

## Shall We Become A City?

"To Be or Not To Be—That's the Question."

A special meeting of our Board of Trade was held last Monday evening at the Odd Fellow's Hall over Boosinger's store, the purpose being to talk over the matter of making East Jordan a city. The meeting attended by a goodly representation of our business men and citizens, and the consensus of opinion of the gentlemen present was that our town has long outgrown her village garb. Both our neighboring towns of Boyne City and Charlevoix are now working under city charters and find the city plan of government far more acceptable than that of the village system.

The "bone of contention" will be a matter of boundaries, but we believe our citizens will exercise the spirit of fairness in this question and that such lines can be drawn to the satisfaction of all.

The Board of Trade appointed two committees—one on "Petition" consisting of Messrs H. I. McMullan, W. A. Stroebel and Geo. G. Glenn. The petition, which is laid before the Board of Supervisors must include the boundaries and carry the names of at least two hundred taxpayers.

The second committee, consisting of Atty D. H. Fitch, C. H. Whittington and R. J. Lorraine, were appointed to arrange with the Board of Supervisors for placing of the petition before them at the January meeting.

Arrangements were made by the Board of Trade to pay the necessary expenses of the committees, and the meeting was adjourned until next Tuesday evening, Nov. 29th.

While the editor of this paper is fully in sympathy with the proposed step we will welcome any communication from our taxpayers whether they are for or against the movement.

The stage carrying the mail ceased running on Tuesday between this place and Bellaire, the government having issued orders to that effect. As a fact it has been of little benefit in the mail line for several years. This line has been in daily operation for more than 30 years and when it was first established, add before the county seat was located at Bellaire, even before that town was ever thought of, it ran through to Eastport by way of Central Lake. The stage has had many contractors and drivers, the last ones being E. E. Russ and Wm. Mavety. Mancelona Herald.

Never before in Michigan's history has there been such an army of deer hunters in the wilds of the upper peninsula. So numerous are they that old-time hunters who have followed the chase during every open season for years are returning home because of the unsafe conditions that prevail. A St. Maris hunter, coming home after one day in the woods, said that he had been shot at twice, and had been so busy dodging bullets that he had no time to hunt. Lumbermen have taken the precaution of placing bells on their horses to prevent being shot in mistake for a deer.

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### Thanksgiving Wedding.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening, Nov. 23, 1910 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ruhling when their daughter Miss Mayme E. became the wife of George W. Atkinson.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Porter Bennett, A. B., Pastor of First Methodist Church, in the presence of a few immediate friends and relatives.

The bride who was dressed in cream serge trimmed with silk braid and carried a beautiful bouquet of bride roses, was ably assisted by a cousin of the groom—Miss M. Ethel Fulford of Williamsburg, while the groom was dressed in conventional black and supported by Orin Bartlett of East Jordan.

Mendelssohn wedding march was played by Miss Alice Armstrong of Aiden. After the ceremony and congratulations the guests sat down to a bountiful wedding supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson are of our popular young people, groom being conductor on the D. & C. R., and their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous voyage through life.

They left for Detroit, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Jackson and will be at home on Main St. after Dec. 20.

### A Christmas Present That Means Something.

There is one especially good thing about a Christmas present of The Youth's Companion. It shows that the giver thought enough of you to give you something worth while.

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Do not choose any Christmas present until you have examined The Companion. We will send you free sample copies and the beautiful Prospectus for 1911, telling something of how the The Companion has recently been enlarged and improved.

The one to whom you give the subscription will receive free all the numbers of 1910 issued after the money is received; also The Companion's Art Calendar for 1911. Illustrated in twelve colors and gold. These will be sent to reach the subscriber Christmas morning, if desired.

You, too, as giver of the subscription, will receive a copy of the Calendar.

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### ROCK ELM.

Little Inez Couden was unable to attend school last week on account of sickness.

Miss Edith Brodie, who is teaching in the Three Bells district was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. Van Gorder visited at Abe Stevenson's Monday evening.

Miss Mildred Hutton remained in East Jordan Saturday evening to attend the Junior Indoor Track Meet.

Ed Van Gorder and family spent Thanksgiving at the home of Ed. Kowalski.

Our farmers are beginning to realize there is money in hogs, Cyrus Secord's piggeries contains 37 fine Poland Chinas.

Mr. Dan. Swanson and Miss Ellen Stevenson of Rock Elm were married at Traverse City, Wednesday. Their many friends join with the Herald in wishing them the success and happiness they so richly deserve.

The Rock Elm Grange Annual Hunt supper was held Saturday evening at the hall. Plates were laid for about 65 people, members and friends of the Grange. Amusements consisted of games and dancing for the young people and cards for the elders. The bountiful supper was thoroughly enjoyed.

The cost of fire insurance is so cheap you cannot afford to carry the risk. Nicholas & Nicholas will be glad to quote to you prices at any time.

### Death of James Howey.

Mr. James Howey died on Sunday morning last after a long illness during the hours of church services. He was 58 years old having been born on Oct. 26 1852 at Cookhill, Ireland. When he was 19 years old he came to this country with his parents who settled at Milford, Mich. in 1871 and after 2 years moved to Kalkaska, making his home there till he moved to East Jordan in 1882. Here he purchased land which he improved into a farm residing there until his death.

The deceased was an earnest worker and State official of the Farmers' Society of Equity. He also belongs to the Loyal Orange Lodge. Mr. Howey leaves a wife and two children by his first wife, John and Ethel Howey, a brother, John Howey of Milford, two sisters, Mrs. J. S. Harper of Hastings and Mrs. Morris O'Keef of Grand Rapids.

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday. Rev. A. D. Grisby officiating assisted by Rev. J. Hackett, an old time friend and neighbor of Mr. Howey. Messrs. James Sloan, Fitch and Charles Malpass and Miss Frances Malpass accompanied by Miss Lydia Malpass on the organ rendered very sweetly two very appropriate selections. Many members of the Society of Equity and others were present. The flowers were numerous and beautiful. The deceased was laid to rest in Pine Lake cemetery.

### Card of Thanks.

My sincere thanks are given to the kind neighbors and friends who so willingly and kindly aided me during the long sickness of my dear husband. Grateful thanks are given the L. S. of E. Sisters for their many kind words and for their tribute of beautiful flowers, also to all friends who presented flowers or in any rendered assistance in those sad days.

MRS. JAMES HOWEY.

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### This is the Season for Colds

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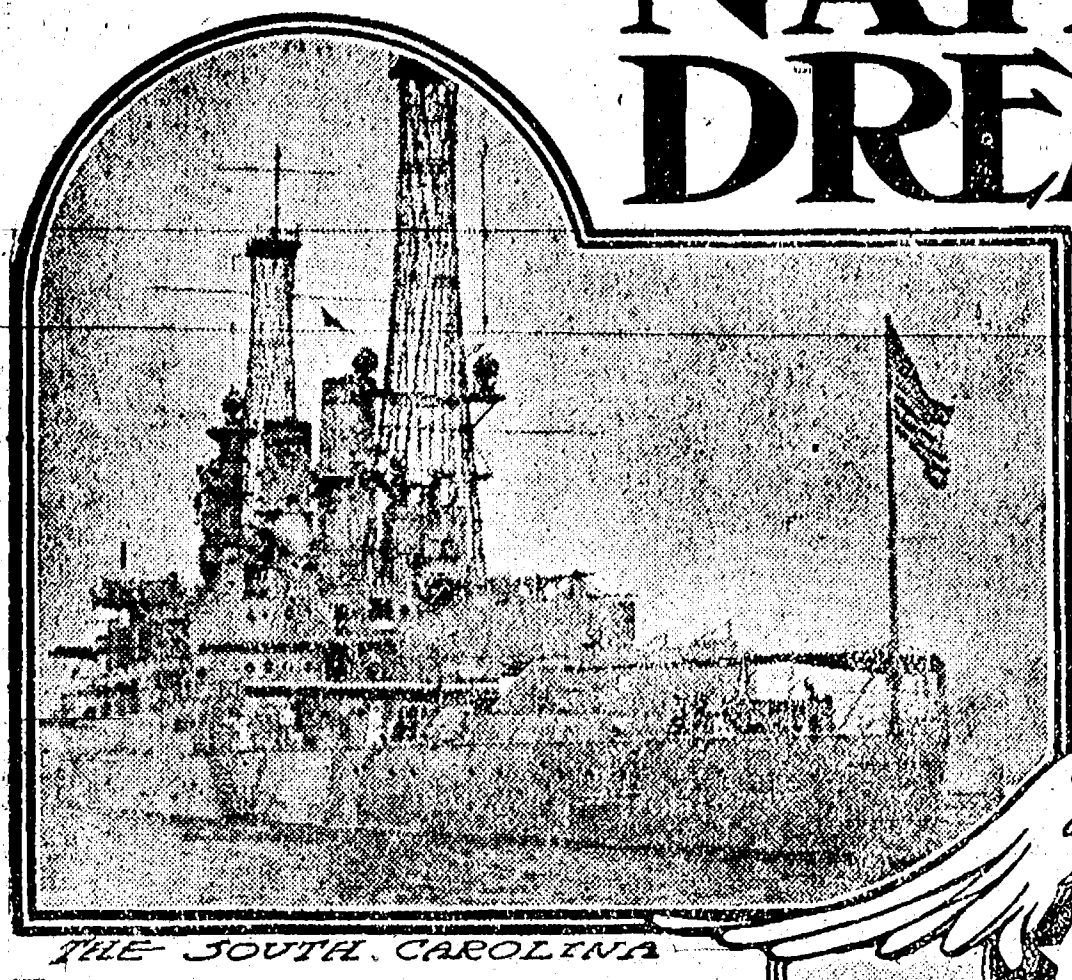


