hardly suffice.

Gratifying it is to know that the tariff is not going to be touched until after March 4, 1909. We don't know how Mr. Lodge has managed to settle this thing so conclusively, but he seems to have settled it to his own satisfaction. But not to the satisfaction of Gov. Guild. On the same platform and within the same hour Guild reiterated his burning desire for immediate tariff revision. Not without some show of reason and consistency, one would think. If the present tariff is so atrocious as it is thought to be by Guild and Foss and Cummins and Whitney and a lot of other urgent revisionists, why postpone the remedy for three years? If the country is not now prosperous; if labor is unemployed; if wages are low and poverty acute; if business halts and ruin stalks abroad; if commercial failures and soup houses are the chief crop of the year—if all these things are true because of the Dingley tariff, Guild is right and Lodge is wrong, and not a moment should be lost in repealing the Dingley tariff.

But, if none of these things are true; if prosperity is at high water mark; if labor is scarce and wages the highest ever heard of and poverty is almost unknown; if business is the best and commercial failures the fewest on record—if, on the contrary, all these things are true (and they are true), then both Guild and Lodge are wrong. Then we should not only not be talking about immediate tariff revision downward, but we should not be talking about tariff revision two or three years hence—we ought not to be talking about tariff revision at all. We should let the tariff absolutely alone.

Would Wipe It Out Entirely.

Tariff talkers, who treat the question of revision fairly and honestly, ask the would-be tariff tinkers, free-traders, tariff reformers and promoters of selfish interests—all enemies of the protective tariff—to name the sections they would revise. Should they all comply, the free-traders and tariff reformers (they are one and the same) would name enough to wipe out the protective tariff entirely, and even should this class of tariff haters keep still, the demands of the representatives of selfish interests would prove so diversified as to cover all classes of goods and would wipe out the protective principle entirely. This the true friends of the protective tariff will never submit to.—TIMOTHY O. TRIBUNE.

BECOME A DUMPING GROUND.

What Would Follow a Reduction of the Tariff.

If our tariff is reduced, as is seriously proposed, the United States will become the common dumping ground of the German and the British trusts, in competition with each other. The American people can then have the pleasure of buying steel at a very low price, probably less than the cost of production. They will also have, concurrently, the pleasure of finding other workmen, as American steel plants shut down in the face of such competition.

Free traders in this country are relying in their forthcoming assault upon the tariff on the prejudice they may be able to arouse by reason of the fact that a small percentage—a very small percentage, almost infinitesimal as compared with the whole—is sold abroad cheaper than at home. But that is the settled policy of manufacturers in European countries, and especially is it the policy of free trade England. If we should lower any of our protective duties below the point of adequate protection European manufacturers would go after this market—the richest and the greatest in the world—if they had to give their goods away. And their people at home would applaud them for doing it, expecting to reap their reward later on. Meantime, with American industries crippled, millions of our laborers would be without employment and hence unable to sustain the tremendous buying power that the country now possesses and which is the foundation of our unexampled prosperity.

We went all through this experience only a few years ago, but some of us seem to be itching for another term at it. If they keep on fussing we shall get it.—CEDAR RAPIDS REPUBLICAN.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE "EXPORT PRICE" PRIVILEGE.



Senior Partner—We shall have to wind up our cruise and get back to New York at once. Junior Partner—Why, what has happened? No bad news, I hope. Senior Partner—Bad enough, I should think. Six of our biggest department store customers write that hereafter they will buy direct from the New York agents of German manufacturers, instead of buying from us as heretofore. Consequently, we are out of it, and it will be necessary for us to cut down our working force and retrench all round so long as the United States government permits foreign manufacturers to consign goods to their own agents at "export prices."

Great Britain Also? Of Course.

The Philadelphia Record utterly misconceives the situation when it says that the American Protective Tariff league is "urging on shallow grounds that Great Britain shall be denied what has been conceded to Germany." Nothing of the sort; quite the contrary. The American Economist has uniformly contended that if we are going into the game of playing tariff favorites Great Britain should be granted equal favors; in fact, should be granted more, because she is a better customer than Germany by two to one, and, besides, she imposes no tariff at all upon our products (saving a strictly revenue tariff on spirits and tobacco), whereas Germany has doubled her tariff against our products. It may be that our gifted state department will find a way to let Great Britain in on an equal footing with Germany, and so avoid the blame and disgrace of mistreating our best customer. It is earnestly to be hoped that such will be the outcome, and that not only Great Britain but every other nation on earth will be granted the equivalent of the concessions granted to Germany. The sooner the better, for then the country will have a broad comprehension of the policy and a clear understanding of the practical effects of revising the tariff downward by diplomatic dickering.

Ten Years of Dingley Tariff.

Last Wednesday was the tenth anniversary of the enactment of the Dingley tariff law. And what a change there is in conditions!

Ten years is not a long period in the world's history. The memories of most of us can easily span it. Ten years ago our foreign trade was less than \$2,000,000,000, now it is more than \$3,000,000,000 a year. Then the government revenues were insufficient to cover the expenditures, while now, with the expenditures greatly increased, we have a substantial surplus. At that time business was depressed and industry languished, while now there is prosperity on every side. Ten years ago freight cars were going to decay on the sidings with no call for their use, and now, with vastly increased equipment, it is the freight that is tied up because there are not cars enough. The ten years under the Dingley tariff have been such years of activity and growth as neither this country nor the world has ever known.—Grand Rapids Herald.

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Common Council.

