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Breezy Items

By The Correspondents.

PERRINSVILLE.

Wm. Beyer who has been ill with the grip is better at present writing. Peter Kubik is able to be out again. The surprise party given at Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Meldrum's last Monday evening was well attended, about 50 being present. All report a good time. Wm. Wurts was in Detroit last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery and daughter of near Wayne visited at Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kubick's last Friday.

Rev. Caster will give a lecture at the church Friday evening. Subject, Over the Mountains of Israel on Horseback. Admission 10c.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder of Detroit visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Stephenson, last Sunday.

Wm. Fox was in Detroit the forepart of the week moving Mrs. Mary Robinson's household goods.

Dee Robinson has again commenced work with Barnum & Baileys show. Mrs. F. Kubik visited her daughter Mrs. Geo. Barnes last Wednesday.

LAPHAM'S CORNERS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Warn of Pontiac and Will Cole of Detroit visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cole, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. Whittaker and Ida visited Mrs. T. Kane Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melburn Partridge visited at Harry Nelson's Sunday.

The Easter exercises will be held at the Lapham church Sunday, April 7.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Whittaker and Ida and Dale visited at Geo. Nelson's Saturday evening.

Mr. Ethel Rich and Mrs. P. S. Rich visited Mrs. H. Whittaker Friday.

The young people are planning for an entertainment to be held soon.

Bitten by a Spider.

Through blood poisoning caused by a spider bite, John Washington of Bosqueville, Tex., would have lost his leg which became a mass of running sores, had he not been persuaded to try Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes: "The first application relieved and four boxes healed all the sores." Heals every sore. 25c. at The Wolverine Drug Co. and John L. Gale's.

LIVONIA CENTER.

Our sick people are all on the gain. Election day was fine, a little cold, but bright and sunny and drew out a large crowd. Every thing passed off smoothly and as far as can be learned not an ill feeling prevailed.

Miss Nina Weaver of Ann Arbor is the new teacher in our school to fill out Miss Gager's term.

W. H. Smith and family and Charlie Colbey's people of Waterford visited Center friends Monday.

Mr. Lee's mother still continues very low.

June weddings used to take the cake but now the latest fad is brown October, eh, Frank?

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Colbey have moved into Pitt Everett's tenant house and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hemple have moved to the Joslin farm, just vacated by Chas. Colbey.

Will Pankow came home from the city Tuesday to help his father on the farm the coming summer.

Miss Hattie Holsington took dinner with the cemetery committee ladies at Mrs. McEachran's election day.

The Price of Health.

"The price of health in a malarious district is just 25 cents; the cost of a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Ella Stayton of Noxand, Ark. New Life Pills cleanse gently and impart new life and vigor to the system. 25c. Satisfaction guaranteed at The Wolverine Drug Co. and J. L. Gale's.

MURRAY'S CORNERS.

The L. A. S. have decided to take a vacation until after house-cleaning time.

The scarlet fever scare is over with and Phil Forbes, after recovering from it, is sick again with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Randolph Brown has nearly recovered from a recent illness.

Easter exercises will be held next Sunday at the Free Church.

Being Business Again.

"When my friends thought I was about to take leave of this world, on account of indigestion, nervousness and general debility," writes A. A. Chisholm, Trinidad, N. Y., "and when I looked about there was no hope left, I was persuaded to try Electric Bitters, and I rejoice to say that they are curing me. I am now doing business again, as of old, and am still gaining daily." Best toilet medicine on earth. Guaranteed by The Wolverine Drug Co. and John L. Gale, 50c.

An Old Pioneer Passes Away.

Nathan T. Sly was born Sept. 24th, 1828, and died April 1, 1907. Mr. Sly was in his seventy-ninth year at the time of his death. He was among the first white children born in Plymouth township. He lived at his late residence forty years. In his early years he was a member of the Baptist church.

August 19th, 1859, he was married to Elizabeth Quackenbush, who survives



him. To them were born two children, Silas and Mrs. Ida Stevens. He is also survived by nine grand-children. He was the last of a family of six children. His many friends speak of him as being an upright, conscientious, christian man. Besides his stricken family a host of friends will mourn his loss. Funeral services were conducted at the home Thursday afternoon, Rev. Hugh Ronald officiating. Interment at Riverside.

Canton and Livonia Election.

Canton township cast but 147 votes at the township election last Monday, a remarkably light vote. The entire Republican township ticket was elected with the exception of Highway commissioner and Justice. James Wiles was elected supervisor by four majority. George Gittins, jr., clerk, 4; C. W. Truesdell, treasurer, 15; George White, highway commissioner, 5; James Gunn, Justice, 8; board of review, George Gittins, Sr., 8; school inspector, Mary Heywood 10.

Bert Paddock, republican candidate for supervisor, was elected by a majority of 22 over Daniel McKinney, democrat, in Livonia township. Other results are as follows: For clerk, John Harlan (R.); treasurer, Harvey Meldrum (R.); highway commissioner, William Johnson (D.); justice, long term, William Coats (D); to fill vacancy, Charles Wolff, Sr. (R.); member board review, Ira Wilson (R.); school inspector, Grace Chilson (R.); constables, Byron Downing, Edwin Holsington, Harrison Johnson, Chas. Laverance, all republicans.

OBITUARY.

While not a resident of Plymouth, Miss Bessie Brown's frequent visits at the home of her sister, Mrs. Isbell made for her a wide circle of friends here. She was born in Arbeta, Tuscola Co., Mich., Sept. 2, 1880, and lived on a farm until 10 years of age, when she went to Tawas City, leaving there about nine years ago to live with her sister. Three years later she entered the University hospital at Ann Arbor to take training as a nurse and graduated two years later. Since that time she has lived in Ypsilanti and vicinity practicing her profession. She developed a rare Christian character of unqualified goodness and was planning to take training in the near future for some form of Christian work. Her death came suddenly and as a great shock to her friends, following an operation for appendicitis. To those who knew her she leaves rare memories of a beautifully useful life.

"Pneumonia's Deadly Work" had so seriously affected my right lung" writes Mrs. Fannie Connor, of Rural Route 1, Georgetown, Tenn., that I coughed continuously night and day and the neighbors' prediction—consumption—seemed inevitable, until my husband brought home a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, which in my case proved to be the only real cough cure and restorer of weak, sore lungs. When all other remedies utterly fail you may still win in the battle against lung and throat troubles with New Discovery, the real cure. Guaranteed by The Wolverine Drug Co. and John L. Gale. 50c and \$1 Trial bottle free.

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MAKE QUARTZ GLASS.

WASHINGTON SCIENTISTS DISCOVER NEW PROCESS.

Feat Achieved by Carnegie Laboratory Workers After Many Fruitless Experiments—Value of the New Product.

Washington.—One of the most important commercial developments from the work of the Carnegie geological laboratory in Washington is the possibility of manufacturing quartz glass.

Dr. Arthur L. Day and E. S. Shepherd are the two men who have achieved the feat. They do not take any interest in the commercial possibilities of the matter. Dr. Day, for instance, says that they have shown that the thing can be done, and now if a commercial company wants to take it up it can do so, all of the facts having been made public in the scientific press and in the learned societies, so that there is no possibility of any one getting a patent on it.

The value of quartz glass over ordinary glass is that it can be heated to a temperature of about 1,000 degrees Centigrade without softening, and its expansion under any ordinary heat is

about 4,000 degrees Fahrenheit, and then subjecting it to an air pressure of between 400 and 500 pounds. After this it was allowed to gradually cool. The air pressure squeezed out the air bubbles, and the result was a solid and clear mass of quartz glass. The plates that have so far been made are only about three by five by half an inch in size. The bubbles are four, not over one-half a millimeter in diameter, and are not frequent enough to interfere with the use of the glass for lenses, mirrors and other optical work. The experimenters think that a little more skill and experience would enable them to make the glass entirely free from flaws.

The value of the glass in photographic work is due, as has been said, to its property of allowing the passage of the ultra-violet rays, which are the rays that do the actual work in photography. In this connection the glass will be peculiarly valuable for the Cooper-Hewitt incandescent light tubes, such as are now in use in the post office buildings. These tubes are very valuable now for photographic work, but with the quartz glass tubes they will be immensely more so.

The glass, when it is first made, can be blown or pressed or cut like ordinary glass. It takes a much higher degree of heat to handle it, the oxyhydrogen blow-pipe having to be used, while the material has to be worked much more quietly than ordinary glass.

As to the cost of the process, Dr. Day would attempt no estimate, merely saying that they had spent a great deal of money in doing as much as they had done, but that probably if the thing were done on a commercial scale and a larger unit of production adopted the cost would be considerably reduced.

The cylinder where the glass is made is a powerful iron "boiler" lined with graphite, and one of the problems in working on a larger scale would be to secure larger sheets of graphite for this lining. These sheets could be supplied only by one of the big companies now operating at Niagara.

