

# THE PLYMOUTH MAIL.

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WHOLE NO. 735.

## Does your Nose Shine?

We have several kinds of Face Powder that will stop the shine.

## Do you Cough?

Moss Pine Cough Syrup will cure it. Only 15c for a large bottle.

## Does your Wife Kick,

Because you smoke cheap Cigars in the house? Buy a John Tyler Cigar for 5c. and make her smile.

## The Wolverine Drug Co.

### Breezy Items

By Five Correspondents.

#### STARK.

It is hoped all will attend the services of the Union church next Sunday at 2 p. m. Rev. Beckwith will preach to boys and girls from the subject, "Sunshine." The choir's selections also are "Sunshine." Come and let the sun shine in your soul.

There will be a shadow and box social held at the home of John Stringer, at Livonia Center, Friday evening, Oct 18, for the benefit of the Sunday-school. Ladies are requested to bring supper for two. Gentlemen are requested to bring ladies.

The ladies' aid society met at the church Wednesday. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Bentley the second Wednesday in November. Arrangements will be made for a Christmas Bazaar.

We, the jury find that the deceased came to his death from heart failure, caused by not taking Rocky Mountain Tea made by the Madison Medicine Co. 35c. The Wolverine Drug Co.

#### PERRINSVILLE.

Dr. Hausherr visited with W. Sherman and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kern and son, of Detroit, visited with Lee J. Meldrum a couple of days last week.

Misses Edith Lyle and Ada Badelt spent last Thursday with the former's sister, Mrs. Wade, at Plymouth.

Miss Nellie Sherman has been visiting in Detroit for a few days.

Mrs. May Knight spent last Friday in Detroit.

Mrs. Eli Smead and son Milton, of Lakeview, are visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. A. Robinson, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder, of Detroit, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Stephenson.

Mesdames James Tait and Lee Meldrum spent one day last week in Detroit.

Harlan Winchester, of Detroit, and his son John, of Washington, D. C., have been calling on old friends at this place.

Arthur Hanchett and family and Mrs. J. Edwards and daughter spent Sunday with L. P. Hanchett and family, at Plymouth.

#### MEAD'S MILLS.

Ira Thomas, of this place, and Miss Maggie Burch, of Plymouth, were married in Detroit last Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. T. Rogers and daughter visited at W. J. McRoberts last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Van, of Detroit, are visitors at John McGraw's this week.

H. W. Hughes is working at mason work at Grand Blanc for the P. M. Ry. The P. M. Co. is pushing the work on their new road bed at a great rate.

Mrs. Mary Martin visited her cousin, G. P. Benton, last week.

Mrs. T. Bridleman, of Parshallville, Mich., was troubled with salt rheum for thirteen years and had tried a number of doctors without relief. After two applications of Banner Salve, her hands became better and in a short time she was entirely cured. Beware of substitutes. Wolverine Drug Co.

#### TONQUISH

Miss May Rhead, of Eaton Rapids, called on relatives here last week.

Miss Tinnie Lee, who has been visiting her grandmother here, has gone to Canada to spend a short time.

The shadow social held at Mr. Stine's last Friday evening was a success in every way. It being a large house, a large crowd was present. A short program, consisting of singing and recitations helped to pass away the evening. \$7.30 was cleared and added to the Sunday-school treasury. All enjoyed themselves.

H. B. Rowe has purchased some fine high-priced stock from parties near Orchard Lake.

Mrs. Hix and Mrs. Russell took a trip to Ypsilanti on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Justus Treat, formerly of this place, now of Belding, Ionia county, came down to visit Mrs. Treat's parents last Sunday. Mr. T. returned home the same night.

Mr. Kisor moved into the Egloff house.

The helping hand society will hold a "hand" social at James King's Tuesday evening, Oct. 15. The society is thinking of painting the Tonquish church, so every one come and enjoy the evening and help in a good cause.

After exposure or when you feel cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Wolverine Drug Co.

## PURITAN SHOES



Ladies' and Men's 'Puritan,'

ANY STYLE,

\$3.50.

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ANY STYLE,

\$4.00.

No. 756. New Last, the very Latest

This shoe is made on our new drop toe, with arched instep, of black Russia Calf, Kangaroo-Top.

We are showing the largest line of Patent Leathers in the city. If you want a full dress-Patent Leather, call for our Patent Coltskins with a Matt-Kid Top.

The sale of our Women's Shoes has increased very rapidly for the past year. We attribute the reason principally to the fact that our new lasts, which we have recently added, are very stylish, fit perfect and are comfortable.

We have a new line of Heavy Work Shoes which we would be glad to show you and make prices.

## A LARGE LINE OF RUBBER GOODS

We have the best School Shoes in town—"All Solid Gibraltar."

## Our Fall and Winter Dry Goods

Have arrived and we now have a larger line than ever before to show to the public. Beautiful shades in Fancy Moleskins and Corded Albatros for Waists.

## GOLD FISH, GOLD FISH, GOLD FISH

The latest thing in the premium line. With 1 lb. of Baking Powder we will give you two Gold Fish and Glass Aquarium. Come before they are all gone.

Our Grocery Department is always fresh and clean. Free delivery any part of city.

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## J. R. RAUCH & SON

#### MURRAY'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Bolt and Mrs. Hoag, of Detroit, visited at Orson Westfall's the first of the week.

The aid society met yesterday at Mrs. Curran Root's, with several new members. The last meeting held at Mrs. Perry Walker's was a very large one, there being eighty present.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gale visited at Sheldon Gale's Sunday.

Mrs. Eldred visited at Mrs. Orson Westfall's last week.

The Hawaiian woman's club at Honolulu debated the question: "Is it better to take Rocky Mountain Tea hot or cold? Either way it magnifies your pleasure. The Wolverine Drug Co.

#### LIVONIA CENTER.

Mrs. Esther Vanhouten is on the sick list with some severe head trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith are happy grandparents again. A youngster at George Joslin's this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McEachran and children Sundayed at Joe McEachran's.

There will be a cemetery social at Henry Johnson's Saturday night Oct. 12th. Supper will be served for the small sum of ten cents. Proceeds to go toward improving the Center cemetery.

The many friends of Miss Genie Gunning hope for a speedy recovery for her and that she may soon be among us again.

Miss Grace Peck and friend, Oscar Seivert, and W. H. Reynolds, all of Detroit, visited their parents and friends in these parts last Sunday.

Fred Garchow is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Schrader, of Detroit, a few days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stringer Sundayed in Salem, guests of Mrs. Nocker.

There will be a Sunday-school social at Mrs. E. Stringer's Friday evening, Oct. 18th. It will be a shadow social, for the benefit of the Sunday-school.

Mrs. Sarah Turnbull is expected back to live in her house at the Center about November 1st.

Makes assimilation perfect, healthy blood, firm muscles, strong nerves. Quickens the brain, makes and keeps you well. Great medicine. Rocky Mountain Tea, 35c. The Wolverine Drug Co.

## GAYDE'S MEAT MARKET

Is the place to buy your meats.

WE HAVE THE BEST WE CAN BUY.

The best cuts of

BEEF, PORK,  
VEAL and MUTTON.

All kinds of Salt and Smoked Meats  
Poultry etc.

Telephone us your order and we will deliver it free of charge.

WM. GAYDE

NORTH VILLAGE.



### One Batch of Bread

made and baked at home may turn out all right, and the next half dozen all wrong. This results from circumstances over which the housewife has no control.

### Bread is of Uniform Quality

because our bakers do nothing else but make and bake bread.

The ovens are perfect, the heat just right and there is nothing to be done with the expert attention of the baker.

Our Productions are Unexcelled.

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Newest Patterns  
Lowest Prices

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Fall Styles for 1901.

Street Hats at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50.  
Pattern Hats for ladies and children.  
Hats trimmed to YOUR order.

Ladies cordially invited to call, at

MAUD VROOMAN'S

Main Street, Plymouth.

F. W. SAMSEN, Publisher.

PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN.

Never a magnanimity less to the ground but there is some heart to greet and accept it unexpectedly.

A man's growth is seen in the successive choir of his friends. For every friend whom he loses for truth, he gains a better.

It is no proof of a man's understanding to be able to confirm whatever he pleases; but to be able to discern what is true is true, and that what is false is false, this is the mark and character of intelligence.

According to the return prepared by the Ministry of Agriculture the number of wolves killed in France last year was 115, and the amount paid in premiums for their destruction was \$214. Since the passing of the law of 1832 instituting these premiums 8,951 wolves of all sorts have been killed, and a sum of \$26,128 has been paid in rewards.

One of the curiosities of an English residence of nobility is a weeping willow made of copper, and so dexterously fashioned that at a distance it resembles a real tree. It is actually a shower bath, for, by pressing a secret button, a tiny spray of water can be made to burst forth from every branch and twig, to the discomfort of any who may be under it.

A penitent burglar has just made restitution of jewels to the amount of \$3,000, which he had stolen two months ago from the jewelry house of William Washburn & Co., in Anderson, Ind. They were returned through Father E. A. Murphy of St. Mary's Church, Chicago. As the admission of guilt was made under the seal of confession, the clergyman, of course, did not reveal the burglar's name.

In Hungary, where dueling is very frequent, a duel between two school-boys has just taken place, with serious results. Ludwig Krusecz, 15 years old, a scholar of the Zborow grammar school, was in love with a girl one year younger than himself, but had a rival in her affections in his school-fellow, Nicholas Litka, a boy of 16. One day they quarreled in the girl's presence, and Litka struck the other in the face. Krusecz sent two seconds, chosen from his schoolfellows, with a challenge to his rival, and a duel with revolvers in regular form took place. Krusecz was shot in the abdomen, and is now lying between life and death.

One of the most remarkable sermons ever heard in Covington, Ky., was preached at the First Baptist church, Sunday, by Metz Joiner, a boy preacher just nine years of age, who held one of the largest congregations ever seen in this town enraptured for thirty minutes, while he delivered a wonderful sermon. People flocked from the country all around to hear this wonderful little preacher. The church was packed and many people had to leave, as they could find no room. The little preacher entered the pulpit in a calm and deliberate manner, and before beginning asked the ladies to kindly remove their hats so that people in the back of the church could see. Then he requested the undivided attention of the congregation.

To familiarize the people of India with the features of King Edward, and to impress upon them that all authority is exercised in his name, the government of India has decided to have portraits of the King, three-quarters length, in oils, costing from \$50 to \$75 each, placed in the official residences of the heads of governments and local administrations, the chief courts of justice of the different provinces, and all large buildings in which durbars are held. Portraits costing from \$30 to \$50 will be placed in the official residences of political agents and residents in native states and in the durbar rooms of such states. All the ordinary courts throughout the empire will be provided with colored lithographs or engravings of the King.

Some people predict that the day is not far off when the peasantry of France will rise up in a mass against scorching motorists. In certain districts whole villages have already united in anti-automobile campaigns—the method of warfare employed consisting in strewing roads with nails and broken bottles. This has been done in Normandy, but the glass and bits of iron were found to damage horses' feet as much as automobile tires, and, moreover, rendered cycling an impossibility for the many country laborers in France who ride to and from their work. So that plan of campaign had to be given up. Now peasants in some parts contemplate resorting to nothing less than lynch law. In certain districts villagers seriously talk of going about, fowling pieces in hand, and winging motorists who tear through hamlets and small towns at 50 miles an hour.

An extraordinary case of smuggling was detected at Dover recently. On the passengers landing from the Osceola boat the custom house officers noticed that a lady looked suspiciously bulky about the skirts. Upon being questioned it was found that she had concealed under her dress a fox terrier, which she was endeavoring to smuggle into the country to evade the prohibition law in regard to dogs. The incident caused much amusement, the dog being taken possession of and sent back to Ostend.

Corunna a Sufferer by a Costly Blaze.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT AT ADRIAN

A Farmer Loses His Life Trying to Save His Stock—Cyclones Work Havoc and Destroy Property—A Pittable Case Near Mendon—Other News.

