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## Dan Cupid Busy

Is Slings His Darts Around Rather Promiscuously.

She is mine own;  
And I am rich in having such a jewel  
As twenty seas, if all their sand were pearl,  
The water nectar, and the rocks pure gold.  
—Two Gentlemen of Verona.

## Quiet Wedding at Vanderbilt.

On Thanksgiving Day—Nov. 25th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Menzies—occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ann May, to LeRoy S. Sherman of this place.

The wedding, which took place at 5:00 p. m., was a quiet affair attended only by some twenty-five relatives and friends. Rev. VanAuken of that place, a retired Congregational minister and friends of the bride's parents, performed the ceremony. Miss Lucy Menzies, sister of the bride and teacher in the West Side school, was bridesmaid.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served, and the happy couple left on the evening M. C. train for Chicago. On Monday Mrs. Sherman went on from Chicago to Artesia, New Mexico, for a fortnight's visit with Mrs. Heffron (formerly Miss Maggie Dooley of this city). Business matters compelled Mr. Sherman to return home.

The contracting parties are both well known and are among our most popular young people. The groom has grown to manhood in our city, and as junior partner in the market of G. L. Sherman & Son, has the reputation of being one of our "headliest" business men. The bride has been a resident of East Jordan the past two years, holding a position as stenographer and book-keeper at the D & C General Offices, and has gained a host of friends during her stay here. Congratulations both hearty and sincere are being extended.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman will be "At Home" to their many friends the latter part of this month.

## Rubling-Cameron Nuptials.

November 30 is a day to be long remembered by Mr. Charles Earl Rubling and Miss Anna S. Cameron as the day of their union in marriage at the home of the groom's parents, and a very pretty wedding it was. At 8:30 p. m. the young couple with Miss Mayme Rubling as bridesmaid and Mr. George W. Kirkison as best man, to the accompaniment of the wedding march played by Miss Armstrong took their places in front of an artistic arrangement of ferns. The Rev. A. D. Grigsby was the officiating clergyman. Little Miss Rosabel Danto acting as ring bearer. A sumptuous luncheon followed to which about 30 sat down, after which the time passed pleasantly with general visiting, looking over the numerous, beautiful gifts and enjoying selections of vocal and piano music.

The happy couple commence house-keeping in their own home across from the old homestead, and everybody wishes them a very happy and long married life, for both are well-known and highly esteemed.

It ought to be stated for the benefit of the curious in such things that the bride was most attractive in white satin and the bridesmaid in a very pretty blue veil gown and both carried white carnations.

## McKinnon-Bashaw Nuptials.

A pretty home wedding occurred at the farm residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bashaw last Wednesday afternoon when their daughter, Miss Mary M., was united in marriage to Mr. Charles H. McKinnon. Elder Dudley of the Latter Day Saints' church performed the ceremony in the presence of numerous friends and relatives. Following the ceremony, which took place at 2:00 p. m., a wedding dinner was served. The contracting parties are well-known East Jordanites and will make this place their home.

## Carpet and Rug Weaving.

First Class Work at reasonable prices. Address East Jordan or call at my home three miles east of town on the Boyne Falls State road—Mrs. MARY HOLLAND.

## Michigan Exhibit at Chicago.

This display is one of the best at the Big Land Show.

That the value of the United States Land and Irrigation exposition is appreciated generally and will bring rich returns to the workers of the soil was declared in positive terms by George E. Rowe of Traverse City, Mich., manager of the Western Michigan Development bureau, who is in charge of the western Michigan exhibit, one of the best worth looking at features of the show.

"This land show, in the Coliseum, will double the price of land in Michigan," said Mr. Rowe. "I mean just what I say—that the educational value of this exposition will arouse an interest in Michigan land that will be simply amazing. The fact that our people can compare their products with the products of the west, gives them new confidence.

"What do you think of these Michigan fruits on exhibit here?"

"Can't be beat," responded the observer, speaking colloquially, but truthfully.

"Well," said Mr. Rowe, "when Chicagoans look at the Michigan display, they are beginning at Jerusalem. They have regular proof that right in their own neighborhood is a fruit country as wonderful as anything in the west. These products, remember, were not furnished by expert horticulturists who make a speciality of the care of orchards. They were furnished by farmers who simply sent in what they had."

## APPLES PILED IN PILLARS.

The charms of the big exhibit were self-evident. To compass the result, twice as much fruit as ever was exhibited by the state at any other exhibition in history was used. There were 300 bushels of apples in enormous pillars of wide mesh wire netting which might have tempted Samson.

The name M-I-C-H-I-G-A-N was spelled in great letters by symmetrical little Jonathans—hung across the exhibit.

Two hundred bushels of apples were exhibited in bushel boxes, making a total of 500 bushels of apples on exhibit from western Michigan. Then there were great glass jars filled with fruit so luscious as to tempt even the most abject victim of indigestion.

Several barrels of McIntosh apples from Michigan were rescued from South Water street just for the purpose of showing that the shipments of Michigan apples to Chicago are fully up to the standards of the other fruit on exhibit.

Mr. Rowe was the recipient of numerous congratulations from visitors to the Western Michigan exhibit. He showed photographs of cherry picking in Michigan on cherry farms which have returned more than \$500 an acre annually to the holders. Then he attracted their attention to another feature of the Western Michigan exhibit—the seeds.

## EXPERTS EXPLAIN SEEDS.

Seeds at shows generally put up in small quantities in small jars, but Mr. Rowe has brought in an innovation. His seeds, some of which are worth \$50 a bushel, are in bushel boxes with an expert in charge of them to tell visiting farmers what they will do. There are 100 bushels of seeds—a record breaking quantity—in the exhibit under Mr. Rowe's care.

Some of the seeds, worth \$50 a bushel are early string beans and early peas. Mr. Rowe said they were valuable because they matured earlier in Michigan than elsewhere on account of the shortness of the season. When planted elsewhere the seeds are caught off their guard and get up ahead of the season.

Forty-two boards of trade and nineteen counties are banded together in Western Michigan to inspire the growers to put forth their best efforts. It is this organization of boosters which arranged the display at the Coliseum. Fifty bushels of grapes to be used for decorative purposes during the succeeding days of the show are on the way to the exhibit from Michigan. They will be festooned across the inclosure.—Chicago Tribune, Nov. 25.

## 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.

## Circuit Court Doings.

Circuit Court opened at Charlevoix Monday morning. One day's time was sufficient to dispose of the criminal calendar. The following disposition of cases being made:

People vs. Knop, on parole.  
People vs. Boswell, on parole.  
People vs. Brock, continued.  
People vs. Kleinholz and Fry, continued.

People vs. Andrews, on parole.  
People vs. Chaloupka, passed.  
People vs. Garland and Garland, continued.

People vs. Nelson, on parole.  
People vs. McCain, on parole.  
People vs. Williams, on parole.  
People vs. Otto Christman and John Hall, plead guilty to petit larceny.

People vs. Calten, continued. Motion made to reduce bail from \$1,000 to \$500.

People vs. Harris, on parole.  
People vs. Russell, continued.  
People vs. Collect.

In this case the defendant was charged with giving away liquor in violation of the local option act. A plea of guilty was entered and defendant released on parole on payment of twenty-five dollars costs, which has been incurred by the county.

## Thanksgiving Wedding Anniversary.

(From Lansing Journal.)

Thanksgiving day was truly a day of Thanksgiving to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Boosinger, 708 Walnut street north, when they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a family dinner. The day was also the ninth birthday of Miss Anna Thomas, grand-daughter of the host and hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Boosinger were married on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 25, 1859, and by a coincidence, this year's Thanksgiving day also fell on Nov. 25. Mr. and Mrs. Boosinger have lived for years in this city and are among its best known and highly respected citizens. In honor of the occasion, the house was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and carnations, the dining room being particularly beautiful. An elaborate dinner was served at 2 o'clock, covers being laid for 16. The guests were all children, grand-children and near relatives of the Boosingers. During the last course of the dinner, a unique feature was introduced when an "anniversary" cake and a birthday cake were brought in and set before the guests of honor. The former was a great heart-shaped cake with 50 pink tapers burning on its edge, and with the numerals "50" outlined in candles in the center. The birthday cake was a similar affair, with a tiny, dainty doll seated in the center, with nine pink candles burning around it. Both cakes were wreathed with trailing smilax. Among the guests were Miss Eugenia Boosinger of East Jordan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boosinger, Allen Grigsby of East Jordan and J. H. Wilson of Kalamazoo.

## Joints for Good Judges



are here all the year round. The better the connoisseur of Meat you are the better will we like to see you. Our Meats have made a reputation for themselves in uniform quality of the highest class. The best killed cattle is served to us—well fed, healthy animals that yield finely flavored Meats of the most nourishing kind. Our Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal and Lamb are of the finest, and our Poultry is second to none in flavor and tenderness.

Shermans Market

We have a fine assortment of

XMAS GOODS

Now on display

We are always glad to show you our goods.

Everything first class.

F. B. Gannett Company

Watch Our Window Display.

## Santa Claus Has Just Arrived

And Wishes To Announce a

GRAND HOLIDAY OPENING!

Today—Saturday, Dec. 4th

The Finest Display of Holiday Goods

Ever Seen In East Jordan.



EVERYBODY CORDIALLY INVITED.

HARPER'S NOVELTY STORE

## FRED E. BOOSINGER

Now Is The Time!

The present mild weather makes it hard to realize that only 18 business days intervene between now and Christmas and in this short period must be crowded the vast volume of business incident to the Holiday trade and our store realizes and hopes to rise to the task. It will be a pleasure for us to assist you in making your selections and we are sure that you will be more than pleased to make this store your headquarters.

**CLOTHING SPECIALTIES.** Although with all of the cold weather to come, we quote decided price reductions in many of our lines of Overcoats to effect immediate disposal. The garments represented embrace the best numbers in our stock and a wide range of models in coats. The materials are diagonals, chevots and tweeds in the mixtures. Special prices to us at \$8.00, \$10.50, \$12.50, \$15.00, up to \$22.50. Not only are these stylish garments, but are notable for their superior quality and workmanship in every detail. The assortment will be approved by the tasteful and prudent buyers.

What we have said of our Overcoats will be held equally good for our Suits. The opportunity is one not to be overlooked by those who have delayed purchasing their winter outer garments until now.

KNIT UNDERWEAR MEN'S - WOMEN'S CHILDREN'S

Suggestions in Underwear Purchases



A solution of the problem can be easily found in the extensive assortment in our Underwear department. Let us show you what great things we have in Men's Underwear at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$2.25. Every garment absolutely guaranteed to be of the very highest quality and perfect fitting.

