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## Plans Laid

By Secretary Ball for County Y. M. C. A. Work

As has been often stated the work of the Rural Y. M. C. A. is largely cooperative. This being true it has been necessary, since the opening of the work on January twentieth, for the secretary to get acquainted with the men and women and the organized agencies of the county before a very effective cooperation along any line could be established. During the first month visits at the public schools and attendance at the county teacher's institute made it possible to get acquainted with a large number of the teaching profession of the county. The farmer's institutes which were in session during the latter part of January furnished the secretary with an opportunity to meet some of the agricultural leaders of the county. And attendance at public gatherings where he has either been a speaker or a listener has given Sec'y Ball an added opportunity to meet the men and women of the different towns. Though a large part of the secretary's time has been spent in getting acquainted with the people of the county and in learning something of the need for the work in different towns some time has been expended in an effort to acquaint the people of the county through articles written for the county papers, public addresses, and the circulation of printed matter; with the rural Y. M. C. A. plan of work.

As a result of the first month's investigation the secretary has recommended the following plan to his committee.

- (1) That he be permitted to continue his work of investigation with the following things in view.
  - (a) Discovery, enlistment and training as leadership for the spring and summer activities.
  - (b) Securing at least thirty boys to attend the State High School Boy's Conference at Torch Lake June 24th to July 4th.
  - (c) Securing and putting in shape a satisfactory site for the summer camp.
  - (d) Continual and continued investigation to secure competent leadership for the organized group work during the coming fall and winter.
- (2) That he be permitted to cooperate with:
  - (a) The high schools of the county in conducting High School and Grade School Athletic Meets with the idea of providing organized and supervised athletic life for at least 95 per cent of all boys weighing 65 pounds or over.
  - (b) The county school commissioner and the rural teachers of the county in conducting Township Rural School Athletic Meets. Estimating that 65 per cent of the county boys will participate, the association be providing athletic life for the right sort for between four and five hundred country boys.
  - (c) The doctors and dentists of the county in arranging for free health lectures to be given in all of the rural and graded schools of the county.
  - (d) The Grange of the county in organizing a Boy's Potato club and conducting the contest with the exhibit and awarding of prizes at the Charlevoix County Fair.
  - (e) The County Fair committee in conducting a County Rural School Athletic contest to be held at the Fair on what is to be known as School Day.
  - (f) The county committee in conducting the first annual summer camp for boys twelve to sixteen years of age aiming to have fifty boys attending.
  - (g) The county committee in conducting a County Water Carnival some time during the month of August.

An advice famine wouldn't be so bad.

A man never gets more strenuous than when he is trying to have a big time on a little money.

**A MESSAGE TO RAILROAD MEN.**  
E. S. Bacon, 11 East St., Bath, Me., sends out this warning to railroaders everywhere, "My work as conductor caused a chronic inflammation of the kidneys and I was miserable and all played out. From the day I began taking Foley Kidney Pills I began to regain my strength, and I am better now than I have been for twenty years." Try them. **FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS.**

## Better Farming

Is An Organization Being Formed in Charlevoix County.

It is proposed to employ in Charlevoix county a farm expert under contract with the United States government. Kent, Kalamazoo and Allegan counties have already engaged such experts and they are now at work giving good satisfaction.

The duty of the expert is to advise with the farmers respecting the preparation of their soil, the rotation of their crops, and improved market conditions. It is expected that he will be a horticulturist and will be especially qualified to be of assistance to fruit growers. He will be in continual touch with the best authorities on agriculture in both Washington and Lansing. If unable to answer the questions asked, he will find a man who can. If necessary, specialists will be brought into the county to assist in the solution of difficult problems.

It is estimated that the salary of this expert will be \$1,800 per year and that the cost of transportation, clerical hire, and office equipment will be \$1,200 per year.

Towards these expenses the United States will pay \$1,200. The Crop Improvement Committee of the Council of Grains Exchanges will pay \$500. It is therefore necessary to raise in the county \$1,300 per year to secure this service. The banks of the county have united to assist in the organization of a Better Farming Association and to help pay for this service in Charlevoix County. The Michigan Bankers Association when in convention at Kalamazoo, last June, appointed an Agriculture Committee and this committee is urging the bankers in every county to assist in the better farming methods to which call they cheerfully and willingly respond.

It is planned to organize a Better Farming Association which will have charge of the work, the members of which shall pay a small fee per year for two years, the first payment to be made within six months after the expert is in the field, and the second one year from that date. This association will have charge of the work in the county.

The service will be free to every farmer in the country and should appeal to the man who is unable to send his children to agricultural college. It gives him an opportunity to have the college brought to the boy and girl at his own farm. We believe that the work will result in wonderful improvement, and we appeal to residents of the county to interest themselves in this movement and help push the project.

For the purpose of subscribing as members, to form the organization and for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the people that day a meeting has been called for Friday, March 14, 1913, at 10 a. m., at the court house, Charlevoix, Michigan.

Every banker in the county; the supervisors and clerks of various townships, the superintendents of the public schools and the county school commissioner, every farmer, merchant, business man, and all persons interested in improved farm conditions and the financial prosperity of our country, have been asked and should be present. The success of this movement depends on your presence. You are urged to remember the day and hour and help push on the great work "What you help?" This call is respectfully issued, by the Committee of the Bank.

Too often popularity isn't worth the price.

Women who marry for a home pay big rent.

Freezing politeness is not restricted to the ice man.

And pride sometimes gives the truth a severe jolt.

A friend in need is a friend most people sidetrack.

It is easier to borrow trouble than it is to pay debts.

The less some people have the bigger the bluff they put up.

The man who lives only for himself never heads a very long funeral procession.

Even an ear specialist could never make some people hear the voice of conscience.

## Dr. Deadman's Veterinary Remedies

We have just placed in stock a full line of Deadman's Famous Remedies.

To those who have used them they need no praise as anyone who has ever used them recommends them.

Call and ask us about these remedies and receive a free book.

Remember, we guarantee them. See our window display.

**W. C. SPRING DRUG CO.**

### To the Electors of East Jordan.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Mayor of East Jordan, subject to the approval of the voters at the City primary to be held March 24, 1913, and if nominated and elected I will give my best endeavors to perform the duties with care, and in a manner satisfactory to the people.

A. E. CROSS.

Dated, Jan. 28, 1913.

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Louis A. Hoyt.

East Jordan, Mich., Feb'y 24, 1913.

### Making Seed Contracts.

The Everett B. Clark Seed Co. are contracting for growing of beans for the coming season. Full contract price paid for every bushel of merchantable beans, nothing deducted from price for handpicking. Your seed is charged up at the contract price, not at the market price. Call at their office for address.

A. E. CROSS, SUP'T

East Jordan, Mich.

### EAST JORDAN DRUGGIST DESERVES PRAISE

J. Gidley deserves praise from East Jordan people for introducing here the simple buckhorn bark and glycerine mixture known as A-der-i-va. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

The things we get for nothing are apt to cost us more than the things we buy.

Some spinsters are unhappy because they have no men around to worry them.

AN EPIDEMIC OF COUGHING is sweeping over the town and young and old are alike affected. Foley's Honey & Tar Compound is a quick safe reliable family medicine for coughs and colds. A. S. Jones, of Lee Pharmacy, Chico, Calif., says: "Foley's Honey & Tar Compound has no equal, and I recommend it as containing no narcotics or other harmful properties." **HAYS DRUG STORE.**

## WHY THE SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT GROWS.

The main reason why equal suffrage is making such rapid gains is, some think quite distinct from the old arguments in favor of woman suffrage. Only a few agitators now days place any stress upon the right of women to vote; or the plea that they shall be released from the tyranny of men. Neither is there any general belief that the presence of women at the polls is going to bring any immediate and conclusive victory for those moral causes that have been projected into politics.

Experience in Colorado and other equal suffrage states has shown that equal suffrage brings none of the evils predicted by its opponents and a very few of the benefits promised by its advocates. But there has come the knowledge that the participation of the women in the affairs of the government is a necessity for the proper conduct of the nation. It is not a question of woman's rights or woman's needs, but it is a dawning conviction that the nation needs woman and that she cannot be spared this duty and responsibility. For it is a fact that the great problems of government are no longer those in which male humanity has an exclusive or surpassing interest. The pressing political problems of the day are not problems of war nor problems of commerce. They are rather problems of the home, of the school, or industrial and commercial and social organization in which the interest of women is equal to the interest of men, in which the intelligence of women is equal and often superior to that of men, and in the solution of those problems the need of woman in the legislature and the executive branches of the government is keenly felt.

The presence of such a woman as Helen Ring Robinson of Denver who has just been elected to the Colorado senate, or of Mrs. Biddle, who has just been re-elected as a representative, is not primarily a benefit to the women of Colorado, but it is primarily a benefit to the state of Colorado, just as the election of a man of similar ability and intelligence would be a benefit to the entire state.

