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St. Patrick's Day

How It Will be Celebrated at the Opera House.

Next Thursday, March 17th, St. Patrick, the Saint of Erin, will again be remembered by his sons at the Opera House. Rev. O. T. McGinn of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Grand Rapids, Mich., will deliver the lecture for the occasion. The newspapers of Detroit say that the lectures of Father McGinn are very good and timely. Come and find out. Next Thursday the Rev. Father will speak on "The Great Problem of the American People," a very popular subject, which will undoubtedly be interesting to everybody. Come and find out how this great and important problem is to be solved.

PROGRAM.

Selection East Jordan Orchestra
Duet—Mrs. S. A. Bush
and Tom Lalonde
Solo accompanied by Miss Ar-
Hammond Miss Mildred Sweet
"The Great Problem of the American
People" Rev. O. T. McGinn
Selection East Jordan Orchestra
Duet—Mrs. S. A. Bush
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Admission 25cts. Reserved seats at
C. C. Mack's, 10cts extra.

COOPERAGE LOCATED.

Will be on E. J. & S. R. R. near Flooring Plant.

The A. M. Haight Cooperage and Box Company is East Jordan's newest industry, the site having been settled upon by Mr. Haight purchasing a tract of land just south of the East Jordan Flooring Co.'s plant, on the E. J. & S. R. R.

It is time is to be lost in getting the industry under way. Ground has already been staked out and preparations made for the foundations. The main building is to be 40x102 feet and the boiler room about 30x30 feet. A warehouse will be constructed later on. As soon as possible the plant at Farwell will be dismantled and shipped to East Jordan. Mr. Haight informs The Herald that his plans are to have the machinery turning out product by the first of May.

County Finances.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 1st, 1910	\$8,731.49
Recd. from Delinquent Taxes	721.29
General Fund	11.05
Poor	10.00
State & Co. Taxes	371.64
State of Mich.	1,893.34
Survey Taxes Norwood Twp.	13.76
County Clerk, cost in the case of People vs. Geo. Quance	100.00
	11,852.55
DISBURSEMENTS.	
General Fund	\$1,006.27
Poor	594.26
Circuit Court Orders	201.10
Criminal Fee Orders	1.05
Probate Court Orders	36.23
State of Michigan	624.17
Twp. under Act. 317, Law of 1907	48.39
Balance on hand March 1st,	9,385.08
	11,852.55

Dated at Charlevoix Mich.,
March 2nd 1910,

RICHARD LEWIS,
County Treasurer.

Attention Worthies.

The Mystic Workers of the World have changed their meeting night from Wednesday to Saturday. Our meetings from now on will be every two weeks on Saturday night. March 18th will be our next regular meeting; let every member try to be present as there is important business to be transacted and your attendance will encourage the officers very much. The refreshment committee will serve a supper after Lodge and we are to have a card party after supper.

Just opposite the Russel House you will see a sign "Reading Room"; you are invited to enjoy what it holds forth and if you are pleased say a good word for it, and thus add your interest in the Woman's Local Option Civic society.

Well Attended

Fruit Growers' Meet at Charlevoix Full of Interest.

Charlevoix County Fruit Growers' Association met in the VanPelt hall in Charlevoix on March 1st and was called to order by the President W. P. Squier at 1:45 P. M. with about 75 fruit growers present.

The topic for this meeting was **Spraying and Trimming** but those present did not confine themselves to this subject very closely and many other points were discussed.

The County Normal class was present and all busy taking notes and the points brought out at this meeting will find their way to the school room later through these young people.

Mr. W. M. Straw says that he is always careful to trim off all bruised roots and that he cuts roots on a bevel so the first side of the root will lay on the ground. He likes the low top trees on account of less danger of damage by wind and also on account of convenience of trimming, spraying and picking.

Mr. Anderson says that he always trims his young trees to two or three branches and leaves these not more than three inches long. He likes a medium height tree and would start the top from five to seven feet from the ground.

Mr. Withers says that he trims so as to avoid crotches in trees.

The different points brought out by those gentlemen in regard to the forming of tops to young trees prove that with great care a top may be started any length from the ground and that with care a symmetrical top may be formed on any young tree.

Cut off one side of a young tree and the other may be trained and a perpendicular position and a new and well shaped top may be formed.

Grafting was discussed to some extent but the most important thing that was brought out was the fact that an otherwise useless tree can be made valuable in this way.

Mr. Williamson believes in thorough pruning and says that he keeps at it every year and thus avoids the necessity of cutting large branches though he will cut one when necessary.

A great deal of the pruning can be done simply rubbing off buds when they are starting.

He says that a young orchard should be carefully cultivated and that farmers should avoid straw crops as they always sap the trees and prevent a good growth.

I may here again mention the fact that early cultivation is essential in wood growth in condition for winter and avoid winter killing.

Discussion shifted from the tree or producing factory to the finished product.

Captain Flanagan who sailed the Lakes for years and who is now employed by Chicago parties in taking care of some farms near Ironton where they have purchased and proposed setting a big fruit farm says that when he was sailing he always loaded at Old Mission and some other points down the lake because he could get his load quickly in these places giving another proof that the matter of a market for fruit is generally solved when a community will produce a sufficient amount to entice shippers to the locality.

He says that Chicago parties propose to spend \$5000.00 in preparing their farms for fruit.

Mr. Meech mentioned some things regarding the color of fruit and says that the matter of low heading of trees will endanger the proper color of the fruit.

One very important point that was made regarding the selection of varieties was that when producing a commercial product we must select the variety that the market demands.

We personally know from experience that a certain apple is an excellent keeper and that it has an excellent flavor, but in nine cases out of ten it is the look of an apple that will attract the buyer.

Mr. See who has been in this business in Charlevoix spoke of this and mentioned several varieties that always are in demand among which were the Snow, Duchess, Wolf River, Baldwin and 20 ounce Pippin. Says there are other varieties that he personally likes better than some of those but on account of their color and size or for some other reason, generally pertaining to the looks of the article, they are not in demand.

Farmers who contemplate setting

orchards for commercial stock should look to this matter carefully and inform themselves as to the varieties that are most in demand.

It may be that you do not like a certain kind of apple but if there is a demand for it, it will pay you to raise it whether we like to eat it or not.

Mr. Ward spoke of the Chicago exhibit and of the Michigan fruit there. He said that he found apples selling at three for ten cents which were from Michigan while the western apples sold at four for ten cents.

He said that the merchant never boomed the Michigan article on account of the fact that so many of them are culls and had to be handled at a loss while the western fruit was nearly all good.

The best samples of our apple will beat the west in color, flavor and size but they beat us because they raise their fruit right and it is all good.

Mr. Armstrong stirred things up in a plea for better methods and a more determined effort to raise "a good article."

He saw the exhibit in Chicago and insists that the best specimens of our apples can beat the best specimens the west can produce and that there is no reason why our whole crop may not be as good as our best specimens and that it will be if we will make an effort to educate ourselves and will prepare to meet the little animal and vegetable enemies of the fruit industry.

Mr. Squier mentioned the fact that the representative of a Chicago firm who came here to look into the fruit matter after looking things over simply telegraphed the firm, "Stock not good" and gave as his reason for so doing that the apples were not colored were too small because they had not been thinned and that too many of them were wormy. Care and attention will remove all of these objections.

The matter of a nursery for northern Michigan was mentioned and should be studied by the farmers. Northern grown trees are better than any other and can be had cheaper. Nurseries are out of trees now and buyers should be careful.

Setting, spraying and cultivation will be discussed at the next meeting which will be held in Boyne City, April 1st.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. H. MILFORD, Secy.

In the matter of The People vs. Nelson Cardenal, who was arrested at Boyne City, charged with a statutory offense, pleaded guilty to the information, as charged, and was sentenced to serve from one to ten years at hard labor in the State Reformatory at Ionia.

"Won in the Ninth," the new baseball book by Christy Mathewson, will begin publication as a serial in The Detroit Journal on March 14. This is a live story of red-blooded, clean sport, presenting Hughie Jennings and all the big league heroes of the day as actual living characters, and is illustrated by the best known artists and cartoonists of the country. It has been secured exclusively by The Journal for Michigan, in advance of its appearance in regular book form, and at a price greater than ever before paid for a similar feature by a Michigan newspaper.

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will our splendid new crop of fine Tea. It is a most pleasant and exhilarating drink, whether taken hot with milk or cold and iced with lemon. The superior flavor is there all the time, and this applies also to our fragrant brand of fresh roasted Coffee, which ticks the palate of all good Coffee drinkers by its matchless aroma and fine flavor.

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It Relieves That Tired Feeling.

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Twenty-two Years Experience.

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East Jordan, Mich. R. F. D. 2

A Beautiful Showing of New Spring and Summer Goods.

Mrs. E. P. Hubbard having just returned from the city, invites the ladies of East Jordan and vicinity to call and examine their stock of goods which is now complete in all lines. We are sure we can please you in any of our departments.

We also wish to announce that Mrs. Jay Hite will open an up-to-date line of Millinery. The announcement of our Opening will appear later.

B. C. HUBBARD & CO.

Mrs. E. P. Hubbard Miss Mina Hite.

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.

GENERAL DRAY LINE in connection.

E. E. BROWN

is sufficient for the front of a post card. If you will write your own address plainly on the other side we shall be pleased to send THE LEADING AMERICAN SEED CATALOG. An elegant book of 178 pages, it tells the plain truth and should be read by all who would have the best garden possible and who are willing to pay a fair price for seeds of the

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The Center of Economy.

Wash Fabrics. We have Wash Fabrics to please women who begin their new frocks early.

Very frankly we are preaching economy without any sacrifice of appearance. Spring's most becoming styles are shown here.

It is a matter of regret that we cannot show the splendid quality in an advertisement but equally the styles which cannot be shown is also difficult to describe. The best real example of "QUALITY FIRST" is found in all our beautiful new goods.

This is really another White Goods year and we have made our preparations accordingly. Nice smooth soft finish goods in all new kinds from 12c to 75c a yard. What a range of prices and what a splendid line to select from, but to get the best results from your new dress, the corset must be right. The woman who naturally is a good figure may enhance her beauty or detract materially from her appearance and comfort according to the degree of proper or improper corsetings. The Jackson Corset are made in a great variety of styles and we guarantee that the designs are correct to the last detail, allowing free deep breathing, perfect comfort, and control the form to produce that graceful figure at once the delight and pride of our nation. The price of these corsets range from 50c to \$3.00 according to the style and quality you may desire.

