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## BOXES FOR APPLES

### Henceforth the Fancy Michigan Apples Go Forward in Boxes.

There is a well-defined movement in Western Michigan to substitute the box for the barrel as the standard package for the apple. This is especially true in regard to the fancy product that is now beginning to make its appearance in quantities of commercial importance. It is already reported that in Grand Traverse and Charlevoix counties the 1910 fancy fruits will go to market in boxes.

In this connection information regarding the packages used by the Pacific coast growers is of interest. Three sizes of boxes are there employed; their dimensions being as follows:

| Inside Dimensions, Inches | Gubic Contents, Inches |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 16x11x20                  | 2.200                  |
| 16x11x18                  | 2.173                  |
| 16x11x18                  | 2.178                  |

As the standard bushel measure contains 2,150 42-100 inches, any of these will contain a plump bushel, but the shorter box shows the fruit to better advantage than the longer one and packs better.

Our Michigan growers would do well to adopt uniformly the 11x11x18 box, which will pack, according to the characteristic size of the different varieties, about as follows:

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| 6 in a row, 4 rows, 4 tiers, 96 apples   |
| 8 in a row, 4 rows, 4 tiers, 128 apples  |
| 7 in a row, 5 rows, 4 tiers, 140 apples  |
| 8 in a row, 5 rows, 4 tiers, 160 apples  |
| 8 in a row, 5 rows, 5 tiers, 200 apples  |
| 10 in a row, 5 rows, 5 tiers, 250 apples |

A long, slim apple will, of course, pack more to the row, but less tiers, than a short, plump one.

#### Packing by Breaking Joints.

Should the apples be of such size that they will not pack nicely in even rows, "breaking joints" is resorted to, like this:

A four-tier box packed in this manner will hold 88 apples.

It will take the packer some time to learn how to pack a box and maintain uniformity of size, while getting it so full that the contents will not shake about in transit, but experience will in time enable him to tell at a glance how many rows and tiers a certain lot of stock will occupy.

For wrapping the apples a grade of paper should be used that is soft, yet tough, so that the corners of each sheet can be twisted tightly about the stem of the apple it contains.

Every apple should have a stem in its absence argues carelessness in picking, and may be the cause of premature decay. All the little things count in marketing fine stock.

### Pomona Grange Meeting.

About one hundred members representing seven subordinate granges met in Pomona session with Wilson Grange Thursday, Feb. 17. After enjoying a most beautiful spread, in which there was no apparent sympathy manifested for the "boycotting" of any article of diet, the meeting was called to order in the fifth degree by the Worthy Master. The roll-call disclosed the fact that with but two exceptions, each officer was present. The usual order of business was then taken up, the work being relieved from time to time, by selections from the program previously prepared under the supervision of the Worthy Lecturer. The state speaker, being unaccountably absent, volunteer remarks were called for, and several members responded in an interesting manner. Worthy Master withdrew as member of Committee to draft constitution and By-Laws and Bro. A. Neville was appointed in his stead. This committee is expected to report at next meeting. The discussion on the topic "Why farm accounts should be kept" led by Bro. H. L. Olney, evoked considerable interest, and several members agreed to keep a strict book-account during the coming season, of at least a portion of their crops and to submit a report of same at its close. The evening session was largely taken up with reports of committees. Of the twelve granges reporting, Deer Lake Grange was declared the banner grange of the county for the quarter ending Jan. 1. Ironton Grange was a close second, having made the largest increase of

membership during the quarter. Auditing Committee reported cash on hand, \$91.57. Two applications for fifth degree were accepted and candidates were obligated. After enjoying a very interesting program of recitations, songs, etc., Grange closed in form to meet with Deer Lake Grange, Thursday, April 21.

R. A. BRINTNALL, Sec'y.



Every farmer in Western Michigan is entitled to a copy of the booklet "Western Michigan" and all who have not secured their copies, may do so by calling at the Herald Office or by sending three cents in stamps to the Western Michigan Development Bureau, Traverse City, Mich.

### Charlevoix Harbor Gets \$20,000

The Charlevoix Sentinel of last week contains the following article which is of importance to every lake-shipper on Pine Lake:

It was reported some time ago that the engineers were to leave Charlevoix harbor out in the cold in their estimates for 1910. The report was either not true, or the engineers became conscience-stricken, as the river and harbor bill has been framed and reported to the House of Representatives.

Lake Michigan harbors are in the bill as follows: Charlevoix, \$20,000; South Haven, \$50,000; Saugatuck, \$10,000; Holland, \$12,000; Grand Haven, \$10,000; Muskegon, \$70,000; Ludington, \$10,000; Manistee, \$11,000; Portage Lake, (harbor of refuge), \$13,000; Frankfort, \$20,000; Petoskey, \$20,000.

In comparison with other ports in the list receiving like amounts, from the view point of relative tonnage in and out, the \$20,000 allotment for Charlevoix is ridiculously low. The disparity is the outgrowth of the red-tape policy of the engineers in basing estimates upon official custom house records, which do not cover more than one-eighth of the tonnage that enters and departs cargo-laden.

So far as Charlevoix is concerned, Round Lake, is its harbor, and for its large tonnage in passenger steamers there is ample water in the channel. But, officially, Charlevoix harbor embraces Pine Lake, into which another and a more uncertain channel leads. On the shores of Pine Lake there are two iron furnaces with auxiliary chemical plants, as well as large lumber and other manufacturing interests. If all these interests would combine to place their shipments, in and out, before the engineers, in properly certified form, custom house records are unnecessary. The reason for this situation is that vessels loading or discharging cargo more than six miles from a custom house, on government waters, are not compelled to report or clear.

Our up-lake friends have always seemed to be too busy to give this matter the attention that it deserves. There is greater tonnage passes through Charlevoix lower bridge in one week than dock at both Frankfort and Petoskey in a month; and yet each of the latter harbors gets as much as Charlevoix.

#### ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining uncalled for in the East Jordan postoffice for the week ending Feb. 15, 1910.

Letters.  
Miss Alva Williams.  
Mrs. G. W. Pearson, Mrs. Rosa Martin, Mr. Geo. Hamblin, Miss Edna Flint.  
Cards.  
Mr. Geo. Hamblin, Mr. Frank Monroe, Mrs. Margaret McDaniel, W. P. Jones, Miss Mercy Jarmer, Miss Helen Glazier.

FRANK A. KENYON, P.M.

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Look at our adv. in this issue.—Fitch & McCalmon, Real Estate Agents.

After you see those Go-Cart Runners at Whittington's you will have none others.



You may easily say "cut and come again" when alluding to our Meats, for they are the most delicious in taste that you have ever purchased anywhere. There is a sweet, appetizing, tempting flavor about them which makes them a favorite immediately in every family. Beef, Veal, Mutton, Lamb, Pork, Chops, Cutlets, Steaks, Poultry of all kinds, and our carefully cured Hams and Bacon make this the model butcher shop for particular people.

Shermans Market

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Shirts well made of good material and made big—lots of chest and skirt room; well cut sleeves, etc.; these may be had in very striking pattern effects, black and white with colored combination stripes, etc., all made with cuff attached in regular or coat style. These include the "Clarendon," the great \$1.50 shirt for \$1.00.



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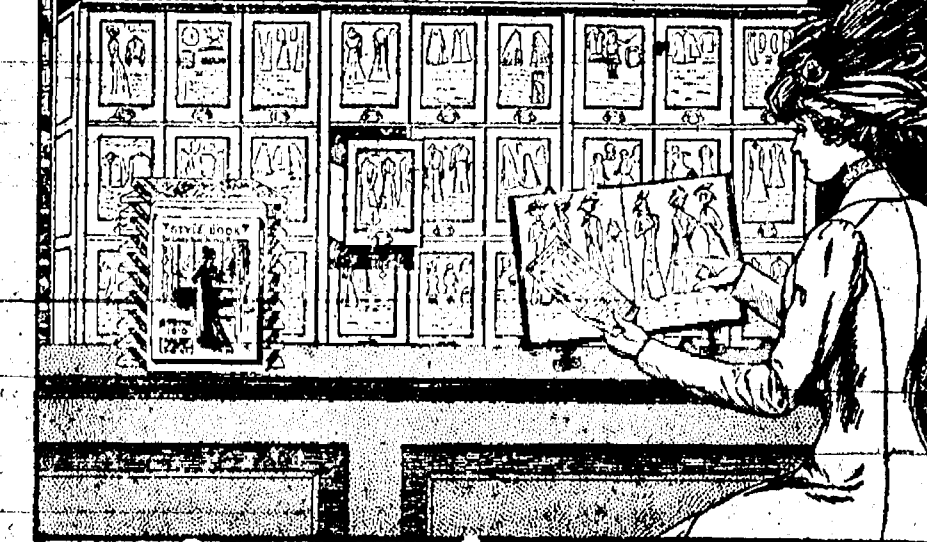
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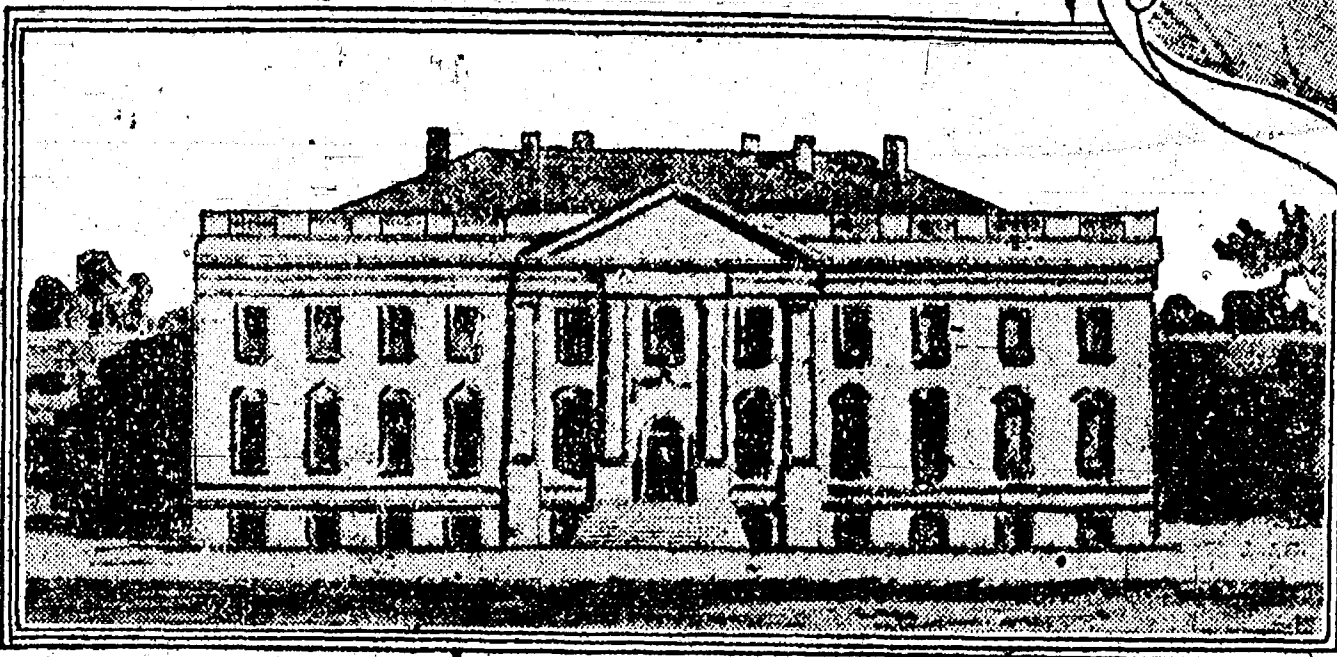
# THE FIRST LADY OF THE WHITE HOUSE

MRS. JOHN ADAMS, WIFE OF THE SECOND PRESIDENT, MOTHER OF THE SIXTH. BY HELEN BARRETT SMITH

**T**HE White House in all its beauty and completeness ready to receive its new mistress; the pomp and pageant attending her reception; the military splendor of Pennsylvania avenue, the din of music, the shouts of the multitude—all this is far and away from the home coming of that remarkable first mistress who was lost in the forest while trying to find the new capital.

