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Fatal Shooting.

Edd Patterson Attempts To Murder and Suicides.

The day of Peace on Earth Good Will Toward Men had scarcely passed when, early Monday morning Edd Patterson attempted to kill his wife by shooting her with a revolver and then putting a bullet into his own head which resulted in his death, early Tuesday afternoon.

Just what led up to the shooting is a little hazy, but there has been family differences and Patterson called on his wife that morning and we understand, endeavored to effect a reconciliation. It is evident that things were not to his liking for he drew a revolver and shot at his wife, the bullet grazed her forehead and came out near her nose. He then went out on the veranda and fired several shots at himself, only one shot taking effect, near the base of the brain. Physicians were summoned and the injured couple were given medical attention. Mr. Patterson's injuries were not serious but Patterson failed steadily until he died early Tuesday afternoon.

The affair took place over the Alexander building in rooms occupied by Mrs. Patterson and her mother, Mrs. Mason.

Apples or Potatoes for you?

One bushel of apples worth 19 bushels of Western Michigan potatoes; that sounds unreasonable, even incredible, yet it is a fact. Apples have been sold at that rate for several weeks. Spitzenberg apples from the North Yakima Valley, Washington, are displayed in the grocery windows and these are being sold at five cents a piece. In a box inspected a few days since, there were 96 apples. Let's figure a little, 96 times 5 gives 480, \$4.80. Potatoes have been bringing but 25 cents a bushel. Now 25 is contained into 480, 19 times with five to spare. So you see one bushel of western apples is worth the price of 19 bushels of home grown potatoes!

Another box of apples, Rome Beauty from the west was sold recently at three for ten cents. This box contained 112 which at that rate made the bushel worth \$3.75, the present market value of 15 bushel of potatoes. Still another box of rather small apples containing 175 were sold at the rate of two for five cents, making the bushel worth \$4.37 or 17 bushel of potatoes.

In this connection it might be observed that many western growers shipped apples out of the region the past fall that were better in quality than the western apples now on the market and they brought but little more, if any than half as much per bushel, as is safe to assume, our home people are now paying for western fruit. There is something of irony in the fact that our apples are being exhibited in Chicago to induce the people at a distance to buy them, and our home people are compelled to pay transportation charges and middlemen's toll on apples from the far west in order to get first class fruit.

All this is a forceful argument for the placing of more stress upon the merits of our fruits and making a demand for the employment of a larger amount of brains in the advertising and marketing of these superior products.

William J. Bryan's statement, that the saloon is the most disreputable place in every community and that it cannot be depended upon as institution to contribute the lightest direct or indirect value to any city or village or town is a fact that deserves consideration from representatives of the business and individual life of every locality. The saloon adds to the misfortune of every community, never to the encouragement of a city or village. It is always a burden, always a source of misery and vice, and never can be referred to as a business that temporarily aids any town or any country. Mr. Bryan's opposition to the saloon is because of what he knows of it as a community scourge, as disreputable institution and as breeder of crime and distress in community and county that need not be endured and that should not be permitted.

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 rate.

Good Roads.

What the Law Provides For— a Synopsis by Clerk Payton.

At the present time the press and the people of this county are agitating the question of good roads, and in some cases are asking the board of supervisors to submit to the question of County Road System, to the people. We all understand the working of the present system, we know we have fifteen townships in the county fifteen highway commissioners, building fifteen different roads, under fifteen different systems, with fifteen different kinds of material with fifteen different results. We all want good roads, we know good roads will enhance the value of our farms, the merchant knows that good roads leading to his village is of a pecuniary interest to him. The question is, how are we to derive the greatest benefit for money expended. The synopsis of the County Road Law of 1909 may be of some interest. The county road system may be submitted to the county, to be voted on at a special or general election. If submitted, the county clerk shall give notice of said election, and the question shall be stated on the ballots as follows, viz. Shall the County Road System be adopted by the said county of _____

Yes () No ()

If upon the canvass of the votes, it shall appear that a majority is in favor of the adoption, then the county road system shall be considered as adopted in the county. In any county where the county road system shall be adopted, a board of county roads Commissioners, not exceeding five in number, shall be elected by the people of the county. In the first instance; such commissioners shall be appointed by the board of supervisors, or the supervisors may call a special election for that purpose, if appointed their successors shall be elected at the April election following the date of their appointment. If the commission shall consist of three members, one of said members shall be elected for a period of two years, one for four and one six years. Any person so elected or appointed shall, within ten days after being notified of an election or appointment, subscribe the Constitutional Oath of Office and file a bond in such an amount, as the board of supervisors may determine. Thereafter, one commissioner shall be biennially elected for the full term of six years. The board of supervisors shall fix the compensation of such commissioners, and a supervisor shall not be eligible to the office. A majority of the members of the commission shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, such board shall be known as the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of _____ and by that name may sue, or be sued.

The clerk of the county shall be the clerk of the board, and shall keep the records and accounts and preserve the files in the manner directed by the board. Neither the clerk or any member of the board, shall directly or indirectly be pecuniarily interested in any contract entered into, or work carried on by, or for such a board, or in the property purchased or sold by, or for such board.

Such said board of commissioners may employ such superintendents, engineers and laborers, and purchase such machines, tools and material as shall in their judgment be necessary for the proper carrying on of their work.

Any road heretofore laid out, or any part thereof, shall become a county road, if the Board of County Road Commissioners shall at any time determine, and in passing through, or in the line between townships and incorporated villages, any street or part of street of such village may be adopted as a county road, with the consent of the proper authorities of such village. When such road has been so adopted the commissioner shall have sole and exclusive jurisdiction and control of such road and the township or municipality within which the same is situated shall be relieved from all responsibility therefor. The Board of County Road Commissioners are empowered to, at any time abandon and discontinue any county road, or any part thereof by a majority vote. After the proceedings to discontinue have been had, the jurisdiction and control of such road shall revert to the township or municipality within which the same is situated. Said board shall have authority to grade, drain, gravel, construct or macadamize any road under their control which in their judgment may be best. In all cases involving the expenditure of an amount over five hundred dollars, said commissioners shall advertise for sealed proposals for such work; but they may reject such bids, and do their work by day labor, but in such a case they shall file the plans and specifications, and their reasons, in writing with the County clerk. The said commission, shall on or before the first day of October in each year determine upon the amount of tax which in their judgment should be raised, specifying and itemizing the roads and parts of roads upon which these moneys are to be expended, and the amount to be expended on each road, such tax shall not exceed three dollars on each one thousand dollars of the assessed valuation, in counties where such valuation does not exceed twenty million dollars. Said reports shall be submitted to the board of supervisors and if a majority of the board of supervisors think the amount asked for is correct, then they shall apportion such tax among several townships and cities of the county, but if the majority of the supervisors do not approve of the amount determined on by said committee the supervisors shall decide upon the amount to be raised, and the supervisors shall have the power to reject in whole or in part, any or all of the items for the section of roads thus submitted and it shall not be lawful for such commission, without the consent of the board of supervisors, to expend any moneys upon any other road than thus specified.

Said commissioners shall have no power to contract indebtedness in excess of the moneys credited to such commissioners and actually in the hands of the county treasurer.

All roads in townships except county roads shall be township roads, and shall be under the care of the township board and the highway commissioner. The commissioners shall keep an accurate account of all the moneys received and disbursed, and a full and complete statement in detail, of work done by it, and the same shall be submitted to the board of supervisors at the annual meeting. The board of supervisors shall audit all claims that the said commissioners may have against the county. The board of supervisors of any county having adopted the County Road System may, upon the proper petition being filed submit the question of rescinding the vote, by which it was adopted. When any county shall rescind the vote by which it was adopted the county road system shall cease to be operative except for the purpose of completing work under contract at the time of such rescission.

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

The whitewashers say Ballinger should not be fired, and another lot says Lorrimer should be. There is however enough whitewash to cover the entire Illinois scandal.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup, bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. It contains no opiates. Hitte Drug Store.

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You will have pleasant feelings afterward because it will agree with you.

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Isn't good form of course, but our Meats are so good that it is hard to part with even the smallest portion.

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New Year's Greeting

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking our friends and customers for their liberal patronage during the past year.

We wish to show our appreciation and will try to do so during the year of 1911 by courteous treatment and fair dealing.

We hope to convince you during the coming year that it will pay you to be one of our customers.

And In The Meantime! We wish you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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Well just send for us and stop worrying. We make a specialty of quick and thorough

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and for new work we gladly furnish estimates and undertake to do the work in superior fashion, using only the best materials. Try us.

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"I must admit that he seems to appreciate himself very much."

Thousands of country people know that in time of sudden mishap or accident Hamlin Wizard Oil is the best substitute for the family doctor. That is why it is so often found upon the shelf.

A Meritorious Act.
Mr. Cynic—Tell me one thing you ever did for your fellow men?
Mr. Optim—This morning I kicked a banana peel off a sidewalk—Judge.

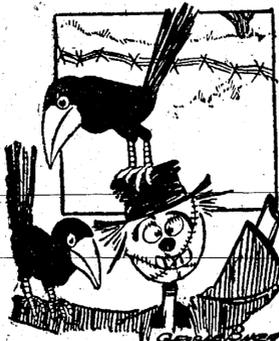
A Card.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. Your Druggist, My Druggist, Any Druggist in Michigan.

Skied.
"How does Dobber rank as a painter, anyhow?" asked Wilbraham.
"Pretty well, I guess," said Lollerby.
"At the last exhibition they hung his picture higher than any other in the place"—Harper's Weekly.

Was All Right.
Howard—Did you telephone Mrs. Howard that I would be detained at the office until midnight?
Office Boy—Yes, sir.
"And what did she say?"
"She said she didn't blame you—she had made an engagement to go to the theater herself."—Smart Set.

An Unmistakable Hint.
"Young Staylate got a delicate hint from the young lady he was calling on the other evening."
"What was it?"
"She found looking at the clock and other familiar devices useless, so she ordered some refreshments and her mother sent her a plate of breakfast food."

THEIR FATE.



Mrs. Crow—William, have you ever stopped to think what will become of us when we are old?
Mr. Crow—Oh! I suppose we'll wind up as quail on toast at some table d'hote restaurant.

THEY GROW

Good Humor and Cheerfulness From Right Food and Drink.

Anything that interferes with good health is apt to keep cheerfulness and good humor in the background. A Washington lady found that letting coffee alone made things bright for her. She writes:

"Six years ago I was practically given up by my doctor and was not expected to live long. My nervous system was in a bad condition.

