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Michigan Crop Report.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 7, 1909.
WHEAT.

The final estimated yield of wheat in the southern counties and upper peninsula is 39. In the central and northern counties 17 and in the State 18 bushels per acre. The quality is very good and owing to favorable weather during harvest the crop was secured in excellent condition. The estimated total yield for the State is approximately 12,000,000 bushels. The total number of bushels of wheat marketed by farmers in September at 136 flouring mills is 288,500 and at 116 elevators and grain dealers 291,318, or a total of 579,817 bushels. Of this amount 459,868 bushels were marketed in the southern four tiers of counties, 84,877 in the central counties and 35,082 in the northern counties.

The estimated total number of bushels of wheat marketed in the two months, August-September, is 3,000,000. Forty-six mills, elevators and grain dealers report no wheat marketed in September. The per cent of acreage sown this fall compared with the average for past five years in the State and southern counties is 96, in the central counties 95, in the northern counties 99 and in the upper peninsula 98.

The average date of sowing wheat in the State and central counties is September 18th, in the southern counties the 20th, in the northern counties 14th and in the upper peninsula the 16th.

OATS.

The estimated average yield in bushels, in the State is 29, in the southern and central counties 30, in the northern counties 25 and in the upper peninsula 34. The estimated acreage harvested is 1,432,835 and estimated yield 41,552,215 bushels.

CORN.

The estimated average yield per acre in bushels, in the State and upper peninsula is 32, in the southern counties 34, in the central counties 30 and in the northern counties 29. The estimated acreage harvested is 1,654,640 and estimated yield 52,948,480 bushels.

POTATOES.

The estimated average yield per acre in bushels, in the State and southern counties is 87, in the central counties 77, in the northern counties 81 and in the upper peninsula 157. The estimated acreage is 310,331 and estimated yield 26,998,797 bushels.

BEANS.

The estimated average yield per acre in bushels, in the State, southern, central and northern counties is 13 and in the upper peninsula 19. The estimated acreage harvested is 475,000 and estimated yield 6,175,000 bushels.

SUGAR BEETS.

The estimated average yield per acre in tons, in the State and southern counties 8, in the central counties 9, in the northern counties 7 and in the upper peninsula 12. The estimated acreage that will be harvested according to the best reports obtainable is 100,000 and estimated yield 800,000 tons.

BUCKWHEAT.

The estimated average yield per acre in bushels, in the State is 14, in the southern counties 15, in the central counties 11, in the northern counties 13 and in the upper peninsula 24. The estimated acreage harvested is 55,180 and estimated yield 772,520 bushels.

FREDECK C. MARTINDALE,
Secretary of State.

Teachers' Examination.

The annual Teachers' Examination for October will be held in the old high school building in the Village of East Jordan on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 21-22, 1909, beginning at 8:30 a. m. standard time.

The question for the reading examination will be taken from "Snow Bound"—Whittier.

Applicants wishing their papers forwarded to another county will write with pen. Others may write with pencil. Only second and third grade certificates will be issued from this examination.

Paper will be furnished to all applicants.

J. H. Milford, Com.

Gents Furnishing Department—big line of Pants; Fleece-lined and Wool Underwear, the latest style in Hats and Caps, all kinds of Corduroy and Leather Caps to sell at prices from 25c to \$1.00. Change from summer to winter. The best place to buy is at The Fair Store.

Apple Wanted.

From one to three bushels of apples are wanted from every Western Michigan fruit grower who is not ashamed of the product of his orchards. These apples are desired to make the Western Michigan apple display at the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition, Chicago, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4.

All growers who can and will contribute, please notify George E. Rowe, 403 State Bank Building, Traverse City, Mich., and shipping directions will promptly be furnished.

A-Big Fruit Business.

The figures regarding the movement of fruit by refrigerator cars help to give an accurate idea of the growing importance of the fruit industry in western Michigan. So far this season better than 2,000 carloads of fruit have been shipped out of the region by this method alone. During the weeks ending Sept. 19, and Sept. 26, there were shipped out by the Fruit Growers' Express 552 and 556 cars respectively.

Even though one-half a thousand is a fairly good showing, the day is soon to be here when the quantity of fruit sent from Western Michigan to the great consuming markets will be double what it is at present.

High School Notes.

The junior class have organized and elected the following officers: President, Lawrence Isaman; Vice-President, Gladys Hudkins; Treasurer, Mamie Churchill.

The high school orchestra which was organized at the first of the year, played Tuesday noon for the first time. It consists of John Frazier, violin; Carroll Hoyt, clarinet; Will Malpass, clarinet; Frank Whittington, trombone; Lawrence Lemieux, drums; and Arlene Hammond, accompanist.

The new building is now equipped with the new electric bells which makes it much more convenient for the passing of classes.

Miss Karliskiu and Delbert Maddock entered this week, making 98 now enrolled.

Harbor Springs eleven came down here last Saturday with the intention of defeating the local boys in a game of foot ball; but unfortunately for the visitors, they were unable to score a single point while the home team were honored with 36. The opposing team succeeded in making one touchdown which was counted a foul, but the player would not have reached the goal with the ball had Taylor, in attempting to stop him, not been tackled by another of Harbor's players, which is against the rules. It would be difficult to tell just who the best players were for everyone did his best especially Hoyt, Taylor and Pearsall who played better than before.

East Jordan will go up against Boyne City's eleven Oct. 23rd, and a lively time is anticipated because the teams are so very nearly matched that it will be difficult to estimate the answer the question, "who will win?"

Miss Schelheld has organized a high school chorus of about fifty students.

County Normal Notes.

Miss Clare Fincau, one of the 1909 students, visited the school Wednesday. She will start her school work at Horton's Bay, Oct. 18.

Com. Milford visited the normal last Wednesday for a short time.

The students of the normal held a class meeting Thursday afternoon with the vice president, Winnie Mad-daugh, presiding. They chose light blue and white for their class colors.

The training room is on the first floor this year so the pupils of the first and second grades will not have to climb the stairs. There are also some of the fifth grade pupils in the training room.

Post Cards Free.

Send me six cents in stamps and I will send you post paid, free, 10 beautiful "Remembrance" Post Cards, printed in many colors. This offer good only to farm folks. Address James Slocum, 940 Majestic Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

Equity Day in Bellaire.

The Farmers Society of Equity members in Antrim county held a meeting in the court room of the court house in Bellaire, Mich., according to appointment, Oct. 7, 1909. Meeting was called to order at 1:00 p. m. by F. Kidder, county organizer for Antrim county. The opening exercises were given by the ladies of the Societies by songs and recitations. They then retired to their own hall where they were in State convention. The meeting was then addressed by James Fower, state vice president of the Farmers' Society of Equity, in behalf of the potato growers of Antrim county. He also gave an interesting talk on the establishment of prices for the various products of the county and explaining the principles of the society and its system of doing business.

The closest attention was given by the farmers. They came to learn. Frank Kidder addressed the meeting with many good remarks.

Mr. Howey then read the minutes and transactions of the Potato Growers Convention held in Traverse City on Sept. 8-9, 1909.

Resolutions were passed by a rising vote that the farmers present heartily endorse the principles advanced by the meeting of the association, which was carried by a unanimous vote.

An item was read from Up-to-Date Farming, by Mr. Smith, called "A Race Between the Tobacco Growers of Kentucky and the Potato Growers of Michigan which would pledge the most." This was very interesting to the audience.

A very beautiful dinner was served in the basement of the court house by the ladies. Fifty ate dinner and over seventy farmers attended the meeting in the afternoon. Before the meeting closed Mr. Marsh of Manacelona asked that a meeting be appointed at Manacelona in the interests of the potato growers. It was granted and date announced later. This closed one of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held by farmers in Antrim county.

C. S. Smith,
Sec'y pro tem.

For Sale or Trade.

I have a six-room house lathed and plastered, lot 4x12 rods, wood house, cellar, porch 6x24, located at Boyne City near the Chemical Plant, to trade for city property or small farm near East Jordan. I also have several good houses in all parts of Boyne City; also some good business chances; and farms in all parts of the county. —JOEL JOHNSTON.

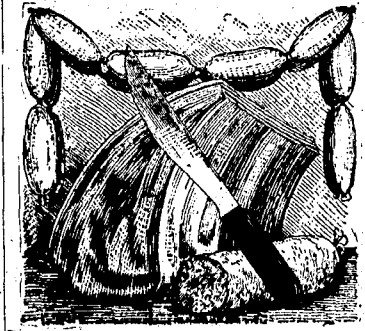
WE WANT YOUR APPLES.

We have commenced packing and shipping apples and respectfully solicit the patronage of the farmers in this locality, assuring them of the highest market price. Call us up by phone—No. 206—for prices or call at our Warehouse.

E. E. Brown.

FARM FOR SALE.—Finest located 20 acres in South Arm township, just southeast of fair grounds. Anyone desiring a small farm near town cannot find a better location.—George Van Buskirk.

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at the
Leading
Drug
Store
of
East Jordan
It Pays To.

F. B. Gannett
Co.'s
Is the Place.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

List of marriage licenses issued for the week ending Oct. 9, 1909.

Albert Hammond, 49.....East Jordan
Anna Temple, 29.....East Jordan
George Hill, 31.....Portland, Me.
Mary Spencer, 27.....Boyne City
Albert Nash, 33.....Charlevoix
Anna Procter, 20.....Charlevoix
D. S. PAYTON, County Clerk.

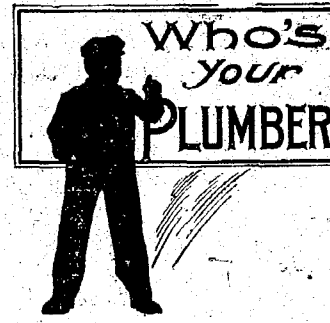
Fortune Telling

Does not take into consideration the one essential to woman's happiness—womanly health. The woman who neglects her health is neglecting the very foundation of all good fortune. For without health love loses its lustre and gold is but dross.

Womanly health when lost or impaired may generally be regained by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

This Prescription has, for over 40 years, been curing delicate, weak, pain-wracked women, by the hundreds of thousands and this too in the privacy of their homes without their having to submit to indelicate questionings and offensively repugnant examinations.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free. All correspondence held as sacredly confidential. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. PIERCE'S GREAT FAMILY DOCTOR BOOK, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, newly revised up-to-date edition—1000 pages, answers in Plain English hosts of delicate questions which every woman, single or married, ought to know about. Sent free, in plain wrapper to any address on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps, to cover mailing only, or in cloth binding for 31 stamps.



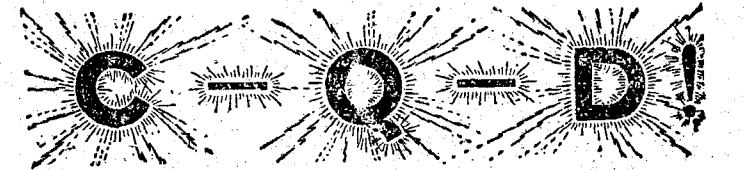
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Any one in East Jordan will tell you that good Plumbing is assured, if we do the work. We employ only skilled workmen and guarantee satisfaction. The best of

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can always be found here in large quantities at attractive prices. Get our estimate.