And Now For the Men.

We have already received our new line of the great Clarendon Shirts—the great \$1.50 Shirt we sell for \$1.00.

Just received today, another invoice of the Corliss Coon Co.'s hand made linen collars at the popular price of two for 25c. New things all along the line—Ties, Shoes, in fact everything to please most fastidious dressers.

We especially ask you to let us be your shoemaker, where quality and comfort in shoes is the first consideration.



"Quality First of All" our motto.

Fred E. Boosinger.

ALLIGATORS GETTING SCARCE



A TWELVE-FOOTER



AN UGLY BUNCH

TWENTY years ago a visitor to that part of the south below North Carolina could see alligators in almost every stream and bayou, but now one may frequently spend months traveling through this region and not see a single alligator, except those in captivity. The killing of the creatures for sport or for their hides has been the main cause of their great decrease in numbers. In addition, thousands of the young have been killed or shipped away, while enormous numbers of the eggs have been gathered and sold as curios.

It was not until about 1855 that the demand for alligator leather became of importance. The market was not long continued. In 1869 fashion again called for the leather for manufacturing into fancy slippers, traveling bags, belts, cards cases, music rolls, etc. The demand has continued to the present, and many thousands of the animals have been killed, while the preparation of the skins has given employment to hundreds of people.

The output of the tanneries of this country approximates 270,000 skins annually, worth about \$425,000, part of which comes from Mexico and Central America. It is estimated that about 3,000,000 alligators were killed in Florida alone between 1880 and 1908, nearly 20,000 being killed in 1908.

The earliest settlers in the southern states found alligators, or, as they were then called, crocodiles, exceedingly abundant in almost all streams, especially in Florida and Louisiana. Many marvelous tales are found in the early chronicles of the ravages of these monsters. They were said to eat dogs and pigs, and to consider the negro an especially succulent tidbit, while it was considered dangerous to go into the streams where they were known to exist. When such a stream had to be crossed, hours were spent sometimes in beating to frighten off the alligators.

The researches of scientists have shown that there is very slight foundation for such stories, and it is probable that the greater number of the pigs lost by the planters could have been traced to other enemies, particularly the two-footed kind, while runaway slaves would naturally encourage the belief that alligators had devoured them.

The greater part of the supply of alligator leather now comes from Florida, and owing to excessive hunting the industry is profitable only in the central part of the peninsula, in what is called the Lake Okechobee regions and in the Everglades. Here the principal hunters are Seminole Indians, who have their homes on hummocks far back in the Everglades and come to the settlements only when in need of articles which they cannot produce themselves.

The alligator is most active at night, and its days are usually spent lying on some low bank or log overhanging the water, where it can enjoy the warmth of the sun and be able to retreat to its native element at the first sign of danger. While on land alligators are very clumsy, in the water they are exceedingly active, and being strong swimmers are able to catch the larger fish with but slight trouble. For animals like the muskrat and other swimming across lagoons they are always on the watch.

On catching the prey the alligator sinks with it to the bottom, and there remains until all struggling has ceased. It is then able with less effort to tear it to pieces. While thus submerged a peculiar collar at the base of the tongue prevents the water from passing into its lungs.

While the alligator is said to make very effective use of its tail in warfare the widely disseminated story that it uses its tail to sweep animals off the banks into its jaws appears to have but slight foundation in fact.

In April or May the mother alligator builds a small mound with a hole in the middle. The foundation of this mound is of mud and grass, and on these she lays some eggs. She then covers the eggs with another stratum of grass and mud, upon which she deposits some more eggs. Thus she proceeds until she has laid from 25 to 60 eggs. The eggs are hatched out by the sun.

As soon as they have chipped the shell the baby alligators are led to the water by the mother, who provides them with food, which she disgorges. Papa alligator has to be carefully watched at this time, for he highly esteems a dinner of young saurians and is not particular whether they are his own or his neighbor's children. When by strategy or downright fighting the mother has got her family safely into their natural element it is not long before the young scatter, each to begin life on his own hook. At this period they form a favorite food for turtles and the larger fishes.

When fully grown the alligator is about 16 feet in length. In the adult stage it is greenish black above, having lost the yellowish color bands that belong to its earlier years. Hunters say that alligators grow very slowly, attaining the first year a length of about one foot. When two feet in length they are said to be from 10 to 15 years old, while those 12 feet long are supposed to be 75 or more. Their normal life is estimated at from 100 to 150 years.

Alligator hunting originally began as sport. Then some one tanned the skin and found that it could be put to commercial use. Carried on as it must be, at night, the hunt is picturesque.

In many places the hunters fasten bicycle-lamps on their caps, and when the animal is attracted by the light pick it off by hitting it in the eye with a rifle ball. Torches are often used. Sometimes the hunter lures the alligator to the surface of the water by "telephoning to the gator," as it is called.

An alligator is always attracted by the peculiar grunt which the young alligators make, for there is no sort of food they love better than the newly hatched gator. The hunter takes a long, slender pole and lets one end of it down very quietly on to the water. The other end he places between his teeth and imitates the grunt of the baby gators. The old fellows easily hear the call and come to feast on the babies they think are there.

In catching them alive hunters frequently lasso them while asleep on the bank or on a log. When asleep in their holes in the mud they are occasionally drawn out by the means of an iron hook. These holes are easily found. Sometimes the grass is set afire and the animals lassoed as they seek the water.

After the alligator is caught the hunter in sport sometimes mounts it, using the reptile's fore feet and legs as reins. It is needless to say that it is only by the exercise of considerable skill that the hunter keeps his seat through the struggles of the reptile, and if care is not used the fun may develop into tragedy.

Alligators three feet and more in length are generally killed at once and the hide removed. All of the hide except the ridge of the back, which is very heavy, is used. The hide is salted and is then condition for sale to the buyers, who are usually storekeepers, who furnish provisions and ammunition in exchange.

The hides range in value to the hunters from 20 cents for a three-foot hide to \$1.25 for a hide seven feet or more in length. The five and six foot hides are the most desirable, as the larger hides have a hard piece of bone in the square checks on the hide, and it is impossible to sew through this. Nearly all of the tanning is done at Newark, N. J.

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HIS GREAT MISTAKE

FATE OF EMBEZZLER WHO DISREGARDED WISE ADVICE.

Urged to Confess His Fault, the Culprit Fled, to Be Overtaken by Retribution When All Seemed to Be Going Well.

"All sorts of criminals come to us and confess their crimes," said the Sky Pilot, "and ask our advice, but they don't always take it. They would be better off if they did. There is one case I will tell you of. A man came one day perfectly white, all to pieces, shut the door behind him, looked all around the room, then asked in a whisper if there was any one about who could hear what he had to tell me. I assured him that there was no one in the house besides myself but my sister, and she was in the dining-room. The door was shut between.

"The man then told me his story. He said he had robbed the bankers who were his employers of \$7,000 and, lost the money in speculation. He begged to know what to do. I don't think I have ever seen a man nearer the verge of nervous prostration.

"I advised him to go to his employers and own up. 'I thought they would give him another chance, let him earn the money, and repay them.' He went away after promising me he would follow my advice.

"My sister came in and asked to know what he had confessed. I never repeat these confessions, so I remained silent until day after day passed, I heard nothing from him and she begged me so hard I told her the story. You know how women are. They never let you alone until they have had their way.

"All this happened in Cleveland, O., by the way.

"After about two years my sister brought me a paper with an account of a man who had shot himself in Denver. He was running a restaurant out there, a very successful one, it seemed. He had gone to bed one night when two men came to his restaurant, above which he ran a hotel with rooms to rent. The men were from his old home, Cleveland. The boy went upstairs to tell the proprietor that the men wanted to see him.

"The boy no sooner left the room than the proprietor took the pistol he always kept ready, they said, near him and blew out his brains.

"He was the man who had confessed to me. He had gone out there and started this business and was succeeding beautifully, but when these two men sent word that they were from Cleveland, he immediately jumped to the conclusion that they were detectives sent out by his old employers to look him up and arrest him.

"The men were amazed. They had simply heard that he was from their home and wanted to see him, thinking he might, perhaps, give them more comfortable quarters for that reason.

"Now, you see, if that man had done as I told him to do, confessed to his employers and begged their mercy, he might have been alive to-day."

WEARING OUT FARM QUICKLY

Rich Soil Rendered Sterile Through Continuous Bad Cropping and Bad Management of Fertility.

(By ARTHUR S. BILL.)

"Our inexhaustibly rich soil" and many similar expressions to indicate that the land would never become less productive were quite common a decade ago. But you seldom hear such words now; they are passing away with many other thoughtless conceits.

But whoever heard of a man taking a piece of virgin soil and literally wearing it out in his own lifetime? A most impressive illustration of this very thing recently came under the writer's personal observation, a few miles from Carbondale, in southern Illinois.

A man now well along in his nineties is living upon a 120-acre farm which he secured from the government about sixty years ago at \$1.25 an acre. The place has never been transferred to another person.

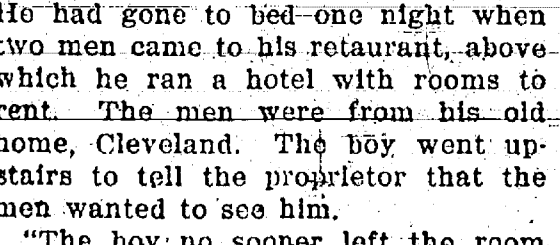
It was good ground and used to produce 35 bushels of wheat per acre, but has been farmed so constantly to corn and wheat without any intelligent rotation or provision to return the plant food taken off in the crops that now the produce of the land barely enables the occupants to exist.

The last wheat crop was two bushels per acre. Probably less than ten bushels of corn per acre were raised there this year. The land can be counted on for little if any more than a quarter of an average crop. Some of this land must lie idle every year to "rest up" for the next crop—as the writer saw.

A nearby farmer has 40 bushels of corn per acre and may have above 30 bushels per acre this year. Land is a good price in that locality.