"But I was young and did not want to die so I began to look about for the cause of my chronic trouble. I used to have nervous spells which would exhaust me and after each spell it would take me days before I could sit up in a chair.

"I became convinced my trouble was caused by coffee. I decided to stop it and bought some Postum.

"The first cup, which I made according to directions, had a soothing effect on my nerves and I liked the taste. For a time I nearly lived on Postum and ate little food besides. I am today a healthy woman.

"My family and relatives wonder if I am the same person I was four years ago, when I could do no work on account of nervousness. Now I am doing my own housework, take care of two babies—one twenty the other two months old. I am so busy that I hardly get time to write a letter, yet I do it all with the cheerfulness and good humor that comes from enjoying good health.

"I tell my friends it is Postum I owe my life today."

Read "The Road to Wellville" in all papers. "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.

EXCELLENT METHOD OF PREPARING MARKET POULTRY

Problem of Getting Chickens to Consumer in First Class Condition of Interest to All Farmers—How to Kill and Bleed.

(By M. E. PENNINGTON and H. W. BETTS.)

The problem of getting poultry to market in first-class condition, as determined by its appearance, flavor and "keeping quality" is no longer the simple proposition that the farmer or poultryman found it in the days when cities were smaller and could draw upon their environs for a large share of the poultry which they consumed.

At the present time the quantities of perishable foodstuffs of all kinds required by the cities are so great that their immediate vicinity cannot supply the demand. Neither do the various parts of the country endeavor at the present time to supply either the quantity or the variety of perishable foods consumed in them, because economic conditions have made it advisable for certain sections of the country especially adapted to the production of certain kinds of crops, to raise them in much larger amounts than are needed for home consumption and to send the surplus to the sections where a shortage prevails.

Such a condition of affairs has led to the lengthening of the period between production and consumption. In

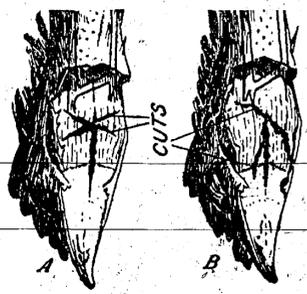


External View of Head and Neck, Showing Position of Veins.

order therefore, that perishable produce shall reach the market in good condition, it must be handled in such wise that deterioration will be checked as far as possible.

To accomplish this there have been developed railroad refrigerator cars, fast freights, cold-storage warehouses, and all that vast and complicated system on which depends the feeding of the populace. In spite of this system, however, if care of the product at the source of production is lacking, deterioration will occur before the product reaches the consumer.

If poultry is to reach the consumer with the best of flavor and wholesomeness, the most attractive appearance, and in the best possible state of preservation, it must be properly raised, killed, and dressed. Granting that the chicken has been bred and fed to be a good eating chicken and that it is ready for slaughter, the first step in the preservation of its good qualities is to starve it for twenty-four hours, allowing, however, a liberal supply of fresh, clean water during this period. The intestines of the bird having been



Attempts at "Cross-Cutting," Showing Veins Untouched.

emptied of food, the next step in the dressing of market poultry is the proper killing and bleeding of the fowl.

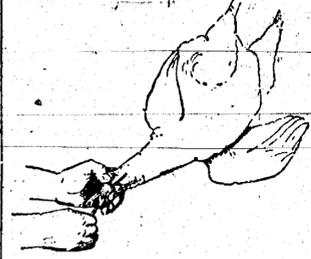
A very large proportion of the unsightly poultry in our markets, aside from the rubbing and tearing of the skin, is caused by an incomplete removal of the blood. Generally the neck shows most plainly the presence of blood in the fowl, or that a wrong method has been used in cutting the blood vessels in an attempt to empty them. The neck is the first part to discolor, becoming first red, then bluish red or purple, and finally green as aging progresses. Often there are discolored areas on the sides of the neck close to the head which look like bruises. These are commonly caused by the killer holding the neck of the bird when cutting the veins, and thereby preventing the blood from escaping.

Aside from the bad appearance of incompletely bled chickens, their keeping properties are very inferior. The flesh loses its firmness sooner; its flavor is not so good, the odor of stale flesh and finally of putrefaction comes sooner; and in every way the product is more perishable.

An anatomical study of the blood vessels of the head and neck of the chicken has been included in the investigation of the handling and marketing of dressed poultry in order to determine the best methods of bleeding and the reasons for the incomplete bleeding which is so prevalent. Heretofore there has been no description available of the number and location of the large veins in the neck of a chicken. This lack of knowledge has resulted in much indiscriminate hacking and gashing of the chicken's mouth, all of which is frequently done to no purpose, because in spite of the many cuts the large veins which carry the blood often are not touched.

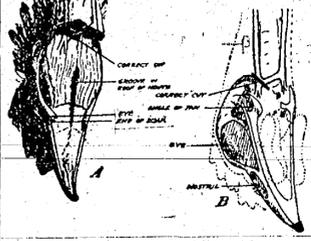
When the feathers are removed by scalding, the bird is killed by bleeding alone, hence the cuts to sever the

veins are the only ones attempted, and if the attempt fails had-bleeding will surely result. If, on the other hand, dry plucking is to be practised, the birds are cut to bleed and are also stuck through the brain to paralyze the feather muscles. The latter opera-



Correct Grasp of Head at Back of Jaw and Position of Small Knife While Cutting Vein.

tion is sometimes performed by running the knife under the eye at such an angle that its point will touch the skull midway between the eyes and a little behind them; or the braining is accomplished by placing the knife about half way down the groove in the roof of the chicken's mouth, and then thrusting it up until the knife reaches the top of the skull. The knife, as in braining under the eye should touch that part of the inside of the skull which lies about midway between the eyes. The point of the knife should then be moved backward and forward a little, so that enough brain tissue may be destroyed to paralyze the bird, yet not enough to kill it instantly. If the "outside-stick" method is practised, practically no



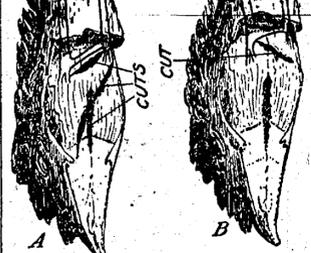
Lower Jaw Removed, Showing Position of Veins, Anatomy of Skull and Proper Location of Cuts.

blood escapes. If, on the other hand, braining inside of the mouth is adopted, the blood vessels in the brain which are cut find an outlet for their contents through the knife hole. Bleeding from these vessels is, under any circumstances, of assistance in obtaining the best results, and where the neck vessels are missed the condition of the chicken is often greatly improved by the bleeding from the brain.

The following practical rules should govern the killing of poultry for market:

- (1) Grasp the chicken when killing by the bony part of the skull. Do not let the fingers touch the neck.
- (2) Make a small cut with a small, sharp-pointed knife on the right side of the roof of the chicken's mouth, just where the bones of the skull end.
- (3) Brain for dry plucking by thrusting the knife through the groove which runs along the middle line of the roof of the mouth until it touches the skull midway between the eyes.
- (4) Use a knife which is not more than 2 inches long, one-fourth inch wide with a thin, flat handle, a sharp point, and a straight cutting edge.

A careful study of the illustrations herewith shown will enable one to as-



Location of Cuts in Mouths of Badly Bled Chickens.

certain the exact manner in which poultry should be bled, and also see from the examples of bad cutting just how not to perform this important operation.

Foreign-Born Gardeners.

A merchant has a customer in the market business in a Connecticut city who declares that for 10 years he has bought 5 per cent of his goods from the farms of native Americans, and not more than another 5 per cent from the handlers of garden truck from the West or South, and that the marketman does a tremendous business. He buys of Italians and Poles who are working farms about the city. They keep right up to the times and their vegetables are always fresh and right for the table. They produce more varieties than the old-time farmer did. In some cases women are running the farms.

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Stops Pain in the Bladder, Kidneys and Back.

"Wouldn't it be nice within a week or so to begin to say goodbye forever to the scalding, dribbling, straining, or too frequent passage of urine; the forehead and the back-of-the-head aches; the stitches and pains in the back; the growing muscle weakness; spots before the eyes; yellow skin; sluggish bowels; swollen eyelids or ankles; leg cramps; unnatural short breath; sleeplessness and the despondency?"

I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a QUICK RECOVERY, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you \$3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you—entirely free. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, 35-25 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering power. It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home.

Thorough.
"You are an optimist?"
"I am," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "I not only hope for the best, but I make practical arrangements to get it."

SPOHN'S DISTEMPER CURE will cure any possible case of DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, and the like among horses of all ages, and prevents all others in the same stable from having the disease. Also cures chicken cholera, and dog distemper. Any good druggist can supply you, or send to Mrs. S. S. S. 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle. Agents wanted. Free book. Spohn Medical Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind.

As Time Passes.
"Before you were married you used to send your wife flowers."
"Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "Now it takes a diamond necklace to make her as enthusiastic as she used to be over a five-dollar bunch of roses."

The Way to Find Him.
"My wife and I are going to spend a few months with her people at Strong's Corners," said the meek little man, "and I want you to mail your paper to me."
"Yes," said the clerk, "what's your name?"
"Well—er—to make sure, I guess you'd better address it: 'Mary Strong's Husband, Strong's Corners.'"

VERY DECEIVING.



The Preacher—We tried a phono-graph choir.
The Sexton—What success?
The Preacher—Fine. Nobody knew the difference till a deacon went to the loft to take up the collection.

MIX THIS FOR RHEUMATISM

Easily Prepared and Inexpensive and Really Does the Work, Says Noted Authority.

Thousands of men and women who have felt the sting and torture of that dread disease, Rheumatism, which is no respecter of age, persons, sex, color or rank, will be interested to know that it is one of the easiest afflictions of the human body to conquer. Medical science has proven it not a distinct disease in itself, but a symptom caused by inactive kidneys. Rheumatism is uric acid in the blood and other waste products of the system which should be filtered and strained out in the form of urine. The function of the kidneys is to sift these poisons and waste out and keep the blood clean and pure. The kidneys however, are of sponge-like substance, the holes or pores of which will sometimes, either from overwork, cold or exposure become clogged, and failing in their function of eliminating these poisons from the blood, they remain in the veins, decompose and settling about the joints and muscles, cause the untold suffering and pain of rheumatism and backache, often producing complications of bladder and urinary disease, and general weakness.

The following simple prescription is said to relieve the worst cases of rheumatism because of its direct action upon the blood and kidneys, relieving, too, the most severe forms of bladder and urinary troubles: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. The ingredients can be had from any prescription pharmacy, and are absolutely harmless and safe to use at any time.

