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## Protect Buyers.

### Proposed New Real Estate Organization Has Merit.

The proposed organization of the real estate men of the state and particularly those of western Michigan, will be perfected at the Lund and Apple show which will be held in Grand Rapids on November 15, promises much for this section of the state, once it is put into practical operation. The information of this organization will enable the reliable dealers of the state to combat the wildcat concerns which make a specialty of unloading inferior lands upon unsuspecting buyers and thereby creating distrust among the people of the motives of real estate men in general. The great majority of the dealers in the state are honest and are doing their best to satisfy their customers and make permanent citizens of them. In order to do this fair dealing and truthful advertising is necessary and in order to insure this policy it is thought best to form an organization which will work in harmony at all times and with a common purpose in view, to build up the state from the best class of people possible.

The meeting will be presided over by Heber A. Knott, and the first session will be held in the Coliseum Friday forenoon, November 15, followed by a session in the afternoon on the same day. It is intended to ask the next legislature to pass three bills for the welfare of the state at large. The first will be a measure to license real estate dealers, charging them a sufficient fee to make the organization effective, and any one who is guilty of misrepresenting a deal to a customer can be put out of business by having his license revoked upon the presentation of the proper proofs. The second measure to be asked for is a blue sky law with reference to real estate. This would prevent wildcat firms from selling land located at the bottom of a lake or in swamps, or other place that could never be reclaimed. Third, the organization will ask that the state appoint an agricultural commission whose duty it will be to make an examination of the pine barrens of the state and ascertain whether or not they can ever be developed into valuable farming or fruit lands. The formation of this organization and the passage of these measures will go a great way toward fostering the development of the northern part of the state and especially the territory comprised in the twenty counties now in the bureau. The time is ripe for such a campaign and the sooner it is put into actual operation the better it will be for not only western Michigan but for the entire state. It will give an official sanction to the work and will insure fair treatment to the prospective settler, who is assured that nothing will be misrepresented to him when he comes here to purchase a home and become a citizen. The real estate men are taking kindly to the idea and most of them are very enthusiastic over the change proposed.

## RUN-DOWN PEOPLE

### Made Strong by Vinol.

Run-down conditions are caused by overwork, worry, too close confinement, a chronic cough or cold which it is difficult to cure. We want to say to every person in this condition you need Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil, the great strength creator. It will supply iron to the blood in the most easily assimilated form, create a good, healthy appetite, strengthen your digestive organs and make you eat better, sleep better and feel better.

A case has just come to our attention from West Scranton, Pa., Mrs. Chas. Proper says: "For three years I was all run down, weak and had no appetite, and after all that time I am glad to say Vinol has brought back my health and strength, which is just what I was told it would do." We are confident that Vinol is the best body-builder and strength-creator we have ever sold.

Try a bottle on our guarantee to refund your money if it fails to benefit you.

P. S. Eczema Sufferers! We guarantee our new skin remedy, Eczema. W. C. SPRING DRUG CO.

A mean Petoskey man offered to give his wife 25¢ if she would keep her mouth shut for two hours. It was a terrible ordeal, for some lady friends came in to discuss the woman's suffrage question, but she finally won.

## Big Show

### At Temple Next Week

The Ralph Richards Vaudeville Company which comes to the Temple Theatre for a three night's run commencing next Monday night October 28, is one of the highest class and best popular priced attractions now touring the middle west. The company features little Miss Babe Winifred, the world's youngest and most phenomenal mind reader. She is the littlest lady who created such a sensation in all the larger cities of southern Michigan, for to locate lost articles, call people's names, describe them etc., without any assistance, is a marvel that would cause her execution in the olden days of witchery. Miss Winifred also does a striking specialty and her dainty costumes will prove a rare treat to the artistic feminine eye.

Richards, the "wizard" is all that his name implies, for he has one of the most gorgeous and elaborately staged acts ever seen in this city, requiring several tons of special scenery and effects to stage his one act alone. In fact it would be quite hard to pick the real feature, but there is enough catchy music, new songs, clean comedy, and mystery to please the most critical. On Wednesday night October 30th a real live baby will be given away.

## REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Boards of Registration of the several wards of the City of East Jordan, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, will be in session

### Saturday, Nov. 2, 1912.

at the places in the several wards of said city as indicated below, viz: First Ward—at Bisnett Building Second Ward—at Town Hall Third Ward—at City Hall

for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors who may apply for that purpose.

## Women Electors.

In accordance with Section 4 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, and Act 206 of the Public Acts of 1909, the Boards of Registration of said city will register the names of all women possessing the qualifications of male electors who make Personal Application for such registration; provided that all such applicants must own property assessed for taxes somewhere within the county above named, except that any woman otherwise qualified who owns property within said county jointly with her husband or other person, or who owns property within said county on contract and pays the taxes thereon, shall be entitled to registration. Following are the qualifications of male electors in the State of Michigan:

Every male inhabitant of this state being a citizen of the United States; every male inhabitant residing in this state on the twenty-fourth day of June, eighteen hundred thirty-five; every male inhabitant of foreign birth who, having resided in this state two years and six months prior to the eighth day of November, eighteen hundred ninety four; and having declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States two years and six months prior to said last named day; and every civilized male inhabitant of Indian descent, a native of the United States and not a member of any tribe, shall be an elector or entitled to vote; but no one shall be an elector or entitled to vote at any election unless he shall be above the age of twenty-one years, and has resided in this state six months and in the township or ward in which he offers to vote twenty days next preceeding such election.

Said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the places aforesaid from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon for the purposes aforesaid.

Dated this 14th day of October, A. D. 1912.

Oris J. Smith, Clerk of said City.

The place to buy Comfortables, Blankets, Suit Cases, is at EMPEY BROS. (adv.)

## Do You Cough?

Have you one of those bronchial coughs that seems to affect nearly everyone just at this time?

Do you know that we have a medicine that acts almost like magic?

Ask for SPRING'S COUGH SYRUP and get relief.

Remember, we guarantee it and will refund your money if it does not benefit you.

Try it at our risk.

## W. C. SPRING Drug Co.

## A Genuine Service.

"I believe," said an old subscriber, "that every time The Youth's Companion enters a home it does that home a genuine service." That describes the purpose of the publishers exactly. The paper is not filled with mischievous or idle thoughts to fill an idle hour. It provides healthy pastime, recreation that builds up. It is to the minds of eager and impressionable young people what sound athletics are to their bodies.

At a cost of less than four cents a week The Youth's Companion opens the door to a company of the most distinguished men and women in America and Europe. Whether they are revealing the latest discoveries in science, or describing great industrial achievements, or telling of their wanderings in strange corners of the world, or feeding the imagination with rare stories, they are giving the Companion readers the best of themselves.

Seven serials at least will be published by The Companion in 1913, and nearly 200 other complete stories, in addition to some 50 special contributions, and a treasure-box of sketches, anecdotes, expert advice as to athletic sports, ideas for handy devices round the house, and so forth—long hours of companionship with the wise, the adventurous and the enterprising. Announcement for 1913 will be sent with ample copies of the paper to any address on request.

Every new subscriber who sends \$2.00 for the fifty-two weekly issues of 1913 will receive as a gift The Companion Window Transparency and Calendar for 1913, the most exquisite novelty ever offered to Companion readers; also, all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1912, free.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, 144 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass. New subscriptions received at this office.

## Zemo For Dandruff.

You Will be Surprised to see how Quickly it Disappears.

No more dirty coats from dandruff heads. Zemo stops dandruff. Apply it any time with tips of fingers. No smell, no smear. Zemo sinks into the pores, makes the scalp healthy, makes the hair fine and glossy.

Zemo is prepared by the E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., and is regularly sold by all druggists at 5¢ per bottle. But to enable you to make a test and prove what it will do for you, get a 25-cent trial bottle fully guaranteed or your money back at W. C. Springs Drug Store.

## County Normal Notes

Word was received from Miss Nowland class of '10, who is teaching at Newberry.

The class was invited to spend last Wednesday evening with Misses Higgs and Whiting at the former's rooms. The girls made candy and they enjoyed the remainder of the apples sent to the class by Mrs. Harry Clark of Central Lake. The evening was spent in playing games and every one had an enjoyable time.

Last Thursday the class accompanied by the Misses Higgs and Whiting, attended the plowing match at Merion Center. The afternoon was spent in racing and other sports. Some of the girls took part in the girls' running race, one of them, Hazel Mills, getting second prize.

The class attended the session of the Board of Supervisors on Friday. They were discussing the good roads question. It proved very interesting to the class.

Agnes Worth was called home last Thursday by the serious illness of her sister.

The class elected their officers last week; they are as follows: President, Hazel Gilmartin; vice-president, Geo. Hamlin; secretary and treasurer, Mabel Dunlop; executive committee, Blanche Rogers; Mabel Dunlop and Hazel Mills.

## Glasses Fitted.

J. Leahy, the Optometrist, will again be at the Russell House, Wednesday, October 30th. One day only. Headache cured, crossed eyes straightened, fitting children's eyes a specialty. Glasses guaranteed to fit.

C. M. Wheelihan, 326 Fort St., Port Huron, states: "I have used various kidney medicines for a chronic case of kidney trouble that has bothered me for some years and I can honestly say that Wheeler's Kidney Pills did more for me than any of them. They relieved me greatly and I will always be pleased to recommend them." Hite Drug Company.

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

## ABSOLUTELY PURE

Cooking under modern methods and conveniences is made so attractive the whole family is becoming interested.

"These biscuits are delicious; this cake is excellent," says the father, "I made them," says the daughter, and both father and daughter beam with pleasure.

Royal Baking Powder has made home baking a success, a pleasure and a profit, and the best cooking today the world over is done with its aid.

## Wilson

Afton school reopened last Monday morning after a two weeks' vacation. Blanche Godfrey spent Sunday and Monday at her home in Afton.

Mrs. John Wilks of Jordan township has been spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Sloan.

Wilson Grange will hold a dance at their hall next week Saturday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

E. L. Nowland has recently completed an addition to his house. Willard Warden did the work.

M. Kerstead who has been living in the Bills place the past two years moved his family and household goods to Boyne City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sloan were

called to mourn the loss of their baby boy who died last Sunday morning after a few weeks' illness aged 1 yr. and 10 days. The funeral services were held at the house on Monday afternoon conducted by Rev. T. Porter Bennett of East Jordan, and interment in the Lewis cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sincere sympathy of all in this vicinity in their sorrow.

Philip Desormeau, Prop. the Farmer's Home Hotel, Schaffer, Mich., says: "Last winter I could not sleep nights on account of a bad cough that would start at bedtime and keep me awake. I started using Foey's Honey and Tar Compound and was greatly pleased to find that the cough left me, my appetite increased and I slept soundly at night." Hite Drug Company.

## HERE IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO REDUCE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

It can be done! And it should be done by every woman of the home housewife or householder.

Do not waste the buying power of your dollars! Here is the unerring guide—secure its value by taking advantage of it by yourself. The quality of everything is guaranteed—therefore it is solely a matter of your SAVING MONEY. Buying advantageously, where you can secure the most for your money, is the real keynote of reducing the high cost of living. Make your money go as far as possible in Right Buying, and you have solved the problem. Reliability, dependability, lowest prices and prompt service are the cornerstones of our success, and our reputation of many years standing is unquestioned. The time to begin is now.



If it is Shoes that you need

we are the headquarters for durable, dependable shoes. The very best of WORK SHOES for Men at \$2.00 to \$3.50. An especially good Farm Shoe, high cut, nice, roomy, all solid leather, at \$1.98.

For comfort wear, we handle the nice, roomy, yet solid shoes for women—MARTHA WASHINGTON—kangaroo calf gun metal and kid—and we can fit your feet. Let us be your shoemaker.

You are especially invited to call and see the New Things in Suitings for Ladies' Skirts and Waists in the new Fall shades. Dependable styles and colorings—47c to \$2.50. New FURS, SWEATERS, new everything. Be alive, quick to take advantage of the opportunities we offer.



"QUALITY FIRST OF ALL."

FRED E. ROBERTSON

WANTED TO PROVE INNOCENCE

Indicted Man Had It All Figured Out, Though He Had Rather Given His Plan Away.

After the prohibitory law first went into effect an Irishman in Ottawa by the name of McCaslin was accused of selling liquor contrary to the statutes. He was guilty all right and at first wanted to plead guilty, but his lawyer persuaded him to fight the case. "Deny everything," said the lawyer, "make 'em prove it. They will have a lot of trouble doing that." The case was called before a justice of the peace and the prosecution was conducted by the county attorney, McCaslin himself consented to testify in his own behalf. When it came the turn of the prosecuting attorney to examine him he commenced as follows: "You are the defendant in this case, are you not?" "Of course not."

Placing the Blame. The Hon. Champ Clark was much edified to overhear the following colloquy on a railway train on one occasion when he was on his way to open a political campaign: "Time was," observed one passenger, "when we had our country so well in hand that we could elect a brindle pup to any office we chose to nominate him for."

Opened It Himself. Senor Gonzales Garza, under secretary of the interior of Mexico, is a matter-of-fact man who has the habit of holding his mouth open. The other day Secretary of the Interior Gonzales walked into Garza's office and exclaimed: "Old chap, you have your mouth open!" "I know it," replied Garza, not looking up from his writing, "I opened it myself this morning."