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TRACTION ENGINE FOR FARM

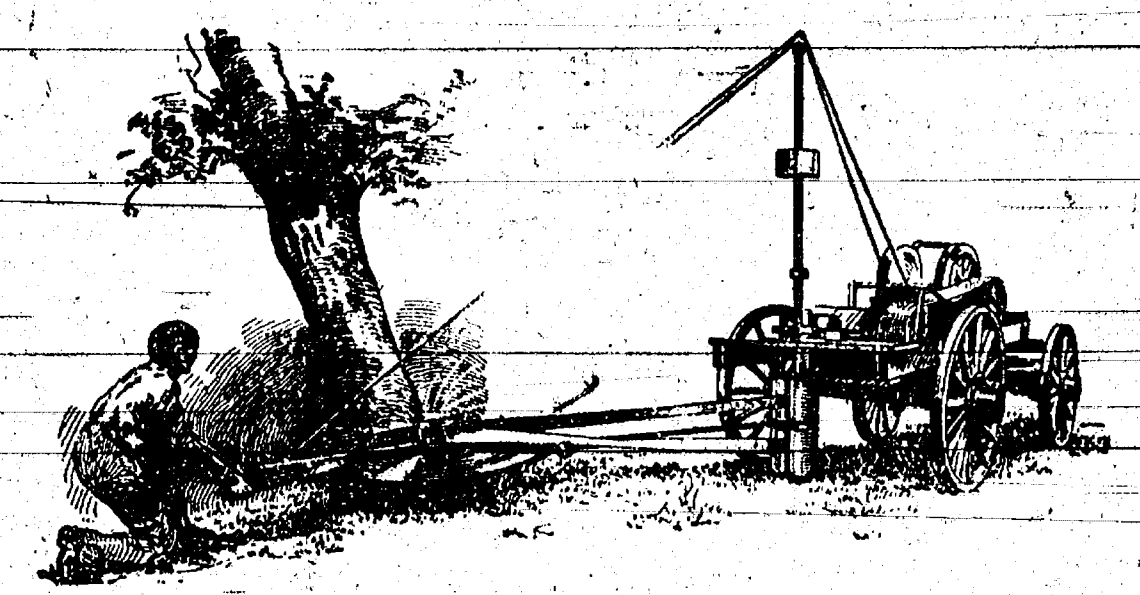


The engine herewith shown is a traction gasoline engine, the traction part of which is made up of an engine, corn-buskers, cream-separators, feed-grinders, by which you may see I keep the blood circulating.

This illustration gives an excellent idea of an ingenious arrangement of a circular saw and gasoline engine to be used for cutting down trees. All the units of the plant are assembled on an ordinary farm wagon, the saw being arranged on a mast which swings from the back end of the vehicle, says Popular Mechanics. The gasoline engine belt is connected to a horizontal shaft, which in turn is connected to a perpendicular one. A belt leading from the perpendicular shaft whirls the saw, which can be raised or lowered to satisfy the requirements of height. As shown in the illustration, the saw can be made to cut very close to the ground, which is a distinct advantage.

CIRCULAR MOTOR-DRIVEN SAW THAT FELS TREES

Ingenious Arrangement of Cutting Timber—All Units of Plant Assembled on Wagon—Can Cut Close to Ground.



Ingenious Portable Saw Outfit.

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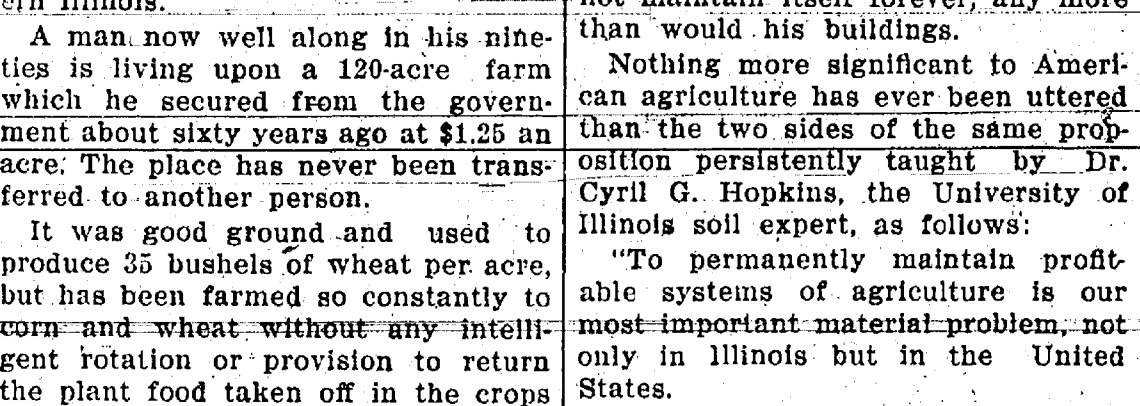
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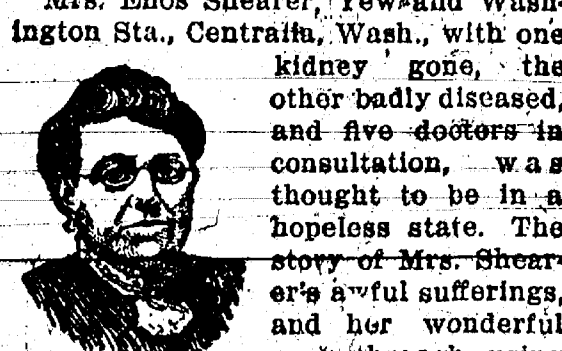


The engine herewith shown is a traction gasoline engine, the traction part of which is made up of an engine, corn-buskers, cream-separators, feed-grinders, by which you may see I keep the blood circulating.

This illustration gives an excellent idea of an ingenious arrangement of a circular saw and gasoline engine to be used for cutting down trees. All the units of the plant are assembled on an ordinary farm wagon, the saw being arranged on a mast which swings from the back end of the vehicle, says Popular Mechanics. The gasoline engine belt is connected to a horizontal shaft, which in turn is connected to a perpendicular one. A belt leading from the perpendicular shaft whirls the saw, which can be raised or lowered to satisfy the requirements of height. As shown in the illustration, the saw can be made to cut very close to the ground, which is a distinct advantage.

THE SHADOW OF DEATH

Remarkable Recovery of a Washington Woman.



Mrs. Enos Shearer, Yew and Washington Sta., Centraita, Wash., with one kidney gone, the other badly diseased, and five doctors in consultation, was a thought to be in a hopeless state. The story of Mrs. Shearer's awful sufferings, and her wonderful cure through using

Doan's Kidney Pills, is a long one, but will interest any sufferer with backache or kidney trouble, and Mrs. Shearer will tell it to any one who writes her, enclosing a stamp. "I am well and active, though 65 years old, and give the credit to Doan's Kidney Pills," says Mrs. Shearer.

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

A Polish Marriage.

A Polish couple came before a justice of the peace to be married. The young man handed him the marriage license and the pair stood up before him.

"Join hands," said the justice of the peace.

They did so, and the justice looked at the document, which authorized him to unite in marriage Zacharewicz Percezniski and Loekowarda Jellinski.

"Ahem!" he said, "Zacha-h-m-h-m—ski, do you take this woman," etc.

"Yes, sir," responded the young man.

"Leo-h-m—ah—ski, do you take this man to be," etc.

"Yes, sir," replied the woman.

"Then I pronounce you man and wife," said the justice, glad to do something he could pronounce, and I heartily congratulate you both on having reduced those two names to one."

—Lippincott's Magazine.

The Fight Against Tuberculosis.

Interest in the anti-tuberculosis campaign now being waged throughout the United States is evidenced by the fact that in the year 1909 103 new anti-tuberculosis associations were formed, 133 tuberculosis sanatoria and hospitals were established, and 91 tuberculosis dispensaries were opened. Compared with previous years, this is the best record thus far made in the fight against consumption in this country.

During the year 1909, 43 more associations for the prevention of tuberculosis were formed than during the previous 12 months, and 62 more hospitals and sanatoria were established. On January 1, 1910, there were in the United States 394 anti-tuberculosis associations, 388 hospitals and tuberculosis sanatoria and 265 special tuberculosis dispensaries.

Reflections.

The beautiful home was crowded with people assembled to honor the distinguished guest.

But the explorer soon tired of the attentions, and as he leaned his arm against a pillar, he allowed himself to be transported back to the scene of his triumph.

"Such a waste," he mumbled, audibly, staring into space, "such a waste, such a waste."

Why so many stout ladies left the house in indignation, the hostess was unable to learn.—Sunday Magazine of the Pittsburg Dispatch.

A Holiday Sermon.

"In takin' up de collections fer de holiday heathens," said Brother Dickey, "don't forget dat dey's cross de water. My advice is ter save all de warm kiver fer de home heathens—sich ez blankets, an' ol' overcoats. Dem heathens whar de missionaries go lives in a hot country, an' all de kiver dey needs is a umbreller ter keep de sun off."—Atlanta Constitution.

CLEAR-HEADED Head Bookkeeper Must be Reliable.

The chief bookkeeper in a large business house in one of our great Western cities speaks of the harm coffee did for him:

"My wife and I drank our first cup of Postum a little over two years ago, and we have used it ever since, to the entire exclusion of tea and coffee. It happened in this way:

"About three and a half years ago I had an attack of pneumonia, which left a memento in the shape of dyspepsia, or rather, to speak more correctly, neuralgia of the stomach. My cup of cheer had always been coffee or tea, but I became convinced, after a time, that they aggravated my stomach trouble. I happened to mention this matter to my grocer one day and he suggested that I give Postum a trial.

"Next day it came, but the cook made the mistake of not boiling it sufficient, and we did not like it much. This was, however, soon remedied, and now we like it so much that we will never change back. Postum being a true beverage instead of a drug, has been the means of curing my stomach trouble. I verily believe, for I am a well man today and have used no other remedy."

"My work as chief bookkeeper in our Co.'s branch house here is of a very confining nature. During my coffee-drinking days I was subject to nervousness and 'the blues' in addition to my sick spells. These have left me since I began using Postum and I can conscientiously recommend it to those whose work confines them to long hours of severe mental exertion."

"There's a Reason."

Look in pkgs. for the little book, "The Road to Wellville."

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



MARCH.

Another spring has dawned and down the river of time our winter stole away. Now the furry catkins are beginning to unfold their downy buds and early flowers are peeping from their parthy, mild and swishing into beauty and fragrance.

General Philip Sheridan was born on the sixth of this month 1831, died February 14th, 1893.

Blow bugle soft thy bugle blow, Weep every heart that loved him so. And children tell in friendly clan, Of Winchester and Sheridan.

On the ninth battle between the Monitor and the Merrimac, the Monitor went smack into the Merrimac and on her sides played Yank a Doodle Dandy Oh, Admira, John S. Worden, commander of the Monitor, birthday occurs on the twelfth.

Republican Township Caucus.

