

# THE PLYMOUTH MAIL.

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## REMEMBER

We sell nothing in Groceries or Dry Goods, but

## EVERYTHING

—IN—

## DRUGS.

**The Wolverine Drug Co.**

Phone No. 5, Day or Night.

## Breezy Items

By Five Correspondents.

### PERRINSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wade and son of Pontiac, are visiting with A. Lyle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rathbone, of Detroit, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum.

Willard Sherman and family are entertaining their cousin Miss Sherman of Detroit.

Mrs. Mae Winchester is able to be out again.

Miss Brownell, of Detroit, is visiting with Wm. Oliver and family and L. J. Meldrum and wife.

Miss Mamie Theuer, of Detroit, is visiting with her cousin Miss Lizzie Theuer.

Quite a number from this place attended the Maccabee excursion to Bois Blanc last week Wednesday.

Rev. Hawkes occupied the pulpit last Sunday afternoon and preached a very fine sermon. He is field secretary for the Anti-Saloon League and is making a great effort to help banish the saloon.

Word was received here that Allen Corey is improving slowly.

Mrs. Wm. Schunk visited her daughter Mrs. Shaw of Elm last Tuesday.

The L. A. S. at Mrs. Wurts last week Wednesday afternoon was well attended and all spent a very pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. Steinhauer and daughter visited with Mrs. Katie Wurts last Tuesday.

### Puts an End to it all.

A grievous wail oft times comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, headache, liver complaint and constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by John L. Gale and The Wolverine Drug Co.

### ELM.

Chas. Kruger of this place, who was so seriously injured by a beam falling on him in the barn, breaking his nose and otherwise injuring him about the face, is gaining rapidly.

Hulbert Leslie has erected a wind mill on his farm at this place.

George Stacey, while holding his horse by the head to let a threshing outfit pass by, was struck in the face by the animal rearing up, very seriously injuring his eye.

While Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gans were returning home Sunday night and when crossing the Vroman bridge east of this place, their horse became frightened, throwing both occupants in the ditch. Fortunately they escaped without a scratch.

Coroner John Hoffman, of Detroit, candidate for nominee as sheriff, was on our streets Saturday.

The ball game on Saturday between Stark and Elm resulted in a score of 12 to 13 in favor of Elm. Our boys were pleased out of their wits, as Stark had boasted to do them.

Mrs. Mary Pankow, of Plymouth, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hirschlieb on Wednesday.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Blue on Wednesday. A large crowd was out and a very enjoyable time reported, a fine shower in the morning laying the dust and making it more pleasant to drive.

Mrs. Chas. Hirschlieb called on Mrs. William Rossow in Clarenceville on Tuesday.

### LAPHAM'S CORNERS.

Miss Nellie Smith is spending the week with friends in Ypsilanti.

The Lapham's Sunday-school will have a social Friday evening, Aug. 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murray, on the town line.

The ladies' aid society met this week Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Wilson.

The August meeting of the Farmers' club was held on Wednesday at Lant. Laraway's. The lowly morning kept quite a good many at home who would have attended.

Quarterly meeting services were observed at the Lapham church last Sabbath.

News has been received of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest VanVleet, residents of this place before their marriage. They are now living at Grass Lake.

The annual excursion to Belle Isle of the Sunday-schools of Salem, Dearborn and Superior will occur on Friday August 26th.

The hearts of the farmers were gladdened with a fine rain on Wednesday morning. More of the same article would come quite acceptable.

## Going Out of Business

To prove to you that we mean just what we say, please note a few of the low prices we are making and come and get prices that we are now making on other goods. You will find plenty of the staple goods, as we keep them filled in, such as Prints, Factory, Hosiery, Shirts, Overalls, etc. and they are going at the prices named in our large bills.

\$2 00 Shirt Waist Suits for	\$1 00	\$1 00 Shirt Waists	\$ 50
3 00 " " " "	1 50	1 25 " " " "	65
3 75 " " " "	1 88	1 50 " " " "	75
4 00 " " " "	2 00	2 00 " " " "	1 00
5 00 " " " "	2 50	2 25 " " " "	1 14
1 00 Tea Jackets	50	2 50 " " " "	1 25
1 25 " " " "	63	3 00 " " " "	1 50
1 50 " " " "	75	3 50 " " " "	1 75
2 00 " " " "	1 00		
2 50 " " " "	1 25		

Extra Low Prices made on Walking Skirts.

## Big Cut in the Shoe Department

We are going out of business and must dispose of our large stock of Shoes. Read these Prices:

All \$4 00 Gents' Shoes	\$3 10	\$2 00 Oxfords	\$1 50
All 3 50 Shoes, Ladies' or Gents'	2 75	1 95 " " " "	1 50
All 3 00 " " " "	2 25	1 75 " " " "	1 35
All 2 50 " " " "	1 99	1 50 " " " "	1 25
All 2 00 " " " "	1 69	1 25 " " " "	1 00
All 1 50 " " " "	1 20	1 00 Toe Slippers	90
All 1 35 " " " "	1 10	2 50 Ladies' 8-Strap Sandals	1 85
\$4 00 Gents' Oxfords	3 10	Children and Girls' Slippers at Cost.	
3 50 " " " "	2 65	All Children's Shoes at 1/4 off. (This does not include Baby 50c Shoes.)	
Ladies Oxfords & Toe Slippers		This is a bonafide sale, every Shoe and Slipper in stock gets the cut, nothing reserved.	
\$2 50 Oxfords	\$2 00	NO Goods sent on approval or charged.	
2 25 " " " "	1 90		
2 10 " " " "	1 80		

## Great Bargains in Ladies', Children's & Gents' Hose

Ladies' and Children's 25c now 20c; 15c now 12c; 10c now 8c.  
Gents' 25c now 19c; 15c now 12c; 10c now 8c.

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THE BEST THERE IS AT LOWEST PRICES

TRY OUR COFFEE  
TRY OUR TEA

Harter's Ranch Food for Horses and Cattle, guaranteed.

Try Crewso Poultry Powder.

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Telephone 35 Free Delivery.

## You're the One We're After.

These lines are written to catch the eyes who do not keep a bank account, but who are risking their money around the house or barn, or have it buried in some corner. Try keeping it in a SAFE place like the

## PLYMOUTH UNITED SAVINGS BANK,

where you can check out any amount at time.

3 per cent paid on Savings Deposits.

Subscribe for the Plymouth Mail

Many of the farmers in this neighborhood are having their threshing done this week.

The new creamery at Peebles' opened up Monday and many from this way are drawing milk there.

Mrs. Claude Larnard fell and hurt her head quite badly a few days ago. She is now under the doctor's care.

### Was Waiting Away.

The following letter from Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." The Wolverine Drug Co.

### LIVONIA CENTER.

Miss Grace Peck, of Detroit, is visiting her grandmother.

Mrs. Will Cook and Mrs. W. H. Smith were in Detroit Thursday.

Maud Seivert, of the city, is visiting friends around the Center this week.

W. O. Minkley is entertaining his daughter and granddaughter of Muskegon.

Miss Inza Millard, of Detroit, is visiting around these parts.

Miss Grace Peck, also Mrs. Elizabeth Peck, were in the city Wednesday.

### TONQUISH

Several from here spent Friday with their cousin, Henry Ballou, living south and west of Wayne, at Four Towns. People were present from Detroit, Dearborn, Perrinsville and here.

J. W. Robinson took a trip to Detroit, on Friday.

Cady Hix, who was quite ill last week, is out and around again.

The H. H. society has had a neat fence put around the little cemetery, near Tonquish church, which is quite an improvement.

The Helping Hand society will meet the first Wednesday in September with Mrs. Merritt Haggett in Plymouth. Meeting in the afternoon and an ice cream supper be served on the lawn. Subject for roll call is "The Transfiguration of Christ."

### NEWBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Foster, of Detroit, were here Sunday. Mr. Foster gave a very nice talk at church in the absence of Rev. W. G. Stephens. We are always glad to greet them here.

Miss Mary Hamley, of Canada, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vanblairicum.

Ladies' aid have ordered new silverware marked for them in Detroit. They will soon have it here.

The Gully quartette, of Detroit, and Mr. Gardner, of Northville, will be here again Aug. 27th.

J. J. Stark is improving, but his father, S. D. Stark, is quite sick.

Miss Mary Ellen Kerr, of West Plymouth, visited her cousin, Miss Nettie Dickerson, last week.

Miss Smith, school teacher at Springwells, visited Mrs. L. Stark and other friends here this week.

Mrs. Smith of Detroit, and Mrs. Hart and daughter, of Mt. Clemens, visited their sister, Mrs. Rutter, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Post, of Ypsilanti, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bower and daughter, of Jackson county, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Grow.

Ashley Selwood, an old resident here now of Union City, is visiting here.

Miss Ethel Woodworth and five of her lady friends from Detroit, visited at her father's Sunday.

Sunday school social Saturday evening was quite a success, eight gallons of cream being disposed of. All enjoyed the phonograph very much.

In 1903 the area devoted to hay in the United States was 39,993,759 acres, which produced 61,305,940 tons of hay valued at \$556,376,880.

### Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or dependency invariably precedes suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great stomach, liver and kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by John L. Gale and The Wolverine Drug Co.

### MURRAY'S CORNERS.

Mrs. W. P. Smith of Chicago is visiting Mrs. John Forshee Sr.

Mrs. Carmon Root and Mrs. John Root will entertain the aid society at home of Mrs. Carman Root Thursday, Aug. 18th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Aid Society will have an ice cream social at the home of Miss Edith Bradford Saturday evening Aug. 13th. Everybody come.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Murray and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Spicer visited at R. C. Safford's of Plymouth Sunday.

Mrs. Mary McClumpha returned from Ypsilanti last week.

A party of young people, from this vicinity are spending this week at Walled Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bradford and baby returned to Detroit Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Grove Cole, a son on Friday.

Several in this vicinity have had canned fruit and other provision stolen from their cellars. We will keep our cellars locked hereafter.

The farmer's club of Salem met with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Laraway. There was a good attendance although the rain prevented a number from going.

Nellie DePew is visiting in Ann Arbor this week.

Anna Cole has returned to her home in Pittsford.

The world's attention continues to concentrate on the Japs, who in turn continue to concentrate on Port Arthur. It is the most watched spot on the map of the world today.—Boston Herald.

### End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed by Jno. L. Gale and The Wolverine Drug Co. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.



Colombia's new national anthem: "I don't want to play in your yard."

The last new thing in words is "syzgyt." Sounds like a Hungarian melody.

Very likely a flying machine that cost only \$10 would fly just as well as any other kind.

Perhaps we have all been unjust to Uncle Russell Sage. Maybe he can't afford to take a vacation.

Also be it remembered that the Yale-Harvard teams are not by any means the pick of our college athletes.

No tears will be shed over the wounds of those Spaniards who were hurt while goading a bull and a tiger to fight.

The czar doesn't play poker anyway, but even if he did, you couldn't persuade him that four of a kind beats one heir.

That New York woman who swore that her husband had beaten her 1,040 times certainly has a striking talent for figures.

The Savannah Press says that "he who plants a tree plants love." Love unfortunately happens to be a plant of slow growth.

Heize, the Montana copper king, has been sued for \$5,750,000. Even the well-to-do are not exempt from petty annoyances.

New York is to have a liquor show. Evidently that town has given up all hopes of ever being able to capture a prohibition convention.