MARINE SUPPLIES,
GEORGE H. SPENCER.



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GOOD ADVERTISING HAS SAVED MANY BUSINESS MEN FROM FINANCIAL SHIPWRECK

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The center of economy.
Ready-to-wear things.

The well-known Schloss Brothers clothing is acknowledged by the most particular people to be the best ready-to-wear Clothing that can be found. Suits at \$10.00, \$12.00, \$16.50 to \$20.00. Real desirable. Overcoats, the very best styles and makeup, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00 to \$22.00.

The Peninsular everyday garments. In Pants \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Shirts 50c to \$2.00.

American Mfg. Co's Caps.
Royal and Majestic Hats.

When it comes to Footwear, where will you go to find such shoes as the well-known Rindge "Hard Pan," "Oregon Calf" and "Velvet Calf", which you can buy at from \$2.50 to \$3.00. They are worth fully 1.00 a pair more for hard service. Over and over again our customers have told us that they have worn a pair of these shoes for a whole year.

And when it comes to fine shoes, where will you find anything equal to the Pingree make? It is only the other day we were told on the very best authority that the great Pin-

gree concern had sold in one order \$80,000 worth of Shoes to a Paris concern. These Shoes are sold in Berlin and even in Egypt. They have a world-wide fame, the only difference is that in the places mentioned above, the people pay from \$1.00 to \$2.00 a pair more for the same shoes.

When it comes to Dry Goods we are equally strong. Blankets, Yarns, Batters and all of the things necessary to make up the substantial outfit.

We have always maintained this principle—The higher the grade the better the trade, and the best possible proof that we could have of this maxim is the steady and increasing demand for these popular goods.

"QUALITY FIRST OF ALL," Our Motto.

FRED E. BOOSINGER



FOX HUNTING IN BALLOON

A Thrilling Sport That May Rival Motor Speeding Among Wealthy Class.

Next on the list of thrilling sports: Fox hunting in balloons. It sounds like fiction, but it's the cold, substantiated fact.

Sensational and even improbable as it may seem, the hold which this new sport has taken both in Europe and England indicates that a new line has opened up for the sportsman in search of unusual thrills.

Physical obstacles have kept the good old sport of fox hunting on the ground from obtaining more than a foothold on the American continent.

SMALLEST OF ALL DOGS

Those from Chihuahua Sometimes Weigh Only a Pound and Are Very Tiny.

Of all the toy dogs the Chihuahua is probably the smallest and least common.

A remarkable fact in connection with it is that when taken away from Chihuahua and bred for a time in another part of the world, or even in any other district of Mexico, the progeny increases and becomes as the natives say degenerated.

The breed is almost too delicate and sensitive to thrive outside its native heath. In this country it requires the tenderest care and unless heavily blanketed cannot be taken out except in midsummer.

A full-grown dog can easily rest on the palm of the hand. The pure breed weighs from one to 3 1/2 pounds; the smaller the dog the more valuable.

A pretty custom in Mexico is to present one of these tiny dogs in a bouquet of flowers to an actress. Mme. Patti is said to have received one of these gifts.

Even in Chihuahua the dog is valuable. The pups bring from \$200 to \$300, but the best specimens bring even more.—Country Life in America.

Forest Fires in Maine.

Forest fires damage in Maine this year amounts to \$81,625, of which amount \$41,445 was in the Maine forestry district, and \$40,180 in the incorporated towns, according to information gleaned at the state forestry department.

Doing a Fine Job.

A slater who was engaged upon the roof of a house in Scotland fell from a ladder and lay in an unconscious state upon the pavement.

"Canny, mon, canny," said a man looking on, "or you'll choke him."

An American bishop who was visiting in England was greatly amused, not to say annoyed, by the way the Englishmen addressed him.

"When I returned to America," the bishop would say afterward, "you can imagine my surprise, and delight, too, when one of my friends, standing on the pier, caught a glimpse of me as I waited to descend the gang-plank, and called forth to me: 'Hello, Bish!'"—Springfield Union.

Chinese Rule

Days of Monarchy Surely Numbered

By TA CHIEN YEH



THE MOVEMENT for a constitutional government in China dates back to 1898, when a coup d'etat was brought about by the radicals led by Kang-Yu-Wei, as a result of the ignominious defeat at the hands of the Japanese in 1896.

many reform measures for the preparation of granting a constitution. Since then many great activities, both on the part of the government and on the part of the people, are visible in regard to the adoption of a constitution and the establishment of a representative assembly.

Whether these activities are prompted by the sincere desire of a change in the governmental system is another question. The people, at least, are in earnest to substitute self-government for irresponsible monarchy. This sentiment is well portrayed in the tones of local newspapers.

That the Chinese have now been awakened from the long slumber is, I think, nothing short of an accomplished fact. The question which confronts them at present is how soon they will have a constitution.

Who says that "Chinaman" is not fit for self-government?

T. C. Yeh

Classical Music Enjoyed by Few

By DR. PRENTISS HARRELL

Only a very limited number of people really enjoy what is called classical music.

Grand opera is a bore to the average person, yet many people profess to admire it in order to seem as cultured as their neighbors.

A few nights later I heard Signor Tasca's band playing near Baltimore, and what a difference was there!

Is Hell a Place or Condition

By JAMES M. BUCKLEY, D. D.

I believe that Jesus Christ was a teacher come from God, and though the doctrine of eternal punishment is awful I accept it upon His authority.

It is an error to think and a misrepresentation to allege that those who hold the views herein set forth—the doctrine that life is a probation ending at death—must needs believe that the majority of the human race will be lost.

Flying Machine for North Pole Voyage

By EVELYN BALDWIN

A flying machine would be invaluable on a north pole expedition. Even in its present form it would serve to carry one much further and, of course, faster than any other means of transportation.

I do not mean that a trip could be made to the pole and back, but with a ship as a base the range of exploration would be immensely widened.

One could chart much undiscovered country with little effort and with mathematical accuracy.

I am a firm believer in the value of airships in warfare and for lighter commercial service, such as the carrying of messages and of light mail and for the more venturesome class of travelers.

Leather Belts in Paris



TWO VIEWS OF THE SHAPED BELT WITH A WHITE PIQUE DRESS. STRAIGHT PATENT LEATHER WORN WITH A LINEN MORNING FROCK.

Paris loves the pulled-in waist line. While she has held bravely and long to the high-waisted skirt on many of her gowns, and, indeed, with an ardor not known in America, she has grasped the opportunity with the very first gown that admitted of it, to put on a leather belt, and a close one at that.

She has worn this belt during the summer with some of the foulard and lingerie gowns and with the best of her linen morning frocks. She has strained a point to wear it with dresses that were scarcely built for it.

In this particular fashion period through which we are passing, the belt is frequently impossible with the half-fitted princess of the moved age, except it be the loose leather belt of the silken girde run through slots opened beside the princess panels.

IN DECORATING THE HOUSE

Several Simple But Most Important Principles Which Should Be Understood.

There are a few principles, simple but most important, which should be understood by every woman who sets out to be her own interior decorator.

Do not hang curtains of one color against a wallpaper of another.

If possible to avoid do not put different papers on the walls of rooms which adjoin, with wide archways or folding doors between.

When it is not possible to have carpets alike in rooms joined by wide openings, a rug should be laid over the seam to hide it.

Oriental rugs, beautiful as they are, should be used with discretion. In a small, many-colored room they are likely to "howl" at each other.

They are very good when used to light up a one-tone room.

TUSSAH SILK WAIST.



Blouse of tussah silk trimmed in an original way with fagoted bands of the same material. The jabot is of the silk and lace.

The sleeves, trimmed to correspond, have a tucked strap of the silk on the outside, finished with the lace.

Use Twisted Cotton. Some women waste their time in feather-stitching dainty garments with embroidery thread.

Gingham Cushion Covers. Pretty cushion covers are made of dress gingham in plain colors, old rose, Alice blue, green or yellow, to correspond with the color scheme of the room.

Remedy for Burns. A simple remedy for burns is made by adding to a cupful of olive oil a teaspoonful of carbolic acid. Apply and re-soak in the mixture.

The picture. The cut of this dress, although including the long hip and suggesting the wateau plait from yoke to belt, is such that it admits of a decided waist line. This shaped belt of shiny leather is made of three pieces, which fit it about the figure very snugly.

The straight patent leather worn with the striped linen morning frock, although made of one piece, is also an outlined belt and fastened with a square leather covered buckle.

Now, the French woman oversteps the mark when she wears her beloved shiny belt with the fitted foulard gown of princess cuts but by her girde seems an irremediable accessory. Parisians always feel privileged to perform remarkable feats in fashion making, but fortunately the sensible American is given to adaptations.

THE BANG IS HERE AGAIN

It Will Be Worn by the Majority of Women Next Winter.

Although much protest was made last winter about the re-appearance of the "bang" across the forehead, it seems to be rather firmly entrenched now.

The majority of women will wear it this winter. In large measure it will be becoming. It will compel women to lift from their foreheads that low-hanging mass of hair, now the fashion, and substitute it with a tiny, wavy fringe.

It is absurd to cut the hair to make this bang. One can buy it by the piece in any hair shop and attach it under one's own hair by an invisible hairpin.

One should be extra careful not to get it thick or straight.

The goodie bang, once so fashionable in the eighties of the nineteenth century, also promises to return. It has already done so in Paris, but there it, like the wavy fringe, only accompanies the flattened pompadour.

Both of these have been introduced to give softness to a forehead from which the hair has been lifted, and also to give a showing of hair under the hat.

They should never be worn with the hair severely parted in front.

White Net Frock.

A standard white dress, and the most advisable if you are making it right now, is the point d'esprit or fine wash net, for the very obvious reason that the whole season is no longer before you, and you, therefore, will not want to make a dress for summer only.

A Ribbon Pinholder. For this pretty pinholder five different lengths of 1 1/2-inch satin ribbon are suspended from a brass ring crocheted over with heavy embroidery silk. To the ring is also attached a bow of the satin ribbon, just by way of decoration.

Learn to Relax.

Relaxation is the secret of taking the mental, moral and physical kinks out of one's system in the warm weather. It will take all the unsightly lines from your face and prevent new ones from forming.

MISSED IT.



Aunt—Well, Johnny, I suppose you had a nice sojourn in the country? Johnny—Um, well, I had lots of nice apples an' peaches an' watermelons an' things, but I guess them sojourn things wasn't ripe yet.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.

His Size Was Known.

"I want some collars and neckties for my husband!" she snapped. "Yes, madam." The clerk offered her the latest thing.