Two Were Terribly Crushed. A terrible accident occurred at the west warehouse of the Page Fence Works, Adrian, Saturday. A gang of men was employed piling coils of wire some three feet in diameter bound into a mass about the size of a stove-pipe and weighing about 200 pounds each. The rows were piled on the east side and four tiers were begun on the west side. The tier next the wall was six feet high. The second tier was some lower; the third tier half way up, and the fourth tier about four feet high. The force was in charge of John Haudgen, and the coils were piled in the same way as had been the custom always. Some were piling on to the second tier, standing on the first, and one was on a scaffold piling on to the third tier. Without any warning, the wire of the first tier began slipping and immediately toppled over upon the men, Wilford S. Bowen and Thomas Bee were caught and buried beneath a mass of tons of wire, both being crushed and instantly killed. Jack Maddox, or Mattox, who had been working but two days, was caught and one leg broken. Michael Fraley was slightly hurt. Frank Wickham somewhat bruised. The most intense excitement prevailed and busy hands soon removed the heavy coils from the crushed men.

Shockingly Mangled by Hogs. Mrs. Ansel Green, of Sebawa township, was attacked by hogs and so frightfully mangled she will die. Mrs. Green was hunting for eggs in the barnyard, when three hogs suddenly turned upon her and knocked her down. The animals apparently became frenzied and began to tear at the woman's arms and body. Mrs. Green became unconscious, and then the hogs moved away. When she regained consciousness Mrs. Green managed to get to her feet and started to run for the gate. She had taken only a few steps when she was again attacked and knocked down. Her screams finally brought help and the hogs were driven away by her son. The flesh was stripped from Mrs. Green's right arm and it had to be amputated. Her left arm and hand was also terribly torn. One side of her face was torn to shreds. The unfortunate woman's body was also shockingly mutilated. There is no hope of her recovery. Mrs. Benj. Probasco, a sister of Mrs. Green, in going to the latter's bedside, was thrown from a buggy and seriously injured.

Can They Do It? Commenting on the reduction of the price of sugar in the Missouri market by the sugar trust, Henry T. Oxnard, president of the American Beet Sugar Association, defined it as a move to crush out beet sugar production in opposition. "If they can succeed in the Missouri Valley," said he, "they will then turn their attention to the beet sugar factories in Michigan and other sections, and by the power of concentrated capital crush out successively and individually the beet sugar producers. The trust tries to deceive the public by claiming that the beet producers can still make money at the low price it is trying to establish. This is false, and if it had been true, then the trust would have tried to establish still a lower price. They are not sacrificing one-half per cent in the Missouri river markets to make a price that will still be profitable to the beet sugar men.

Royal Oak's Sensation. Sunday morning Harrison Long, foreman for Dr. Clawson, went putting on the Medbury farm, one mile and a half north of Royal Oak. He noticed a cat scratching and smelling in one particular place. The cat was so persistent that he thought something must be wrong and he decided to make an investigation. He went to the place and scraped away the dirt, when he found the body of a woman in an advanced stage of decomposition. It is thought she had been dead about six or eight months. There were no shoes on the corpse. The remains are in such a bad shape they cannot be identified. An attempt will be made to find out if she was the victim of foul play. It is not known that any woman in Royal Oak or vicinity is missing. The affair is shrouded in mystery.

No Election in Detroit. The Supreme Court has handed down a decision sustaining the constitutionality of the so-called "term extension" bill passed by the last legislature as an amendment to the election chapter of the Detroit city charter. The opinion holding the act valid and sustaining the action of the Wayne Circuit Court was written by Justice Long and signed by himself, Justices Montgomery and Hooker. A dissenting opinion was filed by Justices Grant and Moore. The purport of the act was to defer by a year the date of the next Detroit municipal election and to extend by a similar period the terms of office of the mayor and other city officers and one-half of the members of the common council.

Brutally Murdered. United States District Attorney George G. Corvill has received official information about the murder of Con and Florence Sullivan of Grand Rapids, at Cape Nome, Alaska. The crime was particularly brutal, and Fred Hardy, of Chicago, has been convicted and sentenced to hang on December 6 for the deed.

A 46-inch vein of coal has been struck at a depth of 325 feet on the farm of Hon. W. P. Redfern, three and one-half miles southeast of Maple Rapids.

Was She Lizzie Jeffrey? The mystery surrounding the woman whose body was found in the woods a mile back from Royal Oak is still as deep as ever. There are many theories as to how the unfortunate woman met her death, but the sheriff's force of Pontiac seem to think it was the body of Lizzie Jeffrey, who was employed as a domestic in Birmingham and disappeared somewhat mysteriously. Her trunk, which was left in Birmingham, contained letters from a number of men, and one was from a party in Vassar, Mich. The sheriff has taken charge of all the girl's effects, and will keep them till something is found out about her. Just after Lizzie Jeffrey's disappearance a man and woman registered at the Royal Oak hotel as Nelson Carpenter and wife, of Vassar, Mich. They remained there a few days and the man went away. Several days later the woman disappeared, and the couple were not heard from again. This woman also answers the description of the dead woman and of Lizzie Jeffrey, and the police are working on the fact as a clue.

Killed by Football. Robert L. McKee, the Alma College student who re-opened an old internal injury in the football game between Alma and the D. A. C. team last Saturday afternoon, died yesterday afternoon at Alma. An operation was performed on him in Brainard hospital and it was found that his intestines were injured. There seems to have been no secret made of the fact that he had an old hernia that bothered him at times, and why the Alma coaches allowed him to play is not explained. Mr. McKee was very popular in Alma and his death has saddened the whole college. He was 27 years old and made his home with sisters in Detroit. He was a senior and would have graduated next June. He was president of the college, Y. M. C. A., a member of several of the literary societies and was preparing for missionary work.

Marriages and Divorces. A compilation of marriages and divorces returned by county clerks for the year 1900 has been made by the secretary of state. There were 23,295 marriages in the state last year, as compared with 21,877 in 1899, and 20,138 in 1898. The returns for the year 1900 thus show a considerable increase over the preceding years, although the large number of marriages of non-residents returned from St. Joseph somewhat interferes with exact comparisons. Berrien county reported 1,448 marriages for 1900, 1,077 for 1899, and only 444 for 1898. The number of divorces returned also shows a considerable increase for 1900, there being 2,418 as compared with 2,218 for 1899, and 1,908 for 1898.

He Has Hydrophobia. A six-year-old boy, the son of a prominent farmer named Fred Deffren, residing near here, is suffering with a case of genuine hydrophobia. Some weeks ago he was bitten by the same dog which bit several persons who took the Pasteur treatment in New York. So long a time elapsed since the bite that it was almost out of mind till Tuesday when he showed signs of the dread disease. The little fellow is in such agony and has such severe convulsions that four men are required to hold him.

MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS.

A new bank will be opened in May-lee. The next encampment of the state troops will be held at Manistee. Baroda is terrorized by hebes and burglaries are of nightly occurrence. A heavy frost fell Friday night, ice forming on ponds throughout the fruit belt.

The Marlette State Bank has been authorized to do business with a capital of \$25,000. Mason's fourth successful street fair closed Saturday. Free entertainment was provided.

Numerous hogs \$5 silver certificates have come to light in southwestern Michigan lately.

Syms Bros' paper mill, Watervliet, has been absorbed by the paper trust and the factory has been closed.

Leonard Hook, of Howell, who was gored by a vicious bull, died late Thursday night from his injuries.

Ed. Plunket, a Muskegon telephone line-man, fell from the top of a pole, a distance of 40 feet. He will live.

Reading was deserted on Thursday, over 600 tickets being sold to Hillsdale, where the fair is in progress.

The safe in L. Wiseman's store, Farwell, was broken open by burglars Tuesday morning. They secured \$350 in cash.

Hog cholera is working havoc among the swine in Branch county. One farmer lost 43 swine in a few days from the disease.

Charles Hinson, colored, of Big Rapids, waived examination on the charge of criminal assault, and was remanded to jail in default of \$5,000 bail.

There is a movement among the depositors of the defunct First National Bank, of Niles, to arrest the directors on a charge of criminal negligence.

The Detroit Free Press' show printing plant, one of the best in the country was damaged by fire Saturday night to the extent of about \$10,000.

George Hillard, aged 30, of Colfax, was fatally injured by falling in a hay press. His nose and head were badly smashed. He has a wife and family.

Charles Lane, a Calhoun county farmer, has a fortune in his apple orchard this fall. He contracted to sell his crop of 18,000 bushels at \$1 a bushel.

Burnett Ripley, of Muskegon, aged 60, who was suffering from a lingering disease, shot himself through the temple, while lying in bed. He was a well-known pioneer.

Horner Everhardt, of Corey, committed suicide Friday morning by shooting himself through the head. He was a prosperous farmer. Family troubles are hinted at.

Word from Washington has it that Stanley W. Turner is slated to succeed Charles Wright as collector of internal revenue in Detroit, the change to be made early next year.

The residence of Peter Mettee, a farmer living near Willow, was burned together with its contents. The family barely escaped with their lives, in their night clothes. Nothing was saved.

The 8-year-old son of Fred Deffren, Owosso, is said to be suffering from hydrophobia. He was bitten by a mad dog a few weeks ago, and at times it requires four men to hold him down.

A farmer near Burr Oak rented a farm for \$4 an acre and thought he was paying too big a price for the land. He has just sold his crop of potatoes for \$1,200 and has 200 bushels left.

Charles A. Johnson, the defaulting cashier of the First National Bank at Niles, who robbed that concern of more than \$100,000, was sentenced to 10 years in the Detroit house of correction.

Ex-Judge of Probate Daniel M. Botsman, of Three Rivers, is dead, aged 68 years. He was many times elected to public office, and was probate judge for 16 years. He leaves a widow and two sons.

Several cases of diphtheria have developed in the public schools of Carrollton and at a meeting of the board of health, the schools were closed. The trouble originated in a Polish settlement.

A horse and buggy belonging to Wm. Lewis, a farmer living near Camden village, was stolen Monday evening. The horse was standing upon the main street of the village. The thief has been traced to Indiana.

M. R. Wood, formerly manager of the Port Huron Salt Co., did not deny the rumor that he was interested in a soda ash plant to be erected in that city, and the indications are that Port Huron will have such a plant.

W. F. Ward, superintendent of the Owosso Coal Company, has discovered a good vein of coal at a depth of 195 feet in Owosso township. The vein is about three and one-half feet in thickness and the coal is of good quality.

The great "Himoid" festival opened in Grand Rapids, Monday, and will last through the week. Many attractions are there, and a lively week is promised. Thursday will be Governor's day.

Gov. Bliss has pardoned Mrs. Adelle Debar, sent to the Detroit House of Correction for 60 days; also paroled Carlos Giddings, of Grafton county, and commuted the sentence of John Weng, of Jackson, from five to three years.

George Stevenson, a Mt. Pleasant snake charmer, was bitten by one of the pets while exhibiting at the Holland fair. His hand and arm were badly swollen, but he will probably recover through prompt medical attendance.

A dispatch from Washington says that the life saving service has received a telegram from Bailey's Harbor, Wis., that the whaleback steamer Thomas Wilson is a total loss, but that her crew of 20 men was saved by the life saving service.

Amos Robbins, of Muskegon, aged 63, was killed at a crossing by a Pere Marquette train, which struck his rig, cutting it in two. The horses, and the other two occupants of the wagon, were thrown down an embankment 60 feet, but escaped injury.

With the state appropriation of \$4,500 the Michigan Agricultural Society is about \$15,000 to the good on account of the state fair, and the people of Pontiac have been assured that they can retain the show as long as they can continue to furnish paying crowds.

Fireman Corwin, of the Michigan Central, was thrown from the cab of his engine near Lapeer by the breaking of a axle rod. He struck on his head and was fatally injured. The accident occurred at a curve where young Beecher, of Detroit, lost his life in 1895.

A Fenton baker, M. Hummel, was bitten on the finger while attempting to separate several fighting guinea pigs, and the bite caused blood poisoning. An operation was performed, and on opening the finger the bone was found to be entirely gone for half its length.

The U. S. Grand jury in Grand Rapids on Saturday returned thirteen indictments, and more are to come. Two of those returned are against Postmaster Callahan, of Reed City, for misappropriation of funds, and Dr. J. C. Batdorf, of Grand Rapids, for fraudulent use of the United States mail.

Albion Stroud and Cyrus Windiate, charged with the murder of Fred Newbirth, are on trial in the Pontiac Circuit Court. The alleged crime was committed during a drunken row in that city three months ago. Newbirth was hit over the head with a beer bottle, it is alleged, and his injuries proved fatal.

Henn Victor C. Vaughan, of the University of Michigan, in a lecture before the Kalamazoo Academy of Medicine, predicted that in the next twenty years great disease epidemics will take place, due to the beliefs of Christian Scientists. He based this statement on the fact that they are opposed to vaccination and the principles of medicine.