When a woman like Jane Adams of Chicago is shut out from direct participation in public government it is not so much a denial of woman's rights and an example of the tyranny of man as it is a demonstration of the folly that fails to call into service of the nation the best and most useful talents of all the people of the nation. Colorado, Wyoming, and their sister states have learned the lesson that women are needed in government as they are needed in the home, in school and more and more in business, not merely because the questions of government are questions in which women are concerned, but even more because the problems of government may be solved and the duties of government may be enforced by the cooperation of both sexes better than by either one of them without the other.

### County Normal Notes

A surprise party was given in honor of Miss Himes at the home of Dr. Bon last Monday evening. A pot luck supper was served after which a great many interesting games were played.

The class has been making charts as a device for teaching the little pupils numbers. They were made in connection with our primary methods under the instruction of Miss Whiting.

The new practice teachers are; Miss Hazel Mills and Mr. George Hamlin, who are teaching the fourth grade language, Miss Maby Cliffe, the fifth grade reading, and Miss Agnes Worth the kindergarten.

Miss Maby Cliffe spent Sunday at the home of Miss Hazel Gilmartin in Bay Shore.

The housekeepers for this week are Miss Dessie Groenink and Miss Jessie Barkley, and the editors are Miss Sophia Berg and Miss Blanche Rogers.

Miss Dessie Groenink spent Sunday at her home near Ellsworth.

### The Largest Magazine in the World.

TODAY'S MAGAZINE is the largest and best edited magazine published at 50c per year. Five cents per copy at all newsdealers. Every lady who appreciates a good magazine should send for a free sample copy and premium catalog. Address, **TODAY'S MAGAZINE**, Canton, Ohio.

# Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Makes delicious home-baked foods of maximum quality at minimum cost. Makes home baking pleasant and profitable

A wife is supposed to be a man's better half, but sometimes she turns out to be his bitter half.

The first thing his Satanic majesty says when he sees a man coming to take up his abode with him is: "I told you so!"

The average woman can do more with a hairpin in the way of manufacturing history than a man can with a canal boat and a pair of mules.

A man spends a good portion of his time deceiving himself, and a woman spends a good portion of hers before a mirror. It's the same thing.

A woman is thankful for little things—if she has small feet.

Any man looking for a light job should apply at the gas works.

Dull hearing and a bad memory are good afflictions at times.

Few people can afford to feather their nests with borrowed plumage.

Some men would rather steal a poor living than earn a good one.

Every man makes mistakes, but the weather man gets more of his in print.

When a man thinks he is eating brain food he is really feeding his vanity.

## IT'S THE BEST POLISH I EVER USED



That's What Every One Says Who Tries

## Black Silk Stove Polish

DON'T imagine for a moment that all brands of stove polish are the same. Don't get the idea that to keep a nice glossy shine on your stove you must black it every few days. It's not a question of oil-repeated application. It's a question of the stove polish you use. Black Silk Stove Polish is so much better than other stove polishes that there is absolutely no comparison—it's in a class all by itself. It makes a brilliant glossy shine that don't rub or dust off. It anneals to the iron—becomes a part of the stove. It makes old stoves look like new and lasts four times as long as any other shine.

Get a can and give it a trial. Try it on your parlor stove, your cook stove, or your gas range. If you do not find it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money. Black Silk Stove Polish has been made by the same formula and sold under one name for 30 years.

Here is what some of the ladies write us: "I sent you for a can of Black Silk Stove Polish and found it so much better than any I had ever used that I asked my hardware dealer to order a supply. He did so, and is now selling nearly everyone in the place your polish. I had no idea there could be such a difference in stove polishes."

"I was visiting friends and they used Black Silk Stove Polish on their stoves. It made the best shine I ever saw, and after blacking, the polish did not rub or dust off. It is way ahead of any polish I have ever used. For Black Silk Stove Polish and refuse a counterfeit brand. Ask Your Dealer. Costs you no more than the ordinary kind, so why not have the best. Made in liquid or paste—one quality."

### Black Silk Stove Polish Works, Sterling, Ill.

Use Black Silk Air-Drying Iron Emery for grates, fenders, registers, stove pipes, etc. Prevents rusting. Not affected by heat or cold. Produces a permanent glossy black surface. Can, with brush for applying quantity, cost only 25 cents. Ask your dealer.

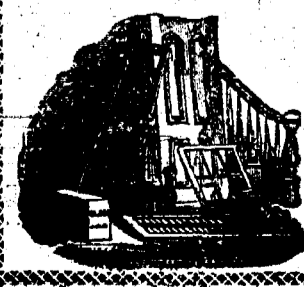
Use Black Silk Metal Polish for chandeliers, brass, silver-ware or tinware. It has no equal for use on automobiles.

**"A Shine in Every Drop"**

## East Jordan Planing Mills Co.,

B. E. WATERMAN, Manager.

Custom Planing Mill. Manufacturers and Dealers in Doors, Windows and Glass, Siding, Ceiling and Flooring Mouldings, Turned Work, and Scroll Sawing. FINISHED LUMBER, FRAMES, CASINGS





HUNT FOR TREASURE IN PERU

Belief That Gold in Extraordinary Value is There Seems Impossible to Eradicate.

In Mr. Bryce's chapter on "Cuzco and the Land of the Incas" in his new book on South America, he discusses some of the great ruins left by the ancient races...

"These better in long subterranean passages recur everywhere in the world. It was—perhaps still is—believed in Oxford that there is such a one from the Church of St. Peter in the city to the ruined masonry on the river at Godstow...

"The most persistent treasure hunt carried on by the Peruvians has been that for the golden chain made by the Huayana Capac, which was long enough to be stretched all around the great square of Cuzco, and was thrown into the Lake of Urcos lest it should fall into the hands of the Spaniards...

Two Ideas of Music.

"There are two ways of regarding music," says a writer. "You may regard it as an entertainment, in which case you will applaud. Or you may regard it as a sacrament—and be silent. The latter was the way of St. Thomas Browne...

To Provide Courting Room.

Courting couples have a hard time in New York. Many of them are obliged to make appointments on street corners and in quest of a place to visit to go to questionable public dance halls...

The Elastic Globe.

To the layman nothing may seem more rigid than the crust of the earth, but men of science tell us that it bends and buckles appreciably under the pull of the heavenly bodies...

With Many Items.

"Did you hire that plumber I recommended to you?" "Yes."

Brought to It.

"Switzerland, usually progressive, is opposed to the use of the airship in warfare."

The Likeness.

"Why will the revival of whipping in the public schools be like part of a ship?" "I don't know. Why?" "Because it will be a spanker boom."

Some New Evening Coiffures That Are Really Charming



No. 1 is a smart head-dress of royal blue tulle, with a lancer feather standing out at the side. In No. 2 an artistic effect is achieved by the hair being swathed and a few roses laid on, to give the effect of a wreath without its heaviness...

GOOD DESIGN FOR TEA GOWN TO MEET FASHION'S CHANGE

Not at All Hard to Make, and Will Gratify the Owner Whenever It is Worn. No Longer Feasible to Buy Pretty Dress and Put It Away for Use in the Future.

Every girl and woman appreciates the convenience and comfort of a tea-gown, but a great majority among them cannot afford to buy one ready-made. And it is the making rather than the material which is expensive...

New Head-Dress.

Head-dresses for evening wear have come decidedly into vogue this season and are made principally of narrow bands studded with rhinestones, or other colored stones...

Boas Fuller.

Many boas are made with the French flowers and satin ribbons and are round though the flat stoles are still worn. Those which blend in tints from white to gray and from stone gray to black are striking and can be worn by almost any woman as far as her individual coloring goes...

Pretty Waist Belt.

A very pretty waist belt was worn by a young girl recently on a gray chiffon dress. It was of broad gray velvet ribbon, with a fringe of tiny pink roses at each end and a buckle to match...

Working With Woollens.

To thread a needle with woolen thread or saphy, thread it first with a strand of fine cotton doubled; then catch the woolen thread through the loop in the doubled end of the cotton and pull it through the eye of the needle in this way.

Way the Hair is Dressed.

In hairdressing fringes, both straight and curled, still persist, but only a few strands of hair are cut upon the forehead. Puffs and curls are arranged from back to front instead of following the line of the brow...

CHANGED HER MIND

Lover of a Vivisector Is at Last Taught the Lesson of Love.

By HARVEY PRENTICE.

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Hamlin was looking at the boy, who now lay quietly sleeping. The desperately large injection of the serum had saved him, dragged him back from the jaws of death. Twelve days previously, on the Fourth of July, the child had injured his hand while setting off firecrackers...

But Hamlin did not answer, for the words had only deepened the bitterness in his soul. What were those hundred lives saved for the one life lost to him?

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A Quiet, Elderly Man Was in Front of Him.

proved on it; soon it was to be given to the world and humanity would bless his name. That, the fruition of his years of toil, he dedicated to her.

"But, dearest, how does one know that these sera will prove efficacious?" Miriam asked. "Does it not mean the death of many poor people who trust to the hospital doctors?"

"O, no," he answered, patting her cheek and smiling. "We try it on the dog—literally."

"You are a vivisector?" she gasped. "I am," he answered, with proud obtuseness. "Why—of course I am! What is the painless death of a few animals compared with the lives of human beings?"