DISASTER POSTAL CARDS.

Made From Material That Has Figured in Some Accident.

New York.—The disaster postal is one of the latest forms of the souvenir postal craze. It is fashioned from some material which has figured in an accident or calamity and is properly labeled and dated.

The collision of *Stoyes Beach*, by which the steamer *Larchmont* was lost, furnished a number of these cards. They were made of a piece of sail, cut regulation postal card size, and on the back was printed: "Piece of sail from wreck of schooner *Harry Knowlton* at *Stoyes Beach*, R. I., wrecked by collision with steamer *Larchmont*, February 21, 1907."

The cloth was about an eighth of an inch thick and on its face bore the address and the usual stamp. San Francisco and Kingston have furnished any number of these postals. From railroad wrecks have been sent pieces of car cushions or Pullman draperies

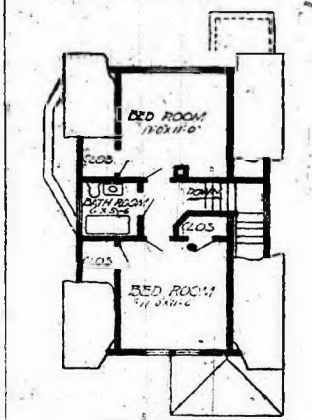
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Did you ever get married and start housekeeping in a neat little cottage that you could dress up to your liking and make it look cozy and comfortable? If you never had that pleasure, you will regret your misfortune as soon as you study the possibilities of this little plan, unless you already have it in prospect.

The time was when life in a cottage meant discomfort in two or three rooms that were awkward, badly arranged and bare looking in spite of every effort to make them homelike. There was a shivery bedroom opening off from the kitchen and a squeaky boxed-in stairway which led to the unfinished or rough-plastered loft where the other sleeping quarters were found. But women demanded so many changes for the better in small houses that architects have improved them wonderfully in the last ten years. Then have found out how to put lumber and other building materials together to form very pretty five and six room houses, a thing they considered unworthy of their time and ingenuity a few years ago. The fact is, it is much more difficult to make a good little house than to make a good satisfactory big house. The planning of a small house runs into a thousand difficulties, in fact, architects are checkmated about every third move when they try to make a thousand dollar cottage cater to the refined and cultivated tastes of girls

not too good to use. We want a big couch or davenport with at least a dozen pillows of appropriate sizes covered with soft materials in colors to match the other decorations. We want a morris chair by the window and shelves containing our favorite books in one corner. We like to decorate the walls with pictures that smile back our ideas of cheerfulness. In this room we receive our friends



Second Floor Plan

and enjoy our evenings when at home alone together.

We go upstairs from the front hall in a Christian like manner where we have a bedroom for ourselves and another for our mother-in-law and a good comfortable bathroom between. Advantage is taken of the low roof to design several clothes closets. Every girl wants plenty of such ac-

HOW TO BEAUTIFY WINDOW.
Center of Attraction in Living Room Needs Artistic Touch.

There is always a particular window in the living room that is the center of attraction, and it usually commands a view of the street. If the window is large and of clear glass, or even if the panes are small, it may be made attractive with a very small expenditure of time and money if one has ingenuity.

In addition to the shade and lace curtains sash curtains are always useful as well as attractive.

If plain white is desired there is nothing prettier or so dainty as dotted net. Or, if a bright effect is desired, select an Indian silk stripe with plenty of yellow and red in it.

A fern pan filled with maidenhair fern, or even a common woodfern, will make a beautiful window ornament, and may also be used for centerpiece on the dining table.

If there is a window seat it should harmonize with the sash curtains. It may be a seat without floppers or may be a box used as a handy receptacle for putting away gowns.

The cushion and floppers may be made of tapestry, the former being stuffed with sea-moss and buttoned. If a cheaper material is desired denim may be utilized, and it should be filled with excelsior.

As to the pillows that make the window attractive one can not have too many of them.

If the window sill is broad enough one may have a box of bulbs in the winter; they can be set away at night, so that the frost will not nip them.

Sometimes one is unfortunate in having a window which opens on an alley, or from which there is an unpleasant outlook.

TO REMOVE IRON MOLD.

Lemon Juice and Salt Can Be Trusted to Eradicate It.

This stain is usually caused by material coming into contact with rust, or by ink. To remove it sprinkle the stain with lemon juice and salt, and expose to the air and sun. Repeat this until the stain has gone. If the above remedy fails, dip the stain into boiling water, and rub it with salts of lemon, using a rag for the purpose.

Then hold the stain over a cup or basin, and pour a stream of boiling water through. The article should be well rinsed and washed to remove all traces of the salts, which would otherwise burn the material. This last remedy must not be tried with color, as salts of lemon destroys color. If colored material is stained with iron mold, the only remedy is lemon juice, and this must be used cautiously, as it destroys some colors.

Good Butter.

It is not every woman who knows what good butter really is. In how many establishments that pride themselves on their cuisine has not one met with poor and tasteless butter, oily butter, even with a tainted article which gives a flavor to all the cooking and the cakes? The yellow butter of the ordinary hotel is a thing to shudder at—not to eat. Butter factories and separator have done much toward bringing a sound quality within the reach of many people; but with the agricultural report on butter before us, with its scathing comments on the prevalence of coloring matter, the disguises of margarine and lard, or the use of boracic acid, one appreciates the security of first-rate butter, whose suspicion, made in the old-fashioned way, though it must be owned it is not easy to obtain and very little is quite pure.

Chicken in Rice Cups.

This is a delicious breakfast or luncheon dish and also is an economical way of using small quantities of leftovers. To prepare it line small buttered cups with soft boiled rice a half inch in thickness. Fill the center with cooked chicken, finely minced, delicately seasoned and slightly made moist with cream sauce or chicken broth. A few chopped oysters added to the chicken improve the flavor. Onion juice and minced celery may be added if desired. Cover the top with a layer of the rice and bake in a moderate oven for 15 minutes. Then invert the cups carefully on a heated platter and serve at once with any preferred sauce.

Way of Using Worn Blankets.

Take an old blanket and wash clean. If ragged at top or bottom cut it off a little, also darn any thin places. Buy white cheese cloth at five cents a yard, about eight yards being required, according to size of blanket. Sew up breadths, after cutting them the right length and cover both sides of blanket. Tie with red or white yarn and button-hole the edges also. You will find it a grand quilt, being soft, warm and light weight, also easy to wash and will stay in place better than baying.

For Silverware.

For silverware use sweet oil and cutting, rub well with a flannel cloth, and polish with chamois leather, but if silver is regularly washed with soap and water to which a little ammonia is added, well dried with a clean cloth, and vigorously rubbed with chamois, few stains will make their appearance.

For a Sore Throat.

An excellent and cleansing gargle is made by adding a large saltspoonful of salt and carbonate of soda to a quart quantity of a glass of water. To insure a speedy recovery, a throat should be well gargled several times daily with the mixture.



who have been accustomed to good homes.

Formerly love in a cottage meant happiness during warm weather only. At the approach of fall it was necessary to go and visit mamma or hunt up a boarding house. The sympathy of friends followed the young turtle doves into their little suburban seclusion because their friends knew that inconveniently lurked in every corner of the little habitation of four bare walls utterly devoid of artistic beauty and as innocent of modern convenience as the cabins of our forefathers without their redeeming big wood burning fireplaces. But the old-time sympathy has changed to new-time envy. The girl with a five-room modern cottage has as much comfort, less worry and more time for social duties and fancy work than the more

commodations whether she needs them or not. Where you have plenty of storage room of this kind you don't need an attic so they are economical as well as useful.

What an interesting little home this is for young folks to start with. It is not necessary that they should always remain in a little cottage. They may branch out when prosperity smiles if they want to, but in after years, when the silver hairs appear and they have quit pumping with the children and playing tag with each other, they will confide the fact to their friends that they never enjoyed life anywhere else as they did in the little five-room cottage.

WITH THE AUTHOR'S INSTINCT.

Lewis Carroll Knew Artist Whom He Had Come to Meet.

The following anecdote is told of the author of "Alice in Wonderland." Lewis Carroll saw some fairy designs by Miss E. Gertrude Thompson, the artist, and wrote that he should like to see more of her work. When he called she was out; but a meeting was arranged in South Kensington museum.

She wondered how she should recognize him in the usual crowd, or he her. She watched carefully, but saw no one she thought could be the author of her favorite book.

Finally she heard high, vivacious voices approaching and the laughter of children. A gentleman entered, two little girls clinging to his hands. She knew him instantly. He stood for a moment, head erect, and glanced swiftly round the room. Then he bent down and whispered something to one of the children. After a moment's pause she pointed straight at Miss Thompson.