Even if Oom Paul Kruger did leave a fortune of \$5,000,000 to the lucky Eloff family, he was nevertheless an object for universal sympathy.

How time flies! In a month or so all the little George Dewey Smiths and George Dewey Browns will be celebrating their sixth birthdays.

A freak of fashion has made calico gowns the popular thing; but a lot of pessimistic married men fear that the situation is too satisfactory to last.

That Eastern professor who says we all eat too much doubtless has an assured income and a good appetite. Or perhaps he's keeping his wife's folks.

In three months the railroads of the United States have killed nearly 1,000 persons. Traveling is becoming almost as dangerous as celebrating the Fourth.

A new invention known as the tele-cryptograph reproduces in print conversations over the telephone. A good many of 'em will have to be barred from the mails.

Kuroki and Kuropatkin may be merely holding off the big battle till they can find some place with a wholly new and unpronounceable name to fight it in.

The people who hoped for a national theater are disappointed to discover that Mr. Carnegie is not out on a feverish chase for any project that is susceptible of endowment.

The evangelists who are laboring for the moral and spiritual advancement of New York city point hopefully to the circumstances that the 400 have been reduced to 200.

Those of us who aren't in the least alarmed by the reports of counterfeit \$100 notes begin to prick up our ears when we read that bogus quarters and half-dollars are in circulation.

The American Domestic League claims that it turns out fine cooks. Send their addresses along. This is not one of those cases where you should "hide your light under a bushel."

It is just beginning to dawn on Korea that the Japanese are like other philanthropists—willing that the Koreans should have what is left of their own country after Japan has had what it wants.

The Chicago bridegroom who at the altar said "No!" and then fled will probably find a variation in his case of the old proverb, that he who courts and runs away will go to court some other day.

Brazil and Peru threaten to settle a dispute by war. They had better wait until Japan settles her controversy with Russia. If they start up their performance now they will play to empty benches.

Gabriele d'Annunzio, the Italian dramatist, replies to all requests for his autograph that he will be delighted to furnish it, but only upon a copy of his works. Sig. d'Annunzio clearly possesses more than one kind of genius.

The new Duchess of Roxburgh is reported to be winning golden opinions in England on account of her contributions to charities. Evidently she has found that purchasing a dukedom is not enough to get one into the selectest circle of society.

THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

ROUGH SPORT.

Four Boys Tried a Mock Lynching Bee for Fun.

John Harvey, of Calumet, had warrants sworn out for the arrest of four young men, Emmet Downing, Harvey Jones, Peter Wartin and Christ Messer, on the charge of ill-treating his two sons, William and Alfred Harvey. The four young men are about 20 years of age, and the Harvey boys about 17. From what could be learned from the father of the boys and the lads themselves, their companions enticed them to go into the woods with them for a little fun. The larger boys hit upon the idea of having a mock lynching. Of course, the younger members of the crowd were the victims. Their hands were bound, and they were made to dance around with scarcely any clothing on. This done, a rope was placed about their neck. The lynching part had not progressed very far before the boys began to yell, which scared the lynchers, who finally desisted. The neck of one of the Harveys was left quite raw by the rubbing of the rope.

A Deserted Bride.

Word comes from Goshen that Henry N. Long and Fannie Johnson, of Paw Paw, were married in that city last Monday. The couple went to the Fahl hotel, where they remained until Tuesday noon. At that time the groom stated that he would go to the depot and see about checking their baggage. He hasn't been seen since, and the bride is working in the hotel, pending the receipt of money from her parents to bring her home. She says they had been acquainted for a year, and engaged for several months. The object of their being married away from home, she says, was an objection on the part of Long's parents to their marriage by a minister, they being Catholics. Long, not wanting a full Protestant ceremony, they were married by a judge.

Brave Miss Colby.

Miss Edna Colby has aroused general admiration here by her daring catch of a thief. She met a young man coming from her room Thursday afternoon, and he drew an object, which she thought was a revolver, from his pocket and pointed it at her. She jumped for him and so frightened him that he ran down the street. She chased him for several blocks and just managed to catch a glimpse of him as he dove down into a box in an alley. She jumped on the cover of the box and held it down until help arrived. The prisoner proved to have \$14 of Miss Colby's money and some of her silverware on his person.

Series of Suicides.

Edward D. Porter, of Grand Rapids, who swallowed strychnine with suicidal intent on Saturday night after brooding over the suicide of his wife two weeks ago, died Sunday night. In the suicide of Porter is revealed a series of suicides in the family of his late wife. Her mother was the first to end her own life, and a few weeks later a daughter also committed suicide. Two weeks ago the last of the daughters, Mrs. Porter, took poison and died a few hours later. Then Porter, broken-hearted over the death of his wife, followed her example.

Pound Him Dead.

Love's young dream was short and bitter for Leotis Wheeler, aged 21 years, of Life Lake. He was married to a 16-year-old girl last February, and it is said that their relations have been troubled. On Saturday it is said that Wheeler bought five ounces of arsenic. When his wife returned from berrying about supper time she saw him lying in bed, and supposing him to be asleep she did not disturb him until supper was ready. When she went to arouse him she found he was dead. The young wife says he had threatened several times lately to commit suicide.

To Ionia.

Pat Burns, of Port Huron, drew five years at Ionia for criminal assault. He's the witness in the Gilfoil murder case who admitted that he had perjured himself at Gilfoil's request. The two men were confined in the same cell and together hatched the story that Burns was to tell on the stand. It was thought that he would be tried on the perjury charge, but when he pleaded guilty to assault the perjury count was dropped.

Three Escape From Jackson.

The three notorious Richmond bank robbers, John Allison, Slater and William Spellman, escaped from Jackson state prison about 3:30 o'clock Tuesday morning by rigging up a ladder out of gas pipe which they placed against the west wall. No one saw them go, nor is anything known of their whereabouts. It was six hours later that the discovery was made, and the men had by that time made good their escape.

Twenty Years for Gilfoil.

William Gilfoil, convicted of the murder of James Gaffney, a Port Huron saloonkeeper, on the night of July 2, was sentenced by Judge Tappan to Jackson for a maximum period of 20 years or a minimum period of 18 years. Gilfoil took his sentence coolly, and stoutly protested that he was not guilty.

Falling headfirst through a trap door.

Jack Dean, a Houghton teamster, was literally scalped. His skull, though laid bare by wounds, was not crushed and he will probably recover.

The funeral of Mrs. James Donough.

of Adrian, was peculiar because of the fact that the funeral sermon was written by the deceased and read by Dr. Julia P. Greene, a close friend.

Elmer Keesburg, aged 18, of Jennings.

who was playing ball with the Defiance, O. team, was killed in a train wreck near Warren, O.

PANIC-STRICKEN.

Jumped to Save His Life Only to Lose It.

In a panic-stricken jump for his life, Frank Braemer, aged 28, married, and a fireman on the Boyne City railroad, rolled back to his death under the very wheels of the derailed engine he sought escape from while the men who had faced the same danger and remained in the engine cab escaped uninjured. With a grating gang the engine was returning to Boyne City, hauling four sand cars. In a deep cut the engine, with eight men in the cab, jumped the track. The flat cars piled up behind, and Braemer jumped, hit the clay bank of the cut and fell back under the engine. Frank Aldred, who jumped a moment later, broke a leg. The rest of the men were not even scratched, as the engine remained right side up.

ATE SOAP.

The Game Did Not Work, and Prisoner Goes to Ionia.

William H. Danford, who was taken ill at the county jail while awaiting trial in the circuit court on the charge of bigamy, and who was removed to the Flint hospital under the supposition that he was in a critical condition from consumption, appears to have been playing possum in order to get out of duress. His case excited suspicion on the part of Sheriff Rust and upon investigation that officer learned from some of the other prisoners at the jail that Danford had been eating soap to make himself sick. Danford expressed a desire to go into the circuit court without further delay and plead guilty. He was arraigned and will be taken to the Ionia reformatory to serve a sentence of no less than six months nor more than five years.

Out of Marquette.

Owing to the recent decision of the supreme court that prisoners convicted of crimes committed prior to the enactment of the indeterminate sentence law in September, 1926, and sentenced under its provisions, should serve only the minimum term given to them, six convicts, the first of a score or more, were released from Marquette prison Sunday. Of these the maximum terms of three were ten years and in two other cases five years. The men released are: John Westberg and John Maciel, from Iron county; Henry Carson, Cadillac; John Robillard, Baraga; John Grabarz, Alger county; Thomas Nesbitt, Flint.

The Acid Route.

Eileen Tubbs, wife of George Tubbs, went from the home of her sister and committed suicide Saturday morning in an outhouse near her husband's roadside, by swallowing carbolic acid. The cause of the deed is thought to have been an estrangement between the woman and her husband. It is supposed that she intended to take the poison before him, but was prevented by his absence. She leaves two children.

MICHIGAN NEWS NOTES.

The Pioneer picnic for Arenac county will be held at Twining Aug. 27.

There is talk of a third rail electric line coming into Pontiac from Owosso.

Gilbert Duffness, of Omer, lost an arm by getting caught in a heading saw.

Frank Showell, of An Gies, had both of his arms broken by falling from a bay now.

The annual fair of the Flint River Valley Agricultural Society will be held near Burt, September 20, 21 and 22.

The Lake Superior Company recently revived is advertising for 1,000 men to be employed in its extensive lumber operations.

The 16-year-old stepdaughter of John Palford of Port Huron township, has had him arrested on a serious charge.

An apparent attempt to poison one or more members of the family of Olive Davenport has stirred Hadley township greatly.

The city council of Sault Ste. Marie has authorized the sale of \$25,000 worth of bonds for the general expenses of the city.

Wm. Clark, who on the night of Aug. 1 fell down stairs at the home of his son-in-law, Fred A. Platt, in Lansing, died Sunday from his injuries.

Miss Olive Cameron, of Port Huron, has recovered consciousness after 48 hours having been overcome after winning a jumping race at Tashim park.

Lenman J. Winchell died at the hospital in Jackson from concussion of the brain, due to a fall or blow. He had been unconscious since the accident.

The premium list of the state fair to be held at Pontiac September 12, 16, has been issued. It is printed on fine book paper, with choice illustrations.

It is expected that fully 5,000 people—mostly farmers—will be present at the Farmers' Friendly association of Emmet, Antrim, Leelanaw, Grand Traverse and Charlevoix counties, which will be held in Van Peck's White Birch grove in Norwood, Charlevoix county, Thursday, Aug. 25.

Dr. H. J. Maxwell, a dentist of Woodville, O., formerly of Carleton, and Miss Alice Haber, for several years, one of the best known school teachers in Monroe county, were married at Cleveland by Rev. J. Scheyer, who also performed the marriage ceremony for the bride's mother.

The extermination of the turtles in the inland lakes of Branch and Calhoun counties is given as the cause of the foulness of the water. It is claimed that the turtles are natural scavengers of the water, eating dead fish and other animal matter. Hundreds of turtles have been shipped to Chicago.

Louis Manger, a 4-year-old Sturgis boy, stumbled and fell in his father's shoe store Thursday. His head struck on the iron corner of a truck, fracturing his skull.

Railroad Commissioner Theron W. Atwood has been confined to his house with rheumatism since Saturday, but is improving and expects to be out again in a few days.

Ray White, aged 7, of Ithaca, fell from the tongue of a lumber wagon, which was hitched behind another wagon, and the wheels passed over his head, crushing his skull.