"I won't argue it with you," she burst out, passionately. "But I will never marry a man who tortures animals. You must choose between your tortures and me."

And all his remonstrances failed to change her. She would hear no reason, listen to no appeal. Her mind was obstinately fixed. Either Hamlin must give up his life work or her. And then he knew that his decision was already made—because, to him, duty meant more than anything in the world...

HOLIDAYING IN THE WINTER

AN IMMENSE AMOUNT OF MONEY SPENT BY WESTERN CANADIANS IN WINTER SEASON.

"An unusually large number of Western Canada people are leaving or preparing to leave to spend the Winter in California."

The above item of news was clipped from a Western Canada paper early in December. In the same paper were items of news conveying the intelligence that hundreds of Western Canadians were also taking a trip abroad, spending the Christmas season "at home," as they yet term the old land...

Then there are those, too, who on their wheat farms have made sufficient money that they can afford to take a holiday, and what better winter holidaying ground could they have than California?

Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs took great pride in their young son, Jakey. Father was determined to make him a great business man, a veritable captain of industry. One day mother heard loud screams coming from an adjoining room and rushed in to investigate the cause of the trouble...

PAWNED.

"Teddy—Where's that watch your father gave you?" "Billy—Uncle's has it now."

"At the Studio. A motor stopped in front of the photographer's, and a woman lacking none of the artificial accessories deemed necessary to 'looks,' entered the studio."

"No—one of those pictures looks anything like me," the woman insisted. "The photographer tried in every way to pacify her, but finding this an impossibility, lost control of his temper..."

"So you think I smoke too much?" he asked, just to keep up a conversation that seemed to be languishing. "Not at all," she answered, not very skillfully concealing a yawn.

"Determined to Be Observed. You may announce that I intend to retire to private life," said the industrious statesman. "What for?"

"It seems to be the only method just now by which I can attract public attention."

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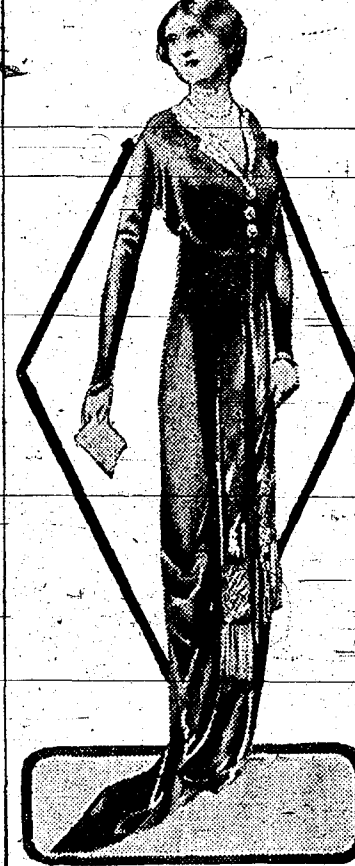
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Of sapphire-blue satin mousseline or velvet with satin embroidered revers; lace chemisette and black sash with embroidered and fringed ends.



# The STOLEN SINGER

by MARTHA BELLINGER

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## SYNOPSIS.

Agatha Redmond, opera singer, starting for an auto drive in New York, finds a stranger bent as her chauffeur. Leaving the car, she goes into the park to read the will of an old friend of her mother, who has left her property. There she is accosted by a stranger, who follows her to the auto, climbs in and chloroforms her. James Hambleton of Lynn, Mass., witnesses the abduction of Agatha Redmond. Hambleton sees Agatha forcibly taken aboard a yacht. He secures a tug and when near the yacht drops overboard. Aleck Van Camp, friend of Hambleton, had an appointment with him. Not meeting Hambleton, he makes a call upon friends, Madame and Miss Melanie Reynier. He proposes to the latter and is refused. The three arrange a coast trip on Van Camp's yacht, the Sea Gull. D'Arc, the yacht on which is Agatha Redmond. His clothes and money belt have been taken from him. He meets a man who introduces himself as Monsieur Chateaufort, who is Agatha's abductor. They fight, but are interrupted by the sinking of the vessel. Jimmy and Agatha are both abandoned by the crew, who take to the boats. Jimmy and Agatha swim for hours and finally reach shore in a thoroughly exhausted condition. Recovering slightly, the pair find Hand, the chauffeur who assisted in Agatha's abduction. He agrees to help them. Jim is delicious and on the verge of death. Hand goes for help.

## CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

They were near the bayberry bush, though entirely out from its protection. As the drizzling rain settled down thicker and thicker about them, Agatha tried again. Slowly she coaxed James to his knees, and slowly she helped him creep, as she had crept toward him in the night, along the stones and up into the sheltered corner under the bayberry. It was only a little better than the open, and it had taken such prodigies of strength to get there!

Agatha made a pillow for James' head and sat by him, looking earnestly at his flushed face, and from her heart she sighed: "Ah, dear man, it was too hard! It was too hard!"

It was a long and weary wait for help, though help of a most efficient kind was on the way. Agatha had been looking and listening toward the upper wood, whither Hand had disappeared. She had even called, from time to time, on the chance that she could help to guide the assisting party back to the cove. At last, as she listened for a reply to her call, she heard another sound that set her wondering: It was the p-p-peter-peter of a motor boat. She looked out over the small expanse of ocean that was visible to her, but could see nothing. Nevertheless the boat was approaching, as its puffing proclaimed. It grew more and more distinct, and presently a strong voice shouted "Ahoy! Are you there?"

Three times the shout came. Agatha made a trumpet of her hands and answered with a call on two notes, clear and strong. "All right!" came back; and then, "Call again! We can't find you!" And so she called again and again, though there were tears in her eyes and a lump in her throat for very relief and joy. When her eyes cleared, she saw the boat, and watched while it anchored well off the rocks; then two men put ashore in a row-boat.

"And where are our patients?" came a deep voice from the rocks.

"This way, sir. I think mademoiselle has moved the camp up under the trees," was the reply, unmistakably the voice of Mr. Hand.

And there they found Agatha, kneeling by James and trying to coax him to his feet. "Quick, they have come! You will be cared for now, you will be well again!" she was saying. She saw Hand approach and heard him say: "This way, Doctor Thayer. The gentleman is up here under the trees," and then, for the first time in all the long ordeal, Agatha's nerves broke and her throat filled with sobs. As the chauffeur came near, she reached a hand up to him, while with the other she covered her weeping eyes in shame.

"Oh, I'm so glad you've come! I'm so glad you've come!" she tried to say, but it was only a whisper through her sobs.

"I'm sorry I was gone so long," said Hand, touching her timidly on the shoulder.

"Tell the doctor to take care of him," she begged in the faintest of voices; and then she crept away, thinking to hide her nerves until she could come to herself again. But Hand followed her to the niche in the rocks where she fled, covered her with something big and warm, and before she knew it he had made her drink a cup that was comforting and good. Then he gave her food in little bits from a basket, and sweet water out of a bottle. Agatha's soul revived within her, and her heart became brave again, though she still felt as if she could never move from her hard, damp resting place among the rocks.

"You stay there, please, Mademoiselle," adjured Mr. Hand. "When we

get the boat ready I'll come for you." Then, standing by her in his submissive way, he added a thought of his own: "It's very hard, Mademoiselle, to see you cry!"

"I'm not crying," shrieked Agatha, though her voice was muffled in her arms.

"Very well, Mademoiselle," acquiesced the polite Hand, and departed.

Two men could not have been found who were better fitted for managing a relief expedition than Hand and Doctor Thayer. Agatha found herself, after an unknown period of time, sitting safe under the canvas awning of the launch, protected by a generous cloak, comforted with food and stimulant, and relieved of the pressing anxiety that had filled the last hours in the cove.

She had, in the end, been quite unable to help; but the immediate need for her help was past. Doctor Thayer, coming with his satchel of medicines, had at first given his whole attention to James, examining him quickly and skillfully as he lay where Agatha had left him. Later he came to Agatha with a few questions, which she answered clearly; but James, left alone, immediately showed such a tendency to wander around, following the hallucinations of his brain, that the doctor decided that he must have a sedative before he could be taken away. The needle, that friend of man in pain, was brought into use, and presently they were able to leave the cove. Doctor Thayer and Mr. Hand carried James to the rowboat, and the engineer, who had stayed in the launch, helped them lift him into the larger boat. "No more walking at present for this man!" said the doctor.

They were putting briskly over the water, with the tiny rowboat from the Jeanne D'Arc and the boat belonging to the launch cutting a long broken furrow behind them. Mr. Hand was minding the engine, while the engineer and owner of the launch, Little Simon—so-called probably because he was big—stood forward, handling the wheel. Jim was lying on some blankets and oilskins on the floor of the boat, the doctor sitting beside him on a crackerbox. Agatha, feeling useless and powerless to help, sat on the narrow, uncomfortable seat at the side, watching the movements of the doctor. She was unable to tell whether doubt or hope prevailed in his rugged countenance.

At last she ventured her question; but before replying Doctor Thayer looked up at her keenly, as if to judge how much of the truth she would be able to bear.

"The hemorrhage was caused by the strain," he said at last, slowly. "It is bad enough, with this fever. If his constitution is sound, he may pull through."