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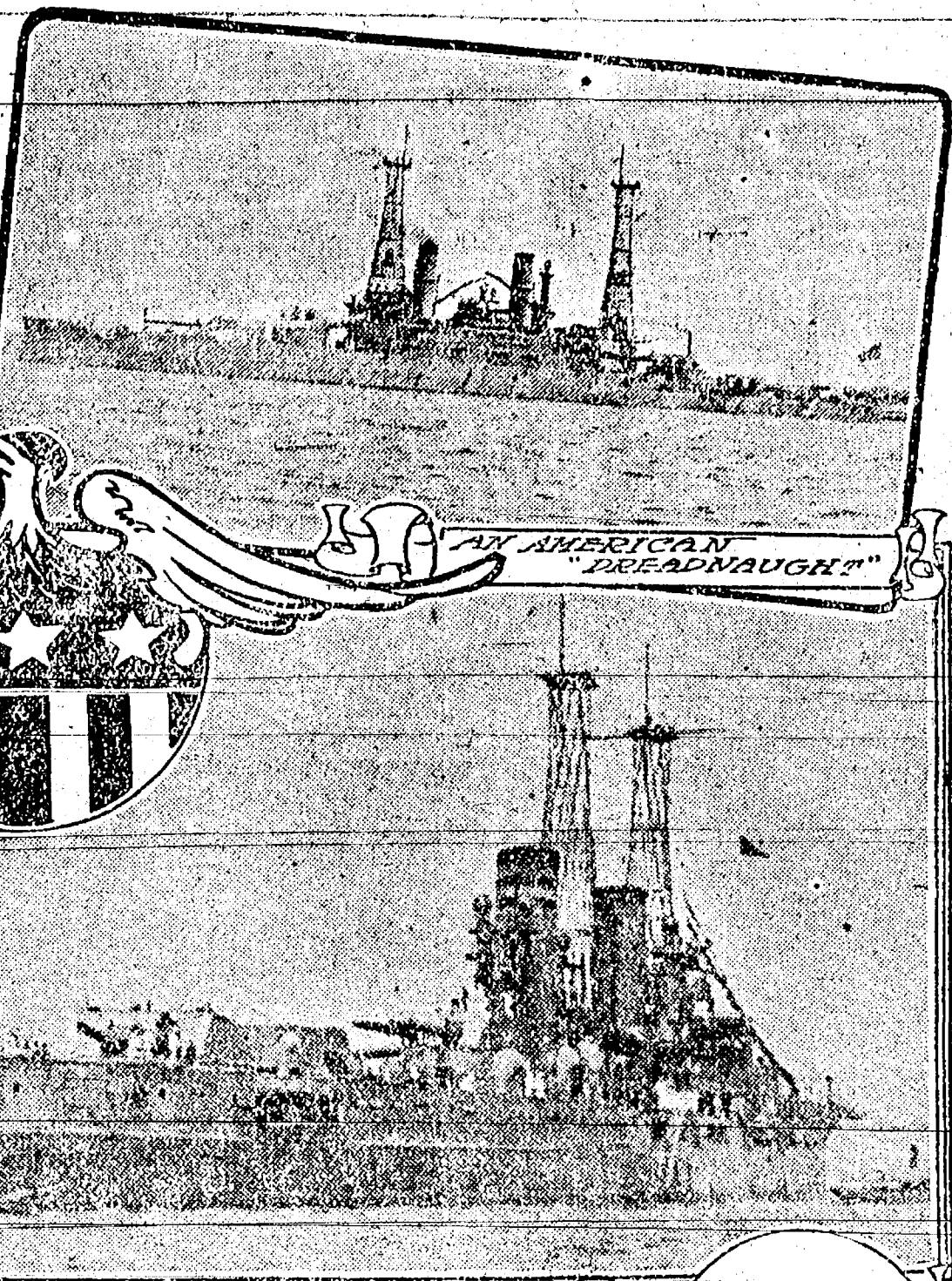
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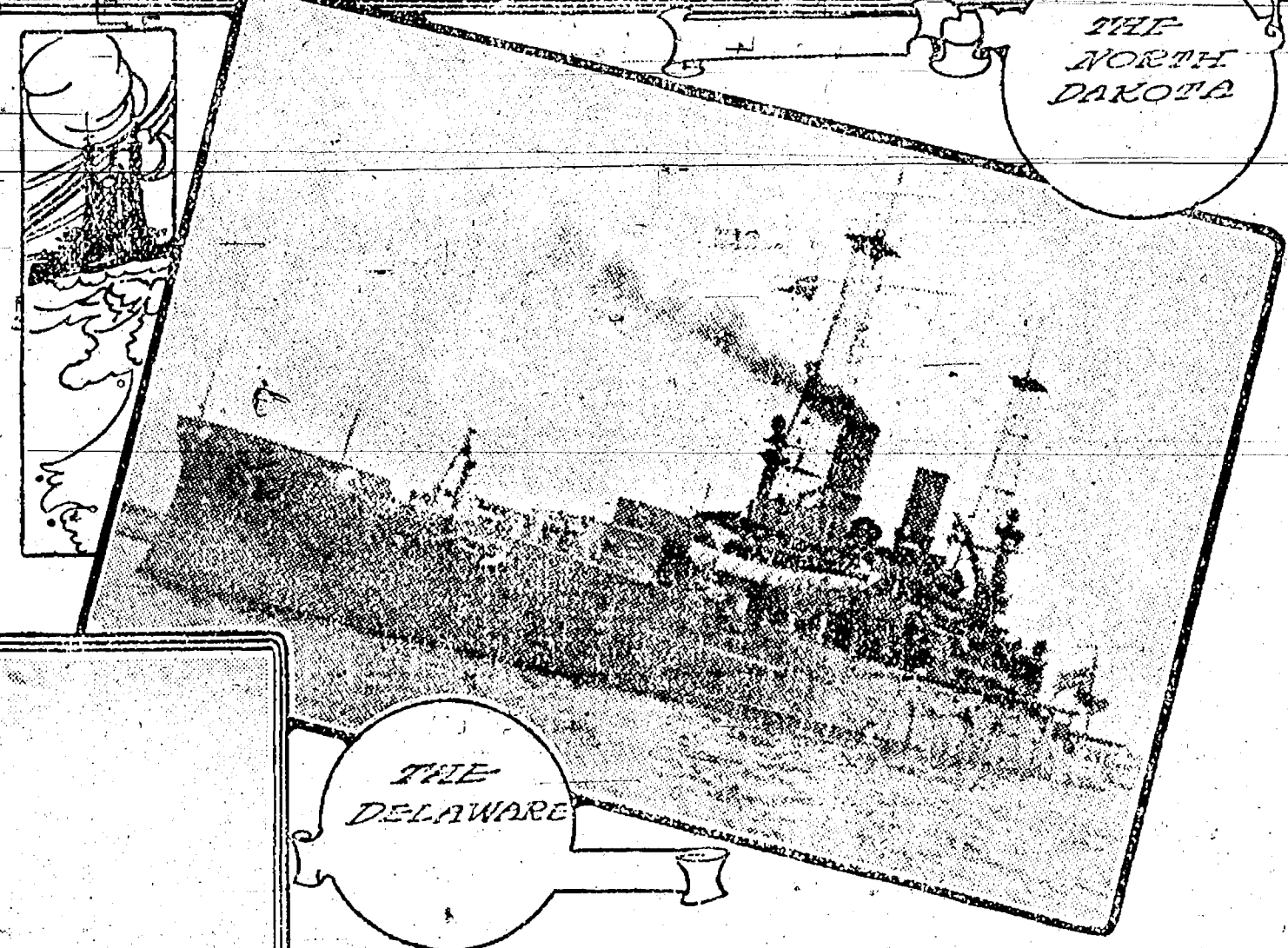
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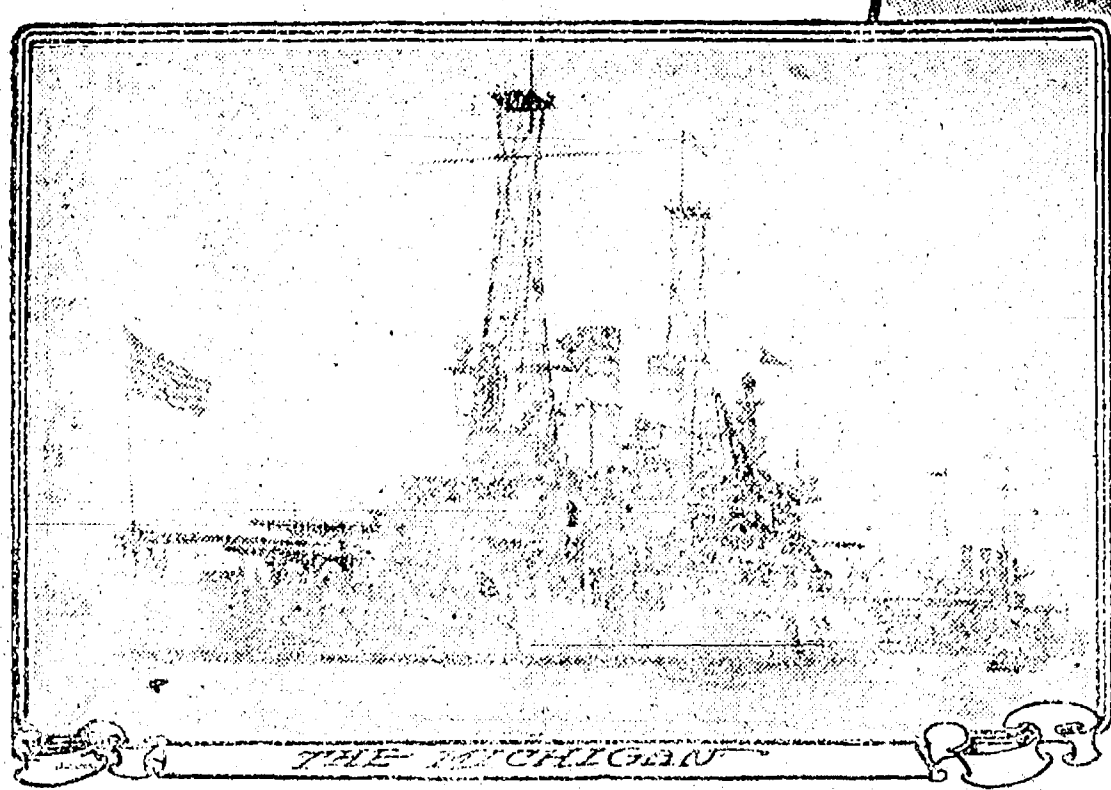
THE SOUTH CAROLINA



THE NORTH DAKOTA



THE DELAWARE



THE MICHIGAN

**P**RESIDENT TAFT recently declared that this nation ought to build two battleships of the "Dreadnaught" class every year until the Panama canal is completed and open for traffic. After that water way is completed and the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States are in effect brought nearer together in a naval sense—that is, it is made possible for our warships to get from one coast to the other more quickly in the event of trouble—it might, in the president's judgment, be advisable to slow down in the matter of battleship building. Perhaps after the canal diggers have cut the continent in two it will suffice to build one battleship a year, but for the time being two a year—and Dreadnaughts at that—are needed, in the opinion of the administration.

Now "Dreadnaughts" are a comparative novelty in the United States navy and for all that there are several of these vessels flying the Stars and Stripes, and more building, there is a considerable share of the public that has never grasped the significance of these new-style sea warriors. To put the matter in a nutshell, it may be explained that a "dreadnaught" differs from the ordinary battleship principally by being larger and heavier and carrying an increased number of guns of a big caliber. The term "Dreadnaught," it will be understood, has come to stand for a whole class or family of battleships rather than for any individual vessel.

All the same, this new nickname for the latest fashion in floating fortresses did originate with one particular vessel—the first of her type. The pioneer "Dreadnaught" was a British prod-

uct and she blazed a new path in battleship design. Prior to the advent of this new-pattern peacemaker the average battleship, whatever her nationality, had been armed with 12-inch or 13-inch breech-loading rifles and with a variety of less powerful hitters, including 8-inch, 5-inch and 3-inch guns, and so on down through the whole catalogue of naval weapons to the one-pounders. The British naval architects and shipbuilders when they produced the original "Dreadnaught," pointed the way to a new policy. In arming the new style vessel they cut down the number of guns of lesser importance—particularly the weapons of intermediate size, such as the 5-inch and the 6-inch, and placed almost all the responsibility for offense and defense on guns of the largest size.

The whole naval world was immensely impressed with the naval novelty which John Bull produced and all the leading nations, including the United States, straightway set about following his example by constructing such ships of their own. Thus it came about that the name "Dreadnaught," which originally applied to only one ship, came to stand for the whole family of "all-big-gun" ships, no matter under what flag such a vessel might be in service. The United States now has four battleships of the "Dreadnaught" class in service; two more will probably be ready to join the big fleet within a year; another pair are under construction, and yet others will be contracted for this winter. It is costing a pretty penny, too, to assemble such an array of heavyweight fighters, for each of these largest-size vessels costs complete upward of \$12,000,000. It would do it make a big tug at Uncle Sam's purse-strings to keep these huge armor-clad in active service, for each of them requires the services of nearly one thousand officers and men—half as many again as were required for the largest of the old-style battleships.

The first American "Dreadnaughts," the battleships South Carolina and Michigan, are yet so new that few of the people even in our large sea-coast cities have had a peep at them. They are sister ships—that is, exact duplicates of one another—and are 450 feet in length and 80 feet beam or width. Each of these battleships carries eight of the big 12-inch guns arranged in pairs in turrets. This is just double the number of the big hitters to be found on any of the battleships that were the accepted thing up to a few years

ago. Neither battleship has any other weapons except the three-inch and three-pounder guns that are provided to repel torpedo attacks.

It was only a few months ago that the second pair of "Dreadnaughts," twins, made their appearance in navy. There are the Delaware and North Dakota. Each vessel is 510 feet in length and 85 feet beam, and they go their predecessors one better in the matter of "shooting irons," for each has five turrets instead of four and carries a total of ten instead of eight of the 12-inch guns. Moreover, the Delaware and the North Dakota have each a powerful secondary battery made up of fourteen of the effective 5-inch guns. Next year will see another brace of "Dreadnaughts," the Utah and Florida, take their places among the ships of the line. They are almost identical in size with the Delaware and North Dakota. After them will come the Arkansas and Wyoming—each 554 feet in length and 93 feet beam and carrying a full dozen of the 12-inch guns, but it will be several years ere these record-breakers are ready to report for duty.

Next to the importance of providing fighting ships for Uncle Sam's navy is the task of preparing the ships and the men who handle them for the work they are intended for—fighting the battles of the country, should the dread specter at any time descend upon us. The thrilling experiences on board big ships playing at war are interestingly described in the following account, written by one who witnessed the recent naval evolutions.

The plain red pennant for "commence firing" was hanging like a stain from all yards. "Load!" from the ordnance officer. The stains glide down, to the shrill peals of the stand-by bells. Never stood men so braced and rigid as those spotters, staring through the soft rubber eyepieces of their binoculars, as the ordnance officer gravely syllabled the final range and deflection, as he got them from the substation prophet, who had been advised by the performance of the ranging shots: "The range is 10,500; deflection 47."

It is the last suspense. Slowly, far below, the moving turrets begin to nose upward their guns like intelligent creatures. The big "castle deck" is an empty, slim, flat, clear-shaped finger, lazily dealing forward slippery ruffs of whiteness. Foam oozes up complacent around the anchor chains, and your eyes rest unwittingly on a four-masted schooner, a passenger steamship with a red funnel, astern the waiting targets. Every living snaw scattered on our faraway decks is transfixed—on the bridge screen the skipper's arms, bright with their four gold stripes, the midship-

man on watch with the nicked stadimeter at his eyes, the white bluejack ts in boats on the superstructure, some with cameras poised—all leveled to the same trenchant awe. Vague murmurs, not quite a shouting, rise; the rumble of a belated loading hoist, the hoarse hiss of air blasts clearing the bores. The nerve-racking swang of a primer discharged in some breach, with the bravado of utter preparedness. Choking smoke clouds vomit up over us from the crater of the forward smoke pipe, with the heat of a Turkish bath.

"Fire!"—and all around on the rails of our cage snarl out the buzzers.

All the sea to starboard goes ribbed and seething as if under the first blow of a tornado.

"Knots ten right," (direction) "Down 600," (range) "Knots six left," "Down 500," "Salvo!" You miss, or cannot remember after, the exact shouts of the spotters, the key to the actual marksmanship, cried out as the geyser-gardens rise, and, transformed, as they echo in the substation, into the craft that guides the great spurts to bloom out where we all hoped for them to be—bunched together and hiding the target with their spray.

"The Georgia's shooting at our screen." That last one winged her. You catch such feverish comments between times, slowly grasping, too, that the yards and angles of range and deflection keep dwindling in size, as shouted, "Hit!" comes, now and then, in the climax like a hammer blow; and as the four-minute eternity ends on the long alarm bell for cease firing, you hear, like a man coming out of a trance, the ordnance officer calmly observing that the deflection wasn't a knot out all the time, but it—that forward turret for hanging fire so that those poison fumes hid the splashes. You are coughing, in a first remembrance of their strange, acid, burning strangulation.