In June, 1800, the seat of government moved from Philadelphia to Washington, but it was November before Mrs. Adams left her home in Quincy for the White House. Did ever a president's wife have such a journey! It was up hill, down dale and through the woods by post chaise, stage coach and private equipage; long waits for relays, delayed on the highways by breakdowns; lost in the woods outside Baltimore until a straggling black was found to extricate the lady and her party with difficulty; on and on through forests; nothing to be seen but trees and occasionally a cot "with-out a glass window," and, as Mrs. Adams writes, "You can travel for miles without meeting a

ing Mrs. Adams for the first lady of the White House. No woman of her day had such a varied experience in establishing official residences. It was Mrs. Adams' love of family that gave her the courage to cross the ocean and join her husband and boys—John Adams was in France with Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Franklin negotiating peace with England. Mrs. Adams took a little house at Auteuil, a suburb of Paris, renowned for the homes of its famous men. The gay court of Versailles, brilliantly artificial, the perfection of its polished surface—hardly concealing the rottenness of its foundation, was a revelation to the American visitor. Very charitably Mrs. Adams wrote, "Manners differ exceedingly in different countries." Yet the little



THE ORIGINAL WHITE HOUSE

house at Auteuil became a social center. Diplomats, princes and artists gathered at her board. At one of these dinners an American lady, horrified by the Marquis de la Fayette's unpretentious appearance, whispered to Mrs. Adams, "Good heavens, how awfully she is dressed," to which Mrs. Adams replied, "The lady's rank sets her above the formalities of dress." Mrs. Adams' breezy comment on her countrywomen is refreshingly up to date; she writes, "I have seen none who carry extravagances of dress to such a height as the Americans here." But Mrs. Adams' home retained its democratic simplicity and she left to the French aristocracy the remembrance of a household that was typically American.

Grosvenor square, London, was

It was at this beautiful home that Mrs. Adams gave her informal garden parties and delightful teas. With characteristic deference she left the brilliant levees, state dinners and dignified minuets to Mrs. Washington at the presidential residence, No. 4 Franklin square—as hostesses never were two women better qualified.

Bush Hill became Mrs. Adams' home when the capital moved to Philadelphia. Unfortunately, the climate did not agree with the vice-president's wife; she suffered from malaria and had to take many trips to Quincy to regain her health. Although Mrs. Adams found her home on the Schuylkill peaceful and serene, she writes regretfully, "When all is done, it will not be Broadway." So the allotment of "dear old Broadway" had not its beginnings yesterday; the famous thoroughfare had attractions distinctly its own 120 years ago.

Mrs. Adams had hardly arrived at the White House when a servant appeared from

oaks and broken ground with shrubs surround me, giving a natural beauty to the spot which is truly enchanting. A lovely variety of birds serenade me morning and evening, rejoicing at their liberty and security."

THE GILBERT STUART PORTRAIT OF MRS. ADAMS

of the game of politics as played in all parts of the world. She was shocked by Marie Antoinette's fate. She grieved for her as one woman grieves for another; but this climax of the great French tragedy was not reached in a single setting. Of the many scenes that led up to that awful execution Mrs. Adams wrote with deep knowledge: "Were you to witness the spectacles of wretchedness and misery which these older countries exhibit, crowded with habitues, loaded with taxes, you would shudder at the sight." In London she saw the great army of the unemployed, encountered the beggars at her doorstep, the homeless in Hyde park, and in comparing this state of affairs with conditions at home, she says, "The liberal reward which labor meets with in America is another source of our national prosperity; population and increasing wealth result from it. The condition of our laboring poor is preferable to any other country. Comparatively speaking, we have no poor, America is in her early vigor in a cheerful flourishing state."

Mrs. Adams had implicit faith in the future greatness of her native land; she writes to John Adams when he is chosen chief executive: "My thoughts and meditations are with you, although personally absent; and my petitions to heaven are 'that the things that are made for peace may not be hidden from your eyes.' My feelings are not those of pride and ostentation on this occasion. They are solemnized by a sense of obligation, the important trusts and numerous duties connected with it. That you may be able to discharge them with honor to yourself, with justice and impartiality to your country, and with the satisfaction of this great people, shall be the daily prayer of

Standing at the cradle of the young republic, Abigail Adams "dipped into the future, far as human eye could see, saw the vision of the world, and all the wonder that could be—" and today the present generation witnesses the truth of her words: "America has much to do ere she arrives at her Zenith; she possesses every requisite to render her the happiest country on the globe."—To-day may the spirit of the First lady linger within the White House walls; for, if the radiance of her personality be felt, it makes for happiness.

## THE ESKIMO'S PIPE

The pipes used by the Eskimos are quite different from those of any other North American race and in the shape of the bowl more resemble the opium pipes used by the Chinese than anything else. The old pipes were very small in the amount of tobacco that they would hold. There was, therefore, a wide, flaring margin to the pipe to catch any grains of tobacco that might be spilled in filling it; then there was a hollow which would hold a pinch of tobacco half as large as an ordinary pea and a rather wide hole passing down through the base of the bowl which fitted into the pipe-stem. The bowl of the pipe was of ivory, stone, brass or copper. The pipe-stem was curved and had a mouth-piece. It is said that the small hole running down through the base of the bowl and into the pipe-stem was usually plugged with caribou hair to save any grains of tobacco that might otherwise have passed down through this aperture and so be lost. The smoking of such a pipe would not last long and we may presume that a very few draws would exhaust it. The smoke was of course taken into the lungs. The Eskimos are known to be extremely skillful in the representation of scenes and objects, while the Indians of Queen Charlotte's sound and generally all the natives of the northwest coast of America are famous for their carving in wood and in a black slate. Handsomely carved Eskimo pipes of walrus ivory from northwestern Alaska have on each side of the pipe, that is to say, on four sides or less long, flat surfaces, scenes from the daily life of the Eskimo.



MRS. ADAMS, FROM THE PICTURE BY C. SCHESSSELE

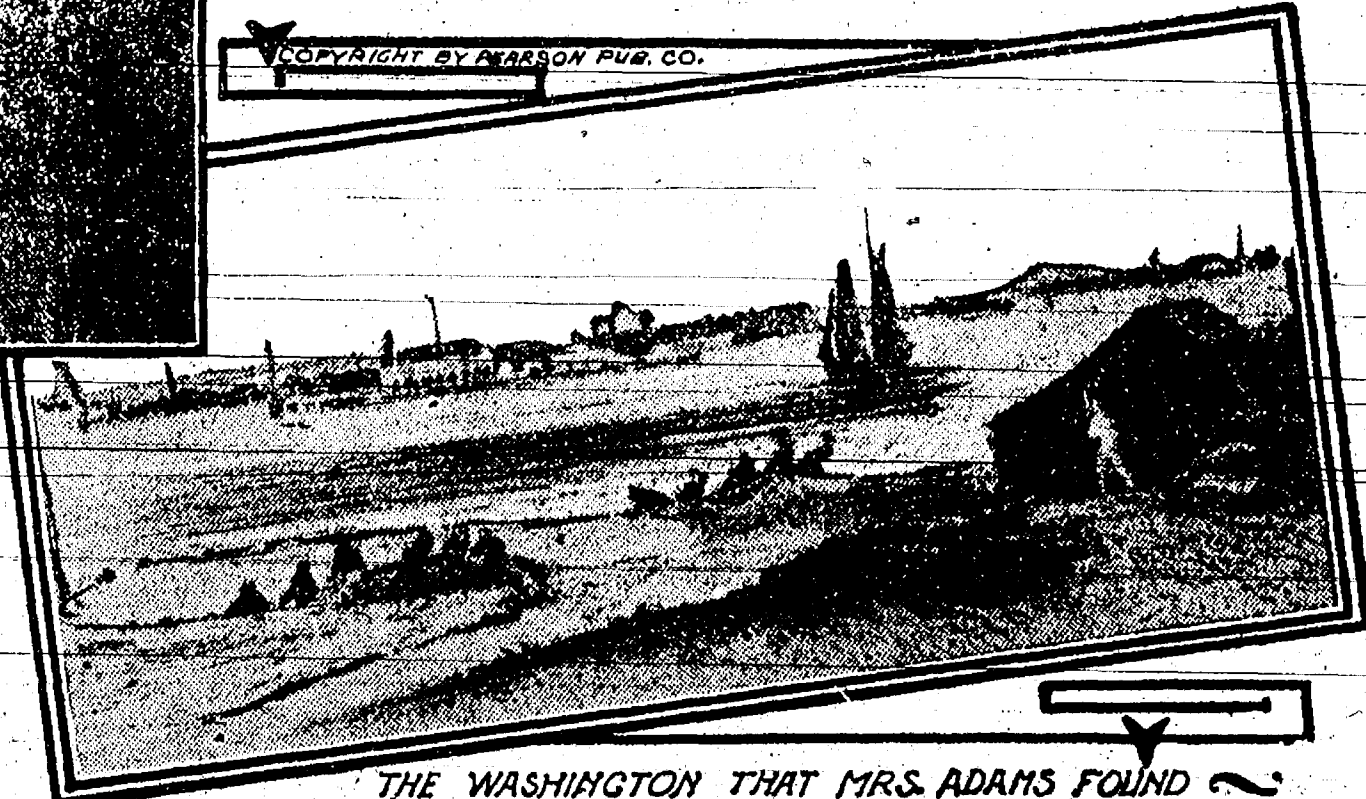
human being." Finally Washington—a city in name only—Pennsylvania avenue, a "muddy, wagon-rucked road," New Jersey avenue just cut through; scattered buildings in various stages of completion, and, at last—the White House.

No lawn, no fence, no yard, no approach, the principal staircase not up, nor a single apartment finished, no bells, no lights, no grates, no means of heating the building. Mrs. Adams sits shivering and writes, "Surrounded by forests, can you believe that wood is not to be had because people cannot be found to cut and cart it!" It appears that our labor problem has always been with us. The faithful Brister is the most distracted man in Washington; he has used all available wood to dry out the newly plastered walls of the White House. No more fuel at any price. Small wonder that Mrs. Adams exclaims, "We have indeed come into a new country!"