He at once came forward with extended hand.

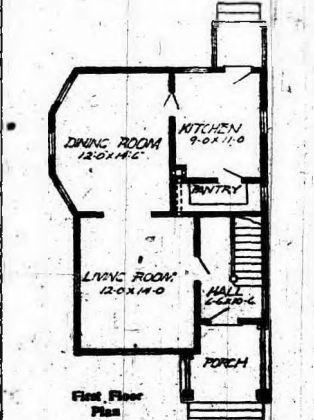
"I am Mr. Dodgson. I was to meet you, I think."

"How did you know me?" she asked.

"My little friend found you. I told her I had come to meet a young lady who knew fairies, and she fixed on you at once. But I knew you before she spoke."

Limit of Bluesness.

"I found what I think is a really funny line in a story in one of the magazines," said Mrs. Doollittle. "A man was telling how discouraged he felt and said: 'Talk about feeling blue—I am the human winkle-stick!'"



First Floor Plan

ambitious young lady who marries an eight or ten-room house with the usual responsibilities.

For about \$1,000 this cozy little combination of three rooms downstairs and two bedrooms and a bathroom upstairs may be built in almost any of our smaller cities or towns. The living room, dining-room and kitchen are perfect in arrangement. They are all large enough for two at all times, with room for company occasionally, and they are light, airy, and may be made very pretty.

Nobody wants a parlor any more, parlors have gone out of date. We want a large pleasant living room that we can decorate with pearl lined wall and ceiling decorations and furnish with good comfortable every-day conveniences which are good to see and

Birthplace of Susan B. Anthony.



The house was built by her grandfather, near Adams, Mass. In July, 1897, Miss Anthony visited it as the guest of the Historical and Scientific Society of Berkshire. The old home was filled with relatives and friends, including many distinguished men and women. It was a remarkably well preserved, substantial building. Not very long ago it was destroyed by fire.

Cities May Cure Drunks.

Sanitariums Planned by Indiana Municipalities.

Wabash, Ind.—The reform wave which has been sweeping Indiana for many months has taken a peculiar turn in threatening to invade the county jails throughout the state. This particular reform is not aimed at the jail management, though some may be badly in need of attention. It is proposed to install it as a department of each jail in the larger cities. If it is established it means a new terror in the bascule for the toper who is wont to imagine strange and dreadful things in his cell while he forgets his debauch.

The new terror will be the "jag cure." In other words, a movement to provide a system of treatment for drunkenness in the case of habitual drunkards at each jail or lockup in the cities that can afford such a plan has been started and is being favored in several Indiana cities.

One of the most interesting features of the movement lies in its origin. It was started indirectly by a woman. The name of "Tish" Higgins, a woman who has been confined twice to the city jail, is the name of the woman who has been a frequent visitor at the Wabash county jail. Usually she came unwillingly, protesting with maiden vigor against being locked up. It is said that no other woman in Indiana, and it is not a record of which any woman would care to boast, has been locked up as many times as "Tish" Higgins.

She came so often to the Wabash jail and became such an expense to the city that Mayor Murphy finally began to wonder if it would not be money in the city treasury to devise some way to quench "Tish" Higgins' unfortunate thirst. Then he decided to give her a "jag cure" and broke the news to the woman after one of her numerous appearances before him. It was enough. She has not been back since.

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Bathtub Arrives, Joy in Town. Fairfax, S. D.—The first bathtub to be set up in this city, Rosebud county seat, was formally installed the other day in the barber shop of Ralph Christensen, and there is rejoicing throughout the whole Rosebud reservation. Fairfax was one of the centers of the Rosebud reservation, and has been equipped with a bath, but it was not until the arrival of the first bathtub that the people of Fairfax were able to enjoy the benefits of a bath.

SIGHTLESS WHIST PLAYER.

Uses Special Cards and Has Wonderfully Retentive Memory.

Philadelphia.—Henry Kuhl Dillard, whose funeral took place a few days ago, had a marvelously retentive memory that served him well in the 25 years of his life, during which he was sightless.

Becoming blind in 1882 when a member of the firm of George C. Carson & Co., which succeeded to the business formerly conducted by Carson & Newbold, Mr. Dillard retired from active business and had remained at his home for the greater part of the time since that date.

Being a devotee of whist Mr. Dillard was loath to be deprived of this pleasure when stricken, so he obtained cards upon which the numerals and letters were raised and became a member of a whist-playing coterie in his neighborhood, playing almost daily for more than ten years.

Until he lost his sight, he was a member of the Philadelphia club and a director of the Philadelphia National bank and belonged to many societies.

For many years he was a vestryman in the Church of the Epiphany and St. James's church, Horn in Philadelphia in 1854. Mr. Dillard came of a distinguished ancestry. In 1870 he married Sallie Poutney Williams, who, with a son, Dr. Henry Kuhl Dillard, Jr., survives him.

SHUN MEAT AND BE STRONG.

Yale Professor Finds Nonflesh Eater Has Greatest Power of Endurance.

New Haven, Conn.—Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale has just completed endurance tests which he claims vindicate a diet without flesh foods. The tests were simple but effective, being: first, holding out the arms as long as possible; second, deep knee bending; third, leg raising with the subject lying on his back.

Forty-nine persons were examined, including Yale students, physicians, nurses and college instructors. Comparisons were made between flesh eating athletes and nonflesh-eating academy workers.

Prof. Fisher says of the result: "The experiment furnished a severe test to the claims of the flesh abstainer. The result would indicate that nonflesh eaters have far greater endurance than those accustomed to a diet of flesh foods."

PLYMOUTH MAIL

F. W. SAMSEN.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES. One Year \$1.00 Six Months .50 Three Months .25

ADVERTISING RATES. Resolutions of Respect, \$1.00. Cards of thanks, 50 cents. All local notices will be charged for at 5 cents per line or fraction thereof, for each insertion.

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1907.

Gov. Warner's proposition to reduce railroad fares to two cents a mile in the lower peninsula and three cents in the upper peninsula was passed by the senate Wednesday after a hot debate.

Some change should be made in the Michigan mortgage tax law which will lessen the very reasonable objections urged against the terms of that law as they now exist.

Raise in Price of Paper.

The past month has been marked by one of the sharpest advances in the paper market that has been known in recent years, and the article is very firm at the advance, which is about twenty-five per cent on print grades.

Annual Meeting Athletic Association.

The annual meeting of the Plymouth Athletic Association was held in the director's room of the Plymouth United Savings Bank last Friday evening, with a fairly good attendance.

President—W. F. Markham. Sec. Treas.—C. S. Butterfield.

Directors—J. D. McLaren, Dr. Patterson, Ed. Gayde, Robt. Walker, Ed. Wood, E. L. Riggs.

The finances of the association were disposed and the need of new suits for the base ball club, resulting in the appointment of the following committee to solicit funds: Ed. Gayde, Robt. Walker and Fred Schrader.

The selection of a manager was deferred by the board of directors until a subsequent meeting.

It is expected Plymouth will be on the field with a good ball team, and we do not believe the people will be disappointed. It has been suggested that a "neighborhood league" be organized, taking in the towns of Wayne, Milford, South Lyon, Pontiac, Brighton and Plymouth, which we believe would be a splendid idea, and worth the effort to obtain.

Petition for Curfew Law.

Ladies of our village who are making a house to house visitation, securing signatures to a petition to be presented to the village council asking for a curfew law, report a ready response on the part of the citizens of our community.

CHURCH NEWS.

METHODIST. 10:00 a. m. Sermon—"Zion Triumphant. 11:30, Sabbath school. 6:00 p. m. Epworth League—Miss Mabel Childs, leader. 7:00 p. m. Sermon—"The Master's Call."

CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST. Sunday morning service at First Church of Christ, Scientist, 10:00 A. M. Subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death real?" Sunday school for children 11:00 A. M. Wednesday evening festival service 7 P. M. Every one is welcome.

UNIVERSALIST. Services at the Universalist church next Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Subject of the sermon, "Honesty a Fundamental Factor in Religious Life." Sunday School at 11:15 a. m. The Y. P. C. U. service at 7:00 p. m. Subject, "Words; Their Power for Good or Evil." Miss Dora Townsend, leader. All are cordially welcome at all of these services.

BAPTIST. Men's meeting 10:00 A. M. All men are welcome to these services. Morning sermon 10:30. Theme, Lessons from an Attempted Sea Trip. Sunday school 11:45. Our young men's class will have to hustle or the young ladies' class will soon outnumber them.

PRESBYTERIAN. Announcement was made at Easter morning service last Sabbath by Mr. B. B. Bennett of the special committee on church debt that the entire debt of \$750 has been raised.

11:15, Sunday school. 6:00, Young People's Meeting. Topic "The Sabbath." Jeremiah 17:19-27. 7:00, Evening praise service. The pastor will speak on "The Power of God unto Salvation."