Not very encouraging, but Agatha extracted the best from it. "Oh, I'm so thankful!" she exclaimed. Doctor Thayer looked at her, a deep interest showing in his grim old face. While she looked at James, he studied her, as if some unusual characteristic claimed his attention, but he made no comment.

Doctor Thayer was short in stature, massively built, with the head and trunk of some ancient Vulcan. His heavy, large features had a rugged nobility, like that of the mountains. His face was smooth-shaven, ruddy-brown, and deeply marked with lines of care; but most salient of all his features was the massively molded chin and jaw. His lips, too, were thick and full, without giving the least impression of grossness; and when he was thinking, he had a habit of thrusting his under jaw slightly forward, which made him look much fiercer than he ever felt. Thin white hair covered his temples and grew in a straggling fringe around the back of his head, upon which he wore a broad-brimmed soft black hat.

Doctor Thayer would have been noticeable, a man of distinction, anywhere, and yet here he was, with his worn satchel and his old-fashioned clothes, traveling year after year over the country-side to the relief of farmers and fishermen. He knew his science, too. It never occurred to him to doubt whether his sphere was large enough for him.

"I haven't found out yet where we are, or to what place we are going. Will you tell me, sir?" asked Agatha.

"You came ashore near Ram's Head, one of the worst reefs on the coast of Maine; and we're heading now for Charlesport; that's over yonder, beyond that next point." Doctor Thayer answered. After a moment he added: "I know nothing about your misfortunes, but I assume that you capsize in some pesky boat or other. When you get good and ready, you can tell me all about it. In the mean-

time, what is your name, young woman?"

The doctor turned his searching blue eyes toward Agatha again, a courteous but eager inquiry underneath his brusque manner.

"It is a strange story, Doctor Thayer," said Agatha somewhat reluctantly; "but some time you shall hear it. I must tell it to somebody, for I need help. My name is Agatha Redmond, and I am from New York; and this gentleman is James Hambleton of Lynn—so he told me. He risked his life to save mine, after we had abandoned the ship."

"I don't doubt it," said Doctor Thayer gruffly. "Some blind dash into the future is the privilege of youth. That's why it's all recklessness and foolishness."

Agatha looked at him keenly, struck by some subtle irony in his voice. "I think it is what you yourself would have done, sir," she said.

The doctor thrust out his chin in his disconcerting way, and gave not the least smile; but his small blue eyes twinkled.

"My business is to see just where I'm going and to know exactly what I'm doing," was the dry answer. He turned a watchful look toward James, lying still there between them; then he knelt down, putting an ear over the patient's heart.

"All right!" he assured her as he came up. "But we never know how those organs are going to act." Satisfying himself further in regard to James, he waited some time before he addressed Agatha again. Then he said, very deliberately: "The ocean is a savage enemy. My brother Hercules used to quote that old Greek philosopher who said, 'Praise the sea, but keep on land.' And sometimes I think he was right."

Agatha's tired mind had been trying to form some plan for their future movements. She was uneasily aware that she would soon have to decide to do something; and, of course, she ought to get back to New York as soon as possible. But she could not leave James Hambleton, her friend and rescuer, nor did she wish to. She was pondering the question as the doctor spoke, then suddenly, at his words, a curtain of memory snapped up. "My brother Hercules," and "Charlesport!"

"She leaned forward, looking earnestly into the doctor's face. "Oh, tell me," she cried impulsively, "is it possible that you knew Hercules Thayer? That he was your brother? And are we in the neighborhood of Iliou?"

"Yes—yes—yes," assented the doctor, nodding to each of her questions in turn; "and I thought it was you, Agatha Shaw's girl, from the first. But you should have come down by land!" he dictated grimly.

"Oh, I didn't intend to come down at all," cried Agatha; "either by land or water! At least not yet!"

Doctor Thayer's jaw shot out and his eyes shone, but not with humor this time. He looked distinctly irritated. "But my dear Miss Agatha Redmond, where did you intend to go?"

Agatha couldn't, by any force of will, keep her voice from stammering, as she answered: "I wasn't g-g-going anywhere. I was k-kidnaped!"

Doctor Thayer looked sternly at her, then reached toward his medicine chest. "My dear young woman—(Why is it that when a person is particularly out of temper, he is constrained to say My Dear So and So?) "My dear young woman," said Doctor Thayer, "that's all right, but you must take a few drops of this solution. And let me feel your pulse."

"Indeed, doctor, it is all so, just as I say," interrupted Agatha. "I'm not feverish or out of my head, not the least bit. I can't tell you the whole story now; I'm too tired—"

"Yes, that's so, my dear child!" said the doctor, but in such an evident tone of yielding to a delirious person, that he nearly threw her into a fever with anger. But on the whole, Agatha was too tired to mind. He took her hand, felt her pulse, and slowly shook his head; but what he had to say, if he had anything, was necessarily postponed. The launch was putting into the harbor of Charlesport.

Even on the dull day of their arrival, Charlesport was a pleasant looking place, stretching up a steep hill beyond the ribbon of street that bordered its harbor. Fish-houses and small docks stood out here and there, and one larger dock marked the farthest point of land. A great derrick stood by one wharf, with piles of granite block near by.

Little Simon was calling directions back to Hand at the engine as they chugged past fishing smacks and moor-

ing poles, past lobster-pot buoys and a little bug-lighthouse, threading their way into the harbor and up to the dock. Agatha appealed to the doctor with great earnestness.

"Surely, Doctor Thayer, it is a Providence that we came in just here, where people will know me and will help me. I need shelter for a little while, and care for my sick friend here. Where can we go?"

Doctor Thayer cast a judicial eye over the landscape, while he held his hat up into the breeze. "It's going to clear; it'll be a fine afternoon," said he. Then deliberately: "Why don't you go up to the old red house? Sallie Kingsbury's there keeping it, just as she did when Hercules was alive; waiting for you or the lawyer or somebody to turn her out, I guess. And it's only five miles by the good road. You couldn't go to any of these sailor shacks down here, and the big summer hotel over yonder isn't any place for a sick man, let alone a lady without her trunk."

Agatha looked in amazement at the doctor. "Go to the old red house—to stay?"

"Why not? If you're Agatha Redmond, it's yours, isn't it? And I guess nobody's going to dispute your being Agatha Shaw's daughter, looking as you do. The house is big enough for all creation; and, besides, they've been on pins and needles waiting for you to come, or write, or do something." The doctor gave a grim chuckle. "Hercules surprised them all some, by his will. But they'll all be glad to see you, I guess, unless it is Sister Susan. She was always pretty hard on Hercules; and she didn't approve of the will—thought the house ought to go to the Foundling Asylum."

Agatha looked as if she saw the gates of Eden opened to her. "But could I really go there? Would it be all right? I've not even seen the lawyer." There was no need of answers to her questions; she knew already that the old red house would receive her, would be a refuge for herself and for James, who needed a refuge so sorely.

The doctor was already making his plans. "I'll drive this man here," he indicated James, "and he'll need some one to nurse him for a while, too. You can go up in one of Simon-Nash's wagons; and I'll get a nurse up there as soon as I can."

The launch had tied up to the larger dock, and Hand and Little Simon had been waiting some minutes while Agatha and the doctor conferred together. Now, as Agatha hesitated, the businesslike Hand was at her elbow. "I can help you, Mademoiselle, if you will let me. I have had some experience with sick men." Agatha looked at him with grateful eyes, only half realizing what it was he was offering. The doctor did not wait, but immediately took the arrangement for granted. He began giving orders in the tone of a man who knows just what he wants done, and knows also that he will be obeyed.

"You stay here, Mr. Hand, and help with this gentleman; and Little Simon, here, you go up to your father's livery stable and harness up, quick as you can. Then drive up to my place and get the boy to bring my buggy down here, with the white horse. Quick, you understand? Tell them the doctor's waiting."

Agatha sat in the launch while the doctor's orders were carried out. Little Simon was off getting the vehicles; Doctor Thayer had run up the dock to the village street on some errand, saying he would be back by the time the carriages were there; and Hand was walking up and down the dock, keeping a watchful eye on the sheltered corner of the boat, ominously quiet. His eyes were closed, and his face had grown ghastly in his illness. Tears came to Agatha's eyes as she looked at him, seeing how much worse his condition was than when he had talked with her, almost happily, in the night. She herself felt miserably tired and ill; and as she waited, she had the sensation one sometimes has in waiting for a train; that the waiting would go on forever, would never end.

The weather changed, as the doctor had prophesied, and the rain ceased. Fresh gusts of wind from the sea blew clouds of fog and mist inland, while the surface of the water turned from gray to green, from green to blue. The wind, blowing against the receding tide, tossed the foam back toward the land in fantastic plumes. Agatha, looking out over the sea, which now began to sparkle in the light, longed in her heart to take the return of the sunshine as an omen of good. It warmed and cheered her body and soul.

