PHYSICIAN A SUICIDE

BEEMAN, FORMERLY OF THIS PLACE TOOK ACID AT HARBOR SPRINGS.

Dr. Beeman, a physician of Harbor Springs, committed suicide Tuesday Afternoon by drinking carbolic acid He had been liaving trouble with his wife, it is alleged, and had been drinking. She reproved him for his lage President, one Village Clerk, one bottle of acid from his pocket and in two years, one Assessor.... spite of her efforts to prevent him, drank its contents. A physician was summoned but he died at 4 o'clock.

Dr. Beeman came to Harbor Springs said day of election. from Charlevoix a year ago and the ins were taken back there for outfal. He is survived by his widow and one child.

He was formerly an East Jordan resident having practiced here for a number of years, and was at time in partnership with Dr. F. C. Warne.

County Road Institute.

The county road institute for Charlevoix county will be held at Charle volx on February 27 beginning at

Highway commissioners in attendance will receive their expenses and one day's pay. Everyone interested in the question of good roads is cordially in vited to attend. The session will be held in the county court

Order for Election.

TO ALL TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, written application and peti-tions, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Charlevolx, have oven re-et all by the clear of said county and filed in his office, praying that an election be held in and for said County of Charlevoix; under the provisions of Act No. 207 of the Public Acts of 1889, approved June 29, 1889, as amended by Act 183 of Public Acts of 1899, to ascertain the will of the qualified electors of said county whether or not the manufacture of liquors and the liquor traffice should be prohibited within the limits of the said county; and

WHEREAS, at an adjourned session of the the City of Charlevoix in said county. on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1909, the stid petitions were duly examined, and WHEREAS, upon such examination it was

determined and declared by resolution adopted by said Board that such election has been prayed for by the requisite number of electors, to-wit -- By not less than one-third of all the qualified electors of said county, as shown by reference to the return and county canvass of the last preceding general election for State officers held in said county.

NOW, Therefore, it is ordered and directed by the Board of Supervisors of said County of Charlevolx that an election be and the same is hereby called in the several townships, cities and election districts in said county. pursuant to the provisions of the aforename act to acertain the will of the electors of said county, whether or not the manufacture of li-quors and the liquer traffic should be prohibit ed within the limits of said county.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that said election as above directed, shall be held at the next general election, for the township officers in the said several townships and cities and election districts in said county, on Monday the fifth day of April, A. D. 1909,

WM. HERSCHEL MILLER, DANIELS, PATTON, Chairman of the Board Clerk of said Board, of Supervisors of the County of Charlevoix

CERTIFICATE OF THE COUNTY CLERK TO ORDER FOR ELECTION.

STATE OF MICHIGAN OUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX S.

I, Daniel S. Payton, County Clerk of the County of Charlevoix, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correctratecript, compared by me, from the original record of the order issued by the Board of Supervisors of said county, calling a special election on the proposition of county prohibition, and of the whole of such original, as en-tered in the journal of the proceedings of said Board, at their meeting of February 9th, A.

In testimony whereof, I have here-unto subscribed my name and affix-ed the send of Oiccult Court of suld County at the City of Charlevolx, in said County, this 12th day of Febru-ary, A. D. 1999.

Daniel S. Payron, County Clerk.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining uncalled for in the East Jordan postoffice for the week ending Feb'y 13th, 1909.

Letters.

Isanan, Lawrence Moore, Joe Ratton, Mrs. H. E.

Cards. Bartlett, Rev. C. H. Damon, Mrs.C. Harrington, Miss Effle Gross, Mr. Troy, Frank

FRANK A. KENYON, P.M

Rocking Chairs in abundance at WHITTINGTON'S.

Dr. F. P. Ramsey can test your eyes and properly fit you with glasses.

Village Election Notice.

To the Electors of the Village of East Jordan, County of Charlevolx, State of Michigan.

Notice is here by given that the next ensuing election for said Village will be held at the Town Hall in said

Village on MARCH 8, 1909.

at which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz; One Vil-

The polls of said election will be open at 7:30 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5:00 o'clock p. m. of

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

Dated this 17th day of February, A. D. 1900. CHARLES A. HUDSON, Clerk of said Village.

Village Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a Vil-Hall in said village, on Saturday. Feb- of an Egyptian nummy, the story is ruary 27, 1909, at 7:30 p. m. standard Officers for the ensuing term of the Village of East Jordan, county of Charlevoix, Michigan and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

By order of Board of Election Commissioners

CHARLES A. HUDSON, Dated, Feb., 17, 1909. Village Clerk.

Registration Notice.

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

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of at the Clerk's Office within said village on

be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors and who may apply for that purpose, and that the said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid, from 9:00 a.m., until 8:00 p. m. for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 17th day of February. A D. 1909.

By order of the Village Board of

Registration. CHARLES A. HUDSON,

Clerk of said Village Recipe as Repeated

by Reader's Request.

Some remarkable stories are being told about town and among the country people coming in of this simple home-made mixture curing Rheumaone ounce Compound Kargon, three Village Clerk. unges Compound Spring of Sarsanar. illa. Take as a dose one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

No change need be made in your usual diet, but drink plenty of good

This mixture has a peculiar tonic effect upon the kidneys; cleansing the

clogged up pores of the eliminative tissues, forcing the kidneys to sift and strain from the blood the uric acid and other poisonous waste matter. overcoming Rheumatism, Bladder nad Urinary troubles in a short while.

A druggist here who has had hundreds of calls for these ingredients since the first announcement in the newspapers last October stated that the people who once try it "swear by it." especially those who have Urinary and Kidney trouble and suffer with Rheumatism.

All the druggists in this neighborhood say they can supply the ingredients, which are easily mixed at home. There is said to be no better blood- in the interests of the Village. cleansing agent or spatem tonic known, and certainly none more harmless or simple to use.

Our Business is Growing

Because we sell the Best Furniture

Because we sell at the lowest price Because we have confidence in our

Because our patrons have confidence

We Handle the Output of Reliable

-EMPEY BROS.

A Master of the Art_of News Letter Writing

William E. Curtis the famous correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald, probably has a more enviable position and is read by more men and women daily than any other newspaper writer in the United States. He can go anywhere in the world and write on any live topic that he chooses. so long as he interests his hunalcoholic excesses, when he drew the Village Treasurer, three Trustees for dreds of thousands of readers. He has trayeled several times around the world and written entertainingly about almost every country under the

> Every day in the year, without yacation or intermission, Mr. Curtis has a two column letter in the Record-Herald. The remarkable thing about these letters is their power to interest all classes of readers. Women read them with the same enjoyment as men. Whether the subject be politics, travels, a new kink in the Monroe Notice is hereby given that a Vilage Caucus will be held at the Town cst money king or the personal history

always told with a limpid simplicity time for the purpose of placing in and an unfalling sense of interest nomination candidates for Village that keeps one reading to the end. No other correspondent now living can match the record of Mr. Curtis as a popular purveyor of timely and useful information. Whether he writes from his home in Washington or from the wilds of Mexico, from the gay streets of Paris or some remote temple in India, he always has something fresh and entertaining to tell.

Mr. Curtis began his newspaper career in Chicago as a reporter in 1872, speedily became a managing editor, resigned to serve as secretary of a government commission sent to South America, and fulfilled his duties so brilliantly there that Secretary James G. Blaine placed him at the head of the Village above named, will be held the new bureau of American Republics. He is almost as widely known in South America and Europe as in SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1909. the United States, At the world's for the purpose of registering the mir in Chicago he was the executive names of all such persons who shall head of, the Latin-American depart-The is a 'member of of almost every learned society in Washington

and many in Eurape.
Nobody outside of the Record-Herald office knows under what flag Mr. Curtis will next be hanging up his bat but everybody knows that, whether it be in Patagonia or Kamchatka. he will find something interesting to write about. Merely to read his daily news-letters is a liberal education. He does his full share toward making the Chicago Record-Herald the best home newspaper in the West.

Notice to Contractors.

The Village Council of the Village of East Jordan, Michigan, will receive Bids up to 8 o'clock p. m., March I, 1909, for furnishing the necessary materia's, labor, and tools, for the adtism and Kidney trouble. Here is ditions and improvements, to the the recipe and directions for taking: Water Works system of the Village, Mix by shaking well in a bottle one- in accordance with the plans and half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, specifications now on file with the

The work to be done includes: Laying 4,200 ft. of 10 in. Main. Laying 4,200 ft. of 8 in. Main. Laying 4,600 ft. of 6 in. Main.

Laying 2,200 ft. of 4 in. Main. Laying 1,300 ft. of 8 in. Main across the lake, submarine.

Furnishing and setting 26 hydrants. Furnishing and setting 28 gate

Building pump house complete. Building reservoir complete.

Furnishing pump and motor. It must be understood that these estimates are approximate and only

for a basis of comparison of bids.

Each hid must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the amount of the bid.

Copies of bidding blanks can be ob tained from the Village Clerk, and the plans and specifications can be seen at his office.

The council reserves the right to re-

ject any or all bids, or to , waive any defects or informalities in the bids,

Bids should be addressed to the Village Clerk, and indorsed Bid for Water Works Improvement.

WANTED-Men and teams to haul logs from my place in Echo township to the E. J. L. Co's Mill A. Apply to the undersigned or Frank Crowell, my foreman. .

Eugene Bowen, R. F. D. No. 5, East Jordan, Mich.

COUNTY NORMAL NOTES.

Maud Cross and Susic Sheldon spent Sanday at their homes in East Jor-

Commissioner J. H. Milford, of East Jordan, visited the normal Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Jessie Metz substituted for Miss Crowell in the second and third grades Wednesday of last week. The Atheneum society gave a Lin

coln program Friday afternoon of last Edith Brodie and Mildred Drescher began preparation for practice teach-

ing in fourth grade arithmetic-last

Words of Praise

For the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, as given by leaders in all the several schools of modicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional tea-timonials. Dr. Pierce Favorite Prescrip-

medicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials. Dr. Pierce's Tavorite Prescription has the badge of honesty on every bottle-wrapper, in a full list of all its ingredients printed in plain English.

If you are an invalid woman and suffer from frequent headache, backache, gnawing distress in stomach, periodical pains, disagregable, catarrhal, pelvic drain, dragging/down distress in lower abdomen or pelvis, perhaps dark spots or specka dancing before the eyes, faint-spells and kindsed symptoms caused by female weakness, of the derangement of the feminine organs, but can not do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

The hispital, surgeon's knife and operating tating may be avoided by the timely use of 'favorite Prescription' in such cases. Thereby the obnoxious examinations and local freatments of the family physician can be avoided and a thorough course of successful treatment carried out in the privacy of the home. 'Favorite Prescription' is composed of the very best native medicinal roots known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar aliments, contains no 'alcohol and no harmful or habit-forming drugs.

Do not expect too much from 'Favorite Prescription;' it will not perform miracles; it will not disolve or cure tumors. No medicine will. It will do as much to establish vigorous health in mass. weaknesses and aliments peculiarly incident to women as any medicine can. It must be given a fair chance by perseverance in its use for a reasonable length of time.