Richard Burdick, a civil war veteran, was killed by a train while walking on the track near Hesper. His family lives in Muskegon, but he had lived alone several years.

The annual reunion of the Third Michigan cavalry will be held at Lansing September 15 and 16. It is forty-three years since the first reunion at Camp Anderson, Grand Rapids.

C. W. Post is determined to make a handsome city of Battle Creek. He each year gives liberal cash prizes to those residents who keep their lawns and premises most beautiful and orderly.

The large warehouse of the Gately & Donovan installment house on South Franklin caught fire, apparently from spontaneous combustion, and a loss of \$25,000 resulted from fire and water.

William Hayes, a Battle Creek man who claims he has accomplished the feat, took his oath the other day that there was not a saloon in that city where he could not obtain liquor on Sunday.

Henry Newberry, of Flint, reported to the police that he was held up near the Durant-Bort carriage factory and robbed of \$6. Two of the men held Newberry while a third went through his pockets.

The state tax for the maintenance of the state militia is based on the population of the state and this year will be considerably increased as the tax will be spread according to the new enumeration.

The state prison board, at its meeting in Williamston Thursday, denied the pardons to Thomas and Robert Hamman, who were convicted five years ago of killing Lawrence Edwards in Lansing.

A. H. Brown, president of the Eureka Brick Co., and his arm ground to jelly in a brick machine at Grand Rapids. He is one of the most prominent brick-makers in Michigan, being past grand master.

As a general thing, upper peninsula crops are this year promising large and profitable yields, and it is declared by experienced farmers that for "quick-growing weather" this summer has never been surpassed.

Three Rivers saloonists are revengeful. The city authorities recently refused them an extra hour in which to do business and they retaliate by refusing to contribute a single cent to a fund for a street carnival.

The Huron river has reached the lowest stage in the memory of the oldest inhabitants. It is easily waded across at Ypsilanti. There is not enough water coming down to run the mills and the dams are going dry.

The directors of the Kalamazoo & Grand Rapids Electric Road Co. have decided to begin building the road this month. It will be fifty miles in length, connecting Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids by a circuitous route.

Michael O'Brien, aged 65 years, fell from a scaffold, 35 feet to the bottom of the drydock in the Davison shipyard at Bay City, striking on his head and shoulders. One side of his skull was crushed and he was instantly killed.

The South Haven board of trade has concluded its bargain with the Cable-Neison Piano Co., of Chicago, and that firm will at once begin to build its factory to cost \$30,000, which is a part of the city's \$50,000 bonds given as a bonus.

Every saloon was closed and drug stores declined to see any liquor Sunday, and Benton Harbor was a dry town for one Sunday at least, as a result of the order of Mayor Gillette that the Sunday closing laws be enforced.

John Corrigan, a Benton Harbor merchant, was roused by burglars in his bedroom. Corrigan had \$1,500 in cash in the room, the result of some late evening transactions, and saved it by opening fire on the invaders with his revolver.

Judge Smith, of Flint, in granting George Lewis a divorce from Emma Lewis and giving defendant \$10 a month for the support of the children, said he thought it was a crime against the state for courts to compel such mismatched couples to live together.

Mrs. Rose Allen and two children who had been making their home in box cars in Grand Haven for several weeks and living nomadic lives, were today sent to Vestfaburg, Montcalm county, the sheriff of that county having telegraphed that they hailed from there.

The inquest into the death of Leman Winchel, of Jackson, who was taken dying from the home of Mrs. Frank O. Reynolds, failed to show how he received the fatal wounds, a broken neck, ruptured brain blood vessel, a black eye and a severe blow in the small of the back.

Glen Knapp, the Cho young man who took chloroform when arrested for forging his father's name to two checks, recovered from the sleeping potion and now his father intends settling up the matter and paying the holders of the forged checks their money and having them withdraw the complaint.

Lansing is in danger of a water famine on account of the prevailing drought. The water in the wells from which the city obtains its supply is very low, and sprinkling of streets and lawns has been restricted in order that the water may be saved for fire protection.

Prof. Smith, dean of the short course at the M. A. C., will make a tour of the southern and northern portions of the state in the interests of dairying. Hillsdale, Traverse City and Mt. Pleasant are a few of the principal points to be visited and at each of the places addresses on the dairy interests of the state will be given.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

CLOUD BURST.

One Hundred Lives Lost in a Railroad Wreck.

One of the most terrible catastrophes in the railroad history of the Arkansas valley happened Sunday evening when train No. 11, of the Missouri Pacific railroad, which runs over the Denver & Rio Grande tracks between Pueblo and Denver, crashed through a trestle near Eden, eight miles north of Pueblo, carrying the smoking and chair cars, which were filled with passengers, into the swirling, surging torrent which rushed underneath. So far as learned, between 80 and 100 persons perished.

Dry creek, which is one mile north of Eden, is 50 feet wide, 10 feet deep and has steep banks. A cloudburst had flooded over the trestle as the train started across. The engine got almost over, but slipped back, and the baggage car, smoker and chair cars plunged into the torrent. The engine fell on its right side. The chair car was carried half a mile down Fountain creek. The baggage and smoker were washed down this stream and have not been found. The diner and sleeper did not go down.

Dry creek empties into the Fountain less than a half mile below the wreck. There was no water in Dry creek two hours after the accident.

Thousands Idle.

The general lockout against unions in the building trades whose members have recently ordered strikes went into effect today. The number of men affected by the lockout is variously estimated at from 50,000 to 100,000. About half of these are skilled workmen, the remainder being laborers.

The lockout, which was ordered by the Building Trades Employers association as a result of an alleged violation of an agreement entered into by the unions and the association about a year ago to submit all questions to arbitration. Many strikes have been ordered against members of the association during the past few weeks and the lockout order followed.

Flurry in Wheat.

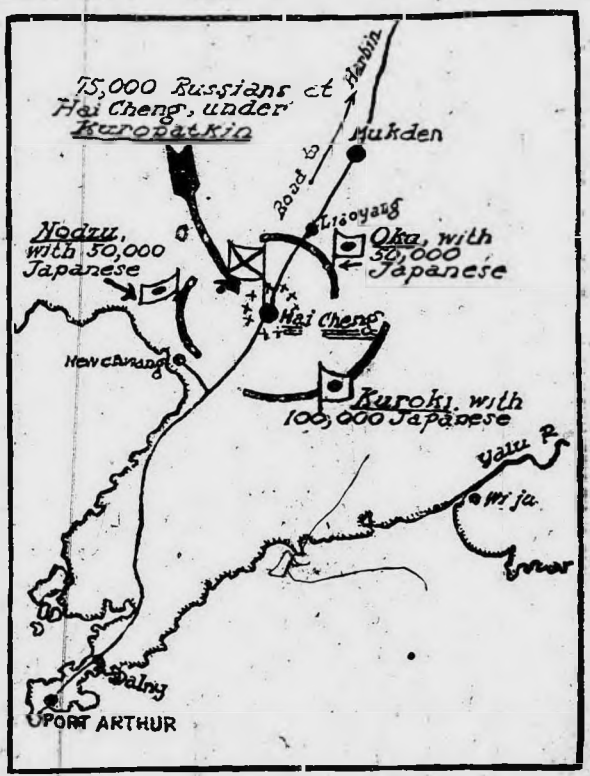
Under the excited buying by frightened shorts when in Chicago Monday bulged 3 3/4¢ bushel, following a net advance of 9¢ last week due to crop damage reports. The converted demand led prospective sellers to hold their grain, and for a time paucity reigned. The northwest furnished the entire motive. The other influences were disregarded. September, starting at 97 1/2¢ to 97 3/4¢, 3/4¢ to 3/4¢ to 5¢ to 5 1/2¢ over Saturday's close, sold up to \$1.01 1/2. December touched \$1.00 1/2 and May \$1.02. A month ago September wheat stood at 84¢.

September wheat opened in Detroit at 97 1/2¢ and 97 3/4¢ and advanced to \$1.00 1/2. December wheat opened at 96 1/2¢ to 96 3/4¢ and quickly jumped to \$1.00 1/2.

Senator Vest Dies in Missouri.

After lingering for weeks between life and death, former U. S. Senator G. G. Vest passed peacefully away at Sweet Springs, Mo., Tuesday. He had been so near death for the past three days that the end came without a struggle. He was conscious until about 2 a. m. Sunday morning, when he sank into a state of coma from which he never aroused.

Oakland county's share of the state tax this year is \$61,777.79, or at the rate of \$1.86 per \$1,000.



SITUATION OF OPPOSING ARMIES.

The American tobacco trusts particularly, and other trusts also, are being made the mark of legislation in the Canadian parliament. A resolution has already been passed favoring the cancellation of excise licenses held by manufacturers who sell goods on the condition that the purchaser shall not sell or deal in similar goods made by any other firm.

After blowing open a safe in the county bank at Newfare, Vt., one burglar was shot and captured. Two others escaped with \$300. Later J. S. McCarthy, of Michigan, was arrested in Braintree on suspicion.

JAPS HOLD KEY

ARE IN POSSESSION OF WOLF HILLS, COMMANDING THE FORTRESS.

A dispatch from Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel, commander of the Russian military forces at Port Arthur, confirms previous reports that the Japanese before Port Arthur are in possession of Wolf Hills. The general says that on July 29 the Russians withdrew from their positions on Wolf Hills before the numerical superiority of the Japanese.

Gen. Stoessel estimates the number of Japanese attacking Port Arthur at 70,000.

Gen. Stoessel locates Ynpilaza mountain as situated ten miles northeast of Port Arthur and says that the Japanese attack on that position was only a demonstration, the real assault of the Japanese being made on the Russian positions on Wolf Hills, which he points out are only six miles northward and near the railroad station. The general staff explains that this position consists of a long crest of hills, offering a great advantage, owing to their proximity to the fortress. The staff is unable to account for the presence of five divisions on the Kwan-Tung peninsula.

Filipino in White House

Pietrussky, but quite adequately garbed a party of eight Moro and Igorrote chiefs, constituting a part of the Philippine exhibit at the St. Louis exposition, paid their respects to President Roosevelt at the White House.

The exchanges between the chiefs and the president were informal, but happy in their tone. Through Atero, a bright 15-year-old Igorrote boy, who acted as interpreter, the Moro dattos and the Igorrote chiefs expressed their pleasure at being received by the president and told him he might depend upon their loyalty to the American government.

Turkish Atrocities.

The Tabriz, Persia, correspondent of the London Daily News, in a dispatch dated August 6, says:

On July 13 a band of Armenian revolutionists appeared near Outchikissa. Turkish soldiers and Kurds, finding an excuse, attacked and destroyed the villages of Outchikissa, Koomloubjak, Cougan, Karabazar and Seyto, butchering men and outraging women.

Two large Armenian bands marching to Sassun to help the insurgent leader Antranik attacked the garrisons at Mossouriz and Gouthagh for revenge on July 25. At dawn bombs were thrown into these places, killing many, and severe fighting ensued.

A majority of the soldiers were killed and the garrisons resembled graveyards. One band forced its way through the Kurdish tribes towards Arjes. The number of soldiers killed amounted to several hundreds.

N. Y. Butchers' Strike.

Following the ultimatum given the packers by the Butchers' union that a general strike would go into effect Wednesday, the order became operative at the time set. The plants affected are those affiliated with the "beef trust." A difference of opinion exists already as to the number of men on strike; the union opinion being that the strike is complete, while the packers state that only about 50 per cent of the men have left, and that these places will be quickly filled.