Mexico's National Dish. The poorer classes of Mexico use the tortilla not only as a food, but make it serve as fork and spoon. It is folded into a sort of scoop and used in eating beans, thick soup, rice, hash, or anything else usually lifted to the mouth with fork or spoon. Many of the poorer classes are not accustomed to the use of knife, fork or spoon. Tortillas are sold in large quantities in the market, fresh and hot, at six for one cent. They are considered a very nourishing article of food. Many laborers do a long, hard day's work on a diet of tortilla, beans, chili sauce and black coffee.

Won't Do! The draftsman was sore. "What's the matter with my plans for the new street cars?" he demanded. "Matter!" growled the magnate. "Why, you've made the cross seats large enough for two to sit comfortably! Cut 'em down three inches, and slope 'em so that the outside passenger'll slip off—and don't ever again start anything new on this company!" —Baltimore Evening Sun.

Keep Smiling Many Little Helps in Calling Fate's Bluff

By Rev. FRANK CRANE, Chicago

IT IS wonderful what you can do if you will only keep your chin up. This is a strange world, and one of the strangest things about it is the way it sympathizes with success. We are supposed to sympathize with failure and grief, but we don't. I am going to tell you the truth about this naughty world, and the truth is that whichever way you're going, up or down, people want to help you along. If you are going up we all want to boost; if you are going down we all want to push. That is what we call sympathy. You hear complaints that the rich are growing richer and the poor poorer. That has always been the case, simply because it is human nature. Society has always been organized to increase the wealth of the wealthy and the power of the powerful; also to make the weak weaker. There's no use whining about it. It is simply one of the flinty laws of nature. The only thing to do with nature's laws is to adjust oneself to them and not complain. This might be called the law of the inertia of prosperity. You are guilty yourself. Whom do you want to see? The man everybody wants to see. And you read the book everybody's reading and go to the store where it is "the thing" to go. "Follow the crowds," says the advertiser, with the shrewd knowledge of our makeup. If you have a hundred dollars ahead to whom do you want to hand it? To the poor man who needs it? Not at all, but to the rich banker who doesn't need it. If I ask you for the loan of a quarter you will pass it over to me without a word if you think it is a trifling matter to me; but if you suspect I really am in want and need the quarter to buy a little food with, that's quite another affair; you can't encourage that sort of thing; I should go to the Associated Charities. Now, the way to use this law is to feign prosperity even if you have it not. Keep your chin up. Wear good clothes. Don't withdraw from the society of the prosperous. Look pleasant. Don't let yourself get down at the heel. Don't get that poor beggar look on your face. It isn't hypocrisy. It isn't pretense. It is sheer courage. It is letting the world know that while you live you propose to fight, and that like old General Taylor you "don't know when you're licked." Keep smiling and an unfriendly universe will not know what to do with you; so it will crown you. Says Alfred de Vigny: "All those that struggle against the unjust heavens have had the admiration and secret love of men." Fate is a bluff. Face her, defy her, and she will fawn on you. Fate is cruel, but only to the quitter.

Problem of the City is the Greatest

By James P. Burnett, Atlanta, Ga.

The greatest problem which confronts the economists and the social workers of America today is the problem of the city. Every year the population of the cities is increasing and that of the counties diminishing. Men are deserting the country in droves to come into the city. They are leaving the green fields for the dirty highways, the clear atmosphere for the pollution of the city, and with every new recruit the problem of handling them and the vice which grows among them becomes more difficult and more intricate. Men are casting about for reform, and they don't know where to begin, so vast and so deep is the problem. Figures compiled each year show that the denser the population, the greater the death rate—in other words, the closer men live together, the quicker they die. In a certain English city, to prove that congested dwelling-places caused death, a certain area in the slums was demolished and modern, sanitary tenements erected in their place. The death rate sank something like 75 per cent. as a result. And yet the hordes of men crowd into the city, and conditions grow more congested, crime gains a new impetus and death increases at a horrible rate. Understand me, I do not mean that every new recruit into the city means that that person is evil and that crime increases as a direct result. The point is that wherever conditions are congested and where poverty reigns crime increases, as figures have proved, and poverty is one of the most prolific sources of crime. The problem of the city is a hydra-headed one, and sociologists are beginning to realize that, while it demands instant attention, they do not know how to cope with it.

Let Bachelor Forget His Lonely Misery

By JANE ERICKSON, Sacramento, Cal.

I cannot see the advisability of tagging a man because he is a bachelor. In the first place, it is cruel, to say the least. Just because a fellow has been so unfortunate as to be left outside of matrimony's hospitable gates there is no reason why we should throw it up to him. There are very few men who have not met at least one girl whom they would like to marry, and that they have failed to qualify up to the lady's requirements is no sound reason for unseemly mirth and merriment from the world at large. Did you ever get turned down? Then you know what a delightful sensation it is. How would you like to have that hideous experience, which has caused you much inward anguish, to say nothing of humiliation, blared abroad to an unsympathetic public? How would you like having to wear a button or a badge boldly displayed on your coat lapel signifying that you belong to the great wandering family of Turned Downs? It wouldn't set well, would it? So I declare, in the cause of common courtesy, that it wouldn't be fair to tag the bachelor. Let him forget his lonely misery if he can. Don't doom him to remember his troubles every time he puts on his coat. Let him alone and maybe some day when nobody's paying much attention to him he may manage to slip through the big gates. You never can tell.

IN THE WILDS OF KOREA



ROCKS OF SEHUI

ROY CHAPMAN ANDREWS, assistant curator of the department of mammalogy of the American museum of natural history, who got back recently from a ten months' trip to the orient to obtain specimens for the museum, and who, while in Korea, explored a region never before entered by a white man and discovered three lakes in the north of the country, gave the following description of his expedition: "After finishing my whaling, I spent three weeks at Shimonoeki, Japan, collecting fish, and then returned to Korea and went to Seoul to interview the directors of foreign affairs, from whom I got the necessary permission to go into the interior. Then I went away up the coast by ship to Shechia. From there I went on a push railway—you get in a car and natives push you up on handcars—to a military station on the Tu-Men river, west of Musan. The latter is a walled town 600 years old, with its original public buildings and many ancient houses. It is the last place inland ever before visited by whites. The Russians went there during the war, and now there are Japanese gendarmes there, as in every place in the country. "I spoke a little Japanese, the cook I had got at Seoul spoke English well, and the interpreter I had spoke Chinese, Korean and a little English. Besides them I had in my party six Korean horsemen and a hunter. "The northern part of Korea is absolutely bare of trees, unless you so classify the fir underbrush about a foot high. My cook, who was thirty-nine years old, had never cooked with wood in his life. The only trees you see in the southern part of the country are those that have been left about graves. "Plenty of Tigers in Korea. "I wanted to get into the unknown region, which was said to be wooded and full of game. The last was true. There are leopards in tremendous numbers in many parts of the country, snow leopards, and there are tigers in many districts. The former are very shy, but they and the tigers come to the villages when the snow drives them and get children, horses and dogs. "I have a leopard skin which was presented to me which is nine feet long, but I did not shoot one myself. None has ever been killed by a white man in that country. "I spent three weeks hunting two tigers on the mountain and then decided I could spare no more time. The country is so big, and I would have had to beat over a great tract. It took a friend of mine in the south of the country two months to get two specimens. "From Musan I traveled 40 miles west before I came to the edge of the big forest and the last village, Nojido, a hamlet of eight or ten houses. Then I went directly toward Paik-tu-san, the white topped mountain, which is 8,000 feet high. I went until the snow stopped me, which was in May. There were no trails. I had to steer by compass. "The forest, I found, was mainly of virgin larch, 50 to 150 feet high, with some birch, with a very thick undergrowth. My Koreans were afraid to enter it because there were reports abroad that Chinese robbers were in it. Right near is the Paik-tu-san, where the Manchus originated. "The mountain is a single peak, but it is one of a range called the Long White mountains. The Yalu has its source there, and it has been supposed the Tu-Men also rose there, but I discovered its source was 40 miles away. We had to travel along the river valley, camping and hunting on the ridges on the other side. "Of course, I went into the big woods primarily to collect, but the fauna was so limited it was of no use, although for a time I was running 80 traps and hunting. The forest was as

The Rejoicing Eunuch

By REV. PARLEY ZARTMANN, D.D., Secretary of Extension Department of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT: Acts 8:39—"And he went on his way rejoicing."

On his way rejoicing. Why not? He had found Jesus Christ as a personal Saviour and instead of going home dejected and despairing, he could go saying with the Psalmist, "I waited patiently for the Lord, and he inclined unto me and heard my cry. He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay; and he hath set my feet on the rock and he hath put a new song into my mouth, even praise unto our God." This may be your experience are you close this day, and it may be your privilege to sing



O happy day that fixed my choice, On thee, my Saviour and my God, Well may this glowing heart rejoice, And tell its raptures all abroad.

This story tells the secret of the eunuch's happiness and refreshes the soul as we read.

The Servant. Philip, the evangelist, is one of the chief actors in this dramatic incident. He was one of the deacons who had been converted in the early days of the apostolic church, and having found Jesus he was busy in making him known. He is associated in our minds with Peter as we read the Acts of the Apostles. But he is so different in his temperament and methods, and this illustrates how Christ chooses the man for the task. Philip was aggressive, many-sided, flexible, capable of adapting himself to divers temperaments. He had just been preaching in Samaria, and perhaps the incident of Simon Magus may have disturbed him. If so the message from the angel to leave Samaria would be some encouragement. God is behind our movements; let us be quiet in our souls and quick to hear when he speaks; follow where he leads or go where he sends us. In that direction lie joy, power and victory. The paths may be as diverse as those of Peter and Philip and the places may be as strangely different as Samaria and Gaza. The word of the Lord came to Philip to leave the populous city, preaching of the divine truth and responding thereto, and to go to Gaza, a desolate and desert place, and preach the gospel to one man. But there God met them; "And he blessed him there." Gaza was the gateway to Palestine from the south, and Ethiopia was now to stretch out her hands to God. Your prompt and joyous obedience may open a new kingdom for your Lord. No doubt that was a strange journey to Philip, and he must have wondered why he was leaving the city and going down to Gaza; but at the end of the day his soul rejoiced in what had been done. It is a blessed thing to have so infallible a guide, so wise a teacher, so safe a master, and to know that in following him we are safe.

The Seeker. As Philip waits on the lonely road he sees a chariot approaching and he may have wondered whether the man in it would be the object of his own journey. The chariot contains not an Israelite, but a man from Ethiopia, and probably a descendant of Ham. The eunuch was a man of importance, a treasurer in the court of Queen Candace. No doubt he had wealth, high position, great influence and fame, but evidently the spirit of God made him dissatisfied with all these. He had occasion to go to Jerusalem; may it not have been a part of God's plan to bring him to the clear realization of his need, in fact, to have some promise and encouragement to go up to the temple of Jerusalem.

But even there he did not find peace, and he was returning to his own country still longing for God, when the Spirit said to Philip: "Go join thyself to this chariot." Undoubtedly the eunuch was distracted and anxious, but in his hand he had the message of God. At last God's messenger, God's word, and the seeking soul have met, and the result is glorious and gratifying. The seeking soul always will find. Do not be lazy or indifferent about your own eternal welfare. Have some real concern about yourself. Follow God as far as he leads. New light will fall upon the path just ahead of your present step. "If thou believest, thou mayest." "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." God has declared it; nothing hinders its fulfillment except your own belief. Come, let the spirit of God through the word reveal Jesus to you as the Saviour from your sins and as the keeper of your life; claim what he promises so freely, accept what he offers, and enjoy what he imparts and reign in life through One, even Jesus Christ. "And he went on his way rejoicing." Suffering, shame and scolding rude, In my place condemned he stood; Sealed my pardon with his blood, Hallelujah, what a Saviour!

# SERIAL STORY

# EXCUSE ME!

Revised from the Comedy of the Same Name  
By Rupert Hughes  
ILLUSTRATED  
From the Play as Produced  
By Henry W. Savage

## SYNOPSIS.

Lieut. Harry Mallory is ordered to the Philippines. He and Marjorie Newton decide to elope, but wreck of taxicab prevents their seeing a minister on the way to the train. Transcontinental train is taking on passengers. Porter has a lively time with an Englishman and Ira Lathrop, a Yankee business man. The elopement has an exciting time getting to the train. Little Jimmie Wellington, bound for Reno to get a divorce, boards train in maudlin condition. Later Mrs. Jimmie appears. She is also bound for Reno with same object. Likewise Mrs. Sammy Whitecomb. Water blames Mrs. Jimmie for her marital troubles. Classmates of Mallory decorate bride. Rev. and Mrs. Temple start on vacation. They decide to cut loose and Temple removes evidence of his calling. Marjorie decides to let Mallory proceed alone, but train starts while they are lost in farewell. Passengers join Mallory's classmates in giving couple wedding feast. Marjorie is distracted. Lathrop, woman-hating bachelor, discovers an old sweetheart, Annie Gattie, a fellow passenger. Mallory vainly hints at preacher among the passengers. Mrs. Wellington hears Little Jimmie's voice. Later she meets Mrs. Whitecomb. Marjorie reports to Marjorie his failure to find a preacher. They decide to pretend a quarrel and Mallory finds a vacant berth. Mrs. Jimmie discovers Wellington on the train. Mallory again makes an unsuccessful hunt for a preacher. Dr. Temple poses as a physician. Mrs. Temple is induced by Mrs. Wellington to smoke a cigar. Sight of preacher on a station platform raises Mallory's hopes, but he takes another train. Meeting hand baggage company's clerk gets a clinder in his eye and Mrs. Jimmie gives that to the conductor. She resumed. Still no clergyman. More borrowing. Dr. Temple puzzled by behavior of different couples. Marjorie's jealousy aroused by Mrs. Whitecomb's remark. Marjorie suggests wrecking the train in hopes that accident will produce a preacher. Also tries to induce the conductor to hold the train so she can shop. Marjorie's dog is missing. She pulls the cord, stopping the train. Conductor restores dog and lovers quarrel.

## CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

When they were alone once more, Marjorie, as radiant as April after a storm, turned her sunny smile on Mallory:

"Isn't it glorious to have our little Snoozeleums alive and well?"

But Mallory was feeling like a March day. He answered with a sly smile: "You care more for the dog than you do for me."

"Why shouldn't I?" Marjorie answered with wide eyes. "Snoozeleums never would have brought me on a wild goose elopement like this! Heaven knows he didn't want to come."

Mallory repeated the indictment: "You love a dog better than you love your husband."

"My what?" Marjorie laughed, then she spoke with lofty condescension: "Harry Mallory, if you're going to be jealous of that dog, I'll never marry you the longest day I live."

"So you'll let a dog come between us?" he demanded.

"I wouldn't give up Snoozeleums for a hundred husbands," she retorted.

"I'm glad to know it in time," Mallory said. "You'd better give me back that wedding ring."

Marjorie's heart stopped at this, but her pride was in arms. She drew herself up, and the ring from her finger, and held it out as if she scorned it: "With pleasure. Good afternoon, Mr. Mallory."

Mallory took it as if it were the merest trifle, bowed and murmured: "Good afternoon, Miss Newton."

He stalked out and she turned her back on him. A casual witness would have said that they were too indifferent to each other even to feel anger. As a matter of romantic fact, each was on fire with love, and aching madly with regret. Each longed for strength to whirl round with outflung arms of reconciliation, and neither could be so brave. And so they parted, each harking back fiercely for one word of recall from the other. But neither spoke, and Marjorie sat staring at nothing through raining eyes, while Mallory strode into the Men's Room as melancholy as Hamlet with Yorick's skull in his hands.

It was their first great quarrel, and they were convinced that the world might as well come to an end.

## CHAPTER XXVIII.

The Woman-Hater's Relapse.

The observation room was as lonely as a deserted battlefield and Marjorie sat as a wounded soldier left behind, and perishing of thirst, when the conductor came back with Snoozeleums in his arms.

He regarded with contemptuous awe the petty cause of so great an event as the stopping of the Trans-American. He expected to see Marjorie receive the returned prodigal with wild rapture, but she didn't even smile when he said:

"Here's your powder-puff."

She just took Snoozeleums on her lap, and, looking up with wet eyes and a sad smile, murmured:

"Thank you very much. You're the nicest conductor I ever met. If you ever want another position, I'll see that my father gets you one."

It was like offering the Kaiser a new job, but the conductor swallowed

the insult and sought to repay it with irony.

"Thanks. And if you ever want to run this road for a couple of weeks, just let me know."

Marjorie nodded appreciatively and said: "I will. You're very kind."

And that completed the rout of that conductor. He retired in disorder, leaving Marjorie to fondle Snoozeleums with a neglectful indifference that would have greatly flattered Mallory, if he could have seen through the partition that divided them.

But he was witnessing with the cynical superiority of an aged and disillusioned man the, to him, childish behavior of Ira Lathrop, an eleventh-hour Orlando.

For just as Mallory moped into the smoking-room at one door, Ira Lathrop swept in at the other, his face rubicund with embarrassment and ecstasy. He had donned an old frock coat with creases like ruts from long exile in his trunk. But he was feeling like an heir apparent; and he started everybody by his jovial hail: "Well, boys—gentlemen—the drinks are on me. Waiter, take the orders."

Little Jimmie woke with a start, rose hastily to his feet and called, saying: "Present! Who said take the orders?"

"I did," said Lathrop, "I'm giving a party. Waiter, take the orders."

"Sarsaparilla," said Dr. Temple, but they howled him down and ordered other things. The porter shook his head sadly: "Nothin' but sof' drinks in Utah, gemmen."

A groan went up from the club-members, and Lathrop groaned loudest of all:

"Well, we've got to drink something. Take the orders. We'll all have sarsaparilla."

Little Jimmie Wellington came to the rescue.

"Don't do anything desperate, gentlemen," he said, with a look of divine philanthropy. "The bar's closed, but Little Jimmie Wellington is here with the life preserver." From his hip-pocket he produced a silver flask that looked to be big enough to carry a regiment through the Alps. It was greeted with a salvo, and Lathrop said to Jimmie: "I apologize for everything I have said—and thought about you." He turned to the porter: "There ain't any law against giving this water, is there?"

"The porter grinned: "Not if you all bring the exercise-inspector." And he held out a glass for the bride, murmuring: "Don't get tired," as it was poured. He set it inside his sanctum and then bustled round with ice-filled glasses and a siphon.

When Little Jimmie offered of the flask to Dr. Temple, the clergyman put out his hand with a politely horrified: "No, thank you."

Lathrop frightened him with a sudden comment: "Look at that gesture! Doc, I'd almost swear you were a parson."

Mallory whirled on him with the eyes of a hawk about to pounce, and "The very idea!" was the best disclaimer Dr. Temple could manage, suddenly finding himself suspected. Ashton put in with, "The only way to disprove it, Doc, is to join us."

The poor old clergyman, too deeply involved in his deception to brave confession now, decided to do and dare all. He stammered, "Er—ah—certainly," and held out his hand for his share of the poison. Little Jimmie winked at the others and almost filled the glass. The innocent doctor bowed his thanks. When the porter reached him and prepared to fill the remainder of the glass from the siphon, the parson waved him aside with a misguided caution:

"No, thanks—I'll not mix them."

Mallory turned away with a sigh: "He takes his straight. He's no parson."

Then they forgot the doctor in curiosity as to Lathrop's sudden spasm of generosity—with Wellington's liquor. Wedgewood voiced the general curiosity when he said:

"What's the old woman-hater up to now?"

"Woman-hater?" laughed Ira. "It's the old story. I'm going to follow Mallory's example—marriage."

"I hope you succeed," said Mallory. "Wherever did you pick up the bride?" said Wedgewood, mellowing with the long glass in his hand.

"Brides are easy," said Mallory, with surprising cynicism. "Where do you get the parson?"

"Hang the parson," Wedgewood repeated. "Who's the girl?"

"I'll bet I know who she is," Ashton interposed; "it's that nectarine of a damsel who got on at Green River."

"Not the same!" Lathrop roared. "I found my bride blooming here all the while. Girl I used to spark back in Brattleboro, Vt. I've been vowing for years that I'd live and die an old maid. I've kept my head out of the noise all this time—till I struck this train and met up with Anne. We got to talking over old times—waking up old sentiments. She got on my nerves. I got on hers. Finally I said, 'Aw, hell, let's get married. Save price of one stateroom to China anyway.' She says, 'Damned if I don't!'—or words to that effect."

Mallory broke in with feverish interest: "But you said you were going to get married on this train."

"Nothing easier. Here's bow!" and he raised his glass, but Mallory hauled it down to demand: "How? that's what I want to know. How are you going to get married on this parsonless express. Have you got a little minister in your suitcase?"

Ira beamed with added pride as he explained:

"Well, you see, when I used to court Anne I had a rival—Charlie Selby by his name was. I thought he cut me out, but he became a clergyman in Utah—Oh, Charlie! I telegraphed

him that I was passing through Ogden, and would he come down to the train and marry me to a charming lady. He always wanted to marry Anne. I thought it would be a durned good joke to let him marry her—to me."

"Did he accept?" Mallory asked, excitedly, "is he coming?"

"He is—he did—here's his license and the ring." He passed it over, and as Mallory read it a look of hope spread across his face. But Ira was saying: "We're going to have the wedding obsequies right here in this car. You're all invited. Will you come?"

There was a general yell of acceptance—and Ashton began to sing, "There Was I Waiting at the Church."

"Then he led a sort of Indian waltz round the next victim of the matrimonial stake. At the end of the ballad, all the men charged their glasses, and drained them with an uproarious "How!"

Poor Dr. Temple had taken luxurious delight in the success of his disguise and in the prospect of watching some other clergyman working while he rested. He joined the dance as gaily, if not as gracefully, as any of the rest, and in a final triumph of recklessness, he tossed off a bumper of straight whisky.

Instantly his "How!" changed to "Wow!" and then his throat clamped fast with a terrific spasm that flung the tears from his eyes. He bent and writhed in a silent paroxysm till he was pounded and shaken back to life and water poured down his throat to reopen a passage.

The others thought he had merely choked and made no comment other than sympathy. They could not have dreamed that the old "physician" was as ignorant of the taste as of the vigor of pure spirits.

After a riot of handshaking and good wishes, Ira was permitted to escape with his life. Mallory followed him to the vestibule, when he caught him by the sleeve with an anxious: "Excuse me."

"Well, my boy—"

"Your minister—after you get through with him—may I use him?"

"May you—what? Why do you want a minister?"

"To get married."

"Again? Good Lord, are you a Mormon?"

"Me a Mormon?"

"Then what do you want with an extra wife? It's against the law—even in Utah."

"You don't understand."

"My boy, one of us is disgracefully drunk."

"Well, I'm not," said Mallory, and then after a fierce inner debate, he decided to take Lathrop into his confidence. The words came hard after so long a duplicity, but at last they were out:

"Mr. Lathrop, I'm not really married to my wife."

"You young scoundrel!"

But his fury changed to pity when he heard the history of Mallory's ill-lated efforts, and he promised not only to lend Mallory his minister at second-hand, but also to keep the whole affair a secret for Mallory explained his intention of having his own ceremony in the baggage-car, or somewhere out of sight of the other passengers.

Mallory's face was now aglow as the cold embers of hope leaped into sudden blaze. He wrung Lathrop's hand, saying: "Lord love you, you've saved my life—wife—both."

Then he turned and ran to Marjorie with the good news. He had quite forgotten their epoch-making separation. And she was so glad to see him smiling at her again that she forgot it, too. He came tearing into the observation room and took her by the shoulders, whispering: "Oh, Marjorie, Marjorie, I've got him! I've got him!"

"No, I've got him," she said, swinging Snoozeleums into view.

Mallory swung him back out of the way: "I don't mean a poodle, I mean a parson. I've got a parson."

"No! I can't believe it! Where is he?" She began to dance with delight, but she stopped when he explained:

"Well, I haven't got him yet, but I'm going to get one."

"What—again?" she groaned, weary of this old bunco game of hope.

"It's a real live one this time," Mallory insisted. "Mr. Lathrop has ordered a minister and he's going to lend him to me as soon as he's through with him, and we'll be married on this train."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Achievements in Art.

Brian G. Hughes, whose practical jokes' so often delight, said at a recent dinner:

"I don't mind practical jokes on human beings, but when it comes to animals I draw the line."

"Two artists were once bragging to each other.

"I painted up a lump of pig iron to look like cork," said the first artist, and, by jove! when I threw it into the East river it floated."

"Now," said Mr. Hughes, "there was no harm in that. But listen to the second artist. He said, with a cruel, unfeeling laugh:

"I painted a lump of pig iron once to look like a roast of beef, and my dog ate three-quarters of it before he discovered his mistake."—Los Angeles Times.

## KNOWLEDGE OF FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES NEEDED FOR SUCCESS IN PIGEON INDUSTRY

When Breeding for Profit It Is Necessary to Curtail All Unnecessary Expense—Birds With Vigorous Constitutions Required for Breeding.

Pigeons are found wherever man has set his foot in any part of the civilized world. This bird has been used for sporting and for food for many hundreds of years. There are eleven recognized distinct breeds and the variety of these breeds is almost endless.

There is a great difference of opinion among breeders as to the best varieties for squab raising for the market. The Homer probably stands at the head of the list, and there are large plants in the United States that raise no other kind. Then there are several crosses between the Homer and other breeds, and each variety has its admirers.

Perhaps today the white Homers are in greater demand than any other breed.

A cock pigeon should be selected for his activity and good disposition. If he struts about a good deal and is continually cooing he will generally make a good breeder.

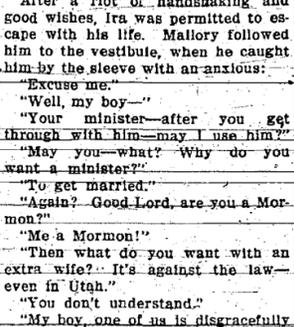
The bird that is stupid, sluggish or negligent in the care of his plumage or vicious in his actions toward other birds should never be selected. A bird that is related to its mate or bred from blood relatives should never be used for breeding purposes. Birds with vigorous constitutions are necessary for successful market breeding and inbreeding is fatal to this development.