Bonake Ames was killed by a D. G. H. & M. freight engine, at the College avenue crossing, Grand Rapids. The dead man was 90-year old, and had started down under the bridge for a smoke, as was his custom for years. His body was torn to shreds.

Mrs. Bethenia Horton and her daughter May, of Owosso, have been adjudged insane and taken to Pontiac asylum. The mother is 60 years old and her daughter 34. The doctors believe that only one of them is insane, but that owing to the strong affection that exists between them, the other is shamming so that they will not be separated.

Sampson Did Not Approve McClay's Attack.

AMERICA TO OWN THE CANAL.

Happenings at Home and abroad of interest to all Readers Briefly Summarized for these Busy October Days—The Columbia Wins Three Straight.

The Isthmian Canal. A Washington dispatch says: "The United States and Great Britain have reached an agreement concerning the Isthmian canal question, and the new treaty will be presented to the senate for its ratification early in the coming session. The substance of this treaty provides: "1. For abrogation of the old Clayton-Bulwer treaty in toto. "2. For a neutral Isthmian canal, in case one be constructed by the United States, open in time of peace to the ships of all nations upon equal terms. "3. This neutrality is guaranteed by the United States alone, and other maritime powers are not invited to participate in such guarantee. Great Britain is inferentially one of the guarantors, because she is a party to this treaty. "4. In case of war the United States reserves the right to take such steps for its own protection as it may deem proper. "While the principle of neutrality is asserted, the United States alone guarantees that neutrality, and no European powers are invited to give their assent to it. "By the terms of the new treaty the United States may, in time of war, deal with the canal as it deems best for its own interests. It may close the canal to the ships of its enemies, and could, if it were thought advisable (which no one believes it ever will be), fortify the channel or its terminal. "In the broad sense the Isthmian waterway is to be 'all-American.' The United States is to build it and to have complete control of it, unhampered by onerous restrictions. "The government of Great Britain has met this question in a liberal spirit. It has assumed that it was its duty to place no unnecessary obstacles in the way of a work promising so much of importance and value to the commercial world.

Sampson Did Not Approve. Col. Robert M. Thompson, of New York, president of the United States Naval academy alumni, makes this statement in connection with the Schley inquiry: "I am in a position to state the true facts, and you may absolutely rely upon them as the truth. The proofs were sent by Mr. Macley to Admiral Sampson with the request that they should be read and corrected. The admiral at the same time was not in good health and did not wish to undertake the labor, but his secretary pointed out that the Macley history was a standard one and used at the academy as a text-book. This volume brought the history down through the period of the Spanish war, and it was desirable that there should be no inaccuracies in it. The admiral therefore consented to read them, and he did correct a certain part of them, but as soon as he arrived at that part which contains the statement that Schley was a coward and a calibrator was very much angered and said the statement was one the author had no right to make; that it was unjust and unfair to speak of any naval officer in such terms, and declined to have anything further to do with the proofs. His secretary, impressed with the great desirability of having the statements of facts accurate and not believing that he was in any way responsible for the statements of opinions, did, on his own authority compare the book with the records and make on the margins a number of questions. As these were in the same handwriting as those made when Sampson was giving his personal attention to the corrections Mr. Macley was perfectly justified in his statement."

The Astrologer's Warning. Gustave Meyer, the youthful astrologer of Hoboken, N. J., who warned President McKinley last spring to beware of an attempt to assassinate him during June or September, now issues a warning to President Roosevelt. "President Roosevelt," says Prof. Meyer, "should be very careful of himself during the next six weeks, especially on Nov. 3 and 4. An accident or sickness is indicated for him about that time, and it may be avoided by proper care. He and his advisers will be called upon to settle some important question about the latter part of October. It will concern a considerable expenditure of money and may have to do with foreign transportation."

Rear Admiral Sampson. Rear-Admiral Sampson, who is now sojourning in Washington, is profiting by the daily care and attention of one of the best local physicians. It is stated that he suffers at present from aphasia loss of power of speech, but not a mental affection, an ailment which has troubled him in greater or less degree since he was chief of the naval bureau of ordnance. His condition is not serious to a degree wherein his life would be considered as in danger. Admiral Sampson will retire next February, at 62 years of age.

A Revolt in Persia. Refugees from Persia report that that country is on the eve of revolution. None of the shah's promised reforms have been put in operation, but instead taxes are increasing and wholesale imprisonments and confiscations by the government are common. The shah, according to reports, is ill and completely in the hands of intriguing favorites, who have sent all the available funds to foreign banks and are preparing for flight when the storm bursts.

The German Lutherans are building a fine church at West Branch.

Mrs. A. J. Witmar, a widow residing in Dayton, O., has been arrested by the police at the instigation of the coroner, and is held a prisoner. She is suspected of 14 murders, the list including four husbands, five children, one sister and four members of different families in which she was employed as housekeeper. The last supposed victim was her sister, Mrs. Anna Fugh, who died a week ago under mysterious circumstances. An autopsy performed at the request of Mrs. Witmar's mother, who came from Detroit, is said to have disclosed the presence of arsenic and copperas in the stom-

The Ohio Campaign. Senator Hanna, Congressman Dick, United States Senator Chandler, Col. Myron T. Herrick and W. R. Hopkins were in consultation at Senator Hanna's office in Cleveland Monday on matters relative to the Ohio state campaign. Senator Hanna's time is at the disposal of the state committee. He has received 75 invitations to speak, and will be assigned by the committee. Senator Hanna and Speaker Henderson, of the national house of representatives, will speak in Cleveland on Nov. 2 and Senator Foraker on Oct. 20.

Foreign Notes. Twenty-four persons were killed and hundreds injured in Hungarian election riots. The sultan of Turkey is preparing a Pan-Islamic encyclical, calling on the world to embrace Mohammedanism. Habib Ullah Khan has been officially proclaimed amir of Afghanistan, and the accession has been accepted by his brothers and the Sirdars. It is now said that President Kruger is slowly growing weaker physically, and mentally. His hatred of Great Britain nerves him to continue. Emperor William paid the bills of Prince China, of the expiatory mission from China, and the bills of all his suite while they were in Germany. Fifteen Mexican artillery officers have sailed for Antwerp, en route to France, where they will study the manufacture and manipulation of the French ordnance. The German minister of education has issued new regulations in regard to the admission of foreign students at the Berlin Technical College. The Germans complain that the foreigners crowd them out of laboratories and lecture rooms. A new monster petition to the czar in regard to the military edicts has been signed by 470,000 persons. The petition states that the new laws are directed against the right of the Finns to enjoy a political and national existence of their own.

It is asserted on reliable authority that the greed of Bolivia has been excited by the wealth of the Santo Domingo mines which are the property of the Inca Mining Co., an American organization. The Bolivians declare the mines are on Bolivian territory, which they claim extends into the Inamara river. The government of Peru is determined to oppose this contention.

News in Brief. Mrs. Louise Nostz, 60 years old, of Astoria, L. I., killed herself and her grandson, Willie Colletti, 6 years old, some time Wednesday night. Edward H. Green, husband of Hetty Green, who is ill with a severe attack of inflammation of the kidneys at his home at Bellows Falls, Vt., cannot recover.

Two fatalities resulted from the destruction by fire of the state insane hospital at Norfolk, Neb. The victims were Victor Casper and Jans Janssen, of Cheyenne county, patients.

Pueblo, Col., is in great excitement over a series of murderous assaults on women and girls. They seem to have been committed by the same person, a negro, or white man with his face blackened.

Thousands of horses in the vicinity of St. Joseph, Mo., are affected with an unknown disease, somewhat resembling glanders. Deaths are numerous. The disease usually begins with a form of influenza.

Charles Loree, of Humboldt, Neb., has been notified that he is heir to property in Kentucky and Virginia, consisting of coal, iron ore and timber lands valued at \$4,000,000, of which his share is about one-tenth.

The coroner's jury at Wayne in the case of Charles DeLong, Joseph W. Sweeney and George Leopold, killed in a wreck Sept. 20, returned a verdict that they came to their death through their own negligence while stealing a ride.

All the machinery of the department of state is now at work to save from death or prolonged captivity Miss Ellen Stone, his missionary who was kidnapped in Turkey. The president himself has become actively interested in the matter.

Postoffice Inspector John P. Clum has returned from a trip of inspection through Alaska. He established the northernmost postoffice in the United States and that probably is the northernmost postoffice in the world, Point Barrow. This place will receive the mail once a year by a United States revenue cutter.

Capt. William A. Andrews, the veteran mariner, has left New York for Europe in his 14-foot boat, The Dark Secret. Accompanying him in the daring trip is his young bride whom he wedded a few weeks ago. The captain is 60 years old, and this is said to be his seventh trip across the ocean in small boats. He expects to reach the English channel in about 12 weeks. In the boat were provisions for four months.

Twenty-one years ago last June Cephas C. Wetmore left his little farm near Avasting, N. Y., saying he was going to walk over the mountains to Ellenville. He disappeared. His wife was left with three young children and had a hard struggle to keep her home. Wetmore has just returned to his family. He has amassed a fortune. According to his story he has been in every state in the union and in Mexico and South America.

Rear Admiral Schley Wednesday will have reached the age limit of years, and thereafter will be retired list. His salary will be reduced from \$7,500 to \$5,500 a year.

**DREAM.**  
Last night I dreamed I saw my mother  
young;  
I never knew her till her hair was gray.  
Last night I saw the wrinkles smoothed  
away  
And pearls about her satin shoulders  
strung.  
Out from our homely folds of toll among  
She came as if she knew them not.  
There lay  
Old hopes in her young eyes. Faintly  
to-day  
Are sounding the dead madrigals she  
sung.  
I, who had watched the stolen march of  
days,  
And would not see the days they stole  
away.  
Moved breathlessly to meet her, mute  
with praise.  
But, ah, the vibrant hand that in mine  
lay  
Was not the one I love upon my hair;  
Nor hers the mother eyes, deep, deep with  
prayer.  
—By Zona Gale, in the July Bookman.

### Fair of Earrings.

BY MATTIE CHILDS.  
(Copyright, 1901, by Daily Story Pub. Co.)  
She was alone—a tiny atom from the  
mass of humanity that frolicked with  
the breakers a quarter of a mile away,  
and the tenacious doll carriage, the  
doll lying with soiled and crumpled  
frock on the shining sand, and bright  
blue tin pail spilling its contents of  
shovel and shells, as well as her position  
on "all fours," were silent but  
eloquent witnesses that a catastrophe  
had overtaken the little maiden.  
Jack Williams sauntered from the  
shelter of the boardwalk to the scene.  
"Lost anything, sis?"  
The blue-gray eyes glanced shyly up  
at him and fell. "Yes, sir," and the  
childish voice was charged with tears.  
Jack stooped down beside her.  
"What did you lose, dear?" and the  
voice and look contrasted strangely  
with the rough, weather-beaten coun-  
tenance.  
"A ear-thing," and the tears watered  
the red cheeks.  
"I don't think young ladies ought to  
wear earrings until they are too big to  
play in the dirt; do you?"  
"The brown head drooped. "It wasn't  
mine," was the response in a low voice,  
while the slender little fingers played  
nervously with each other. "It was  
my mamma's! I—I jus' took it a little  
while to put on my doll an'—"  
"Oh, yes; and naughy, careless Miss  
Dollie went and lost it. But how did  
she manage to lose it in this pile of  
sand?"  
"—I played she was dead, an' I put  
her down the deep hole, an' covered  
her up, an' when I took her up again  
it was gone."  
"Oh, yes. Now I understand. The  
grave robbers have taken it. I should-  
n't wonder if the glow worms stole it  
to make their light with—"  
He stopped at sight of the pathetic  
little face.  
"What kind of an earring was it,  
dear?"  
"It was a pretty di'mon' one."  
"Then I am sure I can find it," he  
said cheerfully, reaching for the tiny  
shell. "I am used to looking for dia-  
monds."  
"It's got a little screw to it to make  
it stay in," the little maiden volun-  
teered after watching the search for  
the lost gem a few moments.  
Jack paused in the act of drawing a  
shovelful of sand from the pile and  
looked at the child curiously.  
"Where's your mother's other ear-  
ring?" he said abruptly.  
"She ain't got no more like it now,  
but she's goin' to get 'nother one some  
day, so she can wear 'em," was the re-  
ply in a confidential voice.  
"Look here!" He thrust his hand  
into his breast pocket and produced a  
tiny leather case. His hand trembled  
slightly as he opened it. "I don't sup-  
pose your mother's earring looks any-  
thing like this one?"  
A pure white diamond of unusual  
size gleamed on the satin lining of the  
case.  
"That's it!" the child exclaimed joy-  
fully, putting out her hand to take it.  
Jack silently closed and returned the  
case to his pocket and returned to his