The proportion of divorces to marriages in Japan is one to four.







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FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1904.

## Forfeited their Bonds.

The Detroit Journal of Tuesday evening says that Judge Frazer has decided that when the Detroit, Plymouth & Northville electric railway dropped its Springwells franchise it didn't drop the \$10,000 forfeit bond it had put up conditioned on the completion of the road through the township within 120 days from July 15, 1901, the date of the franchise. He has directed a verdict for the township against the railway company and its surety, the American Bonding & Trust Co., for the full amount of the bond. The case was called before a jury, but submitted to the court, as there was no question about the facts.

The franchise was taken out when the Boland through line to Chicago was first planned. The idea was to extend the Warren avenue tracks to connect with the Plymouth road, and then go on over the Boland line to Jackson and eventually to Chicago. But a change in the Boland plans caused the abandonment of the proposed Springwells route before a spadeful of dirt had been turned.

## Was a Success.

There were 38 babies present at the baby show last Friday. Arrangements were made for prizes to be given for twins, but none were present. The prizes were awarded as follows:

- The baby from the greatest distance—Helen Stewart, Peru, Ind.—a pair of shoes.
- Second greatest distance—Thelma Agnew, Boardman, Ohio—a brush.
- The most popular babies—Howard Root—toilet set; Charles Greenlaw—baby pins.
- The tallest boy that walked—Everett Hanchett—knife, fork and spoon.
- Shortest boy that walked—Vaughn Smith—box of candy.
- Shortest girl that walked—Bessie Purdy—rose bowl.
- Fattest baby—Marguerite Thomas—stool.
- Youngest baby, seven weeks—Kenneth Kohntz—box of toilet soap.
- Fairest baby—Sireta McLeod—box of toilet soap.
- Baby with the whitest hair—Levi Merrill—doll.
- Baby with the blackest hair—Mildred Reiman—doll.
- Baby with the curliest hair—Evelyn Knapp—baby bonnet.
- Baby with the least hair—Daniel Agnew—vase.

On a warrant sworn out by Woodworth Bros., Deputy Sheriff Springer went to New Boston Monday morning and arrested Mathew Vandecar, who was charged with obtaining goods under false pretenses. Before Justice Valentine he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 or sixty days in the house of correction. He took the latter end of the dilemma. He is a young man who will undoubtedly profit by the experience.

The wheat crop this year will prove to be the poorest in the state in many years. The quality and yield is even more disappointing than looked for before threshing time. In many cases the quality is exceedingly poor, being wholly unfit for milling purposes. Some of this damage was done by rust, which was quite prevalent this year. The average estimated yield in the state and southern counties is 8 bushels and in the central and northern counties 10 bushels.

The council met in special session last Tuesday night. The time for collection of village taxes was extended to Sept. 5th. An extension of the water mains on South Main street was also ordered, the estimated cost of which will be about \$1,000. The survey made of Main street shows that there is a fall of 14 feet from the railroad to the creek on Ann Arbor street. It is expected work on the improvement of the street will be commenced as soon as the preliminaries can be gone through with.

Detroit Journal: In spite of many declarations made in open court, there does not seem to exist much inclination, on the part of the authorities, to try the Morland case. The case, after many postponements, has been set for trial for Aug. 22, but Judge Phelan today issued a peremptory order to proceed with the Michigan avenue grade crossing matter, next Friday, proceedings which will consume at least four weeks of the court's time. The last adjournment of the Morland trial was granted because of the condition of Assistant Prosecutor Bumps' eyes. But Bumps has fully recovered and has been busy for days consulting authorities on other matters.

Charlie Schwab's \$2,000,000 "conscience" money looks like another come-on game.

## FIVE CLASSES OF TORPEDOES

All Equally Deadly if Only They Hit the Mark.

There are five classes of torpedoes. The earliest form was a stationary submarine mine, usually exploded beneath a ship by actual contact. Such mines are still used for harbor defense, but sometimes they are fired by mechanical means from shore at the moment a hostile vessel is passing over them. The spar torpedo, also still used, consists of an explosive charge carried at the end of a long spar in a boat's bows, the craft being rowed close up to the doomed vessel and the charge exploded. The towing torpedo, as its name implies, was towed along and maneuvered so as to explode underneath an enemy's vessel, this kind being in turn followed by the true self-propelling torpedo, the Whitehead, now in general use. The last form which need be noticed is the Brennan, whose movements can be controlled from the shore.

## ALL WANTED NOISY CLOCKS.

Manufacturer Had to Meet Demand of Savages.

A clockmaker discovered that a rival was selling out large stocks of cheap clocks to the heath of Africa, and doing good business with them. He spent a large sum in making better clocks and shipped thousands of them to the same market. Strange to say, his sales were small, although his rival, turning out a cheap and inaccurate timepiece, was selling all he could make. Finally he found a key to the mystery. Savages like noise. The clocks made by the first exporter had a particularly loud and aggressive tick. His competitor had made a better clock, but it was almost noiseless, and the savages would have none of it. The next cargo of clocks which the maker shipped to the Guinea coast ticked louder than anything ever heard there, and they sold like pink lemonade at a circus.

## Value of Torpedoes.

Torpedo range is now about 2,000 yards. The improvements which are being made, it is estimated, will nearly double this, and that before very long. This means that when two fleets approach each other in order of battle—usually in line ahead with ships 400 yards apart, and the lines making an angle to one another, so that as many guns can be brought to bear as possible—torpedo firing will begin when the intervening distance is about two miles. This is, if anything, beyond effective fighting range of guns. As the distance increases the accuracy of the flight of the torpedo increases, and becomes as great if not greater than that of the gun projectiles. What tactics are to be used to meet these new conditions is not yet assured, but that the chances of hits with the torpedoes are very large—one in three under the conditions above stated—is well recognized.

## The Gypsy Wind.

The gypsy wind goes down the night;  
I hear him lift his wander call;  
And to the old divine delight  
Am I a thrall.

It's out, my heart, beneath the stars,  
Along the hillways dim and deep;  
Let those who will behind dull bars  
Commune with sleep!

For me the freedom of the sky,  
The videt fastness that seem  
Packed with a sense of mystery  
And brooding dream!

For me far subtler fragrances  
Than the magician morn transmutes;  
And minstrelries and melodies  
From fairy lutes!

My cares—the harrying brood takes flight;  
My woes—they lose their galling sting;  
When I, with the hale wind of night,  
Go gypying.

—Clinton Scollard, in Century.

## True Happiness.

No one seems to be happier in Atchison these evenings than the boy with a new pup in his arms. The Uplift will denounce us for saying it, but he bears a happiness in his face exceeding that seen in the face of the lover, or the young mother with the baby in her arms. The boy with the pup (again, apologies to the Uplift) knows no jealousy, fears no apprehension; the pup is his, and he is its. The neighbor boys envy him and he has something at last that loves him without saying "Don't ever five minutes. In tacketing the Happy Ones, put the boy with the pup at the head."—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

## The Detroit Tribune.

That great independent and eminently fair newspaper, The Detroit Tribune, has just completed a work of much historic value to the state of Michigan. The work is the official souvenir of the recent celebration at Jackson of the fiftieth anniversary of the monster mass meeting held under the Jackson oaks July 6, 1854, at which Michigan placed herself squarely against the extension of slavery and formed the republican party. The book contains the official proceedings of the celebration, a history of the republican party and portraits of many eminent citizens who took part in that great historic event of 50 years ago. It also contains engravings of the chief participants in the celebration, of many leading citizens of Michigan. Being bound in leather, the work will form a lasting memento and a valuable historical possession for those who are to receive it.

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- Wheat, Red, \$0.97
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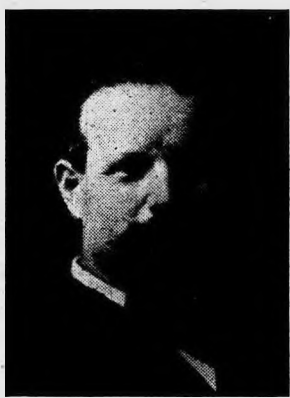


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- Nutmega, best, 3c oz.—per lb 40
- Tea Dust, best, lb 20
- Best Japan Tea 30
- Plug Tobacco, lb 30
- Polar Bear and Army Jack Scrap Tobacco, pkg 4
- Gold Flake and Joker Smoking Tobacco, pkg 4
- Sugar Drip Syrup, per gal 30
- Best Sugar Drips, per gal 50
- Best Water White Oil 12
- Best Cider Vinegar 15
- Black Joe Tar Soap 5c; 6 for 25
- Corn Starch 5c; 6 for 25
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**Probate Notice.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, ss: At a session of the Probate court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate office, in the city of Detroit, on the twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four. Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Kape, deceased. William Kape, administrator of said estate, having rendered to this court his final administration account and filed therewith his petition praying that the residue of said estate may be assigned to the person entitled thereto. It is ordered, That the sixteenth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room, be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

EDGAR O. DURFEE,  
Judge of Probate.  
ALBERT W. FLAINT, Deputy Register.

**Probate Notice.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, ss: At a session of the Probate court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate office in the city of Detroit, on the twenty-seventh day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four. Present, Morse Robbert, Acting Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mary Westfall, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Mary A. Briggs praying that the undivided, undivided estate may be granted to F. Markham (Briggs) or some other suitable person. It is ordered, That the tenth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

MORSE ROBBERT,  
Circuit Judge for said County and Acting Judge of Probate.  
[A true copy.]  
HENRY S. HULBERT, Register.

**Administrator's Sale.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, ss: In the matter of the estate of Frank C. Anderson, deceased. The undersigned, administrator of said estate, having been granted by the Hon. Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate for said county of Wayne, a license to sell the real estate of said deceased, will offer as public vendue on the premises of said deceased and hereinafter described, in the township of Canton, county of Wayne and State of Michigan, on Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of August, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following described lands situated in the township of Canton, county of Wayne, State of Michigan, to-wit: The west half of the east half of northeast quarter of section eleven (11) in township two (2) south of range No. eight (8) east in the district of lands offered for sale at Detroit, Michigan, containing forty (40) acres, be the same more or less.

Dated July 28th, 1904.  
HENRY C. ANDERSON,  
Administrator of the estate of Frank C. Anderson, deceased.

**Commissioner's Notice.**  
In the matter of the estate of Albert O. Lyon, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of William H. Hoyt, in the village of Plymouth, in said county, on Saturday, the third day of September, 1904, and on Saturday, the third day of December, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the third day of June, A. D. 1904, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated June 3, 1904.  
WM. H. HOYT,  
CLARK MOFF,  
Commissioners.

**Commissioner's Notice.**  
In the matter of the estate of Malinda Root, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the store of A. H. Dibble & Son, in the village of Plymouth, in said county, on Thursday, the 27th day of October, A. D. 1904, and on Thursday, the 25th day of January, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock P. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 26th day of July, A. D. 1904, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated July 28, 1904.  
JOHN M. WARD,  
FRED DIBBLE,  
Commissioners.







# The Ward of King Canute

## A Romance of the Danish Conquest.

By OTTILIE A. LILLENCRANTZ, author of *The Trail of the Lucky*.  
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### CHAPTER XV.

#### What the Red Cloak Hid.

In the vault overhead blue had deepened into purple, and all the silver star-lamps had been hung out, their flames trembling unceasingly in the playing winds. By the soft light, the Jotun, who was striding across the Danish camp, saw a graceful boyish form leave the circle around the King's fire and join a group of mounted men waiting on the river bank, some fifty yards away.