SCHOOL NOTES. The Seniors will soon be distinguished as "badgers." The German II class enjoyed "Brigitte" Wednesday.

Several more new pictures have been added to those that adorn our school walls.

News seems scarce this week. Spring has come. The editors have struck.

Everybody seemed glad to get back Monday after vacation, teachers included.

The degree M. D. was never acquired with less difficulty than by the president of the Senior Class.

It looked as though the school bell was breakfast bell Wednesday morning by the sleepy looks at roll call.

Our School is now in possession of 105 very fine specimens of mineral loaned by the Houghton College of Mines.

Captain Brown is collecting a large group of athletes who will endeavor to win the large "Silver Trophy" for the third and last time at the next meet.

Congratulations to our shot-putter, Mr. Cortright attended the Y. M. C. A. meet at the Light Guard Armory, Detroit last Friday night and won out easily.

Rev. Goldie delivered his farewell address to the High School Tuesday morning. He leaves for Denver, Col. in about two weeks and he will be missed very much by the High School which enjoys having him with them.

Former Resident Buried Here. James Newman died at his home in Orchard Lake last Saturday at the age of 85 years.

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He had been express messenger, but his health failing some time ago he located at Orchard Lake. He leaves a widow and two children to mourn their loss. The remains were brought to Plymouth last Saturday and taken to the home of H. A. Roe, cousin, at whose home the funeral was held Monday afternoon. Rev. H. Goldie conducting services. Kiffin, of Lodge, F. & A. M., of Detroit, of which deceased was a member, conducted the Masonic funeral rites at the grave, assisted by Plymouth Lodge.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

Republican Rank Broken and the Leading Offices Badly Cut.

The weather Monday was of an ideal variety and according to old traditions there should have been a large Republican vote, but there were many stay-at-homes, while the Democrats made a good showing. There were 425 votes cast. A desire to "get even" with somebody or something seemed to prevail among the Republicans and the local ticket was slashed right and left.

- Supervisor—Charles Bradner 234-55 George VanDeCar 179 Clerk—Preston B. Whitbeck 241-81 Cyrus A. Pinckney 160 Treasurer—Ralph Samsen 232-45 Bert B. Bennett 187 Highway Commissioner—Theodore Chilson 238-66 Geo. Lee 172 Justice of the Peace, full term—Oliver H. Loomis 264-128 Augustus N. Kinyon 196 Justice to fill vacancy—Gurden L. Wright 265 Member Board of Review—James B. Pattison 278-157 Marcus S. Miller 121 School Inspector—Hiram Roe 235-88 William T. Conner 157 Drain Assessors—David D. Allen 271 William Henry 274 Constables—George W. Springer 241-84 Daniel Smith 257-120 John E. Hood 232-60 Walter Kinsler 232-79 Carl Heide 157 Frank Wilson 137 James McKeever 172 H. H. Passage 153

For the State ticket there were cast 208 straight Republican tickets, 90 straight Democrat, 10 Prohibition, 28 Socialist and 5 Socialist Labor. For Justice of the Supreme court Carpenter received 265 votes, Stone 95, Fox 12, Greendyk 31, Hassler 7. On the county ticket Chas. Buhner received 222, James Cunningham 137, O. S. Richardson 30, Herman Richter 5.

For the amendment relative to teaching mechanical trades to convicts in State prisons—yes, 189; no 92.

A New Organization.

A social and beneficial organization, Degree of Honor, was organized at Odd Fellow's Temple Friday evening March 29, 1907, with twenty-five charter members and several more names presented.

- Past Chief of Honor—Irene McDougall Chief of Honor—Allie Austin Lady of Honor—Rella Hemenway Chief of Ceremonies—Effie Wood Recorder—Earnest Gray Financier—Harry Wellman Receiver—Elsa Manzer Usher—Martha Drews Inner Watch—Ora Bathburn Outer Watch—Ellen Arthurs Trustees—Monte Wood, Clara Gray and Fred Williams. Ex. Physician—Albert Patterson. Maids of Honor—Grace Ray, Addie Fisher. Pianist—Clara Riggs. Meetings to be held second and fourth Friday evening of each month.

Porch Lights Free.

At a meeting of the new council Tuesday evening a proposition was carried that hereafter the village will furnish electric current for all house porch-lights free. People who now have porch-lights must pay the expense of material used in separating the porch-light from the inside meter wire in order to get the free light, a slight cost when the advantage and benefit is considered. The labor is free. The porch-lights will add greatly in lighting the streets, especially in the summer time when the trees shade the walks. It's a good thing and benefits the public.

We want one more customer for "Clark's Flour." Try a sack. It is sure to please. Sold by John Gale, W. B. Roe, Brown & Pettigill, Roe & Pradige and A. J. Lapham.

Does Your Heart Beat Yes, 100,000 times each day. Does it send out good blood or bad blood? You know, for good blood is good health; bad blood, bad health. And you know precisely what to take for bad blood—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Doctors have endorsed it for 60 years.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Plymouth United Savings BANK, At Plymouth, Michigan, at the close of business, March 22, 1907, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts \$294,317.27 Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc. 153,954.00 Overdrafts 2.50 Banking houses 3,225.00 Furniture and fixtures 3,200.00 Other real estate 7,151.36 Items in transit 2,147.35 Due from banks in reserve cities 46,822.51 U. S. and National Bank Notes 8,455.00 Gold coin 9,018.50 Silver coin 1,971.05

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in \$75,000.00 Surplus fund 15,000.00 Undivided profits, net 7,594.08 Dividends unpaid 90.00 Commercial deposits 77,412.72 Certificate of deposit 105.00 Savings deposits 252,348.28 Savings certificates 107,124.39

President Bennett is going to get a hustle on and will try to do business with dispatch. He is looking after the Main street improvement and will have a competent engineer here in a few days to look over the situation and make estimates.

The Republicans gain three members on the board of supervisors as the result of the election in the townships Monday, and instead of the board standing 41 Republicans and 19 Democrats, as it did last year, the board this year will consist of 44 Republicans and 16 Democrats.

The Lyric Glee-Club, the last of the Popular Entertainment Course, gave the closing number at the opera house Monday evening, and it was one of the best entertainments of the season. The singing by the quartette was fine and the reading by Miss Doyle was also much appreciated.

A nearby farmer handed the following item to The Mail with the caustic comment that Plymouth doesn't even have a public drinking-trough for farmers' horses:

MUSKOGON—Mayor Norman B. Lawson has started a subscription among business men to raise funds to provide a free lunch for farmers bringing produce to market.

Mrs. David Corkins has been confined since the first of January at the home of her parents in Belleville with a nervous trouble and unable to move. Mr. Corkins, who has been stable-keeper for Harry Robinson for many years, has been constantly at her side taking care of her. As their return to Plymouth appears to be indefinite, their household goods were packed yesterday preparatory to shipment and Bert Robinson will occupy the rooms over the barn thus made vacant.

CARD OF THANKS. Accidents will happen when we least expect them, but they are easier to bear, when we find we are among friends and since I got hurt last February at the Daisy rifle shop I have found good and true friends every where in Plymouth and I want to thank them one and all and especially the Daisy company for their generosity in aiding me in my time of trouble; also I want to thank my fellow laborers, the shop boys, for their substantial token of friendship.

Commissioner's Notice. In the matter of the estate of Charles Truman, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of C. W. Valentine, in the village of Plymouth, in said county, on Wednesday, the 15th day of May, A. D. 1907, and on Thursday, the 16th day of August, A. D. 1907, at two o'clock P. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 15th day of February, A. D. 1907, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Commissioner's Notice. In the matter of the estate of Frederick G. Gorie, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the residence of Charles Hirschleib, in the township of Livonia, in said county, on Friday, the fourteenth day of June, A. D. 1907, and on Friday, the thirteenth day of September, A. D. 1907, at two o'clock P. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 13th day of March, A. D. 1907, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ROGERS READY MIXED PAINT B-20. An image of a paint can with the text: "ROGERS READY MIXED PAINT B-20".

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss. I, E. K. Bennett, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. K. BENNETT, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1907. P. W. VOORHIES, Notary Public.

ROGERS PAINTS are made by a house that cannot afford to risk an honorable reputation by making any sort of paint except the best; nor can you afford to use any except the best, for it is much the cheapest in the long run.

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ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA NUGGETS. Golden Nuggets for Sallow People. An image of a tea nugget box with the text: "ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA NUGGETS Golden Nuggets for Sallow People".

