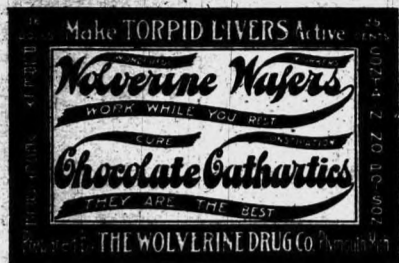


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PERRINSVILLE.

Mrs. Anna Wolf is on the sick list. Dr. Tupper of Sand Hill is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rathbone of Plymouth visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Meldrum last Sunday.

Miss Mable Lyle, who has been staying with her sister Mrs. Wade of Pontiac, has returned home, her little nephew Earl returning with her.

Mrs. Mary Bullen and daughter Anna of Caro visited the former's sisters, Mrs. Tait and Mrs. Oliver, a few days. Their father, Mr. Speck, has been visiting here the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hanchett of Plymouth visited their son Arthur last Sunday.

Mrs. Tina Keglra was in Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. Norton visited her daughter Mrs. Klumph of Northville a few days last week.

Mrs. Edie Robinson was in Detroit last Friday.

Jerome Stephenson visited his brother A. R. Stephenson, a couple of days this week.

LIVONIA CENTER.

Our fever patient, Mr. Vanbuskirk, who was reported better last week, passed away Friday. It is a great blow to the family and also to the neighborhood, as he was very much respected here. The body was shipped to Tiffin, Ohio, on Sunday for burial, that being his old home.

E. C. Leach, and John Wilcox of Plymouth called on Center friends Saturday.

Several of the cemetery society ladies took dinner with Mrs. Josephine Smith Thursday.

Grace Peck of Detroit was home over Sunday.

Mr. Leece, father of Mrs. Vanbuskirk, was here for a few days' visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tuck visited at the Garchow home Sunday.

Mrs. Pitt Everett called on Center friends Monday.

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Woman's Literary Club.

The Woman's Literary Club held its first regular meeting Oct. 5, 1906, in the parlors of the Presbyterian church. In the absence of the President, the meeting was presided over by the first vice, Mrs. S. O. Hudd, with 15 active and 5 associate members present.

The program was in charge of the first division, with Mrs. Frank Shattuck as leader. The map study of China and the eighteen Provinces were presented with much ease and grace, also with much benefit to the club by Mrs. Frank Shattuck. Origin of Chinese race to come later.

Mrs. Wm Travis gave us some word pictures of the unsanitary conditions of some of the meat packing houses in Chicago; also some of the miracles that have been wrought through the meat inspection bill. At the close of the program on motion we adjourned to meet Oct. 19.—Sec'y.

Cassius R. Benton of Northville and Henry Ford and Edward N. Hines of Detroit constitute the board of Wayne county road commissioners, named under the authority of the good roads scheme endorsed at the recent primaries. Benton and Ford were named by the county clerk and Hines by Mayor Codd. The first work of the board, of which Benton is chairman, was to have Highway Commissioner Earle take up with the D. U. R. the matter of giving up its toll franchise on the Grand River road.

A Young Mother at 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, and six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets stomach, liver and kidneys right, purifies the blood and cures malaria, biliousness and weakness. Wonderful nerve tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by The Wolverine Drug Co. and John L. Gale.

Who Pays the Piper?

Detroit Free Press: The purely arbitrary nature of the increase in fire insurance rates on down-town property in Detroit would make it irksome, even if justification could be found for it. The reduction of Detroit to the second class of risks and the raise in the rates, being accomplished by a monopolistic combine without any hindrance on the part of the state insurance commissioner, does not require justification. Insurance can be had only according to the new schedule. The mere matter of such operations being illegal does not seem to make any difference as to effectiveness in Michigan. It was entirely superfluous for the local inspection bureau to accompany the elevation of the rates with an explanation whatever, but as a gratuity the explanation is given. Detroit must help to recoup the insurance companies for their San Francisco losses.

The merchants on Woodward avenue and surrounding business streets must pay 25 per cent higher premium, in some instances 50 per cent higher on stocks, in order to pay the losses of the insurance companies in San Francisco. The theory of fire insurance previously had been that the premium was sufficiently loaded to meet unusual loss, and there is no evidence in existence to show that the San Francisco losses were not adequately met with the loadings of former premiums. The only inference from the present move that it is not the insurance company that is supposed to suffer losses, but whenever any unusual loss occurs which invades the company's profits then the policy holders must pay the extra to meet the loss. It is a comfortable, if not a comforting theory. It is now seen that a collection must be taken up in Detroit to pay San Francisco losses, a collection which might more honestly have been taken up direct at the time of the conflagration. It was a fallacy to suppose that any insurance company was going to lose anything.

The desirability of competition in fire insurance will possibly strike the Detroit business men anew. There is also a likelihood that the existence of State machinery for the making of necessary scrutiny and the breaking up of any combine will be recalled by the local victims. To demur against the increase would seem to be unavoidable.

William S. Dever.



William S. Dever, Republican Candidate for Sheriff.

William S. Dever came to Detroit on November 14, 1883, then being 23 years of age. On November 18th of the same year he went to work for L. A. Smith & Co. and remained there until March 29, 1887, when he left to take a position with Mabley & Co. July 25, 1887, he left Mabley & Co. and entered the employ of W. & J. Sparling. He remained with Sparling's until January 28, 1889, when he entered business for himself. He went out of business in January, 1893, and became connected with the American Lady Corset Co. with which firm he has remained up to the present time.

The above is in brief the business career of the man who is asking the people of Wayne county to elect him to the office of sheriff. He is a clean-out, honest and upright citizen, with ability to properly administer the duties of the office and the people of Wayne county are assured they will have in him a worthy and efficient public officer if he is elected.

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NEWS OF A WEEK TERSELY OUTLINED

A SUMMARY OF THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

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Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe—The Latest Foreign Information.

THE CUBAN SITUATION.

The factional ill feeling that has existed at Cienfuegos since the presidential campaign of 1905 resulting in the death of Congressman Villendas and Chief of Police Illian, increased during the recent revolution to such an extent that the return of the rebels from the field is causing a dangerous condition which the provisional government considers it highly necessary to end.

The first landing of American soldiers in the present occupation of Cuba was accomplished at Havana with marvelous promptness, and 500 men of the Fifth United States Infantry and 350 men of the Second battalion of engineers are settled under canvas in Camp Columbia.

Now that the disarmament of the revolutionists and the government volunteers is progressing steadily, the thoughtful portions of the public of all nationalities are animatedly discussing the possibility of Cuba's future form of government. The desire for annexation, which has been carefully concealed for the past four years, is now voiced openly, and the wish that the United States retain some measure of actual control in Cuban affairs is heard more insistently than ever.

Although the surrender of guns has not been made compulsory, either by the provisional government or the disarming commission, rebel commanders have all given their followers to understand that it was expected and that the laying down of their arms was a matter of duty. The result of this has been that the number of rifles surrendered is larger, in proportion to the number of men disbanded, than the government expected.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The vendetta existing between Oakford and Hemlock, rival villages in Indiana, has broken out afresh. The feud is confined to young men and boys, and when a man of one village calls upon a young woman of the other town it is a signal for bloodshed.

It has been finally decided that the Panama canal will be completed by contract. This change in the building of the canal will in no way affect the employment of Chinese labor.

The Trans-Atlantic Fire Insurance company loses in the first decision to be rendered in the San Francisco courts regarding the liability of companies which have refused a dollar for dollar settlement. The company has not a single excuse in law for repudiating the claims of its policyholders, according to the decision rendered.

Charged with "conspiracy against trade" in violation of the anti-trust laws of the state, the Standard Oil company of Ohio and its alleged constituent companies, the Buckeye Pipe Line and the Manhattan Oil company, were placed on trial at Findlay, O., before Judge Gideon G. Baker and a jury in the probate court of Hancock county.

While fighting a fire in the tenement district of Evansville, Ind., which caused a damage of \$300, four firemen were injured. Capt. James FitzWilliams fatally, Charles Cecil and Charles Oldens seriously, and John Algear slightly hurt.

R. E. Kemper, a train dispatcher for the Louisville & Nashville railroad, was arrested at Evansville, Ind., on the charge that he discharged a telegraph operator because the latter joined the union.

Fire destroyed Brown's opera house, Klinebiter's livery barn, St. Mark's Episcopal church, First Lutheran church, and C. F. Brown's house and barn at Waterloo, Ia., entailing a loss estimated at \$70,000.

The Columbus (O.) board of education, upon the recommendation of the superintendent of schools, decided to adopt the simplified spelling so far as it is practicable in the schools of the city.

The Central Glass Jobbers' association decided that all jobbers should hold prices to a discount of 90 and 10 per cent from the October book list price for double strength glass, and to 90 and 10 on single strength glass.

George A. Graves and Charles H. Traiber, both of Boston, purchased the McKinley gelding Mack Mack from J. R. Bowles, of Portland, Ore., for \$10,000.

In a well played game of football Harvard defeated Bowdoin on Soldiers' Field.

While off Singapore homeward bound from Hongkong, the British battleship Terrible lost her starboard propeller and eight feet of her tail shaft.

Samuel W. McCal, of Winchester, was nominated for congress at the eighth Massachusetts Republican convention.

After working diligently four weeks in constructing his own coffin Charles Stout, aged 35 years, a pioneer of Litchfield, Ill., committed suicide at his home by shooting himself.

Walter Newman, policeman, was shot and probably fatally wounded at Mitchell, S. D., by Charles Reusan, a thresherman, whom he was attempting to arrest for drunkenness.

Bert and Mollie Kemp, aged 39 and 29 respectively are under arrest at Port Huron, Mich., charged with murdering their baby.

A trolley car with 26 passengers was struck by the "blind" end of a string of freight cars at the Rock Island switch yards at Kansas City, Mo., and knocked 25 feet against a switch shanty, resulting in the serious injury of four people and violently shaking up all of the passengers.

The Dublin Evening Telegraph declares that Richard Croker is bringing an action for libel and claiming heavy damages against the proprietor of the London Magazine in connection with an article dealing with Mr. Croker's relations to Tammany Hall.

After holding the office of president of the Illinois W. C. T. U. for five years, the limit fixed by the organization, Miss Marie L. Brehm retired. Miss Mary I. Kahl, who has been state superintendent of evangelistic work, was elected her successor.

George Scoville, who began the practice of law in Chicago in 1851, and who gained an enviable reputation as an attorney, is dead. Mr. Scoville defended Charles J. Guiteau, the slayer of President Garfield.

Clyde Boatwright, aged 22, at Marion, O., shot and killed his father, Scott Boatwright, who was about to brain his wife with an ax.

The hearing in the case of the Standard Oil company, charged with violation of the Valentine anti-trust laws, has begun in the probate court at Findlay, O. This is the proceeding in which John D. Rockefeller has been summoned to appear.

A national convention has been called by Gen. Eloy Alfaro, president of Ecuador, who overthrew the Garcia administration in January last, to meet at Guayaquil for the purpose of promulgating a new constitution and the election of a president of the republic.