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If you are in doubt as to the cause of your disease, or feel the need of medical advice, address a letter to Munyon's staff of eminent specialists, and they will send you an examination blank, which you will fill out and return to them. They will then diagnose your case and tell you what to do, absolutely free of charge. You do not put yourself under any obligation to them, and they will not feel hurt if you do not follow their advice. If they prescribe Munyon's Remedies and you decide to take the treatment, it goes with a guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded.

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STANDARD OIL CO. (Incorporated)

16 YEARS OF SKIN DISEASE

Acme of Cautionness. Seymour—Young Tiger looks like a cautious man. Ashley—He is cautious; he's so cautious that he wouldn't ask the prettiest girl in all the world to let him see her home unless he had learned how far away she lived.

"For sixteen long years I have been suffering with a bad case of skin disease. While a child there broke out a red sore on the legs just in back of my knees. It waxed from bad to worse, and at last I saw I had a bad skin disease. I tried many widely known doctors in different cities but to no satisfactory result. The plague bothered me more in warm weather than in winter and being on my leg joints it made it impossible for me to walk, and I was forced to stay indoors in the warmest weather. My hopes of recovery were by this time spent. Sleepless nights and restless days made life an unbearable burden. At last I was advised to try the Cuticura remedies [Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills] and I did not need more than a trial to convince me that I was on the road of success this time. I bought two sets of the Cuticura Remedies and after these were gone I was a different man entirely. I am now the happiest man that there is at least one true cure for skin diseases. Leonard A. Hawtof, 11 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., July 30 and Aug. 8, '09."

Significance in Names.
In an Illinois town a workman having been informed that a sixth baby had arrived at his home, exclaimed: "Sufficient," and his neighbors, referring to his having given that name—Sufficient—to the new arrival, credited him with originality. The incident resembles a case nearer home, adds the New York Tribune. A New York family was blessed with nine daughters, when the stork brought a tenth one. It was in the days when the slang term for an old-told story was a "chestnut," and as the baby certainly came under that head, she received the name, but for suphony's sake the French for the word was employed, and she was called Marron.

YOUR STOMACH FEELS FINE.

Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sourness, Gas and All Stomach Misery Ended in Five Minutes.

This harmless preparation will promptly digest anything you eat and overcome a sick, sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach within five minutes. If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion. Get from any drug store here in town a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain regulator for out-of-order stomachs, and besides it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there. These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any other stomach disorder. Remember, if your stomach feels out of order and uncomfortable now, you can get relief in five minutes by taking a little Diapepsin.

Fairy tales are made out of the dreams of the poor.—Lowell.

For Women's Needs

Every woman should fortify herself against those weaknesses and derangements which are usually present at times when Nature makes extra demands upon the system. For women's special ailments there is no known remedy so safe and reliable as

Beecham's Pills

These pills possess corrective and tonic properties which have marked effect upon the general health, and promptly relieve nervous, sick headache, depression, backache, weakness and other unpleasant symptoms. Beecham's Pills establish healthy conditions and furnish

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In Saskatchewan (Western Canada)

800 Bushels from 20 acres of wheat was the highest return from a Lloydminster farm in the season of 1910. Many fields in the west yielded from 25 to 35 bushels of wheat to the acre. Other grains in proportion.



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CASCARETS—10c box—week's treatment. All druggists. Biggest seller in the world. Million boxes a month.

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DEFIANCE STARCH—14 ounces in other starches only 12 ounces—same price and "DEFIANCE" IS SUPERIOR QUALITY.

It is mixed with 100% pure water. Thompson's Eye Water



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Yours for uniformity.
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 Yours for everything that goes to make up a strictly high grade, ever-dependable baking powder.
 That is Calumet. Try it once and note the improvement in your baking. See how much more economical over the high-priced trust brands, how much better than the cheap and big-can kinds.
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 gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.
 Cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Distress after Eating.
 Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price
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 Best advertising. For selling 25 packages of elegant Knox Toilet Cards. When sold send \$1.00 and we'll send bracelet, pin, etc.
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THE MEN WHO NEVER SPEAK



TRAPPIST MONKS

THE Trappist monastery of Gethsemane, twelve miles from Bardstown, Ky., is especially interesting now because of the expulsion of the religious orders from Portugal and their imminent expulsion from Spain; which will drive many of them to seek refuge in this country. The expulsion of the religious orders from France a few years ago sent many monks and nuns to America and England and resulted in the establishment of monasteries and convents in various places. The members of the Trappist order are pledged to silence for the remainder of their days. It is the Order of the Silent Brotherhood.

The abbey of Gethsemane is a self-sustaining institution. Everything its monks require is raised or made on the 2,000 acres of beautiful Kentucky farm country that surrounds the monastery. And not only are they forbidden to speak to anyone, but they are not allowed to read anything except the old books in the monastery library. Even letters or newspapers are not allowed to enter the silent place. It is doubtful if three men in the abbey know the name of the president of the United States or the governor of Kentucky. All tender and sympathetic emotions which in this life visit the human heart are suppressed. The deaths of nearest and dearest relatives are never announced to them. Forgotten by the world, they themselves forget the world.

Among their number are many men of distinguished careers, many who have borne titles. A once celebrated operatic tenor died among the monks a few years ago. The son of the founder of the famous Sunnybrook distillery, who squandered nearly half a million in less than a year, is a member of the order. A farmer who drove the writer over to the monastery from Bardstown, and who knows more about the monks than anyone the country round, pointed out the former Count de Bourbon, Baron de Saumur and Oscar Bachstetz as they left the gate. There are many others, equally important in their early days, in this living tomb.

The only rooms in the abbey that are comfortably furnished are the library and the abbot's apartment. All the other rooms are perfectly bare except for wooden tables and chairs and Biblical inscriptions on the walls. There is a musty odor that seems to pervade everything, and it is a great relief to get out into the monastery garden with its geometrical flower beds and shrines. The most attractive part of the abbey is its 2,000 acres of land, which consists of wooded hills, fields where hundreds of cattle graze and some of the finest farming country in the state of Kentucky. The Trappists are good farmers. They also make fine butter and cheese, some of which is sold in the markets of Louisville.

Few visitors go to Gethsemane, any more. Bardstown, the nearest town,



A Trappist Farmer.

them by Louis Philippe. After the downfall of the monarchy the original plan was abandoned in favor of a colony in the United States, and this was established at Gethsemane in 1848.

The Trappist order was founded in the twelfth century. Roton, count of Perche, built the abbey of Notre Dame de la Maison-Dieu de la Trappe in 1140 at Solignay-la-Trappe, a village of Haute-Perche, department of the Orne, named La Trappe after the narrow gorge which forms its entrance, comparable to a trap door. During the middle ages the monastery was captured and pillaged many times, and it was not until the middle of the seventeenth century that the order was put on a firm basis and spread to other lands. Until Napoleon became emperor of France their order prospered. He was not in sympathy with them, and he confiscated their property and expelled them from the country.

A visit to the latter abbey is like stepping back a thousand years into the past. There is another famous Trappist monastery at Oca, a few miles from Montreal, Canada.

THE IMPORTANCE OF HEALTHY KIDNEYS.

Weak kidneys fail to remove poisons from the blood, and they are the cause of backache, headaches, urinary troubles and dizzy spells. To insure good health, keep the kidneys well. Doan's Kidney Pills remove all kidney ills.

Mrs. E. E. Dewey, Neligh, Neb., says: "In 1909 I had a dreadful attack of dropsy, my face being so puffed I could hardly see and my feet and hands were terribly swollen. Doan's Kidney Pills were advised and I began taking them. It required only short use to restore my kidneys to a normal condition."

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

Admitted. "Women already do a lot of governing," said Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, the brilliant suffrage leader, in an interview in New York. "Men, if they are observant and frank, admit that."

"An editor, about to marry, was asked by a friend:

"What prompted you, old man, to propose to Miss Dash?"

"The editor, who was, like all editors, extremely observant and extremely frank, answered:

"Well, to tell you the truth, I think Miss Dash prompted me more than anybody else."

Important to Mothers
 Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

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 Tarsus, the ancient city in Asia Minor, where the apostle Paul was born, is now illuminated by electricity. The power is taken from the Cydnus river. There are now in Tarsus 450 electric street lights and about 600 incandescent lights for private use.

One Thing That Will Live Forever,
PETIT'S EYE SALVE, first box sold in 1807, 100 years ago, sales increase yearly. AR druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

The man who thinks more of his pigs than he does of his wife and babies is the devil's idea of what a husband and father should be.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
 For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. See bottle.
 Shrinking from suffering may be fleeing from strength.

People Who Work Indoors With Their Hands



Seamstresses, watch-makers, artists, draughtsmen, and many others, cannot properly handle their tools with cold, stiff hands. Many a lost hour or two on cold winter mornings results from the delayed heat of furnace or stove.

The Perfection Oil Heater in a few minutes gives the temperature that assures the worker warm hands and pliable muscles. The

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SMOKELESS
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 Absolutely smokeless and odorless

quickly gives heat, and with one filling of the font burns steadily for nine hours, without smoke or smell. Has automatic-locking flame spreader which prevents the wick from being turned high enough to smoke, and is easy to remove and drop back so the wick can be quickly cleaned.

It has a damper top and a cool handle. Indicator always shows the amount of oil in the font. The filler-cap does not need to be screwed down; it is put in like a cork in a bottle, and is attached to the font by a chain, and cannot get lost.

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The Safest, Best and Grandest Real Estate Investment in the United States Today

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Because it is right at the edge of Greater Jacksonville, the fastest growing city in the country. Jacksonville Heights farms begin one mile from where land is selling in town lots at the rate of \$3,250.00 per acre.

Because it was practically the first of all the Florida colonies to develop and settle—on account of its unsurpassed soil, location, altitude and cheapest shipping facilities. Because 2700 farms have been sold to date and a population of about 700 souls sprung up in one year—and the lands are now settling at the rate of 40 families per month.

Because the Purchasers of Jacksonville Heights Lands Have Made Good

Settlers and farmers have succeeded.—Prices and values have advanced—four schools have been erected. Hard surface roads constructed. Telephone line established connecting up with Jacksonville local telephone. Hotel buildings erected. 210 farms fenced and being developed all in a little over one year.

Because it is the Closest Colony to the Best and Fastest Growing City in Florida

We opened up our sale on April, 1909, at \$20.00 per acre. We have about 200 tracts left, now selling at the advanced price of \$30.00 per acre subject to another advance January 1st, 1911.