As her eyes turned from the sea to the village tossed up beyond its highest tides, she searched, though in vain, for some spot which she could identify with the memories of her childhood. She must have seen Charlesport in some one of her numerous visits to Iliou as a child; but though she recalled vividly many of her experiences, they were in no way suggestive of this tiny antiquarian village, or of the rocky hillside stretching off toward the horizon. A narrow road wound athwart the hill, leading into the country beyond. It was steep and rugged, and finally it curved over the distant fields.

But the old red house was the tall man that brought back to her mind the familiar picture. She wondered if it lay over the hill beyond that rugged road. She closed her eyes and saw the green fields, the mighty balm-of-gilead tree, the lilac bushes, and the dull red walls of the house standing back from the village street, not far from the white-steeped church. She could see it all so clearly. The thought came to her suddenly that it was home. It was the first realization she had of old Hercules Thayer's

kindness. It was home for her who had else been homeless. She hugged the thought in thankfulness.

"Now, Miss Agatha Redmond, if you will come—"

The eternity had ended; and time, with its swift procession of hours and days, had begun again.

## CHAPTER XII.

### Seeing the Rainbow.

A few days on a yacht, with a calm sea and suncooled weather, may be something like a century of bliss for a pair of lovers, if they happen to have taken the lucky hour. The conventions of yacht life allow a companionship from dawn till dark, if they choose to have it; there is a limited amount of outside distraction; if the girl be an outdoor lass, she looks all the sweeter for the wind rumpling her hair; and on shipboard, if anywhere, mental resourcefulness and good temper achieve their full reward.

Aleck had been more crafty than he knew when he carried Melanie and Madame Reynier off on the Sea Gull. Almost at the last moment Mr. Chamberlain had joined them, Aleck's liking for the man and his instinct of hospitality overcoming his desire for something as near as possible to a solitude a deux with Melanie.

They could not have had a better companion. Mr. Chamberlain was nothing less than perfect in his position as companion and guest. He enjoyed Madame Reynier's grand duchess manners, and spared himself no trouble to entertain both Madame Reynier and Melanie. He was a hearty admirer, if not a suitor of the younger woman; but certain it was, that, if he ever had entertained personal hopes in regard to her, he buried them in the depths of his heart by the end of their first day on the Sea Gull. He understood Aleck's position with regard to Melanie without being told, and instantly brought all his loyalty and courtesy into his friend's service.

Madame Reynier had an interest in seeing the smaller towns and cities of America; "something besides the show places," she said. So they made visits ashore here and there, though not many. As they grew to feel more at home on the yacht, the more reluctant they were to spend their time on land. Why have dust and noise and elbowing people, when they might be cutting through the blue waters with the wind fresh in their faces? The weather was perfect; the thrill of the sea was upon them.

The roses came into Melanie's cheeks and she forgot all about the professional advice which she had been at such pains to procure in New York. There was happiness in her eyes when she looked on her lover, even though she had repudiated him. As for Mr. Chamberlain, he breathed the very air of content. Madame Reynier, with her inscrutable grand manner, confessed that she had never before been able precisely to locate Boston, and now that she had seen it, she felt much better. Even Aleck's lean bulk seemed to expand and flourish in the atmosphere of happiness about him. His sudden venture was a success, beyond a doubt. The party had merry hours; many others full of a quiet pleasure, none that were heavy or uneasy.

If Aleck's outer man prospered in this unexpected excursion, it can only be said that his spiritual self flowered with a new and hitherto unknown beauty. It was a late flowering, possibly—though what are thirty-four years to infinity?—but there was in it a richness and delicacy which was its own distinction and won its own reward.

Melanie's words, spoken in their long interview in the New York home, had contained an element of truth. There was a poignant sincerity in her saying, "You do not love me enough," which touched Aleck to the center of his being. He was not niggardly by nature; and had he given stintingly of his affection to this woman who was to him the best? His whole nature shrank from such a role, even while he dimly perceived that he had been guilty of acting it. If he had been small in his gift of love, it was because he had been the dupes of his theories; he had forsown gallantry toward women, and had unwittingly cast aside warmth of affection also.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### Unused Doors.

With slight trouble and small expense an unused door may be most advantageously converted into a bookcase by having a carpenter set up a vertical board on each side of the door-jamb and upon these boards—to the saving of the door-frame itself—nail the cross-piece upon which the book-shelves are to rest. Then have your woodwork painted or stained to match the door behind it, and hang a curtain of cotton flannel, denim, or a more ornamental and serviceable material from a rod fastened just inside the door-jamb. If the recess be good and deep; if shallow, as the door-settings have the rod fastened across the outside of the door-recess, a door thus treated will accommodate a surprising number of books.

### Wouldn't Do.

"Here's some nice fresh lobsters, mum."  
"No fresh lobsters for me. Have you some that are not fresh?"  
"Why, mum, everybody insists on having fresh lobsters."  
"My sister is visiting at our house and she says fresh lobsters give her a pain."

### A Great Help.

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### Occasional Visitor.

A notable housekeeper of the past generation, before the days of screens, had just announced with decision that she never had any flies.

"But, Aunt Augusta," faltered the timid visitor, "it seems to me that I saw a few in the dining-room."

"Oh, those," replied her aunt, with a majestic wave of the hand, "were the neighbors' flies. They will come in occasionally. But I was saying, we never have any of our own."—Youth's Companion.

### Too Much for Him.

The elevator passed the homely man's floor.

"Here, boy," he cried, "let me out on the sixth. I thought you knew that was my floor."

"Excuse me, sah," returned the boy, stopping the elevator and returning to the sixth floor, "I ought to know your face, sah, but de trouble is I have to remember so many ob 'em, an' you's am so complicated, sah."

### We've Done Our Share.

Woodby—Is there any money in writing for the magazine?

Scrubbins—Sure! the postal department is about half supported that way.—Boston Transcript.

### Sometimes They Are Stolen.

"After all, you ought to buy an auto."

"Buy one, child? That would be difficult. But I might try to get one."—Meggendorfer Blaetter (Munich).

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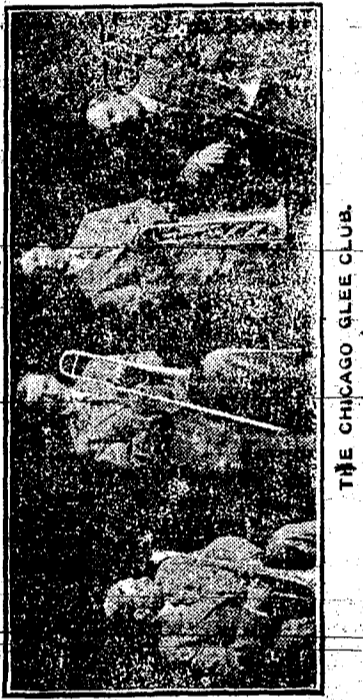
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**School Board Meeting.**

Minutes of a meeting of the Board of Education held at the High School building March 4th at 8:30 p. m. Meeting called to order by President W. P. Squier.

Members present: Squier, Hoyt, Murphy and Bartlett.

Reading of previous meeting dispensed with.

Reading of bills as follows:—

B. D. Cook, repairs W. B. Bldg \$ 12.40
Geo. Pringle..... 5.80
Wm. Johnson, drayage..... 2.00
C. V. Miles wiring..... 1.00
L. W. Selman, advice..... 1.70
Clay Products Co., brick..... 3.28
E. F. Whittington, repaying..... 3.28
Butterfly Pub. Co., envelopes 1.00
Fire Insurance Premium..... 150.00
A. Flannigan, supplies..... 35.40
W. M. Weich Mfg Co., supplies 11.50
Gino & Co., sheet music..... 4.74
Total..... \$231.10

Moved and supported that bills be allowed and orders drawn for same. Carried.

Supt. Northon then submitted his recommendation of teachers for ensuing year, after which various topics pertaining to same, and of vital interest, were discussed.

Motion by Hoyt supported by Murphy that Bartlett and Squier act as a committee to negotiate with and hire the teachers for the ensuing year. Carried.

Meeting then adjourned at 10:30 to meet at the call of the President.

Minutes of a meeting of the Board of Education held at the High School building, Tuesday, February 11, 1913. Session called to order by President W. P. Squier at 8:45 p. m.

Members present: W. P. Squier, L. A. Hoyt, A. M. Murphy, and Ira D. Bartlett.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Bills as follows were presented and read:

Empey Bros., office furniture \$ 31.50
E. J. Elec. Light & Power Co., Elec. Lights..... 5.65
Supernaw Fuel & Produce Co., coal..... 30.90
F. Brown, repairs..... 6.57
State Bank of E. J., interest..... 30.63
Underwriter Typewriter Co., exchange..... 12.50
Wm. Lacroix, labor..... 50
J. F. Kenny, coal..... 40.16
C. H. Whittington, supplies..... 1.85
A. Kenny, drayage..... 1.50
J. W. Rogers, trustee officer..... 9.15
R. Supernaw, coal..... 124.74
Ed Henry, carpenter..... 5.85
Adelle Tisdale, janitor..... 7.50
Dan Goodman, hardware..... 1.45
Stroebel Bros., hardware 6.28
James Gidley, supplies..... 1.00
Mrs. F. Haggert, washing towels 2.23
Shaw Walker Co., supplies..... 9.70
A. Flannigan, supplies..... 45.40
A. Flannigan, supplies..... 1.52
E. J. Elec. Light & Power Co., January lights..... 10.50
Total..... \$387.58

Motion by Hoyt supported by Murphy that bills be allowed and orders drawn for same. Carried.