The officers of the Merchant Marine League of the United States announce the date for closing their contests for prizes for essays on "How to Build Up Our Shipping in the Foreign Trade" has been postponed until January 5.

Pursuant to an appeal issued recently by Bishop Alexander Walters of the African Zion M. E. church, prayers were offered in practically all of the negro Protestant churches in New York for more cordial relations between the white people and the negroes of the southern states.

In a wreck on the Western & Atlantic railroad, two miles north of Dalton, Tenn., the northbound passenger train was hurled from the track by a broken axle on the engine. Fireman Will A. Hughes was instantly killed and Engineer C. A. Bennett was badly injured.

Five hundred suits will be filed in the federal and state courts in San Francisco against the North German Fire Insurance company of Hamburg, Germany. This is announced by W. J. Herrin, president of the policyholders' committee. "We expect," said Herrin, "that the judgments obtained in the American courts in this case will be recognized in Germany."

The Southern Pacific has arranged to make a new move in scientific railroading. Arrangements have been made to start a school for the education of railroad employes holding responsible positions. The school will be started at Sparks, Nev., in connection with the University of Nevada, under the joint supervision of the railroad and the university.

Mr. Yerkes, commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, has issued the departmental regulations controlling the making of denatured alcohol, the handling of the same, and its uses.

Charles Cooke, a laborer, was struck by a Pennsylvania train at Fort Wayne, Ind., and instantly killed.

A woman, identified as Miss Josephine Rummelhart, aged 40 years, was found in a dying condition in a vacant lot at Omaha, and died at the Omaha General hospital without regaining consciousness. Her throat was cut and her face had been beaten to a pulp with a club found near her.

Gasper C. Clemens, a native of Ohio, one of the most able constitutional lawyers in the west, died of pneumonia at Topeka, Kan., aged 59. He was once prominent in state Populist politics, and was Gov. Lewellyn's legal adviser during the famous legislative war of 1895.

Measures will be taken by the Mexican government to prevent hoarding of corn in anticipation of higher prices and it is probable that the duty on foreign corn will be temporarily removed.

Eight men were killed and nearly two score of persons were injured by the explosion of illuminating gas in the Market street subway at Sixth street, Philadelphia.

The freshmen won the annual class rush from the sophomores of Iowa college at Ames. The struggle was sanctioned by the college faculty. Only a few minor injuries resulted.

A suit, an echo of the sensation attending upon the collapse of the International Mercantile agency, a year ago, was begun in the New York supreme court, by the McClure Adjustment company against prominent business men in this country and Canada.

"No matter what Mr. Hearst does, we are going to support him," said Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall.

Depositors of the Spring Valley, Ill., National bank, which it is alleged was wrecked by its president, Charles J. Devlin, in July, 1905, appointed a committee to call on L. M. Eckert, state's attorney of Bureau county, and endeavor to secure the indictment of those responsible for the bank's collapse.

An emphatic official denial of the reported betrothal of Grand Duke Michael, brother of the emperor of Russia, and Princess Patricia of Connaught, niece of King Edward, was issued at London.

Sir Robert Hart, director-general of Chinese imperial customs, has issued a circular saying he has received assurances that his status with regard to Chinese customs will not be changed.

The sultan officially received Ambassador Lefshman, who presented his credentials as first ambassador of the United States to Turkey.

Clutched in each other's arms, two young men fell from the fourth story of the Lake Shore railroad office building at Cleveland, and were hurled to their death on the pavement.

Twenty-nine bodies have been recovered from the west fork of the Pocahontas Collieries' company mine at Pocahontas, Va., and a conservative estimate places the total number of dead at 70.

Announcement was made by E. A. Ford, general traffic manager of the Pennsylvania lines west, that on November 1 next the local passenger fares in Indiana, West Virginia and Pennsylvania would be reduced to a basis of 2 1/2 cents a mile.

Believing the board of health physicians were cutting the throats of their children in a public school in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn, 1,500 women, nearly all Italians, stormed the school building.

Three of the seven children of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vanier, of Portland, Me., were burned to death in a fire caused by the explosion of a lamp which had been accidentally overturned.

Humiliated because he was forced to drink whisky, when he is known all over Buchanan county as a staunch friend of the temperance movement, Will Hite, a wealthy and highly respected farmer living near Jessup, Ia., committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn.

James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway, sold 750,000 tons of ore to the United States Steel corporation for \$400,000,000.

While a party of 25 students of Oconto, Wis., high school were standing on a foot-bridge at Oconto Falls, Wis., watching the falls, the structure collapsed, hurling the whole party 40 feet into the stream. William Ballou, aged 14 years, was killed and Viga Semll, Hazel Denison and Frank Donlevy seriously injured.

Mrs. E. J. Carroll, wife of the chief clerk of motive power of the Chicago & Alton railroad at Bloomington, Ill., was fatally injured at the Union station in Kansas City as the result of falling from a trolley car.

Mrs. Elizabeth Zorn, a well-known artist of Danville, Ill., died from injuries sustained when she was struck by a bicycle ridden by Harry Jordan.

For more than three hours New York firemen fought an exceedingly stubborn blaze in the Metropolitan boarding and livery stables in West Thirtieth street. When the fire broke out, 300 horses were in the stables, but they were saved.

Frank T. Hughes, who recently was found guilty of perjury in swearing that he was injured in the Colorado Midland wreck at Culbert's Sliding, in June, 1903, when in fact he was mired 20 miles from the scene, was given a sentence of from three to five years in the Colorado penitentiary.

George B. Schooley, of Philadelphia, cousin of the late James L. Crawford, a millionaire coal operator, has begun a contest of the latter's will. In the will that was probated immediately after his death, Crawford left all his property to his widow and his stepson, James G. Shepherd.

The region about New Orleans was the center of cyclonic disturbances at least three of which were tornadoes and caused the loss of six lives with nine persons fatally injured.

A suspicious looking package containing what appeared to be an infernal machine was found in Gov. Penrypacker's mail at the executive mansion at Harrisburg, Pa.

Columbia and Yale divided the intercollegiate tennis honors for 1906, as a result of the concluding rounds of the annual championship tournament at the Merion Cricket club, Haverford, Pa.

President Roosevelt denounced government ownership of public utilities in his address at the dedication of Pennsylvania's \$13,000,000 capitol. He also declared Wall street should not rule the nation.

The Grodno police have discovered a depot of illegal literature, among which are 500 Yiddish books printed in the United States.

All demands made by the Coopers' international union, representatives of which have been in conference with the Master Coopers' Employers' association, in Indianapolis, have been granted.

A copy of the third edition of Shakespeare's "Passionate Pilgrim" of which the only other copy extant is in the Bodleian library, has just been sold at private sale in London for an American buyer at \$10,000.

Five passengers were killed outright and a score were injured in a rear-end collision between a regular passenger train and a military special on the Boston & Maine railroad, directly in front of Lanesborough depot, north of Troy, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles S. Deanes, wife of the governor of Illinois, gave birth to a daughter.

SIDE LIGHTS ON MICHIGAN

THE DREAM OF A NEW STATE IS NOW THE THEME OF MUCH TALK.

STATE HOUSE AT THE SOO

The New State as the Dream Runs to Consist of the Upper Peninsula and a Slice of Wisconsin.

North Michigan?

The upper peninsula is talking separate statehood, to include a part of Wisconsin, these days more than it has for a number of years, as a result of the nomination of James T. Bennett for the legislature on the Republican ticket, running largely on that platform. Just how powerless Mr. Bennett may be to put through his pet plank is having no deterrent effect on the day dreams of the northern section of the state.

Proponents of the scheme are already figuring from their atlases how much larger such a state would be than the states of Rhode Island or New Hampshire or Maryland and how much richer it would be than many of them.

It is advanced that the interests of the upper and lower peninsulas are so divergent that there is a natural boundary line, that it is 40 far from it to the seat of state government and that because of these facts it could govern itself much more satisfactorily than it is governed at present from Lansing.

Residents of the Soo have already erected a state house in their minds' eye and proclaimed it the capital of the new state which might be called North Michigan, as in the case of the division of the two Dakotas. Also there would be two United States senators to elect, as well as the one congressman, as at present. There would be legislative officers galore, a full complement of state officials and really, all along the line the separate statehood proposition looks mighty good to the people of that section.

Finally it is advanced that the feelings of the upper peninsula people would no longer be hurt by charges made in the lower half that the big corporations are cheating the state out of its just due of the taxes.

Girl Assaulted.

Laura Gordon, aged 14, was carried from her home near Adrian to a barn by one man and criminally assaulted, while his companion held the mother at bay in the house with a gun.

When the men first arrived at the house at midnight they pounded on the door and yelled to Perry Gordon, the father, that his barn was on fire. He hurriedly dressed and went to the barn to find the alarm untrue. During his absence the men continued to pound on the door and commanded Mrs. Gordon and her daughter to open it and admit them, or they would blow their heads off. When the door was opened the girl was carried away by one of the men.

Gordon says when he returned from the barn, he was fired at four times by one of the men. He says he then fled to a neighbor's house and telephoned the police. When he returned, and the officers arrived the men had gone. The house is isolated.

Dr. Clafin confirms Gordon's story as to what happened to the girl. Last Sunday when the girl was out bicycling riding two young men asked her where she lived. She told them and they responded they would call on her. These young men are under suspicion.

No Cause Known.

C. S. Johnson, an assistant superintendent of the Michigan Telephone Co., who committed suicide by taking carbolic acid in a hotel in Houghton, Mich., Tuesday night, lived in Detroit, with his wife.

Mrs. Johnson cannot explain her husband's act as he had written cheerful letters home, saying he expected to be back shortly, when he and his wife were to start housekeeping.

Johnson had been with the telephone company 15 years and for seven years was manager of the Detroit branch. His finances were in good shape and friends and relatives say there were no family troubles.

Three Killed and Many Injured.

Passenger train No. 8, of the Washburn railroad, running from Kansas City to Buffalo, N. Y., known as the Buffalo mail, and due in Danville, Ill., at 4:52 a. m., ran into an open switch west of Catlin, Ill., early Wednesday, and crashed into a section of a freight train. The passenger coaches, except one, turned over and burned.

Three persons are known to have been killed. Several others are missing. Thirty-seven injured are being taken care of at Danville hospitals.

Hopelessly Insane.

Dr. Festus F. Pitcher, former president of Battle Creek's leading social club, the Athletean, is pronounced incurably insane at the Penoyer sanitarium, Kenosha, Wis. He was recently released from the Kalamazoo asylum on his wife's desire to take him to a western ranch. When he first went insane he was taken from the club in an auto by a party of his friends to Kalamazoo. His wife is said to be in Chicago.

In a runaway accident Mrs. Frederick Balke had her limb penetrated by one of the "chills of the buggy" it entered just above the knee and emerged about one foot lower. Several ribs were broken and she may not recover. Her paralytic daughter, who accompanied her, escaped uninjured.

Formal charges of manslaughter have been made against Henry Girard, Henry De Lorge and Henry Rivet, in Bay City. Prosecuting Attorney Orr says that he has three witnesses who tell that these men were galloping the team that ran down and killed Corliss Albert Wednesday evening.

INHUMAN PARENTS.