Write today to Jacksonville Heights Improvement Company, 122 Hogan Street, Jacksonville, Florida, for full particulars.

Investigate the proposition and the personnel of the Company through any channel you wish.

We will only sell out our remaining tracts and we cannot enlarge; we can only sell what land we now have on hand.

All large tracts beyond us have been gobbled up by big syndicates.

Write Today for Literature

Jacksonville Heights Improvement Co.

122 Hogan Street, JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

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Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors all fibers. They dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can dye any garment without ripping apart. Write for free booklet—How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. **MONROE DRUG CO., Quincy, Illinois.**

Entered at the postoffice at East Jordan, Michigan, as second class mail matter.

An Announcement by the East Jordan Board of Trade.

Many of our citizens have received from time to time circulars from the West Michigan Development Bureau. Possibly there may be some who do not understand the work which this bureau is carrying on. Its sole purpose is to advertise the lands of Western Michigan with a view to attracting settlers to occupy the unimproved lands and bring them under cultivation. The effect of this is not only to make a market for the unimproved lands but also to increase the value of improved property. The work is almost entirely in the interest of the farmer.

"A farmer for every forty" is their motto and they are making rapid strides towards getting up all that part of Michigan which can be called desirable for farming purposes.

In all western Michigan there is no better land than that land around East Jordan and if this could be fully understood by investors there would be no difficulty in advancing the price of East Jordan lands.

This information can be disseminated only by liberal advertising, and advertising necessarily costs money.

The East Jordan Board of Trade has not only paid its membership fee to the West Michigan Development Bureau (\$200) but has also paid for some further advertising during the past year.

As the purpose of this advertising is to further agricultural interests it is no more than fair that those who will directly receive benefit to assist in a small way in depaying the necessary expenses. To this end a solicitor, J. H. Milford, representing the East Jordan Board of Trade, will visit the farmers in the vicinity of East Jordan and ask them to become members of the association by paying a fee of \$2.00 per year.

He also will distribute copies of the West Michigan Development Bureau's booklet, over 100,000 which have been distributed in Chicago and at various points in the south and west. This booklet can also be obtained at either of the East Jordan banks and at almost any East Jordan place of business.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The next number of the Lecture course will be Kellogg Haines singing Party, Concert on the 4th of January. Miss Ash is spending the week at her home in St. Johns, on account of her father's illness.

Miss Gregory spent Christmas at Big Rapids.

The Plane Geometry class will begin the study of circles next Monday. Grace White appeared in the high school last Monday.

The Zoology class will begin the study of fish first of the week.

Fire gongs were installed in our schools Saturday last.

A Basketball ball 50x20 is being erected on the East side of the high school building and will probably be completed next week.

Christie Hoover entered the first grade.

Helen Hilliard has returned to school, after absence of two weeks.

Maud Cross visited Charlevoix Tuesday and Wednesday. She was substituted by Fay Niphlas.

The following were visitors at the High School this week:—Fay Nicholas, Rheta Carr, Edna Tompkins, Hazel Curmins, Flora Simmons, Harriet and Mary Gundersen, Margery Bell, Mable Monroe, Madge Nicholas, Carolyn Hoyt, Sam Schonberger, Nat Burpee and Floyd Tompkins.

Superintendent Northon gave the High School a short talk Thursday morning. He suggested that those who have a "C" or "C's" on any of their studies, should have some removed before the end of the semester.

West Side School Notes.

Most of the pupils who have been absent on account of sickness are in school again.

Each grade will have regular periods for physical exercise during the winter months.

Friday's lesson in handwork was in sewing; during this period the boys of Room III had Robinson Crusoe construction work.

Hazel Stevens, Maude Crowell, Eva Mackey, Ella Barnette, Joe Whiteford, and Austin Sheldon were welcome visitors this week.

The pupils of grades II and III are studying about the Eskimos and have some good construction work in connection.

Christmas week the pupils of Room III made a study of "Madonna and Child" by Gabriel Max.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER



Tells How to Make 178 Kinds of Cake
Cakes of all kinds for all people
are best made with Royal

SPECIALLY FINE FOR LAYER CAKE

The coffee trust seems not to have heard of the decrease in cost of living.

The decayed-egg business in New York seems to have been mighty fresh and vigorous.

Cuba is becoming gradually "Americanized," says a magazine writer. Rapidly we should say. Only the other day a visiting ball team was mobbed in Havana.

I have some bargains in farms, city property and business blocks. I also have some farms to trade for city property.—Joel Johnston. 17-62

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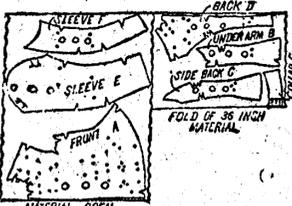
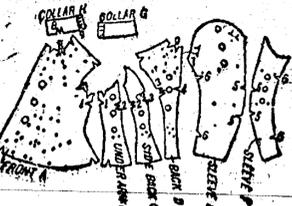


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AN OPEN LETTER.

Newberry, Mich., Feb. 12, 1910.
Potoskey Rug Mfg. Co.,
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Potoskey, Mich.

Dear Sirs:—The Rugs came yesterday and are simply superb. If I could see old sinners converted and made over as new as those Rugs are I should think that perfection was reached in transforming men.

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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P. S.—You are at liberty to use this letter if you care to do so.

We have hundreds of such letters as above coming from nearly every state in the Union on file at our office for inspection.

A. T. Washburne, Prop.

Chancery Order

State of Michigan, Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, in Chancery, Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, in Chancery. At Charlevoix on the 12th day of December, 1910. Charles Sweet, complainant, vs. James A. Kent, Anna Kent, Goodman, Irvin Doerr, and Almee Doerr, defendants.

In this cause it appearing that the defendant, Irvin Doerr, is not a resident of this State, but is a resident of the State of Pennsylvania, therefore on motion of Elisha N. Olink, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that the defendant, Irvin Doerr, enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

FREDERICK W. MAYNE, Circuit Judge.

ELISHA N. OLINK, Solicitor for Complainant. Business Address: East Jordan, Michigan.

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1910. Present: Hon. John M. Harris, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of H. C. Blanchard, deceased.

Henry J. Carpenter having filed in said court his final administration account, and petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 15th day of January, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further Ordered, that Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

J. M. HARRIS, Judge of Probate

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

In the matter of the Estate of Kai Roberts, deceased. Notice is hereby given that six months from the 12th day of Dec. A. D. 1910, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court, for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the City of Charlevoix, in said county, on or before the 12th day of June, A. D. 1911, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JOHN M. HARRIS, Judge of Probate.

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We will send postpaid our **FAMOUS COLLECTION**

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Write today! Send 10 cents to help pay postage, and packing and receive the above "Famous Collection," together with our New and Instructive Garden Guide, **GREAT NORTHERN SEED CO.**
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Shade Trees!

Let us have your order for Shade Trees. We promise satisfactory work, reasonable prices, and guarantee the trees to grow.

Wm. Tate

East Jordan, R. F. D. 4.

A Chicago woman in suing for a divorce, says that her husband's stenographer looked at him "lovingly, lovingly, sweetly and lovingly" which is no way for a stenographer to look.

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

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR

We take this opportunity to thank our patrons and friends for the liberal patronage given us during the past year. It has been our aim to sell goods at as small a margin of profit as it is possible to, and to give our customers the greatest value possible for their money. This will be our policy during the coming year, and we solicit a continuation of your trade in the future. Wishing you a Happy New Year, and trusting the year 1911 may hold in store much prosperity for all.

We Are Taking Inventory This Week and this coming week we will have a fine lot of bargains to offer the public in every department.

East Jordan Lumber Co.

In Transacting Your Business

you often need advice in order that you may not make mistakes which might cost you hundreds of dollars. It is our business to keep tab for you on people's credit, and on business of all kinds whether it involves the buying and selling of property, or in mercantile business, or a move of any kind that necessitates the handling of money. We want you to feel free to consult us at all times. We want you to know that the entire business experience of our directorates is at your service. We therefore invite you to

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It is the "Peoples" Bank and the name would be a misnomer if you could not feel free to use it whenever you have occasion. In addition to this we are in a position to render all other services which lie within the promise of business.

Come in and talk it over!

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Briefs of the Week

Happy New Year.

Supervisors meet, Monday.

Annual Firemen's Dance this Saturday evening at the Town Hall.

Rev. Fr. McDonald was a Grand Rapids business visitor this week.

Misses Lola and Maud Cross were guests of Charlevoix friends this week.

Rev. Fr. Burchard was here this week on business and renewing acquaintances.

The rumor that W. J. Smith died at St. Johns, Mich., this week is without foundation.

Five room house to rent. Wood shed, city water in kitchen. Location good—E. A. Lewis.

B. C. Hubbard and Co's. Pre-Inventory Sale commences next week. See advertising elsewhere.

Don't forget that Wiesman's Annual Winter Sale Commences next Saturday, January 5th.

Albert Whitman of Boyne City was bound over to the circuit court this week on a charge of selling liquor.

Samuel Carson has been appointed supervisor of Boyne Valley township, in place of Ford P. Robbins, resigned.

Band Master Moyer is anxious to start a Pony Band and any of our young men who would like to take up the work are requested to see him this coming week.

Tuesday, January 10th, is the date when J. Leahy the optometrist will again visit East Jordan. He will remain two days so all may have an opportunity to consult him. Office at Russell House.

All members of Soronian Hive L. O. T. M. M. either social or benefit, are requested to be present at the regular meeting next Monday night. Per capita tax and Hive dues are now due. Mrs. Clark Barrie, F. K.

The Pythian Sisters hereby extend an invitation to all Knights and their ladies to meet with them on Tuesday evening, January 3rd. A good time is promised, lunch will be served and a collection taken to help pay for a stove.—Committee.

The case of Herman Swift is occupying the attention of Circuit Court this week. A jury was secured, Wednesday, and the testimony was in Friday night. This morning (Saturday) the attorneys will give their arguments and the case will probably be in the hands of the jury by noon.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr and Mrs. Jesse Allen on Christmas Eve, when Miss Margaret Provost became the wife of John Fitzgibbons, both of this city. The Rev. T. Porter Bennett officiated. The Sing Service was used. Those among our most popular citizens join in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Christmas services were held at the Murray school house in Echo Township Sunday morning and at the East Jordan Lumber Company's Camp 21. Rev. John Redpath of Petoskey conducted the services at both places, and W. P. Porter remembered the children with box candy. The services at the camp were enlivened by several songs in Russian.