A Republican Township Caucus or Primary election for the Township of South Arm will be held in the Town Hall in the Village of East Jordan, in said township, on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1910, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various township offices to be filled at the annual election to be held April 4th, 1910, viz:—

- 1 Supervisor
1 Township Clerk
1 Treasurer
Highway Commissioner
1 Overseer of highways
1 Justice of the Peace
1 School Inspector
1 Member of the board of review
1 pound master
4 Constable

A Township Committee of three members to call republican caucuses in said town until the next annual town election.

The polls of said caucus will be open from 2:00 p. m. until 7:00 p. m. standard time, on above day, to receive votes.

Any person desiring to have his name printed on the ballot for such primary election will present the name to R. L. Lorraine of this committee, not earlier than 12:00 o'clock, noon, of Saturday, March 19th not later than Friday noon, March 25th 1910, depositing therewith for a fund for printing tickets and defraying costs of the caucus, the following schedule of fees.

- For Supervisor \$5 00
For Treasurer 5 00
For Township clerk 3 00
For Highway Com'r 3 00
For Overseer of Highways 1 00
For Justice of the peace 50
For Member of Board of review 25
All others gratis.

The caucus according to the standing instructions of the Republican party in this township, will be conducted as nearly as possible, in the manner provided by statute for primary elections.

By order of township Committee. Dated March 10, 1910. R. L. Lorraine Chairman.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for in the East Jordan post office for the week ending March 5, 1910

- Letters.
Miss Grace Murray - Homer Decees
Mary Henry, Miss Curie Hearckern. Cards.
Miss Zora Ceaplin, Charles Bishaw.
Mr. Aubra Blake, Miss Ethel Clark.
Mrs. H. Anderson, Mamie Bridges
Mr. Iryin Daamao, Eunice Liskum
Miss Grace Murray, F. A. KENYON P. M.

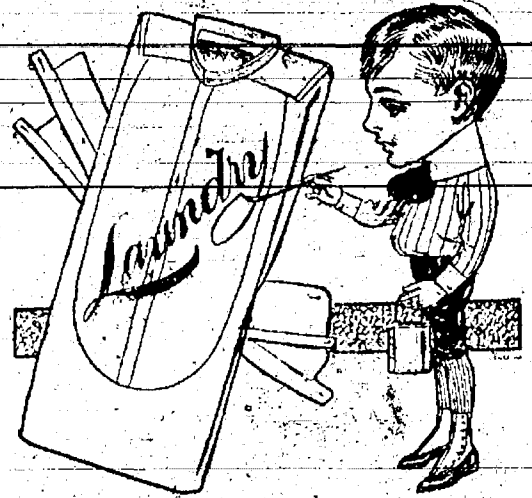
The Best Meat On the Block



can be bought in our store. We will go further and claim that we have the best and tenderest in town. There is no better than the best, and that is our kind. Rich, juicy, full of flavor, good, nutritious meat is the kind we keep. Our Chops and Steaks are unrivaled in taste and quality. You cannot buy tough meat from us because we do not keep it in stock.

Shermans Market

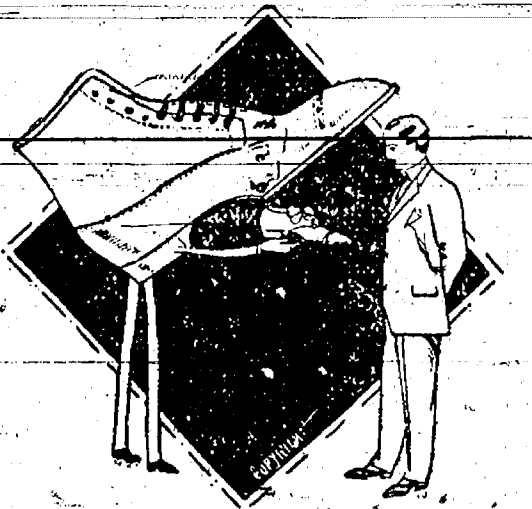
It Is Written



that we are the best and most careful Laundries in the neighborhood, and the praise is merited by our honest, conscientious work. We do up the damtiest linen in a careful way and never injure the fabric in the slightest degree. We call for and deliver orders and give perfect and positive satisfaction to all our patrons. A single trial will make you a regular patron.

Cuson Bros.

Prop'rs East Jordan Steam Laundry.



ONE SHOE SELLS ANOTHER for us. Those who once enjoy the comfort of our feet wear always come back when they need more shoes.

They Don't Buy So Often

as they used to, for our shoes last much longer than the ordinary. That means a saving as well as the pleasure of wearing shoes so comfortable you never know you have them on. Come and get a pair as a trial. Then you'll know what shoe comfort really is.

Wallace Wiess The Fair Store

Frank Phillips

Tonsorial Artist. When in need of anything in my line call in and see me. Third door north of Postoffice.

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not in itself a true disease. We think of indigestion as a symptom only of a certain specific nerve sickness—nothing else. It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop in the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success and favor to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative. Without that original and highly vital principle, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had. For stomach distress, bloating, flatulency, bad breath and other complaints, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—and see for yourself what it can and will do. We sell and cheerfully recommend

Dr. Shoop's Restorative JAMES GIDLEY.

Last of the Course

Chicago Glee Club, Monday, March 21st.

The Chicago Glee Club stands among the best male quartets of the country. The Club may be classed with the older organizations as it has been constantly before the public since February, 1899. Few changes in membership, voices perfectly adapted to the parts assigned, and an artistic musical temperament, have produced a very high degree of excellence. The repertoire of the club comprises the best of all types of part-song music, and its programs of male quartets, trombone quartets, characterizations, vocal and horn solos, present such variety and merit as to please every auditor.

The trombone quartet, first introduced to the Lyceum by the Chicago Glee Club, and used only by them, is one of the most artistic and pleasing novelties before the public. The trombone is conceded to be the



"king" of wind instruments, and the effect produced by the four quite approaches in sweetness and volume the quality and power of the pipe-organ. With these instruments, supplementing the male quartet, the club is able to present a varied and interesting evening.

Mr. Dixon has been giving impersonations with the Club for several seasons. He presents all of his characters in make-up, taken from life, wholesome, refreshing, real, never overdrawn or exaggerated. His "Hoosier," an original sketch, illustrated with poems by James Whitcomb Riley, and "Squire Hawkins' Story," are conceded to be among the very best bits of characterization on the platform.

Dallas (Tex.) News—The Chicago Glee Club, as a quartet, is one of the greatest that ever appeared that ever appeared in Dallas. As soloists they can hardly be excelled, and for blend of tone and harmony they are nearly perfect.

Freepress (Ill.) Evening Standard—The feature of the evening was the Trombone Quartet. This is the only one of its kind in the country and they were recalled three times on their first appearance and as many times on their second.

Milwaukee (Wis.) Sentinel—Mr. Dixon in impersonations of a Hoosier displayed dramatic ability of a high order, and his readings in dialect from James Whitcomb Riley were a revelation to admirers of the Indiana poet.

Western Michigan orchards are better than gold mines, for they are on top of the ground, easy to work in a beautiful region as well as civilized community with modern advantages, of railways, steamship and telephone lines and rural free delivery, near beautiful Lake Michigan and close to the large market centers.

Threatening feverishness with children is quickly and safely calmed by preventives. These little candy cold cure tablets should always be on hand. For promptness is all important. Preventives contain no quinine, nothing harsh nor sickening in preventives, they are indeed, "the stich in time." Carried in pocket or purse, preventives are a genuine safeguard against colds. 25c. Sold by James Gidley.

For Sale or Trade.

I have a six-room house lathed and plastered, lot 3x12 rods, wood house, cellar, porch 6x24, located at Boyne City near the Chemical Plant, to trade for city property or small farm near East Jordan. I also have several good houses in all parts of Boyne City; also some good business chances; and farms in all parts of the county.

JOHN JOHNSTON.

You economize greatly when using Dr. Shoop's new coffee substitute known as Dr. Shoop's health coffee. A 1 pound package gives 100 cups of a wonderfully satisfying table drink. Pure toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc. give to health coffee a wholesome and satisfying flavor. And there is not a grain of real coffee in it. Besides health coffee is "made in a minute". No 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Sold by G. L. Sherman and Son.

HAPPY WOMEN.

Plenty of Them in East Jordan and Good Reason for It.

Wouldn't any woman be happy. After years of headache suffering, days of unrest, nights of suffering, the distress of urinary troubles, she finds relief and cure. No reason why any East Jordan reader should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. Milo Day, Third St., East Jordan, Mich., says: "I consider Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured from Gannett Co.'s drug store a very valuable remedy. I have used them for pains in the back, and other distressing symptoms of kidney trouble and have found them far superior to any other kidney medicine on the market. Other members of the family have used Doan's Kidney Pills for similar troubles and in each case the best results have followed. I do not hesitate to give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement."

For Sale by all Dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, Sole Agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Lemieux & Lancaster

Blacksmithing and Carriage Work. HORSE SHOEING a Specialty. All Work Guaranteed. Our Patronage Respectfully Solicited. State-st., East Jordan.



Potato Field Near East Jordan

NOT a little of the money that the people of Western Michigan have jingling in their pockets comes from the shipment of potatoes, many hundreds of thousands of bushels of which go to the consuming markets each season. The Western Michigan potato is of extra fine quality, and therefore in great demand. The above picture is from a photograph taken on the farm of H. L. Olney, near East Jordan. The four potatoes clinging to the vines in Mr. Olney's hand weighed five pounds. There were still other potatoes in the hill.

EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.

Fine Line of Ladies' Suits and Dresses.



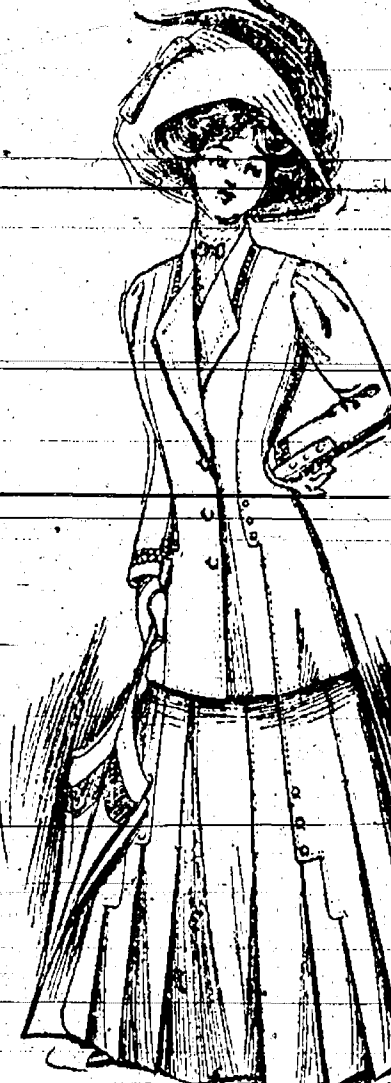
We now have on display a fine line of Ladies' Suits and Dresses, and a few one-piece dresses which are as pretty as any that you can have made, and they are cheaper.