Charged With Drowning Their Month Old Babe.

Bert Kemp, of Smith's Creek, and his bride of a week, who was Mollie Fogarty, of Columbus, are occupying cells in Port Huron jail charged with the murder of the month-old child of the young woman.

Kemp, after being sweated, confessed that he did away with the baby and without the least show of feeling piloted the officers to the point in Pine river where he had weighted the baby, while still alive, with old horse shoes and thrown it into the stream.

The woman stoutly insists she doesn't know what became of the babe and shows not the slightest symptom of maternal affection.

The child was born September 3, and Bert Kemp, who has been keeping company with the girl for three years, was generally supposed to be its father.

A week ago the two were married and from that day on nothing was seen of the baby. The neighbors became suspicious and after the matter had been neighborhood gossip for several days, it was reported to the officers.

Upon being arrested the pair claimed that the unwelcome infant had been left on a doorstep in the city. When trapped in this statement, Kemp finally admitted having thrown the child in Pine river. The body was recovered in the exact point designated by Kemp and was turned over to Coroner Falk. A post mortem examination showed that the child had been thrown in alive.

Kemp and his wife were arraigned in court, Kemp on the charge of murder and Mrs. Kemp as an accessory. Both waived examination and were held without bail.

Increase of Grape Crop.

Few people, outside of the immediate vicinity, have any idea of a correct idea of the magnitude of the grape industry of eastern Van Buren county, which is gradually being transformed into one vast vineyard. Within a radius of eight miles of this village, which is practically the center of the grape-growing region, there are thousands of acres of bearing grape vines, and many hundreds more of young vines that have not come into bearing. It is yet too early to estimate accurately the amount of the crop, but there will probably be shipped from Paw Paw, Lawton, Mattawan and Lakeport not less than 2,000 carloads, or the equivalent of 6,000,000 eight-pound baskets. In addition large quantities are used by the several juice factories, of which there is one at Paw Paw, and three at Lawton. The one at Paw Paw is crushing from 30 to 40 tons of grapes per day, their daily output of juice being about 4,000 gallons. This juice, which is unfermented, is sealed up in five-gallon carboys and stored away in cellars, where it is left to ripen until the next spring, when it is bottled and sent to market in car-load lots.

Speedy Acquittal.

Three months to a day after a single shot from Bertha Ely's revolver sent the wife of her employer into the next world and landed the little woman herself behind prison bars, a jury in a Detroit court put the seal of self-defense on the act with a verdict reached in less than four minutes. It was on the night of July 6 that Mrs. Mary A. Kuna fell mortally wounded in the dingy little cabin of the schooner Herschel, tied up at the foot of Mt. Elliott avenue. It was on October 6 that her slayer limped into the county jail, gathered together a few clothes and left for the home of a friend, legally guilty, of no crime. Mrs. Ely's acquittal was expected. That the charge of murder never could be sustained was manifest on the first day of the trial when Capt. George M. Kuna testified. Logically Kuna was the strongest witness for the prosecution. He turned out to be the backbone of the defense.

Struck His Old Father.

Armed with a sharp iron bar, James Gallup, Jr., is alleged to have smashed his 80-year-old father over the head and shoulders at their farm home, near Flushing. James Gallup, Sr., had both shoulder blades broken and two ugly gashes cut in his head. Because of the severity of his injuries and his advanced age, little hope is entertained for the old man's recovery.

James Gallup, Jr., is believed to be unbalanced mentally. He lost an arm when employed by the Rapid Railway in Detroit, three years ago.

No cause is known for his attack on his father. The old man was milking when his son struck him down, according to the story told the sheriff.

Anxious to Reach School.

"It'll be late for school," sobbed 15-year-old John Ezob, as he was regaled at the Saginaw police station for burglary and larceny. "Please let me go and send me an awful scolding if I don't get there in time," he implored. Instead, the wailing youth, charged with the destruction of railroad property and with breaking into and looting a freight car of a large consignment of merchandise, was locked up in a cell where his screams could be heard a block. He will be prosecuted and other school companions of his will, it is said, be arrested for similar offenses.

Forty Ithaca business men entertained the Saginaw wholesale junketors while there Wednesday.

The three White Cloud bank burglar suspects were not identified by Frank Foster, a White Cloud saloon-keeper.

Louis Wessels, of Flint, while working in a pipe works at Ballard, Wash., was struck and fatally injured in the head by a pipe from a machine. He had been married only a few days.

O. B. Holbrook, of Traverse City, frightened by a dream in which he saw two men coming to kill him, leaped in his sleep through a large window, cutting himself severely. His heel was almost severed. He awakes when he hit the ground.

AROUND THE STATE.

Theodore Rumbautum is starting his fifteenth term of school teaching in Flowerfield township.

Flint city council has decided to put to the vote of the people the appropriation of \$50,000 for a new city hall.

A. D. Mulford, an elderly farmer of Convis township, was kicked in the face and jaw by a horse and fatally hurt, while dragging a field.

The bonding of Reed City for \$12,000 for public improvements and manufacturing industries was carried by a vote of 234 to 44.

Ex-Superintendent Joseph LeBarge, who was nominated for congress by the Socialists of the tenth district at Bay City, says he will stamp the district.

Capt. Dave Duane, of Traverse City, will attempt to make the trip in a 16-foot canoe to New Orleans, via the Chicago drainage canal and Mississippi river.

The first snowstorm of the season arrived during Monday night. About two inches of snow fell all over the upper peninsula. This will make excellent partridge shooting.

Charles F. Sattler, a well known German citizen of North Lansing, aged 55, is dead as the result of a broken leg. It was broken when he was 4 years old and the second fracture occurred through his twisting it only slightly.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Most of the country buyers are looking for a better class of steers than are coming in. They want them to average between 800 and 1,000 lbs. Milch cows were dull and the quality common. Good cows would bring \$58, but none were on hand good enough to bring over \$40. Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, 75¢; fat steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$1 25; 450; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$1 50; 25; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$3 50; 25; 700 to 750, \$2 50; choice fat cows, \$3 50; good fat cows, \$2 75; 25; common cows, \$1 50; 25; canners, \$2 40; 25; choice bulls, \$2 75; 25; fair to good bologna, \$2 50; 25; stock bulls, \$2 25; 25; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$2 50; 25; fat steers, 800 to 1,000, \$3 50; 25; fair stockers, 600 to 700, \$2 25; 25; stock heifers, \$2 25; 25; milkers, large, \$1 75; 25; small, \$1 40; 25; common milkers, \$2 00; 25; The week calf trade was active and strong; last week prices were good. The quality was very common.

Hogs—One or two small bunches of extra fancy went at \$8 50 in an outside buyer; packers paid from \$6 50 to \$8. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$6 50; pig, \$5 50; light Yorkers, \$6 40; 60; stag, 1.30.

Sheep—Rainy weather made lower prices than the previous week. Best lambs, \$7 10; 25; fair to good lambs, \$6 50; 25; light to common lambs, \$6 50; 25; fair to good butcher sheep, \$4 75; 25; culs and common, \$4 25.

Chicago—Common to prime cattle, \$3 75; 25; \$3 75; 25; heifers, \$3 50; 25; few choice at \$4 50; calves, \$2 75; 25; stockers and feeders, \$2 50; 40. Hogs—Medium to good heavy, \$6 50; 25; butch weight, \$6 70; 25; good to choice mixed, \$6 75; 25; light to medium mixed, packing, \$6 50; 60; rough heavy packing, \$6 10; 25; straight heavy packing, \$6 35; 60; pigs, \$5 50; 60.

Sheep—\$5 25; 25; yearlings, \$5 00; 25; lambs, \$5 50; 25. West Buffalo—Best export steers, \$5 50; 25; best 1,200-lb. shipping steers, \$4 50; 25; best fat cows, \$3 50; 25; few choice at \$4 50; calves, \$2 75; 25; trimmers, \$1 75; 25; best fat heifers, \$4 00; 15; few extra at \$5; medium heifers, \$3 25; 25; best feeding steers, \$2 50; 25; common stock steers, \$2 75; 25; export bulls, \$3 50; 25; few at \$4 25; bologna bull, \$2 50; 25; the cow market was quiet on the west kind and steady on others. Good to extra, \$4 75; 25; medium to good, \$3 25; 25; common, \$2 25.

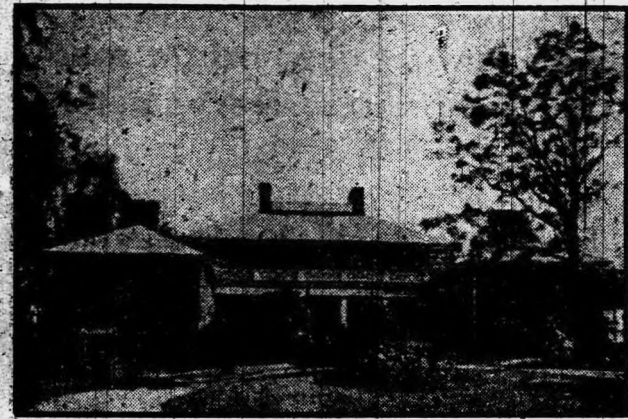
Hogs—Market steady; medium and heavy, \$6 50; 25; common to fair, \$6 25; 25; mixed, \$6 20; 25; Yorkers, good to choice, \$6 40; 25; common, \$6 50; 25; pigs, \$6 50; 25; closed \$6 10; 25; lower.

Sheep—Fairly active; top lambs, \$7 50; 25; \$5 50; 25; \$5 50; 25; \$5 50; 25; culs, \$2 40; 25; yearlings, \$6 25; 25; ewes, \$5 25; 25. Calves: Best calves, \$8 25; 25; medium to good, \$6 75; 25; heavy, \$3 50; 45.

GRAIN, ETC.

Detroit—Cash No. 2 red, 75¢; December, 60¢; No. 3 red, 75¢; No. 4 red, 60¢; No. 5 red, 60¢; No. 6 red, 60¢; No. 7 red, 60¢; No. 8 red, 60¢; No. 9 red, 60¢; No. 10 red, 60¢; No. 11 red, 60¢; No. 12 red, 60¢; No. 13 red, 60¢; No. 14 red, 60¢; No. 15 red, 60¢; No. 16 red, 60¢; No. 17 red, 60¢; No. 18 red, 60¢; No. 19 red, 60¢; No. 20 red, 60¢; No. 21 red, 60¢; No. 22 red, 60¢; No. 23 red, 60¢; No. 24 red, 60¢; No. 25 red, 60¢; No. 26 red, 60¢; No. 27 red, 60¢; No. 28 red, 60¢; No. 29 red, 60¢; No. 30 red, 60¢; No. 31 red, 60¢; No. 32 red, 60¢; No. 33 red, 60¢; No. 34 red, 60¢; No. 35 red, 60¢; No. 36 red, 60¢; No. 37 red, 60¢; No. 38 red, 60¢; No. 39 red, 60¢; No. 40 red,

Interesting Building for the Jamestown Exposition.