But this first mistress is by no means overwhelmed by the chaotic condition of the Executive Mansion. She declares buoyantly, "I am a mortal enemy to anything but a cheerful countenance and a merry heart, which, Solomon tells us, does good like a medicine." A New Englander by birth, the daughter of a clergyman, Abigail Adams had none of the austerity or puritanic prejudices of her day. What does it matter if there are only six rooms tenanted in the White House—Mrs. Adams is resourceful and self-reliant. When a woman has been through the revolution, her home surrounded by spies, her husband's letters intercepted, her supplies cut off; when she has been left on a farm with five children and tills the soil to support the family; when she has faced the terrors of Bunker Hill and the siege of Boston; when famine and pestilence have spared none, and she has been robbed of her mother and her baby; when this agony and misery has been endured and the woman, through her sublime faith in God, retains sweetness of character—then the unfinished city of Washington is a trifle not likely to disturb her peace of mind. Mrs. Adams' chief concern is a desire to make it pleasant for those about her. Thus she cautions her daughter Abby, "You must keep all this to yourself and when asked how I like it say that I write you the situation is beautiful—which is the truth." The fates made a happy selection in choos-

Mrs. Adams' next residence. She became presiding lady of the first American legation in Great Britain—alas and alack, what empty honor! The English were smarting under the humiliation of losing the colonies. The king and queen were civil to the point of boorishness, the people arrogant and insulting, the press scurrilous and abusive, the nobility in absolute ignorance of the new nation across the ocean. Mrs. Adams declared that Mr. Pitt and Lord Carmarthen were the only two men in England who seemed to have liberal ideas concerning America. When, after a three years' stay in Grosvenor-square, Mr. Adams was recalled to become vice-president of the United States, Mrs. Adams, in commenting on their coming departure, says, "Some years hence it may be pleasant to reside here in the character of American minister; but with the present servility and the present temper of the English no one need envy the embassy."

To New York City Mrs. Adams next moved her household goods. The vice-president's residence was Richmond Hill mansion, once the headquarters of Gen. Washington. Mrs. Adams was delighted with the situation of her new home. The city has stretched for miles to the north of this spot, now Varick and Charlton streets, but Mrs. Adams wrote that Richmond Hill was a mile and a half from New York. Wand'ring through the neighborhood of Varick street, with its Trinity tenements, and over to the shipping activity of West street and the Hudson river, one finds it hard to realize that here were once "fields, beautifully variegated with grain and grass to a great extent like the valley of Honton in Devonshire." These fields were to the right of the mansion and continuing her description Mrs. Adams writes: "Upon my left the city opens to view, intercepted here and there by a rising ground and an ancient oak. In the back is a large flower garden, enclosed with a hedge and some handsome trees. Venerable



THE WASHINGTON THAT MRS. ADAMS FOUND

Mount Vernon. He presented Mrs. Washington's compliments, a haunch of venison, a billet from Major Custis, the son of Mrs. Washington, a congratulatory letter from Mrs. Lewis, in which Mrs. Washington sent her love and a warm invitation to Mount Vernon. Nor did Mrs. Adams put off the visit—she went the next week.

Oh, for the era of motor cars and good roads! Poor Mrs. Adams is appalled by the time required to pay calls in the wilderness city. Her nearest neighbor is Mrs. Otis, the senator's mother, who lives half a mile from the White House and many of the ladies are in Georgetown, three and four miles apart. Freight transportation, too, has its vexations. Mrs. Adams laments, "The vessel which has my clothes and other matter has not arrived. The ladies are impatient for a drawing-room." To add to her distress she had no mirrors, nor a twentieth part lamps enough to light the house. In moving, many of her things have been broken or stolen, her precious china set, so dear to the feminine heart, is more than half missing—How did the lady ever preserve a cheerful countenance and a merry heart?

Yet, in spite of all inconveniences, President and Mrs. Adams gave their New Year's reception at the White House in 1801, thereby establishing a custom that has since been followed on the first of every January. Mrs. Adams used for a drawing-room what is now the library. In entertaining she endeavored to keep up the standard set by the Washingtons. The first lady of the White House dispensed her hospitality with a lavish hand and was particularly proud of the showing made by the ladies at her levees. She declared, while in England, that the beauties of the court of St. James, the duchess of Devonshire, the countess of Salisbury and Lady Talbot, had formidable rivals in Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Phelps and Miss Hamilton. Mrs. Adams was especially happy to welcome Mrs. Bingham to

the White House—this lady, "the most beautiful woman of her day," passed most of her time abroad. In discussing the expatriated Americans Mrs. Adams expressed sorrow that they should "allow trifling of amusement to wean them away from their native land." During her stay at the White House Mrs. Adams watched with interest the workings of the first congress that assembled in Washington. She was always a keen observer of the political situation. John Adams kept no secrets from his wife. In sending some important documents for her inspection, he writes, "I daresay there is not a lady in America treated to a more curious dish of politics than the papers I enclose . . . by no means let them go out of your hands or be copied." Thus trained by one of the greatest statesmen of his day, Mrs. Adams had a complete understanding

## SUFFERED TERRIBLY.

How Relief from Distressing Kidney Trouble Was Found.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf, 388 W. Morgan St., Tipton, Mo., says: "Inflammation of the bladder reached its climax last spring and I suffered terribly. My back ached and I could hardly get around and the secretions were scanty, frequent of passage and painful. I was tired all the time and very nervous. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and after taking a few boxes was cured and have been well ever since." Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



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"Here, young man!" she exclaimed, indicating a pupil whose name she did not yet know. "I saw you laughing just now. That won't do. No laughing in this school."

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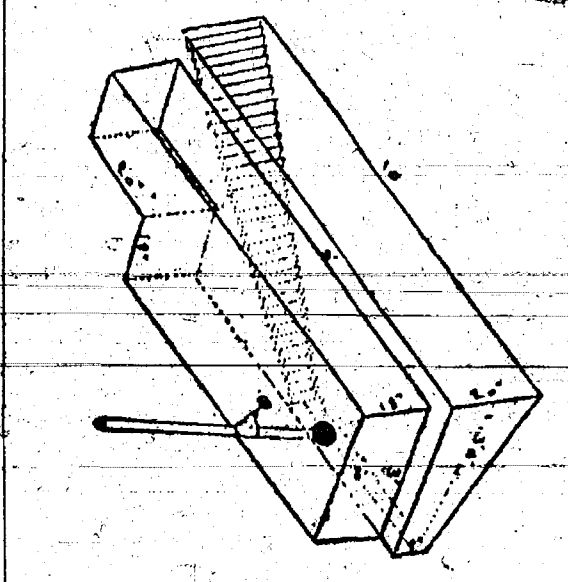
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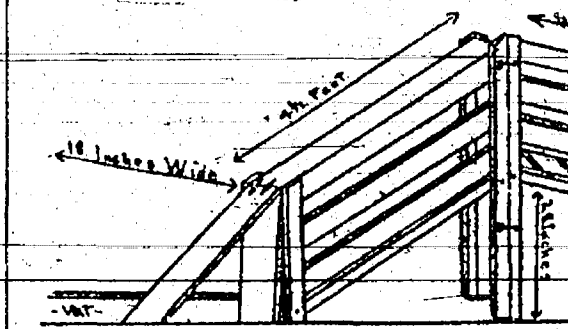
(By EDWIN S. GOOD.)  
Scabby sheep should be dipped at the first opportunity, for if kept until shearing time most of the wool may be lost and the vitality of the animal greatly reduced. All sheep badly affected with the disease should, before being dipped, have the thick scabs softened by pouring some of the dip on them and rubbing them with a smooth stick, care being taken, however, not to draw blood, for upon coagulation it is likely to protect the mite from the dip. They should then



Dipping Vat.

be allowed to stand for at least half an hour before being put into the bath. Each sheep should be immersed in the dip for two minutes by the watch, the head being ducked at least once just before the animal emerges from the vat. Within 10 or 14 days the dipping should be repeated in order to kill all mites hatched since the first dipping, as the eggs are more resistant to the dips than are the mites.

Sheep may be dipped in the winter in many localities, but warm, dry days must be selected for the purpose, and the dipping discontinued in the middle of the afternoon. If the sheep, after being dipped, are allowed to stand for a few hours on the sunny side of a



A Sheep Dipping Chute.

barn they will not chill as quickly as if turned inside a building at once.

Dipping vats can be made of wood, metal or concrete. A farmer owning as many as 25 sheep should have a good dipping vat. For a small number than this the barrel used to scald the pigs will do if the farmer feels that he cannot afford to purchase or build a vat. A good galvanized vat ten feet long and four feet deep, made purposely for dipping, can be purchased for about \$12. There are smaller sizes than this that can be purchased for less money. Three or four farmers can club together and purchase

## PROPER CARE GIVEN SWINE

**Feed and Attention Must Be Varied in Accordance with What Is Desired to Be Done with Animal.**

(By A. J. LOVEJOY.)  
The pig that is to be sold for meat has but a few months to live and there should be no let-up in rearing from birth.

It will begin to eat shelled corn at three or four weeks of age, and a little sweet skim-milk or a thick mush of the same material as that given the mother is a great help to hasten growth.

Well-bred or even good-grade pigs should weigh sixty to eighty pounds when weaned at three months of age, and should then go on alfalfa or other green pasture and have corn twice a day.

Late in the summer there should be ready for them a pasture of rape, field peas or soy beans, besides the corn.

If their teeth become sore, change to shelled corn, soaked 24 hours in water slightly salted.

It will pay to have a cool, shady place where it is rather dark, if possible, for the pigs to lie in during the heat of the day, with free access to a mixture of salt, copperas, lime and ashes.

The feeder should watch closely to see that every pig is eating with a relish.

If pigs cough it is probably due to a dusty shed. Worms will also cause a cough, and if the hair becomes starved and dead in appearance it is well to give a worm powder.

In raising hogs to be used as breeders the object is very different. They are not to go to market at six to ten months of age, but to grow on to maturity.

They should be pushed for rapid growth, but must be fed for a growth of frame and bone; not fattened on corn, but expanded by a feed rich in protein.

At six to eight or ten months of age they should show more length of body and more scale than the market hogs

one of the galvanized tanks and haul it to their respective farms as it is wanted. A dipping vat for sheep should be narrow enough to prevent the sheep turning around in it, and deep enough to swim large sheep. The length of the vat should depend upon the number of sheep which can be dipped in a day. There is considerable variation as to the width of vats found on different farms, and as a usual thing they are wider than necessary. Then, too, the narrower the vat the less the dip required to fill it. A vat twenty inches wide at the top and eight inches wide at the bottom is a fair average as regards width, although some very practical sheep men construct their vats as narrow as sixteen inches at the top and six inches at the bottom when the vat is four feet deep.

The dipping vat used at the Kentucky experiment station is located in the driveway of the hoghouse and can be used for the dipping of sheep and young pigs. It is built entirely of concrete, the walls of which are six inches in width, with the exception of the partition between the vat and dry chamber, which has a thickness of nine inches. The end of the vat into which the hogs and sheep are plunged is perpendicular, while the opposite end is provided with an incline which is quite deeply creased so that the animal can walk out. The floor around the end of the vat from which the sheep emerge is so graded that all drippings return to the vat. There are sewer connections with this outfit, the valve of which is located in the dry chamber. The dry chamber allows the attendant to carefully control the dripping, break up thick scabs with a brush, and, if necessary, help the sheep up the incline, and also go to the aid of a sheep quickly if it shows signs of strangling. This vat is quite inexpensive.