Special meeting Saturday evening, Sept. 7th.

Present, President Shapton, Trustees McMillan, Goodman, Curkendall, Sweet.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Hammond & Turner, crosswalks	\$107 22
Wm. Malpass, rebate	16 07
E. E. Hall, rebate	13 48
J. Fitzgibbons	19 00
Mrs. Mackey, rebate	6 84
J. Deschane	9 90
D. C. Loyeday	20 00
M. Hite	9 12
Henry Korhase	15 20
H. Goodman	9 90
Felix Green	13 00
E. A. Gibson	34 96
J. Kenny, dray and fgt	2 57
Street Com'r report	474 49
Wm. J. Lewis, sewer pipe	5 16
A. Kenny, dray	2 75
W. E. Malpass, hardware	—92
Wm. Johnson, salary	60 00
E. L. Co., lighting for August	84 15
E. E. Hall, dray	1 50
A. J. Etcheber, dray	2 40
C. A. Hudson, 2nd. quar. salary	37 50

On motion, Council adjourned.
G. A. HUDSON, Clerk.

September Forecast.

The old school bell is soon to ring, the poets will arise and sing, the frost will soon displace the dew, and the wind jamb through the peckaboo.

The moon will be full on the 21st, and the password for the month will be "Sovik Standard Oil." Everybody run a little harder for president, Bryan's smoke will continue an interesting spectacle. Roosevelt will drop a wasp into the hip pocket of Taft and that jagard will nudge up a couple of paces in the race, and Fairbanks will continue to pass the grandstand about every seven seconds.

The autumnal equinox will come in on the 24th, and Harriman will absorb all the water that falls to use in floating stocks for the development of our great natural resources. The Standard Oil company will place a 20-year 4 per cent mortgage upon the earth, and will pay the \$29,400,000 fine imposed by Judge Landis. Senator Beveridge will end his honeymoon abroad and return to the affairs of the republic which will restore that feeling of security.

President Roosevelt, fresh from Oyster Bay will issue on the 20th a proclamation officially opening the oyster season. Turkeys and football players will run to tops. Nature who has been in the nude for the outdoor summer painting season, will put on a thin gossamer, and the corn huskers union will promulgate a new wage scale by which they will get the corn and the farmer the husks.

EMERY BROS. are putting in their stock of furniture. They have a fine line of Extension Tables, 5, 6 and 7 inch legs. Their Kitchen Cabinets are not surpassed, their line of Couches, yes, you ought to see them. The prices are what attract attention.

Bugs Cost \$735,000,000. We have the word of the statisticians that the chinch bug annually destroys crops valued at \$30,000,000; that the grasshopper eats up \$50,000,000 worth, the Hessian fly \$40,000,000, the corn root worm, the corn ear worm, the cotton boll weevil and the codling moth of apple each \$20,000,000; the army worm \$15,000,000, the cotton boll-worm \$12,000,000, the grain weevil and San Jose scale \$10,000,000 each, the cotton leaf worm and the potato bug \$8,000,000 each and the cabbage worm \$5,000,000. This makes a total of \$238,000,000 worth of products that might have been expected to but never do get to market because of the ravages of these most numerous insects. And this is not the only loss charged to their account. Shortage of crops affects various industries and increases prices, and a deal of money is spent in fighting the pests. Taking into account all these things, the annual loss in this country from insect pests, distributed among the various products, is estimated as follows: Cereals, \$200,000,000; animal products, \$175,000,000; forest and forest products, \$111,000,000; truck crops and hay and forage, \$58,000,000; cotton, \$50,000,000; fruits, \$27,000,000; tobacco, \$15,800,000; sugarcane, \$1,000,000; miscellaneous crops, \$5,000,000, and products in storage, \$100,000,000, making a total of \$785,000,000. New Bedford Standard.

A Bad Case. "What's the matter, dear?" asked the doctor's wife. "Are you worried about Mr. Poorjoy's case?" "Yes," replied the doctor. "And is there no hope?" "Very little. He says he doesn't expect to leave enough to pay more than a third of my bill."—Answers.

Eye Specialist.

Dr. W. W. Wilcox, Optometrist and Eye Specialist, will be in East Jordan at Hotel Ericks Sept. 16th to 20th, 1907.

If you have headache, neuralgia, heart trouble, indigestion, nervousness, stomach trouble, nervous prostration and many other diseases too numerous to mention, your eyes are many times the real cause, and if properly treated you will be surprised at the good results. We make regular visits to your city and in placing our eyes in our care, bear in mind that we do not have to do any experimenting or guessing in regard to your case. We do not keep your eyes under test but a few moments, saving patients all the fatigue and confusion of vision. We use the ophthalmoscope, ascertaining the error of refraction and see what nerves to soothe and the nerves that need support. All work guaranteed. Call and talk with us.

About Work.
Some men work for honor,
Some men work for fame,
But they take the money
They may justly claim
And are glad to get it
Just the same.

Some men labor daily
Used by gentle lust,
Some because the doctors
Tell them that they must,
Some because they cannot
Duy on trust.

Some men work for others
Who are near and dear,
Some men work for art's sake,
So it would appear;
Some displaying courage,
Some in fear.

Some men labor nobly
For the public good,
Some because the Bible
Tells them that they should,
But if no one had to
No one would.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

Father, Come Home.
Father, dear father, come home with me now;
The clock in the steeple strikes one.
You said you were coming right home from the shop
As soon as your day's work was done.
The fire has gone out, the house is all dark,
And mother's been waiting since tea,
With poor brother Benny so sick in her arms
And no one to help her but me.

chorus.
Come home, come home, come home,
Please, father, dear father, come home.