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, ss.
At a session of the Probate court for said
county of Wayne, held at the Probate office in
the city of Detroit, on the nineteenth day of
April, in the year one thousand nine
hundred and seven. Present, Edgar O. Durfee,
Judge of Probate. In the matter of the
estate of John Mack, deceased.
John Mack, administrator of said estate, having
appeared to this court his final adminis-
tration account.
That the twenty-third day of
April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon,
at said court room be appointed for exam-
ining said account and accounting.
That a copy of this
order be published three successive weeks pre-
ceding the time of hearing, in the Plymouth
News, a newspaper printed and circulating in
said county of Wayne.
EDGAR O. DURFEE,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy)
EDGAR O. DURFEE, Probate Clerk.

R-I-P-A-N-S Tablets
Doctors find
A good prescription
For mankind

These small tablets are useful for usual occasions
and their bottles (50-cents) contain a supply
for a year. All druggists sell them.

Local News

Don't fail to see Riggs' new Spring
stock.

Miss Clara Wolff visited in Pontiac
Sunday.

The painter and paper hanger is in
demand.

A. D. Prout of Detroit is in town
this week.

Miss Louise Markham visited in De-
troit this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hake,
Thursday, a girl.

Miss Celia Brown of Oxford spent
Sunday at home.

Ernest Gentz of Saginaw spent Sun-
day with his parents.

Mrs. J. D. McLaren visited friends
in Pontiac this week.

You will find the best line of work-
ing clothing at Riggs'.

Louis Sampson of South Lyon was
a Plymouth visitor Monday.

Miss May Wolgast of Detroit visited
Mrs. Albert Stever last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoyt visited
friends in Ann Arbor Sunday.

M. S. Miller and family have moved
into their home on Main street.

Miss Ida Lukeche, of South Lyon is
visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Mabel Borabacher visited her
parents in South Lyon Saturday.

Miss Mary Freeman of Ypsilanti
visited Mrs. Frank Dicks last week.

Miss Mary Wood of South Lyon
visited Mrs. R. G. Samsen Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herrick of South
Lyon spent Easter with L. Herrick.

Asa Joy attended the funeral of L.
G. Pierson in Farmington Saturday.

Miss Nora Smith of Lansing is visit-
ing relatives in Plymouth this week.

Miss Curtanhouse of Detroit visited
friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Patterson visited in Kith-
ven, Can., the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Samsen of South
Lyon visited their parents over Sun-
day.

Miss Minnie Gyde, one of the Bell
telephone operators, is sick with tonsi-
litis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Goldie and family of
West Branch visited Rev. Goldie this
week.

Young men take a look at the new
Spring styles in Suits and Shoes at
Riggs'.

The council Tuesday evening voted
to borrow \$1,000 to pay current ex-
penses.

The embroidery class will meet with
Mrs. P. A. Lee Tuesday afternoon—
1 to 5.

Mrs. W. H. Bassett visited her
daughter Carrie in Detroit over Sun-
day.

The whist club met with Dr. and
Mrs. F. P. Kenyon Wednesday even-
ing.

See our wagon with 2-inch tire for
\$40.00.

Miss Flo Bamford of Union City is
the guest of Mrs. F. F. Bennett this
week.

Rev. W. G. Stephens and wife of
Northville spent Tuesday with friends
in town.

The First Church of Christ, Scientist,
has installed a new pipe organ in their
church.

Evered Jolliffe and Frank Spicer
were home from Ann Arbor over
Sunday.

Miss Cora Becker of Pontiac visited
Mrs. Will VanVleet Saturday and
Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Gill and children of
Ypsilanti visited Mrs. Rachel Mott
Sunday.

You will have to have Carpets, Lace
Curtains, Rugs, etc., this spring. Buy
them of Riggs—it will pay you.

Mrs. Bert Norton, of Rochester visit-
ed her mother Mrs. Patterson, the
first of the week.

Leon Ovenshire and wife of Detroit
visited the latter's father, H. W. Brad-
ford, over Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Sumner and son Allen
of Detroit visited her sister Mrs. A.
A. Taft over Sunday.

G. A. Maltby of South Lyon and
W. G. Maltby of Detroit visited at
Louis Maltby's Sunday.

Dr. Knapp and wife of Saginaw are
visiting at C. S. Merritt's and attended
the funeral of Nathan Sly yesterday.

Choice Gladiolus bulbs (mixed) 20c
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Mrs. Ella Chaffee and Miss Della
Entrican returned from California
yesterday.

F. B. Park has sold his residence on
Main street to Mrs. F. Markham Baggs
possession to be given next September.

New Spring Dry Goods. Clothing
Shoes, Carpets, Lace Curtains, Hats,
Caps, etc., at Riggs'.

At the town meeting it was voted
that \$100 each be spent on three of the
main roads leading out of the village.

Milford has announced its opening
base ball date as May 9. Busch of De-
troit has been signed for the season as
pitcher.

Louis Hillmer is moving into the
Starkweather house and Louis Fisher
will occupy the house vacated by Mr.
Hillmer.

Don't forget the social at the home
of Mrs. Carrie Markham this (Friday)
evening. A good time awaits those
who come.

Mrs. G. E. Browell, who has been
spending the winter with friends in
Chicago and Minnesota, returned home
Wednesday.

New Gloves, Hosiery, Ribbons, Silks,
Laces, Embroideries, Muslin Under
wear, at Riggs'. See them.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stevens of Flush-
ing and Miss Clara Reed of Richmond
visited at E. L. Riggs' the latter part
of last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Losey,
of Wallaceville, a girl, Tuesday morn-
ing. Mrs. Losey will be remembered
as Miss Vira Ropk.

The fifteen year old son of Fred
Gottschalk, while buzzing wood Wed-
nesday tore his left hand on the saw
and will lose his middle finger.

Miss Lucile Calkins of Northville
and Misses Vera, Mercy, and Harriet
VanAiken of Detroit were guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riggs' last week.

W. J. Burrows caught his left thumb
between a belt and revolving pulley
Wednesday afternoon, at the Daisy
shops, bruising it in a painful manner.

See Huston & Co. for the New Pro-
cess Gasoline stove, with the 1907
burner.

The Misses Whittemore and Love-
joy and Mrs. Bartholomew returned
Wednesday to their homes in Milford,
after spending the week with Mrs. P.
A. Lee.

Rev. H. Goldie handed his resigna-
tion to the M. E. church trustees last
Wednesday evening and expects to
leave Plymouth for Denver on the
22nd inst.

The annual meeting of the tennis
club will be held in P. W. Voorhies'
office tonight at 7:00. All members are
requested to be present as important
matters will be settled.—Sec.

Mrs. A. Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. Harry
Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Draper
and Ed. Tyler attended a birthday
surprise for Mrs. Ernest Kohler at
Northville Tuesday evening. A good
time was reported.

The Sunbeam Minstrels of Detroit
will give a performance in the opera
house Wednesday evening, April 17th,
under the auspices of Torquish Lodge,
No. 32, I. O. O. F. They are said to
give a most creditable entertainment.

The annual spring fair is in town
selling clocks on the installment plan.
Investigation has proven that our
home jeweler will furnish the same
goods at about one fourth less than
they are offered by the fair, and he
also sells on the weekly payment con-
tract plan. Patronize your home mer-
chants, they are the ones that help
to pay our taxes and build up the town.

Ladies, take a look at the handsome
new line of Spring Jackets, Skirts and
Suits at Riggs'. Special sale in these
lines Saturday—don't miss it.

The Eckardt Family musical enter-
tainers and bell ringers will give an
entertainment at the opera house Mon-
day evening, April 8th, for the benefit
of the L. O. T. M. M. A quartette of
male singers and a lady reader is also
with the company and a very fine en-
tertainment may be expected. Ad-
mission 25 and 35 cents. Reserved
seats at Pinckney's Pharmacy on sale
Saturday.

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The North Side

Dr. J. G. Mieler, who has been con-
fined to his bed the past three weeks
is able to sit up again.

Miss Amelia Gayde spent Sunday
with her sister in Detroit.

Miss Ona Rathbun is spending the
week with friends in Detroit.

Mr. Brunner of Northville has mov-
ed into the rooms over Jolliffe's store.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Herrick of South
Lyon spent Saturday with Mrs. Ella
Rathbun and family.

Mrs. Maude Conroy of Stryker, Ohio,
visited her aunt, Mrs. E. N. Passage
and family, Monday and Tuesday.

The new addition being built onto
Mrs. Starkweather's house is nearly
completed. Mr. Hillmer is moving in
this week. Louis Fisher will move in-
to the house vacated by Mr. Hillmer,
as the place where he lived was sold to
J. N. Dickerson, who will move into
same.

Conductor F. J. Williams was hurt
Monday at South Lyon while loading
goods in a car there. He was taken to
the home of his wife's people who live
there and cared for. He was brought
back home to Plymouth Wednesday.
No bones were broken, but he was
unable to continue on his trip to
Grand Ledge, the yard conductor here
taking his place.

Congressman Townsend in Town.