"Adena," the dignified building which was used as the official residence of Gov. Thomas Worthington of Ohio, during his incumbency of that office between 1815 and 1818, is to be reproduced as the Ohio building at the Jamestown exposition next year. "Adena," which is situated several miles from Chillicothe, the former capital of the state, was built in 1806 after the design of the elder Latrobe, who was engaged to rebuild the capitol at Washington after its destruction by fire in 1814. Such were the primitive conditions of transportation at the time "Adena" was planned that it was necessary to convey the building materials from Washington by pack train.

LAST OF HER TRIBE

"INDIAN LIZE," DECREPIT AND BLIND, WAITING FOR DEATH.

Last Survivor of the Calapoolas Now Living at Brownsville, Ore.—Remembers Arrival of First White Settlers.

Albany, Ore.—"Indian Lize," the last of the Calapoolas, a once powerful Indian tribe inhabiting these parts, resides in Brownsville, in this county. She does not know her own age, but says that she has a distinct remembrance of the coming of the white men and their first settlement in this county and valley. Even at that early date she was a grown woman and the squaw of one of the most powerful and important of the Calapoolas tribesmen, having children (papooses) of her own.

Considering these facts, no doubt she is well along toward the century mark. Old, decrepit and blind, it is necessary to wait on her as if she were a child, it being necessary to prepare her meals and take them to her, place her in bed at night and see that she does not get lost in endeavoring to follow some of the old trails in the neighborhood.

The county court of Linn county allows Mrs. B. M. Cushman four dollars a month as an allowance to assist her in caring for her, a task by no means easy or to be desired. The old Indian woman was born in Linn county, on the banks of the Calapoolas river, near Crawfordville, where she spent her childhood days, never having left the scenes of her early life for any great length of time.

With her will pass away the last of the Calapoolas, an Indian tribe that was always friendly to the whites, often assisting them in their warfare against other hostile tribes and chieftains. "Indian Lize" is the last of them and in her lonely existence there is much to excite the sympathy of the more fortunate ones. Without tepee, husband, children or tribesmen, she awaits the call to that "happy hunting ground" and that bourne to which her dear ones and her fathers' have long ago preceded her. There is none of the life so dear to every child of the forest to beckon her, or children and loved ones to care for and protect her in her declining years.

The Calapoolas for a long time were stationed on the Grand Ronde Indian reservation. At the close of the Rogue River Indian war Gen. Palmer was obliged to separate the 13 tribes at the agency on account of war and tribal hatred existing among themselves. Together with other tribes they were removed to the Siletz Indian reservation, from which place they annually would wander hither and thither, making pilgrimages to the valley towns, selling Indian baskets, gathering blackberries and working in the hop fields, so as to gather sufficient supplies for the winter's cold.

TURKEYS COOK CHESTNUTS.

Drop Them in Charcoal Pit, Pull Them Out and Eat Hearty Meal.

Harrisburg, Pa.—Filled with an overwhelming spirit of gratitude for the protecting laws thrown around them by the state of Pennsylvania, game birds and animals which are now safe from pot hunters are showing their appreciation in a most amazing manner.

This is evidenced by the truthful reports coming from various points, and which are here set forth. Near Blain, Perry county, Hiram Gibbs observed a flock of wild turkeys, carrying chestnuts, just now ripening, to a charcoal pit and dropping them upon the hot coals.

Soon the nuts burst open, and the intelligent birds raked them out with their claws, carried the meaty chestnuts to a cleared spot, where, after cooling, the nuts were eaten with gusto.

Mr. Gibb is convinced that the wild turkeys are doing their best to acquire a more delicious flavor, so that they will be highly appreciated by the sportsmen who are lucky enough to kill and eat them.

Hunters who have lived in Perry county more than 50 years say that at no time in their careers have they seen such a self-sacrificing spirit shown by wild turkeys.

CLAIMS HEART OF NEW YORK.

Iowa Woman Hopes to Become Possessor of Many Millions.

Des Moines, Ia.—Asserting that she is an heir of Robert Edwards, who in 1789 as landlord leased for a term of 99 years 62 acres in the very heart of the city of New York. Mrs. L. B. Brown, of this city, has begun an attempt to procure for herself her share of the property, now estimated to be worth \$312,000,000. The land is near Broadway and Wall street, and contains the famous Trinity church, the subtreasury and other valuable property.

It was leased first to Aaron Burr, and now that the 99-year lease has expired, the heirs hold that they are entitled to the property. Mrs. Brown estimates that her share will be worth \$4,000,000.

The Edwards estate has long attracted the attention of heirs in other states, and Mrs. Brown now proposes to have her share of the wealth. Mrs. Brown, who has proof that she is a direct descendant of Edwards, has retained local attorneys, and will make every effort to recover her property.

Sings the Highest Note.

BROOKLYN GIRL HAS MOST REMARKABLE VOICE IN WORLD.

Raises Tones Never Reached by Jenny Lind or the Great Agujari—Has Throat and Vocal Chords Like a Bird.

New York—Higher than Jenny Lind, higher even than the great Agujari, who is credited with having reached the very top note ever sung by the human voice, soar the tones of a young Brooklyn girl, whose vocal range is not a freak, but is said to be the most remarkable in the world.

Musical history records the famous achievements of Agujari when her liquid voice ascended the scale until it struck and sustained C in altissimo. The same chronicle tells how Jenny Lind sang a cadenza almost as high as Agujari, reaching A flat, two and a half tones below the recognized highest note ever struck by mortal.

Miss Bessie Greenwood, of Brooklyn, has outdistanced both of these great singers and not by a margin but by several tones. She sings Mulder's staccato polka, ending the song on the highest G on the keyboard. This is four tones higher than Agujari sang. Another bit of music which shows the remarkable range of her voice is that familiar ballad, "Violets," which has a hummel refrain at the end. Miss Greenwood sings this refrain an octave higher than it is written, finishing on F in altissimo, two tones higher than the G of Agujari.

Miss Greenwood and her remarkable voice are not wholly unknown to musical New York. Her singing has brought her to the notice of many well known singers and impresarios.

Herr Felix Mottl, this year's conductor at the Wagner Festival, in



Scale Showing Miss Greenwood's Remarkable Compass.

Bayreuth, said that he considered her voice of unusual range and quality. When Mr. Courier was asked about this member of his school he said, "Miss Greenwood has a high note of wonderful purity and can sing almost any note that can be produced on the piano."

Her tessitura lies so high that she has no difficulty whatever in reaching these extremely high notes. Her voice is not a large one, but it has a great carrying quality, so that she can be

heard in even a very large hall. The tones are wonderfully sweet and bird like and the medium ones are resonant and pleasing. She sings with the most delicate pianissimo and her high notes do not tire her throat or make her hoarse. Her success in this has been ascribed by one of our well known musical conductors to the way she has been taught, according to the principles of tone production. She has been taught how to breathe properly, he asserts, so that her tone is free from the common vice of unsteadiness and the registers of her



MISS BESSIE GREENWOOD. (Vocalist Who Can Sing Highest Musical Note Ever Rendered.)

voice have been kept within their natural compass and have been well equalized.

Dr. J. Mount-Bleyer says that her voice and throat are unique; that there is probably the only voice of its kind in the world. The roof of her mouth is very highly arched and narrow and the vocal ligaments and larynx are of unusual and very delicate construction. Her throat is like the throat of a bird and her vocal chords are almost as small.

This young singer is by no means delicate in appearance. She is tall, of a vigorous and robust constitution, and has a great supply of energy. Mr. Merriman believes that she has a very promising future. She is only 23 years of age and has devoted all her life to the study of music, being a fairly good player on the piano and violin. Miss Greenwood hopes to enter upon a professional career in which her voice will be displayed in all its wonderful sweetness and range, but not as a "freak" singer, for there is absolutely no trickery in the way she reaches and sustains the highest note ever sung.

MONUMENT TO VERDI.

Italians in America Erect Tribute to Noted Composer.

New York—As evidence of the high esteem in which the works of that famous composer of operas, Giuseppe Verdi are held by Americans and as



Monument to Be Erected to Verdi.

a tribute to the memory of their dead countryman the Italian colony in the United States has had a beautiful monument carved and sent to New York to be unveiled on October 12.

Chevalier Pasquale Civiletti, a well-known sculptor of Palermo, Italy, was chosen by the committee to execute this important commission. It has met with the approval of the Italians in charge of the monument fund and the commissioner of parks for the borough of Manhattan, which will hold the Verdi memorial.

The monument is about 25 feet in height and is composed entirely of fine Carrara marble and dark tinted granite. On top of a round granite shaft, which is capped by a laurel wreath, stands the imposing figure of Verdi as he looked in the heyday of his career.

The granite shaft on which the figure of the composer stands rests on a square base of the same dark stone, and surrounding the central column are four smaller figures, in Carrara marble, representing operatic creations of Verdi. They are "Otello," "Aida," "Falstaff" and "La Forza del Destino."

Soon after the death of Verdi, on January 25, 1901, Signor Charles Barsotti, the editor of an Italian newspaper, conceived the idea of collecting a subscription to perpetuate in marble the memory of Italy's favorite composer and the man whose operas were loved by the whole world. Contributions poured in from all parts of the United States from Italians who recently emigrated to this country and from those who have become American citizens. In the end \$20,000 was subscribed to the monument fund and the order for the sculpture and the design were given out. The monument has been finished now for some time and has been on view in Italy, where it was wrought. The commission appointed to decide upon its acceptance comprised American and Italian representatives of the two governments and sculptors.

SEARCHLIGHTS IN THE FIELD.

British Soldiers Make Experiments to Test Practicability.

London—The royal engineers of England are experimenting with the use of searchlights in the field maneuvers. The illustration shows an



The Searchlight in Operation.

apparatus of this character mounted on a collapsible tower by which when extended the light may be made to sweep a great area. It is compact though complete and perfect in its operation according to the verdict of the officers who have tested the light. The dynamo which supplies the current is mounted on a wagon and accompanies the big lamp in its movements on the field.

"A SMALL THING."

Do you believe in progress? Do you believe that all the wonderful achievements of the nineteenth century—the railroad, the telegraph, the telephone, electric light, kerosene, sewing machine, agricultural machinery, steamships, trolley cars, etc.—have made life easier and better worth living? I do. I believe that a man who lives 40 years, under modern conditions has experienced more life and better life than Methusalem, though he had lived 20 centuries of his time.

The triumphs of the nineteenth century were triumphs of human service—the placing of knowledge and the fruits of knowledge within the reach of the common man. Every man's life is better, happier, more secure because of them. We live more comfortable, more sociable lives in better and more comfortable houses because of them. Even the hopeless dweller in the worst city slums is more comfortable in his physical conditions than the middle-class citizen of the days of George Washington.

In little things as in great, comfort and convenience have been the legacy of the "Century of Improvement." Paint, in a certain sense, is a minor matter, yet it gives beauty, healthfulness and durability to our dwellings. Fifty years ago painting was a serious proposition, a luxury for the owners of stately mansions who could afford the expense of frequent renewals. Today ready mixed paint is so cheap, so good, and so universal that no house owner has an excuse for not keeping his property well painted.

A small thing, indeed; yet several hundred large factories, employing thousands of chemists and skilled workmen, are running every day in the year to keep our houses fresh, clean and wholesome.