Father, dear father, come home, with me now;
The clock in the steeple strikes two.
The house has grown colder, and Benny is worse,
But he has been calling for you.
Indeed he is worse; ma says he will die,
Perhaps before morning shall dawn,
And this is the message she sent me to bring;
"Come quickly or he will be gone."

Father, dear father, come home with me now;
The clock in the steeple strikes three.
The house is so lonely, the hours are so long,
For poor weeping mother and me,
Yes, we are alone; poor Benny is dead
And gone with the angels of light,
And these are the very last words that he said,
"I want to kiss papa good night."


—Unidentified.

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White House Shoes For Men For Women

The Patterns for "White House Shoes" are designed by the foremost pattern-makers in the U. S., insuring good fitting qualities and pleasing shapes. The Leathers are all of the best tannages, of Kid, Box Calf, Kangaroo and Gum-Metal Calf, and the Patent Leathers are best obtainable. The Workmanship is high class, all through the Shoes, thus insuring a uniformity in construction and finish. The styles are always new—a big variety for both men and women.

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Madson's Shoe Store.

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Only One Kind of Lock the Expert Burglar Can't Pick.

"There's only one lock in the world that I can't open if you'll give me a few minutes at it, and as for ordinary door and drawer locks, I'll open them as easily as if there was no lock there. Any expert burglar can do the same."

The foregoing statement was made by an experienced locksmith of Kansas City.

"Few persons know how insecure their homes are," he continued. "Few persons realize that the average lock is absolutely worthless for keeping out an experienced burglar. The ordinary door lock is good for nothing but reminding casual business or social callers that they must ring to be admitted. None of these ordinary door fasteners, and that's the best you can call them, will deter a burglar two whole minutes. If there's no key in the lock, he soon fits one to it. If there is a key in the lock, he inserts a pair of pliers and in ten seconds has it opened. Understand me, I am speaking of the experienced burglar. The clumsy burglar is the one who gets in trouble. He'll fumble around with a lock until somebody hears him. There is only one unpickable lock made. That's the six pin lock used by the government. It will defy any expert. There are six little steel pins in the lock, which have to be raised just a certain distance to open it. Some of the pins are one-fourth of an inch long and some of them a half inch. If one of the pins lacks even a hairbreadth of being raised the proper distance, the lock will not open. It baffles all the experts."

This locksmith is so expert he can open the majority of safes by putting his ear to the combination and listening to how the tumblers click into place as he turns it.

"I intended at one time to be a burglar," this locksmith declares. "I had it all planned out—even had a set of burglar's tools made. Then I decided that honesty was the best policy, and I stuck to my trade."—Kansas City Star.

A Gallant Highwayman.
A highwayman recently held up a gasoline runabout on the outskirts of Rome. The highwayman stopped the runabout with a shot in the air. Then he ran forth from the tomb that had concealed him—the holdup happened on the Appian Way—and found to his surprise only a woman in the little car.

"Where, madam, is your husband?" he demanded sternly and suspiciously.

"He's under the seat," she answered, flushing.

"Then," said the highwayman, "I will take nothing. It's bad enough to have a husband like that without being robbed into the bargain."

THE PARIS CLUBS.

Election to the Most Exclusive Ones is a Serious Business.

Election to the exclusive clubs of Paris is a very serious business. The proposer and seconder must not only know all about their candidates, but be able to bear witness to their antecedents and even to their forefathers. They must write to all their friends and ask them to support their candidates. When the election takes place, they must not only be in the room, but approach each member individually as he comes up to the ballot box and ask him for his support.

When the member has been elected, he arrives the first day as a kind of stranger and with his hat in hand. He is then formally introduced by one of his proposers to each member separately who happens to be in the room at the time. On the second occasion he has ceased to be a stranger and may lounge his hat in the hall, but he is still expected to go round the room with one of his proposers and be formally introduced. This lasts for a week, by which time he is assumed to know all his colleagues, though a foreigner who is extra punctilious and insists on being introduced to every member of the club gains considerably in popularity.

—London Saturday Review.

SACRED THREADS.

The Corda Worn by the Three Castes of the Hindoos.


The sacred thread of the Brahmans is well known. It is a caste distinction assumed at an early age and never parted with. It must be made by a Brahman and should consist of three strands, each of a different color, forty-eight yards in length—doubled and twisted together twice, the ends tied in knots. It must be worn next the skin, over the left shoulder, hanging down to the thigh on the right side. The three castes of the Hindoos are distinguished by the material of these threads—cotton for the Brahmans, hemp for the warriors and wool for the artisans. The Parsees also wear the sacred thread, and boys of seven or nine are invested with it, the threads used being made always of fibers of the suru tree. Major Williams describes the sacred thread of the Parsees as made of seventy-two woolen threads, forming a fat band, which is twisted three times around the body and tied in two peculiar knots, the secret of which is known only to the Parsees.

The use of "medicine cords" is common among North American Indians. Mr. Bourke describes those worn by the Apaches. These consist of one, two, three and four strands, to which are attached shells, feathers, beads, rock crystal, sacred green stones and other articles, doubtless employed symbolically.

—Chambers' Journal.

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Simply the visible sign that baby's tiny bones are not forming rapidly enough.
Lack of nourishment is the cause.
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Here's a stock that's filled with the most reliable staples, and all the tasty, tempting little niceties and table luxuries as well. From flour and sugar to the finer things, we carry an elaborate selection—in fact, anything you want that's good.