Congressman Townsend was in town
Monday to personally size up the post-
office situation. He may have seen a
very few people who are not already
on record in the matter, but it's not
hard to understand Mr. Townsend's
motive in coming here. We venture
the opinion that the appointment will
be given to Mark Ladd.

Standing Committees.

President Bennett appointed the
following standing committees of the
council for the current year at the
session held Tuesday evening:

Chairs and Accounts—Pettingill,
Hall, Bogert.
Ways and means—Gayde, Hall, Pat-
terson.
Streets—Patterson, Gayde, Pettingill.
Parks—Pettingill, Bogert, Hall.
Health—Hall, Bogert, Fisher.
Public Buildings—Fisher, Patterson,
Pettingill.
License—Bogert, Pettingill, Fisher.
Water—Gayde, Patterson, Pettingill.
Fire—Hall, Pettingill, Fisher.
Electric Lights—Patterson, Gayde,
Hall.
Ordinances—Bogert, Gayde, Fisher.

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NOTICE OF SALE.—Beginning Mon-
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9:00 a. m. of each day of the week. I
am anxious to close the matter up
with as little delay as possible.
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FOR SALE.—Eleven acres of land in
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APPROPRIATE MENU AT A SIMPLE LUNCHEON.

Inexpensive Courses Pleasing to the Eye and Gratifying to the Palate—Beauty in Coloring of Rugs.

For a small luncheon, the following menu will be found inexpensive: For the first course half a grapefruit (the pulp of which has been removed) chilled, sweetened, and a little grape juice added. Serve this in the grape fruit shells or in glasses, which come for the purpose, with one or two maraschino cherries on top, and around the edge place a row of white grapes, cut in half and the seeds removed.

For your next course serve a creamed fish of some kind. To prepare this, make a rich cream sauce, and into this break your cold boiled fish, sprinkle with chopped parsley, and season to taste. Bake in individualramekins. With this course have small bread and butter sandwiches or tiny rolls.

A single chop with French peas and shoestring potatoes will be nice for the third course. The meat may be garnished with a bit of parsley or watercress; with this have hot rolls and olives.

For your salad apple cups filled with chopped nuts and celery mixed with mayonnaise or French dressing are attractive. Ice cream with mararooms is a good dessert, and with this serve your coffee. On your table place small dishes of salted nuts, mints and candied ginger.

Have the grapefruit on the table when the guests are seated. Serve fish in ramekins from the kitchen. Then have your chops prettily arranged on a platter and serve these yourself. As the salad course is supposed to be on individual plates, have the maid bring it in. The hostess may serve the ice cream. If the top of your table is well polished, use a white center square with doilies to match under the plates. A few flowers on the table is a great addition.

If it is impossible to study great paintings, according to Harper's Bazar, make a study of the charms of an old oriental rug. Why is it so beautiful? What color contrasts have these masters of weaving employed? Which colors are used in large quantities, and which in small, etc.? Bits of old Chinese embroidery will reveal a marvelous mastery of color. Pieces of pottery and glass are often a complete revelation of color and contrast if studied with an intelligent eye. In all these masterpieces of art, whether in painting, weaving, embroidery or pottery, one can study how the beauties of color may be brought into practical application. The artists were for the most part led by genius to express the beauties inspired by them. It was necessary for them to analyze either methods or results, but if we would see through their eyes, and learn their secrets for our own use, we must study their ways of working and discover as well as we can a few principles underlying their success. Color harmony is not yet a science, but it is on the borderland of becoming a science. We can discover a few general rules in color quality and color arrangement for our own use by this observation.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To keep a pencil drawing from blurring, dip it gently in quite fresh milk and dry on a smooth hard surface, face up.

It is said stains can be removed from black cloth by rubbing with a freshly cut raw potato, wiping with a clean cloth.

Delicate wall paper can be cleaned by wiping with balls of dough made by kneading stiff a paste of four pounds of flour and two pints of cold water.

To keep faucets bright polish as bright and smooth as possible, then wash with good spar varnish. You can just wipe them off with a moist cloth.

Holes in walls can be stopped with plaster of paris, but mix this with vinegar instead of water, or it will harden so quickly that it will be difficult to manipulate.

To clean jewelry with stones in it, wash it in warm suds made with yellow soap and a few drops of sal volatile. You will find this makes the ornaments brilliantly clean.

Stains on hannel blankets and light-colored woollens may be removed by an application of glycerin and raw yolk of egg—equal parts of each well mixed together. Let this soak in thoroughly, and when it has done its work, remove it by washing with soapy water.

Carrots Stewed in Sugar and Cream. Scrape and clean a half-dozen good-sized carrots and boil in salted water until tender and the water nearly all absorbed, as is the case when cooking pumpkin for pies. Mash the carrots through a sieve, sweeten to taste, pour in a little milk with a tablespoonful cornstarch or potato flour to thicken, and three eggs beaten, with a tablespoonful butter. Flavor with orange, heat in the oven until hot, turn on to a dish and serve with powdered sugar and lemon.

A Cure for Hoarseness. A simple remedy for loss of voice is made by heating up the white of an egg, adding to it the juice of one lemon and enough castor oil to make a teaspoonful of this mixture. Administer at short intervals with warm water.

Benefits of the X-Ray.
It is noted from Baltimore that during the ten years, since the discovery of the X-ray important research has been made by the medical department of Johns Hopkins university through the use of the ray as a diagnostic agent; and the results of great benefits derived from the early diagnosis and study of aneurisms, or morbid dilatation of the walls of arteries, through this agent, have just been compiled and described by Dr. F. Howard Baerjar, of the university.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.
I, FRANK J. CHENEY, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same, as the same appears from the records of said county, and that said original is on file in my office, and that said original is subject to the payment of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Big Port of New South Wales.
Newcastle, N. S. W., is now a very important port, with its 80,000 people and situated 102 miles by rail or 60 miles by sea from Sydney. The principal shipments are coal. Last year 1,779 vessels entered and cleared, having a combined tonnage of 2,768,401. Labor troubles are its chief drawback.

BLOOD GETS SOUR.

Every Family Should Make Up This Home Mixture and Take Now.

At this time of year, says a well-known authority, the kidneys become weak, clogged and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids, which sour the blood, causing not only facial and bodily eruptions, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Nervous and Stomach troubles, Backache and painful, annoying Urinary affections. It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good prescription pharmacy the following ingredients: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the kidneys to normal, healthy action, so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood, and expel this in the urine, at the same time restoring the "full blood count"—that is, 95 per cent. red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health.

Best Violin Strings.

The best strings for violins are of Italian make and are from the intestines of spring lambs, killed in September. The process of drying and bleaching of the woods and strings by the hot Italian sun, rather than by the artificial method used in other countries, accounts in a great measure for the superior quality of both materials. This intense heat was also the reason for the slow distillation of the oils used by the Italian makers, which always remained at a high temperature, and the varnish, slowly soaking into the woods of the violins beneath the heat of those Italian summers, produced, in part, the mellowness of tone that gives to a Cremona instrument its value, after a lapse of 200 or more years.—March Circle.

Autographs in Demand.

At the present time the greatest demand is for autographs of the English literary celebrities, some of which bring thousands of dollars. Keats and Shelley command such high prices that they sell best abroad, where there are more collectors. In London, Berlin and Paris there are continual autograph sales during the season.—The Circle.

When You Are Praised.

When you are praised by a man for whom you cannot possibly do any favor and who, as you know, is aware of the fact, you may find it reasonably safe to conclude that he isn't laying it on any too thick.

A FRIENDLY GROCER.

Dropped a Valuable Hint About Coffee.

"For about eight years," writes a Mich. woman, "I suffered from nervousness—part of the time down in bed with nervous prostration.

"Sometimes I would get numb and it would be almost impossible for me to speak for a spell. At others, I would have severe bilious attacks, and my heart would flutter painfully when I would walk fast or sweep.

"I have taken enough medicine to start a small drug store, without any benefit. One evening our grocer was asking husband how I was and he urged that I quit coffee and use Postum, so he brought home a pkg. and I made it according to directions and we were both delighted with it.

"So we quit coffee altogether and used only Postum. I began to get better in a month's time and look like another person, the color came back to my cheeks, I began to sleep well, my appetite was good and I commenced to take on flesh and become interested in everything about the house.

"Finally I was able to do all my own work without the least sign of my old trouble. I am so thankful for the little book, 'The Road to Wellville.' It has done me so much good. I haven't taken any medicine of any kind for six months and don't need any.

"A friend of ours who did not like Postum as she made it, liked mine; and when she learned to tell it long enough, her's was as good as mine, it's easy if you follow directions." Name given by Postum Company, East Creek, Mich. Read the little book, 'The Road to Wellville.'

FIGURES OF A CROP IN WESTERN CANADA.

