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Breezy Items

By Live Correspondents.

LIVONIA CENTER.

Everybody is going or have gone to the State fair at Pontiac this week.

Miss Nora Smith, of Plymouth, opened our school for the next term on Tuesday. There is a small attendance at present, but more will come after a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Barrows visited the latter's parents Sunday, east of the Center.

Carrie Parks of Detroit is staying the week with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Smith.

Mrs. Joe McEachran has been sick the past week with neuralgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Garchow visited at Fred Garchow's last Sunday.

Used For Pneumonia.

Dr. C. J. Bishop of Agnew, Mich., says, "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Refuse substitutes. Hubbell's Pharmacy.

TONQUISH

Mrs. Bromfield of Detroit spent a few days with her father, Warner Perkins.

The H. H. Society spent a very pleasant afternoon with John Hix and wife on Wednesday, Sept. 2nd.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Helen Robinson and Charles Stephens of Plymouth.

Mrs. Ben. Shultz, of Wayne, and her daughter Nellie of Ypsilanti, called on friends here Monday.

Robinson & Reiman are overhauling their cider mill for fall's work. Date for starting will be given later.

Master Harry Kahnitz, of northeast Canton, spent a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parish.

Mrs. Warner Perkins entertained her cousin, Mrs. Earl and children, of Detroit, last week.

Mrs. Herbert Halpin, of Detroit, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson.

Wm. Ward commenced work in Romulus Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson spent last week with her sister, at Ypsilanti.

John, Robinson and family, also his parents, spent Sunday with their sister and daughter of Toledo.

Doctors could not help her.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." Hubbell's Pharmacy.

MURRAY'S CORNERS.

Mrs. W. P. Smith of Chicago, is visiting at John Forshee's.

Mrs. Mary Forshee is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wakely, of Detroit and Miss Mabel Spicer of Plymouth visited at S.W. Spicer's Monday.

Ethel Gunn, of Cherry Hill, is visiting Miss Ada Westfall this week.

Perry Walker and wife are spending a few days on the farm this week.

Randolph Brown is on the sick list. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ed. Stuart invited a number of the ladies from this neighborhood to attend an old fashioned party at her home near Plymouth. The ladies wore costumes from twenty-five to seventy-five years old.

PERRINSVILLE.

The L. A. S. at Mrs. Katie Wurtz's last week Wednesday afternoon was well attended and all report a very pleasant afternoon.

Fred Herr and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Dubron and son of Cleveland, have been visiting with Mrs. S. Herr.

James Tait and daughter Libbie are visiting in Toronto this week.

The L. A. S. will give an ice cream social at the hall Saturday evening, Sept. 12th. All are cordially invited to attend.

Next Sunday will be the last Sunday of the conference year and all are especially invited to come.

A selected company gathered at the home of Miss Nell Sherman last Tuesday evening and spent a pleasant evening. Nellie intended leaving for Washington, with her sister Mrs. Winchester, this week Thursday for the purpose of attending school there.

Wm. Schunk took a business trip to Detroit last Saturday.

D. M. Merylees has again sprained his knee.

The Perrinsville school commenced last Monday with Miss Leith as teacher.

Wm. Wurtz has had his cider-mill and blacksmith shop painted. Wm. Parmelee did the work.

NEWBURG.

Ladies' aid meet this Friday with Mrs. W. J. Smith. Picnic supper served and all are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. King are having divorce proceedings. Each has served an injunction on the other to restrain them from disposing property.

Mrs. J. LeVan visited in Ann Arbor, South Lyon and Salem last week.

Mrs. Carrie Dunton, of Detroit, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cranle.

Mrs. T. Davey, Misses Emma Bassett and Bessie Rutter visited Detroit friends last week.

Miss Bertha Ostrander was quite ill last week.

Miss Bessie Hilliker, of Ann Arbor, visited her grandparents here this week.

Misses Whipple, of Northville, visited their sister, Mrs. Corwin, last week.

Wm. Rawlinson was under the doctor's care last week.

J. G. Bennett does not improve much from his fall.

Mrs. Jerome Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins and children and Mrs. H. Bovee and children, of Detroit, visited here last week.

Mrs. Woodard and children, of Detroit, visited her sister, Mrs. Langs last week.

Every one should come prepared to help pay the church insurance next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowers, of Eaton Rapids, are visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. P. Grow.

Bert Allen, of Jackson, is visiting his uncle, C. Macender, and other friends.

On account of the cool weather the ice cream social last Saturday evening was not a financial success, but all had a good time.

One of E. C. Bassett's horses gave out while coming from Detroit last Friday and he had to send home for another.

G. A. R. and W. R. C. held their regular meetings last Saturday afternoon.

Miss Edith Tackett was on the sick list last week.

Mr. Osintsky, of Bay City, is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. King.

F. Crane and wife, of Detroit, visited friends here this week.

Roy Norris, being under the weather, spent a few days this week at home from his work in Detroit.

Mrs. Rutter spent a few days this week in Detroit.

Mrs. Caroline Rosenburg, aged 82 years, 9 months and 18 days, died at noon Sunday, Sept. 5th, 1903, at the home of her son, William Rosenburg. She was born in Germany and came to Michigan in 1848, since living in this vicinity. She was sick but one day. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. William Hillmer and Mrs. Chas. Gentz, Plymouth, and two sons, Charles of Gratiot county, and William. She was a member of the Lutheran church. The funeral occurred at the house Tuesday afternoon, Rev. G. D. Ehnis officiating.

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Hubbell's Pharmacy.

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Thursday, Sept. 17

we will give Double Stamps on all goods purchased at our store (except Sugars). Remember this offer is on

Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes and Groceries

Jay Burr says to bring on your orders and he will give quick service on the delivery wagon.

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In Flour we handle Magnolia, Gold Lace, Henkel's Commercial, Henkel's Bread Flour, Gold Medal

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CHILDHOOD'S DAYS.

I do not sigh for childhood's days, As singers often do; I do not miss those careless sports Which left me black and blue; I should not care to climb a tree, And eat unwholesome fruit, Nor struggle with examples which I can now I can't compute.

HOW I FOUND MY WIFE

WELL, Walter, and you are married? Yes, I answered, and to the sweetest little woman in the world. Of course you think so, said my friend; but I cannot understand how one who was such a confirmed cynic as yourself could be so easily caught. I say tell me how it was?

And so, with my feet on the old desk, and myself cozily ensconced in one of the large armchairs with which every lawyer's office is or ought to be adorned, I told my old friend, Harvey, how I found my wife.

You know, Harvey, that I was, as you say, a confirmed cynic, sneering at all womankind, loving to flirt with them, it is true, but only for a little time, or for a little amusement. When the hot weather came on, I did not care a fig for Long Branch or Saratoga; I had been to Newport and the Springs, and, by the way, they bore you horribly; and so I began to look about for some quiet spot, where I could have a month's fishing and shooting. The village of N— attracted my attention, and I went at once, rejoiced to think that I might have quiet and peace, no match-making mamma, with marriageable daughters, no extra toilets for a dinner, but a quiet home, where I could do as I pleased.

N—, you know, is on Long Island Sound, and I rejoiced in the prospect of boating and bathing, without the annoyances that infest a fashionable watering place. But as the lumbering old stage drove up to the door of the Akerman House, the only hotel in the place, I saw at a glance that my dream of peace was dispelled. Young women! Oh! Harvey—and such young women! I assure you that I was eyed and commented on for at least an hour by three or four amiable damsels, who were on the lookout for "something new." I went to my room and made ready for supper, as they styled it, and had the honor of an introduction to several of them at the table. One attracted more than a passing notice, and in the evening I found myself flirting with Miss Hall, after the most approved fashion. Such a girl, Harvey! You never saw the mate for her!

Was she your divinity? No, my boy. Don't interrupt me. No, she was not; but she was the most self-satisfied young woman I ever saw—rather good-looking, gifted with a tongue, and a correct knowledge of its use—believing firmly in what Thackeray says of Becky Sharpe, "That any woman with a knowledge of herself, and a little common sense, and persistence may marry whom she likes." This was Miss Hall's creed. To make a long story short—we flirted all the time, and until we were the talk of the house. But I began to tire of the game, and to wish for something new.

One night, as I rowed Miss Hall to the village, we met a party of three—coming up with Tim, our porter—two ladies and a gentleman—one was an invalid, Harvey, that face, with its lack of utter weariness, haunted me. There's no use to describe it. It wouldn't bear it, but I thought it the sweetest face I ever saw. It was more than a week before I saw it again, though I had been dreaming of it continually.

One night, as I came in from a bath, on entering the hall, I saw a pair of little feet in red slippers. "Where are you, you rascal, but those slippers, or rather, their contents, belonged me. As I advanced I saw the same face—the invalid was at last able to be down stairs—and I was introduced to Miss Benton. Of course I dropped Miss Hall, thereby causing much scandal. I had thought to win an easy victory with the newcomers, but the cool way in which she repelled my attentions sent me at my wits' end, and I made a mental vow to drop flirting. By what peculiar process I came to that conclusion it would be difficult to explain. I tried everything. I felt myself falling in love, and suppose that I showed it. I proposed on a week's acquaintance, and was quickly refused. Nothing daunted, I determined on a change of front. I asked her to consider me her friend—and only that, for life—a true friend. I got that foothold, trusting to kindness and little attentions to win, but all failed.

I saved her life, Harvey, taking a cold bath, and spelling a suit of clothes for her, and got coldly thanked for my services. Then I tried the letting-down process, and that was the most complete failure of all. I introduced my departure. She was sorry—valued me as a friend, and all that sort of thing, but nothing more. Miss Benton was disgusted with my conduct; I did not want to live her up. I had said I was going, and I meant it. I proposed to her to go for an answer. I told her that I was going, and she told me that I really did not concern her in the least. I got angry and left N—. But I could not drive her face out of my memory.

"Three weeks ago while on a trip to Montreal I stopped all night at Rutland, and the first name on the register—at least the first that I saw—was Ella Benton. I sent up my card, but she would not receive me. I came down in the morning, and turning to the clerk's desk put my hand in my pocket for my wallet; I went back to my room—no wallet. I was a stranger in the place without money. The clerk openly expressed his belief that I was a fraud. Quite a crowd gathered around me as I endeavored to explain the matter. Just at this moment a lady passed through the hall and bowed to me, though very distantly. It was Miss Benton.

"In a few moments she sent for me. I went up wondering, and as I entered she arose and said: 'Mr. Hirst, I heard accidentally, of your misfortune. Will you oblige me by using this check, which you can replace at your convenience?'

"I tried to stammer out a refusal, but she would not hear to it. 'Well,' said I, 'Miss Benton, I will accept your kindness, but I have no security to offer unless—unless it is myself.'

"Which I will accept cheerfully," said the little woman. 'Do you really mean it?' said I, hardly knowing whether I was asleep or awake.

"Why, yes," she said. "I am very strict about money matters, and as you have no other security I suppose I must take you. Are you satisfied?"

"Why, you know my answer, of course, old fellow, and we were married then and there. But I say, Harvey, there's one thing I've forgotten entirely. I never returned that check to my wife."—New York Weekly.

A Diplomatic Incident. In his "Chapters From My Diplomatic Life," in the Century, Andrew D. White writes: Least pleasing of all duties was looking after fugitives from justice or birds of prey evidently seeking new victims. On this latter point, I recall an experience which may throw some light on the German mode of watching doubtful persons. A young American had appeared at various public places wearing a naval uniform to which he was not entitled, declaring himself a son of the President of the United States, and apparently making reading for a career of scoundrelism. Consulting the Minister of Foreign Affairs one day, I mentioned this case, asking him to give me such information as came to him. He answered: "Remind me at your next visit, and perhaps I can show you something."