We are well supplied with a splendid assortment of Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Hand Bags and hundreds of other dainty little articles, not only useful, but essential for every lady and man's wardrobe. Call and see what we have in these lines. We are only too glad to give you prices and show you the goods whether you are ready to buy or not.

When will you be in?

"Quality First of All" our motto.

Fred E. Boosinger.

YOUNG MAN HAD EASY THING

Additional Proof, If Any Is Needed, That Our Language Is Fearful and Wonderful.

Just by way of showing how easy it is for some men to pick up a few dollars by their wits, a young fellow strolled into a Chestnut-street cafe the other afternoon, and, joining in a conversation that was being carried on by convivial spirits, declared he was the most "fortunate" individual on earth. He immediately began telling a story of his personal troubles, but before he had got the narrative well under way there was a chorus of interruptions, and the talkative young man was politely informed that his English needed revising, since he should have used the word "unfortunate," instead of "fortunate." The newcomer insisted that unfortunate was the correct word to use, and the argument waxed warm. Finally, with a show of heat, the young man who started the trouble declared that, while he had only a few dollars, he would wager them that he was correct. So anxious were his friends to lay wagers with him that he did not have money enough to meet all the demands, but he succeeded in putting up \$15 in separate small bets. The men who were certain that the garrulous young man was wrong in the use of the word unfortunate sent out for a dictionary, only to find that they had been "stung" on a "sure thing" bet, the big book on spelling showing that unfortunate is perfectly proper and means unfortunate. "Yes," said the winner of the bets, as he pocketed his new portion of wealth, "I have won money on that before; I collected \$10 this afternoon on a similar wager." Then, just to show that there were no hard feelings, he "bought" for the crowd—Philadelphia Record.

Tropical Shells in Far North. One of the things which I secured was a large nautilus shell, such as is supposed to exist only in tropical countries. I found it 600 feet above the water level. Such specimens clearly prove the volcanic upheaval of this soil and further show that the climate must at one time have been very different from what it now is. In some of the shells the petrified organisms can be discerned, as though the process took place very rapidly. During the summer, I also found the skeleton of a right whale, a species that rarely goes higher than 60 degrees, but I found it at 82 degrees on the land. It was in a sort of ravine, where the water and ice had passed over it, and the whalebone was worn to long threads and strings, showing that it must have been there many years. The traces of friction showed plainly on the whole skeleton.—Capt. Edwin Coffin's story of the Ziegler Polar Expedition in National Magazine.

Wicked Gotham. "Robert Brodnax Glenn, ex-governor of North Carolina, denounced at Chautauqua the wickedness of New York," said a Presbyterian minister of Raleigh. The minister smiled slightly. "This denunciation didn't surprise me," he said. "I have been associated with Mr. Glenn in church work for many years. New York's wickedness has always shocked him. 'I pointed out to Mr. Glenn one day a remarkable newspaper paragraph. 'Look here,' I said. 'Here is an account of a New York man struck down by lightning while he was swearing. Remarkable, isn't it?' 'My dear doctor,' said Gov. Glenn, solemnly, 'if lightning were to strike down a New York man when he wasn't swearing, it would be much more remarkable.'"

Drink Caused Trouble. "Oh," said the woman as she paused in the prison beside a hospital cot on which an emaciated man lay. "It makes my heart bleed to see all this sickness and suffering. What is this poor man's trouble?" "Drink," said the patient before the attending physician had time to answer. "Drink!" "Yes, lady, one drink." "Terrible, terrible. Oh, what a warning this should be to every young man. I wish I could bring my Sunday school class here to see this awful case. One drink and—"

"It was a drink of Chicago river water, ma'am, that hadn't been boiled."

Blocking Him. "Say, old man," began Borrowers, "lend me your ear for a while, will you?" "My friend," replied Wise, shrewdly suspecting a touch, "I'd gladly lend you both of them; then I wouldn't be able to hear you ask me to lend you anything else."—The Catholic Standard and Times.

His Theory. "Why do they call that railway a grand trunk line?" "I dunno," answered Farmer Corn-tassel, "unless they had some idea of the big clothes boxes some of these summer boarders would be draggin' around with 'em."

In the Middle. "The thief always suffers in the end." "Not always. My little boy stole some green apples the other day and that is not where he suffered."—Houston Post.

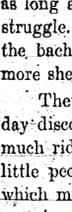
Spinster Man

Rapidly Becoming Common Like Bachelor Maid

By THURDE KAYLE BRUCE



MUCH has been written on the subject of the bachelor maid. She has been one of the finest of the new works of creation. She has been said to have the mental poise of independence and experience and, like the ship in the sonnet, where she goes the winds stir. But little has been said of the spinster man. And he is coming to be just as common a species as the bachelor maid.



He has learned like his sister that bachelor life has too many fascinations to give them up for the responsibilities of family life and, like his sister, he refrains from marrying just as long as he can keep his heart intact, and even then he makes a noble struggle. But the spinster man grows set in his ways much sooner than the bachelor maid, who, the more she mingles with a busy world, the more she grows in grace and intellect.



The spinster man, who values his singleness and seclusion, one fine day discovers himself in a deep rut of habit. He is an old maid, in the much ridiculed sense of the expression. He is often sensitive and full of little peculiarities about his food and his clothes—especially his clothes, which must be just so. He gets alarmingly used to his own things, and camping out does not agree with him. He wants his own bathtub and his own boot trees and his bright particular clothes brush. As a matter of fact, he is a very crotchety individual, is the spinster man.

The old maid has practically died out among women, but she reappears again in the old bachelor, who loses by not marrying the very thing which the bachelor girl gains by the same untrammelled state.

The bachelor girl is seldom lonesome. She has her friends, her work and a thousand outside resources to keep her amused. But the loneliest soul in the world is the spinster man. Little by little he narrows his acquaintance to a small circle, and sooner or later he comes to the point when his smoking jacket and slippers are his regular evening's solace. He is not especially happy, but he doesn't know what is the matter with him, and he doesn't understand that he is lonesome—hopelessly and unutterably lonesome. He is not even ambitious any more, because he has nothing to be ambitious for.

Good Reasons for Women Joining Unions

By ANNE WORTHINGTON

work is done by women, sometimes in competition with men, sometimes not, sometimes by women who are the sole wage-earners of a family, sometimes by women who supplement an inadequate wage earned by the man of the family, sometimes by women who have no families either to support or to be supported by.

The second reason for the organization of women is the education which the trade union offers to the woman herself. Women have always done more than their share of the work of the world, and now, for the first time, they are beginning to realize its value. The path of woman in modern industry has not been strewn with roses, but it surely is leading her to a position of dignity and influence unknown to women of the past, and no other factor in her progress seems to be comparable in usefulness.

Anne Worthington

Some Novel Facts About Planet Mars

By CHARLES NEVENS HOLMES

Occasionally a word or so about Mars should be of interest. This ruddy neighbor of ours revolves at varying distances from the earth. At times he may be as far distant as 234,000,000 miles; at other times as comparatively near as 35,500,000 miles. His mean or average distance from the sun is some 141,000,000 miles, which should be compared with the mean distance of Neptune—the farthest planet—2,791,600,000 miles. The mean diameter of the ruddy planet equals some 4,230 miles and his volume or size is some 15 one hundredths that of our earth. His mass or weight equals about one-tenth that of our world—6,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 tons! The density or solidity of Mars is about seven-tenths that of our planet, while the density of our moon equals about six-tenths that of our earth. Bodies and weights upon the Martian surface would weigh, of course, less than upon the terrestrial surface (about 38 one-hundredths).

Laborers Want Very Best Cuts of Meat

By P. EVAN JONES

The statement is attributed to Secretary Wilson that laborers eat meat three times daily and are not content with any but the best cuts and can afford to buy them. The experience of every laborer in this country is a refutation to the statement of the secretary. Indeed, housekeepers of even the so-called middle class can refute the statement. Housewives could tell him that the prices of meat are almost prohibitive, so far as the choice cuts are concerned. The prices of even the less choice parts are on the increase and are fast soaring beyond the reach of moderate purses. One good feature of this increased cost of meat is that there will be less of it consumed. This will be better for the people, for the American, as a general rule, eats too much meat. Such a course will be to the advantage of health and pocketbooks.

HOW BLOCK SIGNALS WORK

Operation of Ingenious System That Insures the Safety of Railroad Passengers.

Comparatively few people know just what is meant by block signals when they read that a railroad has established the system on its lines. The block is a length of track which, on double track roads, has at its entrance a post and movable arm, and on single track lines one at each end. To say that a line has every inch protected by this system means that the entire line is divided into consecutive blocks. Only one line from Chicago to New York is thus protected, and of the total in the United States, one-third is on the Union and Southern Pacific.

The operation of the block system is simple but absolute. In a few words, it means that a train cannot move from one block into the next until the latter block is empty. As a train moves forward, the signal arm is set to show that the block just left may be entered by the next train following. When a train enters a block it so affects the energy that is a part of signaling that the semaphore arm remains hori-



zontal until the block is vacated, when the arm automatically drops and points diagonally toward the ground. Therefore, as long as the engineer sees only drooping signals he can keep on going, but the instant he finds the arm stretching out over the track, he must come to a stop, knowing that that block is occupied by another train.

The energy mentioned above is electricity, the current being obtained from a battery near each post. The rails of each block are made as if all of one piece by connecting the joints with wire. The extreme ends are then connected and thus a circuit is formed in which the current flows. When no train is in the block, the mechanism operated by the current pulls the arm down and holds it there. When a train enters the block the wheels and axles, combined with the rails, form a shorter circuit, the energy that held the arm down is withdrawn and up it swings to a horizontal position.

Each block is independent of all other blocks. When the last wheels of a train leave it, the current resumes its flow and the signal arm at the entrance is pulled down to the "proceed" position. But before the hind wheels have finished doing this, the front wheels of the locomotive have entered the next block and caused the arm there to rise to the "stop."

For a single track line the automatic arrangement is the same, but there is a signal at each end of the block. To prevent two trains on a single track line entering a block at the same time from opposite ends, before the entrance to a single track block is reached the train sets a stop signal at the far end of that block, and as it enters it sets the entrance signal to stop just as is done on double track. Half a mile or more before reaching the entrance signal of each block the engineer comes to what is called the "distant," which tells him how the other or "home" signal is set.

As the automatic signal is constructed, it cannot show "go ahead" unless the entire combination of rails, wire, current, magnet, etc., is working perfectly. If a wire parts, a rail breaks, a battery falls, a switch point opens the slightest, the combination falls and the released arm resumes the horizontal position. So, when the engineer sees the stop signal, he knows that there may be a train on the block, an open switch, or a broken rail or signaling apparatus.

At night colored lights are displayed on the same posts. The lamps will burn eight days without replenishing, but are refilled every four or five days. When the home signal is at stop, the engineer sees the same through a red glass. The caution light on the distant is yellow. A green light means go ahead and is used on both the home and distant signals.