Rocking Chairs Galore at WHITTINGTON'S.

J. G. Blake, Auctioneer, solicits your work. Phone 174.

Wiesman's Semi-Annual Sale Commences next Thursday.

C. H. Maddaugh was home from Pellston for the holidays.

Fred Whittington was home from Jackson to spend Christmas.

B. E. Waterman was a Grand Rapids business visitor this week.

Dr. Cook has discovered that the way of the transgressor may be paved with gold.

Mrs. Frank Porter with daughter, Alice, spent Christmas with her husband at Ann Arbor.

Seeing is believing. Call and see those beautiful axminster 9x12ft. Rugs for \$21.00 at WHITTINGTON'S.

Wanted: A honest young man to distribute advertising in East Jordan, and vicinity. Wages \$15.00 per week. Blawson Advertising Agency 709 Woodward Ave, Detroit, Mich.

Don't suffer from headache or poorly fitted glasses when you can find a remedy by consulting J. Leahy the optometrist when he comes January 10th and 11th, as he is prepared to fit any eyes that can be fitted.

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

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church, will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Clark Barrie Wednesday, January 4th 1911. Visitors always welcome. Members please attend the first meeting of the New Year.

Over a year ago, we placed our business on a cash basis, and by cutting out all expense that could possibly be dispensed with, we have been able to give our customers a lower rate of prices. The experiment has proved satisfactory to both ourselves and to our patrons. We have now added fresh meat to our stock of goods and shall be able to offer our meat the same as our groceries giving our customers the benefit of our saving in expense of operating. Come in and see us.—E. A. Lewis.

The effort of a former Ludington saloon keeper to recover some power of his lost through being compelled to quit business because of the lawless character of the place he kept, developed some facts most times too true of saloons and their operations, but not always known to the general public. A Milwaukee Brewing Co. owned the building in which William Mills, the saloon keeper in question, was doing business. The brewing company also owned the saloon fixtures and in a contract through which the sale of the place to Mills was provided for the saloon keeper bound himself to buy all his beer from the brewery owner of the building and the fixtures. A wholesale liquor company was also connected with the ownership in such a way as to compel the saloon keeper to buy all of his wine and liquor of the company. This Ludington incident indicates the sort of home interest that relates to much of the saloon business of Michigan. The Milwaukee, Chicago and St. Louis and Cincinnati breweries own and operate hundreds of Michigan saloons and every dollar of their profits aside from mere expense go to the big brewery firms of these outside cities. These foreign breweries add nothing to Michigan industry or to Michigan development. But barnacle like these brewery owned saloons live and thrive upon the legitimate business activities of the communities which they afflict and their distant owners know little, and care less as to the suffering and loss endured in order to provide their weekly and monthly remittance.

O. D. Cleveland was a Rose City visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe spent Christmas at Mancelona.

Mrs. J. G. Blake spent Christmas with her parents at Bellaire.

Mrs. Arthur Ward was guest of her parents at Mancelona recently.

Misses McGuire and Phillips were guest of Alba friends, Saturday.

Mrs. A. K. Hill and Mrs. Hubbard were Charlevoix visitors, Tuesday.

John Chatterton is quite ill at his home, with slight hope of recovery.

Miss Julia Cedersten was guest of Petoskey friends during Christmas.

Miss Genevieve Senecal is quite ill and confined to her bed with lumbago.

Dentist and Mrs. C. H. Pray spent Christmas with relatives at Mancelona.

Miss Flora Simmons was home from her studies at the Ferris Institute for Christmas.

E. Flagg and family entertained the former brother, David, of Grayling, during Christmas.

L. P. Holiday principal of the Hudson, Mich. schools, was home a few days this week.

Miss Marguerite Fortune, bookkeeper at Tindle's store at Pellston, was home for the holidays.

If you are talking of getting a carpet because you think you cannot afford a Rug. Call at WHITTINGTON'S.

Miss Hazel Batterbee is home from Springvale where she is teaching school in Dist. No. 3, Chandler township.

Miss Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Howard, fell on the ice Wednesday, fracturing one of her wrists.

Miss Ella Barnette is home for the holidays from Sault Ste. Marie where she teaches fifth and sixth grade reading, English and music.

Holiday Greetings.

We have been so busy with our Christmas trade that we have hardly had time to think of the future, but take this opportunity of thanking you for past favors and wishing you all a happy and prosperous life through the coming year. As in the past, our business shall be conducted so as to insure a continuance of the happy affiliations which have heretofore existed between our customers and ourselves.

C. C. Maek, the Jeweler.

First Presbyterian Church.

By special request, the fine Concert of Sacred Music, consisting of Solos, duets and choruses, rendered by the choir of the Presbyterian Church last Sunday will be repeated next Sunday evening. Those not present missed a rich musical feast such as is not often heard in a city as small as East Jordan. Those taking part were, Soprano, Mrs. Chas. Malpass, Misses Hazel and Mabel Stevens, Marjory Hoyt, Fay Nicholas, Margaret Mc Kay, Lella Clark, Martha Frieberg and Minny Ward. Altos, Misses Flora Porter, Maud Cross and Eva Lewis. Tenors, Messrs Lalond, Blaboe, Chaplin, Hammond and Lindrogh. Basses, Messrs. Hulbert, John and Howard Porter, Ellis, Charles and William Malpass, Miss Grigsby, organist. The Pastor will render the connecting readings, Sunday evening at 7:00 a silver offering will be taken up for the support of the choir and all is expected to contribute.

The Pastor will preach a New Year sermon next Sunday morning and all members are urged to be present at the Holy Communion on this first Sunday of the year. The Pastor enters on his fiftieth year of service on the first of January and it can be celebrated in no better way than by rallying of his congregation around him next Sunday.

The Presbyterian Sunday School spent a very pleasant hour on Sunday last when the Christmas exercises and tree were the attraction. All did their best in the program most cordially and the beautiful and artistic recitation by Miss Martha Frieberg was received with enthusiastic applause.

Alfred Burghmen was a perfect Santa Clause and was welcomed with the yells of the delighted little folks.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

"Shall We Know Each Other In Heaven" will be the subject at the morning service at the Methodist Episcopal Church. This will be the Memorial Service. The subject is one that we ought to feel interested in.

11:45 The Sunday School.
 3:00 The Junior Epworth League. The Pastor will give an address.

6:00 The Senior Epworth League. "Whence our Life derives its Character". The Pastor will have charge, and wishes to meet all the members.

7:00 Four degrees that are essential for the New Year. Please note the subject and kindly remember that you are wanted and will be made to feel that you are wanted, at this Home Like Church.

The Pastor was very much pleased and gratified last Sunday, to welcome The Grand Army, The Womens Relief Corp, and the Oddfellows at the morning services.

Last Sunday evening Song Service was excellent and highly appreciated by over one hundred and fifty persons. The Ladies quartet was exceptionally fine, and it can be truly said that this church possesses an excellent Ladies' Quartette.

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WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

Announcement

Dr. Robert A. Risk wishes to announce that his offices, after January 1st, 1911, will be located in the East Jordan Lumber Co. Block, in the suite of rooms formerly occupied as dental parlors.

The Kaiser is for temperance in everything except oratory from the throne.

With all the talk about prices coming down, a half dollar beef roast remains vest pocket size.

Bone grafting has been pronounced possible. But the grafter is usually after something more than a bone.

Weisman's January Clearing Sale opens Jan. 5th

Our entire store has been converted into a Veritable Bargain Store for this Memorable occasion, offering a grand display of Seasonable Merchandise at prices that are bound to startle every economical buyer in this community, but we must have room for our Spring Merchandise which immediately follows this event, a fact that forces us to sacrifice our splendid stocks regardless of cost. Come early and secure the choicest pickings while these wonderfully low prices are in force.

44 Ladies Coats at 1-2 off
 127 Young Men's Suits, sizes 32 to 36, 1-2 off
 57 Boys Suits, sizes 7 to 16, 1-2 off

Absolutely No Reserving Everything in our Store is included in this Sale.

L. WIESMAN

Happy New Year

THANKING YOU FOR FAVORS IN THE PAST AND WISHING YOU HEALTH AND PROSPERITY THE COMING YEAR.

The Hite Drug Company.

Three doors north of Postoffice.

Pure Stone Ground Buckwheat Flour

Made from Northern Mich. Grown Grain.

Nothing can be better to make a real Buckwheat Pancake. Don't let them substitute some other make or the ready-prepared, new-fangled baking powder mixtures.

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Fire Insurance

Those valuable pieces of furniture that you have been years collecting, that are really indispensable; and your Home, which represents years of hard labor—why leave them at the mercy of a disastrous fire? Let us quote you prices.

REMEMBER, you are equally welcome as a visitor or buyer.

Nicholas & Nicholas

Reliable Insurance Companies.

EXERCISE FOR THE CHILDREN

Mothers Should See to It That the Little Ones Develop Properly.

Many mothers believe that the love of exercise is born in children and need not be bothered about.

It behooves every mother to see that instead of the little ones being given something to keep them quiet, if they incline that way, they are given something to keep them on the move.

Babies generally look after themselves in this particular. They are on the go all the time they are awake if they are healthy.

Cold, dull days are not enough excuse for keeping a child indoors.

Nothing should interfere with the regular outdoor exercise but a heavy rain or snow or very much wind.

Swimming is a splendid all around exercise, and skipping, bowling hoops and cycling along in moderation are all good.

A Manuscript 2,000 Years Old.

An ancient manuscript copy of the Pentateuch, the first five books of the Old Testament, more than 2,000 years old, is on sale.

Unless he receives an exceptionally good offer in England the priest has stated his intention of bringing the manuscript to America.

The copy of the ancient Bible is believed by the Samaritans to have been transcribed by Abishuma, the great-grandson of Aaron, and to be about 3,500 years old.

Experts say it cannot be less than 2,000 years old, for its characters are of a style abandoned by Jewish copyists some twenty centuries ago.

Twelfth Member Still Unchosen.

Getting the twelfth member for that afternoon card club is no easy matter. Applications continue to pour in on us, but so far no one has fulfilled all the requirements.

Gladys—You won't do because you admit following a system when you play five hundred.

Genevieve—Sorry, but we understand you didn't pay your ten cents a week regularly to the treasurer of the last club you belonged to.

Gertie—The other girls don't like the neighborhood you live in at all.

Sadie—We have learned that it is your practice to blame your partners for games lost. This always causes trouble.