Ladies' Suits, in prices from \$12.00 to \$22.50

Capes, Misses' and Ladies' \$3.50 to \$15.00

We also have a complete line Shirtwaists in white and colored patterns.

Everything new and pretty for Easter.



EASTER SUNDAY

Is the day which rings the change of seasons in clothes. It is the day to put away your winter garb and put on your Spring outfit. We are prepared to fix you out with the best of wearables from fine novelties in neckwear to the newest gray suit and nobby Spring overcoat.

We have a particularly handsome display of Friend Made Clothes and Alma Mater Student styles in outer garments for men. Priced from \$15.00 to \$35.00 Your early inspection invited.



East Jordan Lumber Co.

Briefs of the Week

Village Election next Monday.
 Register today for Village election.
 St. Patrick's celebration next Thursday.
 No marriage licenses issued for the week ending March 5th.
 The band boys gave an open air concert Friday night that was enjoyed by all who heard them.
 You are invited to the Song Story services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.
 Rev. and Mrs. E. McGinn lectures "The great Problem of a Merit People" at St. Patrick's celebration next Thursday evening.
 The Stevens Post and Corps celebrates their birthdays for the first three months of 1910 on St. Patrick's day, Thursday afternoon the 17th.
 W. A. Stroebel returned first of the week from Saginaw and brought with him a couple of Azalea plants in full bloom which now adorn the window of Stroebel brothers.

The Grand Traverse Lincoln Club will hold their annual banquet at Traverse City next Friday, March 18th. Ira A. Adams of Belljre is president of the organization.
 Through courtesy of Congressman Dodds, The Herald has a quantity of government seeds on hand for free distribution. If you want some call at this office before the supply is exhausted.

George Bowen was thrown from a load of wood, Thursday, and quite badly injured. He was driving east of town on the Boyne Falls road when the stakes holding the load, broke throwing Mr. Bowen to the ground, injuring him internally.

Att'y F. E. Boosinger and sister, Miss Jennie, were called to Lansing Monday by the death of their father, Nathan, who died suddenly Monday morning of heart failure. He was aged about 75 years and was well known to East Jordan people, having been here a number of times visiting relatives.

A big Equity rally is planned for East Jordan the afternoon of March 22nd at Votruba Hall, commencing at 2:00 p. m. Hon. H. B. Sherman of Indianapolis, Ind., national organizer of the Farmers' Society of Equity, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Sherman will be in the county a week working in the interests of the society.

James J. L. Wiesman and Frank Phillips entertained about forty of their friends at cards, at the home of the former, Wednesday evening. Five Hundred was played. Mrs. Plank received the honors with Mrs. Sweet second. A feature of the evening was the music furnished by the high school orchestra. Elaborate refreshments were served, and the favors were carnations.

Manager Waterman of the East Jordan Planing Mills Co. has invented a patent clothes-reef which will be on the market in a short time. It is practically indestructible and is such a convenience that no housekeeper can well go without one. The plant is also turning out a quantity of lapboards which will be on the market in a week or so.

According to the new bass law, Act No. 59, passed by the last legislature and given immediate effect, it is unlawful to take, catch or kill any small mouth bass, big mouth bass, silver gallop, white or strawberry bass within the borders of the state from Feb. 1st to June 15th. This is calculated to entirely cover the spawning season. Hitherto only black bass have been protected by law, the closed season having been April 1st to May 20th.

Wait for the annual sugar social by the woman's relief corps.
 Miss Grace Kenholt is slowly recovering from her recent illness.
 Att'y E. N. Clink was a Jackson business visitor this week.
 J. F. Kenny has completed his annual ice shipment to Deward.

Mrs. F. B. Hamilton is guest of Standish and Detroit friends.
 Ira Bradshaw and family moved here from Central Lake this week.
 Miss Florence Sheldon is visiting friends in Charlevoix and Petoskey.
 F. B. Hamilton is receiving a visit from his brother Charles, of Standish.

Alfred Westgate has been here from Norwood this week guest of friends.
 B. E. Waterman and family entertained E. P. Waterman of Traverse City on Sunday.
 Mrs. Alfred Bancroft is visiting her sons John Lewis and families who reside near Pellston.

Call and see our new line of wall paper from 10c to \$3.00 per roll. Patton's Pharmacy.
 John Monroe and family now occupy the rooms in the block over Harper's recently vacated by Dr. Dikens.
 Mr and Mrs. H. A. Kimball are receiving a visit from the latter's sister, Mrs. E. S. Carrill, of Central Lake.

Mrs. Brewer and her daughter Mrs. Baker of Traverse, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roy returned last Saturday from a visit with relatives in the southern part of the state.

A number of Miss Bessie Johnson's little friends helped her celebrate her birthday anniversary last Saturday afternoon.
 Lost—Eye-Glasses, between Opera House and W. R. Richardson's store, Friday morning. Will finder please return to Harriett Malpass.

Some have been inquiring when the W. R. C. would have their annual sugar social. Arrangements are being made and hope soon to announce the date.
 L. S. Matthews left Friday for Oceana County where he joins his wife, and with his family, goes on to Chestertown, Md., their future home.

Mrs. E. P. Hubbard returned Tuesday from a business trip to Louisville and Cincinnati. On her way home she stopped at Whitehall to visit with relatives.
 The Woman's Local Option Civic Society will hold its monthly meeting with Mrs. George Bowen Friday of next week, March 18th. Business of importance, all members try and be present.

Mr. Schaefer, tenor soloist in the First Congregational church of Buffalo, N. Y., delighted those present last Sunday at the Presbyterian church with his splendid voice. He is certainly one of the finest singers ever heard in this city.

Service as usual in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. A specially attractive song and story service has been arranged for the evening. Instead of the usual order at 7:00. Sunday School at 11:35, Junior C. L. at 3:15, Senior C. E. at 6:15.

Little Hugh Foster Cummings, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Cummings, died Wednesday this week after a lingering illness. The baby was born on the 13th of last July, funeral services were held at the home, Rev. A. D. Grigsby officiating, and the body was laid in the East Jordan cemetery.

Herbert Sutton and family of Boyne City visited at Steven Sloan's several days last week.
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 Marion Hudkins spent a few days last week in South Central, Mich., prospecting for a farm.

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 Twenty-eight of the Wilson Grangers visited Deer Lake Grange last Saturday evening. Their degree team conferred the third and fourth degrees on a class of ten and a very pleasant evening was spent by all. Deer Lake lecturer announced a New Eng. and Supper to be held at their hall Thursday evening, March 17, St. Patrick's Day. Bill 25c a person. This is for the purpose of raising money to buy chairs for the hall.

Cupboards and Kitchen Cabinets at Whittington's.
 Fitch & McCalmon, Real Estate Agents, East Jordan, Mich.

Rocking Chairs—Yes, Rocking Chairs galore at Whittington's.
 Varnished Tiling Paper for Bath Room and Kitchen at Payton's.
 Sideboards, China Cabinets, and Extension Tables at Whittington's.

After you see those Go-Cart Runners at Whittington's you will have none others.
 Team of Horses, Lumbering Sleighs and Harness for sale cheap if taken at once.—Richard Forbes, Route 3, East Jordan, Mich.

The best of Everything that can be found in a first-class market is always on sale at Richard Bros., the State's market.
 If you want to sell that piece of real estate list it with Fitch & McCalmon, the new real estate agents. They will advertise it.

PAPERS WANTED.—We will pay 5c a piece for copies of Herald containing the Tax Sales List, published Jan'y 8-15-22-29, Feb'y 5.—HERALD.
 The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will be entertained by Mrs. J. W. Rogers and Mrs. John Mombberger at the former's home, Wednesday afternoon, March 16th. Visitors welcome.

The Mite Society of the L. I. B. church will hold a St. Patrick Social the evening of March 17th at the home of Leonard Dudley. Ladies are requested to bring lunch boxes trimmed in green. Prizes will be given.
 Monday morning the New Boyne Hotel at Boyne City was totally destroyed by fire. The loss was over \$16,000, with insurance at \$10,000. The proprietor, Mr. Isbell, is undecided whether he will rebuild or not, but a new hotel, which has long been needed by our sister city, is sure to be erected this coming summer.

A Good Bye.

Upon leaving East Jordan I wish to say a few words of good bye, I and mine have spent twelve very pleasant years in your little city. In many respects it has been a delightful period in our lives, and the last few weeks have demonstrated if possible, still more the kindness of those we leave behind us. I desire to show my appreciation of this in these few words of parting. To all my friends, old and new, in the church and out, and in the Presbyterian church as well, I say my good bye in sadness. To all those who have aided us since our dear home was laid in ashes I wish to say my sad good bye. Not only this, but there are many others who if opportunity had been presented would just as cheerfully have helped us in our need. And still more I am saying this to people who live outside of East Jordan, as well as those in town.

It has been my pleasure to come into friendly relations with a great number of people who live in our vicinity. Good bye to all, may He who guides and guards our way keep us until the end, and bring to our better home at last.
 L. S. Matthews and family.

WILSON

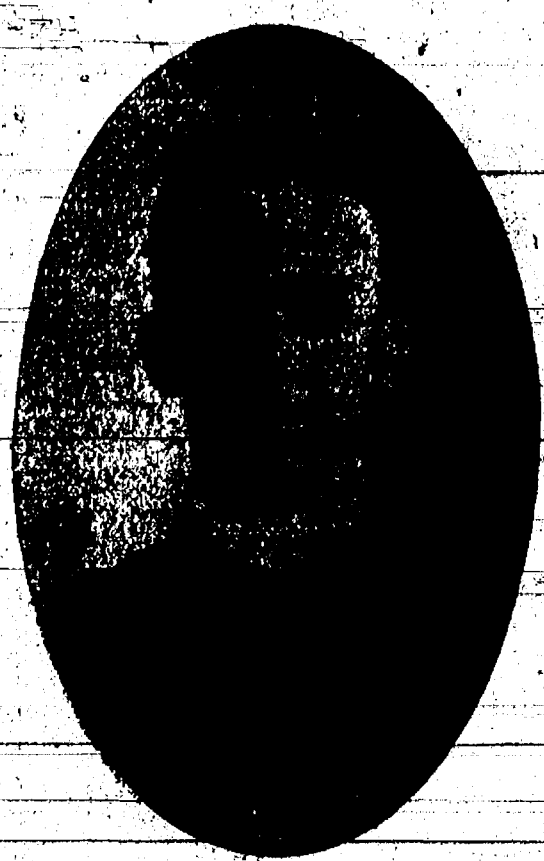
Fine weather for a few days.
 Steven Sloan had a very sick horse the first of the week.
 Clifford Brown of Jordan spent Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Albert Todd in this place.