Where two or more lines cross at grade the general plan of semaphore arms for day and colored light for night is the same, but owing to the complications all signals are controlled by levers operated by men from a central station. The crossing and contiguous tracks are governed by the interlocking system. When this is in perfect order and the crossing unoccupied, it displays "stop" to every track approaching the crossing. Any change must be made by the sign-man, and to display "proceed" he must first lock all other approaches with the stop signal.

There are now about 11,000 miles of railway equipped with the block system. The only line thus protected every inch from Chicago to California is via the Northwestern, Union and Southern Pacific. One-third of the 11,000 miles of automatic signaling is on the Harriman lines—and the Northwestern has more miles of double track automatic than any other railway.

BEAN RUST DISCOVERED AMONG COMMON PLANTS

Destructive Disease, Similar in Character to that Which Often Attacks Wheat—Has Three Stages—By L. H. Pammel.

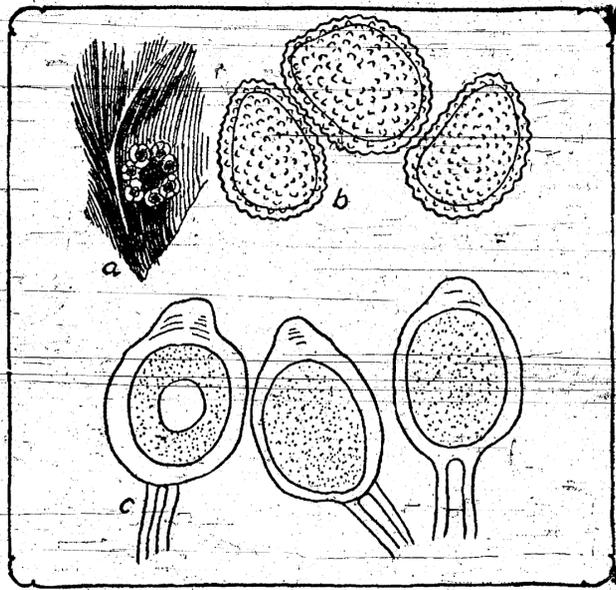
For a number of years we have had under observation a rust occurring rather abundantly on the common bean, especially the pole bean. During the summer of 1908 specimens of the rust were sent in by a correspondent from Grinnell, Ia., where it was common and destructive. During the same season the cluster-cup stage was collected by one of us at La Crosse, Wis.

The finding of the cluster-cup stage on the cultivated bean has not heretofore been mentioned by American writers on economic fungi, although it is commonly observed on some of the wild beans. That this stage has been found is of especial interest as it accounts for the source of infection of the cultivated bean.

This bean rust in its development is not unlike the common wheat rust, which has three stages. In the case of

The number of the cups (aecidia) varies from 4-6 in the smaller spots to 20-25 in the larger spots. They are pale in color, the peridial cells being colorless. The spores are spherical to elliptical 10-28 μ in diameter, minutely roughened. The spermatia are on the upper surface of the leaf, minute; the spermatia small, spherical. The uredospores occur in spots which are at first roundish, but later, becoming confluent, form irregular patches frequently quadratic in form; the sori or pustules of the fungus occur on both surfaces of the leaf, and not infrequently on the pod and peduncle, varying from a few to many in a spot. The uredosori which contain the summer spores are yellowish brown and appear during the summer.

While usually not one of the most troublesome diseases of the bean, it occasionally becomes so severe as to cause serious loss. It is recorded by



Bean Rust, Uromyces appendiculatus. a, Cluster-Cup Stage; b, Uredo Spores; c, Teleutospores.

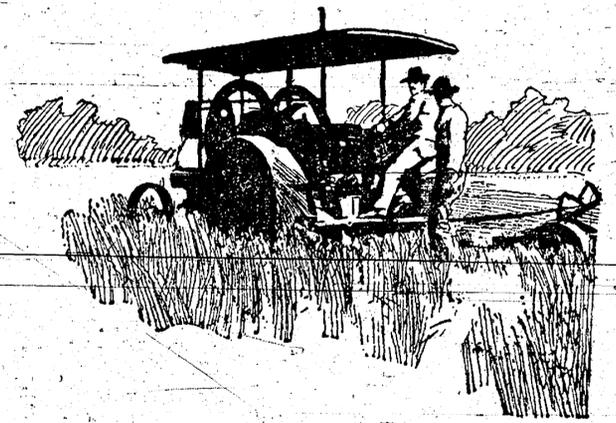
what rust, the first stage is upon the barberry, but in the case of the bean all three stages occur upon the same host plant.

The aecidium or cluster-cup stage occurs upon the under-surface of the leaves in definite spots. The color of the leaf in the vicinity of the spots does not differ materially from the color of the remainder of the leaf.

Pammel and by Beach as destructive to late varieties, particularly to the wax bean.

Careful selection of seed grown in regions where the rust is not found, the burning of old bean leaves likely to contain winter spores, and the destruction of wild beans in the neighboring grounds are the best means to hold the bean rust in check.

ENGINES ON SMALL FARMS



Twenty-Horse Power Engine at Work.

The use of the most "modern methods" in farming in Kansas is by no means restricted to the huge ranches. In nearly every locality in the state there are farmers who are using traction engines, with either steam or gasoline for power, to plow and harrow.

Near Muscotah, Kan., there is a ranch comprising 680 acres, on which the plowing and harrowing is being done with a 20-horse power gasoline engine. This hauls four 14-inch gang plows and a two-horse harrow—the equivalent of saying that the engine

does the work of 20 horses. The distance traversed—and it's over "tough" soil, too—is from two to two and one-half miles a day. One harrow is placed off to the side so that the result is a double harrowing of the ground without making a second trip.

There were many doubters of the advisability of investing in an engine for a tract of 680 acres. It was considered too small an area to warrant the initial expense for the machine. The owners of the ranch, however, say that the engine soon will save its own cost. Thus far in the test it has proved entirely satisfactory.

APPLE BARRELS VERY COSTLY

Manufacturers Report Good Inquiry for Finished Stock, Also for Staves and Heads.

Barrel manufacturers report a good inquiry for finished apple barrels, also for staves and heads. Prices promise to rule about as high as last year, says Orange Judd Farmer. In a general way new apple barrels, three-bushel standard, are quotable in a wholesale way to 32 to 35 cents each. A manufacturer at St. Louis quotes 35 cents f. o. b. A Kansas city cooper quotes No. 1 apple barrels at 35 cents and No. 2 at 30 cents f. o. b. factory. He writes that apple

crop is light in that section. With no relief in price of containers, this fact must be considered in contracting the crops now on the trees.

The price of new apple barrels in the west is much as last year, coopers asking something close to 35 cents each for new barrels, standard size. Some of the large growers buy barrel stock and put up their own barrels. This season such will cost them about 32 cents, or possibly a little less, in thus handling them.

In the apple territory between Cincinnati and Philadelphia there is nothing to indicate any lower prices for apple barrels with lumber and timber held so continuously high. Manufacturers in West Virginia are quoting new barrels at 32 cents each.

The demand for animals of good dairy breeding is greater than the supply.

# INTO THE PRIMITIVE

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## SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the shipwreck of the steamer on which Miss Genevieve Leslie, an American heiress, 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, shamed on the boat, because of his roughness, became a hero as preserver of the helpless pair. The Englishman was suing for the hand of Miss Leslie. Winthrop wasted his last match on a cigarette, for which he was scored by Blake. All three constructed huts to shield themselves from the sun. They then feasted on coconuts, the only procurable food. Miss Leslie faced an unpleasant situation. Blake recovered his survivors' 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 the cliffs. Miss Leslie's white skirt was decided upon as a signal. Miss Leslie made a dress from the leopard skin. Overhearing a conversation between Winthrop and Miss Leslie, she became frightened. Winthrop became ill with fever. Blake was poisoned by a snake and almost died. Jackals attacked the camp that night, but were driven off by Genevieve. 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. For the second time Winthrop was attacked by fever. He and Blake disagreed. The latter made a strong door for the private compartment of Miss Leslie's cave home. A terrible storm raged that night. Winthrop stole into her room, but she managed to swing her door closed in time. Winthrop was badly hurt. He died the following morning. The storm drove down their distress flag, so a new one was swung from a bamboo pole. Miss Leslie helped in covering Winthrop's grave. With the oysters Genevieve took a strong liking to Blake. On exploration tour they were attacked by a lion.

## CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued.

The lion stilled his roars and crouched as if to spring, snarling and grinning with rage and uncertainty. His eyes, unaccustomed to the glare of the mid-day sun, blinked incessantly, though he followed the man's every movement, his snarls deepening into growls at the slightest change of attitude.

In his blind animal rage Blake had forgotten that the purpose of his lateral advance was to place as great a distance as possible between him and the girl before the clash. Yet instinct kept him moving along his spiral course, on the chance that he might catch his foe off his guard.

Suddenly the lion half rose and stretched forward, sniffing. There was an uneasy whining note in his growls. Blake let the club slip from beneath his arm and drew his bow until the arrow-head lay upon his thumb. His outstretched arm was rigid as a bar of steel. So tense and alert were all his nerves that he knew he could drive home both arrows and still have time to swing his club before the beast was upon him.

A puff of wind struck against his back and swept on the nostrils of the lion, laden with the odor of man. The beast uttered a short, startled roar, and, whirling about, leaped away into the jungle so quickly that Blake's arrow flashed past a full yard behind.

The second arrow was on the string before the first had struck the ground. But the lion had vanished in the grass. With a yell, Blake dashed on across to the nearest point of the jungle. As he ran he drew the burning glass from his fob and flipped it open ready for use. If the lion had turned behind the sheltering grass stems he was too cowardly to charge on again. Within a minute the jungle border was a wall of roaring flame.

The grass, long since dead, and bone-dry with the days of tropical sunshine since the cyclone, flared up before the wind like gunpowder. Even against the wind the fire ate its way along the ground with fearful rapidity, trailing behind it an upwhirling vortex of smoke and flame. No living creature could have burst through that belt of fire.

A wave of fierce heat sent Blake staggering back, scorched and blistered. There was no exultance in his bearing. For the moment all thought of the lion was swallowed up in awe of his own work. He stared at the wall of leaping, roaring flames from beneath his upraised arm. To the north dark and lighted wisps of grass driven by the gale had already fired the jungle half way to the farther ridge.

Step by step Blake drew back. His heel struck against something soft. He looked down and saw Miss Leslie lying on the sand, white and still. She had fainted, overcome by heat or by the unendurable heat. The heat must have stupefied him as well. He stared at her, dully-eyed, wondering if she was dead. His brain cleared. He sprang over to where the flask lay beside the remnants of the lunch.