On my calling, some days later, the Minister handed me a paper on which was inscribed, apparently, not only every place the young man had visited during the past week, but everything he had done and said, his conversations in the restaurants being noted with especial care, and while the man was evidently worthless, he was clearly rather a fool than a scoundrel. On my expressing surprise at the fulness of this information, the Minister seemed quite as much surprised at my supposing it possible for any good government to exist without such complete surveillance of suspected persons.

Indians Have Hard Teeth. A remarkable thing—and one which very few people know—is that the teeth of an Indian are much harder and in every way stronger than the average white man's teeth," remarked a downtown dentist, "and I had ample occasion, one morning last week, to test and almost destroy every instrument in my shop.

"A red man came in and wanted me to extract a tooth and fix his mouth up in general. So I proceeded to work, and after a half hour of the hardest sort of work and breaking my strongest forceps, I managed to pull theaching molar. Another thing I discovered was that the Indian's venerated stoicism to pain is a myth. This fellow behaved worse than an infant of five years, and I was about to tell him to consult another dentist when he piteously begged me to complete the job, as he had been refused by many dentists to do the work.

"Of course, I finished the job, though before I got through I had turned the edges of fifteen or twenty drills. I have often heard of the hardness of the Indian's tooth, but never before did I actually experience the ordeal, both for him and myself, of working upon them, and in the future I'm of the opinion I, too, will shirk the responsibility of working upon them with ordinary tools."—Washington Post.

The Making of Books. Books are now multiplied to such a degree that it is impossible to read them all or even to know their number and titles. One large publisher last year sold 1500 tons of a certain set of books, or 3,000,000 pounds. That is only a drop in the bucket, when all the output is considered. Fortunately one is not obliged to read all that is published, either by the volume or the pound. Lubbock's hundred-books idea was appropriated from a man who wanted to write a hundred folio volumes and employ the temporal and spiritual power to compel people to read them.—New York Press.

Saw a Group of Turnstones. At Oakley the other day the people witnessed the spectacle of five turnstones whirling along at the same time. They would dart their caplike tails toward the ground, drawing them up to their heads, but only one reached the earth. This one true thing up for about twenty minutes in passing over a considerable space of country, and then disappeared.—Kansas City Journal.

Those Crooked Lamps

When Mrs. Judson gave Mr. Judson his ante-prandial kiss she sniffed audibly.

"Oh, dear," she said, "again? How many this time?"

"Only one," said Judson, "and that was a tiny fellow. I stopped in to see a man around the corner and took just one thimbleful for appearance's sake."

Mrs. Judson sighed. "And you promised so faithfully," she said. "It seems as if you never can keep your word."

Judson stalked toward the dining-room indignantly. "What's the sense in raising a row about a little thing like this?" he said. "That one swallow couldn't hurt a fly."

"But it has hurt you," retorted Mrs. Judson. "It has gone to your head. I don't believe you know now what you are saying."

Judson groaned. Presently, under the influence of a good dinner, he restrained his impatience and began to talk sociably. "Did you ever notice, Mary," he said, "how confoundedly crooked the street lamps are in this town?"

Mrs. Judson gasped. "Crooked?" she said. "Yes," said Judson, "I never noticed it till to-night. At the first corner we struck after I got in the car I saw that the lamp was doing its level best to turn itself upside down. After that I kept a close watch on all the Broadway lamps, and I found that nineteen out of the twenty-two we passed were tip-tilted over in the craziest positions imaginable. They

looked disreputable. It would be a good thing, I think, now that the city is agitating the street lamp question, not only to get new ones, but to straighten up the ones we already have."

Mrs. Judson looked across the table in ghastly reproachfulness. "Well," she said, "if the subject you chose for a conversation isn't a dead give away! You are even worse than I thought you were if you see the street lamps stand on their heads."

Again Judson groaned. Mrs. Judson worried over the unconventional attitude of the city's lamps all the evening. The next morning after Judson had gone down town, still in a spirit of depression, she began to feel that she might possibly have been too hard on him.

"The lamps may be crooked on their posts after all," she said. "The city, and not that one glass, may be to blame for Harry's topsy-turvy vision."

Having once argued herself in that charitable mood Mrs. Judson set out to try to vindicate her husband. She went clear down town for that purpose. She traveled over the same route that Judson had traveled over the night before and studied the street lamps as he had studied them. Judson was right. Nineteen out of twenty-two lamps were crooked. Mrs. Judson's conjugal soul was moved to tearful repentance.

"I was unjust," she said. "The city is to blame. I will never find fault with Mr. Judson again if he says that every lamp in town is turning somersaults."

Many Uses for Potato

To-day Germany fairly rivals Ireland with its potato crop and outdoes most other countries. Fully an eighth of the arable land of the empire is planted to this nutritious vegetable. Half the large yield is used directly as human food; a considerable other portion is given over to fattening stock. There still remains an enormous surplus after that, however, and it is the success with which the Germans have met in turning this surplus into manufactured products that is most remarkable.

Among these manufactured products are starch, glucose, potato flour, dextrin and starch sugar, each of which appears prominently on the list of German exports, all together contributing large sums every year to the profits of German manufacturers and exporters. But the alcohol which the Germans make from the potato is the most valuable and wonderful product of all. This as a light producer fairly rivals the electric current. It is said that the apparatus for its practical use includes lamps, chandeliers, street and corner lights, in which alcoholic vapor

is burned like gas in a hooded flame, covered by a Welsbach mantle. So used, potato alcohol is described as burning with an incandescent flame equaling the electric light in brilliancy. Indeed, we are officially told now by our consul general at Berlin that potato alcohol is competing with gas and electricity with increasing success every year.

In the problems of heat and power production, too, the lowly potato has been brought into use, and the alcohol from it has been applied to warming and cooking stoves, to steam locomotives, to thrashing, grinding, fuel cutting and other agricultural and mechanical appliances. The advantages said to be found in its use are immediate readiness for operation; dispensing with coal, water and firemen; freedom from odors and danger of fire and greater economy of maintenance. Possibly there is some exaggeration in these claims. But figures given plainly show that the potato as cultivated in Germany has produced a real competitor for at least benzene and petroleum for motor purposes.

Brigham Young in 1830

About the year 1830, Brigham Young and family settled in Port Byron, says the Rochester Post-Express. It was then known as Bucksville and boasted of 100 inhabitants. There was no canal or railroad in those days, and the settlers had to hew down trees in order to make a clearing in which to build a house. During the first few years of Young's stay he made his home with 'Squire Pine, who lived in the corner of Pine and South streets. The Pine house is now about 100 years old. It is now owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. James D. Dixon.

Brigham Young was a carpenter, and old residents of Port Byron say that he was an expert at his trade, but work was scarce and he was always hard up. It was a long time before he saved money enough to buy lumber to build his own house. It was his intention to build himself a fine house, but it turned out to be a very ordinary frame structure. It was built soon after the Erie canal was

put through, and was located near the wheel path side of the canal. The Young house has long since been moved. A part of the original structure now stands back of the New Kirk livery stables, and is unoccupied.

A person who cannot argue is like a person who cannot chew; he swallows the facts of life unprepared for digestion. Though your life be a tangled skein, patience hath an eye which can find the end of the thread, which will enable you to unravel the snarl.

ONE WOMAN'S CLEVER IDEA.

Put the Burden of Fibbing on Inquisitive Friends. "I think it is a foolish fashion that so many women indulge, that of telling their age wrongly," said a woman with prematurely gray hair. "I can honestly say that I never practice it myself."

"No!" said her friend, with many meanings in the monosyllable. "Well," said the first speaker, with a smile—she was a woman with a sense of humor; "the fact is, I don't have to. I have a way of making myself out younger than I am, if I wish to, without telling a fib at all."

"Really?" inquired the other, curiously. "In what way?" "I put the burden of the fib all upon the questioner. You see, when one of my dear women friends—it is always women who are curious on his point—asks me how old I am, I say, 'Oh, I'm a year or two older than you, you know, my dear—at least a year older. Let me see, how old are you?' And then she always rocks more off my age than I should ever have the nerve to do myself."

Whiling in West. On a recent occasion at Princeton, Paul Van Dyke told this story as a

joke on his brother, Henry, the famous author and professor of English at Princeton:

"It was when we were boys," said Mr. Paul Van Dyke; "we had been out hunting all day and had not had a shot at anything. Finally along toward evening we spied a covey of partridges in the long grass at the end of a frozen pond. We were both excited and Henry began to run around the edge of the ice toward the partridges.

"Don't shoot 'em on the run!' I called out; 'don't shoot 'em on the run!'"

"I w-w-won't," stammered Henry in his excitement. "I'll w-w-wait till they stop!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not an Unknown Quantity. The editor of the Mobile Register announces that he "has discovered" a mint bed growing spontaneously in his front yard. There is something in the tone of the item that conveys the assurance that he knows exactly what to do with that mint-bed.

Buckles for Men's Shoes. The very latest thing in man's foot gear shown by a fashionable up-town leader in New York is a narrow tan leather strap and small nickel buckle as a fastener for tan shoes.

DO THEIR OWN COOKING.

Increasing Demand For Attractive Appliances of the Kitchen.

Very attractive and handy appliances are now brought out for the amateur cook. They are of bronze, copper and silver plate, and each may be mounted on its own spirit lamp or electrical fitting.

"Epicureanism is on the increase, and many more people are particular as to the preparation of their food than formerly," said a household goods dealer. "Fastidious people who buy the best, the markets afford in food supplies have awakened to the fact that much of their care in this regard is wasted if the cooking be unintelligently done, so we are selling more and more of these individual cooking appliances."

"Many settled people, particularly, amuse themselves by amateur cooking. The health culture propaganda has also been a stimulus to the amateur cook. Food eaten under proper conditions will obviate the need of medicines or curatives and add to physical exhilaration, good looks, etc. These theories are getting strongly impressed on the public mind, and particularly on those folks who are able to indulge themselves, to experiment in the matter and make permanent progress."

"They secure food supplies of the best grade and then seek for appliances by which they can supervise the cooking with least inconvenience, and so get the full profit of the investment. The cooking schools have tended also to make people recognize the value of delicate cookery applied to a good grade of food. Slowly but surely their maxims are being exemplified."—New York Sun.

WISE WORDS.

People who ridiculed fools are usually in the same boat.

Men are seldom thankful when they get what they deserve.

The desire of appearing clever often prevents one from being so.

Progress is the activity of to-day and the assurance of to-morrow.

To be vain of one's rank or place is to show that one is below it.

The readiest and surest way to get rid of enuresis is to correct ourselves.

One night of a foolish carousal may destroy the result of a year's intelligent labor.

Experience is a keen knife that cuts, while it extracts the carotid that blinds.

The use of slang may be that it keeps many talkers from assassinating real English.

Nobody can hope to get into good society who does not call one's salary one's income.

Egotism and vanity are tireless horses with which one can plow the field of folly.

Freedom of conscience and freedom from conscience should not be inconceivable phrases.

The difference between having pride and being proud is worth while learning early in life.

With too many persons charity means only the getting rid of what they don't happen to care for.

Human nature is so constituted that all see and judge better in the affairs of other men than in their own.