"Where's your mother's other ear-  
ring?"  
"Rose! Rose what?"  
"Rose Waters. What's your name?"  
twisting a button on his coat in a con-  
fidential way that provoked a sad little  
smile from her companion.  
"Jack Williams. Did you ever hear  
of it?"  
The little one shook her head.  
"What is your—your mother's  
name?"  
"She's named the same as me."  
"And your—father is named—Rich-  
ard Wilson, isn't he?"  
"I ain't got no father. He's down  
the deep hole," was the reply in an an-  
imated tone.  
His expression changed to one of in-  
credulity.  
"Is your father really dead, Rose?"  
he asked, striving against the feeling  
of exhilaration which pervaded his be-  
ing.  
A vigorous nod in the affirmative  
was the reply. Jack was silent now;  
his blue eyes wandered out to sea and  
darkened and shone with visions which  
made him forget the child. She grew  
restless, and after awhile timidly  
touched his arm and said:  
"Give me my mother's earring now.  
I mus' go home." Jack's eyes came  
quickly back to the anxious little face.  
"Where is your home, dear?" Her



Opening one of her little fists,  
expression became one of perplexity as  
she looked anxiously toward the con-  
fusing mass of hotels. "I forget where  
it is," she said plaintively. The next  
moment she exclaimed with sudden in-  
spiration:  
"You can find it, can't you?"  
"I hope so, Rose," Jack responded  
cheerfully, taking the small hand in  
his and turning from the beach; "I  
shall try very hard anyhow."  
"There it is now! See mamma on the  
porch?" and a mite of a finger tried  
to point out in the crowd on the ver-  
anda of the large hotel a certain slender  
black-clad figure with face like the  
lily and hair like its heart.  
The book Mrs. Waters held in her  
hand was suddenly jostled, and glanc-  
ing down for the cause, she found her  
child leaning across her lap looking up  
at her with a roguish smile.  
"Where have you been, you naughty  
child? Mother has been worried nearly  
to death about you." But the placid  
face and tone belied her words.  
Little Rose replied by slightly open-  
ing one of her tightly closed little fists,  
disclosing a sparkling gem. Mrs. Waters  
promptly snatched it.  
"Mind, I am going to punish you,  
Rose, for taking this," she said in a  
low, firm voice. Rose only continued  
to smile and gently unclosed the other  
fist, showing the other earring. As  
the mother seized this also, she looked  
at her little daughter with a startled  
expression. Rose stole a glance side-  
wise. The mother followed it to the  
tanned, bearded face of a stranger  
whose dark eyes met hers with a look  
that for a moment affected her as the  
sight of the second earring had done.  
But in a moment her face resumed its  
natural expression. She smiled con-  
descendingly.  
"You are the jeweler at the corner  
of the avenue and the beach, I be-  
lieve," she said. Something suddenly  
faded from the stranger's eyes.  
"This is a very good match for mine,  
apparently," Mrs. Waters continued,  
"the best I've ever seen. I should like  
to have a connoisseur compare them.  
Mr. Cameron," turning to a gentleman  
near her and holding out the earrings  
to him, "what do you think of these?"  
"Why, they are magnificent, Mrs.  
Waters," after a moment's scrutiny.  
"This one is, I know."  
"Why, they are matched."  
"Oh, no! The mate of this one is in  
South Africa." Then to his look of  
inquiry she replied coquettishly:  
"I gave it to an old lover of mine  
ten years ago. He was going away,  
poor fellow, to seek his fortune and  
mine, and I wanted him to have some  
reminder of me, so I gave him one of  
my priceless earrings to a shirt stud."  
"And he never came back?"  
"What was the use?"  
"Oh, yes! I understand; womanlike,  
you were the one to forget."  
"And he went off to South Africa,  
poor old Jack, to bury his disappoint-  
ment, they say. I have often wished  
he had been thoughtful enough to send  
my earring back to me."  
"You can certainly get a perfect  
substitute for it in that one."  
"But I expect it is beyond my means  
if it is genuine," she said looking at  
the diamond longingly. "However, I  
am going to ask him to put it aside for  
a while, anyhow, wouldn't you?"  
"I certainly should if I wanted to  
match the one you have."  
Turning to the owner of the gem,  
whose stony eyes were riveted on her  
face, Mrs. Waters said graciously:  
"If you will lay it aside for me a  
few days—"  
"Keep it yourself, madam," he in-  
terrupted, hastily; "keep it until I call

for it," and turning abruptly he hur-  
ried away.  
Then little Rose came to her mother  
and held up the small leather case.  
"Put it in here, mamma," she said  
coaxingly; "it come in here."  
The mother took the case and me-  
chanically touched the spring. The lid  
flew up, and from its satin lining a  
tiny photograph of herself in her girl-  
ish beauty smiled mockingly at her.  
She started and the color left her  
face. She sprang to her feet and  
looked with hungry eyes down the  
street; but it was too late—he was lost  
in the multitude forever.

### CRACKSMEN ARE COWARDS.

Stories of Burglars Being Brave Are  
All Bosh.

"Bold burglars, or bold 'crooks' of  
any sort, are much more scarce than  
their victims have any idea of. They  
don't succeed because they are bold  
or have bravery that amounts to more  
than sublime assurance, but because  
the great majority of their victims are  
cowards," said a burglar just out of the  
penitentiary at Joliet, Ill. "A burglar  
with sense," he continued, "knows  
that people will get out of his way  
as a rule and will be only too glad to  
allow him to escape rather than run  
the risk of having their own skins  
hurt. I have known a man to lie  
awake in bed and make believe he was  
asleep, hoping that the burglar in his  
room would get through his work  
and hurry away without hurting him.  
He was a coward, and the burglar,  
who was just as big a coward, took  
advantage of the fact. He knew the  
man was awake. If that man had  
moved the burglar would have 'sneak-  
ed' him, with visions of a bullet be-  
hind him. Of course, if a burglar is  
cornered, he is like a rat in the same  
fix—he will fight."

"Cowardice simply invites burglars.  
If the rule was to receive burglars  
with a club or revolver there would  
be lots fewer in the business. If men  
were willing to take a little chance of  
being hurt burglars wouldn't take  
chances with them. No men are more  
careful of their hides than burglars,  
and their courage amounts only to a  
reliance on the weakness of human  
nature. Think of the cowardice  
which allows two or three men to hold  
up two or three dozen men in a rail-  
way train. A little grit would en-  
able them to overthrow the highway-  
men in a minute, but each one is  
afraid to lead, and they submit like  
sheep. The profession understands  
this. After two or three cases at  
jumping on the train robbers—even at  
the risk of some injury or even death  
—there would be no more train rob-  
beries. But people submit, and the  
business goes on. Bravery of burglars  
is bosh."

### Tortoises Like Melons.

G. Carson, a farmer near Enfield,  
on the streets the other day and  
said: "I wish there was a market for  
tortoise. If there was I would be in  
good shape financially in a little while.  
I have a large patch of muskmelons  
and the vines have been loaded with  
the fruit, but as they got about ready  
for harvesting, something began eat-  
ing them at night. Several nights were  
spent in laying for the intruders, and  
late one night there was a rattling of  
dry bones, or sounds that somewhat  
resembled that, and before taking a  
run for the house I took a farrowell  
look and beheld a herd of tortoises all  
over the cantaloupe patch. I made a  
dash among them and bursted the  
hulls of some dozen, captured two and  
have them captives." To make sure  
that he was not mistaken in the melon  
thieves, he now and then drops a  
muskmelon in the box where they are  
confined and he says they rush upon  
it and eat nearly as fast as a hog.—  
Galveston Daily News.

### The Last of the Buttons.

It is related by an exchange that in  
a certain parish, the name of which is  
prudently withheld, the wife of a cler-  
gyman was mending clothes when a  
neighbor dropped in for a social chat.  
The visitor's attention was attracted  
to a large basket half-filled with but-  
tons, and carelessly fingering them she  
suddenly remarked: "Why, here are  
two buttons exactly the same as those  
my husband had on his last winter  
suit!" "Indeed," said the clergyman's  
wife, "that is curious! All these but-  
tons were found in the collection-  
basket, and I have saved them, think-  
ing I might put them to use." After  
this the conversation languished, and  
very soon the visitor took her depart-  
ure. But the story got abroad, and no  
more buttons were found in the basket.—Youth's Companion.

### Something to Amuse Them.

In a long journey, when there are  
children along, there are a half dozen  
things which go into small places in a  
grip. There are sheets and sheets of  
paper dolls and bird furniture, a few  
boxes of glass beads, thread and need-  
le, dolls' clothes cut out and ready  
to sew, and two or three new books.  
Such things are as much a necessity  
as a bottle of witchhazel or eyestone:  
to find a cluder.—Detroit Free Press

### His Regrets.

The editor of the Whitset Courier  
expresses his regrets as follows: "W-  
regret to record the explosion of the  
boiler of Major Tompkins' sawmill!  
The six men who were employed in  
the mill were all subscribers to our  
paper. Two of them landed on their  
heads three minutes after the explo-  
sion but we were unable to collect their  
dues, as they were unconscious when  
we reached the scene."—Atlanta Con-  
stitution.

## THE CHART IS WORTHLESS

Schley's Attorneys Demolish Official  
Map of the Battle.

### A JUMBLE OF COMPROMISES.

The Proceedings Bring Out a Great  
Deal of Technical Matter but the  
Members of the Court Show an Inter-  
est in All the Details.

Washington, Oct. 10.—Admiral  
Schley's attorneys managed to estab-  
lish the fact during the progress of the  
inquiry that the carefully prepared  
chart purporting to be the unanimous  
declaration of several navigators of the  
correct positions of the vessels en-  
gaged in the Santiago sea fight during  
various intervals of the battle was in  
reality a jumble of compromises, sat-  
isfactory to none of the men engaged  
in preparing it. This evidence was  
brought out by Attorney Rayner while  
examining Commander Richard Wain-  
wright, who was chairman of the  
board that prepared the chart and who  
commanded the famous little Gloucester  
during the battle. Commander  
Wainwright's testimony was given  
without hesitation and was very pos-  
itive in character. He concluded his  
statement by saying that not one of  
the navigating officers who signed the  
report adopting the chart believed that  
it was correct. The day's proceedings  
brought out a great deal of technical  
matter, but the members of the court  
never lost their deep interest in all  
that was said.

### Testimony Is Interesting.

Lieutenant C. W. Dyson of the bu-  
reau of steam engineering of the Navy  
Department was recalled early in the  
proceedings and continued his evidence  
concerning the steaming condition of  
the Brooklyn and her engines on the  
day of the engagement. Lieutenant  
M. L. Bristol, who, as ensign, was watch  
and division officer on the Texas dur-  
ing the Spanish war, talked of the San-  
tiago and Cienfuegos blockades in an  
entertaining manner, going into all  
the details of the watch kept and the  
patrolling methods employed. He con-  
trasted the evidence of Lieutenant  
Commander Hodgson concerning the  
distance of the Brooklyn from the  
nearest Spanish ships at the time the  
"loop" was made, and cast doubts on  
the accuracy of the stadimeter with  
which the commander had made his  
measurements. Lieutenant Bristol's  
testimony was enlivened by a tilt be-  
tween the attorneys, Mr. Rayner and  
Mr. Hanna finding occasion to begin  
an interchange of sarcastic remarks  
which lasted most of the afternoon.

### Corrects His Testimony.

Captain W. M. Foiger, who was re-  
called for the purpose of correcting his  
testimony of yesterday, was asked  
further questions concerning the  
blockade of Santiago. In reply to a  
question by Captain Lemly whether he  
had had any conversation with Com-  
modore Schley during the blockade he  
said: "Toward evening of one of the  
days, the 30th, there was an extended,  
very severe rainstorm, so severe that  
I feared Cervera had gotten out, so it  
was sufficiently long to have permitted  
him to do so. I went on board the  
flagship the next day, thinking it my  
duty to tell the commodore what I had  
seen as to the blockade as kept by  
the Japanese off the port of Wei-Hai-  
Wei, where similarly an enemy's feet  
was within a fortified harbor. I said  
to the commodore that the adoption of  
the tactics of the Japanese, forming a  
circle directly in front of the harbor,  
would, in my opinion, be preferable, as  
then it would be difficult for anything  
to get out."