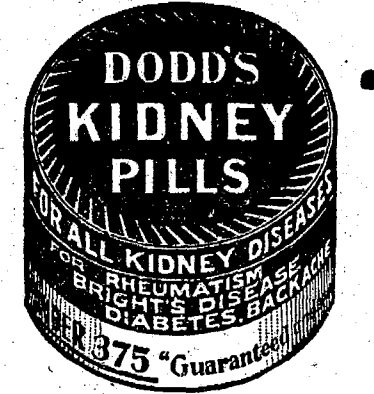
"What size are these?" asked the lady. "Why, twelve and a half, madam!" "How on earth did you guess that?" "Ah," replied the clerk, smiling, "gentlemen who let their wives select their collars and ties always take that size!"

The Old Man's Joke.

"Mary," called her father, "has that young man gone yet?" "No, pa," replied the maid. "But he's going right now." "Then ask him to empty the pail underneath the ice box before he goes, will you? I forgot it."

A little bottle of Hamlin's Wizard Oil is a medicine chest in itself. It can be applied in a larger number of painful ailments than any other remedy known.

Occasionally you come across a man in public life whose silence is so intense you can almost hear it.



A Natural Strength Giver

Ordinary tonics that merely supply food material and give artificial strength by stimulation are never lasting in their effects because they do not remove the cause of the ill health.

DR. D. JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE

tones up the stomach and other digestive organs, and restores their normal, healthy condition. Then the digestive organs supply the body with its full share of nourishment, and in this way build up permanent health and strength.

Sold by all druggists 2 sizes, 50c and 35c. Dr. D. Jayne's Expectant is an invaluable medicine for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough, Pleurisy, etc.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Diseases from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

Genuine Must Bear Face-Similar Signature. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

INTO THE PRIMITIVE

BY
ROBERT AMES BENNET
ILLUSTRATIONS BY RAY WALTERS



SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the shipwreck of the steamer on which Miss Genevieve Leslie, an Englishwoman, Lord Winthrop, an Englishman, and Tom Blake, a brusque American, were passengers. The three were tossed upon an uninhabited island and were the only ones not drowned. Blake recovered from a drunken stupor, Blake, shunned on the beach because of his roughness, became a hero as preserver of the helpless pair. The Englishman was using for the benefit of Miss Leslie. Blake started to swim back to the ship to recover what was left. Blake returned safely. Winthrop wasted his last match on a cigarette, for which he was scored by Blake. Their first meal was a dead fish. The trio started a ten-mile hike for higher land. First attacked them, Blake was compelled to carry Miss Leslie on account of weariness. He taunted Winthrop. They entered the jungle. That night was passed roosting high in a tree. The next morning they descended to the open again. All three constructed huts to shield themselves from the sun. They then feasted on coconuts, the only procurable food. Miss Leslie showed a liking for Blake, but detected his roughness. Led by Blake they established a camp in some cliffs. Blake found a fresh water spring. Miss Leslie faced an unpleasant situation. They planned their campaign. Blake recovered his surveyor's magnifying glass, thus insuring fire. He started a jungle fire, killing a large leopard and smothering several cubs. In the leopard's cavern they built a small home. They gained the cliffs by burning the bottom of a tree until it fell against the heights. The trio secured eggs from a bird. Miss Leslie's white skirt was decided upon as a signal. Miss Leslie made a dress from the leopard skin. Blake's efforts to kill antelopes failed. Overhearing a conversation between Blake and Winthrop, Miss Leslie became frightened. Winthrop became ill with fever. Blake was poisoned by a fish. Jackals attacked the camp that night, but were driven off by Genevieve. Blake returned, after nearly dying. Blake constructed an animal trap. It killed a hyena. On a tour the trio discovered honey and oysters. Miss Leslie was attacked by a poisonous snake. Blake killed it and saved its poison to kill game.

CHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

When he came to the ant-hill, he found companions and honey alike gone. He went on to the coconuts. There he came upon Winthrop stretched flat beside the skin of honey. Miss Leslie was seated a little way beyond, nervously bending a palm-leaf into shape for a hat.

"I say, Blake," drawled Winthrop, "you've been a deuced long time in coming. It was no end of a task to lug the honey—"

Blake brushed past without replying, and went on until he stood before the girl. As she glanced up at him, he held out the crimson blossom.

"Thought you might like posies," he said, in a hesitating voice.

Instead of taking the flower, she drew back with a gesture of repulsion.

"Oh, take it away!" she exclaimed. Blake flung the rejected gift on the ground, and crushed it beneath his heel.

"Catch me making a fool of myself again!" he growled.

"I—I did not mean it that way—really I didn't, Mr. Blake. It was the thought of that awful snake."

But Blake, cut to the quick, had turned away far too angry to heed what she said. He stopped short beside the Englishman; but only to sling the skin of honey upon his back. The load was by no means a light one, even for his strength. Yet he caught up the heavy pot as well, and made off across the plain at a pace which the others could not hope to equal.

As Winthrop rose and came forward to join Miss Leslie, he looked about closely for the bruised flower. It was nowhere in sight.

"Er—beg pardon, Miss Genevieve, but did not Blake drop the blossom—er—blossom somewhere about here?"

"Perhaps he did," replied Miss Leslie. She spoke with studied indifference.

"I—ah—saw the fellow exhibit his impudence."

"Ye-es?"

"You know, I think it high time the boulder is taken down a peg."

"Ah, indeed? Then why do you not try it?"

"Miss Genevieve! you know that at present I am physically so much his inferior—"

"How about mentally?"

Though the girl's eyes were veiled by their lashes, she saw Winthrop cast after Blake a look that seemed to her almost fiercely vindictive.

"Well?" she said, smiling, but watching him closely.

"Ah, indeed. However, this is now quite another matter. Has it not occurred to you, my dear, that this entire experience of ours since that beastly storm is rather—er—compromising?"

"You—you dare say such a thing! I'll go this instant and tell Mr. Blake!"

"Begging your pardon, madam—but are you prepared to marry that barbarous clodhopper?"

"Marry? What do you mean, sir?"

"Precisely that. It is a question of marriage, if you'll pardon me. And, you see, I flatter myself, that when it comes to the point, it will not be Blake, but myself—"

"Ah, indeed! And if I should prefer neither of you?"

"Begging your pardon—I fancy you will honor me with your hand, my dear. For one thing, you admit that I am a gentleman."

"Oh, indeed!"

"One moment, please! I am trying to intimate to you, as delicately as possible how—er—embarrassing you would find it to have these little oc-



"You Sneak! You Sham Gent!"

currences—above all, today's—noised abroad to the vulgar crowd, or even among your friends—"

"What do you mean? What do you want?" cried the girl, staring at him with a deepening fear in her bewildered eyes.

"Believe me, my dear, it grieves me to so perturb you; but—er—love must have its way, you know."

"You forget. There is Mr. Blake."

"Ah, to be sure! But really now, you would not ask, or even permit him to murder me; and one is not legally bound, you know, to observe promises—a pledge of silence, for example—when extorted under duress, under violence, you know."

Miss Leslie looked the Englishman up and down, her brown eyes sparkling with quick-returning anger. He met her scorn with a smile of smug complacency.

"Cad!" she cried, and turning her back upon him, she set out across the plain after Blake.

CHAPTER XVIII.

The Eavesdropper Caught.

EVEN had it not been for her doubts of Blake, the girl's modesty would have caused her to think twice before repeating to him the Englishman's insulting proposal. While she yet hesitated and delayed, Winthrop came down with a second attack of fever. Blake, who until then had held himself sullenly apart from him as well as from Miss Leslie, at once softened to a gentler, or, at least, to a more considerate mood. Though his speech and bearing continued morose, he took upon himself all the duties of night nurse, besides working and foraging several hours each day.

Much to Miss Leslie's surprise, she found herself tending the invalid through the daytime almost as though nothing had happened. But everything was so strange and unnatural to her that she found herself accepting the most unconventional relations as a regular consequence of the situation. She was feverishly eager for anything that might occupy her mind; for she felt that to brood over the future might mean madness. The mere thought of the possibilities was far too terrifying to be calmly dwelt upon. Though slight, there had been some little comfort in the belief that she could rely on Winthrop. But now she was left alone with her doubt and dread. Even if she had nothing to fear from Blake, there were all the savage dangers of the coast, and behind those, far worse, the fever!

A little before dawn he dipped two of his new arrow-heads in the sticky contents of the cigarette case, fitted them carefully to their shafts and stole away down the cleft. Dawn found him crouched low in the grass where the overflow from the pool ran out into the plain along its little channel. He

could see large forms moving away from him; then came the flood of crimson light, and he made out that the figures were a drove of huge eland.

His eyes flashed with eagerness. It was a long shot; but he knew that no more was required than to pierce the skin on any part of his quarry's body. He put his fingers between his teeth and sent out a piercing whistle. It was a trick he had tried more than once on deer and pronghorn antelope. As he expected, the eland halted and swung half around. Their ox-like sides presented a mark hard to miss.

He rose and shot as they were wheeling to fly. Before he could fit his second arrow to the string the whole herd were running off at a lumbering gallop. He lowered his bow and walked after the animals, smiling with grim anticipation. He had seen his arrow strike against the side of the young bull at which he had aimed.

So great was the abundance of meat that Blake worked all the remainder of the day and all night stringing the flesh on the curing racks, and Miss Leslie tried out pot after pot of fat and tallow, until every spare vessel was filled and she had to resort to a hollow in the rock beside the spring. Blake promised to make more pots as soon as he could fetch the clay, but he had first to dress the eland hide and prepare a new stock of thread and cord from parts of the animal which he was careful not to let her see.

Whatever their concern for the future—and even Blake's was keen and bitter—the party, as a party, for the time being might have been considered extremely fortunate. They had a shelter secure alike from the weather and from wild beasts; an abundance of nutritious food, and, as material for clothing, the bushbuck, hyena and eland hides. To obtain more skins and more meat Blake now knew would be a simple matter so long as he had enough poison left in the cigarette case to moisten the tips of his arrows.

Even Winthrop's relapse proved far less serious than might reasonably have been expected. The fever soon left him and within a few days he regained strength enough to care for himself. Here, however, much to Blake's perplexity and concern, his progress seemed to stop, and all Blake's urging could do no more than cause him to move languidly from one shady spot to another. He would receive Blake's orders with a smile and a drawing "Ya-as, to be sure!"—and then absolutely ignore the matter.

Only in two ways did the invalid exhibit any signs of energy. He could and did eat with a heartiness little short of that shown by Blake, and he would insist upon seeking opportunities to press his attentions upon Miss Leslie. He was careful to avoid all offensive remarks; yet the veriest commonplace from his lips was now an offense to the girl. While he needed her as nurse she had endured his talk as part of her duty. But now she felt that she could no longer do so. Taking advantage of a time when the Englishman was, as she supposed, enjoying a noontide siesta down towards the

barricade, she went to meet Blake, who had been up on the cliff for eggs.

"Hello!" he sang out, as he swung down the tree, one hand gripping the clay pot in which he had gathered the eggs. "What you doing out in the sun? Get into the shade."