Try to enact your highest aspirations in the environment in which you are. Thus you shall lift everything about you.

The mind that is much elevated and insistent with prosperity and cast down by adversity is generally subject and base.

A person who cannot argue is like a person who cannot chew; he swallows the facts of life unprepared for digestion.

Though your life be a tangled skein, patience hath an eye which can find the end of the thread, which will enable you to unravel the snarl.

Good Manners.

Once upon a time, Dr. Edward Bedloe, of Philadelphia, diplomat, writer, raconteur, and several other attractions, was at a railroad restaurant table, across which sat a very elaborate gentleman who showed plainly that he was not pleased with the democracy of his surroundings. But even his kind eye compelled to eat sometimes, and it was up to him to eat in that common place or go hollow for six hours at least. Dr. Bedloe was doing much better, and was almost enjoying the viands, notwithstanding he had fed on Clover CMB spreads and had had intimate relations with a Boldt bill-of-fare.

During the feast, the doctor wanted one of the condiments which had wandered over to the other side of the table, and he asked the elaborate party to hand it to him.

"I am no waiter, sir," replied the E. P. with freezing hauteur.

"Oh, I know that," responded Bedloe breezily, reaching for what he had asked for. "A waiter has to have much better manners than you have."

Why Does She Do It?

There is a girl in Brooklyn who is turning up the end of fun to her neighbors by her devotion to golf. Every day she appears in golf clothes, and for a moment assumes all sorts of golf posing, sitting occasionally at a small table, when she gravely disappears into the house, only to do the same thing again the next day. Just what she thinks is going nobody has been able to find out, for she is never seen on the street in her golf clothes, belongs to a set of clubs, and in fact rarely goes a distance from her home. Yet each is wondering the newest and most up-to-date golfs are being enthralled by golfers.—New York Times.

DINNERS COOKED WITHOUT FIRE

Norwegian Idea That Has Many Very Good Points.

Fireless dinners are made in vessels named Norwegian kitchens, which are an idea imported from the peasants of Norway. The kitchen is a box with an interior packing of felt or other non-conducting material, into which a heated sauceman with side handles is set, after first being put upon the fire thoroughly to boil. The lid of the pan or pans, for two or three may be set one upon another, must be fitted firmly so that no steam can escape when the transfer of the sauceman is made from the fire to the cooking box; an inner padded cover to the Norwegian kitchen prevents any waste of heat, just as the inner icebox cover prevents the escape of cold air. The peasants in Norway and Sweden start their food cooking at their earliest rising, wind many bands of hay around, and pile hay on top until it is fairly buried. When noon time comes dinner is ready and is eaten in the fields with their buckwheat breads and home-made liquors.

Melbourne's Industrial Exchange. Melbourne has an industrial exchange which is conducted for the benefit of the unemployed. For example, the needy shoemaker takes a pair of shoes to the exchange and receives a certificate equivalent to their estimated value. This he can offer at any time in return for its value in such other goods as may be deposited at the exchange by other members. These members are said to include accountants, architects, bakers, dentists, engineers, printers, authors, artists, journalists, geologists and piano tuners. It is a curious reversion to the primitive system of barter.

An Old Soldier's Experience. Dennard, Ark., Sept. 7th. Mr. E. J. Hicks, merchant of this place, has written for publication, an account of a personal experience, which is very interesting.

"I am an old Federal soldier," writes Mr. Hicks, "and shortly after the close of the war I was taken sick. I had aches and pains all over me, fluttering of the heart and stomach trouble. I just simply was never a moment without pain. I could not sleep at night, and I was always tired and fearfully weak."

"I took medicine all the time, but for a long time I was more dead than alive. Altogether I suffered for over twenty years, and I believe I would have been suffering yet, or in my grave, if I had not read of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"I got an almanac which told me of this remedy, and I bought some of it. I started with three pills a day, but increased the dose to six pills a day. I had not used many till my pains began to disappear. I kept on and now I can sleep and eat as well as ever I could, and I feel like a new man, with no pains or aches left."

"I will always recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills, for they are a wonderful remedy."

Whistler's Eccentricities. Here is a story illustrating the peculiarities of Whistler. A gentleman went to Whistler with a letter of introduction and sent up his card with the letter. The servant presently brought down the card with a note in pencil on it, "Who is the greatest painter?" The visitor promptly wrote "Whistler," and was immediately shown upstairs. An amusing scene followed, arising out of the fact that the visitor was wearing a red necktie. Whistler declared that it interfered with the color scheme of his room and "put him off" a picture he was painting in quite a different key. Finally he obliged the visitor to take off the offending cravat before he would condescend to exchange another word with him.

Many Children Are Sickly. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Summer Complaint, Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

If liberty with law is fire on the hearth, liberty without law is fire on the floor.—Hillard.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Luxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists and money if it fails to cure you.

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If you use Hall's, Get Red Cross Pills, the best Red Cross, Large 50c. packages only 5c.

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SUFFERED FOR FIFTEEN YEARS.

Completely Restored to Health. Mrs. P. Brunzel, wife of Brunzel, stock dealer, residence 3111 Grand Ave., Everett, Wash., says: "For fifteen years I suffered with terrible pain in my back. I experimented with doctors and medicines but got little if any relief. I actually believe the aching in my back and through the groin became worse. I did not know what it was to enjoy a night's rest and arose in the morning feeling tired and unrefreshed. My suffering sometimes was simply indescribable. Finally, I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and got a box. After a few doses I told my husband that I was feeling much better and that the pills were doing me good. When I finished that box I felt like a different woman. I didn't stop at that, though. I continued the treatment until I had taken five boxes. There was no recurrence until a week ago, when I began to feel miserable again. I bought another box and three days' treatment restored me to health. Doan's Kidney Pills act very effectively, very promptly, relieve the aching pains and all other annoying difficulties. I have recommended them to many people and will do so when opportunities present themselves.

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine, which cured Mrs. Brunzel, will be mailed to any part of the United States on application. Address, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price—10 cents per box.

The Temperature of Hell. A colored preacher recently enlightened his congregation in regard to the conditions existing in the infernal regions in the following manner: "Brethren, I have been asked how hot is hell, and I say, after giving due subject considerable reflection, that if you took all the wood in New York state and all the coal in Pennsylvania and all the oil in the world and set all on fire, and then took a man out of hell and put him in that burning mass, he would freeze to death before he had time to get to the bottom of it. That's how hot is hell."—Ralsion (Mo.) Free Press.

DOWN THE ST. LAWRENCE IN SEPTEMBER. To a man with the vacation state of mind, who for business or other reasons, has not had the opportunity of realizing his hopes until September, the St. Lawrence River trip is the most inviting. The St. Lawrence River has a climate all of its own in September—delightful days of sunshine, cool and refreshing nights; no rough weather to mar the trip; scenery unequalled on the continent, together with the facilities which the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company's steamers offer to its patrons for comfort and health, all go to make up one of the most pleasant outings imaginable.

Taking the company's palatial steamers at Toronto, the trip embraces a sail through Lake Ontario, the picturesque Thousand Islands, America's Venice, the exciting descent of all the marvelous rapids to Montreal; thence to Quebec, Murray Bay and up the famous Saguenay River. The scenery of the Saguenay is simply incomparable for wild grandeur and variety. Ample opportunity is afforded all along the route for exploring the many places with interesting historical associations, more especially Quebec, a city totally different from anything else on the continent. Here the old and the new mingle together in strange contrast. Words fail to depict the beauties of this trip, "one must see to appreciate."

For Illustrated Guide, "Niagara to the Sea," send 6 cents postage to Thos. Henry, Traffic Manager, Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co., Montreal, Can.

Call Judge Prejudiced. Mexico, Mo., dispatch: Judge Samuel Barnes, the third judge called, has been disqualified for prejudice by the defense in the trial of Attorney C. A. Barnes for killing Representative Rhodes Clay in a duel.

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Fruit is Destroyed. Five hundred boxes of California pears were destroyed in the great refuse bonfire at a planing mill in Tacoma, Wash., a few days ago because the local fruit inspector found that they were badly infested with the San Jose scale and codling moth.

Mrs. Winslow's Sore Throat Syrup. For children's teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c. a bottle.

Mexican Cotton Mills. The development of Mexico's cotton mills is steadily growing. Mexican cotton goods are already successfully exported to Central and South America, in competition with European goods.

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THAT GIRL of JOHNSON'S By JEAN KATE LUDLUM. Author of "At a Girl's Mercy," Etc.

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CHAPTER XIV.—Continued. "He is my father, and they will not let me in there, yet he can see him." The nurse laid her hand carelessly on the girl's arm. "Of course," she said, in a matter of fact tone. "Remember, Dolores, it is years since he has seen your father. And do you know, as soon as he is better we are going to take him over to the town so you can nurse him to your heart's content? There are pretty houses in the town, and your uncle intends buying one and furnishing it for you. There's a fine blacksmith's shop with a good business for your father, and he is to have a housekeeper and everything comfortable while you are in New York with us. "Your uncle will be ready in a moment, and he does not like to wait; you needn't change your dress, and can wear my wrap and bonnet. Dora will fix everything when you get there. Here is her note; you have not yet read it. Shall I read it for you while you get ready?" She stooped and picked up the note where it had fallen, talking continually, giving the girl no time to reply had she so wished. "Dora writes such a pretty hand; they say those who draw well write well, and Dora makes charming sketches. Here is your note; it reads like her, only one misses her pretty voice."

Mrs. Allen spoke rapidly, but with not a trace of excitement; more as though she would give the girl no time to think. She unfolded the soft gray shawl, and laid it over a chair, then she opened the note with no break in the conversation, and read aloud: "My Dear New Cousin:—Nurse Allen has told you I have come to claim you, or rather have come part way to claim you. They will not allow me to go out today, so father has promised me solemnly that he will bring you with him to me. Nurse Allen will take good care of him, and bring him to us by and by, and we can go over to see him when the weather is dry. Give him my love. I hope he is better, and will go to see him soon. Come to me at once. I wish you, Dolores Johnson, and I can wait no longer."