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sanitary, open to view, every trap in working order—all parts so well built that repairs are held off for years. For health, comfort and genuine economy, get in line with perfect plumbing work—OURS. Estimates on new and repair work at attractive prices.



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Ladies' Underskirt bargains. We have some splendid offerings.
Sateen Skirts, \$1.00, 1.25 and 2.00 Heatherbloom Skirts, \$2.00.
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New Suitings In Serges, Flannels and Noyelties; in checks and plaids; superior in quality and right prices.

All Summer Waists, in black and white, at One Quarter Off.

Get under **THE ROSWELLE HAT**

Our Sale on Hats at 1-4 Off
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The stock of Hats we are offering in all new styles; but as we are overstocked on Hats we put on this 1/4 off sale to reduce the hat stock.

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Briefs of the Week

Registration Day, County Fair Sept. 24-25-26.
Cott. Cap. Election next Tuesday.
The Inn at Charlevoix has been closed for the season.
Several from here are attending the West Michigan State Fair this week.
Arthur Moon and Miss Kate Adams of this place were united in marriage at Charlevoix last Saturday.
Some Boyne City business men were over this week looking for a location to establish their stores here.
Don't forget Miss Jennie MacFarlane's Millinery Opening is next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
The East Jordan Planing Mills Co. is working overtime these days. A big order for potato crates is the main cause.
Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. L. S. Matthews will occupy the M. E. pulpit next Sabbath morning and evening.
Sheriff McWain is here from Charlevoix assisting Pros. Atty. Clark in investigating the runaway fatality Thursday night.
Empy Bros. have some choice Building Lots for sale. Those wishing to buy will find it to their advantage to call and see them.
A remarkable story of life and adventure in the West and a romantic love affair between an Indian youth and maiden are told in the new melodrama, "As Told in the Hills" which will appear at Loveday Opera House next Thursday night the 19th.
The household of Alexander Bush has been entertaining a number of friends from outside the past week, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Myron Freshour of Lansing, Mrs. Emma Dawes of Owosso, Mrs. Granger of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilcox with four children of Mason.

Shermans for Fresh Meats and Groceries. We always try to please.
Stock Food. 25c Package of Columbia Regulator 1lb at STROEBEL BROS.
Dr. Sweet was a Chicago visitor this week, returning middle of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchinson of Hart, Mich. are guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Macgregor.
J. G. Holliday was a Traverse City visitor, Thursday, having business with the Probate Court there.
Rev. John Bretts left Monday for Albion to attend the annual Methodist Conference which is in session at that place.
Mrs. C. G. Worden and son Robbie and Mrs. Charles Atkinson are attending the State Fair at Grand Rapids this week.
Att'y A. H. Perkins of Lapeer, formerly of the firm of Converse & Perkins of this village, is here this week renewing old acquaintances.
Mrs. Fred E. Boosinger was called to Central Lake Friday by the serious illness of a cousin, Mrs. John Pearl. The latter is well-known in this Village.
The Str. Hum started on its fall running schedule last Monday leaving East Jordan at 7:00 a. m. and 1:00 p. m., and Charlevoix at 9:30 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.
W. A. Loveday was a Mancelona visitor, Tuesday. He was one of three arbitrators in the sale of the village electric lighting system to the Stover Electric Power Co.
Fred Korhase and family and Mr. Gurad and family start next week with their household goods for Aberdeen, Washington. They will be accompanied by John Shapton and Blaine Harrington.

Miss M. Swafford is guest of Kalkaska friends.
Alabastine color cards free at STROEBEL BROS.
Extra Special Line of Brooms just received at Hayden's.
Stainfloor makes furniture and floors look better than new.
Lawrence Doerr was up from Mancelona first of the week.
Mrs. C. A. Sweet is entertaining Miss Minnie Payton of Charlevoix.
Yes WHITTINGTON has a fine line of Sideboards, Buffets and China Cabinets.
The Williams planing mill plant at Traverse City was burned Tuesday for the second time in six months. Loss \$15,000.
Your time will be well spent in looking over the beautiful designs of Furniture that EMPY BROS. are carrying.
Mrs. H. F. Roy entertained Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hubbard, Miss Elsie Marsh and Marvin Blodgett of Mancelona, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Haight entertained Mrs. Robert Oxenham of Coldwater and Misses Bessie and Myrtle Freed of Hillsdale, this week.
Harry J. Taylor is here from the west and intends taking his family back with him. He and a party from Gaylord are planning to start a saw-mill.
Miss Bertha Matthews, who has been visiting friends in Oceana County, returned home this week accompanied by her cousin, Elmer Baxter who will visit here a short time.
About twenty friends of Mrs. C. G. Worden helped her celebrate her birthday anniversary last Saturday evening. The lady was the recipient of several valuable presents, among them being a gold watch from her husband.
The East Jordan local union, American Society of Equity will meet at their hall, Sept. 19, at 8 p. m. Important business to transact in regard to potatoes. All members requested to attend this meeting. Everybody welcome.—Sec.
John Shapton has severed his relations with the East Jordan Lumber Co. after a continuous service of some eighteen years, a part of this time as Superintendent of the logging. He leaves next week for the state of Washington where, as he says, he is going to "look around." We hate to think of losing our popular village president, and hope he will decide in the end that there's nothing quite as good as Northern Michigan.