She stepped into the shade and waited until he had climbed down the pile of stones which he had built for steps at the foot of the tree.

"Mr. Blake," she began, "could not I do this work—gather the eggs?"

"You could, if I'd let you, Miss Jenny. But it strikes me you've got quite enough to do. Tell you the truth, I'd like to make Win take it in hand again. But all my cussing won't budge him an inch, and, you know, when it comes to the rub, I couldn't wallop a fellow who can hardly stand up."

"Is he really so weak?" she murmured.

"Well, you know how—Sa's, you don't mean that you think he's shamming?"

"I did not say that I thought so, Mr. Blake. I do not care to talk about him. What I wish is that you will let me attend to this work."

"Couldn't think of it, Miss Jenny! You're already doing your share."

"Mr. Blake—if you must know—I wish to have a place where I can go and be apart—alone."

Blake scowled. "Alone with that dude! He'd soon find enough strength to climb up with you on the cliff."

"—ah—Mr. Blake, would he be apt to follow me, if I told you distinctly I should rather be alone?"

"Would he? Well, I should rather guess not!" cried Blake, making no attempt to conceal his delight. "I'll give him a hint that'll make his hair curl. From now on, nobody climbs up this tree but you, without first asking your permission."

"Thank you, Mr. Blake! You are very kind."

"Kind to let you do more work! But say, I'll help out all I can on the other work. You know, Miss Jenny—a rough fellow like me don't know how to say it, but he can think it just the same—I'd do anything in the world for you!"

As he spoke, he held out his rough, powerful hand. She shrank back a little and caught her breath in sudden fright. But when she met his steady gaze, her fear left her as quickly as it had come. She impulsively thrust out her hand and he seized it in a grip that brought the tears to her eyes.

"Miss Jenny! Miss Jenny!" he murmured, utterly unconscious that he was hurting her, "you know now that I'm your friend, Miss Jenny!"

"Yes, Mr. Blake," she answered, blushing and drawing her hand free. "I believe you are a friend—I believe I can trust you."

"You can, by—Jiminy! But say," he continued, blundering with dense stupidity, "do you really mean that? Can you forgive me for being so confounded meddlesome the other day after the snake—"

He stopped short, for upon the instant she was facing him, as on that eventful day, scarlet with shame and anger.

"How dare you speak of it?" she cried. "You're—you're not a gentleman!"

Before he could reply she turned and left him, walking rapidly and with her head held high. Blake stared after her in bewilderment.

"Well, what in—what in thunder have I done now?" he exclaimed. "Ladies are certainly mighty funny! To go off at a touch—and just when I thought we were going to be chums! But then, of course, I've the whole thing to learn about nice girls—like her!"

"I—ah—must certainly agree with you there, Blake," drawled Winthrop, from beside the nearest bush.

Blake turned upon him with savage fury: "You dirty sneak!—you gentleman! You've been eavesdropping!"

The Englishman's yellow face paled to a sallow mottled gray. He had seen the same look in Blake's eyes twice before, and this time Blake was far more angry.

"You sneak!—you sham gent!" repeated the American, his voice sinking ominously.

Winthrop dropped in an abject heap, as though Blake had struck him with his club.

"No, no!" he protested, shrilly. "I am a real—I am—I'm a not—"

"That's it—you're a not! That's true!" broke in Blake, with sudden grim humor. "You're a nothing. A fellow can't even wipe his shoes on nothing!"

The change to sarcasm came as an immense relief to Winthrop.

"Ah, I say now, Blake," he drawled, pulling together his assurance the instant the dangerous light left Blake's eyes, "I say, now, do you think it fair to pick on a man who is so much your—er—who is ill and weak?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Uncle William—Yes, Willie, I have had my nose to the grindstone all my life.

Willie—Is that what made it so red, uncle?—Stray Stories.

WESTERN CANADA

During the early days in the period of the growth of the grain crop in Western Canada, as well as throughout the ripening and garnering period, there is yearly growing an increasing interest throughout the United States, as to the results when harvest is completed. These mean much to the thousands of Americans who have made their homes in some of the three Provinces that form that vast agricultural domain, and are of considerable interest to the friends they have left behind.

The year 1909 is no disappointment. The crops of wheat, oats and barley have been harvested and it is now safe to speak of results. Careful estimates place the yield of spring wheat

parts of the world the production of wheat is diminishing today; but as it diminishes Canada's will increase; therefore, it is safe to predict that in a few years from now a large part of the world will be looking to western Canada for its wheat supply, and especially will the United States. In many parts of western Canada it is possible to have a hundred-mile square of wheat, without a break. A writer says: "We were driven west and north of Moose Jaw through 20 miles of dead ripe wheat, acres of stocks and well-worked summer-fallows. One of these fields would yield 40 bushels to the acre, and another man had oats that would yield 90 or 100 bushels to the acre. In this district wheat will average 30 to 35 bushels. The conditions



A Central Canada Farmer Finishing Cutting His 70-Acre Field of Wheat at 30 bushels per acre, winter wheat at over 40 bushels, and oats exceed 50 bushels per acre. Barley also has proved an abundant yield. What will attract the reading public more than volumes of figures will be the fact that those who have been induced through the influence of the Government to accept of 160 acres of free grant land; or, by the persuasion of friends to leave their home State of Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Nebraska or the other States from which people have gone, have done well. Financially, they are in a better position than many of them ever expected to be, and in the matter of health, in social conditions, they have lost nothing.

One person who has just returned from a trip through the Lethbridge District, where winter wheat has a strong hold with farmers, says:

"We saw some magnificent sights. The crops were, in fact, all that could be desired."

In a few years from now these great plains over whose breadth for years roved hundreds of Town thousands of School herds of cat-House

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"Conditions around the old town are as good if not better than those to the north of the river. This district has much the best wheat crop prospect of any I have inspected this year, considering sample and yield. The weather conditions for the whole season have been ideal and the result is that might easily be termed a bumper crop. A sample sheaf brought in from the farm of George Truscott was shown to me which spoke for itself. This farmer is said to have sixty acres which will yield 45 bushels per acre. In stating an average for the district of South Battleford I would say that the wheat will yield 36 bushels per acre. The oats will yield about 45 and barley 35 bushels per acre."

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rious districts I found the farmers and other citizens without exception filled with expectant enthusiasm over this year's prospects. No district was found which could not boast of fields of 35 bushels per acre wheat, or 50 to 60 bushels per acre oats, and of 40 bushels per acre of barley."

It is not an unusual thing in many parts of western Canada for a farmer to have 10,000 to 30,000 bushels of wheat. In the Rouleau district it is said that there are several farmers who will have 20,000 bushels of oats any many fields will return one hundred bushels to the acre.

It takes an army of men to handle the Western Canada crop, and it is estimated that 30,000 people have been brought in this year to assist in the great undertaking; there being excursions from the outside world nearly every day for the past six weeks.

A Specimen Group of Elevators That May Be Seen in Many Towns in Central Canada

This is pioneering I don't for the life of me see what our forefathers had to complain of. He didn't know, though, for the pioneering of his forefathers was discomfort and hardship. The opening up and development of western Canada, with its railroad lines to carry one to almost the uttermost part of it, the telegraph line to flash the news to the outside world, the telephone to talk to one's neighbor, the daily and weekly mail service which brings and carries letters to the friends in distant parts; the schools headed by college-bred and highly certificated teachers; the churches manned by brilliant divines; the clubs; the social and festive life; what is there about any of this to give to the man who goes there to make his home the credit of being a pioneer? Nothing! He might as well be in any of the old middle-west States. In other

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Ladies' Equity Notes.

A special state meet of the M. L. S. E. will be held next Friday, Oct. 22d, at the home of Mrs. John Schroeder in Antrim County. Meeting will commence at 10:00 a. m. and continue until all the business before the house is completed.

Thursday, Oct. 7th, the day set for the second annual convention of the society, was a perfect day. The warm breeze and clear warm sunshine made the hearts of the farm women rejoice for many wishes had been expressed for a good day.

To those who enjoy nature the ride across the country was delightful. The trees in their gay fall colors, the red, orange, pale yellow and green, all blended in great huge bouquets made a beautiful panorama as far as the eye could reach and suddenly only by the flowers of gay leaves that were falling, a warning to us all that the snows of winter will soon be with us again and that another year was ending.

With this perfect day sent to us by providence for our work, as if in sanction of our good cause, Equity, each woman had the faith that over in Bellaire we would meet our dear farm sisters who are working heart and hand and hand in hand for their farm sisters, those who have not yet awakened to the important question that is now agitating all thinking farmers and farm women—the question of Equity and Justice in all business relations of life. This would be religion applied.

Many new faces greeted us at this convention and letters were read from farm women that could not be with us, pledging their loyal support to our society, some with membership enclosed. This lends encouragement and causes us to rejoice knowing that the busy farm women will yet be united in one sisterhood—the Ladies' Society of Equity.

WILSON

Our second equinoctial storm has been raging the past three days.

Erastus Warner was down from Pellston last week for a short visit.

Fred Holland and Mr. Swift went to Traverse City last week to work at fruit packing.

Edward Brintnall was badly poisoned by poison ivy while working in the swamp last week.

Marion Hudkins and Chas. Hott were working at Robt. Price's farm last week picking apple.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Batterbee of East Jordan were guests at Earl Batterbee's over Sunday.

Supervisor Hudkins went to Charlevoix Monday morning to attend the annual session of the Board of Supervisors.

Mrs. L. W. Hull and the Nowland brothers are enjoying a visit from their niece Alvira Winger of Vassar, Mich.

Mrs. Willard Warden was taken quite ill at the close of Grange meeting last Saturday night. Dr. Ramsey was phoned for and came immediately. The lady was sufficiently recovered by Sunday afternoon to be taken home, and is now convalescing.

A good attendance at Wilson Grange last Saturday evening. Four visiting members were present from Deer Lake Grange and arranged with us for an interchange of visits and programs. Pomona Grange meets with Pine Lake Grange this week Thursday, with Worthy Master Hull in attendance.

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Liked the Treatment.
A slater who was engaged upon the roof of a house in Glasgow fell from the ladder and lay in an unconscious state upon the pavement. One of the pedestrians in the street who rushed to the aid of the poor man chanced to have a flask of spirits in his pocket, and to revive him, began to pour a little down his throat.
"Canny, mon, canny," said a man looking on, "or you'll choke him."
The "unconscious" slater opened his eyes and said quietly: "Pour awa', mon, pour awa', ye're doin' fine."

Storming the Winning Post.
William IV. of England, who was bred to the sea, had no particular predilection for horse racing, but he so far interested himself in the sport as to take up his brother's stud to run out the engagement of George IV. Just previous to the first appearance of the royal stud in his name the trainer sought an interview to know what was the royal pleasure—how many horses the king would send down. How the trainer must have stared when he heard the sailor king, as if giving a command for a three decker to fire a broadside, order the whole stud, upward of 100 horses, to be let off at one shot for a single race!
"Send down the whole squad!" said the king. "Some of them, I suppose, will win."