He was dashing the last drops of the tepid water in her face when she moaned and her eyelids began to flutter. He flung down the flask and fell to chafing her wrist.

"Tom!" she moaned.

"Yes, Miss Jenny, I'm here. All right," he answered.

"Have I had a sunstroke? Is that why it seems so—I can hardly breathe—"

"It's all right, I tell you. Only a little bonfire I touched off. Guess you must have fainted, but it's all right now."

"It was silly of me to faint. But when I saw that dreadful thing leap—"



"The Man I Love!"

She faltered and lay shuddering. Fearful that she was about to swoon again Blake slapped her hand between his palms with stinging force.

"You're ill!" he shouted. "The lion's on you! Kitty jumped just the other way, and he won't come back in a hurry with that fire to head him off. Jump up now and we'll do a jig on the strength of it."

She attempted a smile, and a trace of color showed in her cheeks. With an idea that action would further her recovery he drew her to a sitting position, stepped quickly behind, and, with his hands beneath her elbows, lifted her upright. But she was still too weak and giddy to stand alone. As he released his grip she swayed and would have fallen had he not caught her arm.

"Steady!" he admonished. "Brace up; you're all right."

"I'm—I'm just a little dizzy," she murmured, clinging to his shoulder. "It will pass in a minute. It's so silly, but I'm that way—Tom, I—I think you are the bravest man—"

"Yes, yes—but that's not the point. Leave go now, like a sensible girl. It's about time to hit the trail."

He drew himself free, and without a glance at her blushing face began to gather up their scattered outfit. His hat lay where he had weighted it down with the cocoonnut. He tossed the nut into the skin bag and jammed the hat on his head, pulling the brim far down over his eyes. When he had fetched his club he walked back past the girl with his eyes averted.

"Come on," he muttered.

Inside the barricade Blake was waiting to close the opening. She crept through and rose to catch him by the sleeve.

"Tom, look at me," she said. "Once I was most unjust to you in my thoughts. I wronged you. Now I must tell you that I think you are the bravest—the noblest man—"

"Get away!" he exclaimed, and he shook off her hand roughly. "Don't be a fool! You don't know what you're talking about."

"But I do, Tom. I believe that you are—"

"I'm a blackguard—do you hear?"

"No! blackguard is brave. The way you faced that terrible beast—"

"Yes, blackguard—to've gone and shown to you that I—to've let you say a single word—Can't you see? Even if I'm not what you call a gentleman, I thought I knew how any man ought to treat a woman—but to go and let you know, before we'd got back among people!"

"But—but, Tom, why not, if we—"

"No!" he retorted, harshly. "I'm going now to pile up wood on the cliff for a beacon fire. In the morning I'll start making that catamaran—"

"No, you shall not—You shall not go off and leave me, and—risk your life! I can't bear to think of it! Stay with me, Tom—dear! Even if a ship never came—"

He turned resolutely, so as not to see her blushing face.

"Come now, Miss Leslie," he said in a dry, even tone; "don't make it so awfully hard. Let's be sensible, and

shake hands on it like two real comrades—"

She struck frantically at his outstretched hand.

"Keep away—I hate you!" she cried. Before he could speak she was running up the cliff.

## CHAPTER XXV.

### In Double Salvation.

WHEN, an hour or more after dawn the next morning, the girl slowly drew open her door and came out of the cave Blake was nowhere in sight. She sighed, vastly relieved, and hastened across to bathe her flushed face in the spring. Stopping every few moments to listen for his step down the cleft she gathered up a hamper of food and fled to the tree-ladder.

As she drew herself up on the cliff she noticed a thin column of smoke rising from the last smouldering brands of a beacon fire that had been built in the midst of the bird colony, on the extreme outer edge of the headland. She did not, however, observe that, while the smoke-column streamed up from the fire directly skyward beyond it there was a much larger volume of smoke, which seemed to have eddied down the cliff face and was now rolling up into view from out over the sea. She gave no heed to this, for the sight of the beacon had instantly alarmed her with the possibility that Blake was still on the headland, and would imagine that she was seeking him.

She paused, her cheeks aflame. But the only sign of Blake that she could see was the fire itself. She reflected that he might very well have left before dawn. As likely as not he had descended at the north end of the cleft and had gone off to the river to start his catamaran. At the thought all the color ebbed from her cheeks and left her white and trembling. Again she stood hesitating. With a sigh she started on toward the signal staff.

She was close upon the border of the bird colony when Blake sat up and she found herself staring into his blinking eyes.

"Hello!" he mumbled, drowsily. He sprang up wide awake, and flushing with the guilty consciousness of what he had done. "Look at the sun—way up! Didn't mean to oversleep, Miss Leslie. You see I was up pretty late tending the beacon. But of course that's no excuse—"

"Don't!" she exclaimed. There were tears in her eyes; yet she smiled as she spoke. "I know what you mean by 'pretty late.' You've been up all night."

"No, I haven't. Not all night—"

"To be sure! I quite understand, Mr. Thomas Blake! Now sit down and eat this luncheon."

"Can't. Haven't time. I've got to get to the river and set to work. I'll get some jerked beef and eat it on the way. You see—"

"Tom!" she protested.

"It's for you," he rejoined, and his lips closed together resolutely.

He was stepping past her, when over the seaward edge of the cliff there came a sound like the yell of a raging sea monster.

"Siren!" shouted Blake, whirling about.

The cloud of smoke beyond the cliff end was now rolling up more to the left. He dashed away towards the north edge of the cliff as though he intended to leap off into space. The girl ran after him as fast as she could over the loose stones. Before she had covered half the distance she saw him halt on the very brink of the cliff and begin to wave and shout like a madman. A few steps farther on she caught sight of the steamer. It was lying, close in, only a little way off the north point of the headland.

Even as she saw the vessel, its siren responded to Blake's wild gestures with a series of joyous screams. There could be no mistake. He had been seen. Already they were letting go anchor, and there was a little crowd of men gathering about one of the boats. Blake turned and started on a run for the cliff. But Miss Leslie darted before him, compelling him to halt.

"Wait!" she cried, her eyes sparkling with happy tears. "Tom, it's come now. You needn't—"

"Let me by! I'm going to meet them. I want to—"

But she put her hands upon his shoulders.

"Tom!" she whispered, "let it be now, before any one—anything can possibly come between us! Let it be a part of our life here—here, where I've learned how brave and true a real man can be!"

"And then have him prove himself a sneak!" he cried. "No, I won't, Jenny! I've got you to think of. Wait till I've seen your father. Ten to one he'll not hear of it—he'll cut you off without a cent. Not but what I'd be glad myself, but you're used to luxuries, girly, and I'm a poor man. I can't give them to you—"

She laid a hand on his mouth and smiled up at him in tender mockery.

"Come, now, Mr. Blake; you're not very complimentary. After surviving my cooking all these weeks, don't you think I might do, at a pinch, for a poor man's wife?"

"No, Jenny!" he protested, trying to draw back. "You oughtn't to decide now. When you get back among your friends things may look different. Think of your society friends! Wait till you see me with other men—gentlemen! I'm just a rough, uncultured, ordinary—"

"Hush!" she cried, and she again placed her hand on his mouth. "You shan't say such cruel things about Tom—my Tom—the man I trust—that I—"

Her arms slipped about his neck and her eyes shone up into his with tender radiance.

"Don't!" he begged, hoarsely. "Tain't fair—I can't stand it!"

"The man I love!" she whispered. He crushed her to him in his great arms.

"My little girl!—dear little girl!" he repeated, and he pressed his lips to her hair.

She snuggled her face closer against his shoulder and repined in a very small voice: "I—I suppose you know that ship captains can marry people."

"But I haven't even a job yet!" he exclaimed. "Suppose your father—"

"Please listen!" she pleaded. There was a sound like suppressed sobbing.

"What is it?" he ventured, and he listened, greatly perturbed. The muffled voice sounded very meek and plaintive: "I'll try to do my part, Mr. Blake—really I will! I—I hope we can manage to struggle along—somehow. You know, I have a little of my own. It's only three—three million; but—"

"What!" he demanded, and he held her out at arm's length, to stare at her in frowning bewilderment. "If I'd known that, I'd—"

"You'd never have given me a chance to—propose to you, you dear old silly!" she cried, her eyes dancing with tender mirth. "See here!"

She turned from him and back again, and held up a withered, crumpled flower. He looked, and saw that it was the amaryllis blossom.

"You—kept it!"

"Because—because, even then, then, down in the bottom of my heart, I had begun to realize—to know what you were like—and of course that meant—Tom, tell me! Do you think I'm utterly shameless? Do you blame me for being the one to—to—"

"Blame you!" he cried. He paused to put a finger under her chin and raise her down-bent face. His eyes were very blue, but there was a twinkle in their depths. "Oh, yes, it was dreadful, wasn't it? But I guess I've no complaint to file just now."

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To the Christmas buyer—look over our complete assortment of Candy, Toys and Smokers' Articles before buying.—Hamilton.

The East Jordan Postoffice will be opened next Monday morning in the new building recently constructed by Postmaster Kenyon.

The "Stand Patlers" show which was scheduled at Loveday Opera House for next Tuesday night, has been cancelled for unavoidable reasons.

At the high school building next Friday evening, Dec. 10th, the Junior Class will hold a Clothes Pin and Box Social. A fine program will be given. Everyone invited.

Pythian Sisters Notice.—A Special meeting will be held next Thursday evening, Dec. 9th. A social time will be enjoyable. All members come.—Miss Jessie Fay, M. of R. C.

Ben Sniatta, local manager of the Bell Telephone System, informs us that the cables and other necessary supplies for rebuilding our telephone system is here and that the line crew will arrive in a few days to take up the work.

Herman L. Swift, manager of the Beulah Home for Boys, near Boyne City, was arrested Wednesday upon serious charges preferred by some of the boy inmates. The hearing is set for next Tuesday and he has been released on bail furnished by W. H. White and S. C. Smith.

Ira D. Bartlett attended the annual Northern Michigan Bee-Keepers' meet at Mancelona this week. The convention was not as largely attended as usual owing to the fact that most of the members were very busy. The officers of last year were re-elected, Mr. Bartlett being secretary-treasurer of the organization.

Mrs. Wm. Cook died at her home on Monday, Thursday evening after a short illness from tumor. Funeral services will be held Sunday morning from the residence, and interment made at Ellsworth. Deceased was aged 47 years and two months, and leaves, besides a husband, two sons grown to young manhood.

At the regular meeting of South Lake Lodge No. 180 Wednesday night, the following officers were elected for ensuing year:

Past Chancellor—W. P. Squier.  
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Cabinet Papers for Holiday presents at Payton's.  
Holiday Goods are commencing to arrive at Mack's.