The judge advocate then asked him:  
"Was there any reply by the commodore?"  
"I cannot testify exactly as to his  
reply," said the witness. "I would  
prefer not to do so. He did not agree  
with me as to the necessity for it."  
Captain Foiger also said that he had  
no recollection of a picket line on the  
inside of the American fleet. At the  
request of Captain Parker of counsel  
for Admiral Schley, the witness exam-  
ined the log of the New Orleans for  
May 30 and 31, 1898, for the purpose  
of determining accurately the state of  
the weather on those days, but he de-  
clined to modify his statement of yester-  
day that the weather on those days  
was bad.

### Lieutenant Dyson Called.

Lieutenant Dyson, who appeared  
next, testified, in answer to questions  
by Captain Lemly, concerning the  
steaming condition of the Brooklyn  
on July 3. The witness stated that on  
the morning of that day fires were only  
kept under three of the vessel's  
seven boilers having no steam in  
them. He added that on the day of  
the fight it took twenty-five minutes  
to start the fires.

Notwithstanding the fact that the  
day marked an important turning  
point in the career of Rear Admiral  
Schley, being nothing less than the  
date of his transfer from the active to  
the retired list of the navy, he was in  
his accustomed seat within the railings  
of the Schley court of inquiry and gave  
his usual attention to the proceedings  
of the court. The retirement of Ad-  
miral Schley is in accordance with  
law, he having reached the age of 62  
years. It was generally remarked that  
he did not look his age.  
The formal proceedings of the day  
began with the reintroductory of Lieu-  
tenant M. L. Bristol, formerly watch  
officer of the Texas, as a witness. He  
was under cross-examination when the  
court adjourned last night, and Mr.  
Rayner continued his questions today.  
Other witnesses on the list for the  
day included Lieutenant Commander  
Templin M. Potts, who was navigator

of the Massachusetts during the war  
with Spain; Lieutenant A. W. Grant  
who was also on the Massachusetts;  
Rear Admiral H. C. Taylor, who, as  
captain, commanded the battle ship In-  
diana; Commander William H.  
Schuetze, who was navigator on the  
Iowa, and Lieutenant James H. Hol-  
den, who, as an officer on the Scorpion,  
made the log record of the communi-  
cation of Commander Southerland to  
Commodore Schley concerning the con-  
dition of Santiago.

It was not expected that all these  
would be heard. If not they will be  
called tomorrow.

### Blodt's Shortage \$200,000.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 19.—According to  
Secretary J. B. Livingston of the Guar-  
antee Savings and Loan company, the  
shortage of Treasurer J. A. Blodt, who  
committed suicide a week ago, will be  
over \$200,000. According to the offic-  
statement it was found that in addi-  
tion to Blodt being \$50,000 short, he  
had made pretended loans on vacant  
lots which were represented as having  
houses on them, aggregating \$200,000.  
Blodt's plan was to pay the dues on  
these loans himself, so that his fraud  
would not be discovered.

### K. B. Armour Will Be Filed.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 10.—The will  
of the late K. B. Armour was filed in  
the probate court. By its terms the  
estate is left share and share alike to  
the widow, Mrs. Annie H. Armour, and  
the three children—Andrew Watson  
Armour, Lawrence H. Armour, and  
Mary Augusta Armour. In addition,  
Mrs. Armour is left, without reserva-  
tion, the homestead at Armour and  
Warwick boulevards. Mrs. Armour  
and C. W. Armour are made executors  
of the will without bond.

### Norway's Big Army Estimate.

Christiania, No. way, Oct. 13.—There  
is some comment here at the large to-  
tal of the extraordinary army esti-  
mates prepared by the cabinet. The  
expenditures include 118,000 kroner  
for the defenses of the land approaches  
to Christiania, 140,000 kroner for  
quick-firing guns, 800,000 kroner addi-  
tional to be expended on forts near  
the town, and 120,000 kroner to defray  
the expenses of laying mines near Ber-  
gen. The ordinary army estimates are  
14,000,000 kroner.

### Rivers and Harbors Congress.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 10.—Boards  
of trade and commercial bodies in the  
principal cities and ports of twenty-  
eight states are represented by 180 dele-  
gates in the Rivers and Harbors Con-  
gress, which has opened here. From  
the speeches it is evident that a de-  
termined effort is to be made to in-  
duce congress to recognize the neces-  
sity for voting appropriations for river  
and harbor improvements.

### Great Fire in Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—Six hundred and  
fifty-eight thousand dollars' worth of  
property went up in smoke and flame  
on the banks of the north branch of  
the river. The fire totally destroyed  
the docks of the Peabody Coal com-  
pany and a five-story brick building  
adjoining. Other losses were sustained  
by the Chicago and Northwestern  
railroad company and the Davidson  
Marble company.

### Locktender's Body in Canal.

Marsilion, Ohio, Oct. 10.—Holston  
Eachus, locktender, was found dead,  
his body floating in the canal near his  
shanty south of this city. Eachus re-  
ceived his month's pay Monday, and  
as no money was found in the clothing  
on the body the police suspect mur-  
der. Eachus was seventy-eight years  
old. He and James A. Garfield worked  
on the same barge fifty-three years  
ago.

### Florida's Orange Crop.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 10.—The  
orange season in Florida begins in ten  
days. It is figured by Steven Powers,  
secretary of the State Agricultural so-  
ciety, that 1,100,000 boxes will cover  
the crop. The rehabilitation of the  
orange industry in Florida since the  
fatal freeze of 1896 has shown more  
progress in the last year than in the  
five years previous.

### Ellis Glenn Set at Liberty.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Oct. 10.—Ellis  
Glenn, the strange man woman whose  
dual life has excited the comment of  
the people of the entire country, is at  
liberty, having been discharged by  
Judge John Hay Jackson of the United  
States circuit court. Judge Jackson's  
decision was that there was no case  
made by the prosecution.

### Street Duel Fatal to Two.

Houston, Tex., Oct. 10.—Water Malch  
and Bob Kegans engaged in a street  
duel, the former being instantly killed  
and Kegans mortally wounded. The  
trouble, it is said, arose over a trivial  
affair. Four shots were fired, Kegans  
received a bullet through the abdomen  
and Malch one through the heart.

### Great Gold Find in Arizona.

Tucson, Ariz., Oct. 10.—An immense  
gold discovery is reported in the Gal-  
furio Mountains, seventy miles north  
of Tucson. An ore vein over 200 feet  
wide has been found. It is cut by a  
box canon, 200 feet deep, exposing an  
immense ore body, estimated to be  
worth over \$7,000,000.

### Fitz Wants Papers.

New York, Oct. 10.—Robert Fitzsim-  
mons, the pugilist, has made applica-  
tion in Brooklyn for his final natural-  
ization papers. The former champion  
of the ring was born in Australia. He  
took out his first citizenship papers  
three years ago in New Orleans.

### Root in the Adirondacks.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 10.—Secretary of  
War Root, his wife, and daughter are  
at Whitney Reserve, Adirondacks,  
where the secretary will remain until  
he is better. It is expected that he  
will be away from Washington at least  
two weeks.

## MICHIGAN'S GAME LAWS.

Look This Synopsis Over Carefully  
Before Shooting.

### SHOOT AND FISH IN SEASON.

Sportsmen Who Enjoy Hunting and Fish-  
ing will find the following synopsis of  
the Law Worth a Careful Study that  
no Mistakes be Made.

This is the first of October, and so  
many questions have been asked  
recently as to what kind of game  
can be killed now that it is thought  
best to give a complete synopsis of  
the game and fish laws, as compiled  
by Grant M. Morse, state game and  
fish warden, of Portland, Me., com-  
piled under date of September 5, which  
is certainly the latest official declara-  
tion. The synopsis follows, and it  
would be well for sportsmen to cut  
this out and keep it handy for refer-  
ence:

### Game Animals.

Deer—Open season November 3 to  
30, inclusive, in each year, except on  
the Island of Bois Blanc, and the  
counties of Lapeer, Huron, Monroe,  
Sanilac, Tuscola, Macomb, Allegan,  
Ottawa and St. Clair, where deer can-  
not be hunted until 1906. No person  
can kill more than three deer in any  
one year. No person can hunt deer  
without first procuring a hunter's li-  
cense. Resident license, 75¢; non-resi-  
dent license, \$25. Use of dogs in hunt-  
ing, pursuing or killing deer, and the  
killing of any fawn in the spotted coat  
or any deer in the red coat is prohib-  
ited. The use of any artificial light in  
hunting, pursuing or killing deer is un-  
lawful. No deer or portion of a deer  
can be lawfully shipped without a  
license tag accompanies same.  
Moose, elk and caribou are protected  
until 1911.

Fox, black and gray—Open  
season October 15 to November 30,  
both inclusive. It is unlawful to pur-  
sue, injure, capture or kill any such  
sportsmen at any time in any public or  
private park.

### Fur Bearing Animals.

Beaver are protected until 1906.  
Otter, fisher and martin—Open sea-  
son November 15 to May 1.  
Muskrat, raccoon, skunk and muskrats  
—Must not be taken during the months  
of September and October.  
Wolf, lynx and wild cats—Bounty of  
\$15 on old wolf, \$7 on wolf whelp  
under three months old, \$5 on lynx, \$5  
on wild cats.

### Game Birds.

Partridge, quail, spruce hen and  
woodcock—Open season, lower penin-  
sula, October 20 to November 30  
inclusive; upper peninsula, partridge  
may be killed from October 1 to No-  
vember 30, both inclusive.

Trable chickens, mouzellan and Eng-  
lish pheasants, wild turkey and wild  
pig—Not to be killed until 1910.

Antwerp or homing pigeon and  
mourning doves—It is unlawful to cap-  
ture or destroy by any means what-  
ever any antwerp or homing pigeon or  
mourning dove at any time.

Ducks and geese and all wild water  
fowl—Open season October 1 to No-  
vember 30, both inclusive, from one-  
half hour before sunrise to one hour  
after sunset in each day. Jack snipe,  
blue bill, canvas back, wilgeon, ph  
tail, whistler, spoon bill, butter ball  
and saw bill ducks may be killed from  
March 2 to April 15 in each year. The  
use of any floating device or con-  
trivance propelled by, or using as mo-  
tive power, steam, gas, naphtha, oil,  
gasoline or electricity, or the use of  
any swivel or pump gun, battery, slink  
boat or similar device, save only a gun  
of not greater size than ten calibre,  
such gun to be held in the hands at  
time of firing, in hunting for or killing  
any wild water fowl, is unlawful.

Song and Insectivorous Birds,  
No song or insectivorous bird, ex-  
cepting black birds, English sparrows  
or crows, can be killed or captured at  
any time.

### Training Dogs.

Dogs must not be practiced or train-  
ed upon any game bird or animal dur-  
ing their respective close season, pro-  
vided that any person without fire  
arms in his possession may practice or  
train dogs upon game birds for fifteen  
days next preceding the opening of the  
season in each year.

### Fishes.

Speckled trout, grayling, landlocked  
salmon, California trout, German  
brown trout—Open season May 1 to  
September 1 (excepting Manie river,  
in Emmet county, which is from May  
1 to August 1); only to be taken with  
hook and line, and it is unlawful to  
have in possession any of these kinds  
of fish less than six inches in length.  
It is unlawful to take from the waters  
of the AnSable river or any of its  
tributaries any brook trout, speckled  
trout, rainbow trout or California  
trout of a less size than eight inches  
in length, or for any person to take  
from said waters more than fifty fish  
of the kinds above named in any one  
day, or to take with him therefrom or  
to have in his possession at any point  
away therefrom more than fifty fish  
of said kinds at any one time.

Black bass—May be taken with hook  
and line only, from May 20 to April 1  
following thereafter; must not be sold  
during the close season.

### Transporation.

Game animals and game birds—All  
game animals or game birds transpor-  
ted under cover must be plainly  
marked on the outside of the package  
with the name of the consignee and  
consignee, the initial point of billing  
and the destination, together with an  
itemized statement of the contents of  
such package.

Protected game and fish—Must not  
be transported beyond the boundaries  
of this state at any time. No fishes  
taken from the waters of Branch and  
St. Joseph counties can be transported  
beyond the boundaries of this state  
at any season of the year.