A chute like this can be built with little trouble. The incline to the vat should be made of smooth lumber and greased when hogs or sheep are dipped. In dipping animals the second time they usually remember the first experience and endeavor to jump the length of the vat unless the swing door is attached to the end of the chute. As an extra "blind" to either sheep or hogs a board can be fixed on a pivot and extended horizontally from the top of the chute toward the vat. The sheep imagines it a level surface on which to walk, only to find, as one or two steps are taken, that the end toward the vat tips down, plunging him quickly into the vat.

and be smooth and well covered, but not so fat as for market.  
This can be very easily done by feeding a mixed grain ration, with ten per cent. of tankage or ten per cent. of oil meal.  
Use corn, barley and oats ground together, mixed thickly with water and fed at once while sweet. It is much better to mix three pounds of milk to one pound of grain.  
If one has no milk the next best feed is ten per cent. of tankage. If one has the corn and does not want to buy the milk feeds, he can use 80 per cent. of corn and 20 per cent. of tankage and have a well-balanced ration.  
The summer treatment of young pigs should be about the same as for the market pigs. For late summer and fall I have made it a practice to have a field of Evergreen sweet corn to feed in the roasting ear.  
I begin by adding one stalk and ear for each pig in addition to his other feed; in a few days, two stalks and two ears, and gradually increase this amount to a full feed, while diminishing the other ration.  
In winter the brood sows should have something to take the place of the green pasture.  
I know of nothing that will equal alfalfa, bright and green, run through a cutting machine. Two-thirds chaffed alfalfa and one-third shelled corn, mixed together and ground in a steel bar grinder, makes an almost ideal ration, which can be fed dry or mixed thickly with scalding water; a little salt adds relish. It is a cheap ration and has just bulk enough to take the place of grass.  
If one cannot have alfalfa, bright, well-cured clover is good. Sorghum cane is a good fall feed until heavy freezing. Mangels or sugar beets are of course very good.

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Considerable more than 50 per cent. of the entire wheat crop of 1907, estimated in round numbers at 634,000,000 bushels, was grown in 16 of the older states east of the Mississippi, their gross yield being placed at 382,000,000 bushels. This is more than three times as much as the largest wheat crop ever grown in the Canadian northwest.

# EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO HE HAD LESS THAN 3 DOLLARS

HE IS NOW ONE OF THE RICHEST FARMERS IN SASKATCHEWAN, CENTRAL CANADA.

Arriving in Canada in 1891, just eighteen years ago, E. A. Guillonin could speak but his native language. He is a Frenchman. He had but a little over two dollars in his pocket, thus being short over seven dollars of the ten dollars required to secure entry for a homestead of one hundred and sixty acres. He eventually borrowed the money and near Forget, Saskatchewan, he started life in Canada on the homestead in which to-day he is the fortunate possessor of fifty quarter sections of land, or 8,000 acres. Now Mr. Guillonin did not acquire all these acres as a result altogether of his farming operations, which were extensive. He looked with satisfaction upon what he was doing on his limited area, he was saving, careful, and had foresight. Surrounding land could be had for about \$3.00 per acre, and he continued buying as his savings would permit, until now he has fifty quarter sections, some of which he can sell at \$25.00 per acre.

Threshed Fifty Thousand Bushels.  
This year he was engaged in threshing on his place for 5 1/2 days. He threshed out 50,000 bushels of wheat, of which he sold 34,000 bushels, one train load, at a price varying from 84 to 87 cents per bushel. He has on hand still 16,000 bushels. In addition to wheat he raised 30,000 bushels of oats, 7,000 bushels of barley and 500 bushels of flax. He owns 104 horses and a number of cattle, but since the construction of the railway he has been engaged chiefly in raising wheat. This year he bought his first threshing machine, paying for it the sum of \$2,100. He estimates that the machine earned for him this fall \$3,000, thus paying for itself in one season, and leaving \$900 to the good. The weather was very propitious for farm threshing, not a single day being lost in the two months which were spent in this work. The wheat averaged 23 bushels to the acre and graded No. 1 and No. 2 Northern. In the past nine years seven good crops have been harvested on this farm. For six successive years the returns were excellent, that is in the years 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905 and 1906. In the two following years there was a partial failure. As the years have passed the quality of the buildings on the farm have been steadily improved, and are now as good as can be found in the district. About \$10,000 has been invested in this way by Mr. Guillonin. The farm consists of 6,880 acres, of which about 6,000 acres were under crop this season.

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SATURDAY, FEBRY 26, 1910.

## Dry Kilns Burn

Cooperage Received a Bad Set-Back Thursday.

The Dry Kilns of the East Jordan Cooperage Co. were destroyed by fire Thursday noon, entailing a loss of about \$10,000 which is fully covered by insurance.

The Kilns contained about one hundred and ten carloads of heading which were also destroyed.

Fire was discovered by workmen who were eating their dinner in the kilns, and an alarm turned in. The fire protection at the plant is good and the blaze would have been nipped in the bud but for an unfortunate bursting of the hose which delayed matters and allowed the fire to get an ungovernable headway.

Our firemen responded at once and kept the blaze from getting to the machinery rooms.

The plant is owned by Grief Bros. of Cleveland, Ohio, and is under the management of O. D. Cleveland. Extensive repairs had been made and the plant was just recommencing on full days' work. Mr. Cleveland informs The Herald that steps will immediately be taken to rebuild.

### "Toy Makers Make Good."

Every one has read the story of "Quincy Adams Sawyer" written by Charles Fenton Piggin, the Chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics. It had an immense lot of circulation and was dramatized and played over the whole country. "The Toy Makers" is the latest book written by Mr. Piggin and he has also written the play which has been set to music, and in twenty six lyrical numbers makes up a delicious musical comedy full of fun and frolic. At last we have something new and clever that really amuses the public and keeps the audience in a state of laughter from beginning to end. It is said to be the best combination of bright dialogue, comical situations and good music seen on the stage for years.

A village toyshop in Old England furnishes a rich background for this unique story of the mechanical doll that was brought to life by objectivity and preformed the wondrous feats that astounded and delighted the villagers and also the audience. There is every opportunity here for rich wit and Mr. Piggin has lived up to his reputation. The fine company of singers, dancers and comedians, "The Toy Makers" will give this jolly opera at Loveday Opera House, next Wed. March 2nd and they carry their own scenery and artistic costumes, designed for the "Toy Makers" especially.

Two Boston composers, Chas. D. Blake and John A. Bennett, wrote this catchy music all new and entirely new and original. Those who have read the book have a greater treat in store and everyone will soon be singing these catchy melodies.

### Athletics In The Philippines.

In a letter from S. P. Stewart, a well known East Jordan boy who has made good as superintendent of school at Cebu, P. I. to his mother, Mrs. Jas. Howey, he has the following to say relative to Athletics in these islands.

"Did I write you about the athletic meet at Dumaguete between the Cebu High School and Gillman Institute? Together with our Athletic Coach we took a team of 25 men. Were gone about a week. Had a very good meet, the contests being all excellent. We were successful in winning everything, our team doing good work."

"I have finally completed arrangements for holding a big Athletic Meet between all the Provincial High Schools in the Central Islands. We will have about ten schools entering competing teams this year. This will be the biggest affair of the kind ever held in the Islands and the first in these Central Islands. They have held such contests for years near Manila but I began them in these Central Islands. I feel very much pleased over the prospects of the coming big meet as I started and have carried on the movement myself."

"I am at present acting Superintendent of this Province, the regular superintendent being absent for a while. This appointment puts me on the list of high superintendents and I may reasonably expect a superintendency soon. The work now is quite heavy as it is the end of the year. The superintendency is very important in the province as it directs the work of over 600,000 people and has over 1,000 teachers."

In another letter, Supt. Stewart has the following to say relative to Athletic contests: "Just returned from the weeks athletic contests in Negros. We won everything. Won the track and field meet by 60 to 40 points. We also won each of the three base ball games that we played."

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## BASKET BALL.

### Boyne City at East Jordan.

Although Boyne City girls won over ours by a score of 11 to 2 it was entirely due to the fact that East Jordan's two forwards had been ill all day and were in no condition to play, but owing to the fact that East Jordan's second team was at Bellaire there was no one to substitute in their place.

The boys' game was very rough from start to finish. Although East Jordan's team was made up partly of substitutes, because of some players not having their work up, they defeated their opponents by a score of 33 to 11.

### Second H. S. Girls at Bellaire.

Although East Jordan girls lost at Bellaire last Friday night much credit should be given to their players. This being their first outside game they have no reason to feel discouraged for being defeated. During the first half the two scores very nearly balanced, Bellaire having only two points the start of East Jordan at the end. But in the second half, East Jordan's girls got being accustomed to playing were tired and therefore were unable to do as good work as in the first half. The final score was 16 to 8 in Bellaire's favor.

### East Jordan Boys at Charlevoix Saturday.

Owing to the late hour which East Jordan boys arrived in Charlevoix, they were cold after the long drive, and were unable to play well during the first half, the score being 18 to 11 in Charlevoix's favor. But in the second half East Jordan redeemed themselves, bringing the score up to 33 to 28 in their favor. This is the second time they have defeated Charlevoix this year and our boys have reason to feel proud because each game was very clean and free from any dispute. Charlevoix gained 26 points by field baskets and two points by free throws. East Jordan made nine free throws and 24 points by field baskets.

East Jordan boys played at Harbor Springs last night.

### Chaddock District.

March will soon be here, and then spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Trimble were Boyne City visitors Monday.

An old time rag carpet bee at the home of Mrs. Fred Vogel, Thursday Miss Mary Dewitt of East Jordan, was visiting at the home of Mrs. Gussolus for part of the week.

Miss Bertha Matthews south of town was guest of Miss Eva Heiler Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Price is visiting at her old home this week, while Mr. Price is remodeling their dwelling.

Miss Maude Crowell teacher in the Ranney district attended the entertainment Saturday evening and visited relatives here.

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No. 8. 47 acre farm four miles from East Jordan. 39 acres cleared. Good soil. Small orchard. Good house, barn, woodshed, granary, hen house and corn crib. Well. \$1000.

No. 9. 80 acres five miles from Bellaire and 4 1/2 miles from Central Lake. 80 acres cleared. Good soil; small orchard; natural spring. \$1100.

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### Montaville Flowers.

At Opera House, March 7th.

The ease with which a gifted speaker may appeal to the emotions of an audience, was demonstrated last evening at the Gennett theatre, by Montaville Flowers, the noted reader and elocutionist of Cincinnati. His rendering of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," was a most remarkable enactment of its characters. At times his audience was on the verge of tears when moved by the power and pathos in the tones of the voice of the reader, and at other times it was moved to uproarious laughter. Mr. Flowers demonstrated beyond a shadow of doubt that he is the great artist that he is reputed to be, and if able to master his audience with humor, pathos and tragedy, all in one breath.—Evening Item, Richmond Ind.

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Logan Brand 10c or 3 for 25c

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Dundee 10c

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Logan 10c; Superior 13c, 2 for 25c

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Stewed Pumpkin, Kraut, Hominy,

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If it is not right we are here to

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# East Jordan Lumber Co.



## Briefs of the Week

"The Toymakers," Wednesday.  
Saturday Post and also Sunday papers at Hamilton's.  
Village election, registration and caucus notices on eighth page.  
If you want to laugh go to "The Toymakers" next Wednesday evening at Loveday Opera House.

Why pay 20c per pound for Candy when you can get the same kind at Hamilton's for 10c per pound?

The Charlevoix County Fruit Growers' Ass'n will hold its regular monthly meeting next Tuesday, March 1st, at Charlevoix.

A change took place in the store of Richards & Cummins this week, when Mr. Cummins sold his interest to F. B. Richards, brother of Elmer the other proprietor. The firm will be known now as Richards Bros.

A pleasant line from Supp. H. H. Fuller to The Herald indicates health and prosperity of the Fullers at Newberry. Mrs. Fuller recently returned from the hospital at Big Rapids where she underwent a successful operation for a long standing trouble.

E. L. Smith and family, who recently removed from here to Boyne City were unfortunate enough to be burned out again Wednesday forenoon with no insurance on their household goods. Considerable furniture was removed but that in a bedroom was ruined.

Walter A. Thompson of Elk Rapids, and Miss Edna A. Danforth of East Jordan were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in Boyne City last Thursday evening, Feb'y 17th. The pastor, Rev. J. Bready officiating. The young people have a host of friends in East Jordan who extend congratulations.