The run is over, the spectacle and the human burden of it delivered, as the order is passed to call up all divisional officers to report any misfires.

Swinging out now to the targets, hungrily searching them for shell holes, the throng of officers on the quarterdeck vent their relaxed tension—"Our dispersal was good, but the range-finder read 500 yards over. That's always the fault. And half the time it figures under." Or you hear, "A difference of 30 per cent. in range makes a difference of 300 per cent. in the difficulty of spotting." One learns that the forward turrets hung fire because water splashed the sights. We discern three hits in our target—none in any of the other three, glory be!—picking them reluctantly from rents made by the seas; as the repair boats, putting out from each ship of us, set their half-naked crews struggling with the mast and screens, herding the precious canvases aboard the flagship, for judgment by all umpires assembled.

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Try it, you who lead a strenuous life, and who sometimes grow exceedingly weary of the same.

**Getting a Reputation.**

There is a desk in the senate particularly convenient as a place from which to make speeches. It is next to the aisle and almost in the center of the chamber, and affords an opportunity for the speaker to make everybody hear.

At least a dozen senators, according to the Washington correspondent of the St. Louis Star, have borrowed this desk when they had special utterances to deliver to the senate. This led, not long ago, to a mild protest from its legitimate occupant.

"I am perfectly willing to give up my desk," said he, "but I am afraid people will think that the same man is talking all the time. I don't want to get the reputation of constantly filling the senate with words."—Youth's Companion.

**Procrastination.**

"I heard a tale the other day of a postponing chap, who thought he'd buy a wheel so gay, but—they will be cheaper, perhaps." And so he dallied year by year, the cheapest wheel to buy; but long before the cheapest gear, that yap he had to die! And so, by putting off the day, we miss the wine of life; and some there are in just that way who thus will miss a wife! Got busy now, you timid swain, procrastinate no more, for time is surely on the wane, and you a bachelor! Some wait too long to make a pick of husbands or of wife, and then some take a broken stick and make a mess of life."—H. H. Benedict, Judge.

**Not Easy.**

Pat was a married man—a very much married man. He had married to fewer than four times, and all his wives were still in the fore. According to Pat's own account before the court where he was tried for bigamy and found guilty, his experiences were not altogether satisfactory. The judge, in passing sentence, expressed his wonder that the prisoner could be such a hardened villain as to "debauch so many women."

"Yer honor," said Pat, apologetically, "I was only tryin' to get a good one, an' it's not aisy!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

**Love-making and Practice.**

The only way to become an expert at love-making is to practice. This was the information handed out to a handful of hearers by the Hindu philosopher, Sakharum Ganesh Pandit, in a lecture on "The Science of Love."

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# The Office Cat

By TEMPLE BAILEY

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The judge had always looked upon Miss Staley as a machine. Every morning she took his dictation for an hour and later she brought the letters to be signed. That was the beginning and the end of their intercourse. The judge was a very busy man, and it was only when some one interrupted his routine that he gave unperpetrated attention. Expertness was the price of indifference. Hence the first time he saw the human side of Miss Staley it came as something of a shock.

She was feeding the office cat. That forlorn feline, as far back as the judge could remember, had been a thin-boned reproach to the community. There was a tradition that she lived by catching rats. But such living was evidently precarious, for she had always gone about lean and lank, and somewhat plaintive. On warm days she took her airings in a restricted-back court, but in cold weather she curled herself, apologetically, near a radiator in a corner of the hall, subject always to the moods of the janitor.

Today, however, things were changed. There was a bottle of milk on Miss Staley's desk and her sponge cup had been converted into a feeding dish, from which the cat ate ravenously while the little lady watched her with a tender smile on her lips and a tired relaxing of her slender figure which made her seem, for the first time, to the judge's eyes exquisitely feminine.

The judge's post of observation was his window, which looked across an airshaft into Miss Staley's small



The Cat Ate Ravenously.

room, where a typewriter and a great oak desk hobbled with a pot of pansies on the sill.

Moved by a sudden impulse, he raised his window and motioned, and the girl came blushing to hers.

"I couldn't help it," she confessed, across the space; "she is such a poor little creature."

"Why didn't some of us men think of it?" the judge demanded. "We are selfish."

"Oh, but men are so busy," was her defense.

"We aren't much busier than you," he said, but a woman—oh, it's a woman's privilege to do such things, isn't it?"

The judge liked that. So many women of his own world seemed to have forgotten the claims of compassion, and at times the judge, remembering his own mother and her gracious personality, had yearned for some evidence of brooding tenderness.

He had certainly not expected to find it in his office girl. Yet here was Miss Staley looking after a distressed animal as his own lady-mother would have done, feeding it and making a bed for it in a paper box; and saying, as that dear woman would have said, that "men were too busy" and that this was "a woman's privilege."

He thought about it so much after he left the office that the next day Miss Staley was surprised by a large parcel, upon the delivery of which the judge came over to make explanations.

"It's a basket for the cat. That old box doesn't look in keeping with the rest of the furniture."

She had chosen it of sober brown wicker, and there were two linen covers for the cushion, to be washed weekly.

"Oh, Pussykin, Pussykin," Miss Staley rejoiced, "you won't quite know what to do with such magnificence."

But her eyes were shining as she thanked him. "Now she can keep her white fur. It is hard for her, poor thing, when there are so many arks."

The screen made such an effective hiding place that no one but the judge and Miss Staley knew of the good fortune that had come to the office cat. It furnished them, too, with a little secret and delightful in-

terest, and brought into the judge's somewhat staid bachelor life a freshness which was a relief from the stale excitements of late suppers and showgirls which seemed to satisfy his clubfellows.

Reverence for women had been instilled into the judge by his mother, but he had found few who had justified it. It was a real joy to discover the depths of Miss Staley's nature. He had to go about it slowly, for she permitted no cessation of their strict business relations. The only subject which he dared to discuss with her informally was the office cat. Never did a feline acquire importance more suddenly. It became a daily occurrence for the judge to stop in and say good morning to "Pussykin." He put her milk on the office expense account, experimented with prepared foods, and furnished fresh and dried supplies of catnip, until at last, when the one-time starving took her place beside the pot of pansies on Miss Staley's window, she was a joy to behold.

Thus all went well until one cold morning, when Miss Staley came in for dictation. The judge saw that her usual self-possession had forsaken her. He gave her three letters before she broke down, and then she wrung her hands and said, wistfully, like a child: "Oh, I've lost my cat."

"How," the judge sat up, "you don't mean—"

"Yes, I do. I haven't seen her for two days. The janitor has had it in for me ever since I told him that if I heard him beating his boy again I would report him to the police."

"Well," the judge stated, "he will find out that I—"

The janitor, after much compulsion, admitted that he had carried the cat to the edge of the city, and had dropped her near the ash dump. "She was mine," was his defense.

"I will get you another cat," was the way the judge tried to comfort Miss Staley.

But Miss Staley shook her head. "Oh, no, you mustn't. I think the reason I liked this one was because she was alone, and nobody seemed to care for her, and since I came here—among strangers—I know how it feels."

Then, lest she should seem to claim his sympathy, she turned it off with a little laugh. "But I have enough to eat—"

"As if that sufficed," the judge soliloquized, when she had left him. "Why what she needs is—love—"

The suddenness of the revelation brought him up with a jerk. "Oh, look here," he admonished himself, "you mustn't think of such a thing, you know."

But he did think of it, and the outcome was an invitation to Miss Staley to go with him that afternoon in his car to hunt for the officent. Under stress of circumstances, Miss Staley consented. They did not find the cat, but the judge found out where Miss Staley lived.

During a second search, the judge discovered that Miss Staley's name was Margaret, and on the third trip he had the joy of buying her a bunch of violets.

The fourth day Miss Staley declined to go with him. "I am busy, and I am afraid it's of no use to look further," she said.

The judge wasted the next day in meditation, and having come to a decision, he went back late to his office to look over a case that was coming up the next day. Thus it happened that, at midnight, he heard in the hall an unmistakable "mew."

He was out of his room like a shot, to find before Miss Staley's closed portal a shivering, foot-sore creature who dragged herself to him over the stone floor.

"Why, Pussykin, Pussykin," he said, and petted her and carried her back to his office, and made her comfortable beside his radiator. Then he telephoned to the corner lunchroom for a bottle of milk and a box of fried oysters, and they had their late supper together, happily.

The rapture of Miss Staley the next morning was his reward. But he was not content to let it end there. "We've got to plan it out," he said, firmly, and shut the door of Miss Staley's sanctum and sat down and faced her, while the regenerated Pussykin purred at their feet. "That cat can't stay here—it isn't really businesslike, you know—"

"I know," Miss Staley's tone was deprecating. "But I live in a boarding house, and—"

"I don't," said the judge. "You mean," her glance met his, "that you want her?"

"I want both of you," the judge cleared, bluntly; "my house is empty, and my heart is empty—Margaret."

When they planned their wedding journey the judge suggested England in general, and Cheshire in particular.

## GAVE TAFTS NOTICE

### Aristocracy of Beverly Feels That It Has Been Snubbed.

#### Explanation Behind the Refusal of Mrs. Evans to Rent Her Cottage to President and His Family Again.

Boston.—The position of Beverly, Mass., as the nation's summer capital is threatened. Mrs. Robert Dawson Evans, owner of the beautiful villa on Burgess Point, at which President Taft and his family have spent the last two summers, has refused to rent the place again to the chief magistrate.

The action of Mrs. Evans is no surprise to those who have kept in touch with the social gossip of the Beverly colony. All summer it was whispered that some of the old-fashioned folks at Beverly felt hurt because of the strict social lines drawn around the president's summer home.

Naturally, the president cannot keep open house, and the residents admit this. But, they have insisted, there is no aristocracy of both ancestry and wealth at Beverly that is entitled to consideration. And because, so these gossips maintain, there has been discrimination against some of those families in making up the presidential calling list, the time has arrived for discreet retaliation.

Wild horses could not drag from any Beverly matron an admission that any such reasons lie behind the refusal of Mrs. Evans to rent her cottage to the Tafts for next year. Mrs. Evans herself offers the suggestion that she has decided to pull down the pretty building on Burgess Point and erect an Italian villa, with spacious gardens, in its place. It is a fact that she has not deemed it worth while to repaint the cottage this year, and it is generally known that her enormous wealth makes her independ-



Taft's Cottage at Beverly.

ent of any such trifles as the summer rent of the cottage. When her husband died in July, 1900, he left her a fortune estimated at \$12,000,000 invested in gilt edge stocks.

What the social aspirations of Mrs. Evans are, if any, is not known, but certain it is that she has decided to close her property to the Tafts. She is reported to have told her intimate friends that the comfort of her own guests has been interfered with by the activities of the secret service agents surrounding the president's home.

Mrs. Evans occupies another cottage near the one she leased to the Tafts, and one of her familiar complaints has been that the Taft Cottage stood between her and the grand view of Coleman bay, which Burgess Point affords.

Those who have spent this summer at Beverly smile at such excuses. They say that Mrs. Evans was delighted to have the Tafts for guests last year and never spoke then of any Italian garden scheme.

Meanwhile Mrs. Taft has a little list of available cottages in the neighborhood. President Taft is determined not to leave Beverly if it can be avoided. The ties he has formed there, and the enjoyment he has derived from the golf links and the magnificent scenery make him feel very disappointed over the decision of Mrs. Evans.

## NINE WATCHES IN AN HOUR

### New and Ingenious Machinery Makes it Possible to Manufacture That Number.

Elgin, Ill.—It is claimed that the methods of manufacture adopted by one American company enables it to set up, ready for trial within an hour, no fewer than nine watches. This rapidity of manufacture has become possible by reason of the ingenious machinery invented for the making of all the parts of a watch.

The speed with which the various parts are turned out is truly remarkable. Great sheets of brass and steel are cut and rolled into ribbons, and punched out into wheels at the rate of 10,000 a day from each punching machine. Workers drill the 31 holes in the roof of the watch as fast as they can count, other operatives counter-sinking the holes almost as quickly.

Brass wire glides into a machine that measures off the length of a part, turns it, puts a screw thread on each end, and actually screws it in at the rate of 2,000 a day. The screws are so small that it is said 50 gross of them can be put in a thimble, while others there are 1,000 gross to a pound.

Balances are cut from the softest, ground down, worked up, and drilled with their 25 screw hole piece at the rate of 100 wheels a day, their teeth cut, a couple of dozen a time, some with from 60 to 80 teeth at the rate of 1,200 wheels a day from each machine.

## WRONG IN THAT DIAGNOSIS

### Physician's Method May Have Been All Right, but Here He Was at Fault.

We are told that the latest sensation in the medical world is the assertion of a doctor that he is able, by looking into a patient's eye, to make an accurate diagnosis of the complaint which the patient is suffering. But is this really as novel as it is supposed to be? I recollect hearing some time ago of a doctor who said to a patient who was under examination: "I can see by the appearance of your right eye what the matter with you. You are suffering from liver."

"My right eye?" asked the patient. "Yes," returned the doctor. "It shows me plainly that your liver is out of order."

"Excuse me, doctor," said the patient, apologetically. "My right eye's a glass one."