Mysterious Visitor's Bag of Gold.

Anonymous gifts have been made to Langollen Welsh chapels. A few days ago a mysterious visitor, whose identity is unknown, left a bag containing a large quantity of gold coins with the deacon of Rehoboth church.

Acting on these instructions the deacon has given sums of \$5 to a large number of religious bodies in the district, but he still holds a heavy sealed packet containing a considerable sum in trust for Rehoboth church, the largest in the town. It will be opened in the presence of the congregation on Sunday at service.—London Standard.

Mule Riding in Portugal.

In odd contrast to the modern rush and honk of the automobiles and the clang of the trolley cars are the salos or small farmers who ride nonchalantly through the twentieth century hubbub on the back, the extreme back, of small, patient eyed mules.

Though the country has progressed and the farmers are progressing toward prosperity, they have consistently refused to move further forward on the mule's back in Portugal than the last fifth of his anatomy. Perhaps the custom arose from the time when the mule carried a large load just before the rider, and the habit has not been broken.

Novel Scheme for Getting Money.

What is said to be a new form of blackmail has been brought to the attention of the New York health department. The complainants say that on the upper west side of the city backyard singers have resorted to singing until they are paid money to go away.

One specific case mentioned was that of two boys, who made no pretention than that of yelling popular songs by the dozen until they were finally bought off by distracted citizens.

Man's Need

Sure of What He Really Knows

By JOHN A. HOWLAND

LACK OF ABSOLUTE knowledge in case of doubt or inquiry often proves a handicap to the young man—or old—out of all proportion to the circumstance in which it arises.

Let the young man consider the situation. His employer has asked for information of him. He would not have done so if he had not reason to feel that the young man knows, or may know.

To know and to know that he knows in such a circumstance must be the unquestioned better situation. The question cannot be too trivial not to call for appreciation of a prompt answer that is satisfactory in every respect.

Offer the man accepts as accurate a piece of information which may have been passing more or less current as fact. While it might have been the simplest, easiest thing in the world to have made this knowledge absolute, he never has thought of questioning it.

To the observer it is appalling just how much of information passes current as fact when it is farthest removed from it.

There is nothing in the province of work and accomplishment which has greater potentiality for failure than lack of accuracy in initial knowledge. It may start a man or scores of men hopelessly wrong from the beginning.

What do I know about this and that? How well do I know it?

These are questions which the young man cannot ask himself too often or too seriously.

England has many thousand human beings who are in a chronic state of destitution and yet the annual expenditure of the English government for naval and military purposes is £70,000,000, or \$350,000,000.

The civilized world has a yearly bill reaching the gigantic total of £500,000,000, or \$2,500,000,000, all of which is incurred in preparations for human slaughter.

Is it worth all these millions, wrung from the taxation of hard-working, sorely distressed beings, to see which nation shall be able to float the greatest number of battleships and put into the field the most numerous regiments?

The inhumanity and the waste which go with this disbursement for armaments are a sad commentary on our boasted civilization.

The treasure which England alone spends would give an additional dollar per week to every wage earner in the United Kingdom.

It would reduce our vast army of the unemployed by many thousands and would bring peace and plenty to many a household that is now the abode of want and misery.

If any man needs better wages and shorter hours it is the drug clerk. A drug clerk's association would go a great way toward remedying this, but time and again has this been tried.

The clerks at one time had an organization going at a fair headway when some one disappeared with a greater part of its funds. This discouraged the clerks and now it is very hard to get them together.

If these clerks could be organized it would mean more pay and shorter hours, which are what they deserve.

This would benefit the people in general.

No prescription would then be filled by a clerk who is half asleep, which is often the case now. In this way mistakes are made and the patient is in danger of an overdose.

The body of clerks is getting smaller and smaller.

Tell me, why should they learn the business, when a plumber, carpenter or any tradesman gets more pay than they do?

One must be a lover of the business to stick and I am one of these.

Poison ivy, which nearly every one realizes is a dangerous vine, has three leaves on one stem. If people knew the vine they naturally would avoid coming in contact with it, as it is poisonous.

I have walked barefooted through the vines many times when I was a boy and have never been poisoned by it.

There are about two months when it is dangerous and this time is between the third week in July and the second or third week in September, depending on the frost.

To kill all the roots and the new shoots that have formed the same season, for the vine spreads very fast and is not easy to kill.

I have never been poisoned, but I know what it does, for dad's face was so swollen that he couldn't see for a week.

What Killing Game Costs World

By FRANCIS WYNNE of London

Tedious Long Hours of Drug Clerk

By CLARENCE C. MALMROSE

Avoid Contact With Poison Ivy

By WM. E. BROWN Dolton, Ill.

Winter Turbans



THIS is decidedly a season of draped hats with velvets, the leading fabric for draperies. Entire hats are made of it and numbers of others are combinations of velvet and silk, velvet and tapestry, velvet and fur, or beaver cloth or any of the millinery fabrics.

Other shapes show crowns of velvet with brims of tapestry and velvet or of silk folded and tacked about the brim. A big bow of the fabric finishes a simple model of this sort, as shown in the illustration.

CREAM BEAVER HAT.



To Wash Bed Clothes. To wash heavy bed clothes make a warm suds with good soap and let the comfortables or blankets soak in it for awhile.

Embroidery Jabot.

For something new and drossy to wear with a linen shirtwaist, the embroidered jabot at once suggests itself, since it is less perishable than dainty but short-lived laces.

A Sewing Tip.

You will find when sewing fine silk that quite often the seams are inclined to pucker when silk thread is used. The sewing is made much smoother if cotton thread of the same color and size be used in the bobbin, with silk thread above.

HATS ON THE FREAK ORDER

Millinery of the Moment May Be Described as Fearful and Wonderful.

The millinery of the moment can only be described as freakish, for surely never before was the head of woman covered with such incongruities.

The reign of the winged hat, soberly and decorously adorned with wings covering the crown and part of the brim, is apparently over, for the wings must be made freakish to look smart, so following on the aeroplane hat we have the hat which can only be described as a winged Mercury.

There is no accounting for taste, for even if a woman knows she does not look well in a hat pulled down over her eyes until half her face is hidden, that hat she will wear because it is the fashion.

One of the most startling millinery freaks seen was a blue velvet toque which can best be described as a bedizened sugar loaf.

The cone part of this sugar loaf toque was of Wedgwood blue velvet, while a deep band of steel embroidered lace formed the lower part, and hanging from this was a tiny fringe of steel beads which would adorn the forehead Salomewise. The toque, it should be added, completely covered all signs of hair and hid the wearer's left eye entirely.

Other toques of the moment have crowns ascending skywards. So high and so full are these velvet crowns rising from a band of bizarre embroidery that they give a top-heavy appearance to the unfortunate wearer.

Cucumber Cream.

Cucumber cream is made from two ounces of almond oil, one-half ounce each of white wax and spermaceti and one ounce of cucumber juice. The latter is obtained either by grating the vegetable, skin and all, or by cutting and simmering it until pulpy. In either case it must be strained. Mixing proceed as with other creams.

NOW SCHOOL FOR THIS CHIMPANZEE

SUSIE, FROM AFRICA; IT IS SAID, WILL GET A UNIVERSITY EDUCATION.

GREAT THINGS ARE PLANNED

Prof. Garner, Authority on Simian Speech, Believes Susie Will Become Most Intelligent Ape—She Minds Him Like a Child.

Philadelphia.—There will be a new freshman at the University of Pennsylvania this term—Susie, the little chimpanzee that Prof. Garner, the world-famous student of simian speech, has brought with him from the African jungle to educate in the human tongue.

Prof. Garner does not make any extravagant claims for his monkey or predict any sensational future for Susie.

In the course of a talk concerning his plans the professor said:

"I have lived in the jungle of the Kongo for several years for the special purpose of studying the chatter of the monkeys. In that long time I have heard enough to convince me that the monkeys actually have a vocabulary of their own. It is not a very extensive one. There are possibly about 30 distinct and different sounds, which through modulation and inflection may be made to convey an incalculable number of meanings. It would be impossible to tell you what the sounds are like. In my cage in the jungle, with the monkeys chattering around me, I caught the sounds of their speech in innumerable phonograph records, and these will later be submitted to the scientific world."

"I have been able to distinguish readily the ape's terms for ripe fruit and for dead fruit, which possibly are the subjects most frequently under discussion between the animals in their native haunts. I don't believe that any ape can reach a degree of intelligence commensurate with that of children—even the youngest children. Their brains are similarly formed, but they are very much smaller. My endeavor has been merely to study, not so much the methods of communication, as the mental processes which I am sure include the reasoning faculty."

Susie during the time that the conversation was being carried on, was never for an instant still. The little chimpanzee had been given a box of blocks to play with. She had tread them over the floor, built the



Susie and Her Doll.

houses in the regular baby way, then rolled over them gleefully. A doll attracted her attention, and she took it up and nursed it tenderly. Then she tired of this mild method of amusing herself and dashed for the Japanese screen that stood near by. Susie was about to climb to the top when her master's voice called her to stop. She stood stock still instantly.

Here, Susie," said the professor. Susie came instantly. "Give me that doll," said the professor. Susie brought the doll.

A little child was introduced. At first she gazed wide-eyed at the hairy little apparition on the rug, but the little girl showed no fear of the chimpanzee and in a few minutes the two were playing amicably together. Susie sitting in the little chair that Prof. Garner made for her when in the jungle, and the little three-year-old girl kneeling beside her showing her how to play with the toys scattered around. Susie showed all the childish characteristics during her play.

Susie is able to distinguish between the primal colors without effort, knows them by name, and the professor thinks it remarkable that he has been able to instill into the mind of such a young animal a knowledge of form which enables her to tell the difference between a block of wood and a ball, a yellow cube and a blue one, and so on.

Susie is, now seven months old, and has been in captivity about 12 weeks. Prof. Garner began his experiments as soon as he bought her from a native of Fernan Vaz, in the French Kongo, and he thinks that her progress has been marvelous considering the short time he has been educating her.



SYNOPSIS.