Mrs. Chas. Hudkins and children visited her parents in East Jordan last Sunday.
 Elmer Hayner came home from camp last Tuesday to remain for the summer.
 Glennie Vrontran was quite ill last week with tonsillitis but is now improving.

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REV. FR. O. T. MCGINN
 Lectures at Loveday Opera House Thursday Evening, March 17th.

Ladies' Equity Notes.

Hon. H. B. Sherman, the National Organizer for the Farmers' Society of Equity, is now in Michigan and is speaking in all the potato-growing counties. Mr. Sherman addressed a farmers' meeting at Traverse City March 3rd and will fill several appointments in Grand Traverse and Leelanau Counties and will then come to Antrim and Charlevoix counties, where he will meet the farmers and will hold several meetings beginning at East Jordan, in about two weeks. Date will be announced in time and everyone should hear Mr. Sherman. Watch the date.

Mrs. Martha Culbertson, State Organizer for the Ladies' Society of Equity, expects to attend the State Semi-Annual Convention of the Farmers' Society to be held in Traverse City the first week in April. Mrs. Culbertson will speak at the convention and also address the farm women at Traverse City and then come over to East Jordan and hold a meeting and meet with the members of the Ladies' Society here, to whom she is personally a stranger, but one in heart and purpose for the uplift of all women.

The bad roads all winter have prevented the Ladies' Society locals from holding their regular meetings but these meetings should now be taken up as the roads become better, and be in form to receive our state organizer and get ready for the April convocations.

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STARS.—you can't get lucky any too soon. So come in today—we want you to know why you can walk on Stars and be foot happy.

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Starting the Spring Season With a Rush.

Every day we are receiving consignments of the season's best offerings in our lines.

These goods have been bought right and we are offering you the best possible values for your money.

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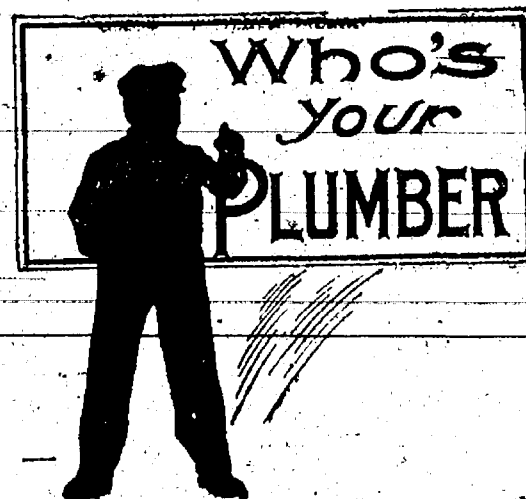
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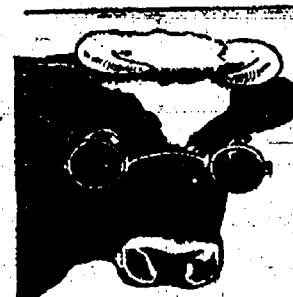
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The fortunate possessor of this clock was Andrea Altiano, a councillor of Milan.

Not much progress was made with the watch until 1740, when the second hand was added.

Old Italian Pantomime.

If we can believe a traveler's tale, the pantomimes in Italy of the seventeenth century exceeded even present day productions in strange stage effects.

A Successful Disguise.

It is safe to say that nobody but an Irishman could be the hero of the following story.

"She's feeling bad about him, but I've advertised in the paper, and I'm thinking she'll get him back again before long.

"It's meself that knew how to fix that," returned Mr. Doolan.

Strong Men of Paris.

The strong men of Paris wear the largest hats in the world. They are from the markets and are famous for their feats of strength.

Civilization's Decimating Diseases. After stating the statistics as to the mortality from different diseases in Panama, at different periods, Dr. Osler said that in 1908 the combined tropical diseases, malaria, dysentery, and beriberi, killed fewer than the two great-killing diseases of the temperate zone pneumonia and tuberculosis.

Taking a Rest.

"Has Johnson said anything bright lately?" asked Shakespeare of Artemus Ward as they sat in the club corridor.

"No," said Ward. "Boswell sprained his wrist the other day, and it hasn't been worth while."

Inconsistent.

"That woman temperance advocate has such a strident voice."

Boarding Houses

Nourishing Food is Lacking

By G. WELLESLEY BRABBIT

BEING ONE of the vast army of people who are obliged to live in boarding houses and family hotels, I wish to ask if it is unreasonable to expect a clean room and food that is at least wholesome?

In many cases the rooms are dirty and the dining room in the same condition.

At the rate of \$8 or \$10 a week I do not expect luxuries or want them; but it does seem to me that those figures should entitle one to clean and wholesome food at least.

Chicago is in great need of well-kept boarding houses. It is full of boarding houses now, such as they are, but too few are fit to live in.

The working men and women require nourishing food and a clean room, no matter how small.



Western Farmer Has Upper Hand

By W. B. STELLINGS

things he wanted at the store. He has seen his stuff go up 50 per cent. in value and he is serene in the belief that the day of low prices for farm products will never return.

But the farmer has his troubles, too, and he is not getting all the fat by a jugful.

There is also the middleman to be considered. He is between the producer and the consumer and he is soaking the public good and hard.

Hurtful Pets for Young Children

By S. V. EZEKIELIAN, M. D.

In fact, it requires no stretch of imagination for an observer to detect the very feature of a master or mistress reflected in the countenance of a much petted domestic animal.

Many Uses for Middle-Aged Earners

By PHIL CHERRYBLE

There are a great many middle-aged men and women whose earning capacity is reduced or wholly lost, but whose experience and knowledge of life are of the utmost value.

Again, in many of the busy manufacturing centers there is no place where the workman can get food that does not pander to or create a thirst for drink.

If some way can be found to institute such a body I feel sure that funds and workers will materialize rapidly.

Fine Wedding Gowns



By JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

IT WAS their own great poet, Tennyson, who sang of the "splendor dear to women," and, judging from the gowns worn by English brides recently, English women may well have inspired his verse.

The going away gown is called the traveling gown by these English girls, while our American brides have two distinct types of costume designated by these two terms, as a rule.

English girls of the higher classes deserve their distinction as high class. They are wonderful girls and to them the wedding day needs all the "pomp and circumstance" belonging to so important and joyous an event.

USEFUL OUTER GARMENT.



Both smart and useful this coat would be found, made in either cloth, serge or tweed; the panel down front is cut wider from the hips downward.

A New Bracelet.

A new bracelet which is attracting considerable attention among women is a band of gold from a half-inch to an inch in width.

Sea! Sombrero.

Among the newest modes of millinery is a large sombrero of seal musquash. It has the dash of the western plains and the modish turn of a knowing designer.

The Collarless Neck.

There seems no lessening of the popularity of the collarless neck. It is worn on the street under heavy coats with fur collars for all evening affairs where a formal décolletage is not desired and for almost every afternoon affair.

ROCKY BOY INDIAN LANDS OPEN FOR SETTLEMENT.

Secretary Ballinger has issued instructions to throw open 1,400,000 acres of land in Eastern Montana to white settlers.

This land was withdrawn about two years ago for the purpose of allotting to the Rocky Boy Indians. The tract contains the very choicest lands in Valley County and wherever farming has been carried on, it has produced yields of from 20 to 30 bushels of wheat per acre, 40 to 70 bushels of oats and large crops of hay, alfalfa and vegetables.

There are over 8,000 160-acre homesteads in this tract, which is considerably more than the combined total in the Flathead, Spokane and Clear Fork d'Alene Reservations, which were opened to settlement last summer.

HE MEANT EVENING GOWNS

Well-Meant Compliment to American Woman Somewhat Marred by Unfortunate Error.

Mons. Pruger, who from his triumph at the Savoy hotel in London has come to New York to conduct a very fashionable restaurant, was complimented by a reporter on his perfect English.

"Well," said Mons. Pruger, smiling, "my English is, perhaps, better than that of the Marquis X, who supped here after the opera the other evening."

"These décolleté bodices impressed the Marquis X. He waved his hand and said:

"I have known parvenues, but the American young ladies were beautiful, but ah—I cannot say how far more beautiful they seem in their night gresses."—N. Y. Press.

LEG A MASS OF HUMOR

"About seven years ago a small abrasion appeared on my right leg just above my ankle. It irritated me so that I began to scratch it and it began to spread until my leg from my ankle to the knee was one solid scab like a scab. The irritation was always worse at night and would not allow me to sleep, or my wife either, and it was completely undermining our health.

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Game Warden.—This deer was found dead on your premises, and yet you deny that you killed it?

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He Owned Up.

"Own up, now. Who's the head of your family?"

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THE LAST VOYAGE OF THE DONNA ISABEL

BY RANDALL DARRISH
AUTHOR OF "SUSAN HAMPSON OF PLACER, ETC."

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, 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. Admiral of the Peruvian navy confronted Stephens, told him that war had been declared between Chile and Peru and offered him the office of captain. He accepted. Stephens accepted the commission. Stephens met a motley crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions. They boarded the vessel. They successfully captured the vessel supposed to be the Esmeralda, through strategy. Capt. Stephens gave directions for the departure of the craft. He entered the cabin and discovered the English woman and her maid. Stephens quickly learned the wrong vessel had been captured.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

She bent her head slightly. "What vessel is this?"

"The steam yacht Sea Queen of Liverpool, owned by Lord Darlington," she announced, soberly, her face and lips white.

"How came you anchored off the government docks?"

"By special permission of the president. We were towed into that berth early last evening, after the Esmeralda had been hauled up against the quay to ship armament and stores."

I drew a deep breath.

"Could you tell me if it was known to others that you contemplated anchoring there?"

She hesitated, her lips slightly apart, one hand pressed against her temple.

"It is most important that I learn the exact truth," I urged, earnestly. "I ask from no idle curiosity."

"I am not generally consulted in such matters, senator," she admitted, "but I believe we had been waiting several days for the opportunity to take that position. This is as I have been told."