Motion by Murphy supported by Bartlett that we allow \$1.00 per week for the purpose of helping to defray the board expense of the daughter of Fred Larson while attending school in the 8th grade of the Central School. Carried.

After an informal discussion regarding increase in amount of insurance carried, teachers, and wages, and upon which no formal action was taken, the meeting stood adjourned at 11 o'clock p. m. to meet again at 7:30 o'clock p. m. the first Monday in March.

IRA D. BARTLETT, Sec'y pro-tem.

**Death of Elizabeth Hagerman**

Elizabeth Hagerman, daughter of Mrs. Henry Hagerman, Division St., who departed this life on February 27, 1913, was born at Legnox, Mich. being forty-seven years of age. She moved with her parents to East Jordan thirty years ago. She was one of nine children all of whom are dead. She leaves a widowed mother to mourn her loss, together with a large circle of friends. She was a member of the Epworth League of the Methodist church.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. T. Porter Bennett, pastor of the Methodist Church, assisted by Rev. A. D. Grigsby pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Interment took place at the East Jordan cemetery beside her father who was buried just exactly two months ago.

**County Finances**

Financial Statement of Charlevoix County, showing the amount of cash on hand at the close of business, Feb. 28th, 1913.

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1st..... \$27153.44
Recd. from De Inquent Taxes 498.27
State County Taxes..... 4562.41
Interest on Debt..... 10.56
Mortgage Tax..... 593.90
Total..... \$32445.08

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Contingent Orders..... \$3963.10
Poor Orders..... 820.29
Circuit Court Orders..... 723.90
Criminal Fee Orders..... 14.25
Probate Court Orders..... 21.40
Soldiers Relief..... 49.45
City, Towns & Village..... 161.49
Teachers Institute..... 169.47
State Mortgage Tax..... 53.25
State for Taxes..... 668.26
Cash on hand..... 29171.12
Total..... \$32445.08

Dated at Charlevoix, March 1st, 1913.

D. S. PAYTON  
County Treasurer

The things we get for nothing are apt to cost us more than the things we buy.

Some spinsters are unhappy because they have no men around to marry them.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**

Rev. T. Porter Bennett, Pastor.

10:30 Rev. W. F. Kendrick the District Superintendent of Traverse City will preach. Do not fail to attend and hear him.

11:45 Sunday School. The interest is good and the attendance is above the average. Be sure to see that you and yours attend.

8:15 Epworth League. Mrs. Flora Emney, leader.

7:00 "Who is to blame?" will be the subject that the pastor will take for this evening service. Good singing, a live service a royal welcome awaits all that attend. Services were well attended last Sunday considering the condition of the weather. We have taken forty into the church during the last two weeks. Remember we will receive new members at any of the services. Will you help us to double the membership?

Tuesday at 3:45 Junior Epworth League. All the boys and girls of the city invited. 125 are enrolled as members. The pastor with the assistance of the members have charge of the meetings.

**Presbyterian Church Notes**

Rev. A. D. Grigsby, Pastor.

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Sunday School at 11:45 and the superintendent will be glad to welcome you there. The school is on the boom but there is still room for many more. The P. S. C. E. meets in the evening at 8:15 and the young people will be glad to greet strangers and make them feel at home.

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**SLOAN'S LINIMENT**

**Fine for Sprain**  
Mr. HENRY A. VOELZ, 41 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J., writes: "A friend sprained his ankle so badly that it hurt so much that I could not walk. I told him that I would have him out in a week. I applied Sloan's Liniment and in four days he was working and his ankle was a right good Liniment."



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**The FOSSIL MAN of SUSSEX**

**I**N last summer it was whispered in some privileged circles of "prehistorians" that a wonderful fossil man had been discovered in a gravel of very great antiquity in the south of England. The greatest secrecy was observed as to the exact spot and as to the fortunate discoverer of these remains. It was rumored that the remains now found in England were worthy to compare with the celebrated skeleton of the Chapelle-aux-Saints and the lower jaw from Heidelberg, and indicated a more ape-like type of man than either of these, as well as being geologically much more ancient than any human bones yet discovered.

Some eight weeks ago I was enabled, by the kindness of Mr. Charles Dawson, F. S. A., of Lewes, and Dr. Smith Woodward, F. R. S., of the Natural History Museum, the discoverers of these interesting remains, both to examine the specimens and to visit with one of them the site near Pitdown, in Sussex, where the bones were found. The discovery was brought before the Geological Society by these two gentlemen in full detail recently, and there is no longer any desire on their part that others should abstain from comment on the subject. It was obviously necessary to take steps to avoid any interference with their excavations while these were in progress, and to prevent any premature statements in public about the age and character of the remains.

Dr. Smith Woodward is to be congratulated on the skill with which he has demonstrated their very great interest and importance. The fact that they are the first fossilized human bones found in a flint-bearing gravel associated with flint implements is itself of great interest.

The human bones found are the right half of a lower jaw and a large part of the left side of the skull. They were dug out of a gravel not more than four feet below the surface—and not far apart—so that they probably are parts of the same individual. The bones are mineralized and deeply stained through and through by iron of a ruddy-brown color, as is the sand and the flints among which they are found. They were in a broken state when discovered, and the broken edges had been a little worn before the pieces were embedded where they were found. They are not friable, but tough and hard. The piece of bone forming part of the wall of the brain case is extraordinarily thick—as much as a third of an inch.

The lower jaw has two molar teeth (the first and second) in place. They are worn very flat on the surface. The jawbone is chiefly remarkable for the breadth of the upstanding part or "ramus," and the shallowness of the notch S (called "the sigmoid notch") between the articular process A and the process facing it (the coronoid). In this the Sussex lower jaw is unlike a modern man's, and approaches the heavy, ape-like jaw found in early Pleistocene sands at Heidelberg.

I have roughly sketched the four lower jaws in the accompanying figure, so that these points can be compared: I made the sketch of the Sussex jaw hurriedly, and it must not be regarded as strictly accurate in measurements.

The front part of it is to a large extent broken away, only its lower end, marked X in the drawing, being preserved. But this is a most important bit. It is flattened on the under side, and forms a flat, broad "union" (or symphysis) with the other half of the jaw (broken away) reaching as far back as the "g" in the word Fig.

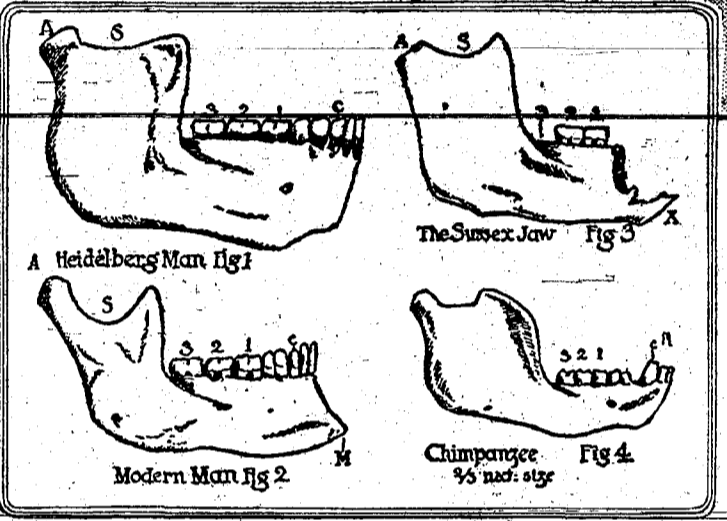
This Dr. Smith Woodward shows is unlike the same region in modern man, or even in the Heidelberg jaw. It is almost exactly like the union of the two halves of the jaw in the chimpanzee, and justifies the completion of the jaw, made by Mr. Frank Barlow, the able modeler of the Natural History Museum, at Dr. Smith Woodward's suggestion.

To fill up the space for teeth indicated by the bone, it is necessary to introduce two large bicuspids, a large canine, and two large front teeth, bigger than those of a man and like those of a well-grown chimpanzee.

The skull has been carefully "completed" from its fragments by Dr. Smith Woodward and Mr. Barlow, and proves to have a good straight forehead, and is probably that of a woman. It does not resemble the skulls of the Neanderthal race, and is in general characters closely similar to that of the inhabitants of this part of Sussex 1,000 years ago.

The gravel in which this fragmentary skull and jawbone were found, embedded as they are as remarkable as are the human remains themselves. The great valley known as the Weald of Sussex is bounded on the north and south and east and west by chalk downs, often as much as 600 feet or 700 feet above the sea level. The chalk once stretched right over the Weald continuously. It has been gradually dissolved and worn away by little streams sinking deeper and deeper into it, and carrying the chalk in solution, and even the green sand below it, away to the sea. The result is that the sands and clays of the great sub-cretaceous fresh-water deposit known as "the Wealden," containing remains of Iguanodon and other great reptiles, are exposed. The chalk and green sand which once lay to the thickness of several hundred feet over the present surface have been slowly carried away, but they still remain all around the edge of this great valley of erosion. The waters which wore away the chalk over this area formed gravels containing the flints washed by them from the chalk, and they must have been laying down these gravels at different levels without cease from the earlier times, when the chalk was hardly worn at all, until the present day.