A small thing, yet a can of good ready mixed paint, such as one may buy from any reputable dealer, embodies the study of generations of skilled chemists; the toil of a thousand workmen in mill, laboratory and factory, and the product of a long series of special machinery invented and designed just to make that can of paint and to furnish us an infinite variety of tints, colors and shades.

It was a wonderful century, that nineteenth of our era, and not the least of its wonderful gifts was that same commonplace can of paint.

L. P.

AT THE SUMMER HOTEL.

Experience of Winston Churchill Familiar to Many.

Winston Churchill in an address that he made in Concord recently praised the New Hampshire farmer.

"Ours," he said, "is a state situated above all others for a summer resort. New Hampshire, with its superb climate, its mountains, its lakes and forests, will in a generation or two be one great pleasure ground—a vast park, dotted with beautiful villas, to which will come each summer families from all parts of America.

"In anticipation of this many farmers are learning to conduct hotels. They are building cottages for summer visitors. Some of them, too, are taking boarders.

"And I am glad to say that the New Hampshire farmer is in a position to take boarders, because, unlike the farmers in other states that I could name, he does not send all his good things to the city. I once boarded at a fine big farm, but the fare was wretched—canned vegetables, condensed milk and so on.

"By Jove," I said one morning at breakfast, as I pushed my egg cup from me, 'these eggs are really not as fresh as those I get in New York.' My farmer host snorted.

"That's rank prejudice on your part, Mr. Churchill," he said. "It's from New York that all our eggs come."

There is an altar society in Brooklyn composed of eight policemen. The members contribute a certain amount every month which pays for lights and flowers on an altar of perpetual adoration.

LOOSE TEETH

Made Sound by Eating Grape-Nuts.

Proper food nourishes every part of the body, because Nature selects the different materials from the food we eat, to build bone, nerve, brain, muscle, teeth, etc.

All we need is to eat the right kind of food slowly, chewing it well—our digestive organs take it up into the blood and the blood carries it all through the body, to every little nook and corner.

If some one would ask you, "Is Grape-Nuts good for loose teeth?" you'd probably say, "No, I don't see how it could be." But a woman in Ontario writes:

"For the past two years I have used Grape-Nuts Food with most excellent results. It seems to take the place of medicine in many ways, builds up the nerves and restores the health generally.

"A little Grape-Nuts taken before retiring soothes my nerves and gives sound sleep." (Because it relieves irritability of the stomach nerves, being a predigested food.)

"Before I used Grape-Nuts my teeth were loose in the gums. They were so bad I was afraid they would some day all fall out. Since I have used Grape-Nuts I have not been bothered any more with loose teeth.

"All desire for pastry has disappeared and I have gained in health, weight and happiness since I began to use Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Get the famous Grape-Nuts. "The Road to Well-Being."

TREASURE IN FLORIDA.

GREAT WEALTH REPORTED BURIED NEAR ST. MARKS.

Five Million Dollars Received by Spain for State Said to Be Hidden There—Several Expeditions Have Sought Gold.

Pensacola, Fla.—Hon. H. Clay Crawford, secretary of state, is one of the most interesting men in Florida. Connected with the office he holds all his life, he is a veritable encyclopedia of interesting information, and his latest story is one which should attract the adventuresome. This is in regard to buried treasure off St. Marks, Fla., and he tells it as given below:

"It was near St. Marks that the Spanish gunboat carrying the \$5,000,000 that was paid Spain in 1821 for Florida was disabled, and it was there that the money was buried. History relates that this amount was paid in gold from the mint at New Orleans and was loaded on a Spanish gunboat. The boat became disabled near St. Marks. In the fear of pirates, who infested the coast, the captain, with several of the crew, landed and buried the gold, and then returned to the gunboat. They drifted about for days and were finally picked up by a vessel bound for Peru. During that voyage of scourge broke out on the ship and the officers and many of the men died. Those who survived were landed in Peru eventually penniless.

"Many years afterward an old man named Bell landed at St. Marks. He was an old man, feeble and ill, and was kindly cared for by a man named Smith. He lingered several months and then died. When he was about to die he told Smith the story of his life. He said he was one of the crew of the ill-fated gunboat that carried the gold from New Orleans. He told of the boat being disabled and of the crew being carried to Peru. He said he had spent his life trying to get back to St. Marks, and he gave Smith a chart by which the spot could be located. This was the last year of the war, more than 40 years after Florida had been annexed to the union. After Bell's death Smith set out in a small sailboat with two negroes to look for the spot. He made a careful search and inspection of the coast, and found, as he believed, the exact spot. The chart described three trees which grew at a certain spot. In one of them an iron spike had been driven. Smith found what he believed were the trees referred to in the chart and on one of them he noticed a knot. Into this he cut and found an iron spike. He measured off the distance named in the chart and began to dig. Being an old man and equipped with only a hoe and spade he did not make a great deal of progress. He returned home, having decided to get better equip-

ment. Shortly afterward the war closed, slaves were freed and he was left without money necessary to continue the search. Living in the hope that he could find it, and believing firmly that it was buried near the tree with the spike in it, Smith also died.

"Some years after the advent of Bell another sailor appeared. He also was an old man and of very secretive habits. He fitted out a boat, bought picks, etc., and disappeared. At intervals he would return for supplies. When his funds were exhausted he taught school, hoarding his earnings like a miser, and spending them for trips in the summer. Finally, exhausted from labor and the hardships he had endured, he sickened and died. From his papers it was found that his name was Ballou, and that he was the survivor of the crew of the Spanish gunboat that sailed from New Orleans with the \$5,000,000 for Spain.

"Since that day many have sought the millions that are hidden in the marshes at St. Marks. That they lie there few who have heard the story from those who lived there in those days can doubt. Various expeditions have been secretly fitted out to search for it in recent years.

MOUNTAIN RENT BY QUAKE.

Live Stock and Game Flee in Terror Owing to Rumbings.

Martinez, Cal.—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Marshall and daughter of Vallejo, who have just returned from a camping trip into the heart of Mendocino county, have brought home hitherto unpublished accounts of seismic disturbances at Bald mountain, in the San Hedran range, near Covello, on the Eel river.

As the result of the earthquake on April 18 Bald mountain has been creased with deep fissures, while a loud, rumbling sound can be heard, at a distance of 30 miles, issuing apparently from its depths. It has been impossible to herd horses or other live stock on the range since the subterranean noises were first heard, as they refuse the pasture and bolt from the cattleman at the first opportunity. The few remaining Indians who made the base of the mountain their home have left the place and moved several miles down the river. All quail, deer, bear and other game have left the mountain and sportsmen who have ventured near returned empty handed.

Mrs. Marshall says that the people of the section maintain a strict silence regarding the phenomenon and cannot be induced to express themselves. A sort of superstitious fear has settled over the place. A scientist from the University of California and a professor of a Mendocino county high school attempted the ascent, but turned back when half way up the mountain and returned to Covello.

Cat Inherits a Fine House.

Property Worth \$40,000 Now Belongs to Lone Feline.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Blackie, the survivor of the two cats to whom Benjamin Dilley, of this city, bequeathed a property worth \$40,000, mourns his mate, Finkle, who died the other day, and is inconsolable.

Despite the attentions which Miss Ada Ruch, to whom the executors of the estate have paid \$75 a month to take charge of the cats, lavishes upon him, he goes about the rooms of the house where his late master and his companion, Finkle, died, searching everywhere for her.

Finkle was 15 years old; Blackie is somewhat younger. Both lived all their lives with Benjamin F. Dilley, of this city, and when he died, 18 months ago, he left to them a building worth \$40,000, and delegated Miss Ada Ruch, who, next to himself, loved him best, to take charge of them until their death.

Blackie's life will now be solitary, for the cats were not allowed out of doors. He will remain in the house with Miss Ruch, and everything will

be provided for his comfort. He has now all the little delicacies, which he likes best, including fish on Fridays, catnip, milk every day, meat, occasionally boiled chestnuts and shrimps.

At the bottom of every door is a hole for him to go in or out, and he has several downy beds in wicker baskets in which to sleep.

Bishop Takes Long Walk.

Wilmington, Del.—"Yes, I walked 210 miles in ten days, and that is not a bad record for a man of 70," laughed Bishop Leighton Coleman, of the Episcopal diocese of Delaware. He had just returned from a trip on foot through western Pennsylvania and in Maryland. Bishop Coleman left this city ten days ago for his long tramp. Only his immediate friends knew where he was, and as he traveled in disguise, he had amusing experiences, on several occasions being taken for a tramp. For several years the bishop has been spending his vacations in this manner. He intends to tell of his experiences in lectures for charitable purposes.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1906.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Cady Hix is out of school this week on account of sickness.
The chemistry class was treated to an easy test (?) Wednesday morning.
One of the members of the senior class looked drowsy Monday. Ask E. M.
High school visitors this week: Rev. Hugh Ronald, Arthur Whipple and Urson Taylor.
Look out Miss Senior and don't be late for grammar class again or it may go hard with you.
A few of our young men—a select few—had a very pleasant time last Friday night, so they say.
A number of the girls expect to accompany the foot ball team to Wayne Friday to cheer them on.
What was that innocent little Freshman looking for behind the piano? Perhaps for a bright idea.
The Junior class are intending to do their best in geometry to prove that thirteen is a lucky number.
One of the Junior girls expects to sell fudge among her school friends to help the Dandys in their contest.
One of our last year's graduates underwent quite an embarrassing initiation last Friday night at the U. of M.
Some of the freshmen have been frequently seen up a tree barking at the moon. Sophs, please don't be so cruel.
Miss Williams is absent from school this week on account of sickness and her sister, Miss Charlotte Williams, is taking her place.
Several of the American history students have been given the privilege of entering the class but they refused. We wonder why?
A new, yet an old form of amusement has been heard of lately occurring a little west of here which affords a great deal of fun—hunting bees.

Do not miss the two o'clock car for Wayne Friday. The boys are very anxious to beat Wayne and they need a crowd of "rooters" to urge them on.

One of the girls received "a fine show for a cent" from the Milford fair last week. Any one desirous of seeing it call on X. Y. Z. any time after 8 a. m.

A mock wedding occurred among the girls of the Baptist church last Wednesday night. We wonder who the happy two were? Ask M. S. and K. M.

All the Plymouth and Northville teachers are planning to attend the State teachers' association institute at Battle Creek Oct. 25 to 27. The fast train leaving Detroit at 7 a. m. Thursday, Oct. 25, on the Michigan Central will stop at Wayne to take on the teachers from Wayne, Plymouth, Northville and any others who wish to attend. One fare round trip, about \$2.20, plus 25c extra. If any rural teachers wish to attend send names to Supt. Isbell, as board and lodging can be obtained for about \$1.25 per day, if names are sent in early. This is a splendid opportunity for the rural teacher, as well as others, as the State law allows them to attend this institute without loss of wages.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

After reading about the gulf state hurricane, it seems still better to live in little old Michigan.—Grand Rapids Herald.

Perhaps the most venturesome man in the United States is William J. Connors of Buffalo. He is going to run Mr. Hearst's campaign.—Detroit News

It may be necessary for the western side of the state to pass up its senatorial interests temporarily until it exterminates a few "yeggmen."—Detroit Journal.