CHAPTER XV. Dolores Reply. Dolores listened quietly, with no sign of impatience or interest; she stood erect and silent, her eyes resting calmly on Mrs. Allen's face. The bedroom door opened, and her uncle came out, accompanied by young Green and Dr. Dunwiddie. He noticed the wraps made ready, and spoke cheerily. "Well my dear, are you ready? My girl will be watching for us—eh, Green? And if you are ready we will go at once." Mrs. Allen advanced and began putting the wraps around the girl, but Dolores stepped back to avoid her, giving her a slow glance as of reproach, then she turned away from the others toward the physician who was talking earnestly to young Green at the farther window. There was no trace of agitation in the young girl's face or manner as she



"You can tell me if you will," crossed the room to the two at the small, south window. "Dr. Dunwiddie," she said, gravely. Her eyes were searching his for the truth; she never glanced at his companion. "Dr. Dunwiddie," she continued, slowly and distinctly, "you can tell me if you will. There is no reason why I should not know the truth; is he not my father? Have I not a right to know? Do you think this is fair or just? All the other women of the settlement care for the men when there is need, there is no reason why I should not do the same if there is need, and there must be, else why are these strangers here, and why is he kept so quiet? I do not understand it, and I cannot unless you will tell me. And here is my uncle here waiting to take me away from my father, to leave him to be taken care of by strangers. I do not know my uncle; no doubt he wishes us well, but he is a stranger to me. Dora does not know," she lingered over the name—"how could she know, or I am sure she would not wish me to go; she could not wish to go; she would not do it herself—you know she would not do it herself. Do you

think I do not know something all my father more than you have said?" The bedroom door opened noiselessly, and Dr. Grey came out. As he stepped into the room, closing the door behind him, Dr. Dunwiddie motioned for him to return, but he shook his head emphatically. "He's like a log, Hal; the trump of the archangel alone could arouse him. I've stuck to him day and night like an obedient puppet; now I want a change; what's all this going on out here? What all you people?" Dr. Dunwiddie frowned, and his voice was almost sharp as he answered: "There is nothing going on here to interest you, Tom, and Mr. Johnson must not be left alone one moment. If you are tired, I will take your place until—"

"Until it's over," the other interrupted. "Lord knows I wish it were well over; it's a dused bad piece of business, anyhow, and I wish I were out of it." He was stopped by a gesture from Dr. Dunwiddie. Young Green also turned on him with flashing eyes. Dolores seemed turning into stone; her face was whitening, and her eyes dilating; her voice sounded strange even to herself as she laid her hand on the doctor's arm as he was passing by. "You will not go until you have answered me, Dr. Dunwiddie?" It was more a command than a query; her eyes were full on him, and he paused instinctively. Her uncle spoke impatiently; like all men, he disliked scenes; this girl seemed capable of getting one up at almost any moment. "My dear Dolores," he said, "Dora is waiting for us. Why do you bother the doctors?" They know much better than we do what is best to be done. Come, like a good girl, let us go; we are only hindering the others."

"Why should I hinder them?" she asked, gravely. "They are strangers here; he is my father." "Yes, of course," he said, brusquely. "Of course, Dolores. We all know that, but they know much better than we do what is best to be done. Dora is waiting for you—it is better in every way for us to go." She stood erect and slender among them, her print gown falling around her to her feet, her face catching the shadows of the storm upon it. "Did I not say," the voice was almost solemn in its earnestness, "that I will not leave him—ever—while he lives—not for any one?" None of them spoke for a moment; not one of them was capable of deceiving her as she stood so grave and quiet waiting his reply. That she had a right to know, a better right than they, could not be denied. She had spoken the truth, she was a woman capable of enduring much of suffering much; she was not a child to be put off with evasive replies. Dr. Grey stood at the bedroom door; he had not moved since the girl spoke; she impressed him as she impressed the others. Young Green looked troubled; he started as though he would go to Dolores, and checked himself. Even Dr. Dunwiddie was somewhat disquieted; he looked beyond the girl out of the opposite window. They waited for him to speak; the girl knew he would tell her; the others were sure he would do what was best. As his gaze left the window and he turned to Dolores, he caught the look on young Green's face. His own cleared instantly; he was himself again, grave, practical, a thorough physician and gentleman. "My dear Miss Johnson," he said—he was grave, courteous; her eyes did not leave his face—searching, steady eyes—"when your father fell—fully twenty feet it was—he struck the ledge with great force; he had dropped it might scarcely have hurt him, though it is evident that the ledge below is rocky and the bushes scrubby and sharp; as it was, he lost his balance and slipped down suddenly with a force I wonder did not kill him outright. "As it is, he broke both legs and an arm, besides internal injuries which cannot be determined upon at once." She watched him steadily; instinctively she knew he had not told her all. Her lips were white, and set in a straight line. Mrs. Allen crossed over and touched her hand, but she paid no heed to her; she was waiting to know the worst. "You know how he was brought home," continued Dr. Dunwiddie. "You were the one who found him; to you he owes his life—you and Charlie. His right leg was broken below the knee; we set that and his arm yesterday, but his left leg—"

His voice was steady and grave. Mrs. Allen's face was blanching; how the girl would take it she did not know; she was used to many affecting scenes, but this was totally different. "His left leg is broken in two places, Miss Johnson. We did not wish to tell you fill the worst was over, but it is best you should know. Your father remained so long in that position in the night dampness, in his exhausted state, that we dared do nothing yesterday. We wished to save this limb if it were possible; it would be worse than folly to attempt it; it is best that it should go. Then, with careful nursing, we may bring him around all right."

"(To be continued.) NO CAKE FOR HER. Youngster Thought He Had a Grievance Against His Mother. The late Mrs. James G. Blaine used to relate charmingly the unconscious witticisms of her sons' and daughters' childhood. She once said: "When James, his father's namesake, was a little chap, he discussed for a long time one day the subject of wedding cakes. He made me tell him all about wedding cakes—how they are made, how they are cut, and how pieces of them are sent to the friends of brides and grooms. This last custom he was especially pleased with. He thought a piece of wedding cake made a delightful gift. "Then he pondered for a moment. He frowned. He said, "But, mamma, I shan't send you any of my wedding cake when I get married." "Why not, my dear?" I asked. "Because," he said, "you didn't send me any of yours."

Not Much Use for a Trunk. Gen. Joseph W. Congdon, the president of the American Silk Association, was traveling some time ago in Georgia. He says that in a little Georgia town he one day heard two colored lads conversing. "Ise gwine Noth," said the first. "Das so?" said the second. "Yep. Ise got a trunk to take wiv me, too." "A trunk? What am a trunk for?" "W'y to tote yuh clo's in." "An' go naked?" Traveling Christians. It is stated that the "Gileads" are growing at the rate of 130 members a month.

Still Dolores did not move; she wished to understand it thoroughly, as yet the truth was but slowly dawning upon her. "I thought that you were not capable of hearing the truth; I believe you were like many women; I see how mistaken I was; your friend here," with a movement of his hand and a half smile toward young Green, "tried to impress upon me that you were braver than other women, but I would not be convinced. I know now that you are brave—brave enough for this—and worse."

She understood. The truth was upon her in all the blackness of darkness. There had been little love between her and her father, but he was the only one in the world to her, and now— "Then—he will—die—you think?" She asked it calmly, except that her lips were whiter than usual and stiff, so that the words came unevenly. "I think that he may die, Miss Johnson, but we will hope for the best." "You will let me nurse him?" she asked. Her face was lifted to his, and there was not a quiver of a muscle not the trembling of the white lids fringed with the silken lashes over the steady, searching eyes. "You shall nurse him," Dr. Dunwiddie



"Don't go in yet, Dolores." He replied, gravely, a flash of wondering admiration in his black eyes meeting hers in that comprehensive glance that showed to him the depth of this woman's soul, the marvelous strength of her self-command. Ah, indeed she should nurse him. As he turned away toward the bedroom she started to follow him, but Mrs. Allen laid her hand upon his shoulder, and young Green crossed quickly to her side, his face softening strangely. "Don't go in yet, Dolores—not just yet!" he said, entreatingly, bending his fair head on a level with hers, the kindly light deepening in his eyes as they met the half-dazed look in hers raised to his face. "You shall go as soon as it is best. I will let you be there now."

Her eyes searched his face, large and dark and beautiful eyes that were; she scarcely recognized him for the moment. "Why should I not go?" she asked, gravely. "I am to nurse him; Dr. Dunwiddie has promised that I shall be near his father?" But his hand was upon her arm strong and warm and tender, and she obeyed him silently. Her uncle left soon after, and Mrs. Allen sent a note to Dora explaining the strange scene. Dolores said no word. She scarcely heard what was going on around her; when her uncle stooped to kiss her forehead and promised that Dora should come to her as soon as it were possible she looked through and through him; she heard his words, but they made no impression upon her; her thoughts were in the quiet room beyond the closed door.

GRATEFUL, HAPPY WOMEN



Miss Muriel Armitage.

THANK PE-RU-NA FOR THEIR RECOVERY AFTER YEARS OF SUFFERING.

Miss Muriel Armitage, 36 Greenwood Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Organizer of the Royal Templars of Temperance, in a recent letter, says: "I think that a woman naturally shrinks from making her troubles public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I feel for the sake of other suffering women it is my duty to tell what Pe-runa has done for me. "I suffered for five years with uterine irregularities, which brought on hysterical attacks and made me a physical wreck. I tried doctors from the different schools of medicine, but without any perceptible change in my condition. In my despair I called on an old nurse, who advised me to try Pe-runa, and promised good results if I would persist and take it regularly. I thought this was the least I could do and prepared a bottle. I knew as soon as I began taking it that it was affecting me differently from anything I had used before, and so I kept on taking it. I kept this up for six months, and steadily gained strength and health, and when I had used fifteen bottles I considered myself entirely cured. I am a grateful, happy woman to-day."—Miss Muriel Armitage. Pe-runa cures catarrh of the pelvic organs with the same surety as it cures catarrh of the head. Pe-runa has become renowned as a positive cure for female ailments simply because the ailments are mostly due to catarrh. Catarrh is the cause of the trouble. Pe-runa cures the catarrh. The symptoms disappear.

Female Weakness is Pelvic Catarrh.

Always Half Sick are the Women Who Have Pelvic Catarrh. Catarrh of any organ, if allowed to progress, will affect the whole body. Catarrh without nervousness is very rare, but pelvic catarrh and nervousness go hand in hand. What is so distressing a sight as a poor half-sick, nervous woman, suffering from too many almost unbearable symptoms of pelvic catarrh? She does not consider herself ill enough to go to bed, but she is far from being able to do her work without the greatest exhaustion. This is a very common sight and is almost always due to pelvic catarrh. It is worse than loathsome for so many women to suffer year after year with a disease that can be permanently cured. Pe-runa cures catarrh permanently. It cures old chronic cases as well as a slight attack, the only difference being in the length of time that it should take to effect a cure. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Pe-runa, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1903.

THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

The annual school meeting of district No. 1 was held in the school-house Monday evening. The attendance was not large, and nearly half the number present were ladies, who had turned out in support of the plan to place a woman on the school board. Moderator Whitbeck called to order promptly at eight o'clock. The first business was the reading of the financial report by the secretary, V. E. Hill. Following were the figures:

TEACHERS' FUND.

Balance at last report	\$1,000.75
General tax	1,500.00
Primary money	1,215.64
Mill tax	289.38
Tuition	424.86
Township Northville	46.35
Total	\$7,186.92
Paid teachers	4,565.85
Balance	\$2,621.07

CONTINGENT FUND.

Balance at last report	\$ 335.00
General tax	3,000.00
Sidewalk rebate	57.25
Sale of old house	35.00
Total	\$3,427.25
Paid out	2,816.16
Balance	\$ 611.09

LIBRARY FUND.

Balance at last report	\$70.35
From county	18.25
Total	\$88.60
Paid out	73.95
Balance	\$14.65

On motion the report was accepted and adopted.

The board recommended the raising by direct tax the following amounts: Teachers wages \$2,000; contingent fund \$1,500; sinking fund \$1,000.

President Whitbeck explained that the latter item would not make the taxes any higher next year than they were this, as the Palmer property was paid for, and that a sum of money would be needed soon to put in a new heating apparatus. E. C. Hough also spoke in favor of the project, but Geo. A. Starkweather while favoring the raising of the money to be applied for heating and ventilating, rather objected to calling it a sinking fund. On motion of Mr. Starkweather the amount named was voted.

Election of trustees was next in order. Mrs. Jennie Voorhies made some telling arguments as to why the women of the district should be represented on the board and named Mrs. Ella Chaffee for a member. A ballot being taken showed that out of 49 votes cast Mrs. Chaffee had 33, P. B. Whitbeck 9, scattering 7. Mrs. Chaffee was declared elected.