At the annual meeting of the Rural Mail Carriers' Ass'n held at Ellsworth Tuesday, it was decided to hold their next meeting at East Jordan on Labor Day. In the election of officers, R. A. Briantall of this place was elected president, E. McLean vice president, H. J. Trull secretary, treasurer, and E. S. Carroll representative to State Association.

Allan Grigsby, teacher in the city schools, has rented one of the Johns houses on Dresser street, and will soon take unto himself a housekeeper, in the person of Miss Clara Hurd, of Lansing. The following item from the Lansing Daily Journal of recent date will explain the reason for Mr. Grigsby's furnishing a home and making many preparations for house keeping that he has been indulging in in the past couple of weeks: "Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Boosinger, 703 Walnut St., announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Miss Clara Hurd, to Mr. Allan D. Grigsby of Cheboygan, the wedding to take place the last week in March."—Cheboygan Democrat.

The residence of Rev. L. S. Matthews and family was burned to the ground last Monday morning. Some of the household goods were saved. Mr. Matthews had just built the morning fires when fire was discovered in the attic, probably igniting from the stove pipe. The building was valued at \$1,000, with insurance of \$600 in the Farmer's Mutual of Petoskey. The household goods were insured for \$300, music \$200 and library \$100. The deal whereby Alfred Tindale purchases the property will be completed; we understand Mr. Tindale intends rebuilding in the spring. Mr. Matthews and family will leave in a couple of weeks for Chestertown, Md., where they will reside and give the young people the advantage of a college education.

"The Toymakers," Wednesday.  
L. C. Madison was at Charlevoix Tuesday.

F. J. Porter was a Charlevoix visitor Monday.

Robert Price was down to the county capitol Monday.

Dentist C. H. Pray was a Manistiquia visitor this week.

We sell Candy cheaper than any one else in town.—Hamilton.

Druggist Frank B. Gannett was a Detroit business visitor this week.

Ray Fank of Mt. Pleasant was an East Jordan business visitor this week.

Ellis Malpass left first of the week for a visit at New York city and other places.

Ford Robbins of Boyne Falls assisted at Gagnett's Pharmacy the past week.

Mrs. B. A. Dole's former Sunday School class gave her a surprise Wednesday evening.

Quince Seed Lotion—a fine preparation for chapped skin, 10c per bottle at Payton's Pharmacy.

County Clerk Payton was up from Charlevoix latter part of the week, guest of his son, Vernon.

The Stewards of the Methodist Church will hold a Bake Sale next Saturday afternoon, March 5th.

F. A. Kenyon, in company with Ira A. Adams of Bellaire, were at Mackinaw Island on business this week.

Cop'r Milford and Truant Officer Bashaw were at Horton's Bay and other points first of the week on official business.

B. A. Dole entertained the boys' class of the Methodist Sunday School on Tuesday evening, his formerly being teacher. About twenty-five were present.

Henry Cook received some bad facial injuries while working at Graf's ice house, Monday. His nose was broken and he suffered intense pain for a couple of days.

Allan D. Grigsby, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Grigsby, has organized a Young Men's Club at Cheboygan and the project is taking like wild fire among the young men of that city.

Two sleighloads of school teachers, representing East Jordan and vicinity, left for Boyne City Friday morning to attend the Charlevoix County Teachers' Institute. We venture to say that no finer bunch of pedagogues will be there.

The song service at the Methodist church Sabbath evening will be the last that Mr. Dole will have charge of, as he expects to leave for Cheboygan next week. Mr. and Mrs. Dole will sing on this occasion, and the pastor asks that as many of their friends as possible be present in recognition of their services.

A reception will be given to Rev. L. S. Matthews and family at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, March 2, in view of their departure for their new home in the east. It is hoped that as many of their friends as possible will attend, as it will not be confined to church circles. Reception at 7:30, Program at 8:30.

The young people of South Arm Grange will hold a Shadow Box Social at their hall next Thursday evening, March 3rd. All ladies are requested to bring two lunch boxes. A fine quilt will be given away. All those from town who desire to attend will be transported to and from the hall, free of charge; sleighs will be at corner of Main and State-sts. at 7:30. Everybody invited.

"The Toymakers," Wednesday.  
Mrs. L. Nyquist has been quite ill the past week.

Our Candy is fresh and it will cost you just 10c per pound.—Hamilton.

Dr. H. W. Dicken now occupies his new brick office building at rear of the State Bank.

Charles McNamara has resumed his duties as pharmacist at F. B. Gannett-Co.'s after a siege of illness.

Mr. James Davis, a rural carrier of East Jordan, spent Sunday and Monday in Petoskey, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Charles Crawford at 221 Elizabeth street.—Petoskey Record.

Twelve young married ladies drove over to Boyne on Tuesday, and enjoyed the day with Mrs. Leonard C. Swafford. A cold ride but a warm welcome and a happy time was the parting farewell.

The members of the F. L. A. S. to the number of 40 and upwards accepted the invitation of Mrs. Rubbing and went there in three sleigh loads last week Tuesday and enjoyed her magnificent hospitality. An interesting program of musical numbers and recitations followed by the presentation of a dozen out-grown tumblers and the supper, one of the best that was ever enjoyed by hungry women, and home again, made a delightful change and an event not to be soon forgotten. The heartiest thanks of the society are due to Mr. and Mrs. Rubbing and to the committee who worked so hard to make the outing a success.

The evening meal was especially enjoyable to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith on Wednesday, when fifteen of their lady friends remembering it was Mrs. Smith's birthday, invited themselves and took possession of the home, served their own delicious meal and cordially invited Mr. and Mrs. Smith to eat with them. The table was loaded with good things, wit and humor served also. After the feast "500" and Finch were enjoyed. As the friends were about to separate an original parody, "The Guests," was given by Mrs. E. Gibson. It was deservedly applauded. Some dainty gifts were left as tokens of esteem and the company parted in a happy mood.

Yes, East Jordan has a reading room. It is small at present, but in accordance with the old adage that "great oaks from little acorns grow," this miniature reading room may lead to a larger one. We have been told by some of our traveling salesmen of their appreciation of it, and a number of our local residents have availed themselves of the privilege it holds forth. Drop in some time and see for yourselves the pleasant pastime it will give you among the authors who speak to you through books, magazines and from the pens of news reporters far and near. It is in the rear of Hamilton's Confectionery store. A warm fire, a comfortable chair, a table for writing and other commodities you will find. It is maintained by the Women's Local Option Civic Society.

### Among The Steeple.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Wright Carr on Wednesday, March 2, at 2:30 p. m. Visitors will be cordially welcomed.

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

Divine worship in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday in the morning at 10:30, evening at 7:00. Everyone welcome. Sunday School at 11:45 Junior C. E. at 3:15, Senior C. E. at 7:15. The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Geo. Carr on Tuesday, March 1 at 2:30 p. m. A ten cent tea will be served. A full attendance of members and friends of missions is desired.

A song service will be given at the Methodist church next Sabbath evening and a collection will be taken to purchase a communion set for the church. These evenings of song have steadily grown in popularity during the past year and the audience will be glad to participate in the coming one.

Mrs. Grigsby called a meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society at the Presbyterian parsonage, Feb. 21, the following officers being elected for six months: Marjorie Bowen, president; Ethel Palmer, vice president; Anna Berg, secretary; Grace Malpass, treasurer; Helen Hillard, organist.

Rev. A. T. Ferguson, district superintendent, visited the local Methodist church last Sabbath and conducted the service of the quarterly conference. The official reports on Saturday evening showed the church to be aggressive and progressive. Twenty-nine new members were added during the quarter and the finances were in healthful condition. The superintendent's addresses were of a high order, both Saturday evening and Sunday morning, and a large and appreciative hearing was given him.

Try that 10c Candy at Hamilton's. It's a winner.

Cupboards and Kitchen Cabinets at Whittington's.

Quince Seed Lotion, 10c; at Payton's Pharmacy.

Sewing Machines repaired, cleaned, and adjusted.—E. A. Lewis.

Fitch & McCalmon, Real Estate Agents, East Jordan, Mich.

Varnished Tiling Paper for Bath Room and Kitchen at Payton's.

Coffee 14c per pound; six pounds of rice for 25 cts. Come in and try our cash prices.—E. A. Lewis.

Go to Richard Bros. State-st market for everything that's new and fresh in either meats or groceries.

Lumbering Sleighs and Harness for sale cheap if taken at once.—Richard Forbes, Route 3, East Jordan, Mich.

If you want to sell that piece of real estate list it with Fitch & McCalmon, the new real estate agents. They will advertise it.

HAY.—Will sell one car No. 1 Hay the first of the week at my warehouse on the E. J. & S. Railroad at \$19.30 per ton in any quantity.—E. E. Brown.

Sheriff McWain returned home Friday from Plymouth, Pennsylvania where he has been after Nelson Knapp the Horton Bay man who forged a couple of notes last fall. The first of the week Knapp plead guilty in circuit court and owing to the good reputation which he has always had in every respect he was released on probation. M. J. Fox of Boyne City being appointed probation officer.—Charlevoix Courier.

### Eyes and Ears Tested Free.

Dr. Owen (Detroit eye and ear specialist 24 years) will be at Russell House Tuesday and Wednesday, Mar. 1 and 2. Glasses in all styles and prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Deafness and all diseases of eye and ear treated.

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If you want something done in the wiring line, GET MY FIGURES. If you need some lamps that give the best light, CONSULT ME. If you want anything electrical

TALK WITH ME. If your Tungsten Lamp breaks, don't throw it away but bring it to me, perhaps I can mend it. If you can't find the key-hole on a dark night, let me put your porch light on a three-way switch. If you need a door bell I AM AT YOUR SERVICE.

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My Spring Oxfords of The Star Brand family are arriving daily and will be pleased to have you call and inspect them. Prices range from \$1.75 up to \$3.50.

I WALK ON STARS, SO CAN YOU.  
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## NEW GOODS ARRIVING

We have just completed one of the most stupendous clearance sales in our history, yet already our shelves are completely filled with the latest and best of season's offerings and each day adds to the array. We have the largest stock of up-to-date

## Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Notions, and Furnishing Goods

ever shown in Charlevoix county and our enormous trade testifies to the fact that OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST.

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### Our Resolutions

We welcome all, whether purchasers or not.  
Our services cheerfully rendered.  
To give best quality goods at the lowest prices.  
We guarantee our goods.  
In all things to make the year of 1910 successful and happy to our patrons.

## B. C. HUBBARD & CO.

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS.

### Turbanette Hair Goods

And Coronet Braids are the very latest in hair dress. We sell the goods and instruct you how to use them.

Any shade can be ordered for you within three to four days. Call and see the new styles and dress your hair the latest.

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

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

### New Coal and Wood Yard.

We are now prepared to supply your wants in HARD or SOFT COAL and WOOD and solicit your orders.

Telephone No. 206 or leave orders at residence.

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## Quince Seed Lotion For March Chaps.

A Preparation Soft and Healing To The Most Delicate Skin.

10c per bottle 10c

PAYTON'S PHARMACY.



MYTHICAL FREEDOM OF PRESS

Writer Declares That Newspaper Matter is Censored by "Business."

Without discussing whether the printing of doctored news or the suppression of inauspicious tidings be or be not for the country's welfare, it seems to be a matter of fact that so far as business is concerned the freedom of the press is purely mythical.

Just What They Needed. "I knew a boy and girl," says Arthur Aull, "who had just got married, and moved to the city. The boy had been out of employment for a week and all they had left between them and starvation was one loaf of bread."