Complaint has been made in writing to the Board of State Tax Commissioners that the properties listed in the assessment roll of Forest Home township are so grossly irregularly and unlawfully assessed that adequate compliance with the law can be secured only by a general review of all the real and personal property subject to taxation in said township. The State Tax Commissioners will go over the assessment roll of Forest Home township and the taxpayers of said township have been notified to meet them Sept. 12th at the office of the board of supervisors.—Central Lake Torch.

Horrible Fatality.

Mrs. Fritz Bauman Crushed Neath Horses.

Reckless Drivers said to be Responsible.

While driving to town Thursday evening with her husband, their light surrey was run into by a lumber wagon, recklessly driven, and Mrs. Fritz Bauman was almost instantly killed by the horses trampling upon her.
The accident occurred just east of Brown's Creek on the State road, about 7:30 in the evening. It was dark and neither occupants of the two vehicles could see the other. Mr. and Mrs. Bauman were driving to town, and coming in the opposite direction were two men—Clarence Tucker and Charles Moore—running a team attached to a lumber wagon. It is alleged they were under the influence of liquor. As the horses met, they shied somewhat enough to allow the horses on the wagon to land on the fragile vehicle of Mr. Bauman. The latter escaped serious injury, but Mrs. Bauman was crushed beneath the mass. Several passers-by came to the rescue and the unfortunate lady was taken to the home of Rob't Atkinson and Dr. C. A. Sweet summoned but the injuries sustained were fatal and she died shortly afterward.
The men with the wagon immediately got their outfit disentangled and started to drive away but were prevented from so doing by a number of men who had congregated. Marshal Johnson was telephoned for. One of the men started back down town but was picked up by the marshal and taken back to the scene. As both seemed particularly anxious to get away and in view of the circumstances, Marshal Johnson placed them in jail to await developments. Tucker lives on the old Arbuckle place and Moore is a resident of Boyne City.

Death of Mrs. M. Lalonde.

Mrs. Moses Lalonde, a pioneer of this place, passed away at her home in this Village Friday morning at 3:00 o'clock, after an illness of some nine months. Deceased was born in Canada 72 years ago and came to East Jordan in 1867. Funeral services will be held from the Catholic church.

CHADDOCK DISTRICT.

Plenty of rain.
Apple harvest in full blast.
Threshing machines are now busy.
R. A. Gunsolus is attending the Fair in Grand Rapids this week.
Mrs. Joe Anderson of Milwaukee is visiting at the home of Geo. Anderson.
Mr. William Cook of Chicago, Ill., and niece Miss Bertha Enk, were calling on friends here Tuesday.
Lynne Rockwell, wife and daughter Ann B., Mr. Will Atkinson, and wife of Portland, Ind. were guests of J. E. Chew and family Thursday.
Miss Hattie and Mary Gunsolus are attending school in East Jordan.
Percy McCalmon teaches at the Three Bells school house this term.
Miss Eva Heller teaches the Bears district school this season.
Stephen Shepard thrashed out over 45 bushels of wheat per acre.
James McKenny, aged 70 yrs., had an attack of palsy following overwork and is in a dangerous condition.
The farmer in Northern Michigan, according to all reports of farming outside of this region, can congratulate himself on having the best return for his labor this year.

Hand-made Lumber Harness at STROEBEL BROS.

Mrs. Wm. Gordon of Empe, put into the stove a paper containing a quarter of a pound of gunpowder. The stove was wrecked and she was thrown against the wall and badly burned and bruised.

Jay Doty will take part in a discussion with the Latter Day Saints at East Jordan Saturday night Sept. 21, on the question "Is the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints of Jesus Christ the true church." He will take the negative of the subject.—Mancelona Herald.

Owing to the new industrial growth at East Jordan strangers are coming to the town in considerable numbers, 15 families moving in during the past week. Every available place is being put into commission for living rooms. Work is progressing in the grading for the new chemical works and the iron furnace ground will soon be prepared for foundations. The E. J. & S. railroad has a side track nearly completed into the grounds of the new industries and the Michigan Central railroad is surveying for a track from their road.—Mancelona Herald

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Men's Clothing, plain and fancy;
Dress Goods of the Latest Fall Designs;
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Of every quality and design;
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In fact the greater share of our winter stock. We advise to make your selections at once while our stock is to its utmost.

L. Wiesman.

Loveday Opera House
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Thurs- day **Sept. 19th**



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A Strong Cast and Special Scenery.
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Price Speaks Louder Than Words.
Opening Sept. 19th, 20th and 21st.

After the Shower The Sun Shines Brighter

Every time you increase your savings, the world grows brighter and the possibility of acquiring hundreds becomes more real.
The man with a savings account looks upon the world with satisfaction.
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W. P. Porter Geo. G. Glenn, Cashier.