## AWFUL BURNING ITCH CURED IN A DAY

"In the middle of the night of March 30th I woke up with a burning itch in my two hands and I felt as if I could pull them apart. In the morning the itching had gone to my chest and during that day it spread all over my body. I was red and raw from the top of my head to the soles of my feet and I was in continual agony from the itching. I could neither lie down nor sit up. I happened to see about Cuticura Remedies, and I thought I would give them a trial. I took a good bath with the Cuticura Soap and used the Cuticura Ointment. I put it on from my head down to my feet and then went to bed. On the first of April I felt like a new man. The itching was almost gone. I continued with the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and during that day the itching completely left me. Frank Gridley, 325 East 42nd Street, New York City, Apr. 27, 1909." Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world; Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

## Mutual Expectations.

A notoriously close-fisted man was taking his golfing holiday in Scotland, where he hoped to improve his game, and, by driving a hard bargain, had managed to secure the exclusive services of a first-class caddy, who was known to be a very good player. "Mind, now," said the ambitious southerner, "I expect to receive some really good tips from you during my stay here, you understand?" "Aye," replied the Scotsman, hitting up the heavy bag, "an' AH'm expectin' the like frae ye, ye ken."—Golf Illustrated.

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The haughty, impetuous beauty handed him back his ring. "Now that all is over between us," she said, "I suppose you will buy a revolver and put an end to your wretched existence?" "Worse than that!" he hissed, being careful to introduce the necessary sibilant; "far worse—see! I shall steal a revolver! And I shall shoot your measly little sore-eyed poddles!" A wild shriek burst from her lips. She fell upon her knees and— But he had gone.

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## The Exception.

"Doesn't your husband like cats, Mrs. Blinks?" "No, indeed. He hates all cats except a little kitty they have at his club."

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**Charlevoix Pomona Grange.**

On Thursday Nov. 17, Charlevoix Co. Pomona Grange was held under the hospitable auspices of Bernard Grange. A major portion of Charlevoix Co.'s seventeen subordinate granges were well represented. In point of entertainment the meeting proved one of the best held for some time.

Though unable to reach the hall before 3:15 p. m. Bro. J. C. Ketchiman, of Hastings, after a long disagreeable drive immediately proceeded to warm up by delivering a very amusing and forceful address touching upon the principles of the grange, its plan of organization, and the necessity of members measuring up to its standard. Before his departure Bro. Ketchiman gave a thorough explanation of the plan of Grange Life Insurance Co. Bro. Walter Black and wife were chosen as Pomona Delegates to State Grange, Alternates, Bro. Geo. Meggison and wife. Three applicants were obligated and instructed in the Fifth Degree. Bro. H. L. Olney, of South Arm Grange, was re-elected member of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee was instructed to fix the time and place of the next meeting.

R. A. BRINTNALL,  
Secretary.

**Western Michigan Booklet.**

We are in receipt of a copy of the 1910 booklet, "Western Michigan." It is a much handsomer publication than the booklet issued a year ago. It is approximately the same size, but the book is of a higher grade of the printers' art. The cover, which is in three colors, is a design that tells the Western Michigan story stronger than words. The interior of the book which consists of heavy enamel paper is profusely illustrated with scenes from all parts of the Western Michigan territory, and the reading matter presents the facts that will cause people to desire to take up their residence in this favored region. One hundred fifty thousand copies of this booklet have been printed and are being distributed so as to bring the best returns to Western Michigan as a whole.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN BANKING DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER**

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that

The People's State Savings Bank of East Jordan

in East Jordan in the County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, has complied with all the provisions of the General Banking law of the State of Michigan required to be complied with before a corporation shall be authorized to commence the business of banking.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Henry M. Zimmermann, Commissioner of the State Banking Department, do hereby certify that

The People's State Savings Bank of East Jordan

in the village of East Jordan in the County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section seven of the General Banking Law of the State of Michigan.

In TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and seal of office at Lansing, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

HENRY M. ZIMMERMANN  
Commissioner of the Banking Department.

**AN OPEN LETTER.**

Newberry, Mich., Feb. 12, 1910.  
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A. T. Washburne, Prop.  
Petoskey, Mich.

Dear Sirs:—  
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How you can do it out of such old carpets is a surprise to me. Your charges are reasonable. Your work is excellent. Your attention to patrons is commendable. And the products of your looms surpassing all our expectations.

With many thanks, we remain,  
Sincerely,  
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## Briefs of the Week

Dr. Ott's lecture has been postponed indefinitely.

Wexford county jail is full to overflowing. Quip is wet you know.

No services at the M. E. church owing to prevalence of contagious disease.

The Eastern Star ladies entertained a delightful party at Masonic hall last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kidder have purchased the Lalonde building on State st. and converted it into a fine boarding house.

The fire department was called out Tuesday night to quench a blaze which had started in the ceiling of the engine room of the Electric Light power plant.

A new time table goes into effect on the D. & C. R. R. Sunday, but does not affect the arrival and departure of trains here. A few new stations have been added.

Gold has been discovered on the farm of John Frost in Central Lake township. College of Mines has examined the samples of sand sent and say there is gold in it.

Deputy County Treasurer Cooper has secured the primary school money for the November apportionment, which is ninety cents per capita. South Arm apportionment is \$930.60, based on 1034 school pupils.

Rev. T. Porter Bennett and H. S. Kennedy attended the annual meeting of the Ministerial Association at Traverse City this week. Rev. Bennett was elected secretary of the organization.

Circuit Court will convene at Charlevoix next Monday, with quite a large docket. There are seven applications for citizenship, nine criminal cases, thirteen issues of fact and law, and fourteen chancery cases ten of these being for divorce.

The three-masted schooner, John Mee, made this port last Sunday and is loading with about 15,000 bushels of potatoes. They are consigned to Chicago parties. This shipment will make four schooners which have cleared Pine Lake this month, each with at least above amount of tubers. While the market price is so low that the farmers will not make anything handling them, it means that Charlevoix County has already shipped by boat over \$15,000 worth of potatoes this month and this does not include the thousands of bushels shipped by railroads.

The second great Land Show opened in Chicago Saturday, November 19 in the Coliseum building. Western Michigan was there with a larger and better exhibit than that which was shown a year ago. This exhibit is one that does credit to the wonderful resources of this remarkable region. It is an exhibit which tells the story of our fruit raising ability and our enormous yields of vegetables. There are showings of as fine quality apples as ever grew out of doors and as hard some potatoes as the market has ever known. These are displayed along with ripe fruits preserved in solutions in glass jars, and displays of seeds and other soil products.

Miss Leila Clark was a Charlevoix visitor first of the week.

Mrs. Grace Boswell is assisting at Hubbard & Co's store for a few days.

Mrs. Roy Melljenbacker spent Thanksgiving with Boyne City friends.

Mrs. S. B. Owen of Bellaire was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Risk over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hubbard spent Thanksgiving with their son at St. Louis.

Miss Ruzina Stewart was home from her school at Bay Shore, for Thanksgiving.

Misses Anna Donnelly and Ora Clark were guest of Boyne City friends this week.

Ernest Madison of Charlevoix spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C.

Mrs. D. S. Payton returned home to Charlevoix, Tuesday, after a visit with friends here.

Harold Boyd left Friday for Hibbing, Minn., where he has a fine position at the jewelry trade.

Sheriff-elect Robbins is at Chicago this week, representing this county at the big Land Exposition.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Hilton of Boyne City spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. John Light.

Fire Insurance that insures can be obtained from Nicholas & Nicholas. We represent some of the best companies in existence.

A man appreciates a good CARPET, more especially in winter than in summer; it tends to harmonize domestic relations and goes away with cold feet. **EMPEY BROS.**

Charles Rohr, a former East Jordanite, was united in marriage at Olympia, Wash., recently, to Mrs. Florence A. Henderson. Mr. Rohr is foreman for a logging company.

No services of any kind will be held in the Presbyterian church till further notice. This is at the suggestion of the Board of Health and with regard to the prevention spread of disease.

Mrs. Harper of Hastings, Mrs. O'Keef of Grand Rapids and Mr. Bird and Mr. Greason of Kalkaska attended the funeral of the late James Howey on Wednesday and left for home on Thursday morning.

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

The Zeta Sigma society of Alma College celebrated their 21st annual last Friday evening. The Alma Journal has the following to say about one of East Jordan's boys in their write-up of the event:—Oral M. Misener came next with a jolly though somewhat sedate spiel on "Good Fellowship." Misener, who is quite stolid, never speaks with flippancy, yet that toast of his provoked an infinite deal of laughter. Misener told some mighty clever stories. They were apt, fresh and well told. Unlike many after dinner speakers Misener did not drag the conversation in an endeavor to ring in some fine yarn, nor did he spring any antiquated jokes; the kind dad's dad used to how-how at.

## Diphtheria in Our Midst.

Throughout the state there has been an epidemic of contagious diseases, but up till now our community has been particularly fortunate. On Wednesday, Health Officer Ramsey received reports of two cases of diphtheria, and shortly afterward death occurred in both cases.

On Thursday, Village President Porter and Health Officer Ramsey immediately took vigorous measures to stamp out the disease. There is no cause for a scare, but every one of our citizens should appoint themselves a committee of one to see that the disease germs get no further headway.

No public gatherings of any kind are to be allowed for a week or so. No service will be held in our churches this Sabbath. The school board have closed our Public Schools until a week from Monday, Dec. 5th, and if alarming transpires during that period, the schools will resume their work at that time. The Dr. Ott lectures scheduled for next Wednesday, has been postponed.

A bulletin was issued yesterday by Pres. Porter and Health Officer Ramsey and placed in every home. If the advice given therein is strictly adhered to there will be no cause for alarm. Let the watchword be for the next week—Stay at home and FUMIGATE.

## Two Deaths From Diphtheria.

The Angel of Death entered two East Jordan homes in the early hours of Thanksgiving morning and removed two children by the dread disease, diphtheria. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wight S. Carr their youngest son, T. Earl, succumbed to the disease, aged nine years, four months and 28 days. The funeral was held in the early hours of Friday morning and interment made in the Lakeview Cemetery.

Mildred C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin E. Hall, died about the same time, aged six years and eight months. The funeral was held the following night and burial was made in Lakeview Cemetery.

## Attention Fruit Growers.

The Michigan Horticultural Society will convene at Benton Harbor, Dec. 6-7-8, and our society is urged to send a delegate to this meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Charlevoix County Fruit Growers Ass'n next Saturday afternoon, Dec. 3rd, at 1:30, at the Town Hall, East Jordan, for the purpose of discussing the advisability of sending a delegate to this meeting, and for such other business as may come before the meeting. Farmers and Fruit Growers are urged to attend.

W. B. Squier, Pres.; J. H. Milford, Sec'y.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors and the County Normal School for their many expressions of sympathy during our sad bereavement, and for the flowers given.

MR. AND MRS. W. S. CARR.

## School Observes Thanksgiving.

ELLSWORTH, NOV. 23. A very pleasing and appropriate Thanksgiving program was rendered by the pupils of District No. 7. Three dialogues were especially fine. The Pilgrim Fathers, which was historical as well as amusing. The Farmers Thanksgiving, by fourteen of the pupils and We Thank Thee, spoken by eight little tots. Much praise is due Miss Beulah Pickard, the teacher, for preparing so interesting a program.

Nicholas & Nicholas represent a number of reliable Fire Insurance Companies. When in need of insurance of this kind, call in.

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## Tendered Reception.

Monday evening was the occasion for a large reception which was tendered Winifred Heston M. D. a local girl who fitted herself for foreign missionary work after graduating from Alma College in the class of '96, completed the medical course at the University of Cincinnati, was assigned work in India where she labored in her chosen profession for seven years, returning home in poor health. Miss Heston has delivered some lectures on India but has spent most of the few months since her return, in quiet at her home.

The affair took place at the home of President and Mrs. W. P. Porter, and was attended by some 200 friends. Miss Heston with her mother and Mrs. Porter, assisted by a few intimate friends received the guests. The Metropole Orchestra rendered music throughout the evening, while punch and wafers were served in the dining room which was beautifully decorated with ferns and chrysanthemums. During the evening a gold coin was presented to the lady from former schoolmates and friends, as a slight token of their respect and esteem.

The favors with which each guest was invested, was a decided novelty, being a miniature blue stocking attached to a white card and surrounded by letters spelling India, the idea being to remind all of the receipt surprise created when the extremely fascinating book "A Blue Stocking in India" appeared on sale, with the name of Winifred Heston M. D. as author. The book vividly describes the country of India, its people and the work of Missionaries, as well as some wonderful experiences of Miss Heston during her seven years there and little realized by her friends.

Miss Heston left Wednesday for Grand Rapids, Toledo and Philadelphia. At the latter place she expects to sail to the Orient and resume her life's work.

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Our prices appeal to the economical and our goods to the fastidious.

Sherman's Market

## Our Big Sale Continues



We have an overstock of Clothing. Here are a few items offered at a decided reduction at this Sale:  
Children's Suits, sizes 8 to 16, prices ranging from \$2.50 to \$5.00. Sale price, \$1.49 to \$3.39.

Young Men's Overcoats, sizes 30 to 35, prices \$5.00 to \$10.00. Sale Price, \$3.39 to \$5.98.  
Boys' Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 15, prices 25c to 75c. Will be sold for 19c to 39c.

Ladies' Shoes, sizes 2½ to 5½; prices \$1.50 to \$3.50. Will be sold for 87c to \$1.79.

We welcome your inspection of the merits of this Sale.