Lawrence Blakeley, lawyer, goes to Pittsburgh with the forged notes in the Brown case to get the deposition of John Gilmore, millowner. A lady requests Blakeley to buy her a Pullman ticket. He gives her lower 11 and returns power 10. He finds a drunken man in a bar and returns in lower 5. He awakens in lower 7 and finds his clothes and bag missing. The man in lower 10 is found murdered. Circumstantial evidence points to both Blakeley and the man who stole his clothes. The train is wrecked and Blakeley is rescued from a burning car by a girl in blue. His arm is broken. The girl proves to be Alison West, his partner's sweetheart. Blakeley returns home and finds 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. Investigation proves that the man's name is Sullivan. Mrs. Conway, the woman for whom Blakeley bought a Pullman ticket, tries to make a bargain with him for the forged notes, not knowing that they are missing. Blakeley and an amateur detective investigate the home of Sullivan's sister. From a servant Blakeley learns that Alison West had been there on a visit and Sullivan had been attentive to her. Sullivan is the husband of a daughter of the railroad man. Blakeley's house is ransacked by the police.

CHAPTER XXVI.—Continued.

He drew a chair near the lamp and lit a cigarette, and for a time we were silent. I was in the shadow, and I sat back and watched him. It was not surprising, I thought, that she cared for him; women had always loved him, perhaps because he always loved them. There was no disloyalty in the thought; it was the lad's nature to give and crave affection. Only—I was different. I had never really cared about a girl before, and my life had been singularly loveless. I had fought a lonely battle always. Once before, in college, we had both laid ourselves and our ealove devotions at the feet of the same girl. Her name was Dorothy—I had forgotten the rest—but I remembered the sequel. In a spirit of quixotic youth I had relinquished my claim in favor of Richey, and had gone cheerfully on my way, elevated by my heroic sacrifice to a somber, white-hot martyrdom. As is often the case, McKnight's first words showed our parallel lines of thought.

"I say, Lollie," he asked, "do you remember Dorothy Browne? B-r-o-w-n-e? That was it!"

"Dorothy Browne?" I repeated. "Oh—why yes, I recall her now. Why?"

"Nothing," he said. "I was thinking about her. That's all. You remember you were crazy about her, and dropped back because she professed me?"

"I got out," I said with dignity, "because you declared you would shoot yourself if she didn't go with you to something or other!"

"Oh, why yes, I recall now!" he mimicked. He tossed his cigarette in the general direction of the hearth and got up. We were both a little conscious, and he stood with his back to me, fingering a Japanese vase on the mantel.

"I was thinking," he began, turning the vase around, "that, if you feel pretty well again, and—ready to take hold, that I should like to go away for a week or so. Things are fairly well cleaned up at the office."

"Do you mean—you are going to Richmond?" I asked, after a scarcely perceptible pause. He turned and faced me, with his hands thrust in his pockets.

"No. That's off, Lollie. The Seiberts are going for a week's cruise along the coast. I—the hot weather has played bob with me and the cruise means seven days' breeze and bridge."

I lit a cigarette and offered him the box, but he refused. He was looking haggard and suddenly tired. I could not think of anything to say, and neither could he, evidently. The matter between us lay too deep for speech.

The MAN in LOWER TEN

by MARY ROBERTS RINEHART
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ment, I double-locked the door of my private office and finished off some imperative work. By ten o'clock I was free, and for the twentieth time I consulted my train schedule. At five minutes after ten, with McKnight not yet in sight, Blobs knocked at the door, the double ray we had agreed upon, and on being admitted slipped in and quietly closed the door behind him. His eyes were glistening with excitement, and a purple dab of typewriter ink gave him a peculiarly villainous and stealthy expression.

"They're here," he said, "two of 'em, and that crazy Stuart wasn't on, and said you were somewhere in the building."

A door slammed outside, followed by steps on the uncarpeted outer office.

"This way," said Blobs, in a husky undertone, and, darting into a lavatory, threw open a door that I had always supposed locked. Thence into a back hall piled high with boxes and past the presses of a bookbindery to the freight elevator.

Greatly to Blobs' disappointment, there was no pursuit. I was exhilarated but out of breath when we emerged into an alleyway, and the sharp daylight shone on Blobs' excited face.

"Great sport, isn't it?" I panted, dropping a dollar into his palm, inked to correspond with his face. "Regular walk-away in the hundred-yard dash."

"Gimme two dollars more and I'll drop 'em down the elevator shaft," he suggested ferociously. I left him there with his blood-thirsty schemes, and started for the station. I had a tendency to look behind me now and then, but I reached the station unnoticed. The afternoon was hot, the train rolled slowly along, stopping to pant at sweltering stations, from whose roofs the heat rose in waves.

But I noticed these things objectively, not subjectively, for at the end of the journey was a girl with blue eyes and dark brown hair, hair that could—had I not seen it?—hang loose in bewitching tangles or be twisted into little coils of delight.

CHAPTER XXVII.

The Sea, the Sand, the Stars. I telephoned as soon as I reached my hotel, and I had not known how much I had hoped from seeing her until I learned that she was out of town. I hung up the receiver, almost dizzy with disappointment, and it was fully five minutes before I thought of calling up again and asking if she was within telephone reach. It seemed she was down on the bay staying with the Samuel Forbeses.

Sammy Forbes! It was a name to conjure with just then. In the old days at college I had rather flouted him, but now I was ready to take him to my heart. I remembered that he had always meant well, anyhow, and that he was explosively generous. I called him up.

"By the fumes of gasoline!" he said, when I told him who I was. "Blakeley, the Fount of Wisdom Against Woman! Blakeley, the Great Unkissed! Welcome to our city!"

Whereupon he proceeded to urge me to come down to the Shack, and to say that I was an agreeable surprise, because four times in two hours youths had called up to ask if Alison West was stopping with him, and to suggest that they had a vacant day or two.

ly. There was a buzzing on the line. "Is she there?"

"Sam had no suspicions. Was not I in his mind always the Great Unkissed?—which sounds like the Great Unwashed and is even more of a reproach. He asked me down promptly, as I had hoped, and thrust aside my objections."

"Nonsense," he said. "Bring yourself. The lady that keeps my boarding-house is calling to me to insist. You remember Dorothy, don't you, Dorothy Browne? She says unless you have lost your figure you can wear my clothes all right. All you need here is a bathing suit for daytime and a dinner coat for evening."

"It sounds cool," I temporized. "If you are sure I won't put you out—very well, Sam, since you and your wife are good enough. I have a couple of days free. Give my love to Dorothy until I can do it myself."

Sam met me himself and drove me out to the Shack, which proved to be a substantial house overlooking the water. On the way he confided to me that lots of married men thought they were contented when they were merely resigned, but that it was the only life, and that Sam, Junior, could swim like a duck. Incidentally, he said that Alison was his wife's cousin, their respective grandmothers having, at proper intervals, married the same man, and that Alison would lose her good looks if she was not careful.

"I say she's worried," and I stick to it," he said, as he threw the lines to a groom and prepared to get out.



"They're Here," He Said.



said finally. "We do it all the time, only to-night happens to be the annual something or other, and—" he trailed off into silence, trying to buckle my belt around him. "A good six inches," he sighed. "I never get into a hansom cab any more that I don't expect to see the horse fly up in the air. Well, Allie isn't going either. She turned down Granger this afternoon, the Annapolis fellow you met on the stairs, pigeon-breasted chap—and she always gets a headache on those occasions."

He got up heavily and went to the door. "Granger is leaving," he said, "I may be able to get his dinner coat for you. How well do you know her?" he asked, with his hand on the knob. "If you mean Dolly—"

"Alison."

"Fairly well," I said cautiously. "Not as well as I would like to. I dined with her last week in Washington. And—I knew her before that."

Forbes touched a bell instead of going out, and told the servant who answered to see if Mr. Granger's suitcase had gone. If not, to bring it across the hall. Then he came back to his former position on the bed.

"You see, we feel responsible for Allie—near relation and all that," he began pompously. "And we can't talk to the people here at the house—all the men are in love with her, and all the women are jealous. Then—there's a lot of money, too, or will be."

"Confound the money!" I muttered. "That's—nothing. Razor slipped."

"I can tell you," he went on, "because you don't lose your head over every pretty face—although Allie is more than that, of course. But about a month ago she went away—to Seal Harbor, to visit Janet MacLure. Know her?"

"No."

"She came home to Richmond yesterday, and then came down here—Allie, I mean. And yesterday afternoon Dolly had a letter from Janet—something about a second man—and saying she was disappointed not to have had Alison there, that she had promised them a two-weeks' visit! What do you make of that? And that isn't the worst. Allie herself wasn't in the room, but there were eight other women, and because Dolly had put belladonna in her eyes the night before to see how she would look, and as a result couldn't see anything nearer than across the room, some one read the letter aloud to her, and the whole story is out. One of the cats told Granger and the boy proposed to Allie to-day, to show her he didn't care a tinker's dam where she had been."

"Good boy!" I said, with enthusiasm. I liked the Granger fellow—since he was out of the running. But Sam was looking at me with suspicion.

"Blake," he said, "if I didn't know you for what you are, I'd say you were interested there yourself."

Being so near her, under the same roof, with even the tie of a dubious secret between us, was making me heady. I pushed Forbes toward the door.

"I interested!" I retorted, holding him by the shoulders. "There isn't a word in your vocabulary to fit my condition. I am an island in a sunlit sea of emotion, Sam, an empty place surrounded by longing—a—" "An empty place surrounded by longing!" he retorted. "You want your dinner, that's what's the matter with you—"

I shut the door on him then. He seemed suddenly sordid. Dinner, I thought! Although, as a matter of fact, I made a very fair meal when Granger's suit-case not having gone, in his coat and some other man's trousers. I was finally fit for the amenities. Alison did not come down to dinner, so it was clear she would not go over to the clubhouse dance. I pled my injured arm, and a fictitious, vaguely located sprain from the wreck, as an excuse for remaining at home. Sam regaled the table with accounts of my distrust of women, my one love affair—with Dorothy; to which I responded, as was expected, that only my failure there had kept me single all these years, and that if Sam should be mysteriously missing during the bathing hour to-morrow, and so on.

NEW ERA IN FINANCE

ACCURACY AND PUBLICITY PROVES TO BE A POPULAR MOTTO.

Prompt Response to Bold Move of President Vail.—"Accuracy" Reduced Western Union's Surplus \$13,000,000.—"Publicity" Restored Confidence and its Stock Went Up.

Are the great financiers of the country beginning to see a new light? Time was, until recently in fact, when the men at the head of the big corporations kept their business to themselves, as far as the law would allow. Capable men at the head of the big concerns, long realized the weakness of their position, but what was needed obviously, as in all great reforms, was an unmistakable occasion and a courageous man. The occasion arose in the purchase of the Western Union Telegraph company by the American Telephone and Telegraph company, and the man appeared in Theodore N. Vail, President of the purchasing corporation.