You can't afford in about a secret.nostrum as a substitute for this remedy of fundyn composition.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is gnarded as sacredly secret and womanly confidences are protected by prefersional privacy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buiffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's pleasant Pellets the best laxative and regulator of the bowels.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets the best
laxative and regulator of the bowels.
They invigorate stomach, liver and
bowels. One a laxative; two or three a
cathartic. Easy to take as candy.



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and Cleanliness

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Chas. A. Brabant Geo. A. Bell J. J. Votruba Co.

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East Jordan Planing Mills Co., B. E. WATERMAN, Manager.



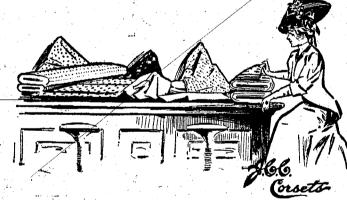
Custom Planing Mill. Manufacturers and Dealers in

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Dress Soods

Call and see our New Spring Suitings. Beautiful Chevons in all the new shades-brown, tan, green, navy, toupe, oxblood, Copenhagen, soft greys, Oxford greys, etc. \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c, 60c, 50c, 30c.



The counters and shelves are piled high with new things these days. of many looms, American and foreign, go to swell the showing. Selecting a dress is easy and pleasant work here, the variety is so great and the prices so satisfying. Every fashionable shade is represented in many different fabrics. All the new stripes in duo-tones and smart color combinations are here. Neat checks and subdued plaids for the young folks: beautiful black fabrics; an almost enless list of weaves in cream and white to satisfy the big demand for white this summer. Plain and fancy serges, broadcloth, cheviots, veilings. voiles, mohairs and panamas, materials for any and every occasion. Prices 25c to \$3.50.

ALL-OVER NETS.

In colors, for Weists, Embroidered Net Bindings, and Fancy Dress Trimmings in all shades.

36-in. Black Silks in prices \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75. Fancy Shirtwaist Silks and Light Weight Silks for Even-ing wear in all the new and fashionable shades and textures.

WHITE WOOL GOODS

White and Cream Wood Goods in Serges, Mohairs, plain and fancy Batistes, and Albatross.

WHITE COTTON GOODS

Everything to be desired in Cross-bar Musling and Dimities; 10c to 50c; India Linous 5c to 30c. Shirt Waist Lineus and Round Thread Art Lineus, 30c, 50c, 75c.

NOTICE

We have a BUTTON MACHINE and can make your Buttons from your goods. Different sizes.

CORSETS

All the late models for both stout and slender figures. Prices from 50c to \$1.50.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

An Entirely New Line, from 50c to \$3.50 the garment. Best values to be found anywhere. We challenge com-parison on our Underwear values: are confident you'll not find them better: or their sound anywhere. Ind them better; or their equal anywhere.

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There is FASHION in undergarments as in overgarments,

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Our New Line of CLARENDON SHIRTS are here. The Great \$1.50 Shirt We Sell for \$1.00.

"QUALITY FIRST OF ALL" Qur Motto.

RAST JORDAN, - MICHIGAN

Twin Troubles.

The other woman's burden always looks lighter than her own to Mrs. Trouble-in-Hand and to Mrs. Ditto. They occupy different social positions, but their woes are similar. Mrs. Trouble has one maid, and can never "entertain" or give her husband his favorite pie, because "one pair of hands can't do everything." Mrs. Ditto has six servants, and declares herself distracted by their quarrels and wastefulness, and ashamed to invite a guest to one of her helter-skelter meals. Mrs. Trouble thinks herself a marty: because she must stay at home. Mrs. Ditto fretfully complains that her husband's health compels her to travel. Mrs. Ditto finds her church work far too heavy for her strength, and Mrs. Trouble is sure that her minister looks down on her, because he never asks her to do anything. Finally, even in the shadow of death, Mrs. Trouble has no time to indulge her grief, and Mrs. Ditto has no other interests to distract her mind from hers. So, says the Youth's Companion, if we observe this queer, varied world in which we live, we learn to appreciate Milton's pro-The mind is its own place, and in it-

self Can make a heaven of hell, a hell of

heaven. Perhaps we can go a step further, and wonder if we are not pretty well off,

Incidentally, it is interesting to note that the skill which enables one to detect a counterfelt comes not from a study of counterfeits, but from thorough and conscientious familiarity with the genuine. If a man were pointed out to you and you were told that some day another who much resembled him would try to impose upon you, you would be pretty apt to fix his features in your mind; you would not spend any time looking at other people who looked something like him, would you? And the moment the impostor appeared you would note that in this, that or the other particular he failed to meet the details of the other man's face and figure. Just so it is in the detection of counterfeits, says the National Magazine. A skillful feller in a bank, counting money rapidly, will involuntarily throw out a note which in the slightest degree departs from the well-known pattern which is so strongly impressed on his mental vision. That involuntary act will nearly always prove to have been justified for the bill in 19 cases out of 20 will prove to be counterfeit. It is because of this fact that when a request is received from some one to loan him a collection of counterfeits for the instruction of his cashiers, he is advised to have the young men study the genuine carefully, and there will be no trouble in detecting the bad notes.

Dr. James B. Angell, president of the University of Michigan, may regard himself as a standing refutation of Oslerism. President Angell, who has held his present position for 38 years, subject only to such absences as have been necessary by temporary assumption of other duties, is still a very active man, though he is 80 years old. He celebrated his birthday by attending and taking part in the annual convention of the Association of American Universities at Ithaca, where he was the guest of Hon. Andrew D. White another splendid veteran. Dr. Angell ays of himself that he was never in in tip-top condition, and he has every longed to her "lord and master." appearance of ruddy health. To-day he leaves for the west and in a few days will be back at his desk ready for energetic work. Constant usefulness and a high order of living seem to be

Some day not very far distant, it is hoped, exporters and importers in the United States will awaken to the realization that South America offers them exceptional business opportunities, and then probably a systematic and determined effort will be made to wrest from Europe the trade which. geographically speaking, belongs to us Why this rich field has not been cultivated is one of the mysteries which for a decade has puzzled citizens who visited the continent to the south. Per haps the explanation is that we have been too busy extending our trade to Europe and Asia, but whatever the cause, the time has passed when American merchants can any longer afford to ignore the possibilities apparent to the well informed.

The young king of Portugal has been warned of a deep-laid plot to depose him, which, after the terrible circum stances of his accession, he can take as no idle threat. Scarcely more than a boy, he is beginning soon to realize how uneasy lies the head that wears a

"Why not make your own music?" asks the Washington Times. Because our neighbors prefer us to have our music made by some one who knows ww. Silly question, that

Lure of Death

Not More Suicides, But More Publicity

By RABBI JOSEPH SILVERMAN, Temple Emain El, New York City.



I do not believe there are more suicides to-day than there ever were. Newspapers are more alert now. There were just as many suicides in ancient times. Once upon a time when a man committed suicide people said he was "crazy" and let it drop. Now suicide news is especially featured, but I think the actual number is no greater than in ancient Rome. Nature has many ways of getting rid of her unfit.

At one time suicide was almost fashionuble in Rome. Seneca advocated it, and among his disciples there was what he called a "passion for suicide." A man was justified in destroying his own life, the stoics believed. A Roman senator declared that the one point in which man's lot is superior to that of a god is that he has the power of "flying to the tomb." He describes it as the greatest proof of the bounty of Providence that in the world there are so many herbs from which the weary man

can secure the means for a rapid and painless death.

Lecky says: "The dramatic death of Cato the Stoic was the favorite subject of Roman eloquence." "Indifference to death" is a favorite phrase of the stoics. It is said that Sencea clung to the idea of suicide with "passionate joy," as "the one refuge for the oppressed and wrong," saying: "Against all the injuries of life I have the refuge of death." It is only weak minds, however, in my opinion, that for a moment seriously entertain the idea of suicide. What the people need is a good cold bath and some healthy optimism.

The New Woman and' Divorce

By Elizabeth Bacon Walling.

Why is it that to-day so many more wives than husbands are securing divorces?

The official census report on divorce just published shows that two-thirds of the 945,625 divorces in the last 20 years were granted to women. The most common ground has been desertion.

The fact that so many more wives than husbands are securing divorce is proof neither that husbands are growing in profligacy, nor that wives, because of their "higher education" and interest in public affairs, are becoming more prone to free themselves from loving and faithful hus-

band. One reason why more divorces are obtained by the wives is the fact that the court usually assigns the children to the mother. While this is one reason, the chief reason is that woman, by her more liberal education and by the improved economic situation which now prevails in this country, is better able to support herself.

No longer is woman forced by laws, in the making of which she has had no part, to continue to live with the brute who beats her, with the nors sidestepped, and the bird flew gambler and drunkard who beggars her, deserting her in her distress, and with the culprit who deceives her, forsaking her for others. Factory, shop and university have opened their doors to her as avenues of escape.

She is no longer denied the right to the wages which she has earned with her own hands, to the clothing which she has bought with her own earnings, to the children which she bears and brings up, and to her own body, which under an old dispensation in one of the New England states her husband was privileged to sell to his neighbor.

By her higher intelligence and more refined conscience woman has come to question her right to cause to be born the offspring of husbands who are drunkards and criminals. She is also wondering whether she should have more children than she can properly educate and prepare for the battle of life. She has come to ask herself whether it is not more fair to society for her to free herself from a relation which must but people the world with a race of degenerates and weaklings.

One reason why so many more wives than husbands are securing diorces appears in the growing economic independence of women.

Woman is now beginning to realize that her soul is her own. She is no longer an economic slave. At one time woman knew that outside of her husband's nome she had no opportunity for self-support. Her better shape physically and is feeling property, her children, her wages, her clothes all be-

When a woman marries a man she gives him her youth, places her fate in his hands, and unless she has a fortune of her own, is dependent upon him till death for her comfort and well being. Therefore it is a solthe best recipes for health and longev emn moment in the life of the wife and mother when she turns her back upon her only refuge from want; and while we are not without examples of wives deserting their husbands for frivolous reasons, it is safe to conclude that in the majority of cases when wives desert their husbands they are following some honest conviction of conscience and principle.



Snakes Fascinate Women

By DIRECTOR HORNADAY,

It is interesting to watch women inspecting the exhibits in the reptile house. They peer into the glass boxes as if fascinated and give little exclamations of fright.

"Oh, look! isn't he terrible!" says one, clutching the arm of her companion. "Just look at his eyes. I just love to watch them." I have noticed that after they have been looking at the exhibits for a few moments one woman will give a little scream and say: "Oh, goodness! What's that on my foot?"

I think the prejudice against snakes is inborn. If it is growing less it is through

familiarity with the exhibits in the zoological gardens of the country. The python of Africa is the most easily trained of snakes. Although

it is an exceedingly powerful animal it becomes quite amiable and friendly. It is a curious fact that women are more successful than men in taming reptiles. Without having the figures at hand, I venture to say that there are twice as many women as men in the business of snake charming, and the python is their favorite pet. Many other varieties of snake can be handled, however, including the cobra, which is the most dangerous of them all.

BIRD ROUTS TABBY, AND WHEN TAKEN TO STATION INVADES. DORMITORY.