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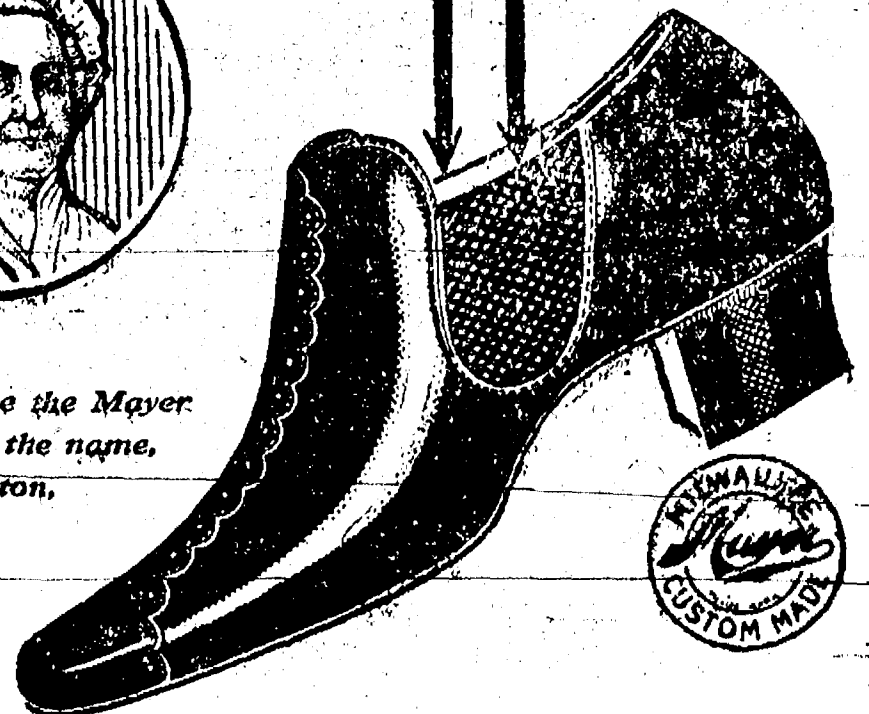
This is the woman's shoe for unequalled comfort—the shoe that gives relief. It gives quick comfort to sensitive, burning, smarting feet.  
It is a trim, neat shoe, in good taste anywhere.



## Martha Washington Comfort Shoes

are the original shoes without buttons or laces. Rubber gores at the sides hold the ankle in a gentle clasp, fitting snug, yet giving with every movement of the foot. You slip the shoe on and off in an instant.

If you want supreme foot ease and comfort, no shoe can take the place of the Mayer Martha Washington. Try on a pair at this store.



The Genuine have the Mayer Trade-Mark and the name, Martha Washington, stamped on the sole.

At Hudson's Exclusive Shoe Store.



Why doesn't Zeppelin experiment with submarines?

New York continues to grow in every way but good

There is hope, indeed. Nevada has shut down on gambling.

If Count Zeppelin isn't discouraged, have you any reason to be?

Aeroplanes are good for round shoulders and hollow chests.

These are golden days for the railroads, as well as the farmers.

A number of London people have appendicitis. That's one style we set, anyhow.

An Englishman has invented a triangle. We presume it falls three times as hard.

A \$10,000,000 shoe corporation has been formed in Massachusetts. Now watch the cowhide.

New York spends \$35,000,000 a year on charity, and even at that New York is a bad place to go broke in.

Poughkeepsie court enjoins a husband from speaking to his wife for 30 days. Now stand aside and listen to wife!

New York paper claims "4,700,000 souls" for New York. Nonsense! The census showed only that number of people.

New York man resigns a \$4,000 position because there's not enough work to do. You just can't please some people.

A Massachusetts man has invented a flexible rolling pin which, we trust, will not make the pie crust more rubbery than ever.

According to the astronomers there is an unusual amount of moisture on Mars just now. Canning time per se, no doubt.

If a woman asks \$5,000 damages for jabbing herself with her own hatpin, how much would she earn by putting out somebody else's eye?

Now that sharks are known to be good food they become doubly useful, for they have always provided a superior quality of fish stories.

A Chicago woman asked a divorce because her husband wore her undergarments. This is a case where clothes make the man trouble.

A man at Scranton, Pa., who claims to have a hen that lays seven eggs a day should be hired by party campaign committees to elicit elections.

Here's a Boston preacher calling Newport "the vestibule of hell." This will disappoint many Newporters who thought they were really on the inside.

An American promoter is about to build an amusement park in Rome. The ancient ruins will have to put in vaudeville attractions to hold the crowds.

If you know what a woman was doing all the time, you wouldn't worry so much—or else you would worry more. Settle that with your conscience.

Connecticut man shot himself in the head ten times and still lives. That's what Connecticut men get for substituting wooden nutmegs for genuine vines.

The per capita circulation of the United States is now \$35.63. Almost any paragraph that comments on this will have his share if somebody will lend him \$35.

One authority advises dyspeptics to eat a teaspoonful of sand with each meal. And just after a doctor told us not to put sugar on our oatmeal! Now what'll we do?

A New York waiter recently bought \$100,000 worth of government bonds. Just what his jocular patrons no doubt, advised him to do and again to do with the quarters they tipped him.

Wisconsin man loses an eye by being jabbed with a hairpin while he was kissing his wife good-by, in the morning. Experienced husbands have learned to dodge such perils.

Pacific coast artillerymen made nine hits out of ten shots at a distance of three miles with five-inch guns in a fog. How would you like to play cannon ball pool with those fellows?

"Fighting Bob" Evans says the airship is a mere plaything and would amount to nothing as a weapon of war. "Fighting Bob" may be pardoned for clinging to an old-fashioned faith in the efficacy of the battleship.

The New England swain who started to foreclose a mortgage which he held on the home of the father of the girl who refused his attention ought to have his attention called to the fact that even melodrama long ago dropped this once popular form of love's cruel revenge.

# Universal Mind

# Gradually Drawn to Believe Matter Is Term

By E. E. FOURNIER d'ALBE



WE ARE gradually and inevitably drawn to the conclusion that mind is everything and matter but an expression of the universal mind. A table, a house, or a machine is the embodiment of some human mind. A stone is the embodiment of some mind at present inaccessible to us, of some will at present inscrutable.

Matter signifies existence, life independent of ourselves, but subject to our will under certain conditions, just as men are to some extent. Motion means change or experience. Inertia means habit. The ether means, perhaps, the all-embracing, all-connecting oversoul of the universe. Radiation means perchance the intercommunication of smaller minds.

Here we enter upon that virgin field where, I believe, the science of the future will blossom forth. In entering upon it a new perspective opens out, a perspective infinitely more glorious than the starry host visible to our human eyes. We breathe a higher and purer air, an air of freedom, of infinite life and power and greatness, unfettered by the shackles of our earthly existence. Many of the sons of men, in all ages, have caught glimpses of such a higher existence. It is open to all of us, and, I believe, destined for all. But its possibility and prospect need not draw us away from the present phase prematurely. Like devotees of chess or football, we descend into the arena and consent to be bound for a time by more or less absurd restrictions. We play the game. And that game has always been played and will always be played. It is a necessary discipline and liberal education.

Of one thing we may be certain—no universe exists which is entirely unconnected with this of ours. We know that the fruit of our slightest act goes thundering down the ages, that nothing is ever effaced, that everything of infinite and eternal consequence. And if it leaves a permanent mark on the material universe it will affect also all invisible universes. This reflection may give a new zest to our present form of existence. To pierce into the innermost recesses of nature, to mold natural forces to our will, to make life happy and glorious for ourselves and our kind; to assert our supremacy over disease and death, to conquer and rule this universe in virtue of the infinite power power within us, such is our task here and now.

It is being more and more consciously taken in hand by the human race, a race which, since its earliest origins, has numbered about a billion individuals. The aggregate lives of these individuals cover a vast variety of experiences and circumstances and the record of these experiences is embodied in our own physical organisms and other records more or less permanent. The human race has hurled itself against the fastnesses of nature and captured them one by one. The way has been a record of blood and of tears.

But in the new generation the wounds are healed and the tears are dried and the battle is renewed.



## Harm From Too Much Fresh Air

By LOIS FULLER Chicago

For several years past I have been what my friends termed a "fresh-air crank," but lately I came to the conclusion that this fresh-air craze can be overdone as well as underdone, and especially that the value of night air is greatly over-estimated.

My mother is a scholar of the old school and she has always contended that the air after sundown is of very little value—in fact, that it often does more harm than good, especially when it is damp, as that of Chicago occasionally is.

Last spring I had a slight attack of bronchitis. It would begin with a wheezing, which would keep up all night. After three nights of suffering my mother persuaded me to try sleeping with my bedroom window shut. Before that I would have it wide open, winter and summer. I closed the windows and that night I was entirely free of the wheezing.

I tried this several times afterward, starting with the window open, but would always have to get up and close it to get relief. Since last spring I have slept with the window closed more or less and never felt better.

Of course I believe in thoroughly airing the rooms during the day and letting all the sunshine possible in, but I believe that the dampness from the lake and the dew does us one any good and perhaps some harm, especially to those with nose or throat trouble.

## Telephone Cheaper Than Telepathy

By THOMAS H. WATSON

Mental concentration and force of direction are more to be sought in telepathy than determination, which sometimes mounts only to stubbornness. A suggestion given to a subject at such a time that there are no conflicting thoughts will go far toward creating an involuntary auto-suggestion for the desired end, especially when the end sought is the object desired by the subject.

Should the subject's line of thought be so intense or continued as to become an accepted fact a suggested change in that line may be so opposed as to remain below the threshold of consciousness. If there is at any time existing between operator and subject a condition of mental rapport then will the suggestion be received.

So in the case of Ceres, if the error that her friend is about to commit is an act that the friend does not consider wrong it will take more than a single suggestion to remove the desire to act. Some logical reason must be used, as the suggestion will be analyzed and the reason for the change must be so clear and the suggestion so forcibly received that all opposing suggestions will be overruled. Abstraction is to be sought as much as concentration, and when you arrive at a mental condition where you can voluntarily exclude all wandering thoughts practice suggestion. But don't use your suggestions solely for your own gain or think that your mental emanations are supreme, for other minds consider theirs worthy of notice.

If, after several attempts at telepathy, you fail to influence your friend, try telephony. It is much easier and only costs a nickel.

# PLUTE GIRL WITCH

## Tribe So Deceit and She Was Sentenced to Die.

Before the Sentence Was Executed This Child of 15 Set Out on a Perilous Flight of 150 Miles Over the Desert.

Pasadena, Cal.—A little Indian girl 15 years old has recently completed a remarkable flight. For more than 150 miles she fled through one of the most desolate and forbidding sections of the desert and mountain country known, traveling by night, lying secreted in tangles of cacti or in caves by day, employing all the cunning of her wild nature to throw her pursuers off her track. When she had reached her destination she had been for more than three days without a morsel to eat and little to quench her thirst.

Loleta Razon was her name among the Indians of the Coachella valley, in southern California before a shadow fell over her. After that they called her "Evil Eye," and from a light-hearted, care-free child of the wilderness she was transformed into a being shunned by her people, an object of dread. Death by strangulation was to have been her fate.

Her courage thwarted the designs of the old braves, and finally the intervention of an Indian agent and the sheriff saved her from the superstitious fears of her tribe, and she is sheltered in the government Indian school near Phoenix, Ariz. There she will be cared for possibly for the remainder of her days, for the death sentence will hang over her as long as she lives.

The circumstances bring to light the net that, despite almost a century of religious teaching by the whites, the Plute Indian has only outwardly embraced the Christian faith. At heart the Plute clings to the old superstitions of the tribe, practicing all man-



Loleta, a Modern Witch.

ner of strange rites against witchcraft, rites which were in vogue long before Columbus discovered the new world.

Loleta was born within sight of the mysterious Salton sea. Her life was not different from that of any other Indian child until a few weeks ago, when her tribesmen discovered that a pan of milk at which she had been gazing had turned sour. Later several of the Coachella tribe were stricken with a slight illness. A pumpkin vine near her father's shack strangely withered, and the dogs on occasions had gathered near the shack and had made the night hideous with their howls.

Medicine men were summoned. A council was held by the braves. They decided she must die, must be strangled to death. Before the sun went down before the circle of crags to the westward the sentence was to have been executed.

But the child did not wait for the council to reach a verdict. From her isolated prison of poles where she had been thrust she crawled away into the desert. For hours she raced. She had decided in her childish mind where she should go. She knew the legends of her tribe. She recalled how the sacred springs in the valley of Guamachi, now known as San Bernardino valley, offered a cure for witchcraft. She believed the verdict of the medicine men against her was just, but if she could reach the sacred springs she would be cleansed and would be able to return to her people.

All that night she traveled, dropping from sheer exhaustion when dawn came. On the second day she took refuge in a lonely cave.

She arrived at the little Indian village above Highland, Cal., worn out and ready to drop from hunger and fatigue.

But while all those things were going on an Indian agent learned through trusted Indian officers, members of the Coachellas, of the death sentence imposed upon the child, and he hastened to the desert village to investigate. From here he and the sheriff followed up the child fugitive, and she is now in the government school safe from the superstitions of her tribe.

"Cut Thy Cloth," Etc. Cicero: Our generosity should never exceed our abilities.

# IMPORTANCE OF CONCRETE DRAIN TILE ON FARM

Becomes Harder and Stronger With Age and Can Be Made as Porous as Those Made of Clay—Retains Its Shape.

Concrete tile become harder and stronger with age and may be made as porous as clay tile; in comparison the clay tile becomes water-soaked and disintegrates in the years of service, thus causing broken tile and a useless drain.

This is easily demonstrated by taking up concrete tile and clay tile that have been imbedded in the ground; while the former are as strong as one could wish and lift easily, the clay are brittle, and must be handled with extreme care to prevent breakage.