It was last December when public announcement was made that the Gould holdings of Western Union had been taken over by the Telephone company.

On account of the high esteem in which the management of the telephone company is so generally held, great things were predicted as a result of the absorption of Western Union. By the press of the country the "deal" was most favorably commented on, it being widely pointed out that under the direction of such men as Theodore N. Vail and his associates, the telephone company was bound soon to work itself into a position where it could offer the public far more efficient service than it had ever before been able to offer.

But a very few months had elapsed when it became apparent to the new management that a modern and up-to-date appraisal of the company's assets would make possible a far greater degree of efficiency of operation. "Here," they said to themselves, "we've bought control of this property and we know it's immensely valuable, but we don't know just how valuable. These appraisals of real estate and securities owned were made a long time ago. If we have a complete inventory made of every thing we've got we can announce the facts to the public, start a new set of books, and begin our responsibility to stockholders right there."

How Inventory Was Taken. The most expert accountants and appraisers to be had were put at the task. Their labors lasted over eight months. Their report and its publication by the company marks an epoch in finance.

It began by recommending an adjustment of the difference between the appraised and book values by a charge of \$5,595,089 against surplus. Book values of securities held were reduced to market values, bad and doubtful accounts were "charged off," an allowance of \$2,000,000 was made for "depreciation," another of \$500,000 for "reserve," and so on, until the old surplus of \$18,867,000 came down to \$5,136,000.

It required courage, the publication of this statement to stockholders, saying in effect: "The property of your company has been revalued; the surplus isn't nineteen millions, as you have been led to believe, but five millions," but it was the truth, and President Vail did not flinch. "Accuracy and publicity," he declared, was essential. "The stockholder has a right to know. The shares of this company are scattered from one end of the Union to the other. This is more than a private corporation. It is a great national enterprise. The public is entitled to the facts."

The report was ordered published forthwith. Financiers of the old school and speculators generally were aghast. What would happen? Would the bottom drop out of Western Union when the shareholders realized that their property was worth \$13,000,000 less than they had supposed? But the amazing thing happened. The stock went up and stayed up. The public had responded to this remarkable display of frankness and confidence; to the new motto, "Accuracy and Publicity."

The full significance of the action of the new board is stated concisely by Harper's Weekly in these words: "Is this policy of publicity and of open-handed dealing with shareholders and public the forerunner of a similar movement on the part of other big corporations? Certainly it is to be hoped that it is. In the case of these big companies, dependent upon public patronage and doing business under public franchise, can there be any question of the right of the people to know?"

"That right is being recognized. It is recognized now in this epochal act on the part of the telephone and telegraph interests. It is the dawn of a new era in corporation finance."

Timeliness. All measures of reformation are of feeble in exact proportion to their timeliness; partial decay may be cut away and cleansed; incipient error corrected; but there is a point at which corruption can no more be stayed, nor wandering recalled. It has been the manner of modern philanthropy to remain passive until that precise period, and to leave the sick to perish, and the foolish to stray while it spent itself in frantic exertions to raise the dead, and reform the dust.—Ruskin.

Made Oliver Herford Famous. Oliver Herford first sprang into fame as a wit so long ago as when Mrs. James Brown-Potter, whose husband was a near relative of the late Bishop Potter, created a sensation by relinquishing home and family to go upon the stage. While the sensation was at its height the bishop, who felt that disgrace had been brought upon the Potter name by the lady's choice of a career, chanced at a dinner at the Players' club in New York to challenge anyone present to make a joke about him that was not a pun based on the verb "to potter." Herford's response "Actresses will happen in the best regulated families" won him the laurel wreath of the club and it has not yet gone out of his possession.—Frank M. White, in American Magazine.

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Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (fifty cents worth) in a pint bottle, then add the Sugar Syrup. Take a teaspoonful every two, two or three hours.

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Discouraging. "George," said her husband's wife, "I don't believe you have smoked one of those cigars I gave you on your birthday."

"That's right, my dear," replied his wife's husband. "I'm going to keep them until our Willie wants to learn to smoke."

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Some Only Physical Idea. One of his friends once asked Mr. Darwin's gardener about his master's health, and how he had been lately. "Oh!" he said, "my poor master has been very sadly. I often wish he had something to do. He moons about in the garden, and I have seen him stand doing nothing before a flower for ten minutes at a time. If he only had something to do I really believe he would be better."

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Some Consolation. Mrs. Gramercy—My husband is anxious to get rid of me. Mrs. Park—Don't cry, dear. In that case he won't haggle over the alimony.—Smart Set.

Old Pete's Little Joke. Foolish questions and funny answers were under discussion in the Trenton avenue and Dauphin street police station the other day, and after listening for a while to some amusing instances, Sergeant McCay told the following: "Old Pete Flood was the attendant in the Franklin cemetery some years ago, and it became the custom to ask him how business was, just to hear his reply. It came in a heavy bass voice: "'Ain't buried a living soul today.'"—Philadelphia Times.

Time to Think Over Suicide. He took Paris green to commit suicide. Too big a dose to kill him. Eminent specialist happened to be called in, and started to fix him up. "No use," said Paris green performer, "I'll do it anyhow after you have done with me." Doctor got mad. "If that's the way you feel about it, you fool," he said, "I'll not waste my time on you." Paris green performer much astonished and grieved. "Well," he said, "giving me 24 hours to think it over." Doctor gave him 24 hours and went away. At the end of the time Paris green performer telephoned, "I've thought it over and want to get well; come and see me some more."

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BIG FRUIT CROP.

Outlook for 1911 Indicates a record Breaking Crop.

If the 1911 fruit crop in Western Michigan proves a bumper one, as many think it will, because of the rest that the trees have had, there will be need of much more careful attention in the matter of grading and packing.

Several million fruit trees have been set out during the past five years and a fair sized fraction of these will come into bearing the coming season increasing the ordinary crop yield by several hundred thousand packages.

It has been suggested that an effort be made to try to transform the quantity element of the 1911 crop into a quality factor. It is believed that a good crop of fruit of extra quality will bring as much wealth into the region as a bumper crop of only fairly good fruit. Considerable money has been expended getting the phrase, "Western Michigan, Fruit With Flavor" before the country, and the time is soon to be here when it will be the duty of the fruit grower to prove the truth of the statement.

It is hoped that plans can be evolved so that only the truly creditable fruits will be sent to market that Western Michigan products may get the reputation they deserve.

Much can be accomplished along that line if many local horticulturists societies devote one or two meetings each, the present winter to the consideration of the topic: "Quality rather than Quantity". It would be well if emphasis were laid on the value of pruning trees, and thinning of the fruit so early in the season. Plans should also be considered for the establishment of canning factories which would absorb the fruits falling to reach a high standard.

Western Michigan can produce fruit that is superior to the fruit grown by the far western states and with the shorter haul to the consumer these are good reasons for believing that we should exert ourself sufficiently to get and hold the markets.

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New York's "Four Hundred" is a thing of the past, says Frederick Townsend Martin. Too many chorus girls have broken in, probably.

TAKE CARE!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley's Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years." Hite Drug Store.

Northern Michigan's Potato Crop.

W. W. Brower, a Fife Lake merchant and potato buyer was in the city last evening. Brower says that in the vicinity of his home town they have the largest potato crop ever known. Concerning the yield he said: We have been shipping steady at least a car load a day for the past two months and I believe there more potatoes in Fife Lake today than when we began. The yield some farmers report is scarcely believable. Some of them are obliged to back their wag on into the field there not being room to turn around in the lot, with potatoes covering the lot all over fence high in some places. One grower has been hauling steady from a three acre patch of ground, with five teams for six weeks and this morning he told me that if the weather keeps good, he will be able to get them all to market by Christmas, except a matter of 5,000 bushels he will keep for his own use. On account of scarcity of cars, farmers are decking them all along the rail road, in some instances the piles reaching to the height of 50 feet and extending either way on both sides of the track for a distance of a mile. The banner potato thus far produced just nicely filled a sugar barrel and in the same hill with it were 11 smaller ones, varying in size from a water pail to a bushel basket. When the big potato was cooked it was found to be hollow and inside was a guinea hen setting on ducks eggs, some of which have since hatched and give promise of becoming Plymouth Rock cockrels. How the poultry yard got inside the potato is a mystery.—Cadillac Globe.

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Supplement to the
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1910.

Coming to Town.

He had a pocket full of cash, the proceeds of his farm, and he came to see the city, never thinking any harm. He met a dapper stranger who escorted him around to where the jovial tiger and elephant abound. He dallied with the festive and he lingered by the bowl and awoke upon the sidewalk minus his piethoric roll. He was a jay? Of course he was, a green and verdant thing; but he didn't read the papers which accounts for every thing. The street was rather crowded and the pavements were rather wet, but he started from the curbstone to the other side to get. He saw a car but never thought, that harm-it could portend for he looked and noticed that there were no horses on the other end. He never knew what struck him and what chopped him like a knife for the electric doesn't linger when it yanks away a life. He should always know? Of course and then he'd never met his fall, but he didn't read the papers and so thought he knew it all.

The part taken by the procuror and the business agent of vice and indecency is always counted lower in the scale of degradation than the actual participants in such offences. It is the boast of many saloonkeepers that they do not urge men nor ask them to come to their places. But some news papers at the present time are taking the part of the procuror and the solicitor to the extent which many saloon keepers would not. The newspaper referred to are these permitting their pages to be made the medium through which the most alluring soliciting language is used in reference to whiskey and beer and other. These advertisements urge men who have never bought whiskey in quantity or any other way so far as a newspaper knows, to try a few bottles of their particular blend at a special price, with the expressed hope that they become regular customers. This service which newspapers are rendering to the liquor traffic is one which ranks with the procuror and the street solicitor and it is just the service which many saloonkeepers declare they would not stoop to. The privilege which a newspaper has of entering the home and of becoming a respected and trusted visitor is basely betrayed by the publisher that sends into the home destructive whiskey and liquor solicitations. Comparatively few of the news papers of Michigan permit any sort of saloon or liquor advertisement in their pages, and the few who admit such advertisements are becoming notoriously conspicuous in their respective communities and their districts.

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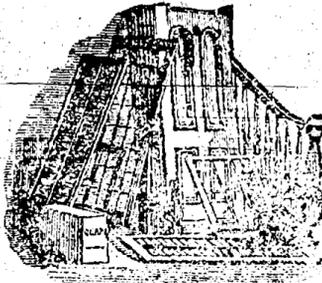
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