We find on the edge of the Weald valley, high up on the top of the chalk hills, what are known as



"the high plateau gravels," as much as 700 feet above sea level. The oldest of all these gravels is very possibly of Pliocene age, and is not related to the Thames valley or other existing river valleys, which are of later date than they are. The gravel at Uckfield (Pitdown), in which the human jaw was found, is only 120 feet above sea level—and not far from the River Ouse, which flows past Lewes. Probably a high plateau gravel existed on the top of the chalk which once stretched across the Sussex Weald, and the gravels deposited much later at low levels after the wearing away of the great mass of chalk lying over the Wealden beds contain some material derived from these oldest and highest gravels, and also some of the gravel deposited in every successive age as the erosion continued. So that this bottom gravel on the Sussex plain, only 120 feet above sea level, is likely to contain a mixture and assortment of all the preceding gravels.

Hence it is very difficult to assign the bones and the worked flints (shaped by man) found in it to a definite age. Any fragment we pick up may be as old as the plateau gravels which lay on the top of the chalk in the very early, Pleistocene or late Pliocene age, or may belong to as late a period as that of the actual deposit of the gravel bed in which we now find it imbedded.

The gravel about Pitdown is so fine a layer that it escaped attention from the officers of the Geological Survey. It became known to Mr. Dawson by the fact that local farmers were digging it and sifting it for mending roads. It only exists on slightly raised parts of the valley of the Ouse, and its "make-up" is very peculiar. It contains iron-stone and deeply stained iron-sand from the Wealden strata on which it rests, and peculiar ruddy-brown broken flints, not very numerous, which are nearly all bits of "tabular" flint, recalling those of the high plateau gravel at Ightham, in Kent.

Many of the flints in this Pitdown gravel have been worked by early man into rough implements. They are of flat shape, often triangular in area, and show a coarse but unmistakable "flaking" of human workmanship. I and my companions picked up four from the surface of a plowed field when I visited Pitdown. They are rougher in workmanship than the Acheulian, or even Chellean, implements of our better known river terrace gravels. It is impossible to associate them with those from any other locality known to me; and I should merely say to them that they seem to be earlier than any flint implements which can be rightly called Chellean. Later and more finely worked flint implements have not been found in this gravel.

But the most remarkable thing about this gravel is the discovery in it, by Dr. Smith Woodward and Mr. Dawson, of a fragment of a tooth of a mastodon and of fragments of teeth of the Elephas meridionalis—specimens which were exhibited to the Geological Society.

These two animals are known to occur in Pliocene strata—and are not found as late as the Pleistocene (in this part of the world). The teeth of the elephant in question are very different from those of the mammoth: They are found also in the Norfolk forest-bed and in one or two "fissures" in the South Downs filled in by ancient sands. The remains of this elephant abound in the Pliocene of France and Italy.

A few fragmentary teeth of hippopotamus, a beaver, and a horse, a bit of a large deer's antler, and the human jaw and skull fragment complete the list of animal remains. It is owing to the



THE EARLIEST KNOWN INHABITANT OF ENGLAND

digging up of this thin layer of gravel over several acres of surface and its sifting for road mending material that Mr. Dawson was able to discover some of its peculiar contents, and then by special digging and sifting to get further bones and teeth, including the human fragments.

There can be no doubt that it would be well worth while to continue systematically and carefully the turning over of this strange shallow layer of gravel—the residue or sifting, as it were, of all the ages during which the chalk was melting away from the Sussex Weald.

It is natural to entertain the suppositions, first, that the fragmentary skull and lower jaw are those of one of the race of men who made the rough but well-flaked flint implements, and, secondly, that he was contemporary with the other animals whose bones or teeth have been here found, namely, the mastodon and the "meridional," or southern, elephant, and therefore that the man was of the Pliocene age. It must, however, be strictly asserted that we have as yet no proof of the truth of such suppositions. The human bones, the flint implements, and the mastodon and southern elephant teeth may be each of a totally different age, and yet all brought together by slow wearing away of the solid ground by water and the subsidence of some of its harder constituents into one final gravel deposit at this present day.

On the other hand, if we look at probabilities, there is some reason to hold that the man (of the jaw and skull) did not live later than the makers of the rough flint implements, since no flint implements of a later type occur in this gravel.

To say that he was contemporary with the mastodon and Pliocene elephant, because their fragmentary remains occur side by side with his, is more than we are justified in doing. But it is quite true that there is nothing to prove that they were not coeval.

The strongest argument against their being coeval is that the fragment of human skull and the lower jaw were found near each other, and therefore were probably imbedded for the first time in the existing gravel, and not washed out of a previous deposit.

The Heidelberg jaw is the most impressive of all the remains of primitive man yet discovered. Though it is so extraordinarily powerful in breadth and thickness, and so thoroughly ape-like in the absence of chin, yet the well-preserved teeth are thoroughly human and not ape-like at all.

The canine (marked c in my drawing) is as small as in ourselves. There is no approach to the great projecting dog teeth of the ape (see the figure of the chimpanzee's jaw). Yet the more slender Sussex jaw, owing to its long union or symphysis (beginning as far back as the letter "g" in the word Fig.) is more ape-like and less human. It had almost certainly great canines and large front teeth.

It is to be expected that other specimens will be found in this same gravel when further explored, which will throw more light on the general characteristics of the race to which the Pitdown man belonged and on the question of the geologic age to be assigned to them.

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**The Quarrel.**  
"You said, when you proposed, that you'd rather live in eternal torment with me than in bliss by yourself."  
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Finally, he crept down the stairs and rapped at the door of the young woman's room.

"I can't come in," he said in response to an invitation, "but I simply came to tell you of a friend of mine who would, I know, be willing to pay almost any amount of money to hear you sing."

Overwhelmed with joy the young woman begged the kind old gentleman to write his friend's name and address on a piece of paper.

When he had gone upstairs she looked at the slip of paper which he had handed back to her inscribed and neatly folded. It read: "John W. Jones, Asylum for the Deaf."

**Knew it All.**  
An old but sturdy Irishman, who had made a reputation as a gang boss, was given a job with a railroad construction company at Port-au-Prince, Haiti. One day, when the sun was hotter than usual, his gang of black Haitians began to shirk, and as the chief engineer rode up on his horse the Irishman was heard to shout:

"Allez—you sons of guns—allez!" Then turning to the engineer, he said: "I curse the day I ever learned their language."

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R. C. Allen, director of the Michigan Geological and Biological Survey, was recently induced by a letter from a friend in Seattle to express himself regarding the development of Michigan. He said a great many things that would look good in print, among which were the following:

"A good many people move out of Michigan to the west, lured by fabulous tales of good profits in fruit growing and farming under irrigation. Their places are more than filled, of course, by immigration to Michigan, but we would rather cling to the Michigan farmer and fruit grower who may perhaps have been born and bred here, than to fill his place in the life and industry of the state by the immigrant."

"There are in this state three development bureaus—one in the upper peninsula and two in the southern peninsula—which are engaged in legitimate advertising for development purposes. These organizations are financed by citizens of Michigan of all professions and occupations and their support of this work is given not only in the expectancy of a pecuniary reward, but also in the spirit of patriotism, with full confidence that Michigan has to offer to those who come from foreign parts to make their homes among us, a good climate and an abundance of fertile unoccupied acres with markets and facilities of transportation that are perhaps unequalled in any state which still has open for settlement so large a proportion of good agricultural land."

"It is not maintained by any of the development bureaus that all of the state is a garden and that we do not have lean land. There are lean spots in Michigan, as in other states, but we do not find that efforts are being made by people in Michigan to settle these lean lands, but on the other hand every effort is being made to turn the tide of immigration on the unoccupied good agricultural lands."

"While I do not care to deliver any panegyric, yet when western states are flooding the country with highly colored literature about the profits of dry farming, of farming by irrigation, and of fruit growing, I feel no hesi-

tation in saying that Michigan with her insular climate, tempered by the waters of the Great Lakes, her enormous coast line, offering lake transportation to some of the greatest markets in the country, her millions of fertile acres of good unoccupied agricultural land, her diversified industries, etc., offers advantages to the immigrant and to the homeseeker that are not surpassed, and in many respects are not equaled, by any other state. I was born and bred in Indiana, raised in Kansas and Wisconsin, and have knocked about over a fair part of this country and some of Canada, and I want to say that in comparison with other states and acres with which I am acquainted that life in Michigan is apt to be just as fruitful and remunerative, and above all enjoyable, as in any other part of this country."