Wm. Eckles made a plea that the country portion of the district should be represented on the board and favored the re-election of Mr. Whitbeck. The ballot, however, showed that E. C. Hough had received 30 votes out of 52 cast, Mr. Whitbeck 9, scattering 13. Mr. Hough was declared elected.

P. W. Voorhies made an extended argument for more books in the library, as the sums received from the State were inadequate to purchase the number of books needed to keep up the library to its proper standard. He moved that \$200 be raised by tax for library purposes.

Mr. Starkweather was not opposed to the library, but thought the tax burden of the people was already heavy enough. On a vice vote not a voice was registered against the proposition and it was declared carried.

Miss Belle Keagey is a member of an old, conservative, southern family. She was born on a plantation near Vernon, Mississippi, was educated in her native state. She is an authoress of distinction and one of the logical, brilliant and popular lecturers upon the American platform. She has lectured in the largest auditoriums of two continents, including Royal Albert Hall, in London, and the Mormon Tabernacle, at Salt Lake City. This gifted speaker will be in Detroit in October and the ladies of the W. C. T. U., anxious for Plymouth people to hear her, have secured her for the convention to be held here in October. Tickets are now being sold at ten and fifteen cents. Having placed the price this low for the benefit of the public, the ladies hope for a generous response from their friends.

What is Life?

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CRUNCH NEWS.

The Presbyterian ladies will give their annual church bazaar Dec. 3 and 4.

Services in the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening. The pastor will preach.

The subject for Sunday morning at First Church of Christ, Scientist, will be "Matter." All are cordially invited. The Universalist Aid society will meet with Mrs. Dunn Wednesday, Sept 16th, at 2:30 o'clock. Let all members be present.—Sec.

Service in the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning and evening. The pastor will preach. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. All are cordially invited.

Next Sunday evening the Epworth League meeting will be in charge of H. M. Jackson. Subject, "The Call of Isaiah."—Isa. 61:8. The meetings begin promptly at 6:30 and are growing in interest and attendance.

Tuesday several of the M. E. ladies from Plymouth and Newburg took well filled lunch baskets and the electric car and went to Denton's to spend the day with Rev. J. B. Oliver and wife. All had such a good time that they hope Rev. Oliver may be returned to his present charge that they may repeat the trip next year.

Those who attended the Universalist church Sunday morning felt amply repaid for any effort they may have made in listening to the splendid sermon on the subject of "Religion," by Rev. Louisa S. Haight. Miss Haight gave her hearers many beautiful thoughts to carry home with them. It is to be hoped she may be greeted by a larger audience should she come again.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Earnest Genz, one of last year's graduates, has completed arrangements whereby he expects to enter the University the last of this month.

The second week of school finds some 378 children enrolled in the school as follows: high school 74; 7th and 8th grades 53; 6th, 39; 5th, 35; 4th, 33; 2d and 3rd 72; 1st, 45; kindergarten 28.

Just 40 non-resident students have enrolled so far this year.

The Senior reception last Friday evening in the High school rooms to the new teachers, the new students and the parents of the High school students was quite a pleasant affair, the only drawback being the absence of the students' parents, only twelve of whom accepted the invitation. After meeting the new teachers those present listened to impromptu addresses delivered by P. W. Voorhies, E. C. Hough, H. B. Jolliffe, P. B. Whitbeck, Leigh Markham, Dora Townsend and Miss Hawthorne. Arden Chilson, the class president, had welcomed all present in a neat little speech. Miss Howes thanked the students for their hearty welcome and Miss Hunter told a funny story that seemed to fit the occasion. Miss McKinnon favored the audience with a recitation and Pearl and Winnie Jolliffe gave an instrumental duet. The room had been tastefully decorated by the members of the class. Lemonade and wafers were served.

Logs are being shipped to Detroit for the Diamond Match Co.

Frazer Smith is occupying the house of Dr. Nichols on Church street.

Miss Carrie Stewart left Tuesday for North Branch where she will be trimmer in a millinery store.

Dr. Nichols and wife have again become residents of Plymouth, after spending the summer at Whitmore Lake.

Mrs. C. W. Platt left for Grand Rapids last Saturday, the family having moved back there after a six months' residence in Plymouth.

While unloading some steel at the Hamilton Rifle Co. factory Friday, drayman Wm. Robinson injured his right hand severely. He has since been off duty.

To place the matter in shape to close up the fair association executed a chattel mortgage of their property to P. W. Voorhies as trustee. The sale takes place Saturday afternoon on the fair grounds. Here's an opportunity for a syndicate to purchase the property and organize on a new basis.

Mrs. Jennie Harwood was very pleasantly surprised when the car stopped one day this week and seven of her friends and relatives alighted to pay her a visit. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lewis, Mrs. H. Bradley, and Miss Helen Fox, of Lorain, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Ulan, of Detroit.

A. D. Prout has sold his barbershop to B. A. Lee, formerly of Milford. Mr. Prout has been a resident of Plymouth for five years, and had won for himself a good business, enjoying the high esteem of the public. He expects to remove with his family to Onaway. Mr. Lee will take charge of the shop next Monday and expects to furnish it with an entire new and modern equipment.

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Prisoner Discharged.

John Haley, the young colored boy charged with placing obstructions on the Pere Marquette railroad track Aug. 26th last, near Waterford, was discharged in Justice Valentine's court Wednesday. Haley had been confined in the county jail for over a week, and had been "interviewed" several times by proper officers, yet at no time was any information obtained from him tending to establish his guilt. At the examination Wednesday, principal witness Hahn, who said he was janitor at the Northville jag cure, testified that he saw some one place a railroad tie across the track at the point mentioned about 3:30 o'clock August 26th. He ran to the place, but the person had vanished down the steep embankment on the east side. At a command, he saw a boy rise from the tall weeds about eight or ten rods away from him and start to run across the flats. He called to him to stop but the boy didn't stop and he shot to scare him, but still he ran. On Sunday following he saw the defendant at his home and he made up his mind he was the fellow wanted by his size and shape. Further questioning elicited the facts that while the witness was hunting for game, he couldn't tell even at a distance of eight or ten rods whether the boy running away from him was white or colored. When it came to identifying the cloth

ing worn at the trial compared to that worn on the day in question, witness was still more uncertain. In fact he failed completely in connecting Haley with the act. Mr. Benton was sworn and the prisoner himself was put on the stand. When the evidence was in, County Agent Lawrence asked the court to discharge the prisoner for want of evidence sufficient to convict before a jury. Prosecutor Trayer, who appeared for the people, admitted he had no case, and Justice Valentine promptly discharged him. While some one is responsible for the crime, yet Haley does not appear to have been connected with it.

Clever Josephine Gassman and her funny little pickaninies will be among the big features of next week's program at the Avenue theatre, Detroit. Other great favorites on the list are the Columbian trio of comedians, singers and dancers, Arthur Whitlaw, the well-known monologist and Warren & Blanchard who are very entertaining in a black and white face specialty.

Misses Ida, Anna and Mabel Von Kenna, Mr. Woods and Mr. McKay and Miss Nellie Stewart, of Detroit, and Mr. Rouse and sister and Master Harry Moore, of Preston, Conn., spent Monday at W. J. Stewart's.

Sidney Ashton attended a reunion of his regiment, the ninth, at Grand Ledge Wednesday.

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Potatoes, 40c.
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Butter, 18c.
Eggs, 16c.

Local Newslets

Fred Schrader is reported seriously sick.

Clay Hoyt is spending a few days at home.

There is quite a little sickness about the village.

All Millinery at low prices at Mrs. Dickerson's.

Mrs. Eli Cortrite of Wayne was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Dell Cable of Detroit visited here this week.

Miss Grace Hern visited her parents at Wayne Sunday.

Lottie Hoffman of Detroit visited her mother Sunday.

Miss Jennie Grainger visited in Wayne last Sunday.

B. E. LeVansler spent Sunday and Monday in Milford.

New line of ready-to-wear hats at Maude Milspaugh's.

Mrs. Caroline Millard of Detroit was in town Wednesday.

The little daughter of Fred Eikliff is reported seriously ill.

John L. Smith, of Dexter, visited at W. H. Hoyt's Sunday.

Adna Burnett, wife and daughter spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Rob. McPherson is ill at her mother's in South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lee, of Detroit, are visiting at C. H. Bennett's.

Campbell Leith, of Detroit, is visiting his parents for a few days.

Miss Ida Nunnally of Mt Clemens visited Mrs. J. D. Wilsey Sunday.

Miss Maude Hubbard, of Wayne, visited at H. J. Baker's last week.

Dr. Kenyon will look after Dr. Cooper's practice during the latter's sickness.

An interesting letter from Albert Gayde and other local news on eighth page.

Huston & Co. have received a large stock of coal and wood heaters. See our ad.

Mrs. C. G. Payne and daughter, Daisy of Buffalo, N. Y. are visiting at Mark Ladd's.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Joy returned Wednesday from a seven weeks' stay in Kansas.

J. L. Young and daughter, of Cleveland, are guests at Coella Hamilton's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shattuck of Albion visited at Mrs. D. C. Shattuck's over Sunday.

Double stamp day at Rauch's, Thursday, Sept. 17th.

J. J. Shearer returned Saturday from a tour through California and other western states.

Chas. Bliss of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Delker, and family.

Miss Emma Westfall, of Detroit, was a guest at Mrs. Wash. Bennett's Sunday and Monday.

Remember the spelling match social at I. O. O. F. hall on this Friday evening, Sept 11th.

Harry Henning of Newburgh N. Y., visited his cousin Mrs. Geo. Shafer Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. H. E. Milspaugh has returned home, after a four weeks' visit with her parents at Wayne.

Mrs. Elizabeth Terry is in Detroit with her sister, Mrs. Althouse, who can live but a few days.

Mrs. G. A. VanEpa, of Evanston, Ill., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Holloway, for a few days.

Fred Stocken, erstwhile employed as barber at Prout's, began Monday last as clerk for A. J. Lapham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rauch returned Sunday night from a three weeks' visit at Petosky and Bay View.

Chancey Bunvea and wife attended the reunion of the 16th Michigan infantry at Fenton this week.

Miss Jennie Rauch and Mrs. Salter of Ida, Monroe county, visited at J. R. Rauch's Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Mary Ableson left Wednesday for Silverton, Colo., where she has engaged to teach school another year.

Mrs. Nancy Bradner returned to her home at Lansing Monday after an extended visit among relatives in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wakely, of Detroit, spent from Saturday until Monday night with the latter's parents, H. A. Spicer's.

Robert Birch, the gardener, is building a new green-house and on Wednesday received a boiler wherewith to supply steam heat.

Rev. T. B. Leith was in Flint Tuesday attending a meeting of the Knights of the Loyal Guard, of which he is grand chaplain.

A New Jersey Editor's Testimonial.

M. T. Lynch, Editor of the Philadelphia Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it. Hubbell's Pharmacy."

Mrs. T. B. Leith is visiting in Detroit this week.

The Redford fair takes place Sep. 15-17, inclusive.

Children's school hats and caps at Mrs. Dickerson's.

Mrs. R. M. Chaffee is visiting with her son in Wayne.

Miss Carrie Sly, of Ypsilanti, visited at Jay Burr's yesterday.

Girl wanted to tend candy store.—Apply at F. R. Woodworth's.

Mrs. George Shafer and Mrs. Harry Cole visited in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. George A. Starkweather left last Friday for a trip to Tronto, returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chaffee are spending the week in Pontiac, guests of Mr. Chaffee's brother.