Before buying breeders, the beginner should have his lofts in readiness.

A position facing south is always best, as then the interior will be flooded with sunshine all hours of the day, and every corner will be penetrated with light and so kept purified and the birds will be in the best possible condition.

As a general thing, a single-story house is best, with the floor one foot or more from the ground. The house should have a pitch roof, with the higher side for the front. Windows should be made in front only, as all the available space at the back and sides will be needed for the nests. The loft can be made larger or smaller, as space and other circumstances direct.

A proportion which has almost come to be the standard among those who breed pigeons for squab raising is nine feet in front with a drop to three feet to the back and about ten feet wide inside; the depth may be somewhat greater than the width. A succession of these lofts may be built as the business progresses, or they may be put up at the same time.



Advantages connected with the adoption of rotation are:

1. The whole food supply of the soil can be utilized. This is not possible when only one crop is grown, for some crops feed only in the surface soil, leaving stores of food deeper in the soil untouched.
2. The amount of valuable organic matter in the soil can be maintained and even increased.
3. The free nitrogen of the air can be made use of.
4. Insect, fungus and weed pests can be destroyed or controlled.
5. Provision can be made for the economical distribution of labor throughout the year.

The rotation suitable for the wheat farmer is one in which wheat is grown alternately with a "toddler" crop, says Rural Homes. This implies wheat growing combined with stock raising. On small holdings in most districts of 20 inches rainfall and over, this may be so arranged that a crop is grown each year. Such a plan, however, has the disadvantage of entailing that some of the land be prepared in great haste and possibly at an unsuitable time.

## SOME ADVANTAGES OF CROP ROTATION

Whole Supply of Soil Food Utilized and Organic Matter Maintained.

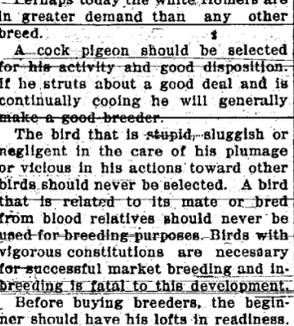
Millet Hay for Horses.

A western experiment station found that millet cut just before it matured and used exclusively as coarse fodder for horses caused lameness, swelling of joints and softening of bone structure. In a few cases it resulted fatally. On the other hand, there are those who say it can be fed at any time in any condition and any quantities to horses without ill effects.

## WHEN BREEDING FOR PROFIT IT IS NECESSARY TO CURTAIL ALL UNNECESSARY EXPENSE—BIRDS WITH VIGOROUS CONSTITUTIONS REQUIRED FOR BREEDING.

The partitions between the lofts are of boards or of wire netting, as may be preferred. There should be doors leading from one loft to the other with nests up the back and around the sides as far as the doors permit. A window that goes across a space one-half the width of the front of the house and wide in proportion should be made in front—and it should be kept clean, not like too many that we see, allowed to be obscured by dust and filth until only a dim light can penetrate the inside.

An aviary or fly of wire outside is necessary to the completion of the



commodations for the pigeons that are to be kept by the breeder. The fly should be larger than the loft itself. It should be the same height as the house and twice as long. That is, a house of which the board part is ten feet across in front should have the wire fly twenty feet long.

A single loft with a wire fly can be made very simply. A succession of four lofts would make a building forty feet long and twelve feet wide. With such a loft the wire fly should extend across the front up as high as the roof and about twice as deep as the house proper; that is, for a house of four rooms of the same depth as the one suggested, the wire should be twenty to twenty-four feet wide across the whole front of the building.

The nests for the pigeons are arranged along the back and side walls. They should run from twelve inches from the floor to within the same distance from the roof, and be a little more than three feet wide, so as to divide the back space of ten feet into three equal parts. Be careful not to overcrowd, as it requires skill to handle a large number of pigeons in one loft successfully.

Each compartment should be fixed in such a way that one end can be darkened, and the nest should be placed at this side.

It will be found best to use the earthen nest pans that can be bought from dealers in pigeon supplies, and these should be supplied material like shavings, pine needles, etc., such as would be suitable for the birds to rest upon.

When breeding for profit it is very necessary to curtail all unnecessary expense. A building such as that described can be put up of plain matched boards at the lowest cost possible. If more money is spent on the building itself it may be papered and boarded, which might be better in sections where the winters are extremely severe. The cost of good Homers from a reliable dealer is \$2.00 per pair, and it does not pay to get poor stock. Economize in your building and general equipment if necessary, but get good birds if you want to be sure of profitable results, and be sure that they are properly mated.

## SUDDEN CHANGES IN FEED DISTURBS HOGS

Going From Old to New Corn Quickly Disarranges Digestive Organs.

Sudden changes from old to new corn disturb the hog's digestive apparatus and make him subject to disease, even if they do not cause it.

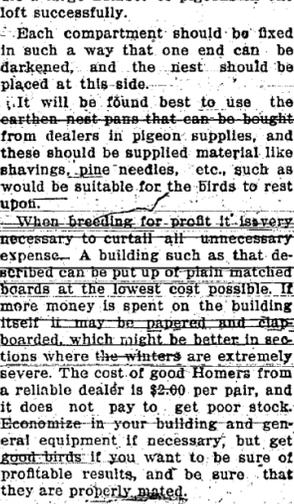
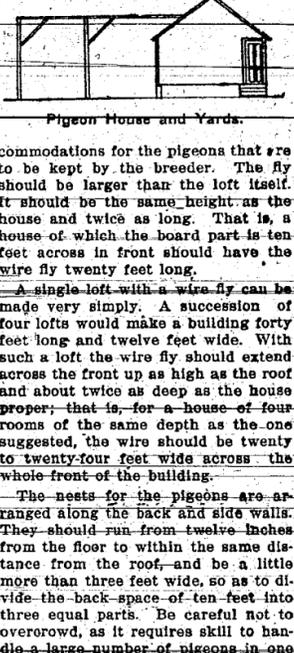
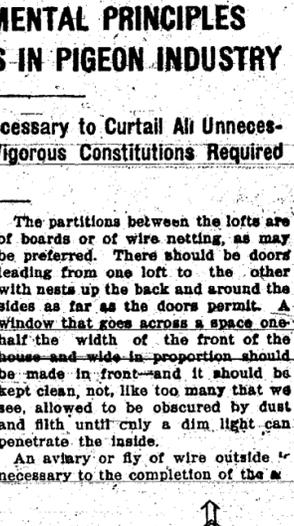
Green corn fed with the old corn, effecting the change gradually, is very beneficial, cooling the hog and furnishing an appetizer. It may be at this time the hogs will neglect the old corn if their teeth and gums have been sore on account of its hardness; if so, soak it. A stalk of corn per hog, even when the corn is in silk, is good practice, as at this time the stalk contains most of the nourishment that will go into the ear. By the time hogs cease eating the leaves and stalk, the ear may be snapped for them. Such preparatory feeding is especially beneficial where corn has to be hogged down later, a practice which often has much to recommend it if the area is not so large as to allow the animals to waste the field.

Locating Turkeys.

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## NO IDLERS IN CANAL ZONE

That Busy Community is Said to be the Most Orderly in the World.

In all this wide, wide world the most orderly community is that of the Panama Canal zone, writes Mary Gay Humphreys in Scribner's. Here is the least crime; here are the fewest misdemeanors, the least exercise of the functions of the courts, the most industrious, the fewest idlers, absolutely no poor, equally conspicuous the absence of the rich.

With its steam shovels working like sentient beings, its locomotives rushing about like screaming busybodies, its cement buckets skimming over the earth and riding the air to perform their varied tasks, with the long dirt trains weaving and turning on their tortuous tracks like pythons, still the most persistent impression is of beauty, orderliness and propriety.

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These are the words of truth and soberness. The problems of the engineer are greater than man has ever before encountered, but in mind, the cubic yards of dirt and cement transcend experience, but only in bulk. It is the organization that is without precedent in the whole history of public works—it is this that is the eighth wonder of the world.

In this organization there is no detail so minute not to have received attention; from the most puzzling problems in engineering to the American youth's love of ice cream nothing seems to have been left unconsidered. This elaboration of detail has doubtless been gradual, but to the visitor coming upon its completeness today the impression is staggering and not unmingled with envy.

## EFFEMINATE STYLE FOR MEN

### London Society Men Wear Almost as Much Jewelry as Women of Fashion.

The society men of London are rapidly reaching an astonishing degree of effeminate foppishness, says the New York American.

They now wear almost as much jewelry as any fashionably dressed woman. Their money is carried in small chain purses of fine gold mesh. Their necks are encircled with the softest silk collars, held together by brooches ornamented with a single pearl or twisted into a love knot. One arm is fettered with a wrist watch, the other with a delicately engraved gold bangle. Gold locket pendants, worn round the neck, are also becoming popular.

Gold knotted sticks, chased and embossed, are considered a necessity; and, carried with a certain mincing air, always attract attention. The first finger of one hand carries a gold ring, in which is set a single brilliant, and the third finger of the other hand also displays a diamond setting.

It is the essence of style to vary one's combination of jewelry with one's dress. For instance, the topaz collar pin should only be worn with a special kind of silk open work sock. A pearl and diamond tiepin must be balanced by a short leather watch chain, hanging from the left hand waistcoat pocket, and set off with a gold fob.

The male evening dress will perhaps soon include the tiara, while the diamond shoe buckle is already being asked for at the stylish boot shops. Eventually the real dude, if he is to continue in his present course, will not consider himself fully dressed unless one of his ears is fitted with the single earring, the style which is at present the fashion with the women.

## Emperor Constantine's Edict.

The celebration of the 1600th anniversary of Constantine's victory at Milvian Bridge and the promulgation of the Edict of Milan, which gave legal recognition to Christianity, will be made the occasion of imposing pilgrimages to Rome. The bishops of the entire Roman communion have been invited to participate in fetes that are being prepared for on a large scale by a local Roman committee.

The success of the celebration seems already assured. The program will be marked by a series of religious ceremonies to take place in the various basilicas and catacombs. A large extent of ground is to be bought outside the Porto del Popolo, near the Milvian Bridge, and on it will be erected a new basilica commemorating the victory of the Cross. The city has been rapidly building up in this direction of late years and the new basilica will serve as a parish church for this new neighborhood.—The Churchman.

## Wandering Wireless Waves.

A curious phenomenon in connection with wireless telegraphy has been observed in the neighborhood of the Clichy-Levallois railway station, near Paris. In proximity to the railway line some telegraph lines were recently erected on columns fitted with ordinary insulators. The workmen occupied on the section experienced severe shocks when they touched the wires. Experiments were made to discover the cause of this phenomenon and as a result it was found that the currents were produced by Hertzian waves originating from the wireless telegraph station at the Eiffel tower.—Telegraph Age.

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For Prosecuting Attorney—DWIGHT H. FITCH  
For Drain Commissioner—WILLIAM W. COWAN  
For Coroner—ALLEN M. WILKINSON  
For County Surveyor—ERNEST A. ROBINSON.

## Market for American Autos.

A good market should be found in the Caucasus for lightweight low priced American automobiles. The American car is peculiarly suited to road conditions here, which are practically the same as in the United States. Purchasers have found the cars of European manufacture too heavy and swung too low and are turning their attention to the American product. Within the last few weeks two or three American runabouts have been brought in and have attracted wide and favorable interest. There is every reason why the American will have a preference if advantageously priced.

## Stagnant English Towns.

It is only seven miles up the Avon from Stratford, through a hoary druidical wood. At last you climb the rocky eminence on which this clustering, clamoring town is snugly nestled and find yourself upon soil that was broken for building in the very year that our Saviour was born! We Americans are likely to fancy that if you give a village time enough to grow it is sure to become a city by an by. But look at Wantage, crowning the hills near old Oxford, a village when Alfred was born—there and a village to this very hour.—The Independent.

## Coming Age of Pockets.

Every age is notable for some peculiar storages—1800 had its handboxes, fragile and troublesome; 1900 concentrated its skill on suit cases; evolving all the time toward compactness; 1950 will be notable for the crowning virtue of having everything at hand. An ideal pocket system is the problem of the day. It must be invented; a system of least wasted room and the most useful material.—New York Independent.

# AT THE TEMPLE THEATRE

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Oct. 28-29-30

## Richards "The Wizard" and His High Class Vaudeville Co.

### FREE-BABY GIVEN AWAY

On Wednesday night, Oct. 30th, a real live baby will be given away. This is no pig or animal, but a real, live baby, 11 months old and of good parentage.

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## Miss Babe Winifred

THE GIRL MIND READER  
In Doubt? "Ask Her—She Knows"  
Prices 10c-15c. One Show Nightly  
Curtain Rises at 8:15.

## Yankoes at Work in India.

A hundred and fifty miles from Calcutta, in Kalimat, stands the first steel and iron power plant ever constructed in India, the Edison Monthly says. This enterprise was projected by a wealthy Parsee, planned by an American engineer from Pittsburgh and executed by another Pittsburgh man with the assistance of native labor only.