Willing to Please.
A large and elegant hotel furnished on the most luxurious lines was erected at a fashionable resort. A magnificent orchestra performed every evening in the hotel dining room, but on one occasion, out of season, the house was so empty that the manager dispatched the following telegraph message to the head offices of the company: "Only one guest, but orchestra of thirty. What shall I do?"
And the prompt reply came, "If guest dissatisfied, engage six more musicians!"

Why He Got Married.
A \$900 per annum clerk in one of Uncle Sam's departments at Washington was recently approached by a co-worker who asked if it were true, as rumor had it, that the \$900 person was about to marry.

"It is," was the laconic response.
"Surely, old man," said the other, with that freedom permitted an intimate friend, "you don't think that your present income would justify you in taking a wife."
"To be perfectly frank," said the other, "I do not."
"Then what on earth can be your reason for taking this serious step?"
"I have no reason," was the calm response. "I am in love."—Lippincott's.

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CHANCERY ORDER.—State of Michigan. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit. In Chancery. Suit pending in Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, in Chancery, at the City of Charlevoix, on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1909. Alta Mitchell, complainant, vs. Harry Mitchell, defendant.
In this cause it appearing that the defendant, Harry Mitchell, is a resident of this state, but his whereabouts are unknown, therefore on motion of Elisha N. Clark, solicitor for the complainant, Alta Mitchell, it is ordered, that the defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order, and that within ten days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Charlevoix County Herald, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.
FREDERICK W. MAYNE
ELISHA N. CLARK, Circuit Judge
Solicitor for Complainant.

PROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Charlevoix, in said county, on the 27th day of September A. D. 1909.
Present: Hon. John M. Harris, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Hannah Leroy deceased.
L. Sutton having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the 28th day of October A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
JOHN M. HARRIS,
Judge of Probate.
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Stop That Cold

To check early colds or Grippe with "Preventics" means sure defeat for Pneumonia. To stop a cold with Preventics is safer than to let it run and be obliged to cure it afterwards. To be sure, Preventics will cure even a deeply seated cold, but taken early—at the meager stage—they break, or head off these early colds. That's surely better. That's why they are called Preventics.
Preventics are Little Candy Cakes. No Quinine, no physic, nothing sickening. Nice for the children—and thoroughly safe too. If you feel chilly, if you sneeze, if you ache all over, think of Preventics. Promptness may also save half your usual sickness. And don't forget your child, if there is feverishness, night or day. Herein probably lies Prevention's greatest efficacy. Sold in 5c boxes for the pocket, also in 25c boxes of 48 Preventics. Insist on your druggists giving you

Preventics
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Upset His Dignity.
The beefeaters, as the guards in the Tower of London are called, wear a most gaudy costume. J. L. Toole, the famous English comedian, in company with Comyns Carr, the author, visited the Tower and in tones of confidential secrecy addressed the first dignified beefeater who stood at the gateway.
"What have you done?" he inquired in an anxious voice.
"What do you mean, sir?" said the man.
"I mean," said Toole, in a still more confidential tone, "what crime have you committed? You need not keep it from me and my friend."
"Crime?" was the indignant answer.
"I have committed no crime."
"Come, come!" said Toole, suddenly assuming the air of a cross examining counsel. "Do you dare to tell me that? You must have committed some crime, you know, or they would never have put you into a dress like that!"

No Use Trying.
An old dandy wanted to join a fashionable city church, and the minister, knowing it was hardly the thing to do and not wanting to hurt his feelings, told him to go home and pray over it.
In a few days the dandy came back.
"Well, what do you think of it by this time?" asked the preacher.
"Well, sah," replied the colored man, "Ah prayed an' prayed, an' de good Lord—he says to me, 'tinustus, Ah wouldn't bodder mah haid about dat no mo'. Ah've been tryin' to git into dat ch'urch mahsef' for de las' twenty years, and Ah ain't done had no luck.'"—Christian Register.

Thanked For Not Stopping.
A patronizing young lord was seated opposite the late James MacNeill Whistler at dinner one evening. During a lull in the conversation he adjusted his monocle and leaned forward toward the artist.
"Aw, y'know, Mr. Whistler," he drawled, "I pahssed your house this mawning."
"Thank you," said Whistler quietly.
"Thank you very much."

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To make room for our Holiday Line we must dispose of all our Millinery Stock in October. NOW is your time to buy your Hat or Trimmings while you can get them at such CUT PRICES.
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Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Votruba a son, Thursday.
Telephone 203 and our wagon will call for your Laundry—Cuson Bros.
The annual plowing match under auspices of the Marion Center Grange takes place Thursday, Oct. 21st.
Phonographs and Records sold on easy payments, by Mack the Jeweler. Hundreds of records to select from.

Albert J. Hammond and Miss Anna Temple of East Jordan were united in marriage by Rev. F. M. Taylor at Charlevoix, Oct. 4th.

The grocery stock and meat market of Cummins & Alcott was this week purchased by Elmer Richards, a well-known resident of this place.

The twenty-fifth (silver anniversary) annual convention of the eleventh district W. C. T. U. of Michigan will be held in Petoskey Nov. 9-10-11.

A silver medal contest is in course of preparation to be given by ten bright little misses in the near future. You will see something more on these pages next week about it.

The Ward orchard near Frederic which comprises 700 acres has shipped more than 22,000 barrels of apples so far this fall, and more than 40 people have been employed for the past two months.

The Christian Science reading room will be open to the public every Wednesday and Friday afternoons from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock. There Christian Science literature can be read or purchased if desired.

John J. Mortimer is making plans toward opening up a general plumbing store in our village in the near future. He has a nice stock ordered and as soon as a suitable location can be secured will be ready for business.

The East Jordan Theatre Orchestra this week issued invitations for their annual dance at Loveday Opera House. The Orchestra is now composed of the following:—Violins: W. Helm, Director; J. Frazer. Cornets: W. E. Palmiter, F. E. Brotherton. Clarinets: Ellis Malpass, J. J. Porter. French horn, Harley Hammond; Bass, Dr. H. W. Dicken; Piano, Miss Helen Stone; Drums, Fred Whittington.

The East Jordan Board of Trade officers are putting up a systematic campaign to interest people residing in the southern part of the state and the tier of states below in our little city and its manifold advantages. This week The Herald job department turned out a big batch of half-tone folders which will be used during the campaign. A feature of the folder is a good-sized map showing just what lines to take to get to "The Biggest Little Town in Michigan."

Col. J. W. Rogers was a Charlevoix visitor this week.

Mrs. Thomas Barber of Mancelona is an East Jordan visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsey are Central Lake visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. George Miles left last Friday for a visit with friends at Gageton.

Miss Gladys Whiteford was guest of Mancelona friends the past week.

Miss Edna Ward of Charlevoix was guest of East Jordan friends this week.

Mrs. Kimes entertained a number of friends on Saturday in honor of Mrs. Pringle.

Frank Labadie was here from Tawas City this week, guest of relatives and renewing old acquaintances.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Macgregor returned Wednesday from Chicago where they have been taking a little outing.

E. N. Clink joined a party of friends at Bellaire Saturday and went to Detroit in an automobile, where they took in the ball games.

Mrs. W. E. Palmiter with little son left last week for St. Louis, Mo., where the little fellow will undergo treatment at a sanitarium.

Miss Hattie Behling, who went to Chicago a couple of months ago to have an operation performed on her ear, returned home Friday last.

Dr. W. E. Heston returned Thursday evening from her trip to Lansing and Alma where she was invited to speak in the interest of Foreign Missions.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pringle left on Monday for Mineral, Washington to visit their daughters, Mrs. Louis Lundberg and Miss Minnie Pringle. They expect to be gone at least a year.

Mrs. Heston went over to Petoskey yesterday to assist the district president Mrs. Howard in perfecting plans for the silver convention to be held early in November. She will return next week in time for the W. C. T. U.

Dr. Frank P. Ramsey received a telegram Sunday evening announcing the death of his father, Dr. Wm. Ramsey at Delta, Ohio. Dr. and Mrs. Ramsey left Monday to attend the obsequies. Deceased was one of the best-known physicians of Northwestern Ohio.

On Friday evening Mrs. Mudge entertained with a card and dancing party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Pringle, with seventy-eight guests present. The ladies gave Mrs. Pringle an apron shower. She received about forty aprons of all shapes and sizes. A royal good time was enjoyed by all and light refreshments were served.

Get your Laundry work done at Cuson Bros.

The Parker Lucky Curve Fountain Pen is the best. Call at Mack's Jewelry Store and try one.

Mrs. Carlisle entertained a number of lady friends on Friday, Mrs. Pringle being the guest of honor.

John Hawkins has moved his family and household goods into George Pringle's residence on the West Side.

Mrs. Lon Sheldon entertained a number of ladies on Tuesday in honor of their friend, Mr. Geo. Pringle.

Charles Johnston was called to Echo last Sunday night to the home of Mr. Wilson where his wife is visiting and where she was taken very ill.

A number of friends gave George Ramsey a pleasant surprise party Wednesday evening, the occasion being his birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Jay Mudge and son left Friday for the Soo where she meets her husband who is in the Upper Peninsula contracting seed peas for the Clark Seed Co.

A letter received from Wm. anway and family of Seattle, Wash states that they like their new home and are enjoying the West; they are doing well there financially.

Word received from Austin Sheldon states that he is well and happy and enjoying his work at Warren, Mich. He spent last Saturday in Detroit. While there he was referee for a football game between the Central high school and the Woodruff schools.

The Blue Lake lumber company has taken the contract of sawing 15,000,000 feet of timber for the David Ward estate and the work will keep them busy for a year and a half. This timber was burned and killed by the forest fires last fall and must be cut soon to save it. The lumber will be shipped over the Ward railroad which has relaid its logging branch in to the mill.—Mancelona Herald.

It may be that many have not yet bought tickets for the lecture course or for the four remaining numbers. They may be had of Miss Porter at the East Jordan Lumber Co.'s store or at Mack's for \$1.00 and \$1.20. Tickets for each number 25c, 35c and 50c. The course was pronounced by the Dunbar Company on Monday evening a "a very good one," and they said they knew well all the entertainers.

Sorontan Hive No. 452 held their regular review on Monday evening but on account of the rain it was impossible for the Pine Lake Hive to be present. However we made the best of our disappointment, a large number of our own ladies being present. Mrs. Johnston favored us with an instrumental solo which was heartily enjoyed and she responded with the Bachelor's Grand March. Mrs. Smith rendered a fine solo, after which we sat down to a most elegant spread prepared by our refreshment committee. The tables were then cleared away and dancing and 50¢ took up our time for a couple of hours when we all departed for our homes in the rain.—A Member.

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Death of Mrs. J. A. Keat.