Miss Mabel VanLoon and Claude Shafer, of Detroit, spent Sunday with the latter's parents.

A horse belonging to Chas. McIntosh was taken sick on the street Tuesday and died that night.

Mrs. A. Taft and Mrs. Burrows, of Northville, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Tanger.

Miss S. L. Withey left Friday for Marshall, where she has a position as teacher in the public schools.

Chas. Merritt is contemplating the building of a house next spring on his acreage lot on Ann Arbor street.

Mrs. Jennie Worden will have an auction sale of household goods at her residence Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m.

Miss Blanch Goodrich, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday at George Shafer's. She was en route to her home at Bath, Mich.

Miss Zaida Pinckney began this week taking lessons in voice culture at a Detroit school, with the object of fitting herself as a teacher.

Last week W. R. LeVan, of Newburg, completed the work on Thomas Thompson's two new barns, putting in all the modern improvements.

Miss Bessie Holloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holloway, of this village was married Wednesday in Detroit to Wm. H. Smith, of Wayne.

The Plymouth band went to Detroit Monday and took part in the Labor Day parade. The boys made as good an appearance as any band in the line.

Word is received from Nell McLaren at Eureka, Cal., that she has secured the position of forelady in a large millinery house in that city at a good salary.

Miss Mabel Spicer goes to Harbor Springs this morning to resume her duties as teacher in the high school, which commences Monday. This is her third year.

The report that Charles Shattuck and Fred Dunn who were working on the electric line at Albion had been discharged is false, as they have only been transferred to Chelsea.

The Fletcher Hwd. Co.'s ball team failed to materialize last Monday afternoon and the local fans were greatly disappointed. The Plymouths would have presented a fine line-up.

A. W. Reed has purchased the Bennett house on Union and Sutton streets of the village, paying \$100 therefor. He will remove the same to one of his vacant lots on Ann Arbor street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hauss, who have been here for a few weeks on account of the serious illness Mrs. David Allen, mother of Mrs. Hauss, returned to their home in Century, Fla., last Friday.

One or two residents of Union street are said to be unwilling to pay their assessment for opening that street to its full width and are disposed to make a kick. To fight would cost more than the tax.

Dr. Cooper went to Harper Hospital last Monday with symptoms of typhoid fever. The doctor had been sick for a few days, but kept going until Monday when he was compelled to give up. His mother is in Canada.

James Kelley was up before His Honor, Judge Valentine, Wednesday morning charged with vagrancy. He was given 30 days in the house of correction and officer Springer took him there on the first train out.

The remains of Sanford Stiles, who died in Detroit, were brought here for burial Wednesday afternoon. Deceased formerly lived in Plymouth and vicinity and had many friends and relatives here. Rev. Leith conducted services at the grave.

To Rent.—80 acre farm, from now until March 1, 1905. Call at D. Berdan's.

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The North Side

See Mrs. Dickerson's 5c handkerchiefs.

John Streng spent a few days in Buffalo and Niagara Falls this week.

Miss Mildred Brown, of Newburg, is with Mrs. Dickerson again this season.

Edgar Jolliffe, Elsie Eddy and Lottie Bowan spent Sunday with friends at Elm.

Chas. Ingersoll, of Fairgrove, is visiting his uncle, Geo. Peterhans, this week.

Wm. Wlaskie, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wlaskie.

Geo. Hilmer and wife, of Detroit, attended the funeral of Mrs. Rosenberg Tuesday.

Carl Pulsipher, of Toledo, spent a few days with Wm. Bentley and wife this week.

Chas. Smith and wife, of St. Johns, are visiting the former's parents, Morris Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Macomber, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Will Robinson and family.

Double stamp day at Rauch's, Thursday, Sept. 17th.

Theodore Farrand, of South Haven, spent Sunday with his brother Chas. Farrand and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hill spent Saturday and Sunday with Roy Lyndon and family at Detroit.

Miss Martha Drews and brother Frederick are visiting friends in Pontiac this week.

Miss Maude Howell who has been visiting friends here, returned to her home in Saginaw Saturday.

Miss Bertha Trinkaus, who has been visiting friends here, returned to her home in Jackson Saturday.

Geo. Streng and wife, and Miss Euna Creger, of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Creger a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Peterhans and son, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peterhans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peterhans and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peterhans attended a reunion of the 16th Michigan Infantry at Fenton Wednesday.

Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure. Hubbell's Pharmacy.

A small wreck occurred in the yards Friday night, when the 9:20 passenger train from the west ran into a south bound freight train at the south Y switch, derailing two coal cars and slightly damaging the engine, causing a delay of about two hours. The switch engine took the train to Detroit. No one was injured.

Saturday morning, while the train from Saginaw was pulling into the yards, a spring on the axle of the engine broke, letting the boiler down nearly to the ground. The engine was uncoupled and the train hauled in by the switch engine. In the afternoon in switching some cars in the north yards, several were derailed and rolled down the embankment.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Eichler, Mr. and Mrs. A. Grehl, August Grehl, the Misses Minnie and Lena Grehl, Miss Clariland Paul Hines, Miss Louise Schuyling and Fred Lahman, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eichler, it being Mr. and Mrs. Eichler's 29th wedding anniversary.

It was Master Sherwood Reekie's sixth birthday last week Thursday and with the assistance of several little companions it was joyously celebrated at the home of his grandfather, T. C. Sherwood.

At the council session Tuesday evening there was some informal talk on repairing and putting in condition the streets of the village. The subject was very gingerly handled and the discussion ended just where it was begun and as it has done time again.

The Jno. F. Stowe's monster pavilion Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., the largest and best show of its kind in the world, traveling on their own train of palatial cars, will give one grand night performance here Saturday, Sept. 12th, under their mammoth water proof tents on grounds opposite the Daisy factory. Fifty people take part, not alone in the dramatic cast, but also in many up-to-date specialties. Prof. Bullinger's superb military band of twenty pieces, which accompanies them, will give a grand non-day concert on the principal street on date of exhibition. Don't miss this treat. Read their double column advertisement on fourth page.

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It would be more fitting to name that baby Oliver R. Iselin.

To guard his laurels Dan Patch will have to sleep in his racing harness.

Lillian Russell is a mother-in-law Good-by, Lillian; take care of yourself.

At last reports there was nothing the matter with a single one of Baer's four paws.

That Texas man who has had two appendices removed must feel like a new edition.

Bulgarians threaten to do Prince Ferdinand a favor by taking his throne away from him.

The big fight at San Francisco is a thing of the past, but the football season will open pretty soon.

When a woman begins to pay full fare for her children she realizes that she is getting along in years.

Columbia is ostensibly looking out for her sovereignty, but she isn't going to miss the sovereigns.

No man really feels his importance until after his wife called his attention to the fact that he is somebody.

The Kansas definition of a gold mine is "a hole in the ground owned by a man who is a liar."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Mr. Jim Scanlon has issued a challenge to Mr. Jim Jeffries. Mr. Scanlon is evidently looking for a large bunch of trouble.

The rise in the price of cod liver oil from \$22 to \$160 a barrel isn't due to the increased demand for it as a popular beverage.

A Kalamazoo woman jabbed her hatpin into the wrong man, with fatal results. She probably acknowledged that the joke is on her.

Following the fashion of dedicating books to one whom the author admires, the author of a book just out dedicates it to himself.

King Peter K. G. Vitch of Servia already is talking of abdicating. Whatever else his predecessor may have been, he wasn't a quitter.

The price of radium has been marked down from \$5,000,000 to \$2,721,555 a pound—but the manufacturer does not give trading stamps.

Illustrated invitations were issued to a hanging in Montana. Here is a suggestion to Newport society, which is looking for something novel.

The emperor of Austria has just snubbed the king of Belgium. Old Franz Josef acts like a person who never had a scandal in his house.

"You can't save your fellow-men unless you are willing to touch them," says Bishop Potter. And the contribution is always taken up in church.

Has Mr. Morgan run his course as a popular sensational idol? Just now it looks as if there wasn't a snapshot so poor as to do him reverence.

The news of the discovery by Dr. Dunbar of Hamburg of an antidote to cure hay fever will make sundry summer resort landlords and landladies feel sad.

The time for a trip around the world has been reduced to 54 days, 8 hours, 39 minutes—which is evidence that Jules Verne was not an impracticable dreamer, after all.

Strange as it may seem, Mr. Jeffries has not received as yet any offers from the editors of leading magazines for an article entitled "How I Licked Mr. Corbett."

A German actor has been sent to jail for getting off stage jokes about the emperor. If they were anything like the American stage jokes we can't blame the emperor for shutting him up.

Before Sir Thomas takes the Shamrock home it would be interesting to see what Capt. Barr and a Yankee crew could do with her, against the Reliance sailed by Capt. Wringe and his British crew.

The Japanese, who are talking of entering a yacht in next year's race, have a choice of several routes for getting it into American waters, but their quickest plan would be to have it built in this country.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat is a charity for the statement that thirty-six robberies at the point of revolvers have occurred in St. Louis since July 4. This is encouraging for those who are thinking of attending the exposition there next year.

"Any number of well shaped, well made stocks may be bought at almost any price," says the New York Times, and still way down around us the girls are making stocks at the expense of hours and hours and hours of valuable time.

THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

A Fatal Spree.

Dell Dean and Joe Willis, the last known companions of Albert Lavender who lies dead at his father's house in Britton, are in jail at Monroe. They are held pending a decision of the coroner's jury. A wild spree in which they and Lavender participated resulted in the latter's death. The last that is definitely known of the three young men is that they started home in a buggy Saturday afternoon. Several scuffles are said to have occurred, during which Lavender fell out of the vehicle. Early Sunday morning Lavender's body, wrapped in a blanket, was found in Joe Willis's barn near Britton. Doctors who examined the body express the opinion that Lavender was dead when his body was placed in the barn. There were also indications, the doctors say, of efforts to pour liquor down the young man's throat after insensibility or death. Lavender was 22 years of age and the son of James Lavender, a farmer living east of Britton village.

Look Out For It.

The commissioner of insurance has had his attention called, during the past ten days, to several instances where it is alleged fire insurance agents in many sections of the state have placed business in unauthorized companies. Investigations are being made and arrests will follow in all cases where the facts warrant such action. The commissioner has repeatedly warned Michigan property owners against these frauds and published a list of them in the newspapers of the state. Their operations in Michigan have been materially curtailed during the past year, but it is evident that further heroic treatment is necessary before they are stamped out entirely. The commissioner says that every person found adding them in procuring business in Michigan will be prosecuted under the criminal statute, and if he is the agent for reputable and authorized companies, his licenses for the latter will be revoked. Some arrests will be made at an early date.

Greek Slaves in Michigan.

White slavery is practiced in Kalamazoo and other Michigan cities by an oath-bound organization with headquarters in the Celery City. Every year boys are being picked up on the streets of cities in Greece and sold into slavery in this country. The purchasers are mostly Greek bootblacks, who pay from \$50 to \$75 for a boy 5 or 6 years old for the first year. In the second year the price is advanced \$25, and in each succeeding year there is a small increase until the boy is of age, when the "boss" must take chances with his slave. This was the fate of Nicholas Demoggor, who was shipped from Greece to Kalamazoo 17 months ago, and who after suffering many indignities, made his escape. Demers' anxiety to recapture the child brought about a revelation of the methods practiced by the society.

A Pension Refused.