Again, to employ vitrified clay tile is to make a drain that does not absorb water from the soil except at the joints; while a concrete tile has all the advantages of being porous and yet fully as strong as the best vitrified tile.

The simple machine illustrated with this article may be built in any size at a slight cost, and will enable anyone to make the best quality of concrete tile at a cost of 65 cents a rod when made in the 4-inch size; 77 cents a rod for 5-inch; 88 cents for 6-inch; \$1.10 for 8-inch; \$1.65 for 9-inch; \$1.88 for 10-inch, and \$2.64 for 12-inch tile.

The cost is based on sand at 70 cents a cubic yard; cement at \$2 per barrel; labor at \$2 a day. The tile are made as strong as possible, using one part cement to three parts of the gravel, which will give them all the strength needed for any service.

The 4-inch tile are made three-quarters of an inch thick; the 5, 6, and 8 inch tile are made one inch thick; the 9 and 10-inch are made 1 3/8 inches thick, and the 12-inch 1 1/2 inches thick.

In this manner you can estimate the cost of your drain and easily compare with the cost of clay tile of the same size.

By employing the proper method for handling concrete in the winter you may employ your spare time during the winter in making this much-needed article on the farm, and thus save the cost of labor, which is the greatest item in the above table of costs, averaging from 41 to 77 cent per rod of tile.

The machine explained in this article is one making a 6-inch tile, and from this explanation any other tile may be easily constructed.

A box form is built of two boards 18 inches long and 7 inches wide. And two boards 18 inches long and 10 inches wide. These are joined together to make a form, the inside measurements being 8x8 inches and 18 inches high.

Fasten these boards together with two hinges at each of three corners, and the fourth corner fasten with two hooks and eyelets as shown in the illustration; this allows the machine to be folded back from the tile without injury.

Now nail in each corner of this box some three-cornered or beveled strips 18 inches long, but nail to just one side of board only, which will hold them in place and yet allow the machine to fold back from the work easily.

For the core take a 6-inch stove-pipe 24 inches long and inside same place a 6-inch board 30 inches long, nailing securely as shown in the illustration. The top of this board is cut to make a handle to draw out the core, as illustrated.

The bottom is cut down to leave a small three-quarters-of-an-inch projection or pin on same, which sets into the holes bored in the pallet, thus insuring the core being always in the center of the form.

The pallets are made of any boards larger than the form used for molding the tile, and in the center is bored a three-quarter-inch hole to receive the pin on the bottom of the board in the core.

The outside part of the mold is held in position by four iron pins or spikes. These are placed by setting the casing in the correct position on the pallet and then on each side mark where the pin is to be placed, bore a hole for the same and arrange so it can be easily inserted and removed. Small bolts or spikes will do for this purpose.

A pallet is prepared for as many tiles as you wish to make each day, and the tile are left on the same for at least 48 hours before removing.

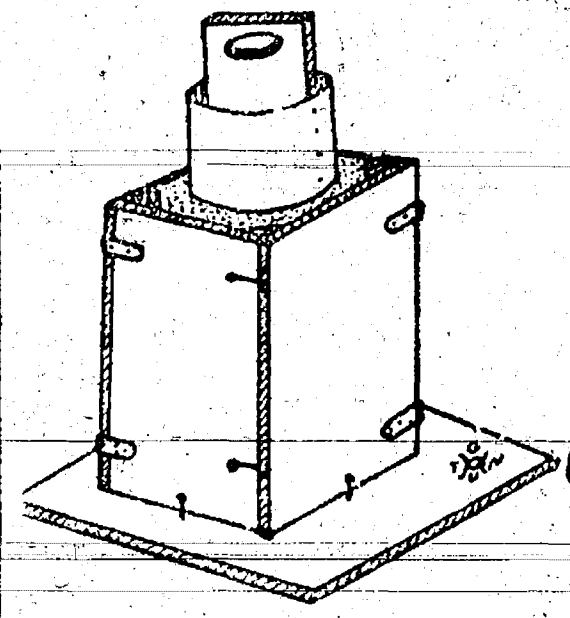
when they may be piled up and the pallets used again.

In operating, the machine is placed in position on the pallet with the core in place. The mortar is placed in the mold and tamped down.

The tamping process must begin with the first mortar put in, otherwise the tile will be too porous. Add mortar and tamp down, and so on until the mold is filled. Now simply draw out the core and unhook the sides and fold back from the tile leaving it upon the pallet to dry for 48 hours.

The tile thus made are 18 inches long, requiring but 11 to the rod, and are octagon in shape which is so planned that they may be easily laid.

A round tile must be very carefully bedded, otherwise they will get out of line, and for the inexperienced



Concrete Tile Machine.

worker this is a hard matter. A tile made in the octagon design has a flat surface, and thus all you have to do is to make the bottom of the trench smooth and insure the tile remaining in line.

The cost of this design over a round tile is but very little, and as it has many advantages, it should appeal to the inexperienced worker as he cannot help but secure correct and satisfactory results.

While the tile may be made in longer lengths, it is merely a waste of labor as the 18-inch lengths are such quicker laid, and the tile are porous so the joints need not be as close as with vitrified clay.

Another great advantage of concrete tile is that each tile is perfect. While clay tile are very apt to draw out of shape in burning, and thus make trouble when laying them.

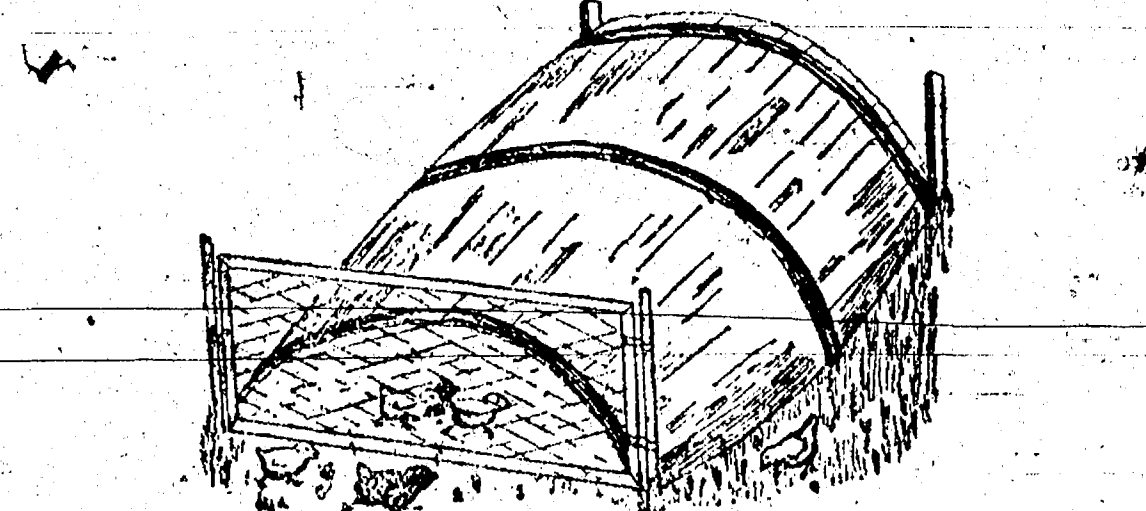
# NECESSITY OF GOOD CROPS

Farmer Is In Better Position to Stand Poor Yield Than Manufacturer, Banker and Railroad Man.

(By G. R. PERKINS.) Who is most interested in a good crop and a sure crop? The farmer, the manufacturer, the railroad man, merchant, or the banker? The more I study the problem the more it looks as though the farmer is the best fixed to stand a poor crop, and that it hurts the others more. The farmer loses less sleep over it than any of the others and proportionately fewer farmers fail than any of the other lines of business mentioned in a time of poor crops. The farmer can get his living from the farm, can reduce expenses and economize in a way that the others cannot. From this it is plain that it is of vital interest to all that crops be a sure thing for each year, and each of these industries which has really grown out of the farm ought to put forth their best effort to see that the farmer handles his farm according to the best that we know of farming.

Selecting Breeds. Farmers care more for the quality of their cattle, sheep and horses than they used to do. It is as much as advantage to extend their pride and care to poultry as to any branch of their work. A flock of uniform size and color is very attractive and live birds sell better.

# EXCELLENT COOP FOR CHICKS



Secure a stout, clean barrel and drive shingle nails through the hoops on both sides of each stave, clinching them firmly, says Farm Press. Divide the barrel into halves—lengthwise—sawing through both the bottom and hoops. Secure the coop to four

stakes—one driven at each corner. One end is, of course, closed by the half of the bottom. The other should be protected by a gate. It is well to cover the whole outfit with wire screening to protect it against animals which prowl by night.





SYNOPSIS.

Lawrence Blakeley, lawyer, goes to Pittsburgh with the forged notes in the name of the late Mrs. Allison West. He is attracted by a picture of a young girl, whom the millionaire explains is his granddaughter. A lady requests Blakeley to buy her a Pullman ticket. He goes for lower eleven and retains lower ten. He finds a drunken man in lower ten and returns in lower nine. He was in lower seven and finds his clothes all bag missing. The man in lower ten is found murdered. Circumstantial evidence points to both Blakeley and the unknown man who had exchanged clothes with him. Blakeley becomes interested in a girl in blue. The train is wrecked. Blakeley is rescued from the burning car by the girl in blue. His arm is broken. They go to the Carter place for breakfast. The girl proves to be Allison West, the millionaire's sweetheart. Her peculiar suit satisfies the lawyer. She drops her gold bag and Blakeley puts it in his pocket. Blakeley returns home. He finds what he is under surveillance. Moving pictures of the train taken just before the wreck reveal to Blakeley a man leaping from the train with his stolen grip. Blakeley learns that a man named Sullivan leaped from the train near McKnight and sprained his ankle. He stayed some time at the Carter place. While making inquiries at Carter's, Blakeley finds Allison West and Miss Mrs. Conway, the woman for whom Blakeley bought the Pullman ticket. He tries to make a bargain with her for the forged notes, not knowing that they are missing.

CHAPTER XXI.

McKnight's Theory.

I confess I was staggered. The people at the surrounding tables, after glancing curiously in my direction, looked away again. I got my hat and went out in a very uncomfortable frame of mind. That she would inform the police at once of what she knew I never doubted, unless possibly she would give a day or two's grace in the hope that I would change my mind. I reviewed the situation as I waited for a car. Two passed me going in the opposite direction and on the first one I saw Bronson, his hat over his eyes, his arms folded, looking moodily ahead. Was it imagination? or was the small man huddled in the corner of the rear seat Hotchkiss?

As the car rolled on I found myself sniffing. The alert little man was for all the world like a terrier, over on the scent, and scouring about in every direction.

I found McKnight at the incubator, with his coat off, working with enthusiasm and a manœuvre file over the horn of his auto.

His the worst horn I ever ran across," he groaned, without looking up, as I came in. "The blankety-blank thing won't blow."

He punched it savagely, finally eliciting a faint throaty croak. "Sounds like croup," I suggested. "My sister-in-law uses camphor and goose grease for it; or how about a spice poultice?"

But McKnight never sees any jokes but his own. He flung the horn clattering into a corner and collapsed dully into a chair.

"Now," I said, "if you're through manœuvring that horn, I'll tell you about my talk with the lady in black."

"What's wrong?" asked McKnight, languidly. "Police watching her, too?"

"Not exactly. The fact is, Rich, there's the mischief to pay."

Stogie came in, bringing a few additions to our comfort. When he went out I told my story.

"You must remember," I said, "that I had seen this woman before the morning of the wreck. She was buying her Pullman ticket when I did. Then the next morning, when the murder was discovered, she grew hysterical and I gave her some whisky. The third and last time I saw her, until the night, was when she crouched beside the road, after the wreck."

McKnight slid down in his chair until his weight rested on the small of his back and put his feet on the big reading table.

"It's rather a facer," he said. "It's really too good a situation for a commonplace lawyer. It ought to be dramatized. You can't agree, of course; and by refusing you run the chance of jail, at least, and of having Allison brought into publicity, which is out of the question. You say she was at the Pullman window when you were?"

"Yes; I bought her ticket for her. Gave her lower eleven."

"And you took ten?"

"Lower ten."

McKnight straightened up and looked at me.

"Then she thought you were in lower ten."

"I suppose she did, if she thought at all."

"But listen, man," McKnight was growing excited. "What do you figure out of this? The Conway woman knows you have taken the notes to Hotchkiss. The probabilities are that she follows you there, or the chance of an opportunity to get them, either for Bronson or herself."

"Nothing doing during the trip over or during the day in Pittsburgh; but she learns the number of your berth as you buy it at the Pullman ticket office in Pittsburgh and she thinks she sees her chance. No one could have foreseen that that drunken fellow would have crawled into your berth."

"Now, I figure it out this way: She wanted those notes desperately—does still—not for Bronson, but to hold over

# The MAN in LOWER TEN

by MARY ROBERTS RINEHART  
AUTHOR OF THE CIRCULAR STAIRCASE  
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his head for some purpose. In the night, when everything is quiet, she slips behind the curtains of lower ten, where the man's breathing shows he is asleep. Didn't you say he snored?"

"He did," I affirmed. "But I tell you—"

"Now keep still and listen. She gropes cautiously around in the darkness, finally discovering the wallet under the pillow. Can't you see it yourself?"

He was leaning forward, excitedly, and I could almost see the grewsome tragedy he was depicting.