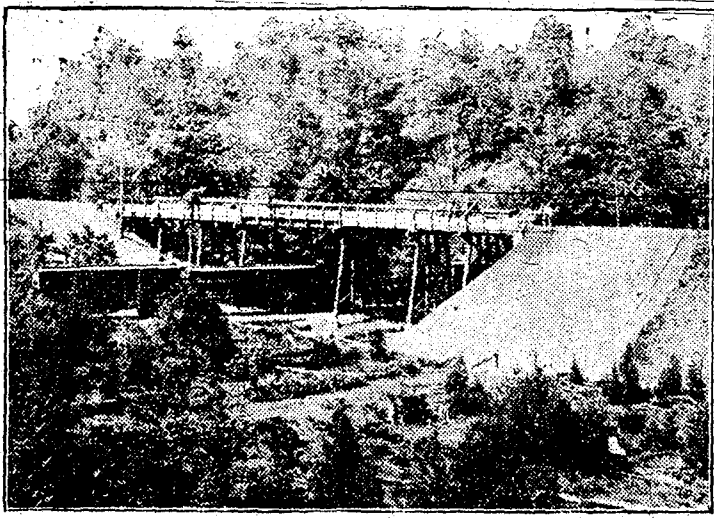
## TO ENLARGE CANNING PLANT

Increase in Business Requires Additional Factory Facilities at Hart Concern.

The W. K. Roach & Co. canning factory at Hart, Oceana county, is to be enlarged by the addition of a four-story brick construction building. This building, which will be started as soon as the frost is out of the ground, will be 90x160 feet. Work will be hurried that the building may be ready for use by the latter end of summer, when the additional room is needed to take care of the large pack of vegetables. Last fall it was necessary to keep the factory running until the close of December in order to clean up the season's pack. With additional facilities it is believed that not only a larger quantity of farm produce can be handled, but that the season's run can be disposed of more quickly. This canning firm has plants at Scottville, Mason county; Kent City, Kent county, and Edmore, Montcalm county. The coming spring a viner station is to be established at Stanton for the purpose of handling the peas grown in that vicinity for the Edmore plant.

## Profit in Sheep.

D. C. McGinness, who is located near Lake City, Missaukee county, finds sheep raising a profitable industry for Western Michigan. Eight years ago he invested \$85 in sheep and was successful enough the first season to not only get all his capital back, but to increase the size of his flock. Since the first season he has had annual profits to conserve. The pasture is a native grass called penny grass, and when the sheep are rounded up in the fall they are fat enough to market.



MAKING THE HIGH BRIDGE-FILL.

The worst mile of road in Grand Traverse county was recently tackled by the board of county road commissioners and made into one of the best miles. Better than 30,000 cubic yards of earth were moved. The big hills on either side of the fill were cut down and the fill was raised several feet and made much broader. The trestle was raised so that the tallest cars on the railroad would be far below the bridge floor. The sides of the earth embankments were covered with turf to prevent washing and blowing. The roadway was given a covering of gravel, which is packing finely. The improvement cost \$8,400, but as it makes into a good road, the main thoroughfare to the center of the county, it is well worth the expenditure.

## REAL USE FOR QUEUE

QUITE GOOD REASONS WHY CHINAMAN CHERISHED IT.

Was Believed to Promote Health, and Certainly Was a Protection to the Head Both in Summer and Winter.

A great many people have, no doubt, wondered just why the Chinese should cultivate queues. It has been claimed that the queue was sacred to them, that it was a disgrace to injure those long braids of shiny black hair, just as it was considered nearly a sacrilege in Bible times to injure the beard.

No doubt the Chinaman took pride in his long braid of hair, because his fathers before him took pride in it, but, according to several authorities who have long studied the customs and history of China and the Chinese, there were other reasons for the queue, and apparently quite good reasons at that.

In the first place, the Chinaman believed that it was far more healthful to wear his head shaven, except at the top of his head, and let it grow in a long mass to be braided. One belief was that wearing the hair in this manner increased the circulation of blood in the brain and therefore made the Chinaman healthier and keener.

Then again, during cold weather the queue could be braided—about the head, giving the protection of a thick warm cap. And in extremely hot weather (the queue was again braided about the top of the head, this time to protect the wearer from sunstroke.

The long queue is also used as a sort of neck-cloth, to wrap about the neck, and it is bound loosely on the back of the head to serve as a pillow at night. Perhaps one of the most peculiar usages attributed to it is in sudden illness or injury, especially in the old days of warfare when swords were the general weapons. Then it was used as a tourniquet to bind about the injury and prevent too great a loss of blood.

It was for these reasons as well as for any reasons of sentiment or religion that the Chinaman hesitated so long before agreeing to sacrifice their queues, but it is evident that the custom of wearing queues was not what might be termed a "foolish habit," as it was really made to serve a number of uses.

## Fable of a Dog That Misunderstood.

Once there was a motley little yellow dog that was picked up in the street by a kind man. The man, feeling sorry for him and being afraid no one else would be good to such a homely cur, kept him and bought him a handsome collar and treated him so well that the dog soon began to strut and grew very proud and vain.

"Surely," he said to the house cat, "I must be a very fine dog to be so much admired and petted," and with that he began to bark at the solemn old Persian cat, which ignored him entirely.

"She is rather a well trained old thing," thought the dog. "She knows enough not to talk back to her betters."

Then he ran out in the street and barked at a beautiful horse that was passing the house, but neither the driver nor the horse paid any attention to him.

"Ah," said the dog, "I must be a very fine dog, indeed—they, too, realize they must not reprove their superiors."

Moral: To the conceited all signs are compliments.

## Romantic Salute.

The young lieutenant in his trim and elegant uniform saluted in the stiff and yet somehow graceful military manner, a pretty matron promenading the hotel piazza at Old Point Comfort.

"The military salute," he said, "is peculiarly appropriate to you, madam. Do you happen to know its origin?"

"No."

"Well, its origin goes back to the days of chivalry, to the tournaments of the Middle Ages. In those tournaments the knights before the combat began rode past the queen of beauty on her throne. As they caroled by her they simultaneously brought the hand to a horizontal position above the brows, then dropped it to the side again—a genuine military salute. And this they did, in their chivalrous way, to protect their eyes from the blinding rays of the queen of beauty's loveliness. That, madam, is the origin of the military salute, and that is why the military salute is so appropriate to one like you."

## Perhaps Wanted to Purchase.

William Draper Lewis, at a dinner in Chicago, said of a squabble between two factions: "If they knew European history, they would not find these proposals so unprecedented. But they are ignorant. They are as ignorant of European history as Cornelius Husk was ignorant of European art."

"Husk entered the national gallery in Trafalgar square one day. He watched a young student copying the faded Rokeby Venus; then he watched another young student copying a cracked Holbein; then he watched a third student copying a dim Raphael.

"Finally he bent over the easel of the last young man and asked: 'Say, mister, what do you do with the old pictures when the new ones are finished?'"—The Home Budget.

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## THOUGHTFUL RUTH.



Ruth—Yes; I got papa to buy a vacuum cleaner for mother.

Maud—How thoughtful!

Ruth—Yes. Mother is a little stiffened up with rheumatism, you know, and I used to feel so sorry to see her trying to use the broom that I always left home on sweeping day.

## As to the Wedding Garb.

Colonel Watterson occasionally turns his attention from dressing down candidates to dressing up inquiring correspondents. Listen to this advice from the Louisville Courier-Journal:

"There are two reasons for being married in a dress suit, young man. It's fashionable and it's your last chance to get a dress suit."

This can be considered good advice, founded on observation and experience, even if it is a little pessimistic.

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## Compromise.

Senator Fletcher of Jacksonville, apropos of the recent peace conference in London, said:

"Such conferences usually end in a compromise, and the people concerned depart homeward with sour smiles."

"A compromise, you know, has been accurately described as an agreement whereby both parties get what they don't want."

## The Kind.

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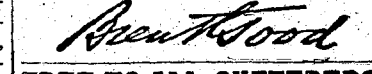
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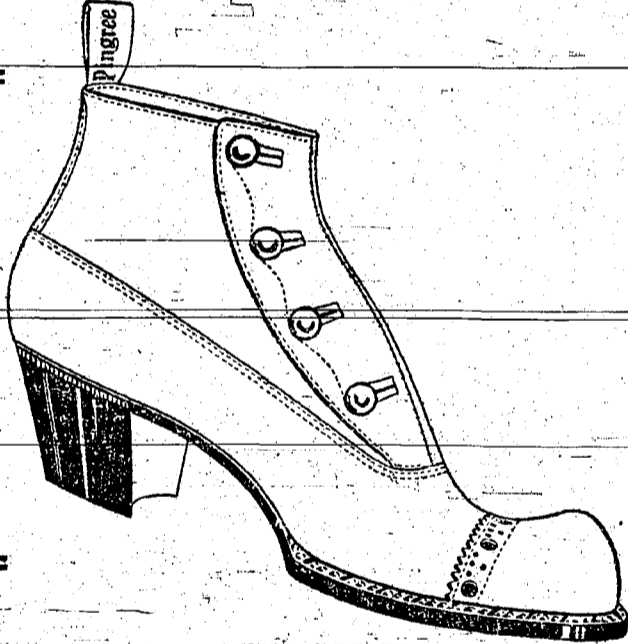
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