She seemed to be awaiting my explanation, striving to be courteous, yet with her impatience slightly evidenced by the continual tapping of her foot on the rug. But I was not yet through with my questioning.

"Were no officers left on board last night?"

Her gray eyes widened.

"Certainly yes; the first officer and the engineer were in charge when I retired. The others, with the majority of the crew, had gone ashore at sundown to enjoy the fun. But why do you ask, senator? Are these not on board now?"

"I regret being compelled to answer no. Only the engineer, three of the harbor watch, and some Kanaka firemen have been found. I have discovered no trace of the first officer."

"Then—then he must have rowed ashore with two of the men!" she exclaimed.

"How chanced you to be left here alone?"

She hesitated, her hands clasped on the chairback, her bosom rising and falling tremulously. Yet finally she forced her lips to reply, as though thus seeking the quickest way of clarifying the situation.

"We were all invited to the palace of the president, to listen to the speeches and view the fireworks. Lord Darlington was greatly interested, and most desirous of attending. The unfortunate scene which occurred at the hotel early in the evening left me, however, with so severe a headache that I begged to be allowed to remain here alone with Celeste. At first both Lord Darlington and mamma refused to depart without me, but when the president dispatched his own steam launch to convey the party to the wharf, they decided it would be most discourteous not to attend. Lord Darlington's membership in the house of lords gives him a certain official recognition abroad which he does not care to have lapse. The yacht's captain accompanied them, and no dream of evil befalling those left behind ever occurred to any one of us. O senator, tell me, what does it all mean? What has happened?"

"I presume I must explain," I said, regretfully, "although it is not an easy task by any means. You will have confidence in me, Miss Doris?"

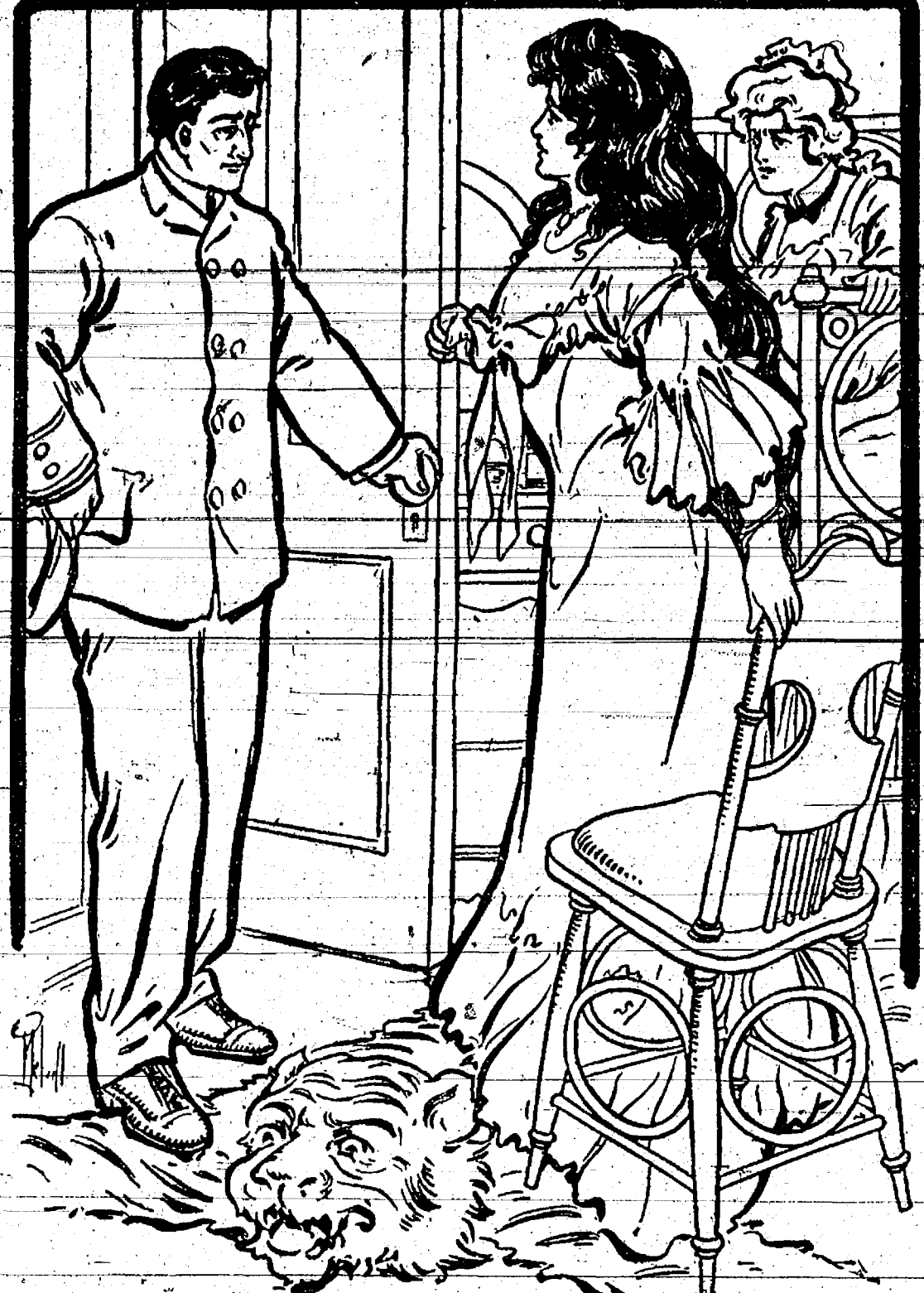
"I shall endeavor to do so," she replied, an increasing coldness in her voice. "But I am Lady Darlington."

"Your pardon; I supposed you to be that gentleman's daughter."

The color swept in a wave of rich crimson into her cheeks, the gray eyes becoming darker.

"Nevertheless, senator, I am Lord Darlington's wife."

Even in that moment of embarrassment and perplexity, when I was scarcely less agitated than herself, this unexpected announcement of such a relationship came to me as a shock. Why it should, what difference it could possibly make, I did not in the least realize, yet I was instantly conscious of the disappointment, of deep regret. The revelation, thus calmly, proudly



"You—Why, You Are a Robber, a Pirate!"

made, was so unexpected, so destructive of all my previous conceptions, as to seem an impossibility. Could this young, clear-eyed woman be indeed the wife of that grim, inactive, ancient peer of the realm?

"You apparently question the truth of my words," she remarked, coldly observant.

"It was only the natural surprise of a moment, Lady Darlington," I hastened to apologize. "The thought of your marriage had never before occurred to me."

She looked directly into my eyes, her own plainly indignant, yet her words strove to overcome the bluntness of my speech.

"I do not feel, senator, that there can be any necessity for discussing my private affairs with you at present. Enough that I am Lady Darlington, and that I have patiently answered the rather impudent questions you have seen fit to ask. Now, Senator Estevan, kindly enlighten me as to the cause of your intrusion into this apartment, and your presence on board the yacht."

Her tone had changed to imperiousness. This was plainly a command, and, back of the fair face fronting me, I read strength of character and a proud insistence long accustomed to control. It was not fear but disdain that darkened her gray eyes. Her manner begged nothing—it pictured dominant command, the attitude of one who addresses a servant, expecting implicit obedience.

"Lady Darlington," I began, standing directly before her, and reverting to the use of English, so as to be certain of making my meaning sufficiently clear, "whatever explanation I may make cannot be pleasant, but it shall be truthful. It is far better that you comprehend fully the situation we are in—your own peril, as well as my responsibility."

Her expression changed from arbitrary defiance to an amazement untinged by a sudden development of fear as her hands grasped the chairback convulsively; but I went on steadily to the end.

"I am not, as you naturally supposed a Chilean but a native of North America. My name is Stephens. I was in Valparaiso under most unpleasant circumstances, seeking vainly to escape from the country, and hounded by the secret police because of my connection lately with a revolutionary movement along the Bolivian frontier. The merits of that affair need not now be discussed, but I had become involved in it through certain business connections, and had attained Valparaiso after much hardship, seeking escape by sea. There I discovered every avenue closed against me, and was reduced to a desperate plight. I was in hiding from the governmental authorities when I risked almost certain discovery—last evening. A little later—after you left the hotel—a man who I was led to believe represented the Peruvian gov-

words. I could feel the surge of blood, yet I met her gaze quietly.

"I have told you the exact truth, Lady Darlington, as I promised," I returned, seeking to speak calmly, "without any real hope that you would believe. Yet I want you to try. It is all bad enough as it stands, without endeavoring to make it appear worse."

She leaned slightly forward, clearly impressed to some extent by the gravity of my manner.

"Then prove it."

"How?"

"By steaming directly back to Valparaiso and delivering up this stolen vessel to its lawful owners."

"That sounds simple enough, but do you realize what our probable fate would be?"

She clasped her hands tightly, pressing them against her breast.

"What do I care?" the contempt in her voice grown bitter. "You—have done the evil, by your own confession; now you should pay the price. You rescued me once from insult, and I hold the remembrance of that act in your favor. Prove yourself worthy a woman's respect by making amends for this wrong. Take the Sea Queen back now, before it is forever too late, and all I can do, or that my husband can accomplish, shall be done to save you from punishment. Prove to me that your words are not false."

I hesitated, doubt and suspicion rendering me totally incapable of clear thinking before her insistent demand. Her face grew whiter as she marked my silence.

"So you—you lied, then!" the cruel words faltered from between her lips almost unconsciously.

"No, I spoke the truth," I answered, gripping myself sternly, "but I question my power."

"Your power? Why, you just informed me you were in command."

I advanced a step forward, my manner respectful enough, yet she half shrank back from my approach and brought the protection of the chair between us.

"Perhaps I may never succeed in making you clearly comprehend my present position," I said, soberly, "yet I intend to try, because, in truth, I need your assistance as greatly as you need mine. Twenty minutes ago, Lady Darlington, it was true I believed myself to be in absolute command of this vessel. Now I gravely suspect whether I may not be a mere puppet, helpless in the hands of others. As I have already endeavored to explain, it was comparatively easy for me to mistake this yacht for the Esmeralda—They are very much alike, and I had enjoyed no opportunity for closely observing either. But it is impossible for me to conceive how the others of my party could have innocently made such an error. What project they may have had in mind I cannot even guess, but I believe now the Sea Queen was deliberately captured, and that I have been decoyed into the leadership of an act of piracy. If so, then I am only one man pitted against 20. What I may accomplish I have at present no means of knowing. I must see the others, endeavor to discover their secret purpose, and learn whether or not I possess any real authority on board. Lady Darlington, do you at least comprehend what I mean? Do I make it clear to you that I am in a position scarcely less perilous than your own?"