### Sale of Protected Game.

Game animals and game birds—The  
sale of any game animal or game bird  
protected by the laws of this state is  
unlawful at any time.



# Boys' 50c. Knee Pants.

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Road Wagon	-	\$38
Driving Wagons		32
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No. 1 Wagon Grease,		10 & 25c box
Farmers' Friend Fertilizer		\$22 ton

## A. N. KINYON,

Warerooms on Sutton St.

## PLYMOUTH MAIL

F. W. SAMSEN.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1901

Forty-two townships in Douglas land district, Wyoming, have been suspended from agricultural entry by the Interior Department, because they "appear to contain oil in paying quantities" which perforce makes them "mineral lands" and subject to entry only as such.

President Roosevelt is at his desk every morning at nine o'clock and manages to dispose of a prodigious amount of correspondence before ten when the usual daily audiences begin. He dictates to Mr. Loebe, his former secretary, now Assistant Secretary to the President.

The Fort Hall reservation in Idaho will be thrown open to settlement within a few weeks and the Quinault in Washington next spring. Together they comprise about 700,000 acres. The old "sooner" system will probably be followed instead of the lottery plan used in Indian Territory recently.

The coming session of Congress will be as busy as any for a long time. The principal subjects to be discussed will be reciprocity, the Isthmian Canal, Cuba, the Philippines, and anarchy, but there will also be many others of minor or comparatively local importance that will attract a good deal of attention.

While President Roosevelt has made few changes in the staff of the White House, he has decided to place his own butler in charge of the culinary department and has accordingly notified the present steward, who has held office for eight years, that his services are no longer required. The place usually changes with each President.

Strong pressure is already being exerted in Washington in favor of a further reduction of the war tax on beer, which it is claimed, comes entirely out of the pockets of the brewers, who are unable to transfer it to their customers by increasing the price per glass. Any reduction, however, will be fiercely opposed.

President Roosevelt is receiving a good many offers of round sums for literary productions on any subject whatever. All of these, however, he is forced to decline, his entire time being required by Uncle Sam, with whom he has "signed on" for some time to come. The publishers must make the most of what they already have.

The Navy wants 2,000 recruits in order to supply the thirty torpedo-boat destroyers now nearly completed and to make up the existing deficiencies in the crews of ships now in commission. Five thousand more will be needed within the next three years to man vessels now building. There is no lack of applicants, but the requirements are so severe that few are enlisted.

This winter Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota intends to again push his irrigation bill, which grants to the states the proceeds of the sale of public lands within their borders for use in irrigating the remainder, the average amount being \$2,000,000 a year. Mr. Hansbrough claims to have enlisted Mr. Roosevelt's sympathy for his plan.

According to Secretary Gage the tax reduction worked by the bill adopted by Congress last session has cut the revenue by only about \$12,000,000 instead of \$40,000,000 as expected. The figures were all right at the time but have been made incorrect by the immense increase in the volume of business that is being done in the country. So far, accumulations in the Treasury have been kept down by bond purchases.

The only obstacle in the way of the Pacific cable, proposed to be laid by the Pacific Cable Company without cost to the Government, is the fact that a British cable company now holds exclusive rights in Manila, granted it years ago by Spain. It is fortunate for us that the British government has declared that monopolies granted by the Boer governments are invalid, as this leaves us free to follow a similar course in Manila where British companies are involved.

What amounts to an apology has been made to Japan by the United States in regard to the quarantine regulations whose execution has been so bitterly complained about of late. Uncle Sam says that he means nothing personal, that he applies the same rule to passengers from all infected ports and that they will be observed with as much consideration for the feelings of visitors as is consonant with protection from the plague. Japan, it is expected will be satisfied with this explanation.

### WHAT IS RUMA-KATAH?

A Wonderful Remedy for Rheumatism, Catarrh, Constipation, Stomach, Kidney and Liver Troubles, Nervousness and General Debility.

This wonderful Rheumatism and Catarrh Cure now on sale at the Wolverine Drug Store, Plymouth, Mich., is showing its great curative properties, and many persons who have been taking the treatment are reporting benefit and relief. Two hundred bottles already sold, and the sale of three large \$1 size for \$1.25, or single bottles 50c. Sale continues until Oct. 19. See large advertisement on fifth page.

### HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The boys played Northville and won out by a score of 28 to 6. This is a good starter for the boys and shows their good practice.

Edgar Jolliffe is slowly getting better. We miss his smiling face very much. The boys are to play South Lyons Oct. 11th.

Tests are all the rage at this writing. Alice Mott has the Mumps and will be absent from school for some time.

Front seats on the boys side are nearly all reserved, and the boys are not sorry.

Among the brilliant Juniors this year there is a poet of some merit. If possible we will obtain some of his works for publication.

The number of foreign pupils is not so great this year as last, but still the high school is larger.

Note books are the bane of the P. H. S. students in every thing from General History to Physics.

Did you notice the blooming cheeks of our girls? We have a gymnasium in our high school.

The October number of the C. H. & D. Magazine is now ready. This number contains the best, and what is said to be the best, speech of the late President William McKinley delivered at Buffalo, N. Y. In addition to the above there are a number of excellent short stories by well known writers and an abundance of interesting reading matter. Mailed to any address on receipt of ten cents in stamps or silver.

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### NEWBURG.

Mrs. M. Runyan, of Dearborn, and Mrs. Anna Baker, of Inkster, visited their relative, Miss Eliza Clark, Tuesday. All remember the fair at the hall the 25th of this month. The ladies' aid are busy making fancy work for the occasion.

W. I. Smith is elected as the new President of the Epworth League.

James Levan lost a straw stack, bean stack and barn by fire last Sunday noon. The barn and contents were insured for \$1,200. The origin of the fire is unknown. He will build a new barn this fall.

Mrs. C. Vanblairou is visiting relatives at Bell River, Ont.

Mrs. Ed. Bassett was pleasantly surprised by a brother coming to see her from Kansas, whom she had not seen for twenty years, but knew each other at sight.

Two people claiming to be husband and wife, were through Newburg Wednesday begging to pay their way to the South to live through the winter. They claimed if you pay five cents for a number or buy 25 cents worth of numbers, you will get tickets for a silk waist. A few people may get taken in on this deal.

Mabel Rutter has returned from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Grow are now residents of Newburg.

Miss Sarah J. Gaunt, superintendent of the Deaconess Home of Detroit, will give an address at the church Sunday afternoon.

FOR SALE.—My house and lot on Ann Arbor street. Bargain for prompt buyer. FRED PETERIANS.

### Commissioner's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte L. Smith, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the barber shop of Geo. VanDeCar in the village of Plymouth, in said county, on Tuesday, the 15th day of November, A. D. 1901, and on Saturday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 15th day of September, A. D. 1901, were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated September 28th, 1901.

DANIEL ADAMS,  
GEORGE VANDECAR,  
Commissioners.

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Promptly done.

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## PERE MARQUETTE

In effect Jan. 7, 1901.

Trains leave Plymouth as follows:  
For Grand Rapids, North and West, 9:22 a. m., 1:45 p. m., 5:58 p. m.  
For Saginaw, Bay City and Port Huron, 4:00 a. m., 9:12 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 6:15 p. m.  
For Saginaw, Manistee, Ludington and Milwaukee: 3:00 a. m., 9:12 a. m., 2:40 p. m. and 6:15 p. m.  
For Toledo and South, 7:03 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 2:20 p. m.  
For Detroit and East, 7:03 a. m., 10:32 a. m., 11:40 a. m., 2:17 p. m., 3:25 p. m., 8:45 p. m., 9:20 p. m.  
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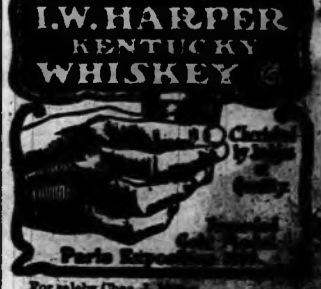
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

1st National Exchange Bank

At Plymouth, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business, September 30, 1901.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Resources like Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, Bonds, etc., and Liabilities like Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE. I, O. A. FRASER, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of October, 1901. Notary Public, Wayne Co.

Correct—Attest: W. H. HOYT, PETER GAYDE, R. L. ROYD, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Plymouth Savings Bank

At Plymouth, Michigan, at the close of business, September 30, 1901, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Resources like Loans and discounts, Stocks, bonds, etc., and Liabilities like Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE. I, E. K. BENNETT, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of October, 1901. Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: L. C. HOGAN, W. O. ALLEN, E. C. LEACH, Directors.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys.

DR. F. S. TILLAPPAUGH

A regular graduate from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore, Md., in 1888, and from the Postgraduate in Chicago in 1897. Has practiced the State Medical Board of New York State and State Medical Board of Michigan under the present law.

Local Newslets

Jay Burr left last Friday for a visit at Dexter. Mrs. A. W. Reed visited at Richmond last Saturday. W. T. Riggs was in Mifflord on business Thursday.

Miss Rhoda Spicer, of Detroit, visited her parents Sunday. Mrs. Mary Strong, of Detroit, visited Mrs. Will Felt last week. Trimmed hats from \$1.00 up, at Nell B. McLaren's.

Mrs. Jed Noyes is visiting relatives at Bell Branch this week. E. D. Hubbell has moved into his new house on Sutton street. Julius H. Willis, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with his parents.

Geo. Taylor left Wednesday evening for a visit at Toronto, Canada. Robt. Young visited relatives at Cleveland Sunday and Monday. Miss Florence Ames, of Caro, is visiting Miss Verna Cable this week.

Mark Woodruff, wife and daughter, of Dewitt, are visiting at C. H. Rauch's. Mrs. Joel R. Kellogg is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sumner, at Detroit, this week. Rev. and Mrs. Beckwith give an "at home" to their Plymouth friends tonight.

Mrs. Oscar Baker, of Wayne, visited at her son's H. J. Baker's Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Lipton and little daughter, of Salt Lake City, Utah, are visiting at Dr. Knight's. Dr. W. J. Cook's mother comes to settle her son and visit her daughter, Mrs. Lee Nowland.

John S. Kellogg was called to Chicago Saturday on account of the serious illness of his daughter. Geo. W. Springer is attending a meeting of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. at Battle Creek this week.

The North Side

C. O. Hubbell was in Pontiac on business Tuesday. Don't forget the minstrel show at the village hall Saturday night. Mrs. C. O. Scovell, of Detroit, visited Mrs. C. H. Armstrong Thursday.

Dewey Holloway is painting E. D. Hubbard's new house this week. Albert Durfee, of Grand Rapids, is visiting relatives and friends here this week. Clayton Woodruff and wife, of Dewitt, Mich., visited at C. H. Rauch's Sunday.

Harry Swartout visited relatives at Jackson and Lansing the forepart of the week. Dr. LeBaron and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Duncan of Pontiac, and James Sabine, of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fraser's Thursday.

Miss Merinda Pierson, who went to Osage, Iowa, as teacher of piano and vocal music in the Cedar Valley Seminary, has also accepted a position as supervisor of music in the public schools of the same city. C. M. Tower and S. C. Cutting, the hustling advertisers who are at the Wolverine drug store, conducting the advertising sale of Ruma-Katah, are meeting with deserved success.

Wood's Down East Minstrels will appear at the village hall Saturday, Oct. 12th. The company comes highly recommended and a first class performance is assured. The Challenge Band and orchestra are one of the many features of the show. All new songs and dances. Be sure and see them. General admission 25 cents. Reserved seats on sale at J. R. Rauch & Son's store.

Mrs. E. A. Shafer, of Northville, died last Sunday morning in convulsions. She had been sick all summer and undergone several operations. Mrs. Shafer was well known in Plymouth and they have many relatives and friends here, a large number of whom attended the funeral on Tuesday. The deceased was formerly Jennie Gyde, of South Lyon, and would have been 32 years old next February.

Children's caps and school hats from 25c to \$1.00, at Nell B. McLaren's. The Woman's Literary Club held its first regular meeting for 1901-2 at the residence of Mrs. T. C. Sherwood Friday afternoon, Oct. 4. Meeting called to order by the President. A good attendance responded to roll call, with gleanings from the summer's reading, followed by a brief outline of the year's work by Miss Isabelle Hanford, chairman of program committee.

Church News

Rev. F. I. Beckwith will preach a special sermon to boys and girls next Sunday morning. Every one invited. The ladies of the Presbyterian aid society will have a bazaar and serve dinner and tea in the church parlors on Dec. 18th.