New York.—Nature fakers and thers who may think a cat can whip a gray eagle are respectfully referred to Joseph Solomon, who runs a butcher shop on Madison avenue, Abraham Tfeffer, who helps him. They got their information at first hand the other afternoon, when they saw a half-grown eagle easily whip a large

It is Solomon's practice to have refreshments in his apartment in the rear of the store just before the late Tay while he, Tfeffer and Mrs. Solomon were discussing the repast



Tom Was Getting the Beating of His

fearful squawking arose in the back yard, where Solomon daily throws scraps for the benefit of the cats of

Rushing out they found Tom Grady, the largest and handsomest tiger cat in the district, in battle with a bird, with other cats fleeing in all directions from what looked to be a feathered Johnson in action. Tom was getting the beating of his nine lives Treffer got a large bag and threw it

Then, followed by a large crowd, he ran to the station. He arrived there so excited that he could not say any thing to Lieut. Connors but "bird cat. Connors was still wondering what was wrong when the bird answered the question by breaking out of the bag and flying straight for his head. into the inspector's room, where policemen were playing checkers. They dropped the checkers to chase the bird, which made a line for the third floor, where more tired policemen

Thence the chase led to the inspec tion room once more, policemen in all states of dress and undress aiding in the pursuit, which, seemingly, was to be endless, until Hugh Montgomery the doorman, came to the rescue Hugh goes fishing a great deal in the summer, and had a small net used to catch minnows handy. Deftly he threw it over the bird, and in a short time it was in an improvised cage, and the station settled down to its normal condition. On examination the eagle was found

to have escaped all but minor injuries at the hands of Tom Grady, and nov waits a claimant.

FAIR INDIAN MAID STOLEN. Tahlequah Cherokee Girl Has the

Muskogee, Okla.—Because she pos

sessed a lease which half a dozen oil

companies sought, Susie Turner, Tahlequah Cherokee Indian girl, who lacked one month of being 18 years old, has spent that month in fairyland Kidnaped at night on a street of Tahlequah and driven 45 miles in a race to catch a train, the young Indian girl was hustled into a Pullman state room on the Katy Flyer, hurried out of Oklahoma, married to her sweethear on the train, wined, dined and enter tained at the expense of one of the rival oil companies, and has just been returned to Oklahoma, 18 years old Mrs. Moses Harris, and legally

When a sirl Mrs. Harris inherited valuable oil lands and as the day of her maturity drew near several con cerns, among them the Holdenville Oil Company, appeared in the field as rivals for the rich leases. It was when the bargaining was just reaching s climax that the Holdenville crowd kidnaped the girl and kept her in the fairyland of the east until she was old enough to give them the much

to sign over a lease to the spendthrift

Oddly Cured by Trainp.

Worcester, Mass.—Unable to leave his bed for three years, James A. Sut ton, at his home near Rochdale, enter tained a tramp the other evening. The tramp told Sulton to get up and walk saying: "I think if you tried you could get up and walk."

Mr. Sutton got onto his feet and found he could stand. When he did this the tramp looked surprised, and started to the door. Mr. Sutton spoke saying: "Come back, come back, and stay the night with us." But the tramp had disappeared in the dark

EAGLE THRASHES A CAT. A SMALL DENATURED THEN MAKENS POLICE A SMALL DENATURED ALCOHOL PLANT IN USE

Minnesota Experiment Station Takes Up Work Practicability of Small Still.

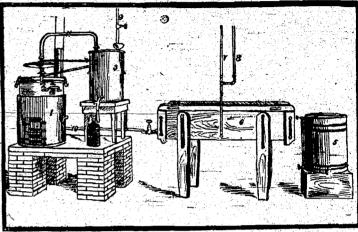
Since the removal of the internal revenue tax on denatured alcohol by ongress much general interest has as serted itself regarding the form of manufacture of the product. So far little has resulted, except in the way of experimentation. The Minnesota experiment station is one of the first to take up the work and is now operating a small still.

The illustration shows the outfit

that has recently been installed for the manufacture of denatured alcohol on a small scale, applicable to farm conditions. It was necessary to im port the still from France, where al-cohol is successfully made on the farm, as no manufacturer in this country engaged in the construction and erection of distilling plants ap-

per receiving tank (5). The alcohol is denaturized by a revenue officer, who adds ten per cent. wood elcohol or other chemicals so as to render it unsuitable for internal use.

Experiment stations founded by the United States government are permitted to operate these stills for experimental purposes and denaturize the alcohol on the same day it is distilled. The person operating the plant executes a \$1,000 bond, as a. gnarantee that the alcohol will be used only for purposes of denaturiz-In the case of the farmer, the alcohol would have to remain in the sealed tank and be denaturized by a government official. The still must be operated in accord with the revenue regulations, otherwise one would



Denatured Alcohol Plant in Operation at Minnesota Experiment Station.

cheapest one that could be supplied by an American firm cost about \$10,-

The plant consists of a malting vat (6) (an old cheese vat) supplied with hot and cold water for regulating the temperature_during the fermentation process. The cull potatoes, low grade grain or whatever material is used, is, after grinding and suitable mechanical preparation, placed in the vat where it is fermented with yeast, and alcohol is formed. The fermented product is then placed in the still (2), a fire is kindled in the fire box condenser (3), where it is cooled and liquified. The condenser is supplied at 9 with cold running water. alcohol delivered from the condenser at 4 is passed into the sealed cop-

pears to make such small outfits. The | be subject to fine and imprisonment No alcohol has yet been made in this still, but a number of experiments us ing various farm products are contemplated.

The plant has been installed both for experimental and instruction pur poses, and as the work progresses reports will be issued giving information upon the subject in response to the numerous inquiries which been received. The still cost \$67.13 duty free. The freight and installa tion brings the total charge to about \$100. Prof. Harry Snyder expresses the opinion that American mechanics (1), and the alcohol is vaporized, can make equally as good an outfit passes through the tube (11) into the can make equally as good an outfit natured alcohol for use as fuel and light is successfully made on a small scale by European farmers, and know of no reason why it cannot os should not be made in this country.

FIRST TILE DRAIN LAID IN AMERICA

By Elmer O. Fippin.

It is an interesting fact that the first tile drains used in America were near Geneva in 1837 by John Johnston, Mr. Johnston's farm of 300 icres consisted of clay loam and clay soils with smaller areas of marshy land, but it could not be regarded as being more wet than the average of the land in that region. During the course of 30 years Mr. Johnston in staffed between sixty and seveny miles of tile drains in his farm with results entirely satisfactory to himself. marked were the effects of his drainage system on the condition of his soil and the yield of crops, that it attracted wide notice and through the New York State Agricultural society led to the public recognition of Mr. Johnston's services to the farming community. He was presented with several gold and silver pieces as emlems of this esteem.

Many other men were led to the use of tile drains through Mr. Johnston's example and the gospel of tile drainage seems to have spread out from Geneva as a center. The drains installed by Mr. Johnston are still in good working condition. The yield of crops, which are reported to have in-creased from the indifferent amounts of 15 or 20 bushels of wheat per acre to 30 or 40 bushels per acre and frequently more, are still maintained under the management of the present wner, Mr. Charles R. Mellen.

The first tile installed were shaped and sole tile, some of which were imported from Scotland, the nativity of Mr. Johnston. Later he used round tile. They were hard burned and were laid at an average depth of 21/2 feet.

Don't Overfeed Calves .- Overfeeding causes indigestion and scours in calves, and more calves die from overfeeding than from starvation. To do well the calf must have a good appetite. This he cannot have if he is overfed. This is particularly true by we have heard it asserted by farmers that skim-milk poisoned calves. Skim-milk in proper quantities never killed a calf, but skim-milk taken down in gorging quantities will kill calves, or any other animal, and so will corn, clover, hay, alfalfa, or any thing else which the calf craves and of which he eats enough to gorge

A Caution.-Poultry food must not be highly concentrated or we have presed crops and intestines.

THE DAIRY COW **-VS. THE STEER** The difference in value between a

good dairy cow and a beef steer is brought out very clearly and vincingly in the following comparison by Prof. A. L. Haecker of the Nebras ka experiment station. It presents a subject worthy serious thought:

Take the steer, Challenger, whom ve are nearly all familiar with, from his winning the greatest trophy that can be gained by a steer in the national contest down at Chicago; also take the cow, Katie Gerben, has just broken a record. Challenger gained last year 700 pounds live weight, he dressed 60-some per cent and that would mean that he produced some 400 pounds of meat.

We are told by Gilbert and Lawes. who are probably the greatest investigators on this subject, that beef runs from 54 to 60 per cent. water just as you find it in the live carcass; then. we have the mineral substances; the bone; so cutting out this 55 per cent of water and this bone in this 400 pounds of meat and you have less than 200 pounds of what we call meat, minus water and bone, that he produced in one year.

Katie Gerhen produced 18,500 pounds of milk, or over 620 pounds of butter fat in one year, also 700 pounds of milk sugar, about 400 pounds of casein, 150 pounds of albumen and 150 pounds of ashes. would give us 2,000 pounds of food nutrients. Then this cow, Katie Gerben, has produced in one year over 2,000 pounds of food nutrients, while the steer, Challenger, has produced. 200 pounds of food nutrients. In other words this cow has produced ten times more food nutrients than the steer

Now here is where you have it: A good dairy cow is one of the most eco nomical animals on the farm, while the steer is the most extravagant.

There is another thought. had to kill the steer in order to get this from him, but we have the cow left to go on and, better than that, we have her progeny which we hope will take after her.

Take Chill Off the Water.-It is more economical to warm the ice-cold water which the cow is called upon to drink during the winter with coal and a tank heated than to allow her to warm it with alfalfa at eight dollars a ton or corn at 60 cents a bushel. If the cow drinks ice-cold water she will use your feed to warm it. Likewise, if exposed to the storms she will use the feed consumed to maintain heat in her body. It is cheaper to set up a few boards and in this way keep her body warm.

"Vanishing Fleets," a story of "what might have happened, opens in Washington with the United States and Japan on the verge of war. Guy Hillier, secretary of the British embassy, and Miss Norma Roberts, chief alde of Inventor Roberts, are introduced as lovers. Japan declares war and takes the Philippines. Guy Hillier starts for England. Norma Roberts with military officers also leaves Washington on mysterious expedition for the Florida coast. Hawaii is captured by the Japs. All ports are closed. Tokyo tearns of missing Japanese fleet and whole world becomes convinced that United States has some powerful war agency. England decides to send a fleet to American waters as a Canadian protection against what the British suppose is a terrible submarine flotilla. Hiller is also sent to Canada to attempt to force his way through American lines with a message. British fleet departs amid missivings of English. Fleet mysteriously disappears. Hillier makes a failure of offort to deliver message to the president. War between Great Britain and Germany is threatened. The kaiser disappears. King Edward of England is confronted by Admiral Bevins of the United States, and upon promising to present the missing British admiral the monarch agrees to accompany Bevins on tour, which the latter says will uncover the agent of war and end all conflicts. The breadnaught biggest of England's warships, is a discovered at an impassable point in the Thames, much to the mystery of the Kiagdom. The story goes back to a time many months before the war breaks out, and Inventor Roberts visigs, the president and cabinet, telling of and exhibiting a metal production. This avercomes friction when electrified and is to be applied to vessels to increase speed to over 50 miles an hour.