Fame. The play was "Monte Cristo." It was a ten-twenty-third repertoire company. The leading man had been promised 12 bucks a week and cakes. He got the cakes—sometimes.

Rude Neighbors. "Well, of all the impudence I ever heard!" exclaimed Mrs. Jenkins, sinking into a chair as if some painful recollection had almost overcome her.

Dog Climbs Mont Blanc. A dog living at Les Praz, near Chamoni, in the summer of 1908 distinguished himself by climbing Mont Blanc.

A Discouraging Theory. "Why do those critics say such disagreeable things?" asked the unhappy actress.

Love Controls

Neither Husband Nor Wife Rule

By HELEN OLDFIELD

WHEN a man who contemplates being married seriously asks how he shall "manage" his future wife, it may safely be predicted that there is trouble in store for her.

The husband's duty is to "love, cherish and protect," the wife's to "love, honor and obey."

But when the rule is selfish and unreasonable, foolishly indulgent one day and tyrannically unjust the next day, what wonder that wives rebel and fail to obey where they are unable to honor?

There never yet was a woman, from palace to hovel, with whom praises and kisses were not more effective than curses and blows.

When husband and wife truly love each other there can be no struggle for supremacy between the "two souls with but a single thought," whose greatest joy is found in each other.

Why should not the tactful home dressmaker try her hand also, at making up a pretty, simple hat or so, for the coming spring? She has more time now than later and can indulge herself in more millinery or lessen the expenses of her spring headwear by a little hatmaking at home.

Making Mortal of "The Goddess" By LEA REYNOLDS

in "our office"—we all call it that, from the proprietor, who spends his odd time in looking up Scotch ancestry that he can in some way annex as a family tree—there is a division manager whom we call the "goddess," who has (or had) an idea that she knows it all.

Bright, sparkling eyes had the first girl who was to try the scheme upon the "Goddess," as she came in one noon hour. She made chance to talk with the "Goddess," and so had her beyond her depths in the discussion of some intricate problem.

It was not long until every girl in that office saw the gains she had made in her own favor. Since that time the "Goddess" has grown more tolerant of those girls, many of whom are her superiors (in many ways) and now knows that office girls have some other way of spending their time than in mere chatter.

They have opened up a new world to the manager and shown her that she is not the only one who knows a thing or two. We may be all right in our own line of knowledge, but the world's knowledge is of many sorts, as are its pleasures, but we, like the "Goddess," are demesly ignorant of that which the other fellow knows and because he does not know our own pet hobbies, or line of work, our interests, or "butterflying," as the French call pleasuring, we must not condemn him as ignorant.

High School Pupils Poor Writers By J. H. BACHTENKIRCHER of L'Anse-au-Loup, Ind.

Why are seven out of ten grammar and high school pupils poor writers? What is the remedy, if there is a remedy? We answer that the remedy lies with the teacher.

Good, plain, practical writing is easily acquired if efforts now put forth are properly systematized. Too often the writing is neglected because but little interest is shown in the subject by school authorities.

Home-Made Easter Hats



BY JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

EVEN this early in the season the powers that produce our Easter bonnets are working industriously on the millinery which will be in such demand at Easter time, and thereafter.

The frame must first be covered with mull or crinoline, but preferably mull matching the braid in color. A yard will cover the brim and crown, forming a foundation for the braid.

Suppose our enterprising reader lives far enough south to expect warm weather on the 26th of March, for Easter is very early this year.

A good shape, developed in three different ways is shown in our illustrations. The home-milliner may feel perfectly safe in attempting this hat. She needs to buy a wire frame of this or a similar shape, mull and braid to cover it, and the trimming materials.

FOR YOUNG GIRL.



In fine serge of any dark color this would be found just the dress for school wear. It is very simply made, the bodice and skirt being attached to the same waistband.

Materials required: Four yards 46 inches wide, 1 1/2 yards lining for bodice, 1 1/2 battons.

As to color, the amethyst shades are a safe choice. Olive, moss or light greens, navy or light blues, tan, banana and light browns, in fact there is almost nothing in colors that will not harmonize with lilacs and roses.

Suppose, however, our home-milliner lives where an Easter falling in March is likely to be far from an ideal spring day. Her needs have been looked after, and she should choose braids in darker, stronger colors, than for flower-trimmed hats.

For the feather, nothing is much prettier than the iridescent coque, but there are so many to choose from that one may use the individual taste in this matter.

These hats provide one with something pretty for Easter and very useful for the spring and early summer, or for general wear all summer, for that matter.

Practical Traveling Coat. One of the practical coats brought out for southern-bound travelers is the mannish ulster, made of white blanketing, white chinchilla or some similar white cloth, which is easily slipped into and out of when jumping into the machine for the ride to the links or homeward.

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CLIP THIS OUT

Renowned Doctor's Prescription for Rheumatism and Backache. "One ounce Syrup Sarsaparilla compound; one ounce Toris compound; Add those to a half pint of good whiskey; Take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed time; Shake the bottle before using each time."

ENCOURAGING SIGNS OF LIBERAL CONTRIBUTIONS IN UNITED STATES AND CANADA FOR WORK OF THE FOREIGN MISSIONS.

In spite of the financial depression the offerings of the United States and Canada for foreign missions increased last year \$602,000. The increase of income from the foreign field was even more remarkable, being \$1,360,000. The total gifts on the foreign field was \$4,844,000, and this amount was 48 per cent. of the total amount contributed for foreign missions by the Protestant churches of North America.

Knew the Calendar. They were little girls, so small that the teacher was telling them about divisions of time, and receiving all sorts of answers to her simple questions.

One on the Judge. A newly qualified judge in one of the small towns of Tennessee, was trying one of his first criminal cases. The accused was an old dandy who was accused of robbing a hen-coop.

Why "Potter's Field" for Beggars. It is not because the beggar fails to make money that he finally lands in the potter's field. "Any good, industrious beggar," says Mr. Forbes, "can and does make a great deal more money than the average workman."

HARD TO DROP But Many Drop It. A young Calif. wife talks about coffee: "It was hard to drop Mocha and Java and give Postum a trial, but my nerves were so shattered that I was a nervous wreck and of course that means all kinds of ails."

He who gives better homes, better beds, better tools, a fairer outlook and a better hope, him will we crown with laurels.—Emerson.

At first, I thought bicycle riding caused it and I gave it up, but my condition remained unchanged. I did not want to acknowledge coffee caused the trouble for I was very fond of it. At that time a friend came to live with us, and I noticed that after he had been with us a week he would not drink his coffee any more.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkg. "There's a Reason." Ever read the above letter? A man one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.



# THE LAST VOYAGE OF THE DONNA ISABEL

BY RANDALL PARRISH  
IN THE MANNER OF BOB HAMPTON OF PLICER, ETC.

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## SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, an adventurer, a Massachusetts man marooned by authorities at Valparaiso, Chile. Being interested in mining operations in Bolivia, he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding. At his hotel his attention was attracted by an Englishman and a young woman. Stephens rescued the young woman from a drunken officer. He was thanked by her father, Admiral of the Peruvian navy, who declared Stephens, told him that he had heard of Stephens' adventures in Chile and offered him the office of captain. He desired that that night the *Emeralda*, a Chilean vessel, should be captured. Stephens accepted the commission. Stephens met a motley crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions. They boarded the vessel.

## CHAPTER V.—Continued.

"There is certainly no watchman at," I announced, softly, "unless he be found upon the other side of the cabin. Back down the companionway while I examine the deck. Two of you men come with me."

We dropped over the low rail together, moving silently in our stocking-feet. The roof of the cabin, forming the quarter deck, extended clear to the rail. We groped over this shadowed space as though exploring a cave, encountering nothing except a few camp stools, although my fingers discovered a goodly sized boat swinging from davits across the stern. From the opposite side we could peer forward toward the dim light streaming from out the hatch, the deck being thus fairly revealed as far as the funnel. Beyond all remained black and impenetrable. A man sat upon a bench against the side of the galley, a dull red showing from his pipe bowl. His earliest knowledge of our presence was when the two men closed on his windpipe, and I pressed a revolver muzzle against his cheek.

"Not a sound, Jack," I muttered sternly in Spanish, "or else your life pays for it."

The pipe fell with a click to the deck, the fellow's eyes staring up at us, his mouth showing oddly amid the surrounding gray beard. A moment later, securely gagged and bound, we rolled his body close in against the rail.

"I thought I heard a bit of a blow and a yelp on the fo'castle just now, sir," said one of the men, pointing eagerly forward. I stood still, intently listening, staring into the gloom.

"Quiet enough there at present. Probably Mr. Tuttle has been attending to the forward watch. Come on, lads, and we'll join forces with him."

Beyond all doubt the main deck was clear as far as the bridge, and, providing Tuttle's crew had attended to their share of the work, as far as the fo'castle head as well. We advanced cautiously, keeping close within the denser shade along the weather rail, pausing a moment to peer over the edge of the open hatchway into the illuminated space below. Two Kanakas, naked to the waist, their slim, brown bodies glistening, each grasping the handle of a coal scoop, were backed up against a bulkhead conversing, while on a low stool, tipped back to a comfortable angle, his feet on the rounded crosspiece, a pipe in his mouth, his hands buried deep in his pockets, sat a white man, with red face and long, sandy mustaches. His brown overalls and pink undershirt told nothing distinctive, but the uniform cap, pushed well back on his bristling stock of hair, proclaimed him the vessel's engineer. As I drew back from this swift survey, Mr. Tuttle suddenly rounded the end of the chart-house, and, with whispered word of inquiry to one of the men, advanced to meet me.

"Well," I said as soon as certain of his identity, "the after-deck is ours without a blow; what have you discovered forward?"