Rev. G. H. McLaughlin evangelist, will assist the pastor of the M. E. church in a series of revival meetings, beginning Sunday evening, Oct. 20th. Preaching services at the M. E. church next Sunday morning by the pastor. In the evening Miss Sara J. Gaunt, superintendent of the Deaconess Home of Detroit, will give an address. Don't fail to hear her.

Rev. H. M. Morey, D.D., will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, morning and evening. Subject for morning, Mutual Helpfulness. Subject for evening, The Shy Young Man. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. Mr. Morey will give a talk to the Sunday-school immediately after the morning service. All are welcome.

Rev. H. M. Morey preached in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath. His sermons were very helpful and instructive. His chalk talk to the Sunday-school was very much appreciated by all who heard him. The sacrament of the Lord's supper was administered by the pastor. Four persons were received into the church, two by letter and two on profession of faith, and one baptized.

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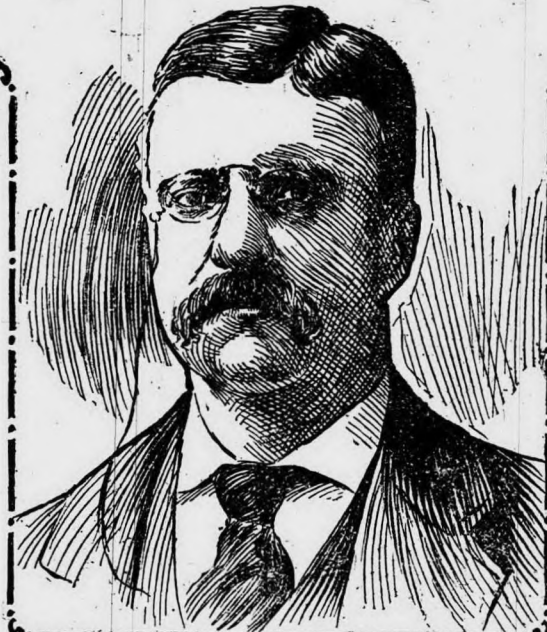
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Theodore Roosevelt's Father. Theodore Roosevelt is the youngest American citizen who has ever been called to the head of our nation.

The President's Early Boyhood.

He was a puny, sickly, delicate boy. Some one who knew him in those days of the Civil War described him as a "weak-eyed, pig-chested boy, who was too frail to take part in the sports of his age."

Becomes an Athlete.

By careful attention and plenty of gymnastic exercise and out-of-door life his frame became more sturdy and his health vastly improved.

Begins Study of Law.

On his return to America he studied law, and in the fall of 1881 he was elected to the State Assembly from the twenty-first district of New York.

Attacked by "Yellow" Newspapers.

It was of this incident that a handle was first made by Mr. Roosevelt's enemies in and out of the police board—and he had many—to attack him:

As Governor of New York.

Upon Roosevelt's return to New York there was a popular demand for his nomination for governor.

His Advice to Organized Labor.

Mr. Riis says he never saw Roosevelt to better advantage than when he was once confronted the labor men at their meeting-place, Clarendon Hall:

Police Commissioner in New York.

Roosevelt continued in that office until May 1, 1895, when he resigned to accept the office of "Police Commissioner from Mayor Strong.

Assistant Secretary of Navy.

Early in 1897 he was called by President McKinley to give up his New York office to become Assistant-Secretary of the Navy.

His Cuban War Record.

Soon after the outbreak of the war, however, his patriotism and love of active life led him to leave the comparative quiet of his government office for service in the field.

Enforcing the Law.

Referring to Roosevelt's strict enforcement of the Sunday excise law, the San Francisco Argonaut's New York correspondent, "Planeur," wrote under date of September 2, 1895:

Ground Is on Fire.

President Roosevelt has been a student of political economy since boyhood.

Nomination at Philadelphia.

On the evening of the first day of the convention, Roosevelt saw Platt. "My name must not be presented to the convention," he told him.

Miss Stone Still Safe.

Washington, Oct. 10.—The time allowed by Miss Stone's kidnapers expired yesterday, yet she is still alive and unharmed.

Both Shots Were Fatal.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 10.—Two men were killed in a saloon here late last night:

Hebron Visited by Mad Fire.

Newark, Ohio, Oct. 10.—At Hebron, a small town near this place, fire destroyed eight business houses and five residences.

Wheat as Animal Food.

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Miss Stone's Kidnapers Hiding in the Mountains.

PART OF MACEDONIAN CLIQUE.

Plot to Accomplish Downfall of Present Committee—Bulgaria to Act Vigorously—Chinese Minister Helps Rescue Fund—About Half Raised.

Constantinople, Oct. 10.—A trustworthy report locates Miss Stone's abductors on the summit of a mountain at Gultpe, on the Turko-Bulgarian frontier, near Dubatzi.

SOFT TALKING ABOUT IT.

Bryant, Mo., Oct. 7th.—The cause of Mrs. M. A. Goss, continues to be the chief topic of conversation in this neighborhood.

Avoid Taking Money in Mouth.

It is through the mouth that most malignant germs find their way into the body, and, therefore, one would think that it was hardly necessary to warn people against the risks they are running in using it as a sort of third hand.

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## CHAPTER XXV.

### Namampa Meets a Man.

A solitary horseman was traveling slowly across the great llanos that stretched from the Coroni westward, wending his way toward the valley where the Castle of Salazar was situated. There was this peculiarity about this horseman; He had neither saddle, blanket nor bridle. Sitting awkwardly upon the bare back of a clumsy little horse, he clung to its mane, and prodding it constantly with a stick to accelerate its pace, he jogged along as a sailor on horseback always jogs.

Suddenly the horseman bent his head and looked eagerly in the near distance. He saw a man afoot making toward the north with neither rapid nor steady steps.

Drawing nearer to the lonely foot traveler the horseman's eye lit up, for he had recognized the face.

"Hang me if that isn't old Namampa, the herb doctor," he said. "I saw his wizened old face at Lola's funeral and I never could forget it." Then shouting in Spanish: "Aho there, Namampa! Whither bound?"

The Carib—for it was really he—looked askance at the stalwart fellow who had thus addressed him, and seemed about to quicken his pace. But it occurred to him that, whether on foot or mounted, the younger man was more than a match for him in speed, so he paused, as if hesitating.

"I do not know you, señor," he said. "You have called my name, but many know the herb-doctor of the Caribs whose faces are not remembered by me."

"Well, your face is remembered by me well enough," was the reply. "No man who once saw it could easily forget it. Not that it is so wonderfully beautiful either."

The thin, withered lips of Namampa cracked into a smile. "He is no longer good to look upon. But as the outward beauty passes away with age, then comes the full development of the soul—the brain. No, Namampa is no longer young nor handsome, but he knows many things."

"A false estimate of your knowledge, old man," said the horseman. "I've heard it said that an Indian charm-doctor, by his arts and humbugs, can make his tribe believe he is a great medicine man, but that he could impose on men who call themselves intelligent was a surprise to me."

"Was a surprise to you!" repeated the Carib, stung with curiosity to know who the stranger was, and resentment that his own skill should be so belittled. "What do you mean? Who are you that you do not believe in Namampa's skill?"

"Well, as to that," replied the horseman, "my name is Tempest, and I am one of those Americans that are not over-much loved by his Royal Highness Philip the Fraud. I've just taken a canter cross country for my health, and now I'm returning to the Coroni Valley to look up my friends. What I mean by doubting your skill is this: A girl was lying ill in the Castle of Salazar, and you, of all the people this side of the Orinoco, were chosen as the wisest medicine-man and the most likely to pull her through. Did you do it? No. You mumbled your prayers and charmed the men who were well, but failed to affect the girl who was ill. That's a sore point with me, old Carib; not that I loved the girl herself, but I loved her lover, and when she died his heart was broken and the light went out of his life. That was the result of your failure, Carib. I've a mind to cut your lying tongue out with this beautiful knife I stole from the fellow who calls himself king."

Namampa flung the gold he had received from Mattazudo, and looked calmly and contemptuously at Tempest, as if considering some weighty question.

"American," he said, "the skill of Namampa is for him who pays the best. I knew nothing of your friend. It was Phillip, whom they call king, who wished to marry the girl, but Phillip offered no gold. There was another who—"

"Confound you!" exclaimed Tempest, leaping to the ground and springing upon the Carib. "Do you mean to say you took the gold of Gomez to murder Lola Garza?"

As Jack relaxed his grip, the Indian whispered:

"Let me up! Let me up! I—I can tell you something."

Tempest took the Indian by the hair and raised him to his feet.

"Tell on," he said; "and unless you tell something that pleases me better than what you have told already you might better be saying your prayers."

"Listen, then," the Carib began. "It is true I was called to the sick senorita. I gave her the powder I make from the bark of the cinchona tree. She got well. But suddenly she seemed to die. It was not I that gave her the drug. I knew nothing of it. She was buried. You must have been there, for you say you saw my face at her funeral. It is true, I was there. I have lived long, señor, and I know the faces of men. You saw Phillip weep. You saw the grief of Don Juan. You saw the gloomy face of Gomez. You saw the gleam in Mattazudo's eye. No. Only I, the Indian, suspected a trick. There is a young man, handsome like for two-hundred years. The half-breed must

have known it, for the girl was not dead, but drugged. I said to myself that I would watch Mattazudo and save the girl. I did watch him, and saw that, instead of grieving, he was exulting. I knew that he would dig up the senorita at night. But I got ahead of him, dug her out of her grave, and took her to my cottage and gave her powerful medicines that brought her back to life. The flood came before I could take her to her father, but she is safe, and I am the one who saved her."

It has already been noticed, perhaps, that Namampa had a delightful way of telling just enough truth to suit his purpose, and strengthening it with a little skillful lying.

"Well, I'm blessed," ejaculated Tempest. "Where is Lola now?"

"Look, señor. Can you see that hill far to the south?"

"Yes," said Tempest.

"When the flood came the land where my poor hut stood was under water. I took Don Juan's daughter up on that hill. There is an old stone temple there, high enough to be beyond the reach of the flood. There I found an Englishman. I explained all to him, and he promised to take care of her, and I left her with him. Mattazudo had learned that I outwitted him and has sworn to kill me. He is very powerful among the Zambos, and I am fleeing from him. I want your horse, señor. If the half-breed follows me on a horse he will surely overtake me and kill me."

"Are you telling the truth?" asked Tempest.

"I am, I swear it. The senorita is safe."

"By Jove! Well, old man, you came nearer death to-day than you ever were before. Here's the horse, take it and go."

Namampa, chucking at his own ready wit, mounted the horse, and Tempest started off toward Carib Hill.

## CHAPTER XXVI.

### Another Battle.

It was quite a journey to the hill, and after Tempest had trudged awhile, he began to regret that he had allowed the Carib to take his horse. But, he reflected, if the Indian's story was true, Lola was safe enough, and there was no need to hurry. It was not as if she were again in danger and he was hurrying to her assistance.

He was rejoiced, after a tramp of several hours, to see the wooded slope of the hill before him, and in his eager hope to find Lola still unharmed and in the Englishman's care, he forgot the fatigue of the journey and hurried up the hill.

Suddenly he was startled by hearing a shot and shouts as of a skirmish. Another rifle-shot—two, three in quick succession, and the shrieks of wounded Zambos.

"An attack!" said Tempest. "The scoundrels have discovered the place of refuge, and have come to recapture Lola. I wish I had a gun. But, gun or not, I must have a hand in this."

Armed only with the knife, the gallant American sprang up the hill toward the sound of battle.

The course he had taken brought him up in front of the ruined temple, and before his presence was discovered he had ample opportunity of seeing what was going on.

He saw a crowd of at least a dozen of the dirty horde under Mattazudo, led by that worthy himself, who had, true to Lord Chugmough's prediction, returned to recover his lost victim. They hid themselves behind trees or rocks, and shot into the open end of the ruin, now half barricaded with stones and logs piled up by Lord Chugmough and William.

Behind this rude fortification he could now and then catch a glimpse of a head, and the quick aiming of a rifle as one of the Zambos showed himself, thereby drawing upon him the unerring fire of the Englishmen.

Mobs like that led by Mattazudo lean mostly to guerrilla warfare, and the bravest of these followers of the half-breed chose rather to shoot from ambush than in a fair fight.