Among workmen were Bengalis, Punjabis and Sikhs, for whom a town accommodating 25,000 was built in the midst of a jungle. The equipment of the plant included three horizontal turbo generators of the Zoelly type, capable of developing some 4,000 horse power, which is used to drive the machinery of the Tatia Iron and Steel company.

## To Charlevoix County Voters.

I am the nominee of the Democratic party for the office of Judge of Probate. If elected to that office I shall serve the people to the best of my ability. I respectfully solicit your support.

W. HERSCHEL MILLER.

## The only place to buy Trunks, Suitcases and Grips of all kinds is where they keep a regular line.

EMPEY Bros. are carrying a large line of all kinds and you will find their prices are very low. (Adv.)

I have Fruit Lands, Lake Shore Farms, Improved Farms and City property in all parts of Charlevoix County to sell or trade. Also farms and business chances anywhere in United States. JOEL JOHNSON

R. J. Sundberg, merchant of Copper City, Mich., says: "For a good many years we have used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in our family. It will quickly cure a cough or cold and we consider it a safe and sure cure." Hite Drug Company.

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Bring the Boy. We can fit him and suit him and he will be the proud owner of a dandy Suit or Overcoat.



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That delightfully delicate flavor that you will notice in all Pleasant Valley Tea is the result of the most careful blending.

50c  
60c  
80c

Tzar Coffee is especially good. You'll find it has a delicious, mellow flavor. The pleasing fragrant aroma from Tzar Coffee will give you an appetite for your breakfast.

Why not try Pleasant Valley Tea and Tzar Coffee now?

**G. A. BELL**  
EAST JORDAN.

# Briefs of the Week

The Ellison Hotel at Charlevoix has been closed for the winter.

Every voter in the city of East Jordan MUST REGISTER next Saturday.

John Newhouse of Boyne City was arrested Wednesday, charged with conducting a "blind pig."

Charlevoix County Pomona Grange No. 40 will hold their next meeting with Ironton Grange Nov. 7th.

Mr. Barnum, of the Kalamazoo College, gave an educational address to the pupils of the High School, Friday morning.

Chestonia township, Antrim Co., voted last Monday decided to bond for \$2,500 for highway purposes. There was not one vote polled against the proposition.

A game supper was given by George Hunter at the Russell House, Thursday evening, in honor of his brother-in-law, Thomas Schroeder of Detroit. Among those present were Messrs. Fred Kowalske, Robert Morris, Al Freiberg, Tom Lalonde and Will Kenney.

On Monday morning in St. John's church in the Bohemian Settlement John Lenosky and Miss Mary Novak were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. They were assisted by George Zoulek as best man and Nellie Chak as bridesmaid. After services a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served to relatives and friends at the home of Frank Retze. Both of the young people are well known. They will reside at the groom's fine farm in Wilson township.

On Tuesday afternoon Nov. 5th the ladies of St. Joseph's church will open their annual bazaar. The apron booth promises to be of special interest this year, containing any quantity of aprons of all colors, designs, and styles. The fancy booth with its beautiful and fancy things will appeal to every one. The farmer's booth promises to surpass its last year's record. Homemade candy and punch will also deserve your attention. Supper will be served on election evening and dinner and supper on the day following.

At their meeting, Monday evening the newly organized East Jordan Lodge No. 1145 Loyal Order of Moose elected the following officers:—Past Dictator, James Shaw; Dictator, R. A. Brintnall; Vice Dictator, Jos. P. Cummins; Prelate, W. C. Howe; Secretary, R. L. Kerpaine; Treasurer, James Ross; Sergeant-at-Arms, George H. Jepson; Inner Guard, Willard Coon; Outer Guard, Thomas O'Neill; trustees, R. W. Barnett, Charles Bowman, Mort Typer. Deputy Organizer Charles Farrough has been in our city a little over two months and now has a lodge of over 150 members.

Three thousand names were on the petitions submitted to the Genesee county board of supervisors asking for the resubmission of the local option question in that county at the next spring election. The petitions were allowed to return to Genesee county by a very small majority and it is believed to be true that the conditions which have followed their return have been such as to change the views of hundreds of voters on that question and to make it extremely probable that the next election in Genesee county will be a decided local option victory. There are no legitimate interests in Genesee county that would not be assisted through the banishment of the saloons and there are many homes there that would regard their departure as a joyful deliverance.

Ready made Comfortables. Also fancy Silklines, Satins, and Challis and full weight bats for making. (adv.) M. E. ASHLEY & Co.

Bert Wilhelm was a Calumet busy visitor this week.

W. C. Spring was a Grand Rapids business visitor this week.

Mrs. H. Kling returned home from Bay City Monday evening.

Mrs. George Carr is visiting friends in Charlevoix over Sunday.

James Gidley was a Boyne City business visitor, Thursday.

A. J. Davidson was here from Mancelona first of the week.

Louisa Moore and family now occupy a residence on Fifth street.

Miss Mildred Drescher is visiting her parents at Petoskey this week.

Mrs. Frank P. Bargey was guest of Traverse City friends this week.

Henry Ribble and family now occupy a dwelling on the West Side.

Mr. Huggard and family now occupy the Jas. Votruba dwelling on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malpass were guest of Traverse City friends over Sunday.

Elmer Porter left Wednesday to spend a fortnight guest of his sister at Milan.

Misses Agnes and Eva Lewis were Traverse City visitors latter part of the week.

John McArthur and wife are taking a short vacation visiting Chicago and Milwaukee.

Misses Ruby and Nellie Balsler left Wednesday for Detroit, where they visit a sister.

E. C. Couch and family have moved in the residence recently vacated by Mr. Huggard.

James Milford has rented the H. L. Winters residence on Willowbrook Addition.

Mrs. H. F. Reed left Friday for Bad Axe where she will visit her husband for a week.

Thomas Schroeder of Detroit, a cartoonist on the Free-Press, is guest of relatives in our city.

Charles Stohman and family moved into the James Payne house on the west side this week.

Bernard Weisman of Detroit was guest at the home of his cousin, J. L. Weisman over Sunday.

Nelson Muma has moved his family to his home on Fifth street, which he recently purchased.

Miss Fannie Frazer returned home from Petoskey where she has been visiting friends, Monday.

Thos. Morrison and family formerly of this city, moved this week from Boyne City to Charlevoix.

Mrs. B. Madell joined her husband at Ellsworth this week, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Charles Gunn left on Thursday for Knoxville, Tenn., where she will remain a couple of months.

Mrs. Louis Robinson, with baby daughter, of Detroit was guest of H. Robinson and family the past week.

Mrs. M. H. Robertson left Tuesday for a fortnight visit with her daughter Mrs. E. A. Dole at Cleveland.

Mrs. W. T. Lancaster of Kalkaska was guest at the homes of Jacob Graf and Sam'l Persons for a few days this week.

Mrs. Waterhouse, mother of Mrs. E. N. Clink, returned Friday from a visit with relatives and friends at Millington.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Reid's son, Clara, reported as being ill with typhoid fever and in the hospital at Victoria, B. C.

Atty Geo. A. Cady and wife returned to the Soo, Friday, after a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. H. C. Blount and family.

Eugene Adams returned Tuesday from Bergland, Mich., where he installed a heating system in a new high school building.

Mrs. M. Chesney who has been guest of Mrs. Wm. Howard for some time, returned to her home at Woodstock, Canada, on Tuesday.

The Herald is in receipt of a pleasant letter from Rev. Fr. McDonald, formerly pastor of St. Joseph's church now located at Auburn, Mich.

A hunting party consisting of Dr. H. W. Dicken, Geo. G. Glenn, N. Muma, Harry Price, Horace Hipp and Tom Lalonde left Friday for a camp near Newberry.

Misses Eva White, Hazel Nicloy and Alice Eaton, teachers in our public schools, now have rooms in the Warner residence occupied by H. C. Blount and family.

Mrs. Walter Porter visited friends in Belleaire last week.

W. D. Barr is a Traverse City business visitor this week.

A. J. Hite was at Grand Rapids this week on business.

Fred Thayer spent Sunday with relatives at Boyne City.

A special meeting of the Sororjian Hlpe, Monday evening.

Mr. Budwick has moved his family to a home on Third street.

Mrs. C. L. Lorraine entertained the Disturbers on Friday afternoon.

Miss Flora Simmons is assisting at M. E. Ashley and Co's. this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Varden returned Wednesday from a visit to Detroit.

Mrs. William Boswell and son returned home from Detroit, Monday.

Mrs. LeRoy Sherman was guest of her parents at Vanderbilt over Sunday.

Stewart Carr drove to Boyne City, Friday returning with his sister, Miss Rita.

Rolland Holmes moved in the Robert Price house on the West Side this week.

Mrs. O. Hurburt is visiting Miss Edith Smatts at Central Lake over Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Smatts is visiting her daughter Edyth, at Central Lake this week.

C. A. Hudson and wife are still enjoying farm life on their farm near Holy Island.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Dicken went by auto to Harbor Springs and Petoskey last Sunday.

Mrs. M. McKay is making rapid improvement toward recovery from her serious illness.

Mrs. James Howard entertained some friends at 6 o'clock dinner on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Clara Plant, mother of Mrs. Charles Spencer, is guest of her daughter for an indefinite time.

Mrs. M. E. Dicken and A. Cameron entertained Tuesday evening the ladies of the Whist Club and their husbands.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. E. J. Crossman next Friday afternoon Nov. 1st. Visitors cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. R. N. Spence and Mrs. J. W. Hawkins returned from Green River Thursday evening where they have been guest of the former's parents.

Mrs. M. E. Heston and Thomas Joynt and Miss Agnes Porter were delegates to the W. C. T. U. district convention held at Gaylord this week.

Mrs. Wm. Howard will be assisted by Mrs. James Howard at entertaining the Methodist Ladies Aid at her home next week October 30th. Members take notice. Visitors welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Webster entertained a number of their friends Wednesday evening. The occasion was the celebration of their fifth wedding anniversary, and the hostess wore her wedding gown, served everything in wooden dishes and played dominoes. But in spite of all the guests refused to understand what the occasion was for until told at the close of an enjoyable evening.

Earl Smith, who was lost in the woods near Mackinac week ago Thursday has not yet been found. He was with a camping party when he became separated from the party and although 150 men with bloodhounds have scoured the woods faithfully since then no trace of him has been found. Mrs. Clark Trumbull is a sister of the unfortunate man and left for Mackinac last Saturday.

All new FURS just arrived. It will pay you to look before buying. (adv.) M. E. ASHLEY & Co

A very pleasant time was spent in the Presbyterian parsonage Tuesday evening when between twenty and thirty members of the pastor's Bible class surprised him to help him celebrate his birthday anniversary. With cheerful talk, ice cream and cake, and the "at home" feeling all seemed to have, the hours went swiftly. Solid gifts were left with the pastor as souvenirs of the occasion.

EMPEY BROS. are not surpassed in this country for Rugs. They are certainly head quarters for Rugs of all sizes. 27x54, 36x72, 8ft. 3in. x10ft. 6in 9x12. They certainly have the prices and I think you will be amply rewarded by looking over their stock. (adv.)

FOR SALE.—Berry Plants, 90 cents 1000; up; Cherry Trees 5, 10 and 15 cents while any are not spoken for. Small orders all cash, large orders part cash with order.

BLOOMINGDALE, (Mich.) NURS-ERIES. (adv.)

## St. Joseph's Church

Rev. Timothy Krobob.

Sunday, October 27. 8:00 a. m. Low mass. Communion for young ladies Sodality.

10:30 a. m. High mass and sermon. Meeting of all the ladies after mass. 7:30 p. m. Rosary, Litany and Benediction.

Friday Nov. 1. Feast of All Saints. A Holy Day of Obligation. 6:00 a. m. Holy Communion. 8:00 a. m. Low mass, sermon, benediction.

Saturday Nov. 2. All Saints Day. 8:00 a. m. Requiem High Mass.

## First Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. T. Porter Bennett, Pastor.

10:30 "Blessed be Thy Name," This will be the second sermon of the series on the Lord's Prayer. We had a very appreciative audience last Sunday morning.

11:45 Sunday school. One hundred and forty eight were present last. Let us make it over one hundred fifty next Sunday.

6:15 Epworth League. Gertrude Bretz, leader. We were glad to see so many at the League service last Sunday.

7:00 "Something no human being can say," will be the theme for the evening service. This pulpit deals with the up-to-date gospel and keeps in touch with the problems of this day and age and gives the best solution known. Do not come to this church if you don't want to hear the truth. All are made welcome.

## Presbyterian Church Notes

Rev. A. D. Grigsby, Pastor.

Don't forget that public worship is to be held next Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church at 10:30, and at 7:00 in the evening, and that strangers, visitors and traveling men, all persons away from home are heartily welcomed. Also the Sunday School at 11:45. The members are urged to be on the look out and bring others with them.

Y. P. S. C. E. will hold their meeting at 8:15. These gatherings are very interesting and a means of good to all who come.

## Christian Science Church Notes.

Services will be held in the Christian Science Rooms over Post Office Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Subject of the sermon "Probation After Death." Sunday School is held immediately after services. You are cordially invited to attend.

## At Harvey & Co's Market.

Domestic Sausage, Pork Chops 15 cents; Kettle Roast 13 cents. Beefsteak 12 cents. Rib stew 7 cents. Market opposite Postoffice. (adv.)