"Ho there, Fridtjof!" he roared wrathfully.

The figure turned, and he had a fleeting glimpse of a hand waved in mocking farewell. Then the boy sprang into the saddle of a horse that one of the warriors was holding, and the whole band moved forward at a swinging pace.

"If you had waited a little, you would be less light on your feet," the Jotun growled as he strode on, striking his heels savagely upon the frosty ground.

"Where is the King?" he demanded, as soon as he had reached the ring of nobles sipping mead around the royal fire. Eric of Norway nodded toward the walled hut beneath the silken banner.

"In there; and I will give you this chain of my neck if you can guess what he is doing."

"It is likely that he is busy with messengers," Rothgar said with an accent of vexation. "I had hoped to reach him before he finished drinking, but there was a brawl among my men which—"

"He is playing chess," Eric said dryly.

"Chess!"

The Norwegian nodded as he swallowed. "Hear you ever anything to equal that? He has the appearance of

the bank now, where trees screened them from the camp-fires. Suddenly the young King made a leaping grab at a bough overhead and hung by it, looking down at his companion with the face of a mischievous boy.

"How joyfully you will take my answer! I have sent to Northampton for them. And I have bidden Elfgiva accompany them, with all her following of maids and lap-dogs and beardless boys."

As his foster-brother stood gazing at him in speechless dismay, he laughed maliciously. "Whose are your manners, partner, that you do not praise my foresight?"

"King," Rothgar said gravely, "is the truce going to last long enough to make it worth while to fetch those trinkets here?"

His laughter vanishing, the King came to earth in both senses of the phrase. "Now I do not know what you mean by that," he said. "You were with me on the island. You heard what was said. You heard that we made peace together to last the whole of our lives. Did you not hear that?"

Rothgar kicked a stone out of his way with impatient emphasis. "Oh, yes, I heard it. I heard also how you said that you would rather have the Englishman's friendship than his kingdom."

The eyebrows had drawn down into a frown rose ironically. "There is room in your breast for more sense. Rothgar, my brother, if you think, because I am forced into one lie, that I never speak the truth," he said. "We will not talk of it further. What are the words you have waiting for my ears?"

The Jotun's sudden frown quite eclipsed his eyes. "Now it becomes clear in my mind what you have sent your black-haired falcon down the

made him the most peremptory of gestures.

"No, wait! Wait, good brother! I will show you whether I offend you intentionally or not! It is—it is—the—the jest—" Again he became unintelligible.

Rothgar stopped, but it was to glower over his folded arms. "Because his womanish face has caught your fancy, you will neither blame him yourself nor allow others to make a fuss."

"That is where you are wrong," the King interrupted, with as much gravity as he could command. "When Fridtjof Frodeson comes again into your presence, I give you leave to take whatever revenge you like, and I promise that I will not lift finger to hinder you from it."

"And not hold it against me?" Rothgar demanded incredulously.

"And not hold it against you," Canute agreed. "Will you wager a finger-ring against my knife that your mind will not change when my ward stands again before you?"

The Jotun smiled grimly. "The wager shall be as you have made it; and may I lack strength if I do not deal with him—" He paused, blinking like a startled owl, as his royal foster-brother leaped to his feet and frosted him with shouts of laughter.

"You do it, you!" Canute cried. "Do you not see it yet? Frode's child is a woman!"

Rothgar's jaw dropped and his bulging eyes seemed in danger of following. "What!" he gasped; and then his voice rose to a roar. "And the Englishman is her lover?"

"You are wiser than I expected," the King laughed.

Stamping with rage, the Jotun hammered his huge fist upon a tree-trunk until bark flew in every direction. "King, I will give you every ring off my hand if you will give me leave to strangle her!"

"You remind me that I will take one of your rings now," Canute said, reaching out and opening the mallet-like fist that he might make his choice. Then, as he fitted on his prize and held it critically to the light, he added with more sympathy: "I will arrange for you a more profitable revenge than that. I will make a condition with Edmund that the Etchling's odal shall not be included in the land which is peace-holy, and that to ravage it shall not be looked upon as breaking the truce. Then can you betake yourself thither and sit down with your following, and have no one but yourself to blame if you fail a second time. Only—be thrust his knuckles suddenly between the other's ribs—"only, before we get serious over it, do at least give one laugh. Though she be Ran herself, the maiden has played an excellent joke upon you."

"I do not see how you make out that it is all upon me," Rothgar said sulkily. "You did not have the appearance of choking much on her stories."

The King seemed all at once to recover his dignity. "I will not deny that," he said gravely; "and have I not said that I expect to be angry about it presently? That she should dare to offer her King that lying story about her sister's death—" His face flushed as though he were remembering his emotion on receiving that same story; and his foster-brother's observation did not tend to mollify him.

"And not only to offer it," the son of Lodbrok chuckled, "but to cram it down his throat and make him swallow it."

Canute's heels also began to ring with ominous sharpness upon the frosty ground. "She must be Ran herself! Oh, you need not be afraid that I shall not get overbearing enough after I am started! Now, as I am a king, I will punish her in a way that she will like less than strangling! I tell you, her luck is great that she is not here to-night."

(To be continued.)

### A WOMAN OF RESOURCE.

Actress Had Her Way in Spite of Managerial Rules.

A story is going the rounds about how a prominent actress satisfied her post-season thirst while playing in a special production after her winter's engagement was over. The young artist is very well known to theatergoers, and for this reason her name will be omitted.

A special production in which she appeared made it necessary for her to wear high topped cavalry boots as a part of her costume. During the week which the show ran the weather happened to be quite warm. The management of the theater supplied the actors with ice water, but prohibited any of the members of the cast from taking stronger refreshments into the place.

This actress is quite resourceful, and soon hit upon a scheme that was most ingenious. She was stopping at a hotel within a square of the theater, and this enabled her to work out her plan successfully.

One night she went to the theater as usual, but after making up gave a great imitation of being horrified when she discovered that the cavalry boots had been left at the hotel. Summoning one of the attendants of the theater, she sent him after the boots, with instructions to bring them to her just as she found them. Her instructions were carried out, and after bestowing a grateful smile on the messenger he was allowed to depart, after depositing the boots in her dressing room.

As soon as the door was closed behind him the actress extracted from the depths of either boot, where she had placed them before leaving the hotel, a large, cool bottle of beer.

### THOMPSON & DUNDY'S NEW YORK HIPPODROME AND AMUSEMENT INSTITUTION.

At last New York is to have a great amusement resort worthy its immense population. Messrs. Thompson and Dundy, owners of Luna Park, are now building on the east side of Sixth Avenue, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, a mammoth hippodrome and amusement institution that will retain the general character of the great hippodrome of London while surpassing it in attractiveness. The New York Hippodrome will be thrown open to the public on December 15th. In interior design and general features the resort will be unlike anything ever seen in this country, or, for that matter, abroad. Two stupendous spectacular productions, each replete with surprises and presented with lavish disregard of cost will be features of every program. These great productions will have the advantage of costs greater in number than have ever before been seen anywhere. Each of the great productions will introduce merely as incidental diversions the world's greatest novelties gathered from all the corners of the earth, including the best circus acts, the most curious exhibits, and the world's greatest vaudeville celebrities. These spectacular productions, as a rule, will have dramatic themes. They will be plays of stirring romance to be shown in life-like realism, plays of royal courts to be shown in opulent pageants and princely splendor, plays of our everyday life and strange places in our own or some other country.

In addition to the great host of features, strange and curious, to be introduced in these spectacular productions, will be found in the hippodrome, two circus rings, each operated simultaneously. Two great stages also will be in constant use for the productions. Besides these unusual attractions a great pool will be found in the hippodrome on which at intervals will be presented interesting, instructive and amusing water pantomimes. Running either way from the center entrance of the hippodrome, on Sixth Avenue, will be found menageries comprising all the wild and tame animals of the earth in glass cages. The main stage of the hippodrome will be the largest in the world, so devised that a thousand people, including horses and other animals may be marched and counter-marched. The hippodrome will be open daily from 10 a. m. to 12 midnight. Stage performances will be given afternoon and night. The auditorium of the hippodrome will seat 5,200 persons. The program will be in two parts, each about an hour and a half long, with twenty minutes intermission. The building will cost \$1,200,000. Built of marble, steel and iron it will be fire-proof throughout. Prices will range from 25c to \$1.

To prevent ticket speculation, Messrs. Thompson and Dundy will have their own ticket sellers stationed about the entrance of the hippodrome to sell the best seats always at regular box office rates. Remember the opening date, December 15th.

### Production of Rubber.

The general impression prevails that rubber is a product like wheat or corn to be obtained from a given tree. The idea is quite erroneous. It has been estimated that 1,000 different species contain rubber, though commercial quantities have been obtained from only forty or fifty.

### Jews in New York.

According to the most authoritative estimates, there are now about 700,000 Jews in New York, the total population of which in 1903, as estimated by the census bureau, was 3,716,139. Perhaps the Jews may be about one-fifth of the present population.

### As to Eyebrows.

"I always look at a man's eyebrows before employing him," says a successful tradesman. "If they meet I know I am getting an active, shrewd, calculating, determined, ambitious and generally successful employe—one who will rise."

### To Grow Cotton in Africa.

Germany, following the course of the English and French cotton manufacturers, is agitating a movement to cultivate cotton in German Africa, with the idea of securing a source of supply independent of the American market.

### Loss Due to Fire.

A Birmingham, England, insurance office recently received a claim for compensation from a woman for the loss of a joint of meat which was burnt in the oven. She informed them that the loss was due to fire.

### Stones Churches Crumble.

In 700 years the stone work of three successive parish churches erected at Rowley Regis, Staffordshire, England, has crumbled away, and it has now been found necessary to erect a fourth church.

### Little Rheumatism in Japan.

Rheumatism is almost unknown in Japan. The Japanese escape the malady to a great degree by avoiding the excessive use of alcohol and tobacco.

### Paper Made from Refuse Hops.

The discovery has been made that good paper can be produced from the refuse hops that have hitherto been thrown away in breweries.

### Books Are Utilized.

The inhabitants of Mainz, Germany, are great readers. Of the 200,000 volumes in their library, 40,000 were used last year.

### Largest Serpent on Record.

The largest serpent ever measured was a Mexican anaconda, which was found to be 37 feet in length.



### Temperature of Churning.

Many a farmer's wife spoils her butter by churning at too high a temperature. The result is that the product of her churn is greasy and poor in quality and keeps for but a short time. Some people also put hot water into the cream to make the butter come quicker. The result of this rise in temperature is to destroy the grain and at the same time incorporate with the butter a great deal of casein, which is the part that goes to make the body of cheese. This butter is increased in quantity also by the incorporation of an unusual amount of water. If the butter is made when the temperature of the cream is at, say, 80 degrees, the kind of a butter will result that if it came under the eyes of United States dairy inspectors would be excluded from the market and the sellers thereof fined for selling butter with a water content above the legal 16 per cent. The woman that wants to make good butter must do her churning when the cream is at a temperature of not above 65 degrees. It would be better to churn at as low as fifty degrees, but this is rather hard for people that have to churn by hand. The people that try to work the so-called two-minute churns frequently have to raise the temperature of the cream to about 80 degrees before getting the results that have been advertised. That is, the time of churning is regulated to some extent by the temperature. Every maker of butter should have a thermometer. One can be purchased for twenty cents, and, this being the case, there is no reason why every person should not have the advantage of knowing the temperature of their cream at churning time.