With lips parted and hands clenched over her heaving breast she stood silent, apparently deeply aroused by my earnest appeal, yet totally unable to repose full confidence in me. Yet her very hesitancy was to me an encouragement.

"You certainly have every reason to doubt me at present, madam," I urged, with increased confidence, "yet I mean to prove myself worthy your trust by deeds rather than words. Will you consent to do as I wish, at least for the moment?"

She did not appear to know what she had better do or say, her glance wandering in uncertainty from my face to the questioning eyes of the maid. The latter leaned forward with some eagerness.

"Surely it is best to say out, madame; ze man has ze look honorable, ze man's persistence demands."

on ze what ship ze ze was no one else to help us."

"As you say, Celeste, there is no choice," said Lady Darlington's gray eyes again sought mine reluctantly. "I sincerely desire to repose complete confidence in you; to believe you worthy. What is it—you wish us to do?"

"Merely to remain where you are, beyond the observation of others, until I can ascertain the exact truth of our situation. So soon as I learn this, I shall return with the information. Will you accede to this?"

She lowered her head slightly, in silent acquiescence, and, still facing them both, I backed out of the room and closed the door.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HEROIC RESCUE OF 13 FROM A BURNING SHIP

OLD SKIPPER TELLS OF A THRILLING EXPERIENCE ON LAKE HURON.

Cleveland.—"There are two of the bravest men who ever sailed the great lakes. They are real heroes, and the United States recognized them as such after they had rescued several persons from the burning steamer Annie Young away back in 1890."

Captain Alfred Mitchell, the Cleveland vessel agent, and David Carrier, formerly a mate with Captain Mitchell on the steamer Edward Smith, were seated in the Cadillac hotel in Detroit one evening recently when a Marine City vesselman made the foregoing remark. Continuing, he said: "One morning in October of 1890 as the Edward Smith, with Captain



Rammed the Burning Vessel.

Mitchell in command, was a few miles out from Lexington, on Lake Huron, smoke and flames were noticed on the deck of a vessel about two miles away. Captain Mitchell, without a moment's hesitation, headed at full speed for the burning ship. He summoned all hands on deck, and with his mate, David Carrier, he quickly planned the rescue of the crew of the vessel, which turned out to be the Annie Young. She was sailed by Capt. Miller who commanded the Wissahickon last season.

"As the Edward Smith bore down onto the doomed vessel the flames were spreading rapidly, and the Annie Young kept on going at a fairly rapid rate of speed. Captain Mitchell laid his course in such a manner as to be able to hit the burning boat near the stern, thus giving the crew and officers on the after end an opportunity of getting off onto the Smith. I cannot give you the full details of how the rescue was effected, but I know that nine men were taken off the first time the Smith rammed the burning ship. On getting these men off Capt. Mitchell backed away his ship for another dash, and he repeated the move. It was necessary to hit the Young several times before any more were taken off. He succeeded in getting 13 in all and seven were drowned. This would not have happened had the men done as Capt. Mitchell had told them to. He yelled to them on his first ramming the boat to stay aboard and wait until he could get alongside again. But in the excitement panic seized the poor fellows and five of them got into a small boat made fast to the after end. This little skiff was dragged under the propeller wheel and the men were literally cut to pieces. Another man attempted to climb over the side, and a heavy fender struck him on the head, splitting his skull.

"Carrier rescued the chief engineer by throwing a lasso over him from the deck of the Smith. It was just as the Annie Young was going down. Carrier's aim was perfect, for the lasso circled over the engineer's shoulders and that instant the ship went down suddenly. At the same time Carrier jerked his rope, and brought the engineer aboard the steamer. He was unconscious for three weeks, and was in the hospital when he regained his senses. He was amazed when he found out what had happened. A young Irish boy was badly injured when he fell onto the deck of the Smith from the burning vessel. His hip was broken right in two.

"It was a terrible experience, but Alfred Mitchell and David Carrier were as cool as cucumbers. It was positively the best bit of maneuvering, and the most gallant rescue ever made on these lakes."

It is by carefully noting small and apparently insignificant things and facts that men of science are enabled to reach some of their most surprising and interesting conclusions. In many places the surface of rocks, which millions of years ago must have formed sandy or muddy sea beaches, is found to be pitted with the impressions of raindrops. In England it has been noticed that in many cases the eastern sides of these depressions are the more deeply pitted, indicating that the raindrops which formed them were driven before a west wind. From this the conclusion is drawn that in the remote epoch when the pits were formed the majority of the storms in England came from the west, just as they do today.—Harper's Weekly.

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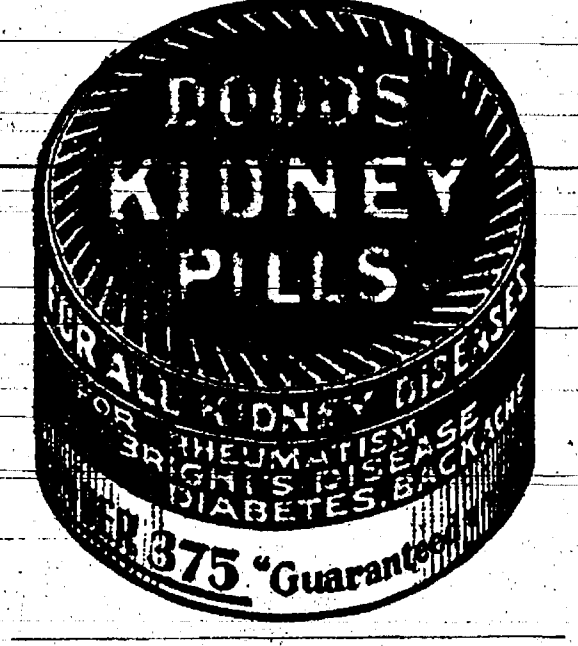
Who Are the Elect? Two modern statements of the doctrine of "election," neither of which would quite satisfy John Calvin or Jonathan Edwards, are given in the Congregationalist.

One was Henry Ward Beecher's epigrammatic and convincing phrase: "The elect are whosoever will; the non-elect are whosoever won't."

Good as this is, there is another explanation that is a star of equal magnitude. It was made by a colored divine, who said:

"Brethren, it is this way: The Lord, he is always voting for a man; and the devil, he is always voting against him. Then the man himself votes, and that breaks the tie."

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BASKET BALL GAMES. Harbor Springs vs. East Jordan.

In the boys' game between Harbor Springs and East Jordan, the locals did not show up as good in team work as in former games. Nachazel comes into the game with a good jump against his opponent, holding the ball in East Jordan's territory in more than half the center plays, besides improving his basket work. Burney showed good speed while Shier did remarkably well at field baskets. Isaman followed his man closely while Bergman, although he showed accuracy, his basket work was not as good as usual. The plays of the halves of the boys' game was as follows:

Ball to East Jordan territory and Nachazel scores two points. Harbor Springs recovers and scores a basket of two points. Ball back to East Jordan and they foul, Harbor scores a one point basket. Harbor fouls twice and East Jordan fails to basket, but Burney scores one in the second. East Jordan then fouls and Harbor scores a one point basket. Harbor fouls and East Jordan fails to basket, but Harbor scores one from East Jordan's foul. The locals again foul but Harbor misses the free throw, and fouls. Burney rung up one point for the locals. East Jordan fouls and the visitors again score one point. The ball then goes to Harbor's territory and they basket two points. Ball back to East Jordan and Burney fields two points. Harbor again rings up a field basket. In the next series of plays Harbor scores two free throws and field one basket. Shier then fields two points for the locals, followed by a foul throw from Bergman. The visitors again ring up a basket from the field. Ball again to East Jordan territory and Shier for the locals scores two points followed by a play of the same count from Nachazel. Time then called for first half.

Between the halves the girls played the second half of their game, the first being played before the boys' game.

Second Half.
Ball to the locals and Harbor fails to score at East Jordan's first foul, but baskets one point on the second. The visitors foul and East Jordan fails to basket but Harbor scores a two point throw. The ball then goes to East Jordan and Harbor fouls. East Jordan misses the free throw and again fouls on which the visitors score one. A dispute then arose between the referee and umpire. Time was called and the matter settled very quietly between the aforesaid officials and the captains of the respective teams by the aid of the rule book, after which play was again resumed.

Ball to Harbor and East Jordan foul. Harbor made one. Ball again to the visitors and they foul. Burney misses the foul basket but Bergman scores two points off the play. In the two next plays Harbor gains two field baskets. A double foul is then called and both teams fail to basket. Ball is played to East Jordan and Shier quickly executes a basket of two points. In the next three fouls by the locals Harbor gained two points. A double foul is again called and again both teams miss the throws. Harbor scores one more point at the expense of East Jordan's foul, and time is then called with the resulting score of 28 to 17 in Harbor's favor.

Midgets and Six

Owing to the fact that the Midgets were anxious to play one more game this season, a team was made up Friday evening to play against them, some of which were of the first team; some of the second, and some of the Midgets; one of the girls not knowing she was to play until fifteen minutes preceding the game. Therefore the first half was played with single centers. Arlene Hammond did the best work as forward, while Esther Porter as jumping center played a good game. For the other team Ovida Henning and Marjorie Lemieux showed speed and accuracy. Although Ovida had never played the place as forward she guarded her opponent well. The resulting score was 11 to 3 in favor of the Midgets. The line ups were as follows:

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| Midgets | II S. Girls |
| Esther Porter | 1st Center |
| Margaret Geck | 2nd Center |
| Irne McEachram | 2nd Center |
| Anna Jamison | 3rd Center |
| Arlene Hammond (Capt.) | R. F. |
| Marjorie Lemieux | Wing |
| Winnie Mollard | L. F. |
| June Hoyt | R. G. |
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County Normal Notes.

Louise Christensen, Mary Berg Margaret Watson, and Thomas Scroggie have begun their work in practice teaching. Leisla Christensen teaches fifth grade geography, Mary Berg teaches fifth grade arithmetic Margaret Watson and Thomas Scroggie are teaching second grade reading.
The Normal class accompanied by Miss Himes attended the Charlevoix County Fruit Grower's Association which was held in the Van Peit building, Tuesday afternoon, March 3rd. Mrs. J. Gilmarino, of Bay Shore and Mrs. S. Alcox of Charlevoix, visited the normal class Thursday afternoon March 3rd.
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