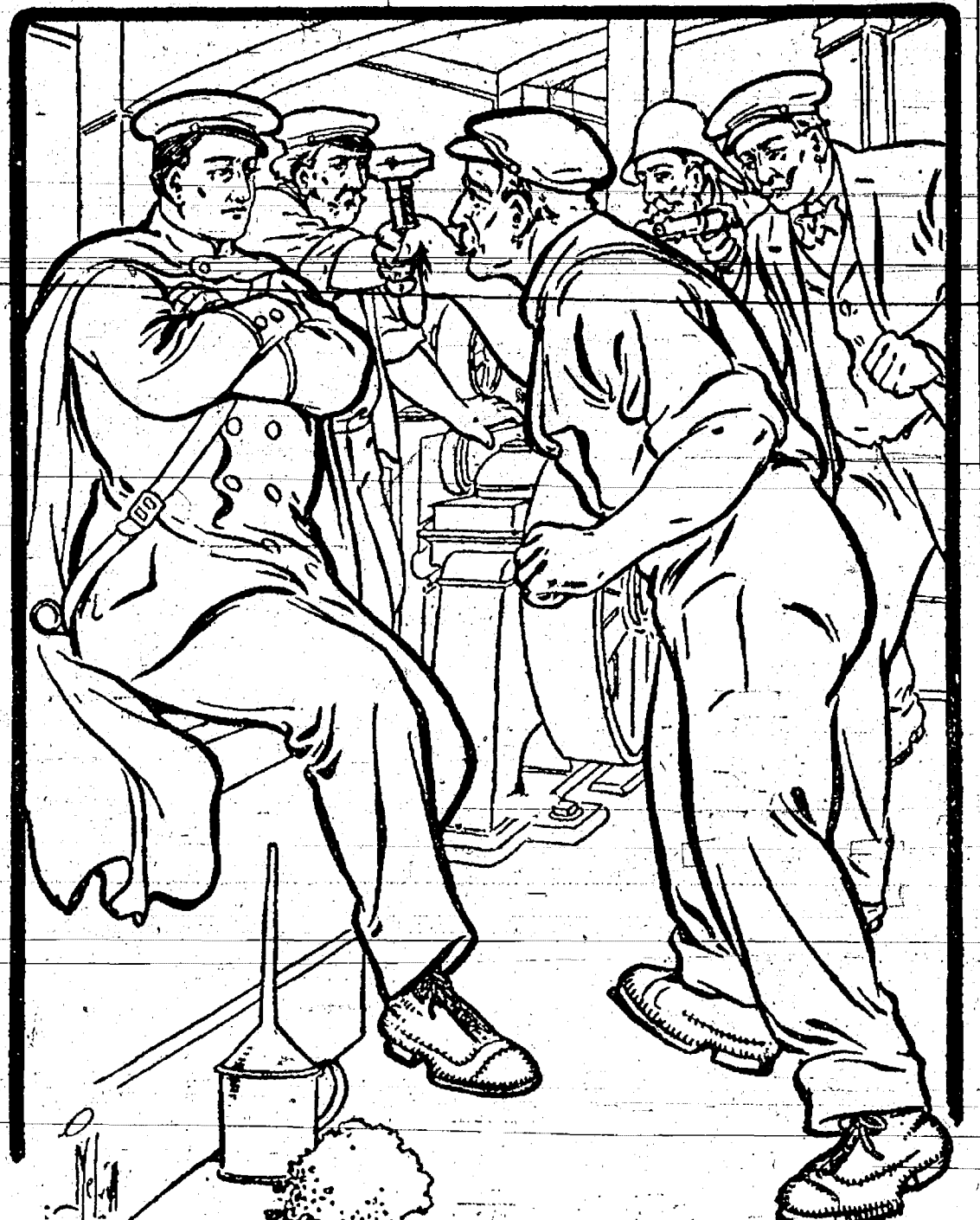
"Two men were posted on the fo'castle, sir," he returned, the disagreeable nasal tone apparent even in his subdued voice. "We got them both, but Mason was pricked with a knife during the scuffle."

"Did you close the fo'castle?" I questioned briefly.

"All fast, sir, but I doubt if any of the crew are below."

"Well, there are some down in the engine room, and the fellow in charge looks as if he might fight on occasion. Take half a dozen men with you, and jump below. The Kanakas won't make any serious trouble, but you had better slap a gun to the engineer."

I watched them as they swarmed like rats over the hatch-combing and dropped down into the light. There was a scurrying of bodies, a sharp exchange of blows, a yelp of alarm from the startled Kanakas, a stout volley of English oaths, and, when the tangle partially cleared away, the engineer was lying flat on his back, the knee of the big singer at Rodriguez' at his chest, and Tuttle holding a blue-barreled revolver at his ear. I never held an angrier man, but he was help-



"You Damned Bloody Pirate!" He yelled, Glaring at Me Savagely.

less as a baby. Assured of the future of the engine room, I mounted the steps and took a hasty survey of both bridge and wheelhouse. They were unoccupied—the vessel was entirely in our possession.

## CHAPTER VI.

### In Which We Attain the Open Sea.

Our adventure had been successfully accomplished through its first step; now it remained to get safely out to sea. As I turned to retrace my steps to the deck I encountered De Nova coming up.

"Pretty lucky job, monsieur," he said, jovially. "It was what you call ze picnic, I bet. Ze companion was lock, an' ze guard posted. Wat more now for me?"

"Relieve Mr. Tuttle in the engine room. Keep three men below there with you, and arm them as guards. Make the Kanakas do the firing, and hold the engineer to it with a gun at his head. You know enough about a stoke-hole to tell whether things are going right, don't you?"

He nodded, and I could see the gleam of his white teeth.

"Then get your steam up, but don't let those fellows fire so as to drive any flame out of the stack, and watch that Johnny Bull so that he can't put any kinks in the machinery. Don't take your eyes off him. Do you understand the signals?"

"Ay, ay, monsieur."

"Then stand by. We'll tow out at once with the boats, but I want you ready for business the very moment we cast off the lines. Send all the rest of the men on deck and ask Mr. Tuttle to report to me here immediately."

I was not kept waiting. Two men came stumbling up the companionway together. I peered at them, uncertain of their identity in the gloom.

"Is that you, Mr. Tuttle?"

"Yes, sir. This is Johnson, one of the wheelmen; thought you would likely need him, so I brought him along."

"Very good. Johnson, go on up into the wheelhouse and see that all is clear. I'll give you directions later. Mr. Tuttle, we'll tow out until we get the sweep of the sea fairly under our fore foot. Get the lines out to the boats at once, with full crew at the oars. You are to take command, and I shall have to trust you for the course, as we can't risk signaling. I presume you are acquainted with the harbor lights?"

"Been in here eight times in ten years without a pilot."

"Then you ought to know the course, but take no chances; feel your way, only keep the ropes taut. Have you any man fit to take charge of the second boat?"

"The boatswain, I see; De Nova below with the scar."

"What's his name?"

"Bill Anderson."

"All right; put him in the cutter, leave me three men on deck, and post the best one of the lot at the stern line ready to cast off. As soon as you get the ropes out I'll slip the anchor-chain, and leave the fukes in the mud.

Work lively now; we must be well out at sea before daylight."

He stood leaning against the rail, peering out over the water, his hands shading his eyes.

"Have you spotted any guardboats with your glasses?" he questioned, uneasily.

"Only that one yonder; see, the yellow light just rounding the stem of that big brig. There was a steam-launch out there to the west about 20 minutes ago, but it seems to have disappeared."

"Swallowed up in the fog likely," he admitted, shrugging the air like a pointer dog. "We'll find it banked pretty heavy outside, or I'm a lubber. Well, so much the better for our job. All right, Mr. Stephens, I'm off, and we'll have you in tow in a jiffy. I'll put the nigger at the stern line; he's the best all-round hand on board."

However I may have disliked and distrusted the whalerman he certainly proved himself an able seaman and a smart officer. He comprehended every detail of his work, and held his men to it finely. Within 20 minutes we were in motion, moving slowly, yet steadily, toward the black vacancy outlined by the harbor lights on either hand. There was no disturbing sound to betray progress, the yacht's sharp cut-water cleaving its passage through the liquid with the merest faint ripple, scarcely leaving a gleam of white foam behind, the oars dipping silently, the two lines held taut to the strain.

Exultant, I climbed once again to the bridge, gave a few directions to the observant Johnson standing motionless at the wheel, and leaned anxiously over the rail, studying the water-front through veiled glasses.

It was a barren, deserted waste, except for a deeply laden schooner beating slowly up along the north shore under closely reefed topsails, and the gleaming lights of a large steamer, just beginning to emerge faintly through the curtain of fog a trifle to the left of our course. The towing boats appeared as two insignificant blots on the surface, but that they were making excellent progress was proved by the way we were steadily drawing up toward the outer lights, already slipping round and veiling through the increasing mist.

How dark, silent, uncanny, the gloom-enshrouded yacht appeared as I leaned over the tarpaulin-protected rail and gazed down on the deserted decks, no movement, no gleam of light anywhere visible. The two masts, for the vessel was schooner-rigged, rose rakishly and with noble sweep into the sky, yet I could trace little of the gorge against the expanse of cloud. They appeared skeleton-like reeds to be broken by a gust of wind. A slight fringe of white water alone marked our progress; while a misty vapor of escaping steam spoke of the chained engine and hissing boilers below. As I rested thus, the watchful Johnson grasping the spokes behind me, the momentous events of the past few hours swept through my mind like fragments of a strange, disconnected dream—my seemingly hopeless plight in Valparaiso; my controversy with

Lieut. Sanchez; my brief meeting with the Englishman; the friendly eyes of Doris; the throb of sudden interest aroused by her presence and as quickly lost again; the sudden awing of the pendulum of Fate; the approach of De Castillo bringing unexpected opportunity for action and escape, and those later events which had so rapidly followed. I struck my hand hard against the iron rail to assure myself I was awake, and to arouse my dormant faculties to action.

"Hold her steady as she is, Johnson," I said, my voice tremulous from sudden awakening. "I'm going down to recall the boats."

"Steady as she is, sir."

In the engine room, two seamen, each grasping a gun, leaned negligently against a bulkhead, while De Nova, bare-headed, his little black mustache clearly outlined against the olive of his cheek, occupied the stool between them. The Kanaka firemen were out of sight, but the red-faced engineer was on his knees tinkering over a refractory bolt with a monkey-wrench.

"Everything working all right, Mr. De Nova?" I questioned, quietly.

"The eyes of the four men instantly turned toward me, the engineer straightening up, monkey-wrench in hand.

"No troubles here, monsieur," and the mate rose to his feet, his white teeth showing. "Were are we now?"

"Just off the point, with the lighthouse dropping astern, and the swell of the ocean under our forefoot. I am going to call in the boats. Have you plenty of coal?"

"Bunkers all full, monsieur."

"How is your steam?"

He stepped over to the gauge, peering at it across the burly shoulder of the engineer, who still stood staring at me.

"Pretty near up to ze danger mark, monsieur."

"Then stand by for signals."

The engineer came to life as though treated to an electric shock; his fist, still grasping the monkey-wrench, suddenly extended, his red face purpling with passion.

"You damned, bloody pirate!" he yelled, glaring at me savagely. "It's hung the whole lot of you will be for this bloody night's work. No, I won't keep still, you moon-faced mulatto. I'm a free-born Briton, an' I'll smash in the heads of some of you yet, an' I'll live to see the rest hung in chains for the bloody pirates you are. Just wait till you're caught, an' then you won't be ginnin' that way at an honest man. Oh, you'll git it all right, my fine lads. There'll be hell to pay for this job, let me tell you! It's on nothin' you'll be dancin' then, you murderin' spawn o' hell!"

De Nova sprang the barrel of a revolver into the man's neck, with a stern threat and an unpleasant gleaming of white teeth. The sailors remained leaning on their guns, grinning as if in enjoyment of the play.

"Never mind what he says, sir," and the mate glanced up toward me, as if in apology. "He bust out zat way ever 'fiv' minutes since we be down here. We have club him, two, three time, but he stick here just ze same, an' run ze engine. Oul, oul, it just ze way wis ze bull-headed Englisher."

"I see," I acknowledged, drawing back, "only watch that he doesn't tink the machinery."

I was not in the least surprised at discovering one of his nationality in charge of the vessel's engine room, nor was I sorry. He would feel little real interest in the affair, after he once clearly comprehended the situation, while a native Chilean might be impelled by a spirit of patriotism to cause us serious trouble. Englishmen were very frequently met with in foreign engine rooms; this fellow had probably been picked up because of better qualifications than any native applicant; or, indeed, he might have been a member of the original crew of the yacht before it was disposed of to the government. I would have a talk with him later; meanwhile he was certainly in good hands; and I had enough else to attend to.

The mate came in hand over hand, and we coiled dripping of the fore-castle deck. At the end of them the two boats emerged from out the fog and the men tumbled in silently over the rail. I watched from the vantage of the bridge, as the whole crew tumbled onto the falls, distinguishing Tuttle's nasal tones above the incessant shuffling of feet.

"Norwest by nor," Johnson—now hold her steady, my lad."

I pulled the signal cord, dimly distinguishing the faint responsive tinkle of the bell far beneath. Like a hound suddenly released for the chase, the steamer sprang forward into the fog wreaths and buried her sharp nose in the sea.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Will Not Go Far Wrong.