### Cream in the Pantry.

It is common in our farm houses to set the cream in the pantry or in the cellarway, where all kinds of food are also kept. It is safe to say that cream cannot be set in such places and give good butter. Some people may like butter that tastes of doughnuts, pies, cookies, limburger cheese, onions, celery, cloves, cinnamon, oranges, apples and the like, but most people like to have the aroma that belongs to butter rather than to the pantry. Probably the one greatest obstacle to getting good flavor in farm-made butter is this one of the setting of milk to rise in the pantry. It is such a firmly settled custom that it will be with difficulty broken up, in spite of the fact that much such butter has to be sold to the poorest market and at not above ten cents per pound. The nose of the housewife is so accustomed to the smells of the pantry that she never thinks of them when she is putting her milk away to undergo the process of cream raising. Cream in the pantry should be abolished, and in its place should come cream in the cream room, a place set aside for this operation and sealed against the entrance of all odors that will give the butter a disagreeable taste. The woman that does that is very likely to get a great reputation as a maker of fine butter.

### Wheat Bran For Milk Making.

Men frequently misjudge the value of feeds by their density. Thus there is a strong opinion among farmers that cornmeal is better for milk making than bran. It is heavy and has a beautiful color and the cow owner associates it with rich cream. But the fact is, bran is, in the main, more valuable for milk making than is cornmeal, in spite of the attractive appearance of cornmeal. The stomach of the cow is better suited to take care of bran than of cornmeal, because it is more bulky. The cow was made for the purpose of using up just such waste products as bran would be without farm animals to consume it. And bran cannot be judged by its lightness. The question of using or not using bran is one that must be decided on its price, compared with the prices of other like feeds. At the same price as corn it is far more profitable to be used for the making of milk. Its protein content is high, but not so high that the digestive apparatus of the animals will be injured by it. American farmers should not permit a pound of bran to go across the waters, but should buy and feed every pound of it, thus not only making the profit that may be made out of it, but saving the fertility for their land; for the fertilizing qualities of bran are considerable.

### Old Fashioned.

But Still in the Fashion.

It is an ever new and interesting story to hear how one can be entirely made over by change of food.

"For two years I was troubled with what my physician said was the old fashioned dyspepsia.

"There was nothing I could eat but 20 or 30 minutes later I would be spitting my food up in quantities until I would be very faint and weak. This went out from day to day until I was terribly wasted away and without any prospect of being helped.

"One day I was advised by an old lady to try Grape-Nuts and cream leaving off all fatty food. I had no confidence that Grape-Nuts would do all she said for me as I had tried so many things without any help, but it was so simple I thought I would give it a trial she insisted so.

"Well I ate some for breakfast and pretty soon the lady called to see her 'patient' as she called me and asked if I had tried her advice.

"Glad you did child, do you feel some better?"

"No," I said, "I do not know as I do, the only difference I can see is I have no sour stomach and come to think of it I haven't spit up your four teaspoons of Grape-Nuts yet."

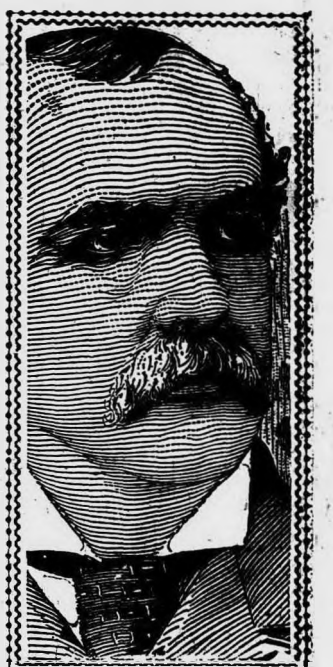
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### Law Against Football.

On the statute book of Scotland is still an act passed in 1424, ordering that "na man play at futball" because it is "esteemed to be unprofitable sport for the common good of the realm and defence thereof." There is also a statute against alien immigration, passed in 1426, and authorizing "all his majesty's good subjects" to "take, apprehend, imprison and execute to death the said Egyptians (Gypsies), either men or women."

### Mystery of the Rain Tree.

The mystery of the rain tree of the Canaries is a cloud that hovers about it constantly; this is condensed to water, which saturates the leaves and, falling from them in constant drops, keeps the cisterns which are in excavation beneath them always full of water.

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Before the sudden fury of the onslaught, Edmund gave back a pace.

a boy who has been released from a loss. Whether he is mad, or be witched, or feigning like Amleth, it is not easy to tell.

"I do not think it is any of these," Rothgar said slowly. "I think it is because he likes it so well that he has got peace in which to amuse himself. Sooner would he hunt than fight, any day; and I have often seen him express pleasure in this manner."

The Norwegian plunged again into the general discussion; and the son of Lodbrok stood listening discontentedly, while he kept a sharp watch of the low-browed entrance.

Presently his patience was rewarded. Within the hut there arose all at once a duet of voices, half angrily accusing, half laughingly protesting. Then the chessboard came flying through the doorway, followed by a handful of chessmen and the person of the big good-natured Jarl, still uttering his laughing protests. And finally Canute himself stood under the lintel, storming through his laughter.

"Blockhead, that you cannot keep your thoughts on what you are doing! One might expect as good a game from the tumbler's dog. You deserve—"

"To lose the honor of playing with the King," the Jotun broke in, making a long step forward. "Be so good as to allow me to take his place, lord. I have some words for your ear which are worth a hearing."

"Rothgar!" the King exclaimed with great cordiality, and stepped from the doorway to meet him. "Willingly do I make the change, for I have been wishing to speak with you this last hour. I have thought of a fine plan for to-morrow's sport." Laying his arm boy-fashion across his foster-brother's shoulders, he swung him around toward the river.

"But we will not go in there to do our talking. We will walk along the shore. To-night I feel as though I could walk to the rainbow bridge."

As they strolled beside the moonlit water, the son of Lodbrok listened in secret amazement to the string of plans that unfolded itself—hunts and horse races, swimming matches and fishing trips.

"But where will you get the fishing tackle, lord? And the hawks and the hounds for all that," he ventured presently.

wind after—to carry your order to Northampton?"

"Certainly it is," Canute assented. "But why is your voice so bitter when you speak of him?"

"Because I have just found out that he is a fox," Rothgar bellowed. "Because it has been borne in upon me that he has played me a foul trick, by which I lost property that was already under my hands."

"It is not possible!" Canute ejaculated. "He looks to be as truthful as Baider."

Rothgar uttered his favorite grunt. "Never did I hear that Loke had crooked eyes or a tusk, and black hair grows on both of them. I tell you, I know it for certain. I have just been to find the English serf who became my man after Brentford; and he has told me what he says he tried to tell the night before we left Ivarshale, but no one would listen to him without pounding him—that the servant-maid, who informed him concerning the provision house, spoke also of a Danish page her lord had, whom he treated with such great love that it was commonly said he was bewitched. And before that, when the brat was telling you how the Englishman had saved him from Norman's sword, it occurred to me that he talked more as a woman talks of her lover than as a man speaks of his foe."

"May the gallows take my body!" the King breathed. And he sat down upon a grassy hummock as suddenly as though a rock had been thrown at him that knocked the legs from under him.

Meanwhile the son of Lodbrok strode to and fro, declaiming wrathfully. "There is not an honest bone in the imp's body," he wound up. "It is certainly my belief that he was in league with the Englishman; and his freedom was the reward he got for drawing me off."

"Certainly you are a very shrewd man," Canute murmured. But something in his voice did not stand firm; his foster-brother darted him a keen glance. His suspicions were well founded. Canute's face was crimson with laughter; he was biting his lips frantically to hold back his mirth. The temper of the son of Lodbrok left him in one inarticulate snarl. Turning on his heel, he would have stalked away if the king had not





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**Purloins Original National Air.** Somebody has stolen from the Royal Library of Belgium the original manuscript of the "Brabanconne," the national air of Belgium, which was composed in 1830 by Jeneval and Van Campenbout.

**Care of the Hair.** It is now generally agreed that many of the shampoos in use are injurious to the hair. The best treatment is frequent brushing and absolute cleanliness. Wash the hair in a lather of Ivory Soap suds and rinse thoroughly. Let the last water be cool as it closes the pores of the skin and prevents colds.  
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**CALL THE SULTAN.**

Fired of Turkish Delay, the U. S. Will Hurry Up the Sultan.

Acting on the request of the state department, the secretary of the navy was ordered Rear Admiral Jewell, commanding the European squadron, immediately to proceed with his fleet to Smyrna. This action, it is admitted in official circles, means that a naval demonstration is to be made against Turkey. The European squadron consists of the Olympia, Baltimore and Cleveland.

The president and Secretary Hay held a consultation after receiving word from Minister Leishman that he had failed to induce the sultan to make concessions to Americans traveling in Turkey, which they were entitled to under the treaties, and in the matter of establishing schools and other institutions in the Turkish empire, a right accorded to other nations.

Turkey has been dilly dallying for about two years with the United States. During that time Mr. Leishman has requested the sultan to grant to American citizens in Turkey the same rights and privileges that citizens of other nations possess, to abolish discriminations against American educational and religious institutions in Turkey and to pay to naturalized American citizens indemnity for outrages suffered in the Ottoman empire.

Not only is it considered that Turkey has insulted the United States and should be brought up with a sharp turn on that account, but she has humiliated this country in the eyes of other powers which have learned long since to place no reliance upon the promises of the Turk. To put off decisive steps any longer would be in the eyes of the administration a confession of timidity, and so the cruisers were ordered to sail to Turkey.

**AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.**

Week Ending Aug. 20.  
TEMPLE THEATRE—Lands—Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50c.  
WHITNEY THEATRE—"On the Swane River"—Matinees, 10c, 15c, 25c; Evenings, 10c, 25c, 50c.

**STEAMERS LEAVING DETROIT.**

Standard Time.  
W. H. STAR LINE—Foot of Griswold St. Boats for Port Huron and was ports daily at 8:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. For Toledo at 4:30 p. m. Leave Port Huron for Detroit 9:30 a. m., 3:15 p. m. DETROIT & BURLINGTON CO.—Foot of Wayne Street: for Buffalo daily at 4:00 p. m. DETROIT & CLEVELAND NAV. CO.: Foot Wayne St.: for Cleveland daily 9:30 a. m. and 10:30 p. m. For Mackinac, Monday and Saturday 5:00 a. m.; Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a. m.

**THE MARKETS.**

**LIVE STOCK.**

Detroit—Heavy run of cattle, with the market 40 to 50c lower on most all grades and very dull. We quote: Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$3 75@4 50; good steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$3 50@4 25; common cows, \$2 @2 50; canners, \$1 25@1 75; choice heavy bulls, \$3 @3 50; fair to good bologna bulls, \$2 50@3; stock bulls, \$2 @2 50; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$3 25@3 75; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$2 75@3; choice stockers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$2 75@3 25; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$2 25 @2 75; stock heifers, \$2 @2 50; milkers, large, young, medium, \$3 50@4 25; common milkers, \$1 50@2 25. Veal calves—Best grades, \$5 75@6 50; others, \$3 75 @5 50.  
Hogs—Light to good butchers, \$5 45 @5 80; pigs and light Yorkers, \$5 40 @5 45; roughs, \$4 50@5; stags one-third off.  
Sheep—Best lambs, \$6; fair to good lambs, \$5 50@5 75; light to common lambs, \$5 @5 25; yearlings, \$3 50@4 4; fair to good butchers, \$4 @3 50; culls and common, \$2 @2 50.