CHAPTER XIV.-Continued.

The secretary of the navy, obeying a suggestion from the chair, read off long list of figures, explaining them as he went, and concluding with an unqualified indorsement of the plan. So in tectious was his blunt enthusiasm and confidence, that those who at first had hesitated at the irregularity of the procedure found themselves won over and bound with complete unanimity into a coterie which was to assume responsibility for a war. And thus was the issue accepted.

The early hours of the morning were upon them as they dispersed, but Norma, resting back in the corner of the cab which conveyed her homeward, did not share the elation of her father, who was already building work shops, conducting new experiments and equipping a navy. Yesterday she had looked forward to confiding the story of their great success to Guy Hillier; for in the preceding month, when she and her father had been trembling on the very edge of a great discovery in unknown fields, she had given no intimation of their work or their prospects, planning this surprise, and now, by the rigid embargo of silence thrust upon her, her dream was dissipated. To her the production of the radioactive metal had meant a goalt but now that it was reached and she was anxious to satisfy a heart hunger, she had been given another task, and was to undergo more silence and repression and another siege of work in a world of figures, of test tubes and retorts, a slave to the lamp of science and her father's success. Not even the knowledge that she was sacrificing herself on the altar of duty to country, whose protection and welfare were burdens that she must share, palliated the bitterness of holding love aloof. And in this light the triumphs of invention seemed hollow and the night filled with dreariness

There were no more regular meetings of those who conspired for the national good; but it was a season of terrific activity, and February was yet young when there sailed away from York harbor one night a gunboat, a collier and a small transport, whose destinations were unknown, and which slipped their moorings in silence and passed down the bay with scarcely a sound to announce their departure.

On board the gunboat were men accustomed to unquestioning obedience, and on the transport was a little army of skilled mechanics and engineers who had been called from their usual occupation by imperative orders and requested to tell none but their fami-Ves that they might be absent for seviral months. There was not a man aboard any of the craft who had not taken a pledge of absolute secrecy.

The collier, black and massive, was loaded almost beyond her carrying capacity, and even on her decks were piled lumber and great sheets of corrugated iron, bearing evidence of full holds below. And all this cargo had the history of rushed work behind it. Strange pieces of machinery, sections of engines, powerful dynames, and unheard of apparatus were stowed away with cases of chemicals, and the mines of the north, the west and the south had contributed crude metals or partially smelted ores to the assortment. Driven by expert minds and masters of executive work, an army of men in different walks of life had given their ingenuity and effort toward something of which they knew not, and then the result of their labors had poured out upon a wharf, been swallowed up by the cavernous holds of a collier, and

Great Cases of Machinery Swung Up from the Holds.

broad reaches of the Atlantic, with turbed when the anchor chains went destination unknown.

A general order had been issued American grounds round lower Florida and the keys demanded attention. the gunboat Penobscot had been detailed to patrol those waters. In the United States this attracted no attention; but the swarthy fishermen of the tropics took warning and no longer steered their smacks to the forbidden waters, shrugging their shoulders in impotent wrath.

Rumor had it that the transport was carrying mechanics and laborers to the Philippines, where a new drydock was to be constructed, and the collier was generally supposed by men of the waterfront to be laden with materials for this work. And so despite the momentous significance of the sailing of these three ships, the world remained in ignorance, paid little heed, or forgot.

Those voyagers who were in the secret looked forward with eagerness to the task before them, realizing to the full that on them depended much. And of these was Norma, who leaned over the stern rail of the Penobscot as it dropped down the harbor. watched the lights of the city grow dim in the distance, saw the great, silent statue of liberty rear itself against the sky, and felt the first free swell lift and sway the deck beneath her feet. Her departure had not been pleasant:

There on the land behind was the man whom she seemed doomed forever to hold at arm's length. She had parted from him with the announcement that her father was compelled to go south for a time, and had on her accompanying him. For how long? Ah, that could be but conjecture; perhaps for two or three months. Was he ill? No, not exactly; but he was going away and needed her. Yes, she would write occasionally from Miami, Fla.; but not often, because her charge would demand her time. And so, answering and evading, filled with yearning, and yet debarred from giving confidence, she had bidden him good-by and come to this: Sailing away in the hight with all the furtiveness and mystery which enshrouded pirate ships of old bent on plunder

The days of the voyage were much alike; filled with work. Down in the cabins the engineers and machinists drew hasty plans of buildings, then marked spots where machines were to have floor space, drew diagrams for transmission of power, and consulted charts showing the depths of water round their prospective shipyard. They had not even time to watch the devious course in and out among the swamps of the island came the islands which marked their entry to cries of night fowl, the whir and the scene of toil. When the pulsations chirruping noise of insect life, of the screw stopped and the ship and the monotonous crosking of the scene of toil. When the pulsations

rumbling through their hawser pipes. Like an army of ants, drilled and and made public, that, inasmuch as acclimated, they swarmed out upon the poaching of Cuban fishermen on the land, the sappers clearing the way. the carpenters donning their aprons and grasping their tools while piles of lumber, kegs of bolts and nails, and mountains of iron sheathing accumuthe ringing of a multitude of hammers and the steady biting song of the saws filled the air with sounds of in-dustry, great cases of machinery swung up from the holds, floated diz zily to the bulwarks, and went slowly down to the lighters. A city of tents sprang up as by necromancy, with gutters to carry off the rains, and sewers to prevent disease. Camp surgeons accustomed to sanitation superintended these outposts, paying as much attention to the spreading of a mosquito net to keep away the dread stygomia, as to tautening the canvas roofs and clearing the grounds.

All available means of a resourceful nation had been gathered together as an expert driver seizes the reins of a four-in-hand and guides his horses along a known road to a given destination, and all with the regularity which would distinguish the work had it been the most unimportant action of every day industry.

Norma, having no part in this task of construction, wandered idly up and down the decks or round the clearing throughout the day; and as she watched she saw the birth of a miniature city, saw the heaps of material on the beach dissipated, saw tall steel smoke stacks poke their summits unward supported by spider-like cables, saw shining, corrugated roofs spread themselves protectingly over floors whereon machinery was already being placed, and wondered at the accomplishment.

The sun went down, losing itself among the keys and waters of thefarther west, before a bugle gave a quick imperative summons and the toilers dropped their tools for the evening meal. Many of the officers, some of them grimy and stained with work, their linen no longer immacu late, and their hair unkempt, came aboard the gunboat for dinner. ate hurriedly like men in the field, and one by one, with scant apology to their fellow diners, disappeared. Norma was almost the last to leave the cabin and appear on deck, which to her surprise was vacant. Even as she glanced along its deserted length there came a whistle from the shore.

Darkness had descended abruptly and piled its blackness over the lands and the seas of the tropics. The paim trees and shrubbery out to the west were silhouetted against the last faint light of day, and from the

fireflies on aimless journeyings, not a few but many thousands of them, as if in a wild dance of curiosity, looking through the night to learn what manner of things these were that had come upon them so suddenly, ripped away their forests and built strange mansions in their solitudes.

It was not this, however, that chained her attention. High up over this mushroom city where all had been silent and darkening when she went below, now gleamed myriad lights strung as by a genil of the lamp while others rested from their toil. White, flaring streaks of brilliance thrust spearlike rays into the gloom, illuminating below them the creation of a From the distance came the steady hum of steam driven dynamos, telling with monotonous insistence that there would be no cessation until the last spike was driven, the last machine set and the last belting hung. Into this spot of the night began to come black figures answering the call of the siren. On a sudden, as if by preconcerted signal, the echoes again awoke to the clang of hammers on steel and the hum of voices in command. Like weird pygmies doomed to twist their thews in never-ending effort, she saw them resume their uncompleted task, exerting themselves unceasingly for its accomplishment.

A launch which had come alongside on some errand was sputtering spas-modically at the foot of the ladder below as if impatient to be off. She boarded it, and in a few minutes a smart young naval officer stepped into the stern, gave a curt order, and they raced away toward the shore.

"Ah, good evening, Miss Roberts," he said, suddenly spying her. "Looking for your father, who went ashore awhile ago, I presume? I'm going right in his direction, and will be glad. to guide you." He seemed too busy for further conversation, and almost before the boat had come to a stop sprang to the shingle and offered his

Through steadily working groups of men, past unfinished buildings, and lighted floors where machinists over wrought with levers and wrenches. they went to the far side of the camp. Here were officers with coats cast off and sleeves rolled up, and laborers in overalls intent on setting a huge blast furnace; and in the very heart of this activity, besmirched with dirt, his hat discarded and his shirt thrown open, she found her father. Not even he with all his weight of years could resist this terrific call of energy. She stood and watched for a few minutes while he, the master spirit of the group, directed the work. It seemed to have passed its critical point, and after some final instructions to the engineer in charge he straightened up and looked round.

"Hello, here's the assistant," he said, walking toward her and looking fondly into her eyes. She besought him to rest, and her appeals were seconded by those of the officers who feared for the physical strength of this man on whom so much depended, and who would have guarded him as a precious jewel of untold worth. He protested at first, and then, like one waking from a dream and suddenly conscious of a great weariness, made no objection when the rear admiral, who now looked like a workman, put his hat upon his head and tendered him his He permitted them to throw it over his shoulders, and finally, with a look of infinite satisfaction at the growing structure before him, took his daughter's arm and tramped away He was an old man again, yielding the tribute of age to the toil of youth.

They boarded the boat and sought their cabins; but even as they retired there came to them through the oper portholes, like a lullaby, the sounds of unremitting labor intermingled with the lap of waves on the coral beach. The first creative step toward a na tional victory and supremacy had been taken in a day, even while the war cloud across western seas was gathering strength for its overcast; and, waiting, wondering, and expectant, the world was unaware. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Discoveries in the Air.

The growth of ballooning has led to many curious investigations touch ing the atmosphere and its inhabitants. By the use of anchored hall oons with self-registering instruments some of the experiments of deep-sea sounding have been repeated aloft. At Strasburg sounding balloons have been sent to a height of nearly 26,000 yards, and 19,000 yards to 20,000 yards is not an uncommon height. One of the astonishing things said to have resulted is the discovery at a height of 14,000 yards of an isothermal zone in which, contrary to experience up to ceased her vibrations, they were still trogs. Swinging here and there in that height, temperature does not diwere now being carried out into the at their several (tA) : 22-1 were discorred; like fairles of the tun- minish with recession from the earthTHE PERUNA ALMANAC.

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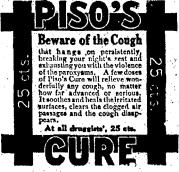
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There was one town in Northern Michigan at least that realized the ham Lincoln's birth, when from and blue were streaming. Pictures of the great emancipator were everygreen showing he was still fresh in the memory on that day-Feb'y 12th. The children were reminded, and told, also participated in the celebration-as many of the several rooms at

the school had their programs.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. celewith an enthusiasm that brought up many memories that had been hidden perhaps under the many years intervening since they were in touch with the great man who died a martyr to the cause of justice and equality. At their hall a scene of patriotism was displayed. The rooms were beautifully decorated with flags, bunting, and scenes of the different places frequented by Lincoln from his childhood home to the capitol at Washington.