How a Swan River Settler Has Succeeded.

Benito, Manitoba, Nov. 26, 1906. At Swan River Valley, in May, 1906, a settler took up a homestead on Section 38, in Township 34, Range 29 West of the First Meridian, at that time 50 miles from a railway, telegraph, school or church. There is now a railway within two miles of my farm, and all these other advantages close at hand. His story is:

"After making my homestead entry fee of \$10 I had \$45.00 total (forty-five dollars) capital. Through doing homestead duties in slack times of the year, I managed to get a start. I am a married man of 28 years of age. I built my first house, or shack, and broke up 8 acres, putting five acres in crop the first year.

"This year, 1906, I had 80 acres in crop—65 acres in wheat, 20 acres of which yielded 850 bushels, or 42½ bushels per acre; 15 acres of oats, which yielded 353 bushels, and one stack of oats in sheaf for feed.

"Receipts for the year—
Sold 1,755 bu. of wheat for... \$1,937.10
In granary, 110 bushels... 71.50
In granary, 355 bu. oats... 58.75
Garden roots and vegetables 25.00
One stack of oats in sheaf... 50.00

Total... \$1,272.35
Expenses of year—
Blue stone for seed... 1.60
Paid for binder twine... 30.00
Paid for hired help... 120.00
Paid for threshing... 107.00

Total... \$ 258.60
Receipts... \$1,272.35
Expenditures... 258.60

Balance... \$1,013.75
Assets.
160 acres of land valued at... \$2,500.00
Frame house 20x26, valued at... 600.00
Farm implements... 425.00
1 team horses and harness... 400.00
5 head young cattle... 75.00
2 hogs... 15.00
Receipts of this year's crop... 1,015.75

Total... \$5,030.75
Liabilities.
Loan on farm... 500.00

Balance to my good... \$4,530.75
Particulars as to how to secure low railway rates to the free homestead lands of Western Canada may be secured from any Canadian Government Agent.

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The number of different species of animals known to naturalists is, roughly, 156,000, of which 15,300 are vertebrates, or backboneed.

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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the approval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

This valuable remedy has been long and favorably known under the name of—Syrup of Figs—and has attained to world-wide acceptance as the most excellent of family laxatives, and as its pure laxative principles, obtained from Senna, are well known to physicians and the Well-Informed of the world to be the best of natural laxatives, we have adopted the more elaborate name of—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as more fully descriptive of the remedy, but doubtless it will always be called for by the shorter name of Syrup of Figs—and to get its beneficial effects always note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package, whether you simply call for—Syrup of Figs—or by the full name—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—is the one laxative remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. and the same heretofore known by the name—Syrup of Figs—which has given satisfaction to millions. The genuine is for sale by all leading druggists throughout the United States in original packages of one size only, the regular price of which is fifty cents per bottle.

Every bottle is sold under the general guarantee of the Company, filed with the Secretary of Agriculture, at Washington, D. C., that the remedy is not adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906.

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RED WHISKERS WERE LACKING.

Hirsute Loez Put Mr. Betrosky in Embarrassing Position.

Just before a city election in Salem, Mass., a Russian Jew entered the savings bank. He was smooth shaven and an awful scow covered one side of his face.

The cashier decided that Betrosky would have to bring some one to the bank who knew him. Muttering angrily, the Hebrew hurried out, and within 15 minutes came back with a woman and five children.

The now tearful group withdrew to a nearby window, but their grief was short lived, for with an exclamation of joy they rushed out of doors, to come back immediately.

As the \$100 was counted the joy of the Betroskys became unbounded, and seven more people there are in Salem who believe that Hurlley, to use his favorite expression, is "right on deck."

REALLY HAD A GRIEVANCE.

Farmer's Resort to Shotgun Not Astonishing Under Circumstances.

The farmer sat on the top rail of his stake-and-rider fence with his sawed off shotgun across his boney knees.

"Layin' fer crows?" queried the Weary Willie who came limping up the dusty highway.

"Nope," the farmer gruffly answered. "I'm layin' fer b'loons. See that sign?"

The wayfarer saw the sign. It was rudely lettered with white chalk on a blackboard. He read it aloud:

All b'loonists is warned that these is private grouns. Any b'loonists trespassin' on these premises will be give the ful pennalty of the law."

"Understandable, ain't it?" the farmer asked.

"Couldn't be plainer," said the wayfarer. "Been annoyin' you, have they?"

"Annoyin' is mild," returned the farmer. "The fust one of 'em dropped in the middle o' my olean bed. I'll admit I wuz rather tickled to see him an' didn't say nothin' bout damages.

Second feller tipped over seven of my bee hives an' ripped the roof of the corn crib. I was too dern busy doggin' bees to put in any bill an' afore I could look 'round—both eyes bein' pretty nigh stung shaf—the feller was a-sailin' over Plum creek. The last chap didn't come clear down, but he dropped his blamed anchor, an' somehow it caught in my melon vices an' away he flew with 27 o' the finest an' ripest melons you ever see a-danglin' at the end of his consarned old drag rope. Then I writ that warnin' over there an' loaded the gun, an' the fust arryoot that flies low enough I'll blow his old gas bag full o' holes es sure ez my name's Lige Hawkins!"

"Good enough," said the wayfarer.

"Absent-Minded Prize.

"I've met the most absent-minded man at last," said the man who is always looking for freaks. "I thought I'd found him in the college professor who, when he went up stairs to dress for dinner, would absent-mindedly go to bed instead.

But that fellow was displaced by a young writer who would put his foot up in a chair to tie his shoe, and then forgetting what he did it for, would put the other foot up in the chair and stand up in it. Then I met a woman who confessed to looking absent-mindedly in the back of her hair brush instead of her hand mirror when she wanted to see the back of her head, and I thought she had gone the writer one better. But I've met the king of the absent-minded world now. He is a young middle-aged, and every once in a while he waits patiently half an hour for a car in a street on which no cars run. He has confessed it, but every once in so often he does the trick right over again."

Floating Elevators.

The impetus given to the grain exportation at Odessa, Russia, has necessitated improved methods for handling this commodity, and the system inaugurated is that of floating elevators, the number of which is on the increase.

Each elevator can handle about 600 tons per day, in loading foreign-bound steamships.

The charge is 25 cents per ton, about one-half the cost of the work when done by hand.

Results of Exposure.

"They say she is a rheumatism of the nerves," remarked the friend. "What is that now, rheumatism of the nerves? I never heard of it."

"Rheumatism," explained the other, "is the kind so much nerve she has."

"She won't have nerves," remarked

Optimistic Obed

By Hugh Pendexter

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It was Alva Binger's funeral. Although he had died in Otisville, an adjoining town, all his neighbors in District No. 6 gave up the day to decent black and grave contemplation as to who would be the next to require their kindly services and sorrowful attendance.

As school-teacher in No. 6 I was expected to be present at the obsequies, and in company with my host, Methuel Currier, drove silently and slowly through the clouds of dust.

"Alva's baby grandson will miss him," I remarked, recalling how a splendid boy, the only one to disregard the pathos of the day, had kicked his sturdy legs in a kindly matron's arms and had refused to recognize death.

"Too young ter know," defended my host, his brow puckering. "Why, Obed Sploggett in th' next wagon, there, will miss Alva more'n th' baby will. An' he never saw him except on town meetin' days years ago, when Alva use ter live here."

As the different carriages radiated from the cemetery the lagging pace gave way before a tight rein and the fan of mourners disappeared in byways and cross-roads, each intent on arriving home in good season for the evening chores. And I was interested to observe that Obed Sploggett was to be our guest at the supper table.

I had seen him once or twice before and had been impressed by the habitual, cheery expression on his rugged face and had come to associate him with things amiable; and in a community where life is sometimes viewed in a somber light I anticipated pleasure in studying him at close range.

"Gim'me th' heel piece, Meth," he said, heartily, as we drew up to the table; and my host placed the toughest slice of the loaf on his plate, to which Mrs. Currier added burned, rind pieces of pork.

"Many at th' funeral?" asked Si, the hired man, who had remained at home to care for the live stock.

"Yas," affirmed Mr. Sploggett, "an' I shouldn't be surprised if we had another soon. Sister Lurinda dreamed of a burryin' last week an' th' hearse was comin' from this way."

Si shuddered and moved his chair to escape a draught from the window

while Mrs. Currier pleaded her apron and mused: "Why, who can it be? We're all well here, I believe. Ye don't feel sick, do ye, Methuel?"

"Naw, I don't, an' I ain't goin' ter, snapped her husband. "What ye try in' ter plaht onter me fer?"

"Ye might be sick an' not know it," reminded Si, reassuringly.