Chicago—Good to prime steers, \$5 25 @5 50; poor to medium, \$4 50; stockers and feeders, \$2 @2 50; cows, \$1 25@1 40; heifers, \$2 @2 45; canners, \$1 50@1 40; bulls, \$2 @1 15; calves, \$2 50@3; Texas fat steers, \$3 75@4 50; western steers, \$3 25@4.  
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5 25 @5 50; pig and heavy, \$4 80@5 20; light, \$5 25 @5 55; bulk of sales at \$5 20 @5 35.  
Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$3 55 @4 15; fair to choice mixed, \$2 @2 75; native lambs, \$4 @4 75.

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$5.60@6; a few prime, \$6.25; best 1,200 to 1,300 lb shipping steers, \$4.50@5; good 1,050 to 1,100 lb butcher steers, \$4 @4.25; 900 to 1,000 lb do, \$3.75@4; best fat cows, \$3 @3.50; fair to good, \$2.75@3; trimmers, \$1 @1.50; best fat heifers, dry fed, \$4 @4.25; medium heifers, \$3.25 @3.50; fat 1000 lbs, \$3 @3.25; common stock heifers, \$2.50@3; best feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lb, dehorned, \$3.55@3.90; best yearling steers, \$3 @3.25; common stockers, \$2.50@3; export bulls, \$2.25@4; bologna bulls, \$3 @3.25; little Jersey bulls, \$2.50@3.  
Hogs—Heavy, \$5.55@5.65; medium, \$5.60@5.70; yorkers, \$5.90@6; pigs, \$6 @6.20.  
Sheep—Best lambs, \$6 @6.25; fair to good, \$5.50@6; culls and common, \$4.25 @4.75; mixed sheep, \$4 @4.25; fair to good, \$3 @3.40; culls and bucks, \$2 @2.25; yearlings, \$4.75@5. Best calves, \$6.50@7; fair to good, \$5.50@6; heavy, \$3.50@4.

Grain, Etc.  
Chicago—Cash quotations: No. 3 spring wheat, \$1 02@1 03; No. 2, 93c @1 01; No. 2 red, 95c @99c; No. 2 corn, 52c; No. 2 yellow, 53c @54c; No. 2 oats, 24c @24 1/2c; No. 2 white, 25c @27c; new, No. 3 white, 35c @37 1/2c; No. 2 rye, 64c; good feeding barley, 35c; fair to choice maling, 42 @45c.

Detroit—Wheat—No. 1 white, \$1; No. 2 red, spot, 2 cars at 98 1/2c, 2 cars at 99 1/2c, closing nominal at \$1; August, 5,000 bu at 97 1/2c, 5,000 bu at 98c, 5,000 bu at 98 1/2c, 10,000 bu at 98 1/2c, 15,000 bu at 98c, 10,000 bu at 98 1/2c, 20,000 bu at 98c, 5,000 bu at 98 1/2c, 2,000 bu at \$1; December, 10,000 bu at 98 1/2c, 5,000 bu at 98 1/2c, 10,000 bu at 99c, 15,000 bu at 99 1/2c, 5,000 bu at 99 1/2c, 20,000 bu at \$1, 10,000 bu at \$1 01 1/2c, 10,000 bu at \$1 01; May, 10,000 bu at \$1 02 1/2; No. 3 red, 96c; by sample, 1 car at 95c, 1 car at 95c per bu.  
Corn—No. 3 mixed, 52c bid; No. 3 yellow, 55c per bu; No. 2 white, spot, 1 car at 43 1/2c; do August, 13,000 bu at 25c; September, 34 1/2c nominal; by sample, 1 car, new, at 35c per bu.

John Harper, former president of Victor Miners' union, and late manager of the Miners' union store in Victor, Col., one of the band of deported unionists who returned to the camp, has been seized at his home by a party of masked men and driven out of the district.

The body of John Hascoe, aged 18, son of Capt. Thomas Hascoe, of the Republic mine, who went berrying on Wednesday, was found in Michiganame river, above the village, in about eight feet of water. It is supposed he became bewildered and fatigued and succumbed to the heat.

**WITH THE COST OF WAR**

What Might Be Done for the Uplifting of the World.

"Give me the money," says a recent speculative philosopher, "that has been spent in war and I will purchase every foot of land on the globe. I will clothe every man woman and child in an attire of which kings and queens would be proud. I will build school houses on every hillside and in every valley over the whole earth; I will build an academy in every town and endow it, a college in every state and fill it with able professors; I will crown every hill with a place of worship consecrated to the promulgation of peace; I will support in every pulp it an able teacher of righteousness, so that on every Sabbath morning the chime on one hill shall answer to the chime on another around the earth's wide circumference, and the voice of prayer and the song of praise should ascend like a universal holocaust to heaven."

**Founding of Tammany Society.**  
The Tammany Society was formed in New York in 1789, chiefly through the efforts of William Mooney, an upholsterer in New York city, its first grand sachem, to oppose the Federalists.

**Still More Evidence.**

Bay City, Ill., August 8 (Special).—Mr. K. F. Henley of this city adds his evidence to that published almost daily that a sure cure for Rheumatism is now before the American people and that that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Henley had Acute Rheumatism. He has used Dodd's Kidney Pills. He says of the result: "After suffering for sixteen years with Rheumatism and using numerous medicines for Rheumatism and more medicines prescribed by doctors, I at last tried Dodd's Kidney Pills with the result that I got more benefit from them than all the others put together."

"Dodd's Kidney Pills were the only thing to give me relief, and I recommend them to all suffering from Acute Rheumatism."  
Rheumatism is caused by Uric Acid in the blood. Healthy kidneys take all the Uric Acid out of the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills make healthy kidneys.

The eating of fruit which is neither green nor over-ripe, combined with the drinking of plenty of pure water, is a great thing for anybody.

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I, CLARA CONROY, Notary Public, do hereby certify that FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is a resident partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1904.  
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Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Swollen, Hot, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

In Great Britain there are 155 women commercial travelers on the road.

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

The Siberian sable, unless protected by law, will soon be extinct.

**Fine Gift to Library.**

The president of the Heidelberg Chamber of Commerce has just made to the University Library there a gift which is not only eminently worthy of that historic seat of learning, but fully in harmony with the rich halo of tradition encircling it. The gift is composed of a probably unique collection of Arab papyri, numbering about one thousand pieces, some of them going back to the first year of the Hejira. Several of them throw quite a new light on the Saracen domination in Egypt. But the most interesting of all is a curious biography of Mahomet himself.—London Globe.

**World's Champion Weight Carrier.**

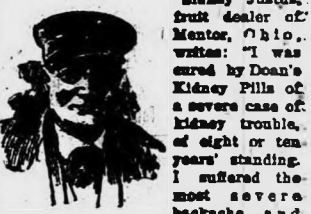
The Armenian porters of Constantinople are believed to be the champion weight carriers of the world. They have been known for centuries as "hamals"—i. e., camels. But while a camel is heavily burdened at 200 pounds for a day's march, these men, according to general belief, quoted in Curzon's "Armenia," will carry for a short distance, probably from ship to shore, as much as 600 pounds. There is a well-attested story of a "hamal" having been seen in the streets of Constantinople with a grand piano on his back.

**"Jobbery" in British Army.**

According to a British officer the Boer war "was productive of more jobs than any of Marlborough's campaigns." Another British soldier is quoted as saying: "If you want to get on in the service leave your regiment first; then get your aunt to call on Lady — and give her a thumping subscription for one of her charities, and the thing is done."

**AN OLD MAN'S TRIUMPH.**

An Ohio Fruit Raiser, 78 Years Old, Cured of a Terrible Case After Ten Years of Suffering.



Sidney Justus, fruit dealer of Mentor, Ohio, writes: "I was cured by Doan's Kidney Pills of a severe case of kidney trouble, of eight or ten years' standing. I suffered the most severe backache and other pains in the region of the kidneys. These were especially severe when stooping to lift anything and often I could hardly straighten my back. The aching was bad in the day time, but just as bad at night, and I was always lame in the morning. I was bothered with rheumatic pains and dropsical swelling of the feet. The urinary passages were painful and the secretions were discolored and so free that often I had to rise at night. I felt tired all day. Half a box served to relieve me, and three boxes effected a permanent cure."

A TRIAL FREE—Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price 50c.

No Wrinkles in the Photos. A German photographer, Kunwald, when taking a picture of a lady of doubtful age places sheets of collodion between the negative and the printing paper, thus producing a very softening effect which hides the discrepancies of age.

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**Department of Agriculture.**  
While it is universally admitted that the administration of the Department of Agriculture is probably the most effective in the world, it is interesting to note that this service costs the nation far less than that of other countries. A German paper states that Russia expends annually for this purpose as much as the United States and France, Austria and Hungary about \$8,500,000 each, while America spends but \$6,000,000.

**Loses Reason, but Not Wealth.**  
Some years ago a very wealthy man in England got it into his head that he had lost all his money. To pacify him his sons told him that they had saved the remnants of the estate and were able to offer him employment as a clerk. At \$7.50 a week he worked as happy as a prince for the last twenty years of his life. When he died his estate amounted to nearly \$15,000,000.

**Why Sand Sometimes Sings.**  
Singing sands are composed of well-rounded and polished grains of fairly uniform size, quite free from dust and small particles. They "sing" when struck or subjected to friction. Their sounds are varied, according to the nature of the friction and the quantity of sand. A tingling sensation is often felt by those who walk over them.

**One Way of Keeping Men Busy.**  
The institution of labor colonies has now been tried in Belgium for ten years and is found a useful means of coping with the difficulties of employing the idle and inefficient, as well as the professional beggar and the bad character. There are almost 8,000 persons employed in the government colonies.

**Odors Travel Far.**  
"The odor of the balsam-yielding humerades," says a traveler, "has been perceived at a distance of three miles from the shores of South America. A species of tetracera sends its perfume as far from the island of Cuba. And the aroma of the spice island is wafted out to sea."

**Truly a Friend in Great Need.**  
The traveler's tree of Madagascar resembles a huge fan with an unwieldy handle. In the dry season the traveler or domiciled native has but to pierce one of these trees just at the point where the fanlike crest has its beginning and out will flow copiously pure, fresh water.

**Doctor's Graded Fees.**  
Discussion by London newspapers of doctors' fees has brought to light some curious information. "I know a man," one doctor is quoted as saying, "who has a guinea practice in Harley street, a 5-shilling practice in Kensington and a sixpenny practice in Seven Dials."

**Millions of Printed Books.**  
Paul Otlet, the secretary of the Brussels International Bibliographic Institute, estimates the number of printed books since the invention of printing to January, 1900, at 12,163,000 works, and the number of periodicals at between 15,000,000 and 18,000,000.

**Inhabitants of Claro.**  
The inhabitants of Claro, a Swiss village, met in general assembly and passed a resolution informing the ecclesiastical authorities that they (the villagers) would become free-thinkers unless the village cure, who was unpopular, should be removed.

**Difference in Bacilli.**  
In consequence of the discovery by Prof. Schroen that the bacillus of consumption is not the same as that of tuberculosis, it is held in German medical circles that the present treatment of consumption will be radically changed.