The steamer R. J. Gordon is expected home from Buffalo in a day or two with a full cargo of hard coal. She will take 400,000 brick to East Jordan to start building the Chemical plant there for Messrs. Shaw and Matthews of this city.—Boyne Journal.
Clark Wood was found guilty of assault and battery by a jury in Circuit Court at Charlevoix this week and will be sentenced next Monday. Nelson Lafrenier and Emma Mitchell both plead guilty to assault and battery. The cases of Podleski and Hathaway go over to the December term.
"As Told in the Hills," which will be seen here with Miss Alberta Lee in the leading role supplies the want for something entirely new in the field of melodrama, and stands as an example of the best American melodrama. The plot is original, both in its conception and development and the characters are clearly drawn and extremely interesting in their naturalness. The engagement which is for one night only, is next Thursday.
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The Woman's Auxilliary of the A. S. of E. will give a pumpkin pie social at their hall—the Dunlap house—next Thursday evening, Sept. 18th. The proceeds go to help fix the house comfortable for the A. S. of E. local union.
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 "The papers from the safe, did you say?" asked Helena in slow wonder.
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"I have told you, Captain Forbes, that I have ample reason to believe in the honesty of Mr. Haddon. If he has taken any papers from the safe, it is with my fullest and deepest gratitude. It was the woman there who had stolen them from my brother. They are personal papers. They concern only my mother and myself now that Mortimer is dead. Mr. Haddon will restore them to me."
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 I leaped at the loophole Helena had offered me. If I could not prevent their falling into the hands of Forbes, at least I could delay that dire event.
 "I shall obey you, Miss Brett. Into your hands alone shall I place those papers."
 "If you please," she said with dignity, and held out a hand that did not tremble to receive them.

And still I hesitated. I saw the gleam of resolution in the glitter of Forbes' blue eyes. If I produced the paper now it would be only to have the king's messenger snatch them from my grasp. Forbes turned to Helena in angry triumph.
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 "Nothing," said Helena, with resolution; but I could see her troubled surprise at my reluctance.

"Then I shall be forced to resort to violence. I am going to have those papers, and at once. If you are so blind to the grave danger of letting this man keep the papers, even for the moment, I am not. How could he have taken them from the safe unless it were with the permission and perhaps at the entreaty of this Madame de Varnier?"
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 "Your credulity is very great if you think that. Why, madam, I saw him deliberately work the combination of the safe."
 Helena uttered a cry of horror at my supposed treachery. Her trust was shattered.

"I could not dream of a villainy so hypocritical."
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stolen quietly from the room, thinking herself unobserved. But through our backs had been turned from the room, I had seen her movement by her shadow cast on the floor by the setting sun pouring in the open window through which Captain Forbes had made his entrance.
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 It was only a question of instants before she had thrown open the door of the safe with a cry of dismay. But that instant sufficed.
 As Forbes turned his back to me I took swiftly from my pocket the two packets. One envelope was plain, with no writing on it. The other was addressed to Sir Mortimer Brett and bore a foreign stamp.
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 With these words he strode toward the door of the staircase, and turned the handle.
 "It is locked," he said sternly. "Who has the key?"
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 He turned the key. To the consternation of all of us the door still resisted his efforts. He exerted all his strength to no purpose.
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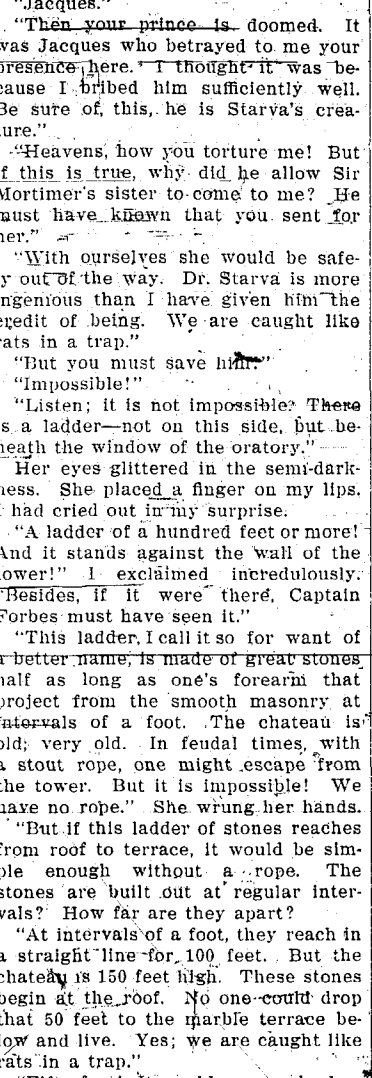
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A Great Surgeon Barred from Membership in Medical Association.

(From the National Druggist for June, 1907.)
 Dr. Augustus Charles Bernays, who died a few days ago in St. Louis, was probably the foremost surgeon in the United States. His fame was co-extensive with the civilized world. He was not only an operator of the highest order, but a tireless and exhaustive worker in the field of original surgery. He performed the first successful Caesarian section in 1839 in St. Louis, and also the first successful coelotomy for gunshot wound of the abdomen and the first gallstone operation in Missouri. A record held by Dr. Bernays has never been equaled: Out of eighty-one successive cases of appendicitis which necessitated operations, seventy-one in succession were with perfectly satisfactory results, the seventy-second patient failing of recovery, but the subsequent nine cases were successfully treated.
 And yet, with such a record, matchless as was his skill, varied and extensive as was his learning, wonderful as were his accomplishments, he was not considered, by the American Medical Association, as worthy of membership in that organization.
 No charges were ever brought against him which, in the remotest degree, reflected on his qualifications as a surgeon; his moral character was never the subject of attack; he was never accused of having done anything unbecoming a man or a gentleman. "The head and front of his offending had this extent—no more!" He dared to think! He refused to mold his opinions and to govern his actions by the arbitrary rules which those whom he knew to be his inferiors had set up for his guidance! In other words, he could not regard the Code of Ethics of the American Medical Association as being inspired, or having any binding authority on him where his judgment told him it was wrong. And so, twenty years ago or more, on account of some trivial infraction of this sacred "Code," a movement was started to expel him from the local association, which was only defeated by his hastily sending in his resignation. As membership in the A. M. A. is dependent upon membership in the local and State societies, his name was dropped by the national organization.
 And so, though he had saved thousands of lives; though other physicians had profited by his art; this brilliant surgeon; this great and able man, has, during all these years, been an outcast—a medical "scab;" not recognized as "ethical" or worthy of fellowship by that body of physicians banded together in the American Medical Association!