A program that was patriotic and affecting filled the afternoon. The G. A. R. and W. R. C. with their familles, numbering over lifty, enjoyed the celebration which was opened by the Post Commander. The Chaplain read the prayer, then the President of the W. R. C.-Mrs. R. Hammondtook charge. The first number was a world duet, "My Old Kentucky Home" by Mrs. R. Hammond and Mrs. Lillian Seymour. Governor Warner's proclamation was read by A. Bush. Poem, "Comrade Jones of Any Street Corps' by Mrs. U. Bowen. A sketch of Julia Ward Howe, author of Battle Hymn of the Republic, was read by Mrs. Hammond and the hymn was sung by a choir of nine voices. Mesdames Hammond, Bowen, Swafford, Barrie, Tindale, Rogers, Worden, N. Smith, and Seymour. A paper on the life and character of Lincoln, by Mrs. W. J. Smith, was well prepared and covered a good many incidents of his

Then a little suprise was given the Boys. A picture of Lincoln was unwelled, it being a present from the W. R. C. and the picture brought tears of sorrow to many eyes. It is a duplex photograveur, nearly life-size bust, in a handsome frame. - Two of the color bearer -Mrs. S. Rogers and Mrs. Harrington-followed by Mrs. Hammond and Mrs. Barrie dressed in white with long white veils and gilt crowns, and two other color bearers-Mrs. E. Sutton and Mrs. A. Tindalemarched in very slowly to where the picture was on an easel in front of a miniture tent made of bunting in the national colors. Eliza Swafford made the presentation speech.

Anecdotes by the Post and W. R. C. followed. "Tramp, Tramp, The Boys are Marching," came next in song. "Roosevelt's Tribute to Lincoln" was read by W. J. Smith. A. Rogers read "The Gettysburg Speech." Carrie Dewitt, Lincoln's favorite poem, "Immortality." Recitations by school children - Mary Dewitt, Marjorie Bowen, Lila Seymour, Blanche Boosinger, Eddie Miles, Eddie Barrie. Ella Lou Hoyt sung!'The Full Moon's Face."

Song "A Thousand Years" by the choir was followed by H. C. Swafford and sons Leonard and Matt, and grandson Raymond, with fife and drums thrilled the audience with martial music. Then the inner man was satisfied with a bountiful supply of eatables.

At eight o'clock they all marched in a body to the Opera House and were the guests of honor at the evening's entertainment. Rev. W. W. Lamport invoked the divine blessing. Introductory remarks by Supt. H. H. Fuller. Miss Walsh sung beautifully and sweetly "My Mission"-Lincoln's favorite hymn. "A Perfect Tribute" by Bertha Shies was well given. The ribbon drill by sixteen girls "Daugh-ters of the Revolution," directed by Miss Dolan, was a gem of the evening. A double quartett-Mrs. Fuller. Mrs. Dole, Misses Comstock and Walsh and Messers B. A. Dole, Guy Stanhope, Homer Maddock and Tom Lalonde sang "To Thee, Oh Country" and was one of the especially good num-

pers.
"Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech," given by Archie Kowaiske, was ren-dered in a masterly way. "Lincoln the Lawyer," by Att'y E. N. Clink, was well received, "Tenting On the Old Camp Ground," solo by B. A. Dole and chorus by a double male quartet, was fine and they responded to a hearty encore. Mis, W. J. Smith C. A. Hudson, Prop'r,

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recited "The Pilot," and received hearty applause. She respended to an encore. The address by Rev. A. D. Grigsby, "Lincoln," delighted the audience and was applauded with appreciation. Song, "Salute the Flag," by the male quartette, was well rereived. "O Captain, My Captain" by the Ladies' Quartet-Mesdames Bush, Fuller, Haire, and Miss Comstockwas effectively chanted. Miss Fay Nicholas gave a short sketch of this number before the singing.

Mrs. Blanche Robertson-Dole was director of the music and Miss Babcock accompanist, for the evening. Several young ladies in costume acted as ushers and they seemed to be in their right place. They were the Misses Marion Malpass, May Phillips, Erma Huriburt, Audie Delaney, and Winnie Maddaugh.

The stage was decorated with flags A picture of Lincoln, and his Gettysburg address, in large letters, were framed and on easels draped in the national colors.

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PROBATE ORDER: State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, son the 2nd day of February A. D. da Present: Hon. John M. Harris, Judge of Pro-

In the matter of the estate of John A In the matter of the estate of John A. Bowsinger, decensed, W. A. Loveday and Geo G. Glenn having filed in said court their final administration account, and their potition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, It is ordered, that the 1st day of March A. D. 1900 at ton of clock in forencon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said potition.

ining and allowing said account and said polition.

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

JOHN M. HARRIS, a true copy

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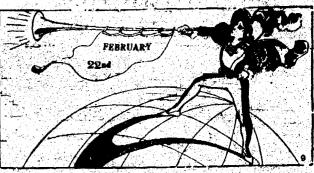
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East Sordan Lumber Co.

Briefs of the Week

Masquerade Ball, Monday night. Quartly conference at the Methodist church Saturday night.

A Swaverly telephone exchange has been installed at Buyes City.

LeRoy Sherman bas been summoned to served on the Grand Jury at Grand Rapids, March 10th.

A Medal Contest, under suspices of the W.C. T. U, will be held at the Methodist church next Friday evening, the 26th. Admission, 10c.

Mrs. J. M. Burdickdied at her home near Dwight's Landing, this township, last Tuesday, aged 77 years. Funeral services were held Thursday.

The Basket Bail game last Saturday night between East Jordan and Boyne City High School teams resulted in a score of 31 to 19 in favor of our boys.

Mrs. Wm. E. Palmiter left this week for St. Louis. Mo., where she will place her little boy in a hospital for treatment. She expects to be gone several weeks. Mrs. E. P. Hubbard lett Wednesday

for Cincinnati where she will purchase a complete line of ladies' garments. dress goods, etc., for the spring and summer trade.

Att'y Dwight H. Fitch has secured the office rooms over Votruba's Store and has opened his law office there. He intends to conduct a general law, real estate and insurance business.

A SLANDER. -There is a report that is going the rounds that I wish to deny as there is no truth in it, saying my wife has taken poison. I do not know how people start such reports.-JOEL JOHNSTON.

No marriage licenses or deeds recorded reported this week. Lots of trouble down to Charlevolx. 'Swayne' Payton is moving his household and "Rome" Emory is busy caring for the newly-purchased bloodhound,

We are closing out our stock of Jewsiry and Suspenders, and to do this are selling them at almost any price. A fine line of Watch Chains. Watch Charms, Pins and Rings will be sold regardless of cost-Gazlay's Bazaar

At the meeting of the Charlevoix County Pomona Grange held with grange of the county went on record as favoring the local option movement of Petoskev this week. and pledging its best efforts to secure same. Next meeting is with South Arm Grange in April.

Pros. Att'y Nicholas was over to Boyne first of the week, looking up the case of three minors who tanked up on apricot brandy, whiskey, beer and alcohol. Two were taken to Charlevoix to sober up. As a result, two bartenders were arrested and bound over to the circuit court for selling liquor to minors.

An Intermediate Valley FRUIT GROWERS ASSOCIATION was organized at the Court House in Bellaire Friday. Robert Morrow was elected President. C. S. Guile Sec'y, W. J. Dewey, Treasurer. Articles of Incorporation were drafted, and stock placed at \$10 00 per share, one tenth to be paid in time of purchase.

It seems as though everybody attends the popular Masquerade Balls given at the play house, as they are always a success, and are as nearly alike in general appearances to invited parties-so far as good order gnes-that there is little difference. Everybody has a good time and Monday night is to be no exception to the

A miserable error occurred in these columns last week when we stated that Mrs. John Kelly of Cadillac was dead. The lady is very much alive and just how the rumor started is our chief clerk estimates that fully hard to tell. Several parties who 90 per cent of the violations can be knew the lady well were in The Her-ald office last week and spoke of the lady's sudden death, and without investigating, the item was published.

ly killed at a lumber camp east of Attat our business meeting we were Bovne City Wednesday morning by favored with two selections on the being hit on the head with a dead violin by Miss Lalone, Mrs. Smith aclimb, which dropped down on him companying her on the plane; it was while he was working in the woods. heartily appeniated by all. The ladies He had only been in camp a few then played "five hundred" and flinch. hours, but letters on his body indicate Light refreshments were served by his home is in Detroit. The authori- the committee, which we all enjoyed. ties are holding the body in an effort All ladies of the Maccabees are reto get word to his relatives. He had quested to be present at the next worked at Grayling, Trout Lake and meeting. Mackinaw City recently.

conducted same.

B. E. Waterman was a Grand Rapids visitor this week.

Seven out of ten men who call at a business office are schemers.

Will Kenny left Wednesday for Cad illac, where he has a position,

-Dr.-F. P. Ramsey was a Grand ment: Rapids business visitor, recently.

. Extension Tables, Library Tables, and Center Tables at WHITTINGTON'S.

Harry Sloan arrived here this week o assist his brother, Wm., at the E J. & S. depot.

M. H. Robertson left first of the week for the south where he joins Mrs. Robertson.

Several sleighloads from here attended the Rock Elm Grange dance Friday evening.

Mrs. A. B. Nicholas, Sr., was called to Bay City, Thursday, by the serious illness of a sister.

Mrs. A.S. Hammond is receiving a visit from her sister, Miss Rolen Traverse of Kalkaska.

Evangetical services at the Metho dist church Sunday night. Special music of an attractive nature. Come

A. Danto, prop'r of the Boston Store

returned first of the week from Chicago where he purchased a fine line of the coming season's goods. Carl Andrews left Wednesday for

Sturgeon, Bay where he supplies as saw-filer for awhile. His position at St. Ignace reopenes in April. The Eastern Star ladies gave a two

course supper Wednesday evening, the proceeds going to the Masonic home About sixty Eastern Stars and Masons were present.

Mrs. J. B. Roe, who has been spending the past few months with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Lamport, left on Friday with her son Kenneth, to join her husband in Detroit.

intendent, will be at the Methodist He was trailed for four miles but eschurch Sunday morning, and will caped through the lumber woods in preach the quarterly-meeting sermon. the dark. Love feast at 9:45, and sacrament following the sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Danto are receive ing a visit this week from the latter's home on Tuesday evening, Feb. 16, brother, B. D. Glazier of Minot, North Wilson Grange last Thursday, the Dakota. They also entertained L. grange of the county went on record Harris of Levering and M. I. Fryman.

> Mrs. B. E. Waterman attended the funeral of her uncle, R. J. Martin of Bellaire, Sunday, Mr. Mattin was a resident of Antrim county for some thirty years and was a charter member of the Bellaire G. A. R. Post.

Mrs. Ed St. John was pleasantly surprised Thursday evening, when some sixteen of her friends called to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. Games were played, light refreshments were served, and upon denarting the guests left the lady a remembrance of the occasion.