But, numerous as they were, they were aimed at a marked disadvantage when pitted against the two Englishmen, for the repeating rifles inside the ruin were aimed by men of nerve, whose hands were steady and whose eyes were sure, whereas, probably, not one of Mattazudo's heroes would have hit a man in full view one hundred yards away.

When a Zambo fired, he was compelled to show enough of himself to give Lord Chugmough something to shoot at, and this mark was generally hit.

It did not take Mattazudo long to discover that at the rate they were going the Englishmen would eventually wipe his force out of existence.

It became necessary, therefore, to boldly attack the ruin in a body. The Englishmen would no doubt kill a few, but two men in a hand-to-hand fight must give way to overwhelming numbers, and the lives of a few wretches like the Zambos were not to be considered when the object to be gained was the possession of Lola Garza.

So, keeping well under cover himself for the pleasure of possessing a beautiful girl would be naught to a dead man—he gave the order to charge.

With a shout the Zambos dashed forward, two falling by the rifles of the Englishman at the very entrance;

but Tempest, as he saw one after another of the gang leap into the old ruin, knew that the gallant defenders of the temple and Lola Garza were doomed unless he, alone could aid them.

Gripping his poniard tightly, he uttered a wild yell, and, rushing forward, he hurled himself over the barricade and into the very thickest of the fight.

"Here's one for Medworth!" he shouted, as he drove his knife into the heart of a fellow whose gun was aimed at Lord Chugmough's breast.

"Here's another for Crespo and the Republic!" he shouted again, giving another Zambo his death-blow.

"Take one in the name of Uncle Sam while we're at it!" he yelled, and another of the fiends of Mattazudo bit the dust.

His sudden advent disconcerted the Zambos and gave Lord Chugmough and William an opportunity to recover. But even now they were outnumbered four to one, and the fight seemed hopeless.

Tempest seemed endowed with the strength of seven men. With the knife in his right hand he felled one after another, while his left was busy hurling his enemies from him.

He felt a stinging pain in his side, and knew that he was wounded, but still fought on, unmindful of the hurt. Lord Chugmough managed to get close beside him, and so well did they work together, with William's calm and experienced assistance, that eight men were lying dead and dying upon the earthen floor of the ruin, when the others, panic-stricken and defeated, fled from the place.

"William," said Lord Chugmough, calmly, with his usual drawl, as soon as the last enemy had disappeared, "that was quite a little skirmish."

Then turning to Tempest, he said: "And our success, sir, is due to your timely—Oh, I say there, old man, brace up! William, the brandy—he has fainted."

Tempest, who had turned to speak to Lola, who was cowering in a corner during the progress of the fight, had reeled, staggered and would have fallen to the floor had not Lord Chugmough caught him in his arms.

"It is Jack Tempest!" cried Lola. "Poor Jack! Poor fellow! Place him here on these skins. There—make him comfortable. Poor Jack! How nobly he fought!"

"He is a good one," said Lord Chugmough, working over Tempest as he spoke.

In a short time Tempest revived enough to open his eyes. He looked up at Lola and smiled.

"Ah—I'm glad—you're safe," he whispered.

She knelt down by his side.

"Brave Jack," she said. "Is Arthur with you?"

"No," was the whispered answer. "He's gone—we you know the castle—you died—we saw you put—grave—Namampa told me all—I was alone—Arthur—Jacinta—the General's daughter—gone—together—boat—I—I—"

"My heaven!" exclaimed Lord Chugmough, startled out of his iron composure, "the wound is bleeding afresh!"

A gurgling sound in Tempest's throat had choked further utterance, and the poor fellow's fingers gripped Lord Chugmough's. He was conscious, apparently, for he looked at Lola as if he wished to say something. But the Zambo had struck too deep. In a few minutes the weary eyes closed, the great chest gave a heave, and the life went out of Jack Tempest.

(To be continued.)

## MEN WHO REFUSED TITLES.

Distinguished Englishmen Who Refused Rank as an Empty Honor.

Not all Englishmen are seeking titles of nobility. At least there have been many subjects of the crown who might have worn coronets, but declined to accept them for varying reasons that were at least sufficient to themselves. The late William Ewart Gladstone was a notable example of the latter order of humanity, for the peerage which time after time was held out to him was always rigidly rejected.

Swinburne might have had a "Sir" before his name had he chosen to accept the baronetcy which was offered him some years ago, but with true democratic independence he refused to accept a title which, after all, could do little to enhance his fame.

Similarly, Mr. Watts R. A., whose pictures are known the wide world over, could have ranked with Lord Leighton had he stoutly asserted his objection to titles and elected to remain as he was.

Lord Tennyson, when first approached on the question of accepting a peerage, was strongly opposed to the idea, but eventually succumbed to the offer on the ground that his son would inherit the title and that he was therefore justified in taking it.

It is rumored that the late Professor Huxley was offered a knighthood by Mr. Gladstone—an offer which was politely but firmly declined. A similar honor was proposed to his distinguished contemporary, Professor Tyndall, and was also declined without hesitation.

It is an open secret that Charles Dickens might have added "bart" to his illustrious name had he chosen to do so. A few years before the demise of Verdi, the illustrious composer, the late King Humbert sent for the maestro and offered him a dukedom in recognition of his services to music.

Verdi refused the gracious offer with dignified courtesy, whereupon the king admitted that he was quite right. "For," said his majesty, "all the titles in Italy could not make you greater than you are."

Use the oil left from sardines in making fish cakes. It saves butter.

## The Ameer is Dead.

The strength of character of the ameer of Afghanistan and the utility of his services in pressing Afghanistan as a buffer state between rival empires, are generally recognized, and anxiety is expressed lest his successor lacks the qualities so essential to the peace of Asia.

The death of the ameer is reported by a news agency, which publishes the following dispatch from Simla: "Habib Oullah Khan, eldest son of the ameer of Afghanistan, has reported to the British agency at Kabul that the ameer died last Thursday after a brief illness."

No confirmation has been received at the foreign office of the report, but it is not doubted.

At Simla it is believed that Habib Oullah Khan, who was regarded by his father as his successor and had long had a share in the government of the country, will assume the succession peacefully.

## Miss Stone's Perilous Flight.

"If the ransom of Miss Stone is not paid, I firmly believe her head will be set upon a pike pole in the nearest village," was the statement of Hon. Z. T. Sweeney, of Columbus, Ind., ex-consul-general to Turkey: "I think the kidnapping of Miss Stone was done for political purposes. Her captors wish the United States to seek revenge upon Turkey. True to their promise, they will release Miss Stone if the ransom is paid. If it is not, they will cut a finger off and send it to her friends. Then an ear and finally her head will be put upon a pike pole in some little village of Turkey."

## A Plausible Ending.

A. M. Miller, formerly city clerk, who left Sandusky, O., last February, being alleged to have made away with nearly \$100,000 of the city's funds has been located at Havana, Cuba, and Chief of Police Wingates and City Solicitor Hart have gone after him. A telegram was received from Havana saying Miller was there and asking what would be paid for his surrender. A reward of \$500 was voted by the council and a reply was received that Miller would be turned over for that amount. A Cuban who made the deal says Miller is poor, friendless and in a pitiable condition.

Senator Chauncey M. Depew is to marry Miss May Palmer in the near future.

## AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

WEEK ENDING OCT. 12. AVENUE THEATRE—Vaudeville—Prices: afternoon, 10, 15, 25; evening, 10, 15, 25, 35. RAYMOND THEATRE—Put Me Off at Buffalo—Wed and Sat. Mat. 2c; evening, 15, 25, 50 and 75. WILDNEY GRAND—Human Spiders—Matinee 10c, 15 and 25c; evening, 10c, 25c and 50c.

## THE MARKETS.

Cincinnati.—Cattle.—Demand light. Heavy steers, choice to extra, \$5 25 to \$5 50; medium, fair to good, \$4 75 to \$5 00; light, \$4 50 to \$4 75; calves, \$5 00 to \$5 25; hogs, \$4 00 to \$4 25; sheep, \$3 50 to \$3 75; chickens, \$2 50 to \$2 75; turkeys, \$3 00 to \$3 25; ducks, \$2 00 to \$2 25; geese, \$1 50 to \$1 75; corn, \$1 00 to \$1 25; wheat, \$1 50 to \$1 75; flour, \$2 00 to \$2 25; sugar, \$5 00 to \$5 25; coffee, \$10 00 to \$10 25; cotton, \$15 00 to \$15 25; wool, \$20 00 to \$20 25.

Detroit.—Cattle.—Good to choice butcher steers, \$4 50 to \$5 00; light to good, \$4 00 to \$4 50; calves, \$5 00 to \$5 25; hogs, \$4 00 to \$4 25; sheep, \$3 50 to \$3 75; chickens, \$2 50 to \$2 75; turkeys, \$3 00 to \$3 25; ducks, \$2 00 to \$2 25; geese, \$1 50 to \$1 75; corn, \$1 00 to \$1 25; wheat, \$1 50 to \$1 75; flour, \$2 00 to \$2 25; sugar, \$5 00 to \$5 25; coffee, \$10 00 to \$10 25; cotton, \$15 00 to \$15 25; wool, \$20 00 to \$20 25.

Chicago.—Cattle.—Good to prime steers, \$4 50 to \$5 00; medium, \$4 00 to \$4 50; light to good, \$3 50 to \$4 00; calves, \$5 00 to \$5 25; hogs, \$4 00 to \$4 25; sheep, \$3 50 to \$3 75; chickens, \$2 50 to \$2 75; turkeys, \$3 00 to \$3 25; ducks, \$2 00 to \$2 25; geese, \$1 50 to \$1 75; corn, \$1 00 to \$1 25; wheat, \$1 50 to \$1 75; flour, \$2 00 to \$2 25; sugar, \$5 00 to \$5 25; coffee, \$10 00 to \$10 25; cotton, \$15 00 to \$15 25; wool, \$20 00 to \$20 25.

Grain Etc. Cincinnati.—Wheat.—Demand light, little trading. No. 2 winter red, sold at 77 1/2 on track. No. 2 winter white, 77 1/2. No. 2 mixed, sold at 76 1/2 on track. No. 2 white, held at 76 1/2 on track. No. 2 yellow, held at 76 1/2 on track. No. 2 white, 76 1/2. No. 2 mixed, 76 1/2. No. 2 yellow, 76 1/2. No. 2 white, 76 1/2. No. 2 mixed, 76 1/2. No. 2 yellow, 76 1/2.

Why Its Comers. The real purpose of the extraordinary visit to this time to the United States of Marquis Ito, the Gladstone of Japan, is revealed. He comes for the purpose of strengthening Japan's political and financial standing in England and the United States and to endeavor if possible to lay the foundation for a triple alliance on business and political lines between Japan, the United States and England. It is no secret that the object of such an alliance is to offset the aggression of the Russian and French alliance in the Orient.

## WRENCHED FOOT AND ANKLE.

Cured by St. Jacob's Oil.

Gentlemen: A short time ago I severely wrenched my foot and ankle. The injury was very painful, and the consequent inconvenience (being obliged to keep to business), was very trying. A friend recommended St. Jacob's Oil, and I take great pleasure in informing you that one application was sufficient to effect a complete cure. To a busy man, so simple and effective a remedy is invaluable, and I shall lose no opportunity of suggesting the use of St. Jacob's Oil. Yours truly, Henry J. Dolris, Manager the Cycles Co., London, England.

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## Tumble Hogs as Barometers.

Country folk are firmly of the opinion that the tumble bug (geotrypes atercorarius) is an excellent barometer and that it takes flight only when a season of fair weather is coming. M. Fabre, a French naturalist, has investigated the question thoroughly and has come to the conclusion that this insect is, in fact, more sensitive than the best barometers, and that it can veritably be used to predict fine weather. It is to changes of electric tension that the insect is sensitive.

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## Sozodont

Good for Bad Teeth Not Bad for Good Teeth

Sozodont Tooth Powder 25c. Large Liquid and Powder 25c.

## \$5,000 IN CASH PRIZES!

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Mystery in Burnt Ship. Duluth navigators are puzzled. At 6 o'clock a. m. Monday John Roberg, a policeman, saw what he claims was a large steamer burning on the lake. The vessel was about three miles from shore, he says, and finally burned to the water's edge and disappeared. Roberg was at his home at the time and the members of his family and another family living in the same house claim to have seen the spectacle. So far as learned they are the only people in Duluth or Superior who did see it, but they are absolutely positive.

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New Styles, Up-to-Date, Neat and Nobby.

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