About the only ones who have not been asked for a complete financial statement by Mr. Kimberle are the White Cloud bank robbers. They are too busy just now to be interviewed.—Grand Rapids Press.

Judge Lambert Tree of Chicago, has discovered that "Europe is a peril to young American girls." Hereafter the world has been of the opinion that the young American girl had been a peril to Europe.—Bay City Times.

Governor Warner is said to be developing into a first class sponaneous combustion speechmaker and is no longer confined to carefully prepared manuscripts. He favors the use for campaigning purposes and expects to

make several hundred speeches before the campaign closes.—Traverse City Eagle.

Nearly Killed by Fall.

BEECH, Mich., Oct. 10.—As the result of a fall of about 14 feet from a haymow, Mrs. Shatke, living four miles southwest of here, almost bled to death Sunday. She struck a horse's stall in falling, and from that rolled to the floor. A stranger passing by heard her moans. Dr. Tupper was called and stopped the flow of blood, which threatened soon to end her life. Monday she started to bleed again, and two physicians were summoned. She is still in a critical condition. She has three children, the youngest a child of but a few months.

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For Saginaw, Bay City and Port Huron. 7:12 a. m., 9:08 a. m., 2:05 p. m., 4:15 p. m.
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For Toledo and South—11:55 a. m., 2:40 p. m. and 8:55 p. m.
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Local News

Harry Knapp of Pontiac visited in town Sunday.

Will Schiefele is again barbering in Stocken's shop.

A full line of street and dress hats at Mrs. A. Ulan's.

Mrs. Hickmott was a Northville visitor Wednesday.

Arthur Raymo of Wayne visited at J. Matthews' this week.

Ed. Fitzgerald of Flint attended his sister's funeral Saturday.

Miss Hattie Hill of Chicago is visiting at Dr. F. P. Kenyon's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews spent part of last week in Detroit.

Miss Jennie Rauch of Monroe visited her brother J. R., Friday.

Mark Miller and family have moved onto their farm, west of town.

John Delker of Manchester is visiting his mother Mrs. M. Delker.

Warren Brown of Saginaw Sunday with W. Glimpe and family.

B. Blunk is substituting for Fraser Smith for two weeks on Route 2.

H. E. Merritt of South Haven spent Sunday with U. S. Merritt and family.

Miss Katherine Burgess of Detroit is spending the week at W. O. Allen's.

The Rebekah's will give a night cap box social at Oddfellow's hall, Oct. 30.

Maynard Riley of Indianapolis spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. J. O. Eddy visited her daughter in Chicago from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. H. M. Watkins is visiting in northern Michigan for a couple of weeks.

Otis Patterson of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with H. H. Passage.

Fred Burch and Ami Rae spent a couple of days this week hunting duck at Straight's lake.

Mrs. Wm. Dean, of Northville and Mrs. S. J. Mason of Detroit were Sunday visitors at Asa Joy's.

Mrs. J. R. Rauch visited Mrs. Fitzpatrick at Fort Huron this week; Mr. Rauch also spent Sunday there.

Rev. Hugh Ronald attended the annual meeting of the Presbyterian synod in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday.

Bobt. Walker is attending the National R. F. D. carriers convention at Peoria, Ill. this week and will also spend a week with relatives in Simcoe, Can.

Local nimrods are getting ready for the annual hunt in the north woods when the season opens in about three weeks. There will be a dozen or more in the party.

C. C. Allen was so well pleased with California during his recent visit there that he wants to make it his permanent home. He is offering his property in the village for sale.

Division B of the B. Y. P. U. will give a musical and literary entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bogert, Friday evening, Oct. 19. Admission 10c. All are welcome.

New Independent phones this week: Wm. Smith, J. E. Norris, O. H. Stevens, O. Stacy, Chas. Pitcher, Chauncey Pitcher, Mrs. Frank Hodge, Amos Pickett, Miss Emma Arnold and Wm. Felt.

The funeral of the late Miss Fitzgerald occurred from the home of her sister, Miss Flora Fitzgerald, Saturday afternoon, interment being made at Newburg. Revs. Ronald and Goldie conducted services.

The driver of Will Gayde's meat wagon came to grief Tuesday morning on Ann Arbor street, opposite the park. In making a turn, the wagon reach broke, tipping the vehicle over and spilling him out.

A. N. Kinyon has concluded to quit business and will offer at auction all goods remaining in stock at his warehouse, corner Sutton and Union streets on Saturday, Oct. 20, at 1 o'clock p. m., including also some household articles. H. C. Robinson, auctioneer.

The Plymouth ball team won the game at the Milford fair last Friday forenoon 3 to 2 from Monroe. In the afternoon the winners of the two previous games played for the first prize, the contest being between Milford and Plymouth, the former winning out 3 to 1.

Dr. E. G. Huber received an offer a short time ago to enter upon the staff of a hospital in St. Louis, Mo. Last week he made a trip there and was so well pleased with the position offered that he has concluded to accept it and is now packing his household goods for removal.

The firm of Dohmstreich Bros., which has been doing business in Belleville for about ten years, is closing up its business and will move to Wyandotte and open up a general store. The firm was located in Plymouth before moving to Belleville and still own the building now occupied by Huxton & Co.

Miss Ada Pitcher was a Northville visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. VanVleet spent a few days in Flint this week.

M. A. Weeks has started building a new house on Bowery street.

David Allen has moved from the farm into his house on Main street.

Misses Zaida Briggs and Angie Hoyt are visiting in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Brigham are visiting relatives in Lansing and Delta this week.

W. H. Elliott of Detroit, formerly of the Plymouth House, was in town Monday evening.

The weather this week is much cooler and on Wednesday there were slight flurries of snow.

E. C. Safford and Miss Ada Safford went to Lansing Wednesday to attend the Universalist convention.

Will McLaren discovered a bee tree in his woods a few days ago and secured over fifty pounds of honey.

The Plymouth band furnished the music for the opening of the Northville skating rink Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Johns, Miss Daisy Albre and Fred Campbell of Detroit were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Pettingill Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Pettingill and Mrs. Ida Dunn are in Lansing this week, attending the annual State meeting of the O. E. S. as representatives of the local Chapter.

C. A. Fisher came home Saturday from Walloon Lake where he had been spending several weeks. His mother and sister, who also visited there some time, returned with him.

Fred Stender, aged 62 years, died at his home east of the village last week Thursday night. The funeral occurred Sunday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. Goldie at the house. Interment in Riverside.

E. L. Riggs has a large advertisement, on another page. New goods for fall and winter wear are in stock and prices are made so attractive that comparison is invited with any store in the county. Look over the goods and buy at home.

Michael P. Bourke, Republican nominee for prosecuting attorney, will tour the townships of Wayne county outside of Detroit in company with Congressman Charles E. Townsend next week. The dates are to be arranged by the state central committee and the plan is to take up two days, with one big evening meeting at Wyandotte and one the next evening at Plymouth.

In another column is found an article copied from the Free Press relative to the increase in insurance rates. The Mail called attention to this matter last summer when the rate was raised nearly 80 per cent on some Plymouth property. Some legislative action should be taken on the Michigan insurance combine and the representative of this district, would add to his prestige by taking the lead in such a move. The insurance monopoly is as strong as the Standard oil octopus. The people seem to be helpless.

CHURCH NEWS.

The usual services will be held in the Baptist church next Sunday.

The girls of the Queen Esther circle will hold a bazaar in the M. E. church Saturday afternoon, and a ten cent tea from 5 until 7.

Sunday morning services at First Church of Christ, Scientist 10 a. m. Subject "Doctrine of Atonement." Every one is welcome. Wednesday evening meeting at 7 p. m.

Presbyterian Sunday notices.—10:15 morning worship. Rev. W. S. Jerome of Northville will preach. The congregation will vote on the proposition to change the hour of Sunday morning worship from 10:15 to 10:00 or 10:30. 11:30, S. S. 6:00 C. E. 7:00, Evening service. The pastor will continue the series of talks on "Great Churchmen" and will speak on John Knox and the Scottish Reformation. You are cordially invited to all the above services.

Why Crime is Prevalent.

The prevalence of crime in Michigan recently is explained. The Marquette prison is full. No more convicts can be accommodated there until either the pardon board gets busy or terms expire. If there is any prison where a crook would rather not go it is Marquette. The other prisons are havens and simply restraints from temptation in comparison. They all have a horror of Marquette. Ionia has a nice, strong penitentiary and so has Jackson, and although all the jobs are not in the greenhouses nor in the libraries, nor offices, still they are pretty good places for a fellow who commits a crime, and is sentenced by a judge, and handcuffed and manacled by a sheriff, and placed inside, to stay for a while. Pickpockets are overrunning the county fairs, "juggs" are blowing safes every morning before breakfast just to get appetites, burglaries are common and other crimes are so frequent that they excite little comment. And there is only one explanation of it: Marquette is full.

To Rent—Store formerly occupied by Wm. Bea. Enquire Albert Gayde.

The North Side

Walter Lowery of Tecumseh visited Miss Louise Stever Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gentz, Jr. of Detroit visited relatives here over Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Gayde spent a few days with her daughter and other relatives in Detroit this week.

Ray Smith, who has been playing ball with the Bay City team this season arrived home Wednesday.

Rev. G. D. Ehnis and family were in Saline last week attending the funeral of Mrs. Ehnis' father, Mr. Schley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Addison and daughter of Toledo visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Spinger, this week.

Edward Drews entertained a number of his young friends Tuesday evening, it being his 11th birthday. All had a good time.

Wyman Bartlett has been confined to the house this week with fever and Norman Drews has been driving the meat wagon for him.

Mrs. Fisher and daughter, Mrs. Hannah, who have been visiting the former's daughter at Walloon Lake the past two months, returned home Saturday.

Misses McKeye and Conklin, nurses as Harper hospital, were guests of Mrs. Geo. Shafer Wednesday.

Dame Rumor says that wedding bells will ring for one of Plymouth's young business men next week.

On Tuesday evening, Oct. 23rd, Rev. Caster will give one of his popular lectures, entitled "Taste and Fashion," under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Further particulars next week.

There will be a Sunday school institute of Plymouth and Northville townships held in the M. E. church next Friday morning, afternoon and evening. The ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve a 15-cent supper to visitors and all who may wish to come.

A fifteen cent dinner will be served in the Universalist church, October 17th. Dinner will be served promptly after the whistles blow, to accommodate all shopmen and working people, and others will be served immediately after.

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Pray, where are the toys of the yesteryear:
The jumping jack with its flaring red,
The fuzzy dog and the antlered deer,
The drum with its sticks and tawful
head,
The Noah's ark with its wooden crew,
The building blocks with the letters on?
The child has toys that are bright and new,
But where, pray, where have the old
friends gone?

Somewhere in the attic in corner dark
The jumping jack and the split drum lie,
The wooden crew of the Noah's ark
And the tin of the battered infantry.
There, half by the rubbish and dust con-
cealed,
The fuzzy dog and the wooden deer,
The building blocks with their colors peeled
Half off, and the stringless top is here.