Charlevolx Courier-County Clerk Payton will move into the McKinnon house on Park avenue next week. * * Fred Gilbert returned to Charlevoix two others in New York. Mr. Bar-Friday after spending a few days at tholomew was an estimable man East Jordan. * * Captains Campbell highly respected as a citizen and and Wilbur have purchased the Steamer. Searchlight, well known for many years a faithful member of here It will probably be put on the the Methodist Episcopal church and Pine lake run and be absorbed by the same peop'e in control of the Cum-

Warden Fuller of the Ionia reformatory, in his semi-annual report says; "During the six mouths 152 prisoners were paroled, 63 violated the parole uished by Misses Hazel Stevens and during that period and 29 were re- Frances Malpass, accompanied by turned for parole violation. Of those returned I am satisfied that more than 75 per cent through drink got into trouble that led to their return and

Soronian Hive No. 452 L. O. T. M. M, held their regular meeting Monday evening, Feb. 15th. There was an Herbert Phare, aged 40, was instant- attendance of thirty-five ladies.

Usual services at the Presbyterian Theodore N. Thompson died at the church next Sunday morning. Sub County Farm last Thursday, aged ject, "Healing." Those interested in about 47 years. Heart trouble was this theme last Sunday morning the cause of his death. He was taken should not fail to hear this address sick at Boyne and was brought to the also. In the evening Kev. S. P. Toddfarm, Thursday, where he lived only of Bay City will speak. Young men few hours. He was a member of the and women and parents are cordially Petoskey Court of Foresters, in which invited. Sunday School at 11:45; order he carried life insurance. He Junior C, E. at 3:00; Senior C. E. at had relatives in Chicago and efforts 6:00. Next Sunday evening is the were made to notify them. Under- first of a series of studies on Bunyan's taker Whittington embaimed the Pilgrim's Progress-"The Slough of body and the funeral services were Despondency." All young people innot held till Tuesday. Rey, Lamport vited. The Pastor will lead the meeting.

Sideboards, Chiffoniers and Book see at Whittington's.

Wood for Sale. Both green and Apply at Malpues Hardware Petoskey is agitating the raising of

bonus of \$100,000 to secure the location of the Farwell cement plant. Dr. F. C. Warne returned home

Criday from the Battle Creek Sanitarlum where he has been taking treat-

ill and under the care of a physician for the past fortnight. She is improving and is now able to sit up.

Allie Moore of Charlevoix, who laims the roller skate championship of the world, having beaten everything in this country, has gone to London.

David Pike of Harbor Springs, was killed last week by a load of logs tipping over upon him. The accident occurred in front of his home in full view of his family.

The Young Ladles Sodality of the Catholic church will give a bake sale at Miss Kneal's Millinery Store on Main St., this Saturday, Feb. 20th, from ten o'clock until all is sold.-President.

Thrift in buying Furniture is not hown by how little you pay out but by the quality of goods you: huy. We handle only the best lines of high grade goods at reasonable prices at this store. - EMPEY BROS.

Charles Alexander who was in jail at Bellaire charged with assault with utent to kill, escaped and is still at arge although pursued by bloodhounds. Alexander is the man who boasted when first imprisoned that there was not a jail in Michigan strong enough to hold him. He was first arrested at Alba, but escaped and was recaptured at South Boardman. He also broke jail at Elk Rapids and served time in Jackson. Alexander, with the aid of other inmates, climbed to a small window and lowered himself thirty feet to the Rev. A. T. Ferguson, district super- ground with a string of garden hose.

> Mr. Martin V. Bartholomew, a nighly respected citizen of Echo township, Antrim county, died at his at the age of sixty-five years. He was born at Bradford. Steuben county. N. Y., Nov. 14, 1843 and there lived until twenty-five years of age. He was married March 20, 1867, to Miss Lucretia J Barclay of Bradford. He left New York for Michigan May 5. 1868 arriving at Northport three days later The next day he came to Charlevoix and from thence up Pine Lake

to East Jordan where he took up homestead land four miles south of town which he developed into a fine farm with good, comfortable and convient buildings. Excepting four years n New York soon after he took up land here, this has been his home. He leaves a wife and two children. Frank Bartholomew of Echo. and a daughter at home; one sen dring in quest for full suffrage supported by a infancy. He leaves also three brothers, Frank Bartholomew of Echo and greatly loved in his home. He was the Methodist Episcopal church and was also a member of the Farmer's Equity Society. Funeral services were held at the home on Friday forenoon and was largely attended. Rev. W. W. Lamport delivered the funeral Miss Violet Grigsby as organist.

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W. C. T. U. Program.

Below is the program prepared for the monthly meeting with Mrs. A. D. Grigsby at the Presbyterian manse, next Friday afternoon, Feb. 26th, commencing at 2:30. The public is cordially invited to these meetings.

Popics: Parliamentary Law, and The Pres-Singing, "Rescue the Perishing." Scripture Reading and Prayer by Rev. W.

W. Lamport. Song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic." Mrs. Nelson Muma has been quite Rapid review of preceding questions in parti-ll and under the care of a physician amentary is with additional problems

and a paper, "Should a Presiding officer be Strictly Parliamentary? Instrumental Solo - Miss Violet Grigeby

Business Routine. Roll Cult. Respond with sayings of Abraham Lincoln and Frances E. Williard.

Vocal Solo - - -Mrs. H. H. Fulle The Making of News Mrs. W. P. Porter The Rural Press' - Mrs. A. L. Hilliard 'The Press As An Evangelist" Mrs. W. W. Lamport

'The University of the People' Mrs. Hoyt Remarks

nstrumental Duet, "Le Mardi Gras Aux Entre Quadrille," (Schubert) Misses Katherine Haire and Esther Porter Program Committee-Mrs. W. L. French and Mrs. M. E. Heston.

Card of Thanks.

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Woman Suffrage Movement.

By unanimous vote the National Woman Suffrage Association agreed, at its recent annual convention to make a national petition to congress. asking the submission of a federal amendment, one of the chief lines of work for this year.

For the past twenty years no national petition of this nature has been attempted. In 1896 the women of England presented a suffrage petition to parliament of 257,000 names. The same year the Suffragists of New York presented to the constitutional convention a petition of 300,000-individual signatures. Last winter the women of Sweden presented their repetition 100,000 names.

The petition now undertaken, to be of value to the cause, must not only surpass all previous woman suffrage petetions in point of numbers, but it must be the largest petition ever presented to congress upon any subject. Will you help to make it so? Are you content that American women possess fewer political rights than the women of Australia, New Zealand, Norway, Finlanc, Iceland, Denmark, England? Then sign this petition discourse, and excellent music was fur- yourself and secure the signatures of other believers in this cause

The leaders of all different organize ations, clubs and societies in a town or community should give their indursement. Every class of American society are invited to sign this petition. A strong pull, a long pull, and a pull all together will bring the resuit we desire. Petitions are in the hands of several ladies in town and it is hoped they will be used to the fullest extent to carry the names of many East Jordan women and voters to headquarters and from there to con-

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GOOD GOD! ILANNIGAN, WHAT'S THE MATTER?

and select Hotel string around the neck. Versailles, busy with his books, said in a low tone.

paused suddenly with his pen poised and gazed toward the stair-

steps at a leap.
"Good Lord!" the startled clerk

gasped, and stopped from sheer inability to utter another word. He had recognized one of the house's most beautiful and honored guests in the flying shape, Miss Thorndyke of London, and she was garbed solely in a spotless white robe de nuit! Miss Thorndyke flew across the cold

marble of the office floor, her naked feet twinkling, her garment fluttering and with staring eyes and finger to Hp beckoned the bewildered clerk.

"There's a man in my room, Mr she whispered excitedly. have locked him in, but he doesn't know it-hurry-quick-

She gave a quick exclamation and seized the clerk's arm spasmodically as a scream floated out suddenly on the air, seeming in the solemn night silence to fill the whole building, so that it was impossible to judge from what direction it came. The clerk, bewildered, not knowing which way to turn, stood looking helplessly this way and that while the girl clung to his arm, white and speechless with fright.

The sudden opening of a nearby door, as a startled guest poked his head out, roused the clerk from his stupor, and wrenching his arm free from the girl's frantic grasp he sprang along the hall and down the stairs to the office. Here, he saw, to the demolishment of what shreds of sanity had remained to him, another woman in night attire, stretched on the floor, and over her recumbent body stood the burly form of a policeman with his night-stick drawn.

Good God! Flannigan, what's the matter?" he managed to gasp.

three o'clock in eyes of any chance passerby. Then he and wild with excitement, came boundthe morning the held toward the clerk a black bag, clerk at the small made of fine broadcloth, with a draw-

"Do you know what is in this?" he

thickly, like a drunken man. A misty where he his body. Snatching the bag from the that sounded like tents feverishly. There were 14 leath-a rapid pat of feet ern boxes, of varying shapes and on the soft carpet. Instantly around the corner of the landing appeared a strip of gummed paper with his own figure in white, coming down two written it some hours before when he in a low voice: took charge of the bag. The blood returned to his cheeks, and with a sigh the bag in the safe without examining it any further, and closing the door attempted to turn the handle. But the bolt refused to work,

"She was monkeying with it," whispered the policeman. "I seen her through the back winder, and I hit it for the front entrance for all I was worth, and caught her doing the sneak act with the bag. When I grabbed her she screeched for fair and buckled over on the floor. But say! who is she?" By the rig she is sporting she must belong to the house, for she couldn't come far in it-'

"It is Mrs. Van Dyke, one of our hest guests," said the clerk as soor as he could secure a good look at the unconscious woman's features. don't understand it at all." he added helplessly, "and I don't know what to

Out from among the four or five guests who had been attracted to the spot by the commotion a physician stepped at this moment, and after bending over the body a moment, said

"She is in a hypnotic trance. Have her taken to her rooms at once. Do you know what doctor she has?" "She does not believe in medicine, and has no doctor," responded the

"Then I will attend to her for the noment, for she must be brought out of this coma," said the physician Send to my rooms and ask my wife for some amly nitrite, and I'll see Mrs.

Van Dyke through.' At this moment the husband of the

ing down the stairs.