Mrs. J. A. Keat died at her home on the West Side Thursday evening after a very short illness of inflammation. The funeral services will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. E. Goodman Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock conducted by Rev. A. D. Grigsby.

Mrs. Chloe E. Keat was born in Wisconsin in 1848 and with her parents, moved to Iowa when quite young. They removed to Michigan and settled on a farm near Intermediate Lake some forty years ago. Shortly after her arrival here she was united in marriage to James A. Keat, who preceded her to the beyond some ten years ago. Three children were born to the union—Mrs. Lawrence Doerr who died about a year ago, Mrs. Dan E. Goodman of this place and James A. Keat. One brother and sister also survive, the sister residing at Boyne City.

Mrs. Keat moved from here to Mancelona about four years ago and returned to East Jordan about a fortnight past and occupied her home on the West Side. She was an earnest christian worker being a member of the Presbyterian church of this place for a number of years and upon removing to Mancelona affiliated with the Congregational church there.

\$50.00 Reward.

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Empey Bros. have now on display in their window the Columbian Carpet made by the Planet Mills. This carpet is woven the same as every ingrain carpet. The yarn is dyed before weaving therefore securing fast colors. We ask you to come in. It will bear a very close inspection, and the price will do you good.

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Among The Steeple.

Christian Science services will be held in the Wilhelm block every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

At the meeting of the C. E. last Sunday evening Misses Grigsby and Marion Malpass gave very vividly sketched and interesting reports of the doings of the district convention held last week and were listened to with much interest.

The synod of Michigan Presbyterian churches and also the Presbytery of Petoskey have been in session this week in the local church at Cadillac. Rev. W. C. Sidebotham, the outgoing moderator and pastor of the Lake City church, preached the sermon.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held next Friday at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. L. A. Hoyt, The losing side on contest for new members, Mrs. Lamport, captain, will serve a ten cent tea for the benefit of the W. C. T. U. treasury and you are all cordially invited to partake of our hospitality and assist in swelling the amount of the funds. There will be a short miscellaneous program with refreshments at four o'clock.

Services as usual in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 10:30 and evening at 7:00. The annual offering for home missions and the Board of Education will be expected and received. Envelopes to contain offerings that were distributed should be returned without fail with all that you can well spare for so excellent an object as christianizing and civilizing our own people. And those who object to foreign missions but believe in home missions will have an opportunity to show how much they believe in them, in the most practical and helpful way. Both at morning and evening worship the pastor will discuss vital and tip-to-date subjects of interest to everyone who thinks at all. Sunday School at 11:45, Junior C. E. at 3:00 under management of Mrs. Grigsby, Senior C. E. at 6:15. At the late District C. E. Convention held last week in Traverse City, Miss Marion Malpass officiated as pianist at the various sessions. She was also unanimously elected district superintendent of the Junior C. E. Societies.

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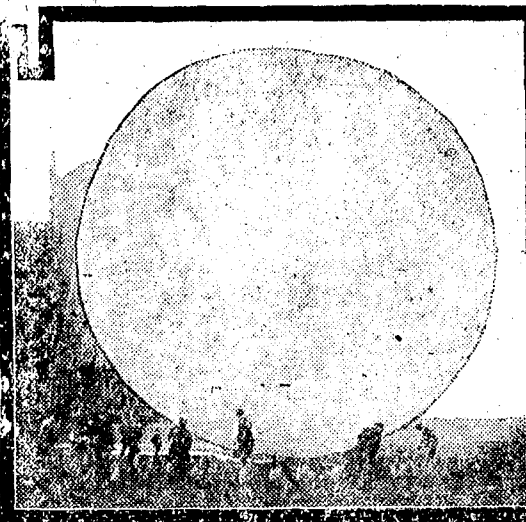
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TENDERWING IN THE UPPER AIR BY WINTHROP E. SCARRITT



FINISHING THE PROCESS OF INFLATION

AT LAST the day of dreams had come. For had it not been a boyhood dream to step into the car of a balloon and go sailing away into the undimmed blue of the inviting sky. And now I was to cross the line which separates the kingdom of anticipation from that of realization.

I must confess that my devotions that morning were a little more protracted and fervent than usual. However, the time and the place and the man—the pilot—were most opportune, for I was to be the guest of England's foremost balloonist, that prince of splendid sportsmen, Hon. Charles S. Rolls. We

the gas out fast enough. Mr. Rolls thought it was. But, I persisted, suppose it isn't—what will become of us? "That will depend upon your past life," was the laconic reply. Up to this moment I had felt no alarm or undue anxiety. One by one the helpers unhooked the bags of sand that had been holding us to earth. At length the basket swung clear of the ground and was only kept from ascending by a half-dozen pairs of strong hands holding it within a foot or two of the earth.

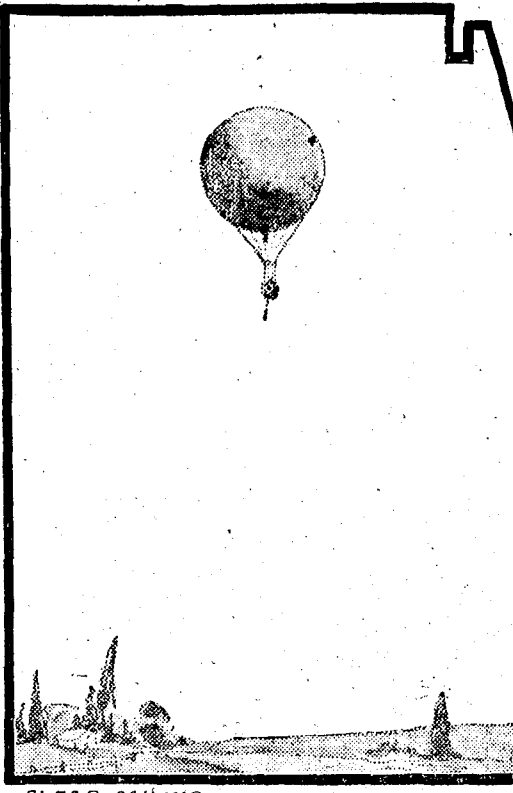
Near us was a huge gas-tank about 70 feet tall. To me it looked 700. The direction of the wind would take us directly toward it. The balloon was edged away by the helpers to the farther side of the inclosure, as far as possible from that huge round iron tank. Would

through to the top, where was located the escape-valve. I immediately inquired if it "ought to be like that?" I was told yes, that opening was essential in order to allow the expanding gas to escape; otherwise the balloon would burst. I then inquired whether that opening was large enough to let the gas out fast enough. Mr. Rolls thought it was. But, I persisted, suppose it isn't—what will become of us? "That will depend upon your past life," was the laconic reply. Up to this moment I had felt no alarm or undue anxiety. One by one the helpers unhooked the bags of sand that had been holding us to earth. At length the basket swung clear of the ground and was only kept from ascending by a half-dozen pairs of strong hands holding it within a foot or two of the earth.

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waist-high! I suggested that the next time I should insist on a basket that would come up to one's ears. Then occurred to me the story of the hungry boy who asked for the core of the apple his friend was eating with so much gusto, and received the slightly discouraging reply: "There ain't goin' to be no core." So perhaps with me there wasn't going to be any "next time."

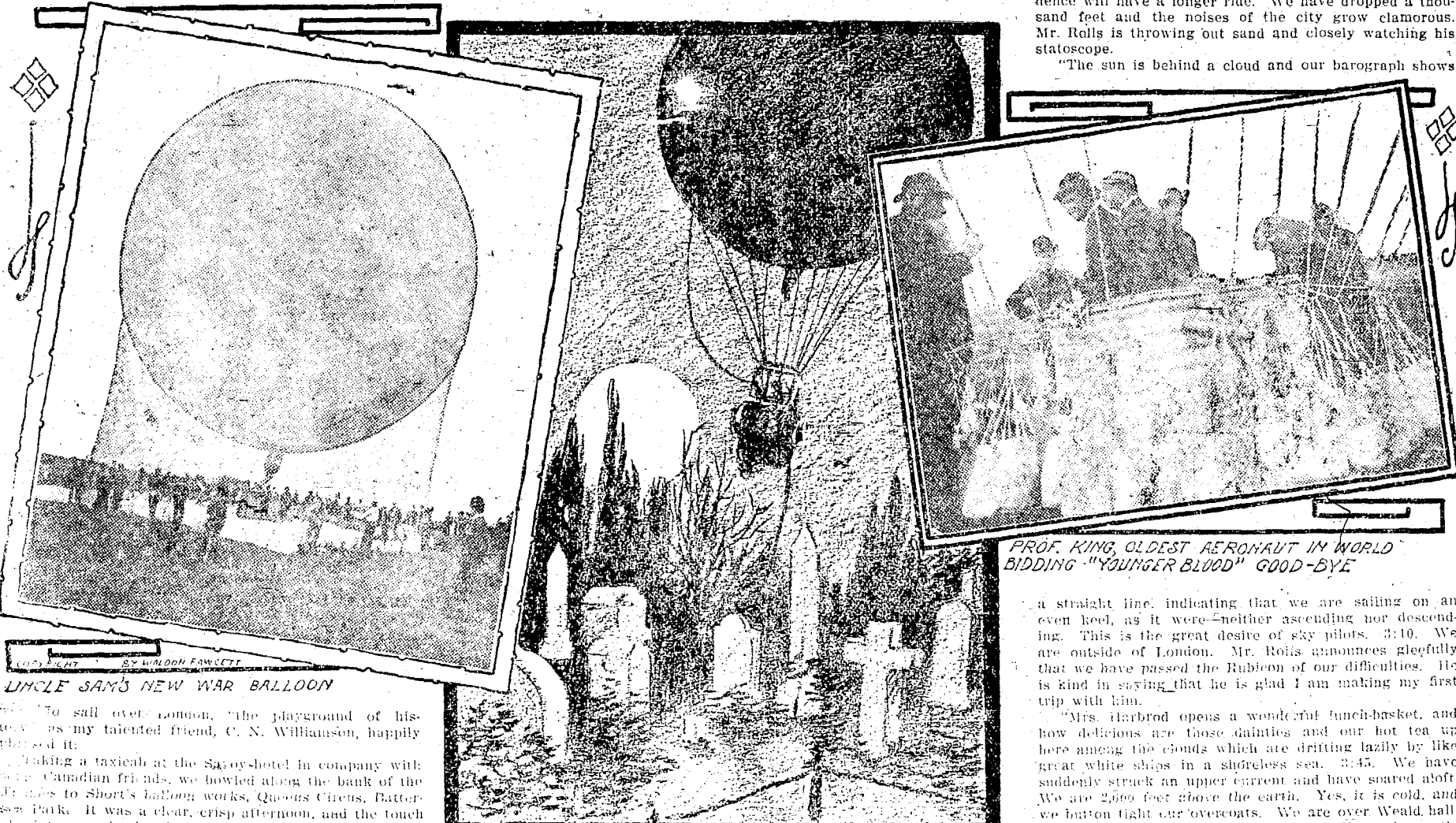
Our altitude was now 2,000 feet and we were drifting in a light breeze straight across the city in the direction of St. Paul's cathedral, which we could easily distinguish on account of its dome of gold, which looked about the size of a large football. Just here it may be well to state that any one who thinks the pilot of a balloon has nothing to do is quite mistaken. Mr. Rolls, ably assisted by Mrs. Harbord—herself a cool and experienced balloonist who owns three fine balloons—made everything snug and taut. The various articles on board were con-



CLEAR SAILING

the clash of arms at Marston Moor. Across the gulf of the years we can see Caesar and his conquering legions and the white cliffs of Albion. Indeed we are over the Playground of History. 2:40. Our direction is changing for the better and we are drifting north of east and hence will have a longer ride. We have dropped a thousand feet and the noises of the city grow clamorous. Mr. Rolls is throwing out sand and closely watching his statoscope.