Haskell M. Cole, of Adrian, fifteen years ago started the pension department at Washington by sending in his certificate, on which he had been drawing a pension for chronic disability incurred by valiant service with the Eighteenth Michigan Infantry at the front. At that period in his life he felt that he was cured physically and financially and that as a consequence he was no longer entitled to the benefit of the pension. Mr. Cole says he heard of a man, or was told so by the late Tom Applegate, in Kansas who declined his pension. Mr. Cole was several months in a southern prison as a prisoner of war and came out of the army with a lieutenant's commission.

A New Industry.

It now looks as though the ruins of the Benton Harbor sugar beet factory, which was dismantled in order to remove the machinery, would again be utilized in the near future by a new industry about to be established by the Baker-Vawter Co., which is moving to the Harbor from Chicago. This company has secured an option on the sugar factory site for a new furniture and school supply factory. It is stated, but the officials of the company refuse to give out definite information as to what they will use the site for if they secure it. The reason given by this company for moving is to avoid labor troubles in Chicago.

Plucky Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Thomas Campbell, of Lansing, had a frightful experience with fire Tuesday while filling a gasoline stove. A quantity of gasoline ran out on the floor and caught fire. While extinguishing the blaze Mrs. Campbell's dress burst into flames and she ran to a bedroom and threw a comforter about her to smother the flames. A babe lying on the bed was thrown to the floor, but was not badly injured. After a desperate fight Mrs. Campbell extinguished the flames. Her husband at the time was lying upstairs ill with fever.

Second Crop Strawberries.

Strawberries are an unusual crop to have on the market at this season of the year, but Berrien county is not to be denied and Fred Runge, of Royalton township, is now picking his second crop for this season and brought a case of luscious berries to this city. The berries were sold in a hurry at 15 cents per quart.

The Montague Failure.

A meeting of the creditors of Charles L. Montague and Referee in Bankruptcy Harlow P. Davock, was held Wednesday, and the Union Trust Co., of Detroit, was appointed trustee in bankruptcy for Montague's creditors. The bond was fixed at \$100,000. The trust company was appointed receiver in bankruptcy by the court a few weeks ago.

The Capac Factory has shipped its first carload of peat.

A couple of evangelists have started to convert Hastings.

Law is Expensive.

A civil suit for damages, which has attracted wide attention in Lapeer, closed Wednesday after the jury had been out all night. Clayton Lamb, of Dryden, sued Dan Utley, of that place, to recover damages on the latter had purchased from him. Utley contended that the hay contained more straw than he agreed to accept and that it was not properly sorted before baling. Lamb sued to recover \$81 and this was the third trial of the case. The jury came in with a verdict for Lamb for \$81, but this is a nominal sum compared with the costs that have and will accrue, as Utley declares it is too expensive to drop where it is, and he will carry it to the supreme court.

Our Boys in Khaki.

"I think I am safe in saying that the Michigan National Guard will go into camp in as good shape as the guards of any other state in the union," said Gen. Kidd. "Every man will have a fine new khaki uniform like those worn by the regulars, and the national guardsmen will be found to be the equal of the regular army soldier in every way." Company commanders have been putting their men through the drills almost nightly, and the troops will display a surprising proficiency.

The Corn Crop.

The success of the corn crop this year will depend largely upon the time the first frost appears. A few fields are well advanced while others are late. Some will be lucky if they have a crop at all. The backward condition of the crop is caused by the dry spring which interfered with the planting. If there is no frost until late in September the bulk of the crop will be out of danger. Should a frost come before the middle of September many fields will be injured or ruined.

The Mystery Solved.

The body of Wilford Clements, of Saginaw, the young man who jumped overboard from a burning gasoline yacht last week, two miles up the river, was found floating in the river Sunday nearly two miles below the place where the accident occurred. The mystery is settled, it having been persistently claimed that Clements was seen ashore shortly after the accident on the night in question.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Message is the name of Morley's new newspaper. A Stradivarius violin, 155 years old, is owned by J. B. Smith, of Ann Arbor. The Ironwood council has followed Flint in tabooring the deadly toy pistol. Hickory nuts are so plentiful in Michigan the trees are fairly groaning. Ten-year-old Martin Cole, of Greenville, was arrested for starting bonfires. Velesburg is so short of houses that the minister has to live in the church chapel. A partially grown sugar beet taken from a field near Monmouth weighed over five pounds. It is reported that moonshine whisky is being made near Bay City from sugar beet molasses. Baldwin city fathers have decreed that cement walks must be laid at once on the business streets. Brooklyn and Reading citizens have organized a wire fence factory to be located at the latter place. Mrs. Maurice Montville, of Essexville, gave birth to an 18 1/2 pound baby August 31. The child has died. Dr. E. P. Alger, one of the last of Prutch county's pioneer physicians, is dying at his home in Coldwater. Constantine's new paper mill, now in operation is considered one of the most thoroughly equipped in the state. The veterans of the Sixth Michigan Heavy Artillery will hold their annual reunion at Albion on September 23. Northville's ice dealers don't have to be entirely disconsolate this summer. They are also in the fuel business. An 8000 soldiers' monument will be erected in the Hillsdale cemetery through the local work of the W. R. C. The convicts employed on the broom contract in Jackson prison have struck, alleging that their food was insufficient. A moralist in Lexington waged war on the whole town because he found 15 beer bottles in his back yard. They were empty. An upper peninsula company is preparing to open camps near Loreto and will put in 10,000,000 feet of timber the coming season. Because his father told him to go to work or leave home, 18-year-old Homer Tibbitts of Grand Rapids, drank laudanum and nearly died. Ground has been broken at Flint for the new county jail and sheriff's residence. The building is to be completed by January 15 next. While playing with a ring swing, a Bay City child caught the rope round her neck and was found by her mother nearly strangled to death. An enterprising Northville youngster who found a lusty tarantula in a bunch of bananas, has caged the poisonous thing and is charging 1 cent a look at it. Robert Terry, of Lansing, a white man, is under arrest for alleged attempted criminal assault. The complaining witness is Miss Georgina Walker colored, who charges that Terry molested her while she was coming from her home in the third ward to the business section Saturday night. Joseph Heintz, of Grand Rapids, a well known and well-to-do wholesale liquor dealer, hanged himself in a cell in the county jail Friday morning. He had been kept there three days for safe keeping, as he had become insane through worrying because some of his neighbors said his wife was compelled to do her own washing.

At the annual meeting of School District No. 1 of Hillsdale, Monday night, it was voted to raise \$24,000 by loan to erect a new high school.

Edward Nault, of Marquette, fell on a hand saw in the railway shops and the teeth ripped his head open. If he recovers he will probably be paralyzed.

When the old bell in the belfry of St. Ignatius' church at St. Ignace was taken down it was found to bear the inscription, J. P. Adair, New York, 1887.

A Keeler youth is reported to have sold his best pair of trousers to take his girl to the circus and then she got snitten on the swell suit worn by another fellow.

The first Polish divorce case that ever reached Bay City courts is that of Dr. Frank Korniejewski. The wife answered with a cross-bill and both were denied by the court.

While plowing one field, Roy Collins, a Greenfield farmer, turned over more than 40 bumble bees' nests. His gymnastic exercises, while leaving the field, were worthy of notice.

Workmen found the skeleton of a man while digging in Front street, at Grand Rapids. The street has been in use 40 years and the bones appear to have been buried 20 years.

The observance of Labor day, despite the rain, brought out in full force the wageworkers who in most cases marched under umbrellas. The processions comprised thousands of workers in all the large cities.

Farmers along the route of the Wisconsin & Michigan road declare that the company could well run a meat packing establishment in connection with the railroad in view of the number of cattle slaughtered.

Some time ago Justice Johnson, of Muskegon, offered to marry free the first couple who applied. As no one has appeared anxious, the judge has increased the offer to two pounds of the best chocolates for the bride.

Several frisky society girls at Adrian, posing as country girls from Tipton way, made a house to house canvass in different parts of the city asking employment. Their parents put an ignominious check on the affair.

Because several members of the M. E. church at Mishawaka acted as spies during the carnival there, causing the arrest of many liquor men and gamblers, personal violence has been threatened to them by the accused.

Two aged Deford residents went to law over a debt, but one lacked funds to fight the case and when a third party offered assistance, the first old man was so mad he shook hands with his needy foe and called it square.

The wife of Walter Goins, a bailiost, was arrested Friday on a charge of bigamy, it being alleged that she married Goins while still undivorced from Frank Youngs, whom she married at Grand Rapids in 1900.

Quartermaster-General Kidd has been instructed by the state military board to buy 1,000 new straw ticks for use of the Michigan national guard in Kentucky. All the bedding for the state troops was burned in the fire at Manistee.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Esslinger were arrested at Round Lake Thursday on a charge of the larceny of cigars, soaps and groceries from Harvey Shaver, proprietor of a resort hotel at the lake. Each paid a fine of \$50 and costs.

While playing near a shallow creek a 6-year-old Outonagon urchin tumbled in. Conceiving the idea of drying his clothes by a bonfire, his playmates, after starting the blaze, stood him up in it. The timely assistance of his mother saved his life.

The state's contention that it owns the St. Clair Flats lands is upheld by State Geologist Lane's finding that no part of the flats that is now lake bottom was land 30 to 50 years ago, when the general elevation of the lake was the same as at present.

The sheriff wants Geo. Jehmlander and Wm. Freedank, two young men living at Bentley, west of Standish, Sunday two valuable horses belonging to Andrew Payne were shot with malicious intent and the two young men are charged with the crime.

When Ed. Rogers, of Port Huron, asked a friend to mail a letter for him, the friend complied by pulling three letters from his pocket given him by his wife to mail, and a third friend overhearing the remark hustled to the mail box and dropped in two letters he had been carrying some time.

The Italian lad of 15 who two months ago stabbed Peter Becker's boy of about the same age has been located in Italy. He went from Bessemer in charge of elder Italians to Chicago and Detroit and then into Canada, sailing from a Canadian port to Italy. His parents here are getting ready to follow.

Gen. Chas. King, of Wisconsin, was elected president of the National Society of the Army of the Philippines at the reunion in St. Paul.

Gov. Heard, of Louisiana, will be called upon by Dr. C. J. Ryder, of Stamford, N. Y., corresponding secretary of the American Missionary association, to take action on the assassination of Rev. La Forrest Planning, the young negro educator, a friend of Booker Washington, who met death in Oscar, La.

Preferring death to facing a serious charge, Andrew W. Gorsline, a Long Island City manufacturer, has committed suicide in his cell in jail by inhaling illuminating gas. In a will found in his cell Gorsline bequeathed all his property to his nephew who made the complaint on which Andrew was arrested.

In a feud battle at a camp meeting at Mt. Victory, Pulaski county, Ky., three men were killed and several wounded. William Bolton, a constable, attempted to arrest two men named Richmond. A fight followed, in which Bolton killed both the Richmonds and was himself killed by Columbus Gardner.

Minnie Laub, a 17-year-old New York girl, in her anxiety to make a fine appearance at her wedding, robbed Mrs. Otto Schmuck, her mother's oldest friend, of the savings of a lifetime, some \$570, and spent every cent of it on her adornment. The girl is now in the cells and Mrs. Schmuck is dying of the shock.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

The Pope's Sisters.

The three sisters of Pope Pius X., who lived with him in Venice and who arrived Monday, have not found in Rome quite what they expected. Not that they had any formulated desires, but the sisters thought that they could not fail to be certain of resuming their intimate relations with the pontiff, while to their unaccustomed eyes all is formally. They shrunk from the curious glances cast at them this morning when they went all over Rome. The sisters, however, could see no beauty in the ruins, having scarcely heard of them. What they liked best were the electric street cars and the new wide streets, so different from the narrow lanes of Venice.