And this is the association which, under pretense of working for the public good, is, in reality, only seeking to control Congress and the State Legislatures in the interest of their own selfish schemes; which is trying to create a Cabinet position and to place one of its members in that position; which is endeavoring by law to exclude from the use of the mails, all manufacturers of medicines who do not comply with the absurd requirements that they choose to set up; which, in short, is trying to put upon the statute books of State and nation laws that will, in effect, establish a kind of medical priesthood, to which only their own members will be eligible with power and control over the health and lives of the people!

God help the druggists, the drug manufacturers, physicians not members of their guild, and the people generally, if this association ever succeeds in its undertaking. If it does, it will, after the fashion of the labor unions, dictate a "closed shop," and say to doctors who prefer to be independent, "You must join our union or, failing to do so, compel them to get out of the business. It will say what medicines shall be taken, and how they shall be made. It will hedge the people about with a lot of petty regulations under pretense of protecting the public health. In fine, a medical bureaucracy will be established to tyrannize over the people.
 Let no man call this a false alarm. If there are those who are inclined to do so, let them read the journal of the A. M. A. Let them scan the proceedings of the association, held always behind closed doors, and carefully edited, as they are, before they are published in its official organ. If they will do this they will see that we are not trying to create a bugaboo to frighten their timid souls.

"No," she said anxiously. "It is Dr. Starva who has raised that flag. But why?" The question seemed to increase her anxiety.

This is true philanthropy that buries not its gold in ostentatious charity, but builds its human hospital in the human heart.—Thorvald

MISS BLINK AND MRS. BLINKY.

The Young Couple had spent the day looking for a house that would suit their desires and their Young Couple purse. At length they thought they had found it. It was an old house set in several acres of suburban orchard and grove land, held for speculative hope while the house itself was rented. But the young woman real estate agent who had accompanied them had surprised them by her truth and candor when she had showed how impossible it was for even a Young Couple to spend an entire year in a house only two of whose rooms had any connection with a furnace.
 Their surprise was greater, however, when upon their return to the young woman's office they saw her abrupt treatment of two possible clients—also women—who were waiting there.
 "Really, Miss Blink and Mrs. Blinky," she had said, "I don't think that I have anything today that would suit you or warrant my spending further time with you."
 After Miss Blink and Mrs. Blinky had gone the Young Couple looked at the agent with very large eyes.
 The young woman smiled.
 "I know what you were thinking," she said.
 "No, we weren't," said the Young Couple.
 "But it's like this," resumed the young woman. "Every spring Miss Blink and Mrs. Blinky, the one an old maid and the other a widow, turn up regularly at all of the real estate offices. They're taken—that is, they were in the beginning—to all of the places on our books that are on sale. It doesn't seem to matter to them whether the house is large or small; they are equally interested in the \$8, cottage and the \$25,000 corner property.

"For a time I thought they were merely buyers in earnest who were very hard to suit. They showed the keenest interest in all details. At one place I remember Mrs. Blinky asked: 'Where do you keep the rags that you have used to oil the doors?'
 "There," she said.
 "I thought so," Mrs. Blinky said. "They ought to be burned and not left around to start spontaneous combustions. I always burn mine."
 "Shall we go upstairs and see the bedrooms?" I asked.
 "Miss Blink and Mrs. Blinky both frowned upon the poor woman of the house."
 "I don't think that it is necessary for us to go upstairs," said Miss Blink.
 "Mrs. Blinky added:
 "We would never consider buying a house where the woman of the house—she didn't say 'lady'—leaves her oil rags like that."
 "At the time I thought this manifestation was only a bit of odd prejudice. I determined to stick to Miss Blink and Mrs. Blinky, for I thought that when they did like a place they would like it good and hard and be willing to pay a good price."
 "But another occasion soon gave me a glimmer. We were looking at a house much too pretentious for the people who were living in it, who were wild to sell. The woman came down and went with us through it. Everything seemed to be going well when there came a howl from a small deserted baby on the upper floor.
 "Mrs. Blinky's maternal instinct asserted itself.
 "Young woman," said she, "get back to that baby. You are anxious to sell your house, but you shouldn't neglect your small duty upstairs."
 "Some days later Miss Blink and Mrs. Blinky again appeared in my office. They wanted to see a mansion where a murder had been committed. Although I explained that the house, though vacant, wasn't yet on the market, they persisted. Then, in the light of my former experiences, I saw what they were.

"I said to them:
 "Don't you think that it's rather rough on a young, hard-working woman to take up her time and effort with something that seems to constitute your sole amusement in life? You know that neither of you wants to buy; that you are merely amusing yourselves."
 "It is amusing," Mrs. Blinky admitted.
 "Yet, you see, they came again today."
 "Yes, and I suppose they will everlastingly keep up such curiosity-satisfying adventures while their strength holds out."

Henry's Answer.
 Senator Foraker was talking in Xenia, O., about a political opponent. "I shall answer him," said the Senator, smiling, "and I fear that my answer will be as satisfying, as unpleasantly satisfying, as the elderly husband's was. You know there was an elderly husband, to whom his wife said one day:
 'Henry, it's a world of trouble, and life is very uncertain. But promise me, if I should be taken away, that you will never marry that horrid Mary Simmons.'
 "I can easily promise you that," Henry replied. "She refused me three times when I was a much handsomer man than I am today."