"She draws out the wallet. Then, perhaps she remembers the alligator bag and on the possibility that the notes are there, instead of in the pocketbook, she gropes around for it. Suddenly, the man awakes and clutches at the nearest object, perhaps her neck chain, which breaks."

"It is all in silence; the man is still stupidly drunk. But he holds her in a tight grip. Then the tragedy. She must get away; in a minute the car will be aroused. Such a woman, on such an errand, does not go without some sort of a weapon, in this case a dagger, which, unlike a revolver, is noiseless."

"With a quick thrust—she's a big woman and a bold one—she strikes. Possibly Hotchkiss is right about the left-hand blow. Harrington may have held her right hand, or perhaps she held the dirk in her left hand as she groped with her right. Then, as the man falls back and his grasp relaxes, she straightens and attempts to get away. The swaying of the car throws her almost into your berth, and, trembling with terror, she crouches behind the curtains of lower ten until everything is still. Then she goes noiselessly back to her berth."

I nodded.

"It seems to fit partly, at least," I said. "In the morning when she found that the crime had been not only fruitless, but that she had searched the wrong berth and killed the wrong man; when she saw me emerge, unhurt, just as she was bracing herself for the discovery of my dead body, then she went into hysterics. You remember, I gave her some whisky."

"It really seems a tenable theory. But, like the Sullivan theory, there are one or two things that don't agree with the rest. For one thing, how did the remainder of that chain get into Allison West's possession?"

"She may have picked it up on the floor."

"We'll admit that," I said; "and I'm sure I hope so. Then how did the murdered man's pocketbook get into the sealskip bag? And the dirk, how account for that, and the blood stains?"

"Now what's the use," asked McKnight aggrievedly, "of my building up beautiful theories for you to pull down? We'll take it to Hotchkiss. Maybe he can tell from the blood stains if the murderer's finger nails were square or pointed."

"Hotchkiss is no fool," I said warmly. "Under all his theories there's a good, hard layer of common sense. And we must remember, Rich, that neither of our theories includes the woman at Doctor Van Kirk's hospital, that the charming picture you have just drawn does not account for Allison West's connection with the case, or for the bits of telegram in the Sullivan fellow's pajamas pocket. You are like the man who put the clock together—you've got half of the works left over."

"Oh, go home," said McKnight, disgustedly. "I'm no Edgar Allan Poe. What's the use of coming here and

asking me things if you're so particular?"

With one of his quick changes of mood he picked up his guitar.

"Listen to this," he said. "It is a Hawaiian song about a fat lady, oh, ignorant one! and how she fell off her mule."

But for all the lightness of the words, the voice that followed me down the stairs was anything but cheery.

There was a Kanaka in Bali did dwell, Who had for his daughter a monstrous fat girl—

he sang in a clear tenor. I paused on the lower floor and listened. He had stopped singing as abruptly as he had begun.

CHAPTER XXII.

At the Boarding House.

I had not been home for 36 hours, since the morning of the preceding day. Johnson was not in sight and I let myself in quietly with my latch-key. It was almost midnight and I had hardly settled myself in the library when the bell rang and I was surprised to find Hotchkiss, much out of breath, in the vestibule.

"Why, come in, Mr. Hotchkiss," I said. "I thought you were going home to go to bed."

"So I was, so I was." He dropped into a chair beside my reading lamp and mopped his face. "And here it is almost midnight and I'm wider awake than ever. I've seen Sullivan, Mr. Blakeley."

"You have?"

"I have," he said, impressively. "You were following Bronson at eight o'clock. Was that when it happened?"

"Something of the sort. When I left you at the door of the restaurant I turned and almost ran into a plain-clothes man from the central office. I know him pretty well; once or twice he has taken me with him on interesting bits of work. He knows my hobby."

"You know him, too, probably. It was the man Arnold, the detective whom the state's attorney has had watching Bronson."

Johnson being otherwise occupied, I had asked for Arnold myself.

I nodded.

"Well, he stopped me at once; said he'd been on the fellow's tracks since early morning and had had no time for luncheon. Bronson, it seems, isn't eating much these days. I at once jotted down the fact, because it argued that he was being bothered by the man with the notes."

"It might point to other things," I suggested. "Indigestion, you know."

Hotchkiss ignored me. "Well, Arnold had some reason for thinking that Bronson would try to give him the slip that night, so he asked me to stay around the private entrance there while he ran across—the street and get something to eat. It seemed a fair presumption that, as he had gone there with a lady they would dine leisurely and Arnold would have plenty of time to get back."

"What about your own dinner?" I asked, curiously.

"Sir," he said, pompously, "I have given you a wrong estimate of Wilson Budd Hotchkiss if you think that a question of dinner would even obtrude itself on his mind at such a time as this."

He was a frail little man and to-night he looked pale with heat and over-exertion.

"Did you have any luncheon?" I asked.



He was somewhat embarrassed at that.

"I—really, Mr. Blakeley, the events of the day were so engrossing—"

"Well," I said, "I'm not going to see you drop on the floor from exhaustion. Just wait a minute."

I went back to the pantry, only to be confronted with rows of locked doors and empty dishes. Downstairs, in the basement kitchen, however, I found two unattractive looking cold chops, some dry bread and a piece of cake, wrapped in a napkin, and from its surreptitious and generally hang-dog appearance destined for the coachman in the stable at the rear. Trays there were none—everything but the chairs and tables seemed under lock and key and there was neither napkin, knife nor fork to be found.

The luncheon was not attractive in appearance, but Hotchkiss ate his cold chops and gravied at his crusts as though he had been famished, while he told his story.

"I had been there only a few minutes," he said, with a chop in one hand and the cake in the other, "when Bronson rushed out and out across the street. He's a tall man, Mr. Blakeley, and I had hard work keeping close. It was a relief when he jumped on a passing car, although being well behind, it was a hard run for me to catch him. He had left the lady."

"Once on the car, we simply rode from one end of the line to the other and back again. I suppose he was passing the time, for he looked at his watch now and then and when I did once get a look at his face it made me—er—uncomfortable. He could have crushed me like a fly, sir."

I had brought Mr. Hotchkiss a glass of wine and he was looking better. He stopped to finish it, declining with a wave of his hand to have it refilled, and continued:

"About nine o'clock or a little later he got off somewhere near Washington circle. He went along one of the residence streets there, turned to his left a square or two, and rang a bell. He had been admitted when I got there, but I guessed from the appearance of the place that it was a boarding house."

"I waited a few minutes and rang the bell. When a maid answered it, I asked for Mr. Sullivan. Of course there was no Mr. Sullivan there."

"I said I was sorry; that the man I was looking for was a new boarder. She was sure there was no such boarder in the house; the only new arrival was a man on the third floor—she thought his name was Stuart."

"My friend has a cousin by that name," I said. "I'll go up and see."

"She wanted to show me up, but I said it was unnecessary. So after telling me it was the bedroom and sitting-room on the third floor front, I went up."

"I met a couple of men on the stairs, but neither of them paid any attention to me. A boarding house is the easiest place in the world to enter."

"They're not always so easy to leave," I put in, to his evident irritation.

"When I got to the third story I took out a bunch of keys and posted myself by a door near the ones the girl had indicated. I could hear voices in one of the front rooms, but could not understand what they said."

"There was no violent dispute, but a steady hum. Then Bronson jerked the door open. If he had stepped into the hall he would have seen me fitting a key into the door before me. But he spoke before he came out."

"You're acting like a maniac," he said. "You know I can get those things some way; I'm not going to threaten you. It isn't necessary. You know me."

"It would be no use," the other man said. "I tell you I haven't seen the notes for ten days."

"But you will," Bronson said, savagely. "You're standing in your own way, that's all. If you're holding out expecting me to raise my figure you're making a mistake—It's my last offer."

"I couldn't take it if it was for a million," said the man inside the room. "I'd do it, I expect, if I could. The best of us have our price."

Bronson slammed the door, then and flung past me down the hall.

"After a couple of minutes I knocked at the door and a tall man about your size, Mr. Blakeley, opened it. He was very blond, with a smooth face and blue eyes—what I think you would call a handsome man."

"I beg your pardon for disturbing you," I said. "Can you tell me which is Mr. Johnson's room? Mr. Francis Johnson?"

"I cannot say," he answered, civilly. "I've only been here a few days."

"I thanked him and left, but I had had a good look at him and I think I'd know him readily any place."

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A High Jumper.

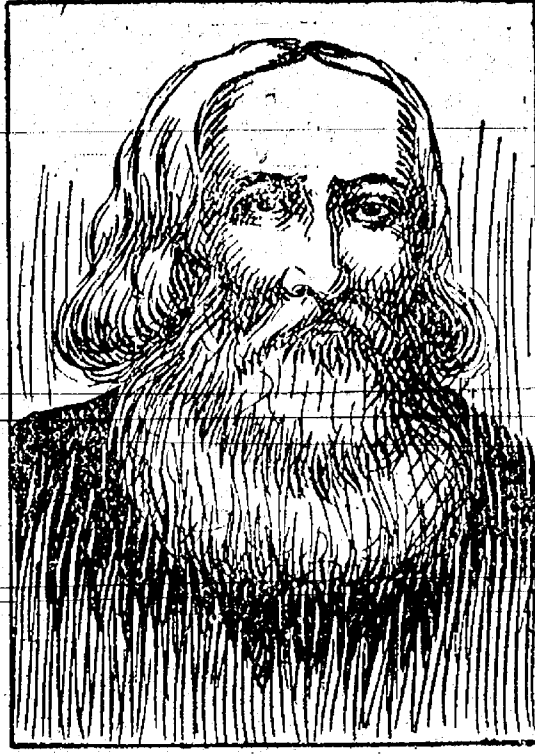
Horseban—You don't mean to say you came off at that bit of a fence?

Recumbent Friend—Fence? Great Scott, man, no! I caught in the telegraph wires—Tit-Like

AN EARLY MENNONITE LEADER

Hans Herr, Who Led a Little Band to the New World 200 Years Ago—Many Descendants.

Lancaster, Pa.—In the early days of American history, before men dreamed of a war for independence, there crossed the perilous waters of the Atlantic Rev. Hans Herr, with a band of followers, driven from Europe by religious intolerance. With his little band he landed in America in the year 1710 and began at once to settle that part of Pennsylvania known now as Lancaster county. They turned the hunting ground of the Conestoga Indians into an agricultural paradise. Hans Herr was pastor of the flock and inspired by industry, persistence



Hans Herr.

and the grace of God he made a home for his followers out of the dark woodlands and heavy swamps that constituted the virgin wilderness.

These settlers of the Pennsylvania woods were believers in the creed of Menno Simon, the founder of the Mennonite church, and were driven step by step from Europe by the religious intolerance of the time. Under the leadership of their pastor, Hans Herr, they sailed for America and became the pioneer settlers of Pennsylvania.

Since the first breaking of the soil the county has felt the influence of many newcomers. There were the Scotch-Irish in the south and the Quakers, who pushed over from Chester county, and the Welsh in the northeast, among their iron furnaces; so that Lancaster, in its radical and religious aspect, is as cosmopolitan as the state of Pennsylvania itself.

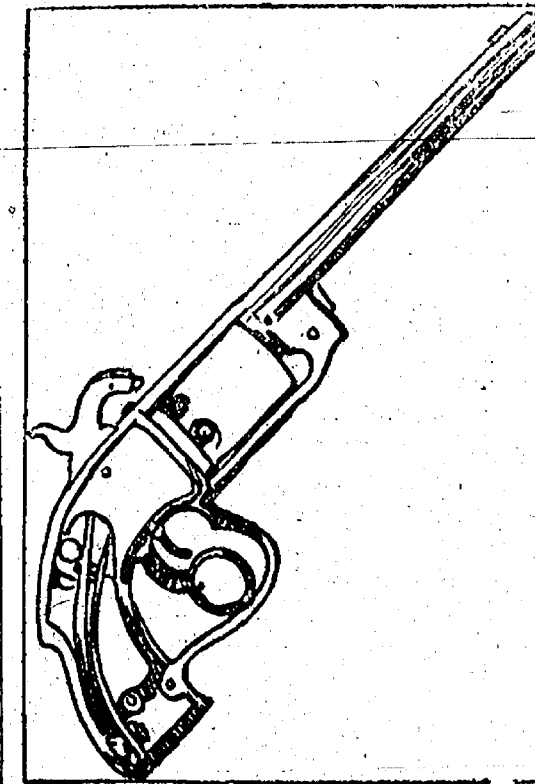
But the language, the dress and the racial types of the early German settlers still hold on tenaciously, and it is well for Lancaster county that the spirit of the first comers is still the spirit of the community. The wealth of the community, the fields cultivated like gardens, the houses as neat and clean from cellar to garret as mirrors, and the people, quiet, peaceful, thrifty and abounding in business ability and useful energy, are the heritages of old Hans Herr and his fellow-pilgrims.

Today the descendants of the little band which Hans Herr led to the new world number 25,000.

RELIC OF QUANTRELL'S RAID

Old Revolver Found in Lawrence, Kan., Thought to Have Been Used in the Massacre.

Topeka, Kan.—John M. Loper, of Pomona, Kan., owns an interesting relic of the Quantrell raid at Lawrence, Kan., in the shape of an old revolver found in Lawrence. The weapon is, what may be called a six shot double action cap and ball revolver, and was made in 1850 on patents issued in 1856. Of the two triggers the larger, with the ring was used to raise the hammer, while the



The Old Quantrell Revolver.

smaller released it and fired the shot. When found the old revolver was broken, giving the impression that it was used in the raid and discarded when it got out of order.