**"Skipping Tea."**  
"Skipping teas," to which guests of both sexes and all ages must bring their own skipping ropes, are mentioned in the columns of the Lady, a London fashion paper. Skipping is to be the fashionable "cure."

**Congenial Work.**  
Concentration, system, correct methods, muscle, self-control, backbone and, above all, a kind of work that will inspire me to do my best are what I am hunting for.—Earl M. Pratt.

**Electricity for Vegetables.**  
Dr. Sellm Lem Strom, a German scientist, says that by means of electricity it is possible to force fruit and vegetables to twice their ordinary size.

**Sun Fires Window Blinds.**  
The window blinds in four shops in an Edinburgh street were set on fire recently by the sun's rays. The fire brigade had to be summoned.

**Wire to Nigeria.**  
Old Calabar, the headquarters of the Southern Nigeria government, has just been connected by telegraph with England.

**No Newspapers in Morocco.**  
Morocco is the most important state that is absolutely without a newspaper.

**Midst Japanese Soldiers.**  
The average Japanese soldier is not more than 5 feet 4 inches high.

**TIMBER LANDS OF MEXICO.**  
Immensely Valuable Tracts Still Standing in That Country.  
The depletion of forests in the United States is the cause for the recent attention which has been given to timber lands in Mexico. This country has vast tracts of valuable timber which only await the advent of the railroads to make them of enormous commercial value. In the southern part of the republic the hard woods, such as mahogany, ebony and cedar, have long been exploited and the supply is growing very limited within the access of transportation facilities. Large forests of such timber still exist, however, in the more remote sections. In the central and northern parts of the republic there are large tracts of soft pine, oak and miscellaneous varieties, especially on the western slope of the central mountain range, where there are as yet almost no transportation facilities, and along a wide strip of land extending westward from the gulf coast.

**BEGINNING OF NOTABLE ELM.**  
Fine Tree From Slip Planted by Revolutionary Hero.  
A magnificent elm tree on the Walter Wellington estate, in the east part of Lexington, dates from 1781, and was planted by the father of Jonathan Harrington, who was a small drummer boy in the revolutionary war. The boy's father was a farmer and sold his produce in Salem. On returning home from market one day the horse was weary and lagging in his gait; so to urge him along Farmer Harrington plucked a small sapling elm from the roadside to encourage a swifter gait. When he got home the sapling was so straight and evidently alive that he put it in the ground. The sapling has become the great tree that attracts notice for its size and fine proportions by every sightseer who comes to this historic town.—Boston Transcript.

**Gondolas and Gondoliers.**  
A tourist writes: "Like most characteristic objects appertaining to Venice, the gondola is suitable to the place. Even as the hansom cab suits London or the rickshaw suits Japan or the jaunting car suits Ireland, so the gondola is the vessel for Venice. You cannot separate the lagoon from the gondola. One completes the other." The gondolier is a man given to merry oaths and imprecations, of which the most terrible is "Thy saint is a rascal who does not know how to make a decent miracle." The gondoliers are not as much given as they used to be to the singing of the sonorous verses of Tasso by moonlight in their musical patois. Occasionally an outburst of melody is secured by a traveler's coins and there is always singing, playing and dancing at the inevitable festa.

**Privileged Guest.**  
Of a prominent lecturer of London an acquaintance says: "On one occasion he was the guest of a friend of mine, a busy Liverpool merchant, and when the popular lecturer returned from the hall he asked for all sorts of impossible dishes and liquid concoctions peculiar to abstainers—a demand which somewhat upset the routine of the household. When in bed his nervous temperament was tried; he could not bear the ticking of the clock, so he paraded the house in the small hours of the morning and stopped them all. In consequence of this the servants had to be roused by violent bell-ringing; but the guest was not to be distressed, so he arose again and ordered the servants back to their rooms and locked them in and then went back to bed."

**A Touch of Nature.**  
When first the crocus thrusts its point of gold  
Up through the still snow-dusted garden mold,  
And folded green things in dim woods unclose  
Their crinkled spears, a sudden tremor goes  
Into my veins and makes me kith and kin  
To every wild-born thing that thrills and blows.  
Sitting beside this crumpling sea-coal fire,  
Here in the city's ceaseless roar and din,  
Far from the brambly paths I used to know,  
Far from the rustling brooks that slip and shine  
Where the Neponset siders take their glow,  
I share the tremulous sense of bud and brier  
And inarticulate ardors of the vine.  
—Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

**Only One at Home.**  
Phillip Verrill Mighels, the writer, being in London not long ago, informed Mrs. Mighels one morning that he had several errands and would not be back for several hours. He was going to see a lawyer, a doctor, and a literary agent, and after his business was attended to, he would gratify an old wish of his and go to see Goldsmith's grave. After a very brief period, to Mrs. Mighel's surprise, he returned. "Why," exclaimed his wife, "how did you accomplish so much in such a short time?" "Because," said Mr. Mighels, "the lawyer, the doctor and the literary agent were all out. The only one in was Goldsmith."

**Reindeer Valuable Mail Carriers.**  
The capacity of the reindeer for team work is remarkable. His hoofs are very broad and do not penetrate the snow crusts. His average weight is about 400 pounds. He will swiftly draw a sled carrying 600 pounds, and with this load can cover thirty, fifty, and even ninety miles a day. The reindeer teams now carry the mails from Kotzebue to Point Barrow, a distance of 650 miles—the most northerly post route in the world. No food is carried for the deer.

**Largest Serpent on Record.**  
The largest serpent ever measured was a Mexican anaconda, which was found to be 37 feet in length.

**The Thinking Cap.**  
When an enemy speaks ill of you, do not let anybody will believe him.

**Bicyclist Bumps a Deer.**  
Sporting items from Caribou: A boy by the name of Pelkey, while riding down from Van Buren on a bicycle Tuesday, took a "header" from a very unusual cause. While coming down a hill he ran into a deer, smashing the wheel and throwing him several feet. The deer escaped without injury so far as known, at least it made its way into the woods, but the boy and wheel weren't so lucky.—Lewiston Journal.

**Public Labor Exchanges.**  
France is going to try the experiment of suppressing paying employment agencies and to conduct a public labor exchange in connection with the local municipal government, a register setting forth the offers and demands for work and situations to be maintained at the mayor's office in each community of less than 10,000 inhabitants, and larger communes are to conduct free municipal agencies.

**Factories for Mexico.**  
Mexico is bidding for industries and she is getting them on a large scale. Great factories are being erected in every part of the republic and their products are being protected by the laws of the country. Hundreds of thousands of people who were once idle have learned to work in the mills and factories which have been started.

**Odorous Flowers.**  
The majority of flowers have no perfume whatever. A chemist, who has for some time been making researches into the subject, declares that out of 4,110 varieties known and cultivated in Europe, scarcely 400 have any odor, and of these nearly fifty have an odor which is, if anything, disagreeable.

**Origin of Golden Bee Emblem.**  
It is said that when the tomb of Chikeric, a king of the first Frankish dynasty in the fifth century, was opened in the seventeenth century hundreds of golden bees were found in it. So when the French empire was established the golden bee was adopted as one of its emblems.

**Modern Foot is Smaller.**  
It is asserted by a sculptor that the human foot is becoming smaller. The masculine foot of twenty centuries ago was about twelve inches long. The average man's foot of to-day is easily fitted with a No. 8½ shoe, which is not above ten inches and seven-sixteenths in length.

**Production of Rubber.**  
The general impression prevails that rubber is a product like wheat or corn to be obtained from a given tree. The idea is quite erroneous. It has been estimated that 1,000 different species contain rubber, though commercial quantities have been obtained from only forty or fifty.

**Jews in New York.**  
According to the most authoritative estimates, there are now about 700,000 Jews in New York, the total population of which in 1903, as estimated by the census bureau, was 3,716,139. Perhaps the Jews may be about one-fifth of the present population.

**As to Eyebrows.**  
"I always look at a man's eyebrows before employing him," says a successful tradesman. "If they meet I know I am getting an active, shrewd, calculating, determined, ambitious and generally successful employe—one who will rise."

**To Grow Cotton in Africa.**  
Germany, following the course of the English and French cotton manufacturers, is agitating a movement to cultivate cotton in German Africa, with the idea of securing a source of supply independent of the American market.

**Loss Due to Fire.**  
A Birmingham, England, insurance office recently received a claim for compensation from a woman for the loss of a joint of meat which was burnt in the oven. She informed them that the loss was due to fire.

**Stone Churches Crumble.**  
In 700 years the stone work of three successive parish churches erected at Rowley Regis, Staffordshire, England, has crumbled away, and it has now been found necessary to erect a fourth church.

**Little Rheumatism in Japan.**  
Rheumatism is almost unknown in Japan. The Japanese escape the malady to a great degree by avoiding the excessive use of alcohol and tobacco.

**Paper Made from Refuse Hops.**  
The discovery has been made that good paper can be produced from the refuse hops that have hitherto been thrown away in breweries.

**Books Are Utilized.**  
The inhabitants of Mainz, Germany, are great readers. Of the 200,000 volumes in their library, 40,000 were used last year.

**Largest Serpent on Record.**  
The largest serpent ever measured was a Mexican anaconda, which was found to be 37 feet in length.

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 14th.  
Train will leave Plymouth at 9:25 a. m. See posters, or ask agents for particulars.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 22nd.  
Train will leave Plymouth at 7:55 a. m. RATE, \$1.00.  
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FLINT, " 1.00  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 21.  
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DETROIT, RATE 25c.  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 14th.  
Train will leave Plymouth at 9:40 and 11:10 a. m. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

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Round trip tickets will be sold at all stations, and via different routes, as desired. Dates of sale, Aug. 12, 13 and 14; good for return trip until Aug. 20, with extension of limit, if desired, to Sept. 30. Through tourist sleeping car from Detroit. For rates and reservations apply to local agents or write W. C. Britton, D. P. A., Saginaw, H. J. Gray, D. P. A., Grand Rapids, or H. F. Moeller, G. P. A., Detroit.

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5:50	5:59	6:15	6:15	6:23	6:40	7:15	7:15
8:54	8:54	9:15	9:15	9:23	9:40	9:15	9:15
9:15	9:15	9:35	9:35	9:43	9:40	10:15	10:15
9:35	9:35	9:55	9:55	10:03	10:10	10:45	10:45
10:15	10:15	10:35	10:35	10:43	10:40	11:15	11:15
11:15	11:15	11:35	11:35	11:43	11:40	12:15	12:15
12:15	12:15	12:35	12:35	12:43	12:40	1:15	1:15
1:15	1:15	1:35	1:35	1:43	1:40	2:15	2:15
2:15	2:15	2:35	2:35	2:43	2:40	3:15	3:15
3:15	3:15	3:35	3:35	3:43	3:40	4:15	4:15
4:15	4:15	4:35	4:35	4:43	4:40	5:15	5:15
5:15	5:15	5:35	5:35	5:43	5:40	6:15	6:15
6:15	6:15	6:35	6:35	6:43	6:40	7:15	7:15
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11:15	11:15	11:35	11:35	11:43	11:40	12:15	12:15
12:15	12:15	12:35	12:35	12:43	12:40	1:15	1:15

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Train No. 2 leaves Bainbridge 6:00 a. m., Springfield 6:35, Lima 10:55, a. m., Adrian 2:07 p. m., Dundee 3:00 p. m., Trenton 4:04 p. m., arrive Detroit 4:50 p. m.  
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