"The sun is behind a cloud and our barograph shows



LITTLE SAN'S NEW WAR BALLOON

"To sail over London, 'the playground of history,' as my talented friend, C. N. Williamson, happily phrased it.

Looking a taxicab at the Savoy-hotel in company with my Canadian friends, we bowled along the bank of the Thames to Short's balloon works, Queens Circus, Battersea Park. It was a clear, crisp afternoon, and the touch of winter was in the air. We turned a sharp corner, and in the distance I caught my first glimpse of our aerial-ship. It was a heavy, oval-shaped balloon, about 42 feet in diameter, and extending up above the house-tops. Its name was the Venus. Mr. Rolls, the owner and pilot, gave us a cordial welcome. The other passengers, the Hon. Mrs. Assheton Harbord and Mr. Jack Humphreys, had already arrived. Mean while a strong breeze had sprung up, and as I gazed at the Venus swaying to and fro in the

wind and listening at the squeaking ropes, I was reminded of a nervous, blooded race-horse champing at his bits, anxious to be off. Suddenly the question came to my mind, "Where will this important, yellow, pot-bellied beast take us and what will it do with us when it gets us there?"

The balloon basket was about 4 1/2 feet square and about that depth and was held to the ground by many bags of sand, each having a rope handle and weighing about 42 pounds.

It is surprising to the layman to see the number of things taken on such a journey. There were a drag-rope, an anchor-rope and anchor, a huge and well-filled lunch basket, a statoscope—an instrument which indicates whether you are ascending or descending; an aneroid, a thermometer and a barograph, a little clock-like apparatus which shows by a continuous line on a chart just how many feet one is above the earth. Also we had extra wraps, a good map of England and seven bags of sand hung on the outside as ballast.

My first surprise on stepping into the basket and looking up at the great, distended bag above was to discover that the mouth, or appendix-like opening at the bottom of the balloon, was open and that I could see straight

down when the side of the basket is only

vently arranged. The statoscope was keenly watched, and if we began to descend too rapidly a small scoopful of sand was gently sprinkled out. A good, clear map was at hand and as we progressed a red line was drawn indicating constantly our position. My anxiety was not lessened by a troubled look on our pilot's face.

As I write these lines my open diary lies before me and I will quote therefrom: "We left the good old earth at 2:08 p. m. It is now 2:30. My fear is gone. As I pencil these words in peace and calm we are floating eastward 2,000 feet over London. I reflect that we are crossing the Playground of History. That tiny winding stream far below is the Thames. There is the House of Parliament and that little toy church near by is Westminster abbey of blessed memories, the last resting-place of kings and queens and scholars, earth's mighty Anglo-Saxon dead for generations. Now London bridge comes into view and London tower, of evil memories. That little green-roofed building is Greenwich observatory. That golden ball is the dome of St. Paul's and beneath us is the swarming traffic of the Strand. We look far beyond the hazy rim of London and in imagination see the green meadows of Rottenmead and hear

PROF. KING, OLDEST AERONAUT IN WORLD BIDDING "YOUNGER BLOOD" GOOD-BYE

a straight line, indicating that we are sailing on an even keel, as it were—neither ascending nor descending. This is the great desire of sky pilots. 3:10. We are outside of London. Mr. Rolls announces gleefully that we have passed the Rubicon of our difficulties. He is kind in saying that he is glad I am making my first trip with him.

"Mrs. Harbord opens a wonderful lunch-basket, and how delicious are those dainties and our hot tea up here among the clouds which are drifting lazily by like great white ships in a shoreless sea. 3:45. We have suddenly struck an upper current and have soared aloft. We are 2,500 feet above the earth. Yes, it is cold, and we button tight our overcoats. We are over Weald hall, a delightfully beautiful country estate. From the castle floats the union jack and also the stars and stripes. God grant they may ever float together in every land where civilization has a home or freedom a banner!

"Just now I looked up, and, oh, horrors! the balloon is on fire! No, I am mistaken, it is only the gas which is pouring out of the mouth of the bag. To my untrained eye it looks like smoke and I have been taught that where there is smoke there is likely to be fire. We have lost quite a lot of gas and the balloon has wrinkles and folds which do not look nice. I anxiously inquire if it ought to do like that. It looks like an enormous, leather-faced, toothless old giant getting ready to devour its victims four. I admire Mr. Humphreys' coolness through it all. Although, as 'tenderwing' like my self, he is behaving better than I.

"Nothing has happened, and I am reassured again. Now we are floating on in the abyss of silence and of space. Above us, the deep blue sky; beneath us, the green fields and changing forests of Merry England.

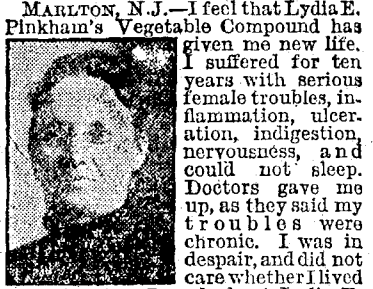
"Did you every try to picture a sensation, or paint an emotion? I wish I might. Did you ever ponder over the soul of things? Did you ever dream that you were dead and as your spirit ascended from your body have you not looked down upon the worn-out casket and marveled at its strange stillness and quiet helplessness? This is my weird sensation as I now look down upon the earth, the grave of all things. Oh, the infinite calm and peace! We are light as air—we are free as birds. We are no longer mortals. We have been unleased from earth and are on our happy way out into God's infinite, the near clouds our companions and the earth and all its carking cares fading away like the baseless fabric of a vision!"

HOW THE LAND AND WATER LOOK FROM A BALLOON.

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If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

JUST AS BAD.



Dobson—Can your daughter play the piano?
Subbs (wearily)—I don't know whether she can or not, but she does.

A New One About Napoleon.

A "new" story about Napoleon is necessarily doubtful; the probability is that it is simply so old that it has been forgotten. However, here is one that Arthur M. Chuquet, prints in L'Opinion as never before published. It relates to Napoleon and Blucher.

The emperor received the general at the castle of Finkenstein, while he was preparing for the siege of Danzig. He drew him to a window in an upper story and paid him compliments on his military gifts, and Blucher, going away delighted, described the interview to his aide-de-camp. "What a chance you missed!" exclaimed the latter.

"You might have changed the whole course of history."

"How?"

"Why, you might have thrown him out of the window."

"Confound it!" replied Blucher. "So I might! If only I had thought of it!" —New York Evening Post.

THE DOCTOR'S WIFE Agrees with Him About Food.

A trained nurse says: "In the practice of my profession I have found so many points in favor of Grape-Nuts food that I unhesitatingly recommend it to all my patients.

"It is delicate and pleasing to the palate (an essential in food for the sick), and can be adapted to all ages, being softened with milk or cream for babies or the aged when deficiency of teeth renders mastication impossible. For fever patients or those on liquid diet I find Grape-Nuts and album water very nourishing and refreshing."

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

COMMON INJURIES TO USEFUL ORNAMENTAL TREES

Subject to Mechanical Harm in Thousand Different Ways—Horses Gnaw Off Bark Unless Protected With Covering.



Fig. 1—Horse Injury. Fig. 2—Bark Disease.

Ornamental trees are subject to mechanical injuries in a thousand ways. Street and lawn trees that are situated where horses can get at them are practically certain to have their bark gnawed off unless protected with some sort of guard. This is perhaps the commonest injury to trees. The injury shown in figure 1 is an extreme case, but can be duplicated on almost any city street. The exposed wood in this tree will soon rot, if not painted or otherwise protected, and the death of the tree is only a question of time. Mutilation by stringing wires may or may not be avoidable in a given case, but it is certain that in the country at large telephone companies are responsible for an enormous amount of sheer vandalism in the unnecessary mutilation and destruction of trees. Remedies for this lie only in increased public interest and legal restriction. Finally, unskillful pruning and deliberate neglect of wounds are responsible for half of all the harm. Injuries from wind, hail, ice, storms,

the point of infection the fungus grows in all directions through the growing layer and inner bark until the growth meets on the opposite side of the trunk or limb, which in this way is girdled.

The disease is very conspicuous and easy of diagnosis. On limbs with smooth bark the areas attacked by the fungus show dead, discolored, sunken patches of bark, covered more or less thickly with yellow, orange or brown pustules of the fruiting fungus. (See Fig. 2.)

Many trees, especially smooth-barked ones, have their trunks and larger branches injured on the southwest side by the freezing and consequent death of patches of bark. During the warmer winter days there is sufficient heat at noon to stimulate portions of the growing layer into premature growth; such tissue is killed if cold weather follows immediately. The injury often does not become manifest until well into the summer. The dead tissue forms a favorable place for the growth of parasitic organisms and such a tree usually dies from rotting in a few years. This trouble must not be confused with that type of sun scald which is due simply to extreme heat in summer, when the growing layer may be literally cooked. Such cases occur most typically in the arid sections of the southwestern states.

Trees that are worth the care are best protected by wrapping the parts liable to this sort of injury with straw or paper. Often merely shading the part liable to this injury with a board or shingles is sufficient to prevent it.

Another winter injury often confused with freezing is actual drying out. This may occur anywhere, but most typically in the higher altitudes of the west, where the dry and rarefied air and bright sun favor evaporation from the tree surface of more water than the roots can obtain from the cold and frequently sandy or gravelly soil. Evergreens are especially subject to this difficulty, since their leaves transpire to some extent throughout the winter. Whatever conserves the moisture of the soil tends to decrease this injury; for example, mulching and fall or winter irrigating. Trees normally hardy will often winterkill if unable to ripen their wood completely; this often happens as a result of defoliation in late summer.



Slime Flux.

lightning and other natural causes are largely unavoidable, but the resulting wounds can sometimes be treated.

Sometimes, when an unprotected wound exudes sap in the spring, various apparently nonparasitic organisms—yeasts, bacteria and fungi—will begin growing on the wound and soon form a slimy, dripping mass over its surface and running down from the wound. The cambium beneath dies rapidly and the acids and other by-products of the action of the fermenting organisms appear to poison the wood, so that the wound cannot possibly heal naturally. Such a case is shown in figure 3. This disease naturally affects the general health of the injured tree, and its death is often only a question of time. Death frequently results from girdling, the flux spreading from the wound until it completely surrounds the trunk or limb that it is on.