A fine assortment of Xmas Candy and Toys at Hamilton's.  
Rocking Chairs—Yes, Rocking Chairs galore at Whittington's.

Miss Maggie Miles has returned from an extended visit at Chicago.  
Ward Ainsley on Thursday sold his residence on the West Side to Chas. Johnson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kilder of Echo township, a son, Thursday, Dec. 2nd.

W. P. Squier was at Frederic a couple of days this week as auditor for the D. & C. R. R.

Mrs. J. S. Stackus returned to her home at Boyne City, Wednesday, after a visit with East Jordan friends.

Ben Welkel is expected home from the West, shortly. He has been quite ill and confined in a hospital at Des Moines, Iowa.

Miss Madge Nicholas has been spending the past week with her sister, Miss Fay, who is a student at the Mt. Pleasant Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Risk have rented the new residence being built by E. A. Ashley on the Terrace and will occupy same in a fortnight or so.

A. J. Dole, well-known resident of Bellaire the past thirty years, was united in marriage last Sunday evening to Mrs. Emma Deslauer of Central Lake.

A. L. Darling and family of Elk Rapids moved here this week and will make East Jordan their future home. They will occupy a residence of Bowen's addition for the present.

Jack Cusson, who was seriously burned by kerosene last week, was confined to his bed the better part of this week with threatened blood poisoning. He is able to be out again, however.

W. P. Porter and daughter, Miss Mary, left Monday for Chicago. From there, Miss Porter went on to Cedar Falls, Iowa, to take up her work as secretary of the Y. W. C. A. there. Mr. Porter returned home Wednesday.

The Women's Local Option Civic Society have secured the room formerly used as an ice cream parlor, of F. B. Hamilton, for a Rest and Reading Room, and it is now open to the general public. Farmers and families take notice! Young men especially invited! Everybody welcome.

Mrs. John Stillwell of Flint, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Fisk in this village since Thanksgiving. Tuesday the ladies went to East Jordan to call on Mrs. Stillwell's grandmother, great grandmother of Mrs. Fisk. \* \* \* Egbert Harrington and his step-brother, Kenneth Hathaway, spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harrington in this village. Both young men are employed at the new East Jordan Iron furnace.—Central Lake Torch.

Horse for sale.—E. A. Lewis.

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Mrs. Matt Swafford returned Monday from a visit with friends at Kaska.

E. E. Stussar was up from Mancelona latter part of the week, guest of Dr. Pray.

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There were eleven deaths and twenty-seven births in Charlevoix County during the past month, and 2,883 deaths, 4,871 births in the state during the same period.

Among those from here at Charlevoix this week were: Atty's A. B. Nicholas, E. N. Clink and D. H. Fitch, Truant Officer Bashaw, Com'r. McHardy, and W. M. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Owen of Bellaire visited at the home of their daughter Mrs. R. A. Risk latter part of week. Mrs. Risk and little son returning with them for a brief sojourn.

Dr. J. A. Macgregor has recently added to his optical equipment several new and up-to-date devices and now has one of the most complete outfits for fitting eyeglasses to be found in this part of the state.

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.

Bert A. Dote spent last sabbath with friends in Cleveland, Ohio, and sang a solo at the Park Congregational church. At the same service Mr. Smith, national secretary of the Y. M. C. A., delivered an address.

The wrecking tug Ottawa, which was at Charlevoix recently endeavoring to release the ore barge Falcon on South Fox Island, was destroyed by fire Monday night at Chequamegon Bay, Lake Superior. She was valued at \$50,000.

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Anna Ruzer, 48..... Boyne City  
Amos O'Neil, 20..... Charlevoix  
Mamie Sonshy, 18..... Petoskey  
Chas. H. McKinnon, 19... East Jordan  
Mary M. Bashaw, 18..... East Jordan  
Chas. Earl Rubling, 26... East Jordan  
Anna S. Cameron, 21..... East Jordan

### High School Notes.

Among our visitors this week were Ruby Calkins, George Jepsen, and Herbert Hart.  
Mildred Sweet has returned to school again.  
The Biology class are studying the fish.  
The Physics class are studying and performing experiments in density and specific gravity.  
The chorus with the assistance of Miss Sheffield are preparing some music for Christmas.

The boys have closed the season of foot ball with the honor of championship of Northern Michigan. They have now organized a basket ball team with Anthony Burney as manager.

Read the pain formula on a box of Pink Pain Tablets. Then ask your Doctor if there is a better one. Pain means congestion—blood pressure somewhere. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets check head pains, womanly pains, pain anywhere. Try one, and see! 20 for 25c. Sold by James Gidley.

### Among The Steeple.

The Episcopal Ladies Guild meet with Mrs. Ward Ainslie on the West Side, next Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 7th.

There have been several good conversions at the Methodist revival services during the week, and much good is being accomplished.

The revival services at the Methodist church will continue thro the coming week services; each night except Saturday beginning at 7 o'clock.

Christian Science services will be held in the Whiting, 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.

The Methodist W. E. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Robertson Tuesday, Dec. 7th at 2:30. A Christmas program will be given. Answer to roll call with Christmas text. A ten cent tea served. Everybody invited.

Services at the Methodist church at the usual hour on Sunday. Mrs. Wilcox will give a gospel temperance address in the evening to which the public are cordially invited. Mrs. Wilcox has had large experience as a lecturer for the W. C. T. U. and will have good things to say.

Drop in worship in the Presbyterian church on next Sunday morning at 10:30, evening at 7:00 standard time. A hearty welcome to all. Strangers will feel at home. Come with us and we will do you good. And if you possibly stay to Sunday School you will be more than welcome. It begins directly after the close of the church service. The Junior Young People's Society meets 3:15, the Senior Society at 6:15.

### Twp. Tax Notice.

I will be at my shop in the Keny building each Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. during the month of December for the purpose of receiving and receipting for 1900 taxes, due the Township of South Arm.

R. E. STEFFES,  
Twp. Treas.

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When you see a star stamped on the heel of a shoe it is a guarantee that the shoe is the best that can be produced for the price. Also that the shoe is all solid leather—even in the cheaper grades. Let me convince you as I have been convinced by cutting the shoes in two.

I WALK ON STARS  
So Can You.  
(Sole Agent).

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PROBATE NOTICE.—State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

In the matter of the Estate of Hannah Leroy deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that six months from the 4th day of Nov. A. D. 1900 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court, for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Charlevoix, in said county, on or before the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1901, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.  
Dated, Nov. 4th, A. D. 1900.  
JOHN M. HARRIS,  
Judge of Probate.

## A Remarkable Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoe Store.

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Isn't it remarkable to find a store where you can ask for anything in the line of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Rubbers, Hats and Caps and have the salesman say, here it is!

Isn't it remarkable to find a nice stock of new styles!

Isn't it remarkable that you are able to count on one Store for the best possible values!

Lots of other remarkable things about this reliable store.

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That's the combination you want to look for when you start out to buy Groceries—that is, if you are at all particular to get something which makes a noise like about the best thing on the market—and your appetite.

Here's a stock that is filled with the most reliable staples, and all the tasty, tempting little niceties and table luxuries as well. From flour and sugar to the finer things, we carry an elaborate selection in fact, anything you want that's good.

### WILL RICHARDSON

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## Plumbing and Tinsmithing

If building give me a chance to figure on your work. A few dollars saved means quite a lot when you are building a home. All goods first class and work done in a satisfactory manner. Twelve years experience. Reasonable prices.

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Something New, Different and Up-to-date.

Box and Cabinet Papers. Ladies' invitation size. Crane's Linen Lawn (a new box paper). Just the kind you have been looking for.

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## Just a few more Hats left

and we are offering them at such low prices you cannot miss this sale. We are compelled to sell them to make room for our HOLIDAY LINE—the opening will be announced in a short time. We will have the finest line of its kind in town.

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I have made every effort to make this store the Ideal Christmas Shop this fall, and have been successful in securing a fine large assortment at prices to suit all.

Make your selection now, before the Holiday rush—pay a small deposit and we'll hold the goods until you want them. Every article bought here is fully guaranteed.

We are glad to show our goods and prices and then you decide where to buy.

Consider quality and price and you will buy at

## C. C. MACK'S JEWELRY STORE.

# MEETINGS of AMERICAN PRESIDENTS



**T**HAT the United States and Mexico are daily practicing the lessons of peace is shown in the thousands of miles of practically unguarded border which half a century ago demanded thousands of troops for protection. If any additional guarantee was needed it was shown in the recent exchange of visits between President Taft of the United States and President Diaz of Mexico. It required a special concession from the Mexican congress in order that the illustrious Mexican might cross the border to grasp the hand of the man who has been honored with the highest office of the United States. President Taft set aside precedent and crossed over into Mexico to return the visit and the many pleasing incidents connected with his brief sojourn on foreign soil emphasized the friendly relations that exist between the two countries.

There have been meetings in the past between presidents of American republics which were fraught with much of historic significance to the people they represented. Great affairs of state have been discussed in this manner with consequences of great benefit to the countries involved.

In the year 1822 the port of Guayaquil, Ecuador, was the scene of one of the most notable events in the history of America. Bolivar, the liberator of the northern provinces, and San Martin, the liberator of the southern provinces, met together for a conference that decided the destiny of South America. Bolivar was certain that his genius would be rewarded by the honor of the election to the first presidency of the country to which he had given freedom. San Martin had he but asked it, could have become the elected head of a new nation. San Martin withdrew, however. The war against Spain had still months to run before a constitution could be made effective and therefore this hoped-for first meeting of presidents was only a dream that might have been.

History shows that the struggle for liberty continued for a generation beyond the elections of the first presidents in many of the republics of America. Early meetings may have taken place between some of them for the purpose of informal discussion concerning unsettled policies of constitution and government, but there are scant evidences of any such personal communication. One meeting, however, is recorded, which was fruitful of results that influenced the future development of the whole region of the river Plate. This occurred in the year 1865. At that time the war in Paraguay had reached a crisis. The Argentine Republic, Uruguay and Brazil had decided to combine forces against President Lopez of Paraguay, but at the moment harmony of action had been lacking because of indelicateness of purpose among the three republics. It was then that President Flores of Uruguay crossed to Buenos Aires to confer with President Bartolome Mitre of the Argentine Republic. He was received in state, but the council was one for military deliberation rather than for official and diplomatic ceremony. The Brazilian minister was called to this meeting and these three agreed upon an offensive and defensive alliance, the consequences of which are seen in the national boundaries of to-day.

In disturbances of this nature a president was apt to be not only the constitutional but also the actual commander-in-chief of the army of his country. Experience on the field was an essential factor for success in the executive chair. A far-off reflection of the glories of Crecy might have been the ambition of many of these leaders, if the strong love for constitutional republicanism had not held them and the people in check.