## Bring in all the HIDES, FURS and

SKINS to KILG BROS. They pay the highest prices, \$3.00 for No. 1 horse hides. 43-13(adv.)

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## GENERAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing General Election will be held in the city of East Jordan, State of Michigan, on

Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1912,

at the places in the different wards of said city as indicated below, viz.: First Ward,—at Essex Building. Second Ward,—at Town Hall. Third Ward,—at City Hall

for the purpose of electing the following officers, viz.:

NATIONAL—Fifteen Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States; one Congressman for the State of Michigan; one Congressman for the Congressional district of which said precinct forms a part.

STATE—One Governor; one Lieutenant-Governor; one Secretary of State; one State Treasurer; one Auditor-General; one Attorney-General; one Commissioner of the State Land Office.

JUDICIAL—One Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December 31, 1913, to fill vacancy. Also one Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December 31, 1917, to fill vacancy.

LEGISLATIVE—One Senator in the State Legislature for the Senatorial district of which said precinct forms a part; one Representative in the State Legislature for the Representative district of which said precinct forms a part.

COUNTY—One Judge of Probate; one Sheriff; one County Clerk; one County Treasurer; one Register of Deeds; one Prosecuting Attorney; one Circuit Court Commissioner; two Coroners; one County Surveyor; one County Drain Commissioner.

Also for the purpose of voting upon the following propositions, viz.:

To Amend Section 1 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan relative to the right of women to vote.

To Amend Section 21 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan relative to the amendment of the charters of cities and villages.

Women Electors.

In accordance with the Constitution of the State of Michigan, and the statutes of said State relating thereto, should there be any proposition or propositions to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money or the issue of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation jointly with her husband or any other person, or who owns property of contract and pays taxes thereon, all such property being located somewhere within the district or territory to be affected by the result of said election, will be entitled to vote upon such

proposition or propositions, provided her name is duly registered in the voting precinct above designated.

The Polls of said election will open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day or election.

Dated this 21st day of October, A. D. 1912.

OTIS J. SMITH, Clerk of Said City.

## THE FINEST IN THE STATE

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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 30th day of September A. D. 1912.

Present: Hon. John M. Harris, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Martin Shier, deceased.

Belle Roy having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the same, as thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered (that the 23rd day of October A. D. 1912) at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at 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, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN M. HARRIS, Judge of Probate.

## TO CONSUMPTIVES.

And All Afflicted With Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Gripps or any Lung or Throat trouble.

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If you are suffering from any Lung or Throat trouble whatever, do not fail to give this invaluable remedy a trial. Send for Mr. Wilson's history of his own remarkable case which will be sent FREE, together with a \$1.00 package of the remedy, to all who write for it. Address: Wilson Remedy Co., Westwood, N. J., U. S. A.

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# GIRL AND "BOSS"

When the Wave of Reform Started to Move.

BY GRACE KERRIGAN.

It had taken Jake Kelly five years to become the political boss of the young city of Graton, but he had reached the pinnacle at last. He had his newspaper; he owned most of the saloons; he owned a majority of the aldermen; his ward-healers were numbered by the score.

From the outset, the respectable element had fought the boss, but Mr. Kelly's ways were too sly for them. With every promise of reform on his part, he drew the chains tighter. He did not go too fast, but made everything solid and lasting, and prepared an heritage for his old age.

The chief reason why Boss Kelly got his start and continued to flourish was that the better class did not size him up right. Because he could scarcely write his name and had no social standing whatever, or aspired to any, he was regarded until too late as an ignoramus who could be squelched whenever the wave of reform got ready to move. In due time it was ready, and then it was discovered that Boss Kelly owned the town.

For the first two years of his reign Mr. Kelly could not see the need of a private secretary. When a "divvy" came his way the cash was shoved into his pocket, and the amount was recorded in his memory alone. When he had made up his mind as to who should be the next mayor of the town there was a back-room pow-wow. Instead of letter-writing. When it looked as if an election might be close the boss didn't send out his instructions in writing. He took little walks under cover of darkness, and as he leaned over the bar of this or that saloon he whispered to the proprietor:

"We shall want about 400 majority in your precinct. See that we get it." They always got it. The reformers raised a howl about ballot-box stuffing



"I'll Chase You Out in a Month!"

and intimidation, but the howl died away after a few days to begin again next time. The time came when the boss felt the need of a private secretary, who should also be his typist. He was receiving letters from other great men that must be answered by letters. A score of young men applied for the position. Nixey, half a score of old political wheel-horses would take it. Nixey, some more. Boss Kelly wasn't trusting his political secrets even to his gang. To whom, then? He thought the matter over for a week, and then installed Miss Kate Doland, seventeen years old, and the daughter of a widow. There was craft and there was graft in the movement.

The boss had a mortgage on the widow's home. The daughter was to receive a salary of \$5 per week, and two of the sum was to be credited on the mortgage.

"And if you play me any tricks the mortgage is to be foreclosed at once, and the old woman landed in the street," was the threat that hung over the girl's head as she went to work. The boss chuckled. He had made himself safe. The girl must catch on to more or less, but she would not dare to betray him. And right there Boss Kelly made the same mistake that the reformers had made.

When the private secretary had held her position for a year she was an "insider" on facts enough to make cold chills creep up and down the spine of the gang as they thought of being given away, but she was loyal. There were no leaks from headquarters. She had come to hate Boss Kelly, but she was no traitor. At the end of two years she could have sent a dozen others to prison, but she was still loyal. In a few months more the mortgage on the house would be paid off and she would look for another place.

The girl started in befogged as to politics. She finally came to discover the trickery and knavery of it all. "The dishonesty was not all on one side. If she hated the side she worked for, she came to detest the main-tenance of the other. Graft was the underlying desire for rule. Boss Kelly did not consider that the girl might fall in love, and that her love for some one else might overbalance her fear of him.

The city of Graton could have supported two daily papers. Boss Kelly

decreed that there should be only one—the one he dominated. There had been those who defied him, and they had come to grief. When he was told that young Campbell was going to try, it he sent for him and said:

"A new daily on the carpet, eh?"  
"Yes."  
"Drop it."  
"Why so?"  
"Because I run this town."  
"Perhaps so."  
"I'll chase you out in a month!"

His threat would probably have been carried out but for a circumstance beyond the control of any boss. Miss Kitty Doland and Mr. Charles Campbell met, and it was a case of love at first sight. The new daily had been started and was struggling to live when the girl came to know Boss Kelly's program to kill it. For the first time since she had held her place she raised her voice in protest. She was answered sneeringly and brutally. Campbell should learn what it meant to defy the boss of Graton. If there had not already been admiration and love, the attitude of the politician would have awakened them.

Miss Doland quit her place within the hour, laughing at the threat that she and her mother should be made homeless within a week. That evening the Hon. J. Kelly, as his newspaper organ always referred to him, received three callers in a bunch. There was no need of introductions. He was known to Miss Doland, Mr. Campbell and Lawyer Stratton. The lawyer did not belong to "the gang." On the contrary, he had been hot on the trail of the boss for many months.

"What blamed nonsense is this?" gruffly asked the boss as all got seated.

"Mr. Kelly," replied Miss Doland, "I am not exactly engaged to Mr. Campbell, but—"

"Tell your mother that I shall turn her out!"

"But we are going into partnership in the newspaper business."

"Humph!"

"You will do your best to kill the enterprise?"

"As dead as a door nail!"

"I wanted to be sure of it. Mr. Kelly, when the new courthouse was erected two years ago your share of the graft was \$50,000. I have figures and memoranda to prove it."

"It's a lie!"

"When the land for the new park was acquired it was bought through the real estate ring, of which you are the head. The price was fixed and fished through, and your share of the graft was over \$14,000. I have proofs to go before the jury."

"Another lie!" was muttered.

"When the old jail was repaired your divvy was about \$7,000."

"It wasn't seven cents!"

"On the paving done last year your ring made a clean steal of over \$10,000!"

"Huh!"

"Your and your friends have purchased 200 acres of land to unload on the city at three times its value as a reservoir."

"Get out of my house—all of you!" shouted the boss as he sprang up.

"Softly does it, Mr. Kelly," replied the girl. "I have other things to mention."

"You are a traitor."

"A mistake, Mr. Kelly. Mr. Stratton is here as my lawyer, and cannot take advantage of what is said unless I decide to prosecute and furnish him certain documents. Those documents will be placed in the safe of 'The Daily Star' to be brought out and published whenever the editor thinks the time is ripe. Is it to be war or peace?"

"Is the new paper goin' to pitch into me?"

"Not for what has happened in the past—not unless you force it to. I consider that I did not get that information fairly, but 'The Star' will be on the watch in the future."

"Reform!" he sneered.

"Not at all, Mr. Kelly. It's just an experiment to see how a city can be run without a boss."

And the city of Graton has voted the experiment a success, while the "business partnership" is a paying affair, and the matrimonial enterprise promises much happiness.

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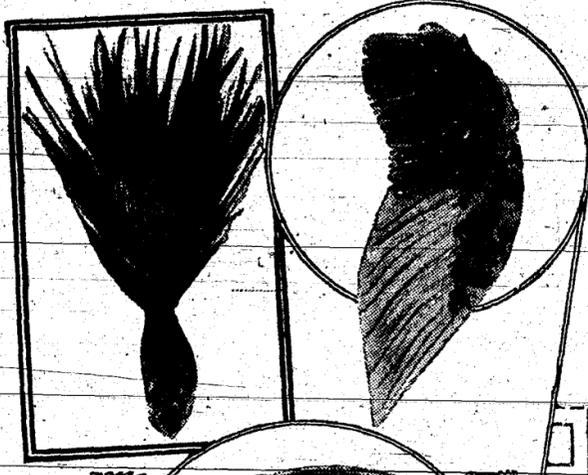
**Silence Carriages.**

Commenting on the proposal to provide "silence carriages" on the French state railways, the writer of the "Notes Sociales" in the Paris Gaulois says: "The right to speak to me when I am in a railway carriage is, in France, among the rights of man, and every one makes use of it with an annoying persistence and want of tact. What is peculiar is that the same thing to talk to some one who is saying nothing to you does not exist on trams or omnibuses or the underground railway. That is because every one knows he will soon be at his destination. But with a journey of five or six hours in prospect there is not a single middle class Frenchman who, in the terror of remaining three hundred minutes without speaking, does not hasten to be the first to enter into conversation."

**Keeping Peace at Home.**

How do they do it? The couples who gain the Dunmow Flitch? Tact undoubtedly plays a part. One recalls the simple system of a Sussex couple to keep peace at home. When the wife came in a little ruffled she flung her shawl over her left shoulder, and the husband knew that silence was golden. If he came home with that cocked forward the wife knew that something was wrong, and she likewise lay low. It's the simplest that that keeps the peace at home, where you may never be at loss for a quarrel you look for.—London Chronicle.

# WING ORNAMENTS



Wings, large and small (but mostly small), have been made for late summer and early fall millinery and the manufacturer has considered their mounting in nearly every case. The base of the wing is set in a little dish of feathers or a raised band or some other device that will adjust itself to the brim or crown of shapes. This is sewed to the hat and the wings spring from it at all sorts of odd angles and in many novel positions.

Among the prettiest wings are those that show two colors, one on the upper and a contrasting color on the under side. That is, the wing is lined with small feathers in a contrasting color. Most of these two-toned wings are large and used on long velvet turbans of white they form the only decoration and all that is needed.

Wide-brimmed shapes with small wings poised on the brim edge of crown suggest to the mind butterfly bedecked hats. Some of the wings are very like huge butterflies. The man-

ner of poisoning the wings in nearly every case suggests a bird or butterfly just ready for flight, a matter of personal arrangement.

Wings have come to stay for some time. As they are made now, they are far more durable than in past seasons. The feathers are sewed to a foundation, and considering the time and experience necessary to make them, it is a wonder they can be sold so cheaply.

Next to the wing for street hats, standing brushes promise to make the best impression. These are manufactured, also, with ornamental stem mountings of feathers. They may be sewed to the hat without the use of an ornament of any kind. Nevertheless small flat bows and other bows are often used with them. As the season advances other ornaments may increase in favor, for they are new and already well launched upon a revival.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

# HANDSOME BLOUSE



The drawing pictures a handsome blouse of sand-colored chiffon over taffeta in a slightly deeper shade. A cluster of small tucks on the shoulder contributes a slight fullness to the front and a vest of brown taffeta with upper part of sand-colored taffeta give an effective depth of tone to the color scheme. There are tiny revers of colored shadow lace. Turning back from either side of the vest opening is a length of brown lace edging. Worn with a handsome brown tailor-made, this waist would be most effective.

**Length of Skirts.**

Hems out! Several inches longer. Away with chopped ones. Two inches and two and a half. Is the proper height from the ground.

The shoe top will now go into retirement. Skirts may be any wider. But they are longer—which helps some. Some folks may drop their hammers now.

Usually there is another up their sleeve for the next change of fashion. Heigh-ho! but busybodies cannot be expected to neglect their jobs.