In the convent where the pope's sisters are stopping they are treated with great respect and attention, having their meals in their own dining room and not being allowed to do anything for themselves.

Speaking of the Vatican, one of the sisters said: "How big it is, Beppi should not feel he is a prisoner. But, how he can be bothered with all these soldiers and officials we cannot see."

A New Canal Treaty.

The Colombian senate has appointed a commission to prepare a bill authorizing the government to negotiate a canal treaty without violation of the constitution. The general feeling is favorable to the new treaty.

Senor Macario, the acting president of the senate, expressed his admiration for the noble and sincere policy pursued by the United States and hopes that the canal will be opened by them. He says he regrets he was obliged to oppose the Hay-Herran treaty as being a violation of the laws of the constitution, but he will work strongly for a canal treaty satisfactory to both countries. Senator Obaldia, who has decided to support the canal treaty, has been appointed governor of Panama.

The Pope To Escape Prison.

Great excitement has been caused in Rome and all over Italy by the announcement that the pope has asked for estimates of the cost of repairing the apostolic palace of the Lateran in order to render it habitable for the papal court. Everybody is commenting on the news, as it shows the evident intention of Pius X. to escape at last from the prison of the vatican and venture again through the streets of Rome, notwithstanding the Italian occupation.

President Roosevelt will probably visit Westpoint, Ky., during the army maneuvers in which the Michigan troops will participate this fall.

Foreman Miller, of the public printing office, who was reinstated by the president's orders after being deposed, is to be dismissed, he having filed counter charges that were not sustained.

W. J. Fairbanks, the wealthy resident of Brookline, Mass., who was dented away from his home in a fit of mental aberration, has come to himself and returned. He took of working on a cattle steamer, being one of a construction gang in West Virginia, and strapping hundreds of miles, among other experiences.

Greeks of New York are organizing to give financial aid to the opponents of the Turkish army in Macedonia and have already raised more than \$5,000. One of the leaders declares that if the powers do not intervene within 30 days a regiment of no fewer than 800 Greeks will be ready to sail from New York to fight the Turks.

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SOUVENIR CARDS FROM RECENT ZIONIST CONFERENCE AT BASEL



These souvenir postal cards are being sent out in great numbers from the Zionist conference at Basel, Switzerland. The delegates part on each card a stamp of the Jewish national fund in addition to the regular postage. The inscription on the top card reads: "Sixth Zionist Congress in Basel. Those who sow with tears shall reap with joy." The inscription on the lower card is: "Then shall thy light burst forth like the morning dawn and thy healing sprout very soon." An army of musicians appeared on the streets of Buffalo Tuesday as a consolidation of all the bands in the state conclave of the Knights Templar, 800 players in all. Not one of the nine drum majors at the head was less than six feet tall. J. Pierpont Morgan had a narrow escape from death in a carriage accident on the way home from his yacht in New York. The horse fell into an excavation at Tenth avenue, and the man of millions was thrown violently forward. He only escaped landing on his head in the hole by grasping at the dashboard. For attempting suicide, having stabbed himself five times with an ice pick, Chas. Branning was taken to court in New York. He overpowered the policeman and rushed out on the elevated railway station, where, after a fight with the guards, who sought to restrain him, he threw himself under a train and was literally cut to pieces before hundreds of spectators. Unable to see the suffering of his little son, who was sick, George Sam, an aged Indian at Shura, Nev., killed the lad with a shotgun and, then placing the muzzle of the gun at his own head, blew his own brains out.

FROM GERMANY.

The following, written by Albert Gayde to his parents here, may be of interest to Albert's many friends and is therefore printed in our columns. The first letter is dated on board Steamer Rhein, Aug. 23.

This is Sunday morning and not much to do so I thought I would write a letter and have it ready to send home when I get to Bremen. We went aboard ship Aug. 17th, at 12 o'clock and the boat sailed at 3:45. We passed two sail boats on Aug. 18. We saw a large school of Hog fish to-day. They were about 5 to 7 feet long. The ocean has been quite rough, but not enough to make me sea sick yet. I take a salt water bath every other morning and it makes one feel good.

Aug. 19th, we passed an English steamer and Aug. 20th we passed a sail boat at 6:30 p. m. We have a ball game every morning on deck and have to use lemons for a ball. We all stand around and play catch.

Aug. 21st. At night we ran into a fog and you ought to hear that fog horn blow every few minutes. This morning, Sunday, the band played a church hymn before breakfast. I got up at 7:30, that is about 4:30 at Plymouth, but will be more when we get to Germany. About three hours difference now, but they say there will be about seven hours when we get to Germany. The crew on board are fine people. I have been in every nook and corner of the ship except on the bridge, and no one except the captain and officers are allowed up there. A few have been seen sea sick but are getting better now.

Aug. 24th. To-day it is foggy again. The fog horn blows every minute and a half. We will have company to Frankfurt, as a young man, his mother and sister are going beyond there and we are going on the same train. There are people on board from Cleveland, Columbus, Baltimore, and all parts of U. S., too numerous to mention. We are acquainted as though we had known them for years. Well it is nearly coffee time and so I will write again to-morrow.

Aug. 26th. This is Wednesday and to-day we passed a tramp liner, loaded heavy. She was rocking worse than we are. Our boat is rocking quite a bit sideways to-day. I was down in the baggage room this morning. The people are having their trunks checked to their destinations. The baggage transfer man is on board.

Aug. 27th. It is raining to-day. The captain says we will land Saturday. We saw several ships to-day. We are now in the English Channel. Best regards to all who ask. Hoping this to find you all well and happy and everything going all right I will close till next letter.

FRANKFURT, AUG. 31.

We arrived at Bremen haven at 2:15. We should have met the Neckar at sea, but when we got to Bremen she was still there. They had an accident—one of the steam pipes burst and killed two engineers and six firemen. We got to Bremen at 5:15 and left at 11:55 got here at 9:15 Sunday morning. We took in the city yesterday. They took us out to a beer garden. We sent you a card last night, you can see the picture. Some of the people from the boat went to Worms. They were on the train with us to Frankfurt.

The evening we were in Bremen we went out to the Rathskeller and when we got there nearly all the crowd from the boat were there and we had a fine time.

The buildings here are fine, streets clean, everything up to date, but the language we get twisted up on some times, but get out all right. Automobiles are plenty here. The Frankfurt depot is the largest and finest thing in that line I ever saw.

Must Attend School.

The school officers are determined that all children shall attend school that come under the provisions of the law and parents will have to bear the consequences if they fail to perform their duty. The section of law especially referred to reads as follows:

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the school director at the commencement of each term of school to provide the teacher with a copy of the last census. At the expiration of each month of school the teacher shall examine the said census list and report to the proper truant officer the names of such children upon the census list as have not, during the preceding month, attended school according to the provisions of this act. It shall be the duty of the truant officer (whenever notified by teacher or other persons of violations of this act), to investigate all cases of truancy or non-attendance at school and render all services within his power to compel children to attend school, and when informed of continued non-attendance by any teacher or resident of the school district he shall immediately notify the persons having control of such children that on the following Monday such children shall present themselves with the necessary text-books for instruction in the proper school or schools of the district. The notice shall inform said parent or

guardian that attendance at school must be consecutive at least eight half days of each week until the end of that term, except in cities having a duly constituted police force, attendance in school shall be continuous. In case any parent, guardian or other person shall fail to comply with the provisions of this act he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the county or city jail for not less than two or more than ninety days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

George Barlow was found guilty by a jury of assault and battery upon Theodore Burr in Justice Valentine's court yesterday, and was fined \$5 and costs. P. W. Voorhies appeared for the prosecution.

Henry Sage has leased a building in the rear of the Bennett shop and has fitted it up for a brass foundry, expecting to begin operations to-day. He will do the work of the local factories, which has formerly been done in Detroit, of itself not an inconsiderable item, besides other work that may be needed here. Henry is an experienced moulder and we see no reason why he should not be able to do a large and growing business.

James Kane was arrested by Officer Springer Sunday morning as a vagrant and suspicious character. When searched there was found upon him about 20 yards of silk dress goods, some 100 shoestrings and a razor, the holding of which he refused to account for. As a not more serious charge could be made against him, he was sent up for 30 days by Justice Valentine, when he pleaded guilty to the charge preferred in court Monday morning.

Both this paper and the Detroit Courier maintain item boxes in the post office and it not infrequently happens that items intended for one are placed in the box of the other through mistake. A gentleman did this last week, and because the item didn't appear in the Mail, through his own mistake, he called the publisher down and stopped his paper. This is only one of the many phases of human nature the newspaper man has to contend with.

A Boy's Wild Ride For Life.
With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Hubbell's drug store.

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EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

Detroit, Sunday, Sept. 6th. Train will leave Plymouth at 9:40 and 11:15 a. m. Rate 25c. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Toledo, Sunday, September 13. Train will leave Plymouth at 10:25 A. M. Rate 50c. See posters, or ask agents for particulars.

Island Lake, Lansing, Grand Ledge, Grand Rapids, Sunday, Sept. 20. Train will leave Plymouth at 8:15 a. m. Rate 35c., \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.25. See posters, or ask agents for particulars.

First, Bay City and Saginaw, Sunday, September 30. Train will leave Plymouth at 8:35 a. m. Rate \$1.00 and \$1.50. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

West Michigan State Fair, Sept. 14-18. One fare plus 50 cents (includes admission to the fair). Tickets on sale October 14 to 17, good to return Sept. 19.

Denver and Colorado Points, Oct. 3 and 4. One fare to Chicago, added to \$30 to destination. Tickets on sale October 3 and 4, good to return to and including October 30.

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For Saginaw, Bay City and Port Huron, 9:45 a. m., 9:12 a. m., 2:08 p. m., 6:18 p. m.
For Saginaw, Manistee, Ludington and Milwaukee, 2:45 a. m., 9:12 a. m., 2:08 p. m. and 9:18 p. m.
For Toledo and South, 11:00 a. m., 2:45 p. m., 9:20 p. m.
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	Wayne	Plymouth	Northville	Wayne	Plymouth	Northville	
5:50	6:58	7:15	7:30	6:40	7:15	7:30	7:45
7:15	8:23	8:40	8:55	8:05	8:40	8:55	9:10
8:40	9:48	10:05	10:20	9:15	9:50	10:05	10:20
9:15	10:23	10:40	10:55	10:10	10:45	10:55	11:10
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11:15	12:23	12:40	12:55	12:15	12:50	12:55	1:10
12:15	1:23	1:40	1:55	1:15	1:50	1:55	2:10
1:15	2:23	2:40	2:55	2:15	2:50	2:55	3:10
2:15	3:23	3:40	3:55	3:15	3:50	3:55	4:10
3:15	4:23	4:40	4:55	4:15	4:50	4:55	5:10
4:15	5:23	5:40	5:55	5:15	5:50	5:55	6:10
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11:15	12:23	12:40	12:55	12:15	12:50	12:55	1:10
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Last car for Detroit via Wayne at 11:40.
Last car for Northville at 10:50.
Freight Schedule.
Leaves Plymouth at 8:30 a. m. and arrive at Northville at 9:15 a. m.
Leaves Northville at 10:15 a. m. and arrive at Plymouth at 10:40 a. m.
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