Meetings of American presidents, therefore, have in the great majority of cases taken place as a matter of neighborliness and to strengthen the ties of friendship which must, as time passes, draw closer to each other the republics of the new world. Their purpose has been altogether one of peace. A notable instance of such a conference is shown by the meeting held at Corinto, on August 21, 1904, when the presidents of Nicaragua, Honduras and Salvador and a special delegate from the president of Guatemala assembled with the express intention of fostering by all honorable means the peace of Central America. The four governments thus represented manifested a decided moral resolve to harmonize the ambitions of each for the good of all. Steps like this lead to beneficial consequences and undoubtedly the sympathetic expression of regard between these neighbors made easier the brilliant peace conference held by the five republics of Central America under Secretary Root's guidance in the closing months of 1907.

Central America probably leads in the number of cases when presidents have grasped one another by the hand and discussed among themselves by oral communication affairs and policies they were elected to guard. It is not a long journey from one capital to another, and between contiguous seaports the distance is so short that informal meetings are easy of accomplishment. The president of Salvador and the president of Guatemala have more than once exchanged personal greetings. In fact, Gen. Rufino Barrios, while chief executive of Guatemala, was an attentive host, for the presidents of Costa Rica and of Honduras, during two administrations, visited him. The presidents of Costa Rica and of Nicaragua once met on the frontiers of the republics, and so rapidly are the means of communication being extended in this century that undoubtedly many similar meetings will be arranged in the future for the benefit of this Central American confraternity.

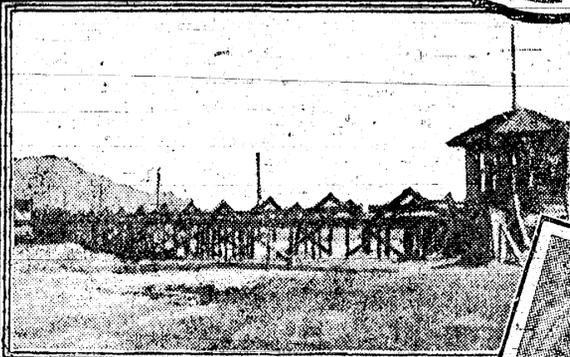
With the growing demand for mutual understanding and the absence of all that danger which has so frequently attended the visits of European rulers outside the confines of their own nations, these international visits are becoming more and more frequent. Sometimes they are of an informal nature, the president traveling in his private capacity and being welcomed as a foreign guest simply. Some years ago President Zaldívar of Salvador came to the United States and was received as befitting his position. President Iglesias of Costa Rica, just before his brother entered the Naval academy at Annapolis, traveled incognito through the United States and was entertained by President McKinley in Washington. He has always looked back upon that event with a kindly memory. Many years before that, however, Gen. Rufino Barrios, while president of Guatemala, visited the



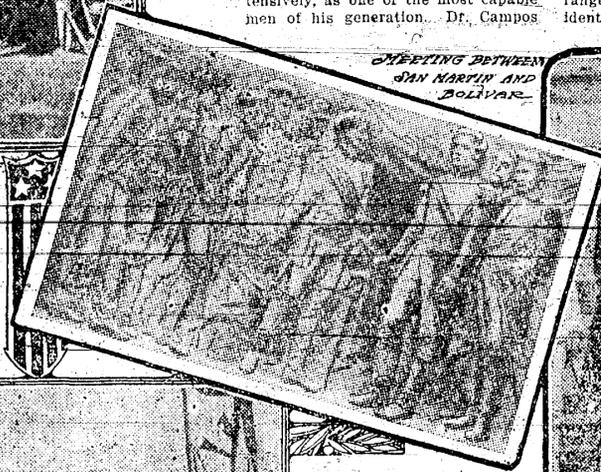
the Republic by the president of Brazil in October, 1900. —Gen. Julio A. Roca was in his second term as president of the Argentine Republic. He had served his country long and faithfully in many positions of trust and was recognized in Europe, where he had traveled extensively, as one of the most capable men of his generation. Dr. Campos

President Roca of the Argentine Republic and President Errazuriz of Chile, in the Strait of Magellan. They discussed practical affairs, the administration of their respective offices and the mutual relations of their governments to the people's welfare, but more than that the visit furnished an object-lesson to each president of the needs and requirements of the growing territory through which he had to pass.

The inhabitants of the south and southwestern United States never cease to be grateful for the presidential visit paid to them in 1901. New Orleans, although once the capital of a vast territory acquired by a president of the United States 100 years before, had never seen a head of the nation until President McKinley came. This trip was continued, with equally lasting benefits, through Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California. It was in El Paso, Texas, that a meeting had been arranged between President McKinley and President Diaz of Mexico, but the poor health of



THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE OVER THE RIO GRANDE.



MEETING BETWEEN SAN MARTIN AND BOLIVAR.



MEETING BETWEEN PRESIDENTS OF ARGENTINA AND CHILE.

Salles had assumed the presidency of Brazil in 1898. His early life had been passed under the empire, but the spirit of the age had fired his republicanism, and, despite all the traditions of an hereditary aristocracy, he had devoted his genius and his energy to the establishment and perpetuation of the new republic.

The Argentine Republic and Brazil have long been on friendly footing, but separated as their capitals are by 1,000 miles of ocean, or by an equal number of miles of almost untraveled forest, they have not always been able to find opportunity to meet in intimate friendship. For this reason, and because the times seemed favorable for expressions of personal and national regard, these visits were arranged between the two nations. It was the first time in the history of South America that an official visit was paid by one president of a republic to another. A squadron of the navy escorted President Roca to Rio Janeiro, where the Brazilians were lavish in their hospitality. The city was en fete for days, and the enthusiasm of the people was the best evidence of the success of the hitherto untried event. The Argentine Republic, not to be outdone in a display of hospitality and friendship, made even more elaborate preparations for the return visit of President Campos Salles the following year. Buenos Aires was decorated in all the perfection of which that beautiful city is capable. The people demonstrated that their friendship and hospitality was as sincere and spontaneous as that of their neighbors, and the impressions of good will left on each other, however much it may be founded on sentiment, have undoubtedly carried far-reaching consequences in the hearts of the citizens of these two republics.

Visits of courtesy of an informal nature are becoming more and more frequent as good-fellowship spreads from nation to nation. An instance well in point is seen in the proposed call at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, of President Montt of Chile, who will pay his respects to the president of Brazil when he returns from Europe early in the coming year.

Meetings on the boundary between nations are of a somewhat different character and cannot, from the very nature of the locality, be surrounded with the elaborateness of ceremony attainable in a nation's capital. They have a world-wide significance, however, since they show that presidents can shake hands across the border and that what they like to do in brotherly affection the neighboring people will do also. Another good result of such a meeting is the direct benefit upon the people of the region through which a president travels, for it brings him into touch with many persons and conditions he might not see otherwise, and carries evidence to all alike that he is their executive official as well as that of the residents of the capital of the nation.

Consequences of great benefit, for instance, followed the meeting, in 1899, between



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT REFERRING TO PRESIDENT AMADOR'S WELCOME IN PANAMA.

the latter prevented him from making such a long journey away from his home, and in his stead he delegated several high officials of the Mexican government to meet and greet President McKinley on the international bridge across the Rio Grande connecting the two republics.

## MR. PLAZAZUS' RECORD

One of the Reasons Why He Couldn't Get Extension of Credit.

"We're pretty nearly sting proof," said a banker the other day. "Any time any one puts one over on us he'll have to operate with a mace." Nowadays no bit of information about a client's personal character is considered too pennyroyal for us to notice it.

The statement was called out by the presence on the banker's desk of a large roll of manuscript reports, pinned together. The unfortunate who had been made a subject of an autogram had always thought himself a pretty fair sort of a citizen. He hadn't done anything very objectionable, beyond getting stewed now and then, riding a bit too fast in autos and acting as a chronic host for Broadway's chorus girls, the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star says. It so happened that he wanted an extension of credit and had applied to his bank for it. And the credit man did the rest.

"We have here," said the banker, "the usual Dun and Bradstreet reports on Mr. Plazazus. We have a highly entertaining series of clippings, in which our late client appears as the leading man in a lot of funny doings by electric light. We also have statements from every man he has ever worked for and so far as possible every man he has ever done business with." And still we haven't enough. I have asked for a special report upon certain phases of his activity that are not shown here. Every bank in New York has been victimized at various times by men who offer us an apparently clean bill of health. We don't find out until it is everlastingly too late that they are sufferers from a moral pip. Nowadays a man to get credit standing at a New York bank must pass an examination that would send the average deacon howling to the woods."

In Mr. Plazazus' case his request for a loan was refused and he was asked to take his account out. Not that it wasn't sound financially, but two years ago he had been jobbed by a bunch of shell workers. "A man," said the bank president, "who tries to get money in that way expects to profit by a dishonest game. He's apt to try to hand us a queer check next time he gets hard up. That experience of his proves him to be not merely a fool, but a dishonest fool. We can't afford to waste time on either class."

## Attaining Friends.

The world will value you for what you give. If you invite friends by your manner, and are kind and cordial, you will have them. If you wait for the world to invite you, you will be disappointed.

## DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION.

Quickly Cures Rheumatic Pains, Also Splendid System Builder.

Go to any good prescription druggist and get the following and mix them: If he does not have these ingredients he will get them from his wholesale house.

One ounce compound syrup of Sarsaparilla, and one ounce Toris compound. Add these to a half pint of first-class whiskey, and use a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed time. The bottle must be well shaken each time. This simple remedy is one of the most effective known. The restorative action will be felt after the first few doses.

## NEW THE WAYS OF WOMEN

Mean Trick of Ballantine That Probably Made Much Trouble for His Friend Blank.

Capt. J. F. Chase of Veteran City, Fla., was in Washington last month to register his forty-seventh airship patent. Capt. Chase is best known as the inventor of the hoop-skirt.

Discussing the hoop-skirt's remarkable success, Capt. Chase said to a reporter:

"The success was due to the skirt's strangeness. Women like strange things. By catering to women, by studying their taste a man can twist them around his finger."

The veteran officer smiled. "Ballantine," he said, "came in late to a song recital in Palm Beach, and there wasn't a vacant seat in the house."

"Ballantine noticed Mrs. Jerome Blank. Mrs. Jerome Blank, he knew, had a very handsome husband that she kept strict watch over—she didn't like him to associate with any of the fair sex.

"Ballantine, edging near to Mrs. Blank, who had an excellent seat, said in a loud voice to a friend:

"Whop was that uncommonly pretty girl I saw Jerome Blank talking to on the pier?"

"In about four seconds Mrs. Blank was gone, and Ballantine was seated comfortably in her chair.

## A CLOSE BOND.



Farmer's Wife—They were born the same day. Neighbor—Twins, in fact.

## How's This?

We Offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Catarrh Cure.