**New Hats Artistic.**

The grotesque, and in reality "bad" style of shape of hats worn in recent years seems to have given place to artistic developments. Most of them are modifications of a past period, we see the "Watteau" shape in different sizes, with wreaths of flowers and ribbons, or ribbon velvet streamers, which is such a sweet fashion for the girls. Large hats of the Galinsborough order are trimmed with one long feather. These feathers are quite as beautiful as the celebrated ones worn by the duchess of Devonshire at the coronation of George IV.

# ODD MATERIAL AND DESIGN

Gown of Moonlight Blue Satin Something of a Novelty in Sartorial Affairs.

A beautiful gown for a recent occasion was made in a shade of moonlight blue satin of the softest consistency, known as peau de suède. The gown opened over a petticoat of the mousseline de soie, while one side of the corsage was likewise of the filmy fabric relieved with trimmings of dull gold.

Another gown for the same occasion was in a supple and beautiful gold tissue shot with fageolet green. The front of the gown was draped with a spoon-shaped panel of flower patterned Brussels lace, veiled with a shadowy drape of fageolet green tulle illusion, while the tissue was left uncovered at the back. The corsage itself was hidden under a soft flou drape of Brussels lace, showing a little gathered tucker of pure white chiffon, while over it was the same soft shadow veiling of green tulle illusion, the drapery entirely hiding the steecies.

**Lounge Pillow Cover.**

New in lounge pillow covers is a square of huckaback-towel in natural linen shade. Its entire surface is decorated with a bold design in purple clematis done with coarse silk floss, the background being afterward filled in with pale green-linen thread run in darning stitch. The back of the cover is of silk in a shade matching the clematis floss and the heavy cordage which finishes the seams of the four sides. Equally charming is a cover of white Irish linen. This is embroidered in a conventional lotus design with an Oriental mixture of colors in washable flosses and done in a long, heavy stitch. The back is of the plain Irish linen and its only trimming is the scalloped button-hole edging worked with dull red floss and matching the finish of the embroidered side of the cover.

**Good Form in Dress.**

Few women know how to put on their clothes. This sounds like a very startling statement, but let us stop and think over the matter quietly.

How frequently we see women with dainty, well-made and even well-cut clothes, and yet how few appreciate the beauty of the garment, and why? Because the blouse is not pulled down tightly at the waist line and fastened in place either by hooks and loops or safety pins. Then, too, the collar is probably not carefully boned so that it will fit the neck snugly. Each woman should study the shape of her own neck (not some one else's) and find just where the bones must be placed in order to make the collar fit well.

# SMILING MARTYRDOM.



Although the ice man brings to you a lump exceedingly small, you don't complain, for if you do he may not come at all.

# BABY IN MISERY WITH RASH

Monroe, Wis.—"When my baby was six weeks old there came a rash on his face which finally spread until it got nearly all over his body. It formed a crust on his head, hair fell out and the itch was terrible. When he would scratch the crust, the water would ooze out in big drops. On face and body it was in a dry form and would scuff off. He was in great misery and at nights I would lie awake holding his hands so that he could not scratch and disfigure himself. I tried simple remedies at first, then got medicine, but it did no good.

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"What will?"

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"Scribbles is going to quit being a press humorist."

"Did he tell you that?"

"No, but he said he was not going to write any more jokes about mothers-in-law, bald-headed men, women's hats, intoxicated husbands and family fights."

Wanted a Bite.

Oh, yes; it was raining—had been all day. But they didn't mind that so much; you see, they were fishermen. All the same, they were trudging home, with weary steps and very weary-looking faces.

Their baskets were empty, and to be candid, they were in a very bad temper.

As they entered the little village a large dog ran at one of the party. The dog had a ferocious look, and was barking furiously. But the fisherman did not take much alarm at the animal. He just kicked it away carelessly.

"Aren't you afraid he'll go for you?" inquired another of the party, somewhat anxiously.

The one who had kicked at the dog looked at his companion in a sorrowful manner.

"I only wish he would!" he replied. "I'd chance almost anything to be able to go home and say 'I had a bite!'"

The First Toast.

Wilson Mizner, the well-known vivier, explained, on a New York roof garden, the origin of the word "toast"—toasting a lady.

"You will remember," he began, "that in olden times it was the custom to serve punch with toasted—that is to say, roasted—apples floating in it. These apples were called the toast. The toast—remember that.

"Well, it happened at Bath one day that a celebrated beauty stood in the Cross Bath, surrounded by a throng of admirers, and one of these admirers, intoxicated with admiration, took a glass of the water in which the beauty stood, and holding it aloft, drank her health, draining the water to the last drop.

"Beau Nash, who stood near by, shouted: "I like not the punch, but I would I had the toast!"

**HARD TO SEE.**

Even When the Facts About Coffee are Plain.

It is curious how people will refuse to believe what one can clearly see. Tell the average man or woman that the slow but cumulative poisonous effect of caffeine—the alkaloid in tea and coffee—tends to weaken the heart, upset the nervous system and cause indigestion, and they may laugh at you if they don't know the facts.

Prove it by science or by practical demonstration in the recovery of coffee drinkers from the above conditions, and a large per cent of the human family will shrug their shoulders, take some drugs and keep on drinking coffee or tea.

"Coffee never agreed with me nor with several members of our household," writes a lady. "It enervates, depresses and creates a feeling of languor and heaviness. It was only by leaving off coffee and using Postum that we discovered the cause and way out of these ills.

"The only reason, I am sure, why Postum is not used altogether to the exclusion of ordinary coffee is, many persons do not know and do not seem willing to learn the facts and how to prepare this nutritious beverage. There's only one way—according to directions—bottle it fully 15 minutes. Then it is delicious." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. Above a reason.

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

### MANAGEMENT OF SANDY SOILS

By J. A. JEFFERY,  
Professor of Soils, Michigan Agricultural College.

After sandy land, such as is found in western and northern Michigan, has been brought under cultivation, great care must still be exercised in its management. The cropping value of these soils will depend more than anything else upon the incorporation and retention of organic matter. To this end: a careful rotation of crops should be adopted. It should be simple and short, something like this:

(1) Clover, one or two years, plowing under as much of the aftergrowth as is possible when preparing for the succeeding crop; (2) a cultivated crop—potatoes, corn or possibly beans, and (3) grain of some kind, seeding again to clover with grain.

This is not the only rotation that could be followed, but the important thing is to introduce clover into the rotation as frequently as possible. No grain or cultivated crop should be planted twice in succession.

The plowing should be shallow, probably never to exceed five inches, and this with a view to keeping the organic matter as near the surface as possible, where it will accomplish the most good, particularly in protecting the soils from the ravages of the winds. It is good practice not to use the plow too frequently. Many farmers use the plow only in breaking the clover sod. The disc harrow is used at all other times in preparing soil for crops.

When cultivated crops occupy the land, the cultivation should be frequent and shallow. Only those who have practiced persistent shallow cultivation can appreciate the importance of this stifling the soil in preserving the moisture and insuring profitable crops.

Use "catch" crops where possible. If a regular crop has been removed fairly early in the fall and the succeeding crop is not to be planted the following spring, it is always worth while to seed the land to oats or rye or vetch. Frequently it will be found desirable and profitable just before the last cultivation of the corn to seed the corn field to winter vetch seed at the rate of 30 pounds per acre. The field may be seeded to oats or rye instead. The benefits to be derived from the catch crop are at least three:

1. In the fall and early spring soil is protected from the winds.
2. During the winter these crops catch and retain the snow upon the ground, from which fact the soil benefits not only from the blanket of snow during the winter, but also, from the melting of the snow in place in the spring.
3. The discing in of the crop in the spring adds to the soil organic matter, and in the case of vetch, nitrogen as well.

**Green Manuring.**

Green manuring is the practice of growing a crop to plow under before it matures. This is done to increase the amount of organic matter in the soil. Different crops are used for this purpose.

Rye is perhaps the most commonly used, and probably chiefly because it can be planted in the fall and makes a considerable growth before the growing season closes. It takes up the growing again early in spring and continues until the farmer is ready to plow it under. It is sown at the rate of one and one-half bushels to two bushels per acre.

Of the spring grown crops oats or rye are frequently used, and are sown at the regular rates of seeding.

Sometimes Indian corn is sown at the rate of one bushel to one and one-half bushels per acre for this purpose. It may be sown in drills or broadcast.

Oats and peas are sometimes used, sown at the rate of one bushel of oats to two bushels of peas to the acre.

Sand vetch is also used, the seeding being at the rate of 30 to 50 pounds per acre. The seeding in all cases is done as early as conditions of soil and air are suitable for the planting of the crop.

The sand, hairy or winter vetch seems to be rapidly growing in favor, both as a catch crop plant and as a green manuring plant. Its value rests upon three things, viz:

1. Because of the size of the seed it may be planted as deep as two inches, thus increasing its chances for moisture supply, and thus insuring germination. The clovers and alfalfa frequently suffer because they may not be planted deep enough to insure moisture and anchorage to preserve the plant from blowing away.
2. The plant makes a very rapid and vigorous growth, producing a large amount of material to plow under or disc in.
3. It is much more valuable than the grains for this purpose because of the amount of nitrogen which it gathers during its growth and leaves for the use of future crops.

On the Miami sandy soils of southern Michigan the cow peas is being much used as a green manuring crop. Peas are sown at the rate of 3 pecks per acre, about the first week in June, and the crop is plowed under from the first to the middle of September. When wheat is sown after cow peas thus plowed under, the yields of wheat are greatly increased; and when clover is seeded with the wheat the following spring, it seldom fails to make an excellent catch.

A seed test in time saves any number of bushels.

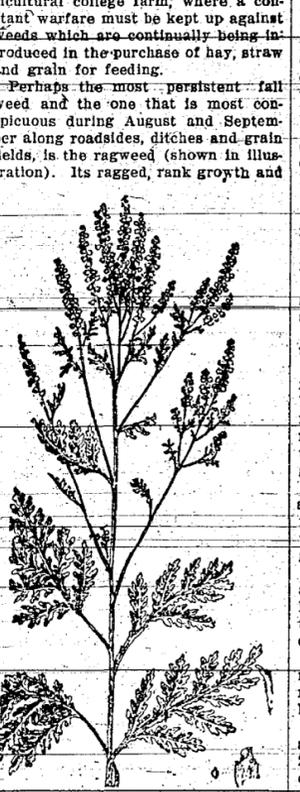
### WEED CONTROL IN AUTUMN

By R. J. BALDWIN,  
Michigan Agricultural College.

After the crop is removed, from new seedings and stubble lands, the weeds which have been kept in check by the growing crop are apt to spring up and make a sufficient growth to produce a crop of seed and crowd the thin seedings of grass and clover. The number and variety of such weeds will depend upon the locality and the care exercised in the operation of the farm. Ragweed, pigweed, foxtails and Canada thistles are among the most common kinds found. Such weeds can be prevented from seeding to a great extent, by clipping with the cutter bar of the mower tilted, high so as to leave the new seedings. It is objectionable to attempt to control weeds or new seedings with sheep for the reason that sheep are almost sure to eat the tender seedlings and leave the coarser weeds.

The practice of clipping with a mower has been used by the Michigan Agricultural college farm, where a constant warfare must be kept up against weeds which are continually being introduced in the purchase of hay, straw and grain for feeding.

Perhaps the most persistent fall weed and the one that is most conspicuous during August and September along roadsides, ditches and grain fields, is the ragweed (shown in illustration). Its ragged, rank growth and



Ragweed.

long lived seeds makes it an especially bad weed. Its tall green tassel which contains such an abundance of yellow pollen is said to be the cause of hay fever. Careful farming with clean cultivation crops, such as beans and corn, is the most effective system of holding this weed in check.

### Care of Stallions.

A stallion shut up in a dark stall without the companionship of other horses often becomes moody and savage. Some English stallions ride a pony while leading their horses for exercise, and the horses become so attached to these ponies that they become fretful and uneasy when they are not near.

At night the ponies are given a stall next to the horses. Of course, some horses are too savage in nature to permit their being led in company with a pony, but if broken to this treatment when young, stallions can be handled in this way.

### Fall Sown Clover.

Even last year there was good success with fall-sown clover and the season was none too favorable. There are a great many enemies to spring-sown clover, weeds, grasses and too thick stands of grain, which fall seeding escapes.

When a spring seeding has been scorched out after removal of the grain crop, the land should at once be disked and reseeded the clover on a fine seed bed with a firm subsoil. Even if it is very dry the chances are there will come enough fall rain for the clover.

It is a usual practice in the spring to have what is called a "cleaning-up day." There are some things, however, which ought to be cleaned up in the fall, such as weeds which have been missed and are waiting to scatter their seeds far and wide on the snow in winter, and limbs in the orchards which will invite rabbits to live there and nibble the fresh bark of young trees.

The amount of money invested in farm machinery on the average Michigan farm is nearly as great as the money invested in a barn. The barn is always insured against fire, but the machinery is never insured against rust unless a good shed has been made for it. Some machines ought never to be rained on and if the shed is handy they can be run in instead of being left in the field at night.

Some protection should be placed around young trees in the fall to prevent girdling by mice and rabbits during winter. Wire screen, tar paper, etc., are used for this purpose and often save whole orchards even where these pests were not thought to be numerous.