The lady gave a deep sigh. "Tell me, Evalina," said Mr. Van

Dyke, tenderly. He gently drew the fingers away. "It is I, dear. You are "Mme. Selba's diamonds," he said, safe now; don't feel afraid any long-thickly, like a drunken man. A misty er. Tell me what you mean. Of what notion of what perhaps had nearly man do you speak? What has he happened drained the strength from done? Why were you out of bed at three o'clock in the morning, and what heard something officer's hand he examined the con- has happened? Can't you speak and

With evident effort she succeeded in

"It is Mr. Wrinkle. You-know that in the first place he hypnotized me of relief from his very heart he placed and so cured my dreadful headaches Of course I was grateful and some times allowed him to experiment on me in his classes, so that his nunils could obtain a practical knowledge of his methods. Being highly interested in hypnotism I was very glad to secure all the insight into it that I could, and so I went frequently to see Mr. Wrinkle. He told me I was his best subject, saying jokingly that it was a great pity I was so very rich. for if I had been poor he would have given me a good salary to act regularas his subject, and together hould make wonderful discoveries in the realm of mind. He gave me telepathic messages while I was wide awake and at a distance from him and I received them as strongly as if I were in the room with him. He would command me mentally to do this or that, and I hadn't it in my power to resist. I always carried out his instructions, even against my will. I could not help doing as he demanded. I could not rest, either, until I had done so, after once receiving his messages. His commands were always harmless and amusing little things until this last one came, and we had great fun over them. But this morning I awoke suddenly to hear his mental voice repeating this sugges-

tion:
"Exactly at three o'clock I wish ou to rise, go down stairs to your hotel office, open the door of the safe which you will find unlocked, take from it a black bag, carry the bag to your parlor and drop it out of the window. When you have done the street door against the curious anconscious lady, insufficiently clothed this return to your bed, go to sleep rich and exclusive Van Dykes.

husband and wife were alone together "This was the message, which he repeated several times, until I had the and while the officers drew themselves up, one on each side of the door. Dr. urnivall removed his spectacles and advanced to the lady, who sat by the window, with a book in her hand. "Madam," he said, "be good enough

Ingenuity of English "Con"

Men and Its Result-Story

with Mysterious Opening Tells

of Suspected Robbery in

Room in Hotel Versailles-Viti-

mate Consequences of Wom-

an's Fear That Burglar Was

Ransacking Room - Famous Physician-Detective Arrives at a Solution in Quick Order.

and forget the whole incident."

vords by heart. Then he stopped and

remember nothing more. But I have

something dreadful-what it can be I

ainted in her husband's arms.

vague consciousness of having done

"Dr. Furnivall, I am in great trou-

enlist your sympathies in my behalf.

"I wish to keep my name a secret

He paused again in embarrassment

"Yes," said Dr. Furnivall, with great

Dr. Furnivall completed the sentence

is William W. Wrinkle!".

them, to the doctor's

my clearing you?'

cryptic and occult.

acter, of an old family--'

his eyes again to the floor.

tanic task and sat back in his chair.

am going to clear you of this charge-on one condition."

For an instant the hypnotist

mained as if he had not heard. Then he raised his eyes, with inquiry in

"The condition is, that you give me

your promise to refrain from attempt-

ing to practice hypnotism until you

ou ever do arrive-don't worry about

about it whatever. Do you promise-

the fulfillment to rest contingent on

"Yes," he said, huskily, and dropped

The hypnotist looked at him unde

terminedly, as if he wished to ask the

eal reason, but did not dare do so. He

did not understand Dr. Furnivall's

"At all events," he finally screwed

op his courage to say, "it is impos-

sible to suspect this gentlewoman of

any wanton misdoing. She is very rich, very high-minded, a lovely char-

giving this man's estimate of character

and conditions as much attention as

he would the chattering of a monkey.

"I am interested to know just how the

scheme was worked and what part

that lovely young English girl played

in it. It was she who lured the clerk

from the office, leaving the safe un

guarded. In fact, there are several

little items in this case that excite

"But, I have been hiding; they will

"Pil take care of you-come!" said

Dr. Furnivall, and Wrinkle meekly

At Station 16 Dr. Furnivall picked

up two policemen, whom he took with him to the hotel. There the landlord,

after a few words that startled him a

good deal had been spoken in his ear

by Dr. Furnivall, immediately showed

the party to the suite occupied by the

my thirst for knowledge. Come!"

ecognize me, arrest me-

"Come!" Dr. Furnivall Interrupted,

You will entertain no doubt

to look at me!'

The last words came in a weak She was a tall blonde with a beauwhisper, and as she uttered them she tiful skin of red and white, a willowy form, luscious lips, and blue eyes that were incomparably lovely and melting and tender. She beamed up at him with a smile that would capture the ble, and I have called to see if I can heart of almost any man except the one she was bestowing it on at the moment. He stood with one hand in for the moment in order to er-to, you know-er-to test-test-" is pocket, and easily repeated the command:

"Mrs. Van Dyke, tell me in as few vords as possible, who you are and what you know about the attempted theft of Mme. Selba's diamonds."

In a colorless voice, she answered at

dryness of tone.
"How much so you shall judge Listen. You were born in Kennebunk. Me., 37 years ago, the 9th day of last "Our name is Seely, not Van Dyke. April. You studied for the Christian We pretended to belong to that old family for social reasons. We are administry, were taken sick and never finished your college course, went to venturers. My husband and I have California for the climate, sold lifefollowed this singer three months insurance in San Francisco, became waiting for an opportunity to appropringaged to a girl who jilted you for a ate her diamonds, which, we discovfamous featherweight pugilist, which ered, she always left in charge of the made you a woman-hater for two lotel wherever she was stopping, on months, or until your interest became returning from the theater. At this awakened by psychology. This you studied under a poor teacher, who had small hotel there is but one nightclerk, and the last bell-boy goes to bed himself entered only the outskirts of at two o'clock in the morning. We the telepathic city, and, taking up menstudied to get this clerk out of the tal healing, came to this town, met a way for a few minutes, leaving the woman who proved to be the best subsafe unlocked, and it must be after ject you ever had, as you thought for the bell-boy had gone. My husband i time, but of whom now you don't learned the make of the safe, exknow what to think for she has amined those like it at the salesrooms, charged you wantonly with a crime nad a small piece of iron made to fit which it is not in your nature to cominto the bolt-socket," and last evening mit, and you are come here to-day to managed to spike the safe in the face ask my assistance in freeing you of and eyes of the clerk—an easy matter, the charge. And your name is-isfor he used to be a professional sleight-of-hand performer. We had belet's see, R-R-no, not the letter R, but the sound R-Wrinkle. Your name ome acquainted with the Thorndikes at the table, and knew that the daugh-Dr. Furnivall sighed as if with reer would not dare to waken her mothlief over the accomplishment of a Ti er by screaming, for she has a serious heart trouble and the physician "Now," Dr. Furnivall went on, "I has warned them against startling her in any way, so that if the daugnter could be made to believe there was

hat he would not give much attention to the condition of the safe. "We had secured a room just under Miss Thorndike's, and at three o'clock their community, their faith and its this morning my husband, through a peculiar observance. feel assured that you know what you this morning my husband, through a are about. You'll know when you have long tube of tin, made on the tele arrived at this state of knowledge, if soone pattern, which he thrust up to scope pattern, which he thrust up her open window, imitated certain noises, as if a man were stumbling around in the dark. This awakened her, and she did as we had studied it out that she would do-she ran for the office. And while the clerk was absent from his place I hastened down and secured the black bag containing the diamonds. But a policeman, who as we have since learned, was in the habit of coming to the back door for a dram which was furnished him every morning at just that time by the night clerk, saw me at the safe and-

somebody in her room she would be

likely to run to the clerk, who would

probably start so hastily for the scene

"Yes, but please tell me what Mr. Wrinkle had to do with all this?"

"Mr. Wrinkle was the provision we made for my escape from conviction in case I should be caught in the risky venture." I posed before him and his pupils as a completely helpless hypnotic subject in his hands, taking great care that he and they should become convinced that his mind dominated me wholly, even at a distance. Then if our plan should fail in any way, and should be apprehended, I could proend to be in a hypnotic trance, pro duced by him, and acting under his di rection, with no responsibility of my own. I had many witnesses, his pupils, to prove that he could command me in this way. Then he, not I, would be convicted!"

The authors of this ingenious scheme were found to be two noted English confidence workers, wanted in London on so many serious charges hat, being sent back there by the United States authorities, they were each of them given sentences that

ricant practically for life.
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All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is alike important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

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tarrhal troubles.

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Laughter in the Court.

An old plasterer is called upon to give evidence for the plaintiff. Counsel for the defense tries to bully him. 'Have you ever been in prison?" twice." "Ah! how long the first time?"
"One whole afternoon." "What! And the second time?" "Only one hour." 'And pray what offense had you committed to deserve so small a punishment?" "I was sent to prison to whitewash a cell to accommodate a lawyer who had cheated one of his clients.'

Football vs. Prayer.

Willie, aged five, was taken by his father to his first football game. The feature that caught his chief approval however, did not become evident till he said his prayers that night. To the horror of his parents, Willie prayed with true football snap;

God bless papa, God bless mamma, God bless Willie: Boom! Rah! Rah!

-Success Magazine. Comparisons Necessary.

"We find repeatedly how imperfectly figures convey to the ordinary mind the magnitude of objects," says the Welt Spiegel, "and how much more readily they are comprehended by comparison." To substantiate the assertion a picture is produced of the cathedral at Cologne, which is 160 meters in height, and next to it is placed a picture of the Zeppelin airship, standing on end, reaching away beyond the middle of the highest section of the steeple, and to within 26 meters of the apex. The picture also

the airship Parsifal, 50 meters high, as it stands on end. DIDN'T KNOW

lin. 61 meters in height, and next

shows the Triumphal column at Ber-

Many daily habits, particularly of cating and drinking, are formed by fol-

Coffee Was the Cause.

lowing our elders. In this way ill health is often fastened upon children. A Ga. lady says:

"I had been allowed to drink coffee ever since I could remember, but even as a child I had a weak stomach, which frequently refused to retain

"The taste of coffee was in my mouth all the time and was, as I found out later, the cause of the stomach rebelling against food.

"I now see that it was only from fol-lowing the example of my elders that formed and continued the miserable habit of drinking coffee. My digestion remained poor, nerves unstrung, frequent headache, and yet I did not sus pect the true cause.

"Another trouble was a bad, muddy complexion for which I spent time and money for creams, massaging, etc., without any results.

"After I was married I was asked to try Postum, and would you believe it, I, an old coffee toper, took to Postum from the very first. We made it right -according to directions on the pkg., and it had a most delicate flavor, and I at once quit coffee, with the happiest

"I now have a perfectly clear, smooth skin fine digestion and haven't had a headache in over two years."

'There's a Reason.' Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are groune, true, and full of human faterest.

THE CLUE

By JAMES FRANCIS DWYER

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there were few pedestrians, and so a fat man in evening dress, hurrying northward, attracted attention: Six_the movements of the leader's hands night birds, who thought his actions "Been doin' that all the way from mysterious, followed a few paces in along, but the questions were put in he hopeless tone that the questioner uses when he knows the person ques tioned cannot supply the information he requires..

The fat man didn't speak. moved at a smart jog trot, looking straight to the front and seemingly unaware of the fact that he was the cause of much conjecture. The mystery scented by the others was caused by the peculiar movements of his His arms were outstretched, hands. and his two hands revolved round each other like the hands of a fisherman hauling in a line. And the inquisitive ones in the rear were unable to explain this movement. It was not a dignified exercise for a fat man in evening dress, and their curiosity was justified

At Thirty-second street a policeman dozing on the opposite side of the road; straightened himself as he saw hurrying group coming towards
. Swinging his night stick he crossed over and waited the approach of the little procession. He was in charge of that neighborhood, and there should be an explanation.

The fat man passed the officer at a gallop. His hands were moving faster and faster, and the tails of his coat were sticking out like little black wings in his rear. The law was a trifle astonished. As he stood looking after the leader of the hurrying squad was jostled by the inquisitive ones following, and he became annoyed



"Sprint a Little, or We May Be Too

He grabbed a straw-hatted youth by the shoulder and questioned him. "What's the matter?" he cried.