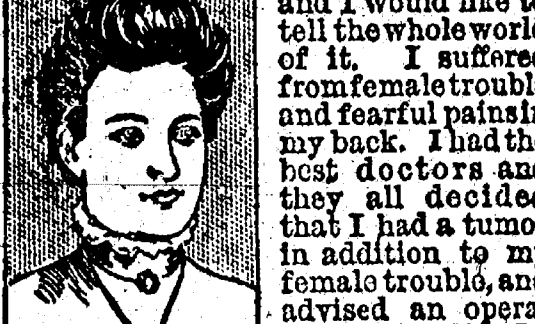
A Wonderful Kitchen.

Paris.—The largest kitchen in the world is that of the Bon Marche, the noted department store of Paris. In this kitchen is prepared the food for the whole of the 4,000 employees of that great establishment. The smallest kettle holds 75 quarts, the largest 375 quarts. There are 50 frying pans, each of which is capable of holding 300 outlets at a time, or of frying 220 pounds of potatoes. When there are omelets for breakfast 7,800 eggs are used. The coffee machinery regularly employs 60 cooks and 100 kitchen boys.

# AFTER SUFFERING ONE YEAR

## Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Milwaukee, Wis.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has made me a well woman, and I would like to tell the whole world of it. I suffered from female trouble and fearful pains my back. I had the best doctors and they all decided that I had a tumor in addition to my female trouble, and advised an operation. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman and I have no more backache. I hope I can help others by telling them what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. Emma Tase, 633 First St., Milwaukee, Wis.



The above is only one of the thousands of grateful letters which are constantly being received by the Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass., which prove beyond a doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, actually does cure these obstinate diseases of women after all other means have failed, and that every such suffering woman owes it to herself to at least give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial before submitting to an operation, or giving up hope of recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health and her advice is free.

Why the Boy Gave Thanks. Alan had played the entire day with little brother without an impatient word. After saying his customary prayer that night, his mother suggested that he add: "I thank God I was not impatient with little brother today." This he did with much fervency; after which he remarked that there were some other things he would like to thank God for, and forthwith he closed his eyes and said:

"I thank God I offered my candy to father before taking any myself."

"I thank God I offered my candy to mother before taking any myself."

"I thank God I offered my candy to little brother before taking any myself."

"And I thank God there was some left."—Lippincott's.

Model African King.

The Christian village of Hombu in Africa is a proof of the power of the gospel. At daybreak every morning the horn is blown and the people assemble at the king's house to hear the word of God read, and to praise and pray. Witchcraft and superstition have fallen under the power of the gospel, and the heathens are taking knowledge of it. The native church at Louanda contributes \$17 a month for the support of native workers on a native station in the interior of Angola.

Cheering Up the Guide. "Remember, Henry," said the hunter who had arranged with the guide, "we're not hiring you—you're simply one of our party."

"What's on your mind?" inquired the guide.

"Well, you see, in case anything happens we don't want to be troubled with this new employer's liability law," admitted the cautious hunter.—Puck.

THE FIRST TASTE

Learned to Drink Coffee When a Baby. If parents realized the fact that coffee contains a drug—caffeine—which is especially harmful to children, they would doubtless hesitate before giving the babies coffee to drink.

"When I was a child in my mother's arms and first began to nibble things at the table, mother used to give me sips of coffee. As my parents used coffee exclusively at meals I never knew there was anything to drink but coffee and water."

"And so I contracted the coffee habit early. I remember when quite young the continual use of coffee so affected my parents that they tried roasting wheat and barley, then ground it in the coffee-mill, as a substitute for coffee."

"But it did not taste right and they went back to coffee again. That was long before Postum was ever heard of. I continued to use coffee until I was 27, and when I got into office work, I began to have nervous spells. Especially after breakfast I was so nervous I could scarcely attend to my correspondence."

"At night, after having coffee for supper, I could hardly sleep, and in the morning would feel weak and nervous."

"A friend persuaded me to try Postum. My wife and I did not like it at first, but later when boiled good and strong it was fine. Now we would not give up Postum for the best coffee we ever tasted."

"I can now get good sleep, am free from nervousness and headaches. I recommend Postum to all coffee drinkers."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in Pkgs.

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



"Suddenly the Man Awakes and Clutches at the Nearest Object."



## Epilepsy, Spasms, St. Vitus' Dance

"I suffered for many years from what some people call epilepsy. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine cured me, and you can imagine how thankful I am."  
M. I. COFFMAN,  
Coldwater, Mich.

"My daughter was cured with Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, after having been afflicted with fits for five years."  
PETER McAULEY,  
Springfield, Mass.

"For a year my little boy had spasms every time he got a little cold. Since taking Dr. Miles' Nervine he has never had one of these spasms."  
MRS. MYRTLE DAGUE,  
Rochester, Ind.

"My daughter couldn't talk or walk from St. Vitus' dance. Seven bottles of Dr. Miles' Nervine entirely cured her."  
MRS. NANNIE LAND,  
Ethel, Ind.

"Until my son was 30 years old he had fits right along. We gave him seven bottles of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. He has not had a fit since he began on the fifth bottle."  
MRS. R. DUNTLEY,  
Wautoma, Wis.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is sold by all druggists. Give it a thorough trial.  
MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

## County Canvassers' Statement

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY  
1910

OFFICIAL  
Statement of votes cast in the County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, at the General Election held in said county, on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, in the year of one thousand nine hundred ten, for the following officers: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Attorney General, Commissioner of the State Land Office, Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending the thirty first day of December, nineteen hundred eleven (to fill vacancy), Representative in Congress of the United States, from the Eleventh Congressional District, Senator for the twenty-ninth Senate in Michigan, Representative in the State Legislature for the Charlevoix Representative District, and the following County Officers: Sheriff, County Clerk, Register of Deeds, County Treasurer, Prosecuting Attorney, Circuit Court Commissioner, County Surveyor, 2 Coroners and County Drain Commissioner.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Governor was twenty one hundred forty three and were given for the following named persons:  
Chas. S. Osborn, received thirteen hundred thirty votes.....1330  
Lawton T. Homan, received five hundred seventeen votes.....517  
Fred W. Corbett, received sixty six votes 66  
Joseph Warnock, received two hundred votes.....200  
Herman Richter, received thirty votes.....30  
Total.....2143

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Lieutenant Governor was twenty one hundred eighty four and were given for the following named persons:  
John Q. Ross, received fourteen hundred three votes.....1403  
Stephen D. Williams received three hundred seventy five votes.....375  
Georg Masselink received sixty six votes 66  
B. V. Lawrence received two hundred eight votes.....208  
Shepard B. Cowles received thirty two votes.....32  
Total.....2084

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Secretary of State was twenty one hundred seventy four and were given for the following named persons:  
Frederick C. Martindale received fourteen hundred eighty eight votes.....1488  
Adolph W. Peterson received three hundred one votes.....311  
George A. Youngs received eighty two votes.....82  
George H. Sherman received two hundred nine votes.....209  
Thos. J. Grabuski received thirty four votes.....34  
Total.....2074

The whole number of votes cast for the office of State Treasurer was twenty one hundred seventy eight and were given for the following named persons:  
Albert E. Sleeper received fourteen hundred sixteen votes.....1416  
Thos. Gordon Jr. received three hundred fifty three votes.....353  
Frederick M. Beall received sixty seven votes.....67  
Henry A. Amelsh received two hundred eleven votes.....211  
Ardell Melanis received thirty one votes 31  
Total.....2078

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Auditor General was twenty one hundred seventy two and were given for the following named persons:  
Oramel B. Fuller received fourteen hundred eighteen votes.....1418  
Rial V. McArthur received three hundred forty six votes.....346  
Elmer R. Thompson received sixty six votes.....66  
Burton A. Ellis received two hundred nine votes.....209  
Henry Ulbricht received thirty three votes.....33  
Total.....2072

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Attorney General was twenty one hundred eighty eight and were given for the following named persons:  
Franz C. Kuhn received fourteen hundred twenty six votes.....1426  
Thos. J. Bresnahan received three hundred forty six votes.....346  
William S. McCormick received sixty five votes.....65  
Hamilton S. McMaster received two hundred eleven votes.....211  
Fred N. Hitchcock received thirty two votes.....32  
Total.....2080

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Commissioner of the State Land Office was twenty one hundred sixty eight and were given for the following named persons:  
Huntley Russell received fourteen hundred twelve votes.....1412  
Orlando F. Barnes received three hundred forty nine votes.....349  
George W. Pierce, sr. received sixty three votes.....63  
Michael Andzulewski received thirty three votes.....33  
George W. Eldredge received two hundred eleven votes.....211  
Total.....2068

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December thirty first 1911, to fill vacancy was seventeen hundred ten and were given for the following named persons:  
John E. Bird received fourteen hundred twenty nine votes.....1429  
Walent H. D. Fox received sixty six votes 66  
Deputy B. Hevey received two hundred fifteen votes.....215  
Total.....1710

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress for the Eleventh Congressional District, was twenty one hundred thirty seven and were given for the following named persons:  
Francis H. Dadds received fourteen hundred forty four votes.....1444  
Hubert How received three hundred forty seven votes.....347  
Lewis Welch received sixty one votes 61  
Raymond Bentley received two hundred fifteen votes.....215  
Total.....2037

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Senator for the 29th Senatorial District, was twenty hundred ten votes, and were given for the following named persons:  
Frank D. Scott received fourteen hundred eight votes.....1408  
Phillip B. Wachtel received three hundred twenty eight votes.....328  
William A. Taylor received sixty three votes.....63  
James Sauniers received two hundred eleven votes.....211  
Total.....2010

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in the State Legislature, for the Charlevoix District was twenty one hundred eleven and were given for the following named persons:  
William J. Pearson received thirteen hundred twenty one votes.....1321  
Zenos A. Young received one hundred eighty three votes.....183  
William H. McCulliston received six hundred seven votes.....607  
Total.....2111

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Sheriff was twenty one hundred seventy two and were given for the following named persons:  
Ford P. Robbins received twelve hundred forty votes.....1240  
William H. Cook received one hundred ninety two votes.....192  
Frank D. Thompson received seven hundred forty votes.....740  
Total.....2172

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Clerk was twenty one hundred twenty nine and were given for the following named persons:  
Daniel S. Payton received thirteen hundred eighty four votes.....1384  
William Hart received one hundred eighty four votes.....184  
Ezra C. Chew received six hundred thirty six votes.....636  
Total.....2129

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Register of Deeds was twenty one hundred twenty five and were given for the following named persons:  
Ramon A. Emery received thirteen hundred thirty five votes.....1335  
James B. Palmier received one hundred eighty eight votes.....188  
Hanson S. Hutton received six hundred two votes.....602  
Total.....2125

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Treasurer was twenty one hundred thirty eight and were given for the following named persons:  
Richard Lewis received thirteen hundred thirty three votes.....1333  
Fred H. Thom received one hundred eighty two votes.....182  
William D. Gallagher received six hundred three votes.....603  
Total.....2118

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Prosecuting Attorney was twenty one hundred twenty five and were given for the following named persons:  
Dwight H. Piteh received thirteen hundred fifteen votes.....1315  
Ira G. Mesher received one hundred seventy five votes.....175  
Henry A. Jersey received six hundred thirty five votes.....635  
Total.....2125

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Circuit Court Commissioner was nine hundred thirteen and were given for the following named persons:  
Arthur G. Urquhart received thirteen hundred seventy one votes.....1371  
Edward M. Rogers received five hundred forty two votes.....542  
Total.....1913

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Surveyor was sixteen hundred fifty five votes and were given for the following named persons:  
Ernest A. Robinson received fourteen hundred twenty nine votes.....1429  
David Nettleton received two hundred twenty six votes.....226  
Total.....1655

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Coroner was thirty two hundred seventy four votes.....3274 and were given for the following named persons:  
Allan N. Wilkinson received fourteen hundred thirty two votes.....1432  
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In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and caused to be affixed the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix this 10th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred ten.  
G. ELLSWORTH DUTTON,  
C. C. BURNETT,  
Board of County Canvassers

Attest: DANIEL S. PAYTON,  
Clerk of Board of County Canvassers.

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
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We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct transcript of the statement of the Board of County Canvassers, of the County of Charlevoix, of the votes given in such County for the officers named in said statement and for the persons designated therein, at the General Election held on the eighth day of November, 1910, so far as it relates to the votes cast for said officers, as appears from the original statement on file in the office of the County Clerk.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of the

Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix this 10th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred ten  
DANIEL S. PAYTON,  
County Clerk.  
G. ELLSWORTH DUTTON,  
Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

STATEMENT OF VOTES given in the County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, at the General Election held on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred ten, for and against the adoption of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State, relative to the Bonded Indebtedness of Counties:  
The whole number of votes given for and against the proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State relative to the Bonded Indebtedness of the Counties was fourteen hundred fifteen and they were given as follows:  
seven hundred ten.....710  
seven hundred five.....705  
votes were given against said amendment.....1415

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In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands at the City of Charlevoix in said County and State this sixteenth day of November, A. D. 1910  
G. ELLSWORTH DUTTON  
C. C. BURNETT  
Attest: DANIEL S. PAYTON,  
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We do hereby certify, that the foregoing copy of the statement of votes given in this County for and against the proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State named therein, and of the certificate thereto attached are correct transcripts of the originals of such statement and certificate and of the whole of such originals on file in the office of the Clerk of said County, so far as they relate to the vote on the question named herein.

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