Pray, where are the toys of the yesteryear,
The gaudy dreams with their colors gay,
The castled hopes that were passing dead,
The joys of our boyhood's merry play?
The man has toys that are bright and new,
On the wreck of dreams new dreams ap-
pear.
But where are the hopes of the flaring hue
That were our toys of the yesteryear?
Somewhere in the darkness the dead
dreams fade,
The broken idol and shattered vase,
The castled hopes in their rains laid
Come here to a common trying place,
Half hid by the rubbish and dust of days,
The wrecks of unnumbered dreams are
here
That made us glad in a hundred ways,
And these are the toys of the yesteryear.
—Collier's Weekly.

THE SPENDERS

A Tale of the Third Generation

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CHAPTER XXIV.—CONTINUED.

"Look here, Uncle Peter, you've been telling me right along I did have my father's head and my father's ways and his nerve, and God knows what I didn't have that he had!"

"I was fooled—I can't deny it. What's the use of tryin' to crawl out of it? You did fool me, and I own up to it; I thought you had some sense, some capacity, but you was only like him on the surface; you jest got one or two little ways like his, that's all—Dan'l J. now was good stuff all the way through. He might 'a' guessed wrong on copper, but he'd 'a' saved a get-away stake or borrowed one, and he'd 'a' piled back for Montana to make his pile right over—and he'd 'a' made it, too—that was the kind of man your pa was—he'd 'a' made it!"

"I have saved a get-away stake."

"Your pa had the head, I tell you—and the spirit—"

"And, by God, I'll show you I've got the head. You think because I wanted to live here, and because I made this wrong play, that I'm like all these pinheads you've seen around here. I'll show you different!—I'll fool you."

"Now don't explode!" said the old man, wearily. "You meant well, poor fellow—I'll say that for you; you got a good heart. But there's lots of good men that ain't good for anything in particular. You've got a good heart—yes—you're all right from the neck down."

"See here," said Percival, more calmly. "Listen: I've got you all into this thing, and played you broke against copper; and I'm going to get you out—understand that?"

The old man looked at him pityingly.

"I tell you I'm going to get you out. I'm going back there, and get things in action, and I'm going to stay by them. I've got a good idea of these properties—and you hear me, now—I'll finish with a bank roll that'll choke Rod Bank Canyon."

Fouts knocked and came in.

"Now you go along upstairs, Uncle Peter. I want a few minutes with Mr. Fouts, and I'll come to your place at seven."

The old man arose dejectedly.

"Don't let me interfere a minute with your financial operations. I'm too old a man to be around in folks' way."

He slouched out with his head bent. A moment later Percival remembered his last words, also his reference to Blythe. He was seized with fear for what he might do in his despair. Uncle Peter would act quickly if his mind had been made up. He ran out into Wall street, and hurried up to Broadway. A block off on that crowded thoroughfare he saw the tall figure of Uncle Peter turning into the door of a saloon. He might have bought poison. He ran the length of the block and turned in.

Uncle Peter stood at one end of the bar with a glass of creamy beer in front of him. At the moment Percival entered he was inclining a large slab of Swiss cheese between two slices of rye bread.

He turned and faced Percival, looking from him to his sandwich with vacant eyes.

"I'm that wrought up and dis-
tressed, son, I hardly know what I'm doin'! Look at me now with this stuff in my hands!"

"I just wanted to be sure you were all right," said Percival, greatly re-
lieved.

"All right," the old man repeated.
"All right! My God—raised! There's
nothing left to do 'em."

He looked absently at the sand-

wich and bit a generous semi-circle into it.

"I don't see how you can eat, Uncle Peter. It's so horrible!"

"I don't myself; it ain't a healthy appetite—can't be—must be some kind of a fever inside of me—I s'pose—from all this trouble. And now I've come to poverty and want in my old age. Say, son, I believe there's just one thing you can do to keep me from goin' crazy."

"Name it, Uncle Peter. You bet I'll do it!"

"Well, it ain't much—of course I wouldn't expect you to do all them things you was jest braggin' about back there—about goin' to work the properties and all that—you would do it if you could. I know—but it ain't that. All I ask is, don't play this Wall street game any more. If we can save out enough by good luck to keep us decently so your ma won't have to take boarders, why, don't you go and lose that, too. Don't mortgage the One Girl. I may be sort of superstitious, but somehow, I don't believe Wall street is your game. Course, I don't say you ain't got a game—of some kind—but I got one of them presentiments that it ain't Wall street."

"I don't believe it is, Uncle Peter—I won't touch another share, and I won't go near Shepler again. We'll keep the One Girl."

He called a cab for the old man, and saw him started safely off up-town.

At the hotel Uncle Peter met Billy Brue flourishing an evening paper that flared with exclamatory headlines.

"It's all in the papers, Uncle Peter!"

"Dead broke! Ain't it awful, Billy!"

"Say, Uncle Peter, you said you'd raise hell, and you done it. You done it good, didn't you?"

CHAPTER XXV.

THE NEWS BROKEN, WHEREUPON AN ENGAGEMENT IS BROKEN.

At seven Percival found Uncle Peter at his hotel, still in abysmal depths of woe. Together they went to break the awful news to the unsuspecting Mrs. Bines and Psyche.

"If you'd only learned something useful while you had the chance," began Uncle Peter, dismally, as they were driven to the Hightower, "how to do tricks with cards, or how to sing funny songs, like that little friend of yours from Baltimore you was tellin' me about. Look at him, now. He didn't have anything but his own ability. He could tell you every time what card you was thinkin' about, and do a skit dance and give comic recitations and tanitate a dog fight out in the back yard, and now he's married to one of the richest ladies in New York. Why couldn't you 'a' been learnin' some of them clever things, so you could 'a' married some good-hearted woman wita lots of money—no—"

Uncle Peter's tones were bitter to excess—"You was a rich man's son and raised in idleness—and now, when the rainy day's come, you can't even take a white rabbit out of a stove-pipe hat!"

To these gentle manderings Percival paid no attention. When they came into the crowd and lights of the Hightower, he sent the old man up alone.

"You go, please, and break it to them, Uncle Peter. I'd rather not be there just at first. I'll come along in a little bit."

So Uncle Peter went, protesting that he was a broken old man and a cumberer of Gou's green earth.

Mrs. Bines and Psyche had that moment sat down to dinner. Uncle Peter's manner at once alarmed them.

"It's all over," he said, sinking into a chair.

"Why, what's the matter, Uncle Peter?"

"Percival has—"

Mrs. Bines arose quickly, trembling.

"There—I just knew it—it's all over—he's been struck by one of those ter-



"NEVER MIND, MY SON."

rible automobiles—Oh, take me to where he is!"

"He ain't been run over—he's gone broke—lost all our money; every last cent."

"He hasn't been run over and killed?"

"He's ruined up, I tell you. Marthy—lost every cent of our money in Wall street."

"Hasn't he been hurt at all—not even his leg broke or a big gash in his head and knocked senseless?"

"That boy never had any sense. I tell you he's lost all our money."

"And he ain't a bit hurt—nothing the matter with him?"

"Ain't any more hurt than you or me this minute."

"You're not foolin' his mother, Uncle Peter?"

"I tell you he's alive and well, only he's lost your money and Psyche's and mine and his own."

Mrs. Bines breathed a long, trem-
bling sigh of relief, and sat down to the table again.

"Well, no need to scare a body out of their wits—scaring his mother to death won't bring his money back, will it? If it's gone it's gone."

"But ma, it is awful!" cried Psyche.
"Listen to what Uncle Peter says. We're poor! Don't you understand? Perce has lost all our money."

Mrs. Bines was eating her soup de-
fiantly.

"Long's he's got his health," she be-
gan.

"And me windin' up in the poor-
house," whined Uncle Peter.

"Think of it, ma! Oh, what shall we do?"

Percival entered. Uncle Peter did not raise his head. Psyche stared at him. His mother ran to him, satisfied herself that he was sound in wind and limb, that he had not treacherously donned his summer underwear, and that his feet were not wet. Then she led him to the table.

"Now you sit right down here and take some food. If you're all right, everything is all right."

With a weak attempt at his old gayety he began:

"Really, Mrs. Crackenthorpe—" but he caught Psyche's look and had to stop.

"I'm sorry, sis, clear into my bones. I made an ass of myself—a regular fool right from the factory."

"Never mind, my son; eat your soup," said his mother. And then, with honest intent to comfort him: "Remember that saying of your pa's, 'It takes all kinds of fools to make a world.'"

"But there ain't any fool like a damn fool!" said Uncle Peter, shortly. "I been a-tellin' him."

"Well, you just let him alone; you'll spoil his appetite, first thing you know. My son, eat your soup now, before it gets cold."

"If I only hadn't gone in so heavy," groaned Percival. "Or, if I'd only got tied up in some way for a few weeks—something I could tide over."

"Yes," said Uncle Peter, with a cheerful effort at sarcasm. "It's always easy to think up a lot of holes you could get out of—some different kind of a hole besides the one you're in. That's all some folks can do when they get in one hole. They say: 'Oh, if I was only in that other one, now, how slick I could climb out!' I ain't ever met a person yet was satisfied with the hole they was in. Always some complaint to make about 'em."

"And I had a chance to get out a week ago."

"Yes, and you wouldn't take it, of course—you knew too much—swellin' around here about bein' a Napoleon of finance—and a Shepler and a Wizard of Wall street, and all that kind of guff—and you wouldn't take your chance, and old Mr. Chance went right off and left you, that's what. I tell you, what some folks need is a breed of chances that'll stand without hitchin'."

Percival braced himself and began on his soup.

"Never you mind, Uncle Peter. You remember what I told you."

"That takes a different man from what you are. If your pa was alive now—"

"But what are we going to do?" cried Psyche.

"First thing you'll do," said Uncle Peter, promptly, "you go write a letter to that beau of yourn, tellin' him it's all off. You don't want to let him be the one to break it because you lost your money, do you? You go sign his release right this minute."

"Yes—you're right, Uncle Peter—I suppose it must be done—but the poor fellow really cares for me."

"Oh, of course," answered the old man, "it'll fairly break his heart. You do it just the same!"

She withdrew, and presently came back with a note which she dispatched to Mauburn.

Percival and his mother had continued their dinner, the former shaking his head between the intervals of the old man's lashings, and appearing to hold silent converse with himself.

This was an encouraging sign. It is a curious fact that people never talk to themselves except triumphantly. In moments of real despair we are inwardly dumb. But observe the hold-
ers of imaginary conversations. They are conquerors to the last one. They administer stinging rebukes that leave the adversary writhing. They rise to Alpine heights of pure wisdom and power, leaving him to founder igno-
rantly in the mire of his own fatuity. They achieve repartees the brilliance of which dazzles him to contemptible silence. If statistics were at hand, we should doubtless learn that no man has ever talked to himself save by way of dem-
onstrating his own godlike superiority, and the tawdry impotence of all ob-
stacles and opponents. Percival talked to himself and mentally lived the next five years in a style that reduced Uncle Peter to grinding but imperative awe for his superb gifts of adminis-
tration. He bathed in this imaginary future as in the waters of omnipotence. As time went on he foresaw the defeat of Uncle Peter being turned back upon him with such deadliness that, by the time the roast came, his breast was swelling with pity for that scullie scuffer.