Let us a little permit nature to take her own way; let the better understand her own affairs than we.—Montaigne

# For the Love of Lem Yet

By MARGUERITE STABLER

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The street was almost deserted. Dismal little gleams of yellow light trickled through the dripping fog, giving to the few skurrying figures a ghost-like dimness. The pavements shone wet and slippery under the flaring lamps and threw back a faint-hearted reflection elongated by the slope of the hill. The gaudy sign-boards that flanked the doorways with their loud, discordant colorings were hushed into neutrality by the encroaching mist; but amid it all Chuck Wah sat serene and philosophical, placidly pulling away at his long-stemmed pipe. His face, a graven wooden image of barbaric hideousness, was turned toward the doorway and his slant-eyed glance never taken from the wicket.

The daily round of San Francisco shoppers and tourists was over and it was still too early for the frequenters of the gambling dens to be abroad, so in the interim the street was almost deserted save for the occasional figures flaring into visibility under a lamp and fading into mist-men the next moment. The feeble shafts of light threw grotesque shadows down the dark alleys, making them more black and forbidding than ever, and the sodden pavement that muffled the hastening footsteps into a half heard shuffle gave back a wraith-like echo. All Chinatown, like Chuck Wah, seemed holding its breath in anticipation of the later revelries. And Wah could well afford to wait patiently, knowing the tide of prosperity that, with the coming night, would set toward his gambling den.

But all Chuck Wah's vigilance was needed on this occasion, even more than he dreamed, for there was sedition in the rear of his shop and hot revolt.

Using Tee's pitiful story, was the usual one and no less tragic for its frequency. She had a fading mem-



CHUCK WAH RESTORED HIS PLACE TO HIS NEIGHBOR AND CONTINUED TO ENJOY HIS SMOKE

ory of blue mountains, broad rice fields, freedom. Then there was the coming of the strangers, promises, transportation, disillusionment and—worse than death. So much worse that Siva the destroyer had been diligently courted by the few rude means she could devise, but she was too young and strong and healthy.

Lem Yet had brought her a tiny dagger she could keep concealed in her sleeve, but no sooner had he given it to her than he had extracted a promise from her not to use it. And strangely enough since she had known Lem Yet she had not been so anxious to die. And now she knew his reason. He had told her one day a better way to escape. A way by which she still might live—and life had once been very sweet and still might be, she hoped—and Lem Yet might still be able to fill her eye as he did now.

The plan had seemed very easy as she had first heard it. The directions she knew she could not forget because Lem had pictured them out for her on a card. "Two turns to the right, one to the left, fourth door from the corner" and—safety. Now all that was required of her was patience to wait for an opportune time and caution when it came.

So while Chuck Wah sat and from force of habit watched the wicket, pulling away in deep draughts at the "portable ecstasy" in which he dealt, he did not dream how needful it was to keep all his faculties on the alert.

His main eye heavy, and these moments were at times he chose to count up his increasing wealth in his head. He was a strong tongman, he had much influence with the six companies, he was not afraid of being molested by the "Chinatown Squad" for reasons known only to himself and them, so as he sat and gloated over his affairs he waxed complaisant and—drowsy. Still, from force of habit his eyes were pointed toward the wicket. But as he sat there little did he dream that at that moment, not three yards from him, down the dark, richly strewn street, the trembling, croaking, frightened little figure of his most valuable slave-girl was stealing out into the street.

Once, to be sure, the sound of a creaking plank had caused him to start and prick up his ears to listen. His was a very old building, human souls were crammed so tightly into it there was scarcely breathing room between

them, so it was small wonder if the boards sometimes gave a little, as if to stretch its capacity of holding tenants and increasing rents. On the other side of the wall, half way down the dark stairway, the little fugitive stood half paralyzed with fright, knowing only too well what the sound of that creaking plank might bring upon her. As she waited in an agony of suspense she crouched against the wall, foaring the blood rushing through her veins and the loud thumping of her heart would arouse the whole community. But as nothing untoward followed and the sound was not repeated, Chuck Wah restored his pipe to his mouth and continued his smoke, telling himself it was a rat, and the frightened little slave ventured another step.

When at last, by crawling and sliding, scarcely daring to move, yet realizing haste was her only hope, she reached the foot of the stairway, she stopped, and before emerging from its protecting shadow quickly took off her little wooden-soled slippers and tucked them under her arm.

Then suddenly Wah thought he saw a figure fit past his wicket. He jumped up, and in his clumsiness overturned the table as he rushed for the door. Turning an instant to save the lamp, the next flash of the figure was lost upon him, and when he reached the door the fugitive was swallowed by the friendly fog.

Down the street she pattered, unnoticed by the hurrying passers except to be jostled out of their way. Two turns to the right she had made in safety. Already she began to feel free and secure. What would old Wah think when he found she had escaped? she asked herself. On the instant a sudden thought struck her, making her catch her breath in a quick, painful gasp. He would undoubtedly suspect Lem, and what would be the result?

She knew too well the work of the "hatchet men" to be in doubt as to what the end would probably be. The See Yups were the strongest tong on the coast and Chuck Wah one of the strongest See Yups in the tong. Against his influence the efforts of the "Chinatown Squad" would be futile. Lem would quietly disappear and no one be the wiser.

At the turn to the left she hesitated. The gleam in her heart had died out. It was not the prospect of her safety in the mission home she thought of now. What would rescue and safety or anything else mean to her if Lem Yet lost his life in accomplishing it? The chill of the night crept into her heart as she realized that every step she was taking toward her safety might be also toward Lem's undoing.

As she waited, irresolute, a tall figure loomed up in the mist before her. Instinctively she again flattened herself against the wall as it approached. The next instant with a smothered cry of joy she was about to spring toward him. Lem Yet at last! But the cry was strangled in her throat. On he came, peering, listening, searching for her, as she knew. Crouching in the angle of the wall she let him pass. She almost felt his breath, he was so near, yet the next instant gone.

The fourth floor, her home of refuge, now only a few steps away, gleamed with a friendly light. Lem ran hurriedly up the steps to inquire whether the little fugitive had reached it. The calm-eyed little mother of the fold shook her head as she explained that no one had been there that evening.

Wing, motionless as a little Satauma idol, saw it all and shrank still deeper into the shadow. Her life was not of much account, she told herself with a choking sob, one more or less of her kind was of no consequence. The open doorway sent out a hint of hospitable warmth to the shivering little waif. Here within half a dozen steps was an escape forever from the horror and degradation of the life behind her. She clasped her hands so tight over her breast and dug her sharp pointed nails so deep into her flesh the blood came in tiny crescent-shaped gashes.

As Lem, baffled and disappointed, turned from the door and made his way back to the corner again, his garments almost brushed against the quivering little Wing. As his figure disappeared into the dimness, with heart and soul she strained after the one hope of her life.

Lem, now thought her heart was bad and that she did not want to escape, so he was lost to her.

When the mission door was closed and Lem out of sight down the street, the piteous little atom straightened her limbs from their cramped position and turned to retrace her steps.

The streets were still quiet. Back to the corner, one turn to the right, two to the left, she turned. The fog seemed denser, the darkness more cruel and bold.

Again as Chuck Wah sat in his shop he heard a plank creak. He listened suspiciously, but as it was not repeated, he again restored the pipe to his mouth with a malediction upon the rats.

Softly the door closed behind her. No one had discovered the little slave's escape and no one heard her return.



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## Village Election-Notice.

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

Notice is hereby given, That the next ensuing Election for said Village will be held at Town Hall within said Village, on

**MONDAY, THE 14th DAY OF MARCH, 1910**

At which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz: One Village President, one Village Clerk, one Village Treasurer, three Trustees for two years, one Assessor.

In accordance with the Constitution of the State of Michigan and Act 206, Public Acts of 1909, should there be any proposition or propositions to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money, or the issue of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation jointly with her husband, or with any other person, or who owns property on contract and pays taxes thereon, at such property being located in said village, will be entitled to vote upon such proposition, provided such person has had her name duly registered in accordance with the provisions of said Act.

The polls of said election will be open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and will remain open until five o'clock in the afternoon of said day of Election.

Dated this 24th day of February, A. D. 1910.

*Chas. A. Hudson.*  
Clerk of said Village.

## Registration Notice.

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

Notice is hereby given, That a meeting of the Board of Registration of the Village above named, will be held at Office of Village Clerk within said Village, on

**SATURDAY, MARCH 12th, A. D. 1910**

For the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from nine o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 24th day of February, A. D. 1910.

**CHAS. A. HUDSON.**  
Clerk of said Village.

## Village Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a village Caucus will be held in the Town Hall in the Village of East Jordan on the 26th day of Feb. 1910, 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination Candidates for Village Officers for the ensuing term of the Village of East Jordan, county of Charlevoix, Michigan; and the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

**CHAS. A. HUDSON,**  
Village Clerk.  
Dated Feb. 17, 1910.

## People's Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a People's Caucus will be held in the Village Hall in the Village of East Jordan on Monday the 28th day of Feb. 1910, 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination Candidates for Village Officers for the ensuing term of the Village of East Jordan, county of Charlevoix, Michigan, and the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

**CLARK HAIRE, Ch'm.**  
**F. E. BOOSINGER, Sec'y.**  
Dated Feb. 21, 1910.

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## Protecting a Robber Trust

In his striking article on tariff matters in Human Life for February, Alfred Henry Lewis says: "When an infant industry gets so big and strong that it climbs the line fence and wallows the neighbors' young ones in those neighbor's own back yards, it hardly needs 'protection.'"

"Come back with me to that question of sugar 'protection.' It was but a few weeks ago when the Sugar Trust put out these illuminating figures. Naming that 2 cents a pound (tariff) grade of sugar, it quoted it for the home market at 4.45 cents a pound, and for exportation at 2.40 cents.

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And every dollar, every dime of that \$126,000,000 comes out of the pocket of the public—of you and me—of the people whose misrepresentatives in congress assembled have builded the law. Every splinter of that \$126,000,000 comes out of us. Which is why we go afoot, or cling to straps, while a Spreckles or a Havemeyer has a yacht or a private car. Going now to an average, each family in the land is taxed \$8.00 a year in favor of the Havemeyer and the Spreckles families. Who was it said, 'what fools these mortals be?' He must have been looking at a tariff bill."

## County Normal Notes.

The normal basket ball team played the high school girls' team Saturday night, Feb. 19th. The members of the normal girls' team are as follows: Louise Christensen and Georgia Scroggie, forwards; Emma Rasmussen and Blanche Nowland, guards; and Bertha McCammon and Isabel Night, centers. The score was 14 to 11 in favor of the high school girls.

Winnie Madgach's division of the class gave the following program Monday night, Feb. 21st: Song; Columbia the Gem of the Ocean; Class; Recitation, Margaret Watson; Essay Beneficial Insects, Mary Dunlop; Recitation, Georgia Redfield; Violin Solo, Bertha McCammon; Essay, Best Types of Beef and Dairy Cattle; Duet, Bessie Marlindale and Blanche Nowland. Critics report, Miss Reed. Song, Mt. Vernon Bells, Class; The members of the high school girls basket ball team were present, and light refreshments were served.

The normal class were invited to a valentine party given by the training room children Feb 14. Games were played and a pleasant hour was spent.

The normal class with Miss Himes and Miss Reed visited the Hayard school taught by Miss Pearl Hurst, class of '09, the Burgess school taught by Miss Madge Howe; and Miss Lulu Crite's school near Bay Shore, on Friday, Feb. 8th.

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