Grand Show.
 "Eva—Yes, I am always at war with my old beau. It is really a circus.
 Katherine—Circus? Ah, I suppose you call it "fighting the flames!"—Chicago Daily News.

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1907.

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The Birmingham Age-Herald says "a lot of energy goes to waste in a dog's tail." Which is, a waggish bit of wisdom.

About once in so often Della Fox becomes so ill that she will never again be able to appear on the stage.

Wellman should take along a good hot-air-man," says the Chicago News. You mean "another" good one, don't you brother?

The average agent will "take" a good deal of abuse. He will also take your money and peace of mind if given opportunity.

Has a husband any more right to go into the kitchen and find fault than a wife has to go into her husband's office, and find fault?

A woman always has it in for a man. First, when a little girl, it's the Boogy man; then it's her brother; then it's her father; then it's her husband, and finally its the devil.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mottled-out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by All Dealers.

The coming engagement of "As Told in the Hills" next Thursday night at the Loveday Opera House will be one of the strongest attractions of the present theatrical season.

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PERE MARQUETTE RAILROAD COMPANY OF INDIANA.

Notice of Special Meetings of the Stockholders.

Stockholders of the Pere Marquette Railroad Company are hereby notified that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the principal office of the Company in the Fort Street Union Depot building in the city of Detroit, Michigan, on the 25th day of October, 1907, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

1. To ratify, approve and confirm the votes and proceedings passed and taken at a special meeting of the directors of the said Company held on the 12th day of August, 1907.

2. To sanction, ratify, and approve a certain agreement dated August 12th, 1907, for the consolidation of the Pere Marquette Railroad Company of Michigan and the Pere Marquette Railroad Company of Indiana, entered into by the directors of the two said companies under the corporate seal of each.

3. To ratify, approve and confirm a certain agreement dated the 12th day of August, 1907, between the Pere Marquette Railroad Company, The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad Company and Nathaniel Thayer and others, committee, providing for the settlement by arbitration of all disputes whatsoever between the two said corporations and for the cancellation of the indenture of lease from the Pere Marquette Railroad Company to the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad Company, dated 1st of March, 1903, upon such terms as the arbitrators (Messrs. William V. Gray and Judson Harmon) may determine.

4. To transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting by the directors and to pass any votes and to take any action relating to any of the foregoing matters.

And the stockholders of the Pere Marquette Railroad Company of Indiana are hereby notified that a special meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the principal office of the Company in Michigan City, Indiana, on the 28th day of October, 1907, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

1. To ratify, approve and confirm the votes and proceedings passed and taken at a special meeting of the directors of the said Company held on the 12th day of August, 1907.

2. To sanction, ratify and approve a certain agreement dated August 12th, 1907, for the consolidation of the Pere Marquette Railroad Company of Michigan and the Pere Marquette Railroad Company of Indiana, entered into by the directors of the two said companies under the corporate seal of each.

3. To transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting by the Board of Directors and to pass any votes and to take any action relating to any of the foregoing matters.

By order of the Board of Directors of each of the said companies.

DAVID BOSMAN, Assistant and Acting Secretary, Pere Marquette Railroad Company.

DAVID BOSMAN, Assistant and Acting Secretary, Pere Marquette Railroad Company of Indiana.

PROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan.

The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix, on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1907; Present: Hon. John M. Harris, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John H. Bliss, deceased.

Orval S. Bliss having filed in said court his petition praying that certain instruments in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN M. HARRIS, Judge of Probate

A true copy.

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If three good physicians should pronounce your case hopeless. If they should decide that you could not live longer than six weeks. And if you should get well, after using only \$12.00 worth of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine, what would you advise a friend in like condition to do?

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List of Advertised Letters.

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- Bricker, Samuel
- Case, Mr. Clarence
- Elliot, Mr. H. B.
- Heaphy, Mr. John
- Ealy Mr. Kay & Co.
- Livantine, Mr. Frank
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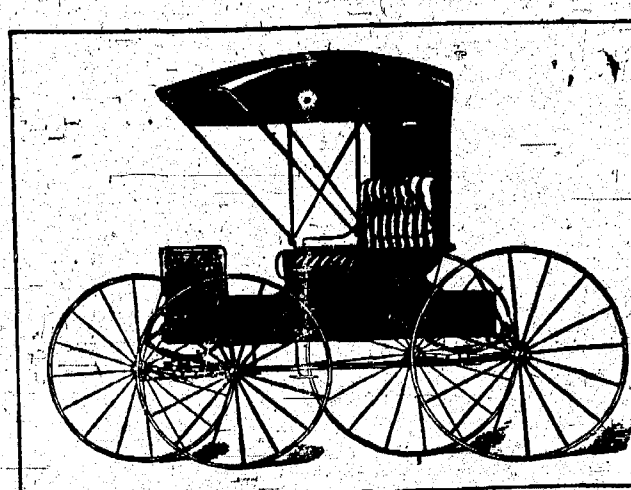
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9 20	Wards	4 40
9 25	Jordan River	4 35
9 30	Graves' Camp	4 30
9 40	Green River	4 20
10 50	Alba	3 58
11 40	Deward	3 00
12 25	Frederic	2 25

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TIME TABLE (In effect June 23, 1907)

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