Uncle Peter had first declared that the thought of food sickened him. Prevalent upon at last by Mrs. Bines, to taste the soup, he was soon eating as those present had of late rarely seen him eat.

"Tain't a natural appetite, though," he warned them. "It's a kind of a mania before I go all to pieces. I s'pose."

"Nonsense! We'll have you all right in a week," said Percival. "Just remember that I'm going to take care of you."

"My son can do anything he makes up his mind to," declared Mrs. Bines—"just anything he lays out to do."

They talked until late into the night of what he should "lay out" to do.

Meanwhile the stronghold of Mauburn's optimism was being desperately stormed.

In an evening paper he had read of Percival's losses. The afternoon press of the New York is not apt to understate the facts of a given case. The account Mauburn read stated that the young western millionaire had beggared his family.

Mauburn had gone to his room to be alone with this bitter news. He had begun to face it when Psyche's note of release came. While he was adjusting this development, another knock came on his door. It was the same maid who had brought Psyche's note. This time she brought what he saw to be a cablegram.

"Excuse me, Mr. Mauburn—now this came early to-day, and you wasn't in your room, and when you came in Mr. Ferguson forgot it till just now."

He tore open the envelope and read: "Ma's twins born to Lucy Casselthorpe. Mother and sons doing finey."

"HINKIE."

Mauburn felt the rock foundations of Manhattan Island to be crumbling to dust. For an hour he sat staring at the message. He did not talk to himself once.

Then he hurriedly dressed, took the note and the cablegram, and sought Mrs. Dreimer.

He found that capable lady gowned for the opera. She received his bits of news with the aplomb of a resourceful commander.

"Now, don't go seedy all at once—you've a chance."

"Hang it all, Mrs. Dreimer, I've not life isn't worth livin'—"

"Tut, tut! Death isn't, either!"

"But we'd have been so nicely set up, even without the title, and now Bines, the clumsy ass, has come this infernal cropper, and knocked everything on the head. I say, you know, it's beastly!"

"Hush, and let me think!"

He paced the floor while his matrimonial adviser tapped a white kidded foot on the floor, and appeared to read plans of new battle in a mother-of-pearl paper-knife which she held between the tips of her fingers.

"I have it—and we'll do it quickly!" —Mrs. Wybert!

Mauburn's eyes opened widely.

"That absurd old Peter Bines has spoken to me of her three times lately. She's made a lot more money than she had in this same copper deal, and she'd a lot to begin with. I wonder why he spoke so enthusiastically of her, and I don't see now, but—"

"Well?"

"She'll take you, and you'll be as well set up as you were before. Listen. I met her last week at the Critchleys. She spoke of havin' seen you. I could see she was dead set to make a good marriage. You know she wanted to marry Fred Milbrey, but Horace and his mother wouldn't hear of it after Advice became engaged to Rulon Shepler. I'm in the Critchleys' box to-night and I understand she's to be there. Leave it to me. Now it's after nine, so run along."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A NATURAL CONCLUSION.

College Professor in a Pickle Comes Under Reasonable Condemnation.

It is a lamentable fact—but one not wholly devoid of humorous possibility—that spotless rectitude, through some wanton trick of irresponsible chance, sometimes finds itself sailing under false colors, says the New York Times.

There is an elderly gentleman, professor in a western university, who is a paragon of all virtues, great and small. Even in such matter as diet rigid abstemiousness is observed by him. His achievements in his line of work, excellent in themselves, are the more noteworthy by having been accomplished notwithstanding his delicate eyesight. To his intimates it is also well known that the professor, in earlier years, displayed remarkable will power in overcoming a defect of speech, which recurred now only in moments of extreme perturbation.

The excellent professor was returning home at early dawn one day, soon after college opened, from the bedside of a sick friend. As he proceeded hastily across the campus, his thoughts busy with his friend, he stumbled; although he managed to recover himself, his spectacles became detached and fell.

Quite helpless without these aids to vision, he got down on hands and knees and began to feel carefully in the grass.

While the search went on there approached a young man, a freshman not yet acquainted with all the faculty. To him the disturbed professor appealed for aid.

"Young man," he said, nervously, "will you have the kindness to help me locate my g-glasses?"

The youth gazed indignantly down at the scandalized spectacle of a red-faced, elderly party violently pawing at the earth.

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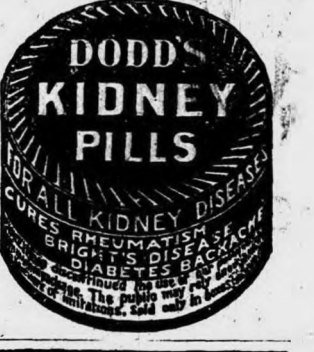
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If any vessel ever arrived at Hoboken with a more remarkable series of adventures than those accredited to the St. Andrew, after that sober plodder of the Phoenix line had reached her Hoboken pier, residents of Hoboken want to know. And such of the marine reporters as come from Missouri want to be shown.

The St. Andrew brought to port an important shipment of horses consigned to western stock farms. There is no doubt as to that. The horses were there, many of them, and many, too, heard of the value of the shipment—\$1,000,000 in all, was it? Amid the thunder of waves this herd was stampeded, and a reckless, daring cowboy crew roped and flung the terrified Percherons and brought them back to their stalls. This, runs the account, came about on the night of August 3. It was a terrifying struggle, and when the casualties were counted it was found that one deck-hand had a sprained wrist.

It was just before this fearsome experience that there was enacted on shipboard the most amazing feat that has ever taken place since the days of Munchausen. This is a verbatim account:

"One of the officers of the St. Andrew, on a wager, climbed to the hind truck of the mainmast on July 30 and lowered the iron ball 150 feet to the deck, and then hoisted it again, set it in place and climbed down to the deck."

It would puzzle sailormen to tell what a "hind truck of a main mast" is, but there must be something of the kind. And there must also be sea serpents, for it was related on a typewriter that on August 3 Capt. Spick and Third Officer Cummings were on the bridge of the St. Andrew when they sighted one and saw about 16 of its feet of its head.

Neither the captain nor his third officer was on board when an investigator called, but another officer volunteered the information that spot-buoys, when they go adrift, do some times look queer.

GOLD IN BIG CHUNKS.

Indian Chief Says Legend of Tribes Tells of It.

Chief Good of the Nanaimo tribe says there has been a legend in his tribe for several generations that about the center of Vancouver Island there is a stream with a small fall. Over the falls gold descends all the time and if a basin is thrust into the water golden grains can be caught therein. "There," say the chief, "is plenty of the stuff that the white men worship in blind adoration of all that is good and noble. At the base of the falls is almost a solid mass of gold and in earlier days many Indians cut away chunks to make bullets so that he might hunt and get his daily food."

It is a matter of history that in 1862 two Frenchmen left Victoria to hunt for the Midas stream. They returned some months later with well filled pokes, but money or persuasion could not induce them to make the trip again, and their faces blanched with terror when they spoke of this curious Eldorado. This bears out the superstition of the Indians that a terrible god holds guard over the treasure, that there is something supernatural, something dreadful about the golden river.

On this account few redskins have ever been induced to join the white parties which from time to time have been made up to look for the source of the gold.

Which Did He Take?

Dr. Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton university, was sauntering down a shady lane one day in the early summer when he met a tall, handsome youth who had just been graduated. He was poor but very intelligent. In all his courses he had taken honors, including athletics.

"Well, Smith," said Dr. Wilson, "through at last, eh?"

"Yes, sir," said the young man, smiling and blushing.

"And now what are you going to do?"

"I hardly know, sir. I have had two offers."

"Two? Wonderful!"

"Yes, sir. One from a scientific society, offering me a secretaryship at \$5 a week and the other is from a baseball magnate offering me a five years' contract to pitch at \$5,000 a season."

Russell Sage Explained.

Once there was a man, says Harper's Weekly, who thought Uncle Russell Sage ought to stop work. He spoke to him about it. "Why get together any more money, Mr. Sage? You can't eat it; you can't drink it. What good will it do you?"

"Ever play marbles?" Uncle Russell asked.

"Yes, when I was a boy."

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SQUELCHED THE PROUD ONE.

Old Traveler Took the Starch Out of the Staff Officer.

A gorgeous staff officer, glittering attendant of a visiting governor, stood at the entrance to the platform in the Philadelphia station of the Pennsylvania road the other day. There had been a historic anniversary celebrated down the Delaware and the guests were about to board their special train for New York. The haughty staff officer had been stationed where he was in order to pass in on to the platform where the "special" was awaiting the invited guests. He was very, very proud. To him appeared an irate old man, dictatorial of temper and optimistic of build.

"When does the next train for Harrisburg leave?" snapped the portly and fiery man.

The staff officer drew himself up haughtily and replied in accents meant to be chilling: "I am sure I don't know."

"You don't, hey?" roared the irate inquirer, being, of course under the impression that the staff officer was one of the uniformed employees of the road; "you don't, hey? Well, I'll find out why you don't. What in thunder are you paid for, any way?"

By this time a crowd of the expected guests had arrived and were standing by, listening with amusement to the conversation. The last pointed question of the old man was too much and a "snicker" broke out which swelled into a laugh as the staff officer, completely taken aback, stammered out: "I—I—don't know."

PITY THE BUTTONED-BEHIND.

The Victim of Modern Feminine Clothes Needs Sympathy.

The man was looking quizzically around the theater, evident in search of something or somebody. "Do you see her anywhere?" coldly asked the maiden at his side.

He laughed. "I wasn't looking for any 'her,'" he said. "I was merely confirming my belief that the majority of women who wear waists buttoned in the back go around with the sixth button from the top unbuttoned. Of course, I know it is difficult for a woman to fasten her shirt-waist properly. The sixth button in the back, but why is it always the sixth button from the top; why not the third or the fifth?"

The maiden at his side looked at him pityingly. "That's easy," she said. "If you'd tried to wear such a waist you'd know just why. It's because the sixth button marks the point where we cannot reach up or down to. By twisting and squirming we can manage to fasten the fifth button from the top, and by twisting our arms up we can reach the seventh from the top, but the sixth is impossible. So we leave it, expecting to ask some kind friend to button that one button for us, and then we go out and forget all about it, until we're reminded. Would you mind buttoning that sixth button on my waist now before the show begins?"

DONKEYS FOR CHILDREN.

They Cost Too Much to Be Common in This Country.

The little donkey cart, as it trilled along the white beach, attracted much attention. Under their red silk parasols the ladies in white looked at the small, gray donkey and smiled. The gentlemen, raising their eyes from their novels, patted the small and dainty animal as it passed.

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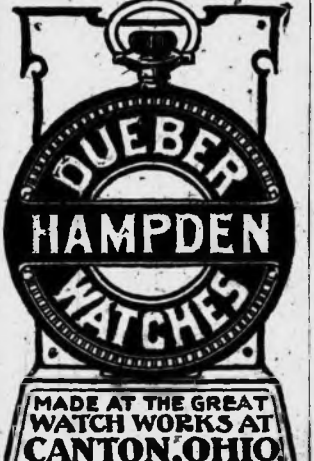
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