E. L. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDING, KISSIN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. HALL'S CATARRH CURE is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Treatment is simple. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Brought Their Relations.

Small Nettle, seeing some large insects on the back porch, asked what they were, and was told that they were ants. The next morning she discovered a number of small ants among the large ones, and exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, the ants have brought their little nieces with them to-day!"

The surest proof of being endowed with noble qualities is to be free from envy.—La Rochefoucault.

## Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the

Signature of *Wm. C. Little*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

## The Last Resort.

"They're going to increase the tax on beer!" "Then we won't drink any." "And they're going to increase the tax on spirits!" "Then we won't drink any." "And they're going to tax wine." "Then we won't drink any." "And they're going to tax inheritances!" "Then let's drink up our money!"

Dyol is Far Superior to any dye I have ever used. It colors silk, cotton and wool as nicely as other dyes color either alone. That's what Mrs. Simmons writes us, and she knows. If you have any dyeing to do, use Dyol dyes. 10c a package and color card sent free by writing to Dyol, Burlington, Vt.

A man will coax his wife till she gives in, and is pleased with himself when he succeeds, but when the children coax her, and she yields, he is disgusted with her.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

Strong Winds and Sand Storms cause granulation of the eyelids. PETTIT'S EYE SALVE soothes and quickly relieves. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Happiness is increased, not by the enlargement of the possessions, but of the heart.—Ruskin.

PERRY DAVIS' PAINKILLER has no substitute. No other remedy is so effective for rheumatism, lumbago, stiffness, neuralgia or cold of any sort. Put up in 50c, 85c and \$1.00 bottles.

Many a man suspects his neighbor as he suspects himself.

Wm. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children's teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 8c a bottle.

Procrastination is the thief of many a good time.

**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."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

**REPENTANCE CAME TOO LATE**

**Small Boy Had Taken Draught Action to Avoid Being Invited to Party.**

A small boy had something to say to his father at the dinner table the other night, says the Philadelphia Record. "Papa," he said, "Johnnie Burton is going to have a party next week, and he said he'd invite me." An I got to take a present." "A present? What's that for?" "It's for Johnny's birthday. All the kids take presents." Things hadn't gone just right during the day with the boy's father. He was not in an agreeable humor. "That's all nonsense," he declared. "Every day or two it's a present here or a present there. If you can't go to a party without taking a present you might as well stay at home." The boy's lip trembled, but he made no reply. The next day the father regretted his hasty words and that night turned to the boy. "George," he said, "there are a couple of new books in my overcoat pocket. You can take them to your friend Johnny's party." "It's too late," said George, glomally. "I licked him today so that he wouldn't invite me."

**ECZEMA COVERED HIM.**

Itching Torture Was Beyond Words—Slept Only from Sheer Exhaustion—Relieved in 24 Hours and Cured by Cuticura in a Month.

"I am seventy-seven years old, and some years ago I was taken with eczema from head to foot. I was sick for six months and what I suffered tongue could not tell. I could not sleep day or night because of that dreadful itching; when I did sleep it was from sheer exhaustion. I was one mass of irritation; it was even in my scalp. The doctor's medicine seemed to make me worse and I was almost out of my mind. I got a set of the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent. I used them persistently for twenty-four hours. That night I slept like an infant, the first solid night's sleep I had had for six months. In a month I was cured. W. Harrison Smith, Mt. Kisco, N. Y., Feb. 3, 1908." *Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.*

**The Price of Courtesy.** "Politeness costs nothing," said the man who quotes proverbs.

"You are wrong again," answered Mr. Sirius Barker. "You have evidently not figured how much it costs to persuade a New York waiter to look pleasant and say 'thank you.'"  
*Washington Star.*

**Many Children Are Sickly.** Mother Gray's Sweet Remedy for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Summer Complaint, Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Feeding Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all Drugists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

The man and the mollycoddle are like unto the live tree and the telegraph pole, respectively. The first sends out its messages and the second only carries those of others.

Take a hint, do your own mixing. Rough on Rats, being all poison, one 15c box will spread or make 50 to 100 little cakes that will kill 500 or more rats and mice. It's the unbeatable exterminator. Don't die in the house. Beware of imitations, substitutes and catch-penny ready-for-use devices.

**Easy.** She (at the art exhibition)—How can you tell the masterpieces?  
He—By the price tags on them.

**DON'T NEGLECT THAT COUGH** It certainly tracks your system and may run into something serious. Allen's Lung Balm will check it quickly and permanently. For sale at all drugists.

The spirits fail to materialize at a temperance seance.

**School children should eat Quaker Oats at least twice a day**

Assorted china in the Family Size Package

**He Is Risen**

By CHARLES EDWARD HEWITT

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An impending stillness brooded—it was Good Friday morning, and Mary Deyo the elder viciously manipulated ingredients for a batch of hot-cross-buns from the sheer habit of a custom handed down from her New England forefathers. Mary, her niece, was tremulously awaiting the words that would next come from her guardian's tight-drawn lips. There was a marked resemblance between the two women, the one's angular thinness and hard-showing features symbolizing a main stem that has run to seed, whose well-pruned off-shoot takes upon itself the comeliness of youthful fragility.

"I low ye shan't marry a preacher; there's nough said on't," came the rasping sentence at last. The flush of excitement that had previously suffused the young girl's delicate cheeks now gave place to a pallor which drew unto itself even the ironical glance of the maker of buns. "Aunt Mary," she said slowly. "You would have married a preacher long ago, and now you are punishing John and me for that other's sin." "Land-to-goodness!" ejaculated the spinster as her niece stalked from the kitchen. "It's a blessed thing I got my foot down now else I'd be'n clean run from the house. That John Wilson's a high steppin' critter," she continued to herself. "See what he's jisted into that gal already. Marry a preacher, indeed! hypocrites the hull passel of 'em. And there's Deckin' Sims; and every psalm-singin' sister in the Meetin' house. What do



But His Dancing Eyes Sobered at the Motion of Her Head.

they keer of I go to perdition, or jest turn into a hopper-toad as some idjerts claims—dead people becomes?" The irritated woman here slammed down a freshly baked pan of delicacies to emphasize her thoughts. Her mind was afloat on a theme with which it had wrestled for many a dreary year; and being over bold from long familiarity it drew to depths that have held to destruction many an unsuspecting bark.

"Bah! with such religion," it whispered. "It pears ter me, Mary Deyo, of God had ever been flesh and blood, and was truly gone back to Heaven, he wouldn't have let you git jilted and people act that a-way in His house."

Something happened at this point; the mighty heredity bestowed by a line of God-fearing forebears clutched for the spirit that was aloft on the balances; and in the act of forming a sugar cross, the wrinkled hand started a-trembling as from an ague. "May the Almighty forgive me," moaned the woman, and swept the buns unsugared into the closet.

Mary, the younger, passed a miserable existence through the following hours. The young minister who had but recently come to the village was expected that evening to sue for her hand, and unless the proverbial worm should turn and take matters to itself, his outlook was anything but bright. The elder Mary's demeanor was more morose than combative during the day; her turgid tongue giving utterance to no admonitions or rebukes, which circumstance would have called from the girl great wonderment at any other time. Spring had already breathed over the village lowlands, and the air was primed with that fragrant aroma which tells so surely to man that he was not meant to live alone. But the chirping peepers in the distant swamp seemed a melancholy chorus to Mary Deyo as she awaited in the fast-deepening twilight her lover's coming. On the morrow he was to lead the Easter services at the old Meeting house; and how joyously she had anticipated this as the fit occasion to publish her happiness. "If we can not marry I will stop going to meeting," she unconsciously resolved, the delicate lines taking to themselves something of the other Mary's hardness; but they quickly softened as rapid steps could be heard approaching.

"Hello, Girl! Is it good news you have to tell this wonderful eve of Easter?" cheerily greeted John Wilson. But his dancing eyes sobered at the motion of her head. "Come, stop a bit and talk it over," he said gently; and as the depth of the spinster's pence was made clear to him the muffled hummed a few notes of a favorite

hymn, as was his wont in perplexing moments. "See here, little girl!" he spoke after a bit. "The trouble lies in that your aunt has lost faith both in God and man; those sanctimonious hypocrites at the Meeting house are greatly to blame for it too. Now this is Easter Tide, when all people should rejoice together, so I shall write on this slip of paper the most cherished knowledge of my soul; and will you give her it this night and say: 'John Wilson wants that you should partake of his joy even though he may not share yours.'"

"But John! that will not bring our marriage any nearer," whispered the girl, turning aside lest he should catch the quaver in her voice. A strong arm drew her close. "You ask her again about me, Girlie, in the morning; there is a miracle in my joy." And pressing the folded slip to her bosom Mary Deyo prayed for the showing of the miracle.

"Is Jesus Christ in Heaven truly?" over and over again did a seducing voice inquire, and mock and disclaim, to a meagre stern faced little woman who strove vainly to elude it. "Wrote ter me did he?" she snapped, as the note was timidly given her. "For two pins I'd pitch it into the hearth!" But late that night the crumpled slip was still held in trembling grasp.

Twenty years the old family Bible had lain unused in the spare closet. "We'll see if it backs up this note o' that triflin' preacher," muttered Mary the elder at near on to midnight. Her eyes showed cold and glinting as she opened the Great Book; but soon the hardness melted before that which has ransomed the guilt of eternity. "Could a man pray for them that nails Him to a tree?" she marveled. "And the story sure reads likely: Ef He did, hadn't I oughter pray for Deckin' Sims and the rest of 'em?—and maybe fer him that deserted me? Oh You Preacher! You that prayed fer them that nailed Ye! Ask the Almighty Father to forgive a sinful woman."

The hours passed by unnoted by the elder Mary, and as gilded waves swelled upwards from the east, she glanced from her chamber window, and saw a girlish figure steal from the house and start ascending a hill which overlooked the village. "Land to goodness! it's Mary again! to git a look at where he's a-stoppin'," she ejaculated, and then the Wondrous Story that her eyes had but read in the Book unfolded to her soul in the mightiness of its Truth. "It must have be'n sech a mornin' when that Other Mary went to see His Grave," she whispered. "And then She found THIS:—and the crumpled slip of paper was smoothed in the lamp's fast fading light. "I see it! My poor old eyes see it," cried the woman, now on her knees. "And I must set the gal a seer'n of it too!"

Down stairs shuffled the little woman, near falling in her feverish haste. "There! that plagued door ain't shtet," she gasped. "Never mind, with the Lord's help this old hand o'mine'll stay to the plow and I won't turn back."