Within three years the bark disease has proved very destructive to chestnut trees in New York and is spreading rapidly. If it continues to spread as it has begun it will become one of the most serious tree diseases in the country. It already actively threatens the existence of the chestnut forests and orchards of the eastern states.

The disease is caused by a fungus. The spores of this fungus enter the tree through wounds, insect punctures, dead twigs, or dead wood anywhere; possibly also in other ways. From

INSECT EATING BIRDS KILLED

Robin Destroys Many Bugs In- jurious to Crops in Course of Year—Should Be Protected.

Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee have the undesirable distinction of being the only states in the union in which the slaughter of robins is permitted by law, and recent investigations show that not less than 9,000,000 robins are killed by some 20,000 pothunters in these three states during the winter months. Patient investigation by ornithologists has proved that a robin in a year earns one dollar in the destruction of insects injurious to crops. The pothunters sell them for five cents a dozen. This wanton waste of millions of dollars is something which should appeal to the hard common sense of every southern farmer.

In an investigation of this deplorable bird slaughter, a writer in Recreation brings a sweeping indictment against the sportsmen of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, declaring that they are responsible for the lack of legislation for protection of the robin. It is asserted that as a class they have for years opposed the enactment of laws putting robins on the forbidden list, on the ground that if the shooting of these birds were made unlawful the pothunters would soon wipe out the quail. It is a flimsy argument at the best, and will not stand the test of analysis.

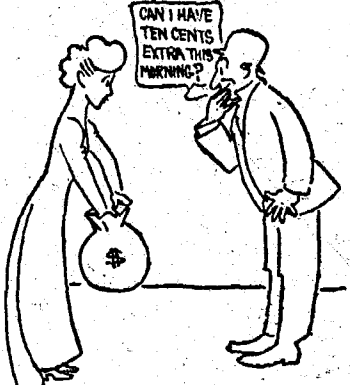
NEW STRENGTH FOR WOMEN'S BACKS.

How to Make a Bad Back Better.

Women who suffer with backache, bearing down pains, dizzy spells and that constant feeling of dullness and tiredness, will find hope in the advice of Mrs. Mary Hinson of 21 Strother St., Mt. Sterling, Ky. "Had I not used Doan's Kidney Pills, I believe I would not be living today," says Mrs. Hinson. "My eyesight was poor, I suffered with nervous, splitting headaches, spots would dance before my eyes and at times I would be so dizzy I would have to grasp something for support. My back was so weak and painful I could hardly bend over to button my shoes and could not get around without suffering severely. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me from the first, and I continued until practically well again."

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CHAUTAUQUA WISDOM.



One of the Chautauqua talkers says: "Husbands, let your wives have an extra dollar now and then." He might have rendered a greater service to mankind by saying: "Wives, let your husbands have an extra dime occasionally without asking them to explain why they want the money."

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Hypocrite in the Hereafter.

Dr. Madison C. Peters was discussing the question. "Will the coming man marry?" He instanced a certain type of bachelor.

"This man," he said, "is a hypocrite. He uses his religion as a cloak."

"And what will he do in the next world, eh?" said the reporter.

"Oh," said Dr. Peters, "he won't need any cloak there."

May Limit Hat Pins.

In Paris, owing to the increasing length of women's hat pins and the list of accidents, such as eyes put out, ears, noses and cheeks torn, the police officials propose to place some restrictions on wearing hat pins in omnibuses, railway cars, theaters and other public places.

Dodging Work.

"It's too hot to do housework," sighed the wife.

"I know it is."

"Let's go and spend a few days with the Browns at their summer cottage. They'll be tickled to death to have us."

FALL PAINTING.

The majority of property owners are under the impression that spring time is the only painting time. But the fall of the year offers several advantages to the painter. One of the most important is that surfaces are almost sure to be dry, and there is no frost or inner moisture to work out after the paint is applied.

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From Overhead.

A canary hung directly over the big square table in the Hungarian restaurant.

"Once," said a woman who was dining there, "the bottom dropped out of the cage, the bird flew at the orchestra yonder, and we had bird seed in our soup. It was awful."

"That reminds me," said the cross-eyed man, "of one time when we were having a little game of poker on the B. & O. You know how those trains roll. Well, just about the middle of the game down came all the grips and dress suit cases straight into the kitty and broke up the game. Money flew everywhere. We got so mixed we couldn't tell which had won or where—the money was that whoever had won it won. Talk about bird seed!"

Where Sitting Bull Was.

Doane Robinson, head of the department of history of the state of South Dakota, says of Sitting Bull and the Custer massacre: "The Indians tell me that Sitting Bull was a medicine chief; that he was the greatest influence among the Sioux at that time by reason of his constant agitation against the whites, and that he did not personally engage in the fight against Custer, but that he was back on an elevation between the Little Big Horn and the Big Horn making medicine."—Indian School Journal.

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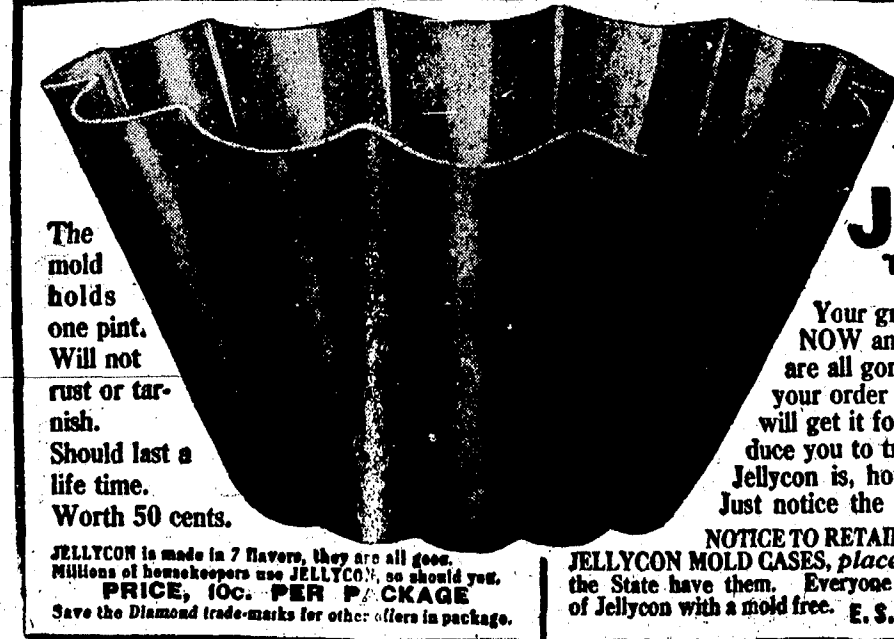
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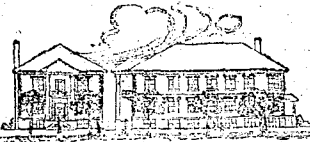
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Recently a friend who had heard that I sometimes suffer from insomnia told me of a sure cure. "Eat a plate of peanuts and drink two or three glasses of milk before going to bed," said he, "and I'll warrant you'll be asleep within half an hour." I did as he suggested, and now for the benefit of others who may be afflicted with insomnia I feel it to be my duty to report what happened, so far as I am able to recall the details.

First let me say my friend was right. I did go to sleep very soon after my retirement. Then a friend with his head under his arm came along and asked me if I wanted to buy his feet. I was negotiating with him when the dragon on which I was riding slipped out of his skin and left me floating in midair. While I was considering how I should get down a bull with two heads peered over the edge of the wall and said he would help me up if I would first climb up and rig a windless for him. So as I was sliding down the mountain side the brakeman came in, and I asked him when the train would reach my station.

"We passed your station 400 years ago," he said calmly, folding the train up and slipping it into his vest pocket. At this juncture the clown bounded into the ring and pulled the center pole out of the ground, lifting the tent and all the people in it up, while I stood on the earth below watching myself go out of sight among the clouds above. Then I awoke and found I had been asleep almost ten minutes. —Good Health Clinic.

Made the Duke Feel Cheap.

The second Duke of Wellington, though far from being stung, was in many odd ways economical. He discovered one day some champagne which he considered—and which doubtless was quite good enough for a ball supper and which had the advantage of being extraordinarily low in price. He ordered the quantity required and was rejoicing in his excellent bargain when on opening one of the papers he encountered the following advertisement: "Try our celebrated champagne at 35 shillings a dozen, as ordered by his grace the Duke of Wellington for his forthcoming ball at Apsley House."

A Genial Greeting.

A young New York broker of convivial habits fell in with an old school friend who had gone on the road. "Whenever you're in town come up and bunk with me," he urged his friend as they separated. "No matter what old time it is. If I'm not there just go ahead and make yourself at home. I'll be sure to turn up before daybreak."

Soon after this the salesman arrived in town about midnight, and, remembering his friend's invitation, sought out his boarding house. There was only a dim light flickering in the hall, but he gave the bell a manful pull. Presently he found himself face to face with a landlady of grim and terrible aspect.

"Does Mr. Smith live here?" he faltered. "He does," snapped the landlady. "You can bring him right in!"—Everybody's.

Man is a Free Agent.

Man is either free or he is not free. If he is not free he cannot in cases of conflicting motives choose, but must blindly follow one of the impulses. But we know from consciousness that he can decide between conflicting motives. Therefore it is false that he is not free. He must therefore be free.—Hepburn.

The Witty Warden.

"You'd hardly expect to find a sense of humor in prison officials," says an American representative on the international prison commission, "but during an inspection made by some American interested in penal matters of a penitentiary in England one of us was thus surprised.

"I presume," observed the American, "that here, as elsewhere, you prison officials find existence painful enough." "I think you may fairly say so, sir," responded the warden, with a grim smile, "seeing the number of felons we have on our hands."—Lippincott's.

One on the Man of Method.

"Don't wait for me," he said to his better half. "I may be rather late, but 'business is business,' you know and can't be helped."

The next morning the man of method was far from either looking well or feeling well. At breakfast he sat listlessly toying with his toast and coffee, while his spouse sat stonily silent behind the coffee-pot. The breakfast room clock was equally silent.

"Maria, my dear, there must be something wrong with that clock. I am sure I wound it up last night," remarked the husband.

"No," answered his wife, "you wound up Freddy's music box instead, and had it playing 'Home, Sweet Home,' at 3 o'clock in the morning! The hall clock has also stopped, and you have screwed your cork-screw right into the telephone."—Judge's Library.

The Auto Strop.

When the train stopped at the little southern station the northern tourist sauntered out on the platform. Under a scrub oak stood a lean animal with scraggy bristles. The tourist was interested.

"What do you call that?" he queried of a lanky native. "Razorback hawg." "Well, what is he doing rubbing against that tree?" "He's stropping himself, mister. Jest stropping himself."—Success Magazine.

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