"Search me," answered the ques-tioned one. "Le'me go; I want to see what the ole guy is up to.

The policeman lost his temper. He was period treated with disrespect. A festive citizen was running a fool procession over his beat without giving him the least explanation! So he let go of the youth's shoulder and dashed

madly after the man in evening dress. "Here, what's the game?" he panted. What sort of a stunt are you up to, anyhow? The fat man shook off the grip of

the law and ran faster than ever, his outstretched hands circling round each other like the arms of a windmill in a gale. +

"Stoop down and I'll tell you," he gasped, as the officer made another effort to restrain him.

The evident respectability of the fat man made the policeman comply with the request, and bending his six-foot frame he ran alongside the other as he listened. The inquisitive mob. now numbering a score, gathered in close but the nightstick described a circle and they backed into safety.

For nearly twenty yards the policeman ran with bent back. Then he straightened himself up and laughed loudly. "Good for you," he cried. "Sprint a little, or we may be too late." Then he started to run madly alongside the man with the windmill

The curious ones were annoyed They were taxpayers, and they did not think it right that the officer, who was their servant, should keep the solution of the mystery a secret. They growled angrily whenever the law chuckled praises of Emperor Francis Joseph over the story that the fat man had

It was midnight. In Fifth avenue speed. Late revelers joined the group, but when they asked the reason of the chase they were told to watch

mysterious, followed a few paces in the rear. Occasionally they questioned early followers, proud in the posses each other as they trotted briskly slop of that much information. "He's told the cop a joke, an' now the hickory wielder is hittin' the trail with

> At Forty-eighth street the policeman met the officer on the adjoining beat, and hooking him by the arm he whis pered into his ear as he kept pace with the fat man. The new policeman guffawed loudly, and again the angry crowd looked vainly for the humor that seemed apparent to the two guardians of the peace. The first policeman slackened speed, called out a friendly "Good luck" to the fat man, and then returned to his own beat, while his comrade trotted swiftly in his place.

> The fat man swung east, down Fiftythird street, and new recruits joined the procession at every yard. But all thirsted vainly for information. Questions put by the newcomers were met with the one answer: "Don't know.; look at his hands. Been ing them round and round all the way from Twenty-eighth street."

Crossing Third avenue the fat man halted suddenly. He knelt down upon the car tracks, and the officer stooped beside him. The crowd pressed round till the swiftly swung nightstick swept them back. The man in evening dress crawled across the tracks and raked the ground with his fingers.

officer," he cried, and once again his hands started to revolve round each other as he dashed towards the water Just here a third policeman was nitiated into the mystery that was troubling the crowd, and with a merry laugh he took up a position by the side of the fat man. The crowd cursed collectively. Here was a mystery that had been explained three times to bulky policemen, yet they were kept in ignorance. It wasn't the man in evening dress was doing the windmill performance with his policeman. Much of their breath was exhausted in strange phrases denouncing the secrecy of the police, but they were determined to see the end.

Near Second avenue a man standing on the sidewalk turned when he heard the noise of the charging squad and contemplated the runners. Then he stepped into the street and crossed over. The fat man chuckled. whispered to the policeman at his right hand, and the officer dashed ahead. The man in front started to run, but his pursuer overhauled him in a dozen strides, and they rolled on

"Wot's the matter?" gasped the cantured one. "Wot are ver scruffin

"This gentleman wants his rubber door mat," murmured the policeman, relieving his captive of the parcel he carried beneath his arm.
"Hully Gee!" exclaimed the pris-

oner, rubbing his eyes and staring round him at the crowd. "Where did yer get the mob, an' how did yer know I had it, anyhow?"

"I had you on a string," explained the fat man, holding up a black thread in the light of the street lamp. caught five men who have tried to steal that mat. It's attached to a thousand yards of strong thread, and as they generally grab it when the streets are quiet, the trail is always

Motor Boats on Dead Sea. The Dead sea is a government mon-

opoly, and at present is leased out to a small native company. They have a wooden boat built for a sailing vessel, but about six months ago had a motor put in it. If this company succeeds they might try a couple more motor boats: The Dead sea is onethird solid matter, the greater part of chitis and Pneumonia. which is salt, and the question to answer is: Can the hulls stand the action of this salt water? People in this country are not wealthy enough to afford a motor boat for pleasure only, and as no one would be allowed to use one on the Dead sea. Jaffa is the only possible market for boats in the district. The Jordan valley the river and the Dead sea are the personal property of the sultan. A permit must be first obtained from the sultan before boats of any kind can be launched thereon. Such permits have heretofore been very difficult to procure for motor boats.

Appointment Causes Commotion.

Maj. Gen. Edward Ritter you Schweitzer, a Jew, has received the appointment of field marshal, the highest military rank in the Austro-Hungarian empire. Anti-Semites ex press themselves bitterly, while the more liberal-minded are loud in their for this latest manifestation of his whispered, but they followed at full freedom from religious bias.

EXTRAORDINARY INCREASE IN FARM LANDS.

SOUTHERN ALBERTA IS A MIGHTY GOOD COUNTRY."

No stronger or better evidence can be given of the merits of a country than that which comes from the testimony of the settler who has determined to succeed. This is why we reproduce the following letter, which speaks for itself. These people were induced to go to Western Canada. through the solicitation of a Canadian Government agent, who secured for them the low railway rates.

"Carmangay, Alta., Canada, 12-15-'08. "Mr. C. J. Broughton, Canadian Government Agency, 135 Adams Street, Chicago: We had audacity enough to

tackle the proposition of buying four sections of land in Southern Alberta thirty miles east of Clairsholm and heading up on the Little Bow, and our two boys each got a homestead adjoining. We fenced three sections and the two homesteads, and built a house barn, corrals and granary, and have since enlarged some of these build-We have broken 200 acres of land, which has been sowed to oats and wheat. During the severe winter of two years ago the winter wheat killed out somewhat, and our crop yielded only ten bushels to the acre but the spring wheat went 24 bushels to the acre. In this country we must be prepared for storms and cold, at limes 20 to 30 below zero, yet on the whole the winters are mild; and while there are exceptional crops, it is fair to say that the average farmer can depend on having a yield in average years of from 20 to 25 bushels to the acre for spring wheat; and winter wheat in our immediate neighborhood vields from 25 to 30 bushels to the icre on the average.

We have now quite a bunch of orses, over 50 in all, about 350 sheep, after having sold 140 for mutton this fall. We have 20 head of pure bred registered Shropshire, which are worth \$20 each. The average price received for mutton sheep was \$5.00 and a little over. Pork brings 5 and 6 cents a pound. We have about 30 read of cattle on our ranch now, Presently he leapt to his feet and and last winter they picked their en-yelled out excitedly. "It's all right, tire living from our pasture, running to the straw stacks for shelter at night

"The increase of land values has been extraordinary. Our land four years ago cost us a little less than \$6.00 an acre. We have sold one section for \$15.00, but we would not sell any more for less than \$25.00 per acre, as we expect the railroad within four miles of our ranch within the next 18 months. Southern Alberta of Western Canada is a mighty good country or any man or woman who loves outdoor fair. They had a right to know why life, and who wants to get good returns for their labor and investment.

"We have been pleased with our hands, and why that stunt amused the treatment from the Canadian Government, and can heartily commend South-ern Alberta as a splendid country in which to locate.

"Yours very truly,"

(Signed) "JAMES S. AINSLIE AND SONS."

A Fatal Breath.

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Brockton (comprehendingly)—By the great autofumes! Then why in the name of the census don't you chew

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Steric Muss Onestion

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could suggest a way of passing the re mainder of the day. The landlerd took pity on the stranger and took him to one of the rooms in the house in which a number of Scotchmen were playing a game called "nap," which is a sort of modification of "seven up." They were playing for a shilling a point, so that the game was a pretty stiff one. The stranger got in the game and played very cau-Clark Matthewson, 537 Randolph tiously, for he was quite sure that the street, Traverse City, Mich., says: players, or at least some of them, were

A commercial traveling man landed at Ediuburgh, Scotland, one Saturday night too late to get out of town for

Bunday. The next day he found that there was actually no form of amuse-

ment in the whole city to assist him in whiling away the day. He went to the proprietor of the hotel to see if he

"Kidney trouble cling to me for some cheating. One solemn faced Scot, he time. My back was lame, my limbs was especially sure, he caught cheat-

"I'm gangin' awa'," the Scot answer ed, glaring at the stranger. "I'll play cards wi no mon that whustles on the Sabbath."

The Struggle For Liberty.

What you call liberty I call liberties, and what I call the struggle for liberty is nothing but the constant, living as similation of the idea of freedom. He who possesses liberty otherwise than as a thing to be striven for possesses it dead and soulless, for the idea of lib erty has undoubtedly this characteris tic-that it develops steadily during its assimilation. So that a man who stops in the midst of the struggle and says, "Now I have it!" thereby shows that he has lost it.—Henrik Ibsen.

PRIDE.

PRIDE.

You're holding your head too high;
You're the slave of a foolish pride.
With your face to the starry sky
You would try to took dignified,
But you're trampling on the flowers
That around your pathway lle;
You are crushing the blossoms beneath
your feet,

your feet, And you never can see in your blind con-

For you're holding your head too high.

You are holding your head too high.
You have nothing to give but a sneer.
You have nothing to give but a sneer.
You are passing your old friends by
For the new, who are less sincere.
Ah, 'its all very well, my dear,
With a proud and scornful eye,
To look up at the stars in this world of
ours,
But you'll often forget to look down at
the flor rs
When you're holding your head too
high.

—Maurice O'Neill.

Swallowed the Objection. A cannibal chief became converted and asked the missionary to admit him

to the church. "But you have more than one wife,"

objected the missionary. "My church does not allow that." The chief departed in dejection, but returned again in a few days and announced, with evident satisfaction, that he now had only one wife and was

ready for baptism. "But," objected the clergyman doubtfully, "where are your other wives?"
"Oh," replied the convert, "I have eaten them!"

The "colored lady" who entered serv ice as cook gave her name as Juletta Price, but constantly referred to her husband as George Ledbetter. "How does it happon, Juletta," she was asked one day, "that you go by the name of Price, while your husband's name is Ledbetter?" "Well, you see, Mrs. Lawrence," she replied cheerfully, "it's this a-way. I hadn' been acquainted with George but fo' days when I mar ried him, an' I didn' know how I was gonter lak him nor how he, was gonter lak me. Now, these divorcements betwix' married folks is a heap er trou ble an' a heap er expense, too, an' 1 lowed the safest way fer us to do wus fer George to keep his maiden name an' to keep mine tell we see how our new experiment was gonter turn out."

His Authority.

Dr. Magrath was eccentric. One day he was called up to visit a sick man and as he entered the room said cheer fully, "How do you do?" "Oh, doctor," replied the patient plaintively, "I am dead." Magrath immediately wheeled about and left the room and actually reported that the man was dead. The mistake was discovered the following day, when some one took the doctor to task for issuing a false certificate, "I did-it upon the very highest au-thority," Magrath explained. "for I had it from the man's own mouth."

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