### EXHAUSTION OF THE SOIL.

Prof. E. H. Farrington of Wisconsin Agricultural College, in speaking of Soil Exhaustion, made a very interesting statement regarding the selling of dairy products from the farm as compared with selling the grain productions directly off the farm. Here is what he says:

"There is a great difference in the amount of soil fertility removed from the farm by selling crops as compared with the selling of cream and butter. The constituents of the soil that become most easily exhausted by farming operations are the nitrogen, the phosphoric acid and the potash. These each have a market value per pound and can be bought in commercial fertilizers. They are also contained in farm manure.

"An analysis of different crops and of milk, butter and cheese will show how much of these various constituents are removed from the farm when a certain quantity of these products are sold. For instance, by using the same prices per pound for the following crops, etc., we find that the fertilizing constituents taken from the soil when one ton of hay is sold from the farm have a value of \$4.34, one ton of corn \$5.36, one ton of wheat \$6.63, one ton of milk \$2.17, one ton of skim-milk \$2.31, one ton of butter 49 cents, one ton of whey 84 cents, and one ton of cheese \$14.19. The value of each ton of these different products is well known. For instance, the ton of hay may be sold for \$20.00, while the ton of butter is worth \$600.00 and a ton of cheese \$200.00. These figures show, however, that if the crops raised on the farm are fed to the cows and either cream or butter only is sold, then for every \$600.00 worth of butter only 50 cents worth of fertility is drawn from the farm."

In encouraging the farmers to engage in dairying, Prof. Farrington says:

"Dairying keeps up the fertility of the soil as already explained.

"Skim-milk is very valuable to the farmer not only for the reasons given, but because it is profitable for a farmer to become a stock raiser—that is, raise calves, pigs, poultry, etc., rather than a crop producer and a seller of grain.

"Dairy products, butter and cheese, are not bulky to market, being much more concentrated and the cost of transportation less than it is for hay, grain, etc.

"Dairying utilizes waste land, such as stony pastures, timber and swamp land, which may be used for pasturing the cows if these are kept, but which otherwise would give no returns.

"Dairying gives profitable employment during the entire year and idleness is not good for either man or beast."

A visit to the National Dairy Show at Chicago, October 24th to November 2nd next, will give every one a short course in dairying that cannot be equaled anywhere in the world, and all such matters as here discussed by Prof. Farrington will be illustrated by the world's experts in every branch of the dairy industry. Opportunities to view the best representatives on American soil of the leading dairy cattle, and meet the men who are devoting their lives to the advancement of the dairy industry is here afforded.

Everything will be shown in a big, broad, educational way that all may be enabled to keep abreast of the most modern methods in appliances and the best results in breeding and feeding dairy cattle, and preparing for market and the marketing of all dairy products. Adv.

### Nothing More to Live For.

Without question, the Scots curler of whom Lord Lyveden tells in Fry's Magazine placed the proper value on his sport.

During a recent curling match in Switzerland, the skip of one of the teams, who happened to be a Scotsman, was so delighted with the accurate shot of one of his team, that he was heard to address him in the following manner: "Lie down and dee, mon; lie down and dee. Yell never lay a finer stone nor that if ye live to be a hundred."

### Point for Sherlock Holmes.

Somebody wondered how long a certain woman who had just left the room had been married.

"About 15 years," said the Jeweler.

"How do you know?" asked the Jeweler's wife. "You never saw her until tonight."

"I can tell by the size of her wedding ring," he replied. "The width of wedding rings changes about every five years. The kind she wears was in style 15 years ago."

### The Anxious Seat.

Father—Johnny, go fetch me my slippers.

Johnny (nervously)—Do you want both of them, or only one, dad?—Exchange.

### CURES BURNS AND CUTS.

Cole's Carbolic Soap stops the pain instantly. Cures Cuts, Nostril, All Druggists, 25c and 50c. Adv.

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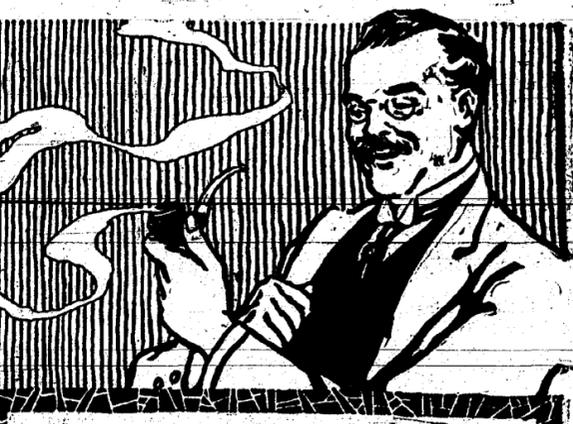
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The output of the pottery industry of the United States had a value of \$34,518,560 in 1911, according to the United States geological survey chart of clay products production, by states, compiled by Jefferson Middletown. The pottery collection for 1911 was greater than for 1910, when the output was valued at \$33,784,678, the increase being \$733,882. Of the total production, Ohio was first, with an output valued at \$14,775,265; New Jersey second, with \$8,401,941; West Virginia third, with \$2,880,202; New York fourth, with \$2,178,364; Pennsylvania fifth, with \$2,156,817, and Indiana sixth, with \$1,004,737. The output of no other state had a value in excess of a million dollars.

### Thoughtful Wife.

"Think I'll go to the ball game today."

"All right. Is there a telephone at the grounds?"

"There's one near there. Why?"

"If the home team loses I want you to telephone me, so that I can take the children and go over to mother's until you get your temper back."

### Precaution.

Chimmie—Hey, Maggie, hold dis bag o' peanuts fer me fer a minute—here comes a poor relation o' mine!—Life.

### Milk-crust all over tiny baby's face

Mother, if your little one is suffering from tormenting, unsightly skin or scalp eruptions, how can you fail to profit by the experience of this mother, who writes: "I do not know what caused the milk-crust on my baby's face, all over it except the eyeballs. It started as a rash of an itching nature; though only three weeks old it tried to scratch it. Then in about a week or ten days it had formed into crust that was very sore, whitish, and came off in scales. For about five weeks I used different washes, but it did no good. From the first application of the Resinoid Soap and Ointment, in a few hours, seemingly, we could see the change. I can safely say I cured the baby with Resinoid Soap and Ointment. Anyone who will try them will sure get results that are lasting." (Signed) Mrs. J. W. R. Ruffin, Cauthornville, Va., May 19, 1912.

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**MARATHON UP A MOUNTAIN**  
Test of Endurance for Vigorous Switzer Athletes in Race Up the Stanserhorn.

A Marathon race up a mountain in the Swiss Alps is a test of endurance to which only the most vigorous among professional mountaineers would care to submit themselves.

The first event of this kind took place the other day, and despite the obvious difficulties, proved a great success. The mountain selected was the Stanserhorn, 8,286 feet above the sea level, and the difference in altitude to be covered was roughly 4,700 feet; the starting point, the little town of Stans, being some 1,500 feet above the sea.

About 1,500 spectators took the funicular railway up the mountain-side, or made a leisurely ascent on foot to cheer the winner, who proved to be Karl Hug, a young Swiss Alpinist of Alpnach, his time being 1 hour and 4 minutes. The second arrival took eight minutes longer, and the last of the 52 competitors finished 45 minutes later.

The promoter of the race was a wealthy German who has offered valuable prizes and who rather fancied himself for the championship. He was greeted with sympathetic cheers when he arrived, puffing and blowing at the goal, half an hour after the last competitor, and innocently asked "if any of them had been sighted yet."—New York Sun.

**AVIATORS IN THE DESERT**  
Enthusiasts Have Made Plans for a Regular Service Across the Sands of Sahara.

The Desert of Sahara seems to have a fascination for the aviators, who have made ambitious plans for establishing a regular service—particularly for military purposes—across the sands to Timbuctu.

One of the chief obstacles is the difficulty of reaching a machine that has come to grief. The sand in many parts of the desert is so soft that it is almost impassable, except by the broad-footed camels.

One of the enthusiasts at Biskra has devised an automobile for desert work that seems to promise a solution. It is driven by an air propeller, like those on aeroplanes, and is mounted on a triangular skeleton body, each corner being supported by two large-tired wheels which are so mounted that they can adapt themselves to a very irregular surface.

The entire weight, including a 50-horse power engine, is only 700 pounds.

**Mineral Wealth in Ireland.**  
A remarkable discovery of silver and lead has been made at Clew, near Keady, County Armagh, Ireland, by a farmer named Conlon. While working in a field the other day he turned up a piece of bright metal, which he put in his pocket and afterwards placed on the mantel shelf in the kitchen, thinking little more about it. Subsequently an old miner who had worked in Cornwall when visiting the house, examined the ore, and advised Mr. Conlon to obtain expert advice upon it. This was done, and the analytical tests showed that the ore contained 8 per cent. of pure silver and 85 per cent. lead of first-quality. A mining expert and some other gentlemen visited the place, and as a result of boring operations a bed of solid ore was, it is said, struck just a little over five feet from the surface. Steps are now being taken with a view to obtaining the mining rights of the land.

**Ghost Gave the Tip.**  
An extraordinary story of a gambling "tip" from the regions of spirits is that of Signor Crotta, the stationmaster at Cicciano, near Naples. Signor Crotta speculated one franc at a weekly lottery, and now finds himself in consequence the lucky winner of \$120,000. On learning the good tidings Crotta's first task was to telegraph to the directors of the State Railways his resignation. He is a married man, and has a daughter who is a local schoolmistress. The stationmaster is also setting apart a sum for masses on behalf of his dead aunt, whose ghost, he avows, appeared to him in the early hours of the fateful morning bidding him gamble on four numbers which she revealed to him, all of which eventually proved lucky ones.

Chas. C. Collison, a leverman living at 930 No. 4th St., Saginaw, states: "I had a severe case of acute kidney trouble with pains across my back and irregular kidney action. I finally took Foley Kidney Pills, and in a few days time the pain left my back, my kidney action became regular and to day I am entirely free of all kidney trouble." Hite Drug Company.

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**NOT CAPT. O'BRIEN'S DEED**  
Amusing Reminiscence Concerning the Capture of the British Ship Margaretta in 1775.

In the town of Machias, in eastern Maine, where on May 11, 1775, took place the "Lexington of the seas," the capture of the British ship Margaretta by the townspeople under command of Capt. Jeremiah O'Brien, a little newspaper called the Eastern Star was printed for a year or two, beginning in 1814. From a single copy preserved through all these years in a Maine family is here reprinted for the first time a reminiscence of the editor concerning the redoubtable O'Brien, who, after the Margaretta's capture, became the terror of the seas to the British in the provinces:

"To give some idea of the estimation in which O'Brien was held by the inhabitants of the British province during the Revolutionary war, we will relate an anecdote which was told to us by a respectable gentleman in the province of New Brunswick: A loyal Scotch pair, somewhat advanced in life, were called on by one of their neighbors, who related to the 'guide' an account of a great destruction of shipping in the Island of Jamaica by a hurricane. The 'guide' and wife, whose hearing was somewhat impaired, caught the sound of 'destruction of shipping,' in the course of the conversation between her husband and the neighbor. 'Destruction of shipping' at that day was closely associated with the name Jeremiah O'Brien, and the old lady, in broad Scotch, which we will not attempt to imitate, innocently interrupted the conversation and asked: "Was it Jere O'Brien that did that?"

"The husband indignantly replied: "No, no, it was a far more powerful hand; it was God Almighty!"

**Seaweed Made Valuable.**  
It is estimated that those engaged in the industry of gathering seaweed and reducing it to gelatinous food in Japan alone number 600,000 persons. Within recent years seaweeds have been introduced into the English kitchen. The edible species, served with roast meats, have been found to be very palatable. Devonshire and Japanese seaweeds are employed largely in the London industry.

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**Sweet Thing.**  
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The farmer thought that something about the scarecrow was not as usual, and he went to find out what it was. He found that bees were swarming about the figure, and that one leg of the trousers was filled with honey comb. It was a queer place for a swarm of wild bees, but the farmer did not object to their trespassing on his property. He let them alone and after they had stored up a good supply of honey he coaxed them into a hive and set them up to housekeeping in his orchard. Then the children had fresh honey on their pancakes.

**For Individual Soap.**  
A chemical friend of the Scientific American suggests that a campaign be started against the common cake of soap. About 50 years ago there was sold a form of soap for travelers consisting of a booklet, about two inches by four inches, in which small leaves of soft paper saturated with soap were bound. Each leaf contained enough soap for one washing of the hands. It is suggested that one might profitably dispense through a penny-in-the-slot machine a paper towel in which is folded a sheet of soap paper, for convenient use in public lavatories.

**Sailor Left to the Ocean.**  
The crew of the ship Invernon related a gruesome tale of the sea on their arrival at Queenstown the other day from Wallaroo, laden with wheat. When rounding Cape Horn, the attention of the crew was directed to quite a large number of albatrosses, and other sea birds, fighting over a dark object in the water. With the aid of telescopes, it was seen that the birds were diving at the dead body of a seaman, who had been drowned. It was seen that the clothes on the body had been torn, and that the birds had picked large pieces of flesh from the remains. The weather was stormy, and nothing could be done to recover the body in order to give it decent burial.

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