It was a steep ascent and the panting pursuer called wildly to the other. "Wait fer me, gal, I want to tell yer about the note." But the object of her beseeching thought enmity was in the motive and quickened the pace to a run. A mighty wonder had meanwhile gathered in the east, whose translucent halo glowed and deepened with the sublime travelling of the morn, and lo! There was born to the quickening earth a ball of molten gold; by whose splendor night's sorrow sweat was changed to iridescent glory. For some reason—the glowing radiance dazzled the fleeing girl, and her foot caught upon a stone.

"Let me help yer Mary, child," panted the other woman, in a voice surprising even herself in its gentleness. "I only wanted to show yer what that there preacher of your'n wrote ter me. I've be'n a miserable critter all these years, but now I thank the Almighty that He has One Good Son, and that maybe ye have found one that takes after Him some."

The younger Mary read the crumpled note, and then glanced at the shining east. "The words are true," she murmured. "God also has said in yonder sky, 'HE IS RISEN.'"

**Stolen Picture Found.** There is much joy over the return of Vandycck's celebrated canvas, "Lifting of the Cross," to the church of Notre Dame, in the ancient city of Courtrai, Belgium. Two years ago the picture was stolen and only recovered recently. It was so roughly handled by the thieves that it was necessary to send it to Antwerp for restoration. This week it was carried back to Courtrai in triumph. A long procession of prominent citizens and local societies followed it reverently through the streets, and it was installed in its former place to the accompaniment of choral masses.

**Something New.** "Seems to me your play runs to much to epigram. I'm leading up to a new form o' thrill. Instead of dodging destructors by locomotive, buzzaw or pliedrive, my hero narrowly escapes being talke'd to death."

**ANOTHER IMPORTANT VICTORY FOR THE CARTER MEDICINE COMPANY IN THE UNITED STATES COURT.**

The United States Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York—sitting in New York City—has just awarded to the Carter Medicine Company a decree which again sustains the company's exclusive right to use the red package for liver pills.

By the terms of this decree, it is, among other things:

Adjudged that the Carter Medicine Company is the owner of the sole and exclusive right to the use of red colored wrappers and labels upon said small, round packages of liver pills of the style described in the bill of complaint, said right having been acquired by the prior adoption of said style and color of package for liver pills by the complainant predecessors more than thirty years ago, and established by the continuous and exclusive use of the same in constantly increasing quantities by said predecessors and by the complainant, the Carter Medicine Company, itself, from the time of their said adoption until the present day.

The decision just announced is perhaps the most important and far-reaching of all, by reason of the character of the tribunal which rendered it. No Court in the country stands higher.

—National Druggist, St. Louis, Mo.

**As to the Hessian Fly.** The Hessian fly is a German product which was conceived in iniquity and born in sauerkraut. It is a long, rangy fly with a bite like a steel trap, and it lays a pale blue, oblong egg at the rate of 30,000 an hour. The Hessian fly will eat anything from decayed eustard pie to a glass inkwell, but its favorite dish is the double neck of a fat gent. This bird can perform a two-step on sticky fly paper without crooking its toes, and is proof against rough on rats, the daisy fly killer, and a strychnine hypodermic. No Hessian fly was ever known to die of anything but old age, which accounts for the color of its whiskers. If it ever fastens upon your jaw, it will stay until removed by the undertaker. Manchester (La.) Press.

**Lost in Antiquity** A little fellow who had just felt the hard side of the slipper turned to his mother for consolation.

"Mother," he asked, "did grandpa thrash father when he was a little boy?"

"Yes," answered his mother, impressively.

"And did his father thrash him when he was little?"

"Yes."

"And did his father thrash him?"

"Yes."

A pause.

"Well, who started this thing, anyway?"—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

A paper out in northwestern Kansas tells of a pious old farmer who has the habit of gazing at the rafters in his dining-room when saying grace. One day while so engaged he forgot himself, and his grace sounded something like this: "We thank thee for this food and—by Joe! there's that darned gimlet I've been looking for for the last six months. I'll have Jim go up there and get it. Thou hast been gracious to us, O Lord; and again we thank thee. Amen!"—Kansas City Star.

**Ruled by Kindness.** Lucy Burd's success with boys at the reform school in Bucks county, Pennsylvania, she thinks, is due simply to kindness. She has reformed more than 100 boys in her term of five years as superintendent. Some of her boys are in the navy some on farms; a few have gone back to their old ways after coming under her influence.

**Refuted.** "Just think of it! One person in every 37 in England is a pauper!"

"Why, John," she returned, "it ain't so. I met more than 37 people in London last summer, and there wasn't a pauper in the lot!"

**SOME HARD KNOCKS** Woman Gets Rid of "Coffee Heart."

The injurious action of Coffee on the heart of many persons is well known by physicians to be caused by caffeine. This is the drug found by chemists in coffee and tea.

A woman suffered a long time with severe heart trouble and finally her doctor told her she must give up coffee, as that was the principal cause of the trouble. She writes:

"My heart was so weak it could not do its work properly. My husband would sometimes have to carry me from the table, and it would seem that I would never breathe again."

"The doctor told me that coffee was causing the weakness of my heart. He said I must stop it, but it seemed I could not give it up until I was down in bed with nervous prostration."

"For eleven weeks I lay there and suffered. Finally Husband brought home some Postum and I quit coffee and started new and right. Slowly I got well. Now I do not have any headaches, nor those spells with weak heart. We know it is Postum that helped me. The Dr. said the other day, 'I never thought you would be what you are. I used to weigh 92 pounds and now I weigh 158.'"

"Postum has done much for me and I would not go back to coffee again for any money, for I believe it would kill me if I kept at it. Postum must be well boiled according to directions on pks., then it has a rich flavour and with cream is fine."

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The rural free delivery reaches its flower of perfection in Vermont, according to the Saturday Evening Post. "Mr. Carrier," said a lady who was summing among the mountains. "I have a letter, received several days ago, saying a package has been forwarded to me by mail. I have not received it yet. Have you seen anything of it?"

"A package?" asked the rural free deliverer.

"Yes, sir."

"What kind of a package?"

"Why, a small package—a box, in fact—covered with paper, containing some of my property."

"A small box; pasteboard, probably?"

"Let me see," pondered the rural free deliverer. "A package? Oh, yes, I guess that was your package I delivered to Mrs. Brown down in the foot hills a few days ago. She hadn't had any mail for a long time, and I kind of felt sorry for her."

**In the Same Boat.** A magazine contributor, being hard pressed by his creditors, recently wrote to his editor: "Please send check at once, as my gas bill is due."

The candid editor replied in this brief fashion: "So is mine. God help us all."

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## Senatorial Matters.

The Grand Rapids Press Hands Out Some New Dupe.

Probably Senator Prad Ming of the 29th district, composed of Charlevoix, Osego, Montcalm, Alpena, Presque Isle, Cheboygan and Emmet counties will not run for a third term and there is some possibility that he may get into a three-cornered fight for congress with Frank Buel of Bay City and Congressman Loud forming the other angles of the triangle.

Attorney Leonard F. Knowles of Boyne City and Representative James L. Sanborn of Oscoda, Alpena county, will be candidates for the senatorial seat. Knowles was a member of the constitutional convention and Sanborn has just finished his second term in the house. Knowles made something of a prohibition record in the "con con" and may be the Anti-Saloon League candidate. The district is one of the largest in the state, being larger by the waters of both Lake Michigan and Lake Huron and covering it in a primary contest is going to be a big job. A trip from Alpena to Boyne City involves traveling on three railroads a distance of 147 miles.

## Where Babies are Works of Art.

In Japan the Training of Children Begins With the Great-Grandmothers.

Babies in Japan—you've heard this, haven't you?—don't cry. A fairy-tale of course. Babies will be babies—even in Japan. Only in Nippon, when a baby does cry, nobody thinks that the world is coming to an end, says Adachi Kimosuke, in the Delinquent for November. This, also, is true—that when you put your American baby side by side with ours, you will see a difference, just about such a difference as that between the city of Mukden, which our soldiers saw while fighting through it, and the one seen by the newspaper men a week later.

With us in Japan, the baby is (supposed to be at least) a work of art, not a manufacture; a work of art, too, which calls for something more than the mere art of man; the graces of the gods as well. What really takes away the breath of the Japanese observer in America is not, as the American thinks in his innocence, the Grand Canyon of Arizona or the automobile rush of life down another grand canyon of brick and stone in lower Broadway. It is the off-hand-theatrical manner in which the Americans try to make their babies good—simply by heeding, for example, a Biblical suggestion made to the Jews of a few thousand years ago (what a beautiful comment on the up-to-date genius of the American people!) about sparing the rod!

If the Japanese were to mother your children, they would start—if they only could—the good work in the days of your great-grandmothers. Nobody—nobody in Japan at least—ever talks of much less attempts, making a first-rate acrobat in one generation. When Mr. Roosevelt takes up jiu-jitsu at the tender age of forty-five all of us feel much flattered, but we do not feel like running away from him in the hour of his anger. And we take the rearing of the child, the art of the making of man, very much more seriously than the making of an athlete.

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## Carpet Weaving.

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I have some bargains in farms, city property and business blocks. I also have some farms to trade for city property. —Joel Johnston. —17-52

It isn't so difficult to strengthen a weak stomach, if one goes at it correctly. And this is true of the heart and kidneys. The old-fashioned way of dosing the stomach or stimulating the heart or kidneys is surely wrong! Dr. Shoop first pointed out this error. "Go to the weak or ailing nerves of these organs," said he. Each inside organ has its controlling or "inside nerve." When these nerves fall their those organs must surely falter. This vital truth is leading druggists everywhere to dispense and recommend Dr. Shoop's Restorative. A few days test will surely tell! Sold by James Gidley.

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## County Normal Notes.

The children of the training room entertained the normal class and other visitors Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 24. A short but interesting program was given after which refreshments were served.

Many of the normal students spent Thanksgiving at their homes out of town.

J. S. Crandall of Detroit, gave an interesting talk to the high school and normal students Monday morning, Nov. 23.

A very interesting letter was received from Annie Metcalf, class of '08. She is in Washington, D. C., and the letter gave a description of the Capitol, and various parts of the city.

The training room children entertained the normal class and other visitors Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 24. A very interesting program was given. It was entirely the work of the pupils, the main features being Thanksgiving Day recitations and stories from their daily work. The pupils of the fifth grade were dressed to represent the Pilgrims and recited in concert "The Landing of the Pilgrims." In conclusion each child stated a fact concerning the Pilgrims and the story of the First Thanksgiving Day was thus told.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining uncalled for in the East Jordan postoffice for the week ending Nov. 27, 1909.

Letters.  
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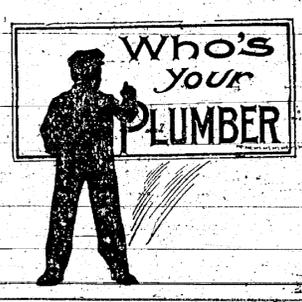
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