As we pushed back our chairs and returned to the sitting room Obed remarked: "Wal, won't that younker have a hard time of it! I'm only afraid he won't grow up ter appreciate an' enjoy it. That's th' way with babies, half of 'em don't see th' value of their trials. So he's goin' onter 'a' poor farm."

"I ain't said that," growled Mr. Currier, frowning at the bow of his pipe. "It may come ter that, an' mebbe not. Fer a week he's ter stay with one of th' neighbors over there. Mebbe they'll keep him right along."

"They won't," declared Obed, cheerfully, ignoring the easy chair and sitting on the sharp corner of the wood-box until he burned a hole in his coat.

Mr. Currier was a bit rough in ordering Si to look after the cattle. Then he said: "It's tough, but mebbe it's got ter be as ye say, Obed. Ye see, there won't be only a few dollars left from th' foreclosure sale of Alva's farm. Th' best I can do, if those folks won't adopt th' baby, is ter board him on th' farm at th' expense of th' town an' save th' mosey agin' th' day he quits th' place ter hustle fer himself. He's a fine boy baby, too."

Mr. Sploggett cut his tobacco in pellets that could not help but smoke fly. Apparently he was disappointed to learn the poor infant would some time emerge from pauperism, if he lived and if the other selection permitted Mr. Currier to carry out his charitable purpose, with a few dollars in his pocket. For after allowing several matches to burn his fingers he observed: "Lemme make a boy appah, something like dat, ye know ter start him in life as a heir."

"He won't have nerves," remarked

strated Mr. Currier, "even if th' s'lectmen agree ter my scheme."

"And that may be jest enough ter splitt th' lesson his home trainin' on th' farm might learn him," declared Mr. Sploggett, almost sourly, rising to depart.

When I returned from school at noon the next day I found Mr. Currier harnessing his horse with every indication of being in a hurry. As he buckled the straps he told me Mr. Sploggett had been thrown from his wagon shortly after leaving his the night before and had broken a leg. My host suggested that I accompany him on a visit to the injured man and as I was curious to note if anything agreeable had occurred to mar Obed's pleasure in possessing a fractured limb I accepted the invitation.

We found him propped up in a most uncomfortable chair, trying to read without his spectacles. "I've snapped a leg four times," he saluted, "but th' doctor thinks this is th' worst yet. An', d'ye know, I kind of feel as though he'd made a botch of settin' th' bones. I jest tapped my foot on th' floor before ye come in a—urt like sin. Guess I'm in fer—urt it."

"Ain't heard 'em talkin' on th' poor farm yet, have ye, Obed?" joked Mr. Currier.

"Almost," the other grinned. "S'pose ye'll soon have an addition over there in th' Binger baby, won't ye?"

I enjoyed his frown as Mr. Currier replied: "Baby's been adopted."

"Then he won't go?" was the dispirited query.

"Wal, not fer another week," modified my host. "I should have said he was only temporary adopted. Goin' a week from next Monday."

Mr. Sploggett brightened, perceptibly on being assured the baby's lease on respectability was not permanent, and he chuckled at my host's short lived triumph and said: "Ye told me that before. That's nothin'. Th' fact remains, he's got ter go. Wal, it'll be a good trainin' an' a lesson ter him."

It was a relief to be at school on the Monday Mr. Currier went after the child to take it to the poor farm. I did not care to see him when he passed through the district, and therefore, when I came home to dinner and learned he had not arrived, but was expected every minute, I tried to hurry through the meal and evade him. Just as I had refused pie, much to Si's amazement, and was leaving the table, a wagon drove into the yard and Mrs. Currier announced: "Here's Meth with th' baby."

But it was not her husband; it was the optimistic Mr. Sploggett, half reclining on an improvised couch, while his sister, a grim, wooden faced woman, very deaf and seldom known to speak, held the reins.

"Meth here?" he inquired. "I can't come in. Had all I could do ter git inter th' wagon. If th' fish peddler hadn't come along an' gim'me a boost I'd still be ter home, I guess. Most tipped over twice. Gee! but that leg frets me."

Mrs. Currier had hardly explained her husband's absence when another wagon whirled into the yard and my heart sank as I saw the small bundle my host was so carefully holding in the hollow of his left arm. I had hoped the baby had found a permanent home with his foster mother of the week. Mr. Currier's face looked very sour as he tossed the lines to Si and said: "Hang this bein' s'lectman an' cartin' babies ter th' poor house! I don't mind a gr wed-up pauper, 'cause they are usually shiftless an' jest as lief be there as anywhere. But this little cuss ain't done nothin' ter deserve it. Anyway, we'll give him one more independent dinner before he comes ter takin' town charity. Hello, Obed. No use ter speak ter yer sister. Hitch, an' come in."

"Lemme see him, Meth. I can't git down, ye know," said Mr. Sploggett, his face now reflecting only pleasure.

"Ye might wait till ye git well an' call on him at th' poor farm," replied my host, grimly, yet resting one foot on the hub of the wheel and holding up the crawling infant in his arms. The wind blew back a corner of the blanket so that the little face peeped out and Mr. Sploggett's countenance grew solemn.

He gingerly picked up one kicking, worried covered foot between his rough thumb and finger and eyed it in deep surprise. "Lemme heft him," he asked.

The baby did not mind the transfer and lost no time in clutching one fat, dimpled hand in the grizzly whiskers that tickled his chin.

"Smells like sew milk," remarked Mr. Sploggett apologetically with a red face as he raised his head. But I could swear he kissed the little cheek.

His sister's inexpressive face stole a bit of animation as she scratched the tuff from his awkward hair and gently patted the brown hair and rearranged the blanket with deft fingers. Then she asked in her usual monotonous voice, "Shall we go back now, Obed?"

"Hold on!" cried Mr. Currier, as Obed nodded and the wagon began to turn. "Ye've forgot th' baby!"

"No, we ain't," grinned Obed sheepishly. "We've got him. We're goin' ter take him home. I've planned on it right along. Only I didn't wanter come between him an' this experience. When he's older he'll enjoy thinkin' it over. Better pull th' blanket over him more, Lurinda, or else lemme hold him. Gee lang, there."

And that night nature was gladder and the woods and hills mere desirable for Obed's having lived, and I could look through the years and see a slight old man in No. 6 no longer wearing raincoats, but being ruled by the law of a pensioner.

BOYS ARE SURE TO REVOLT.

Cruel Scheme Proposed to Render Them Immune to Germs.

When the purely scientific investigator announces to a new variety of germ and leaves us alone with it while he plunges into pastures new to scare up germs of another feather we may feel somewhat down in the mouth, but we can contemplate the germ's scheme of things in sorrow rather than in anger. But when a magazine writer gets possession of the facts the scientist has dispassionately unearthed and tries to frighten us into attempting to dodge the microbe by executing feats compared to which the tasks of Hercules would be mere calisthenics, we have every right to resent it.

A serious-minded contributor to an altogether serious periodical urges that whenever children return from playing in the streets they should be treated thoroughly with a powerful germicide. It is difficult enough to catch little Willie and hold him down while scrubbing the shadows from behind his ears—and hard enough upon Willie in the opinion of any man who remembers the days, many and full of trouble, when he was pounced upon by a merciless being with six times his strength and none of the tenderness that should accompany might and held in a vise-like grip while an attempt was made to rub his back hair out by the roots with a rough washrag. It is difficult enough to circumvent little Willie once or twice a week and get him into a healthful but hated tub. To inaugurate a policy of spewing a germicide all over him whenever he comes into the halls of his ancestors would be to alienate him utterly. If it did not crystallize his latent determination to become a boy highwayman or cause him to drown himself in the rain barrel he would surely strike out for himself as a street sweeper, a garbage cart driver, a junk dealer, or in one of the several honorable callings which appeal to the imagination of the street-bred urchin. Of course, some spiritless and superlatively good children might tamely submit to the ordeal of the medicine bath, but whom the gods love die young in any event, so why make them miserable during the brief period of their stay on earth?

Their Dire Predicament.

A bit of real life of the North sea fishfolk is exhibited in a letter sent to the editor of a London paper. The letter runs as follows:

I was talking to the vicar of Gorleston the other day in his study, from which one saw a glimpse of the dim and dreary North sea just outside.

Suddenly a fisherman was shown into the room—a typical east coast sea-dog.

Touching his forelock in response to his vicar's hearty greeting, he said: "Look 'ere, vicar, we're in a reg'lar quandary aboard our smack, and knowin' as you know all there is to know about the law, I thought I'd come and ask your advice."

"Last December we chaps on board our smack—the skipper, the mate, me and two other men, and the boys—clubs together and buys a accordion. Well, on Christmas eve the skipper and the mate goes ashore and goes up to the Three Jolly Dogs to make a night of it, and the skipper, 'e goes and busts the blasted thing a-playin' 'Erald Angels,' and that ain't the wust part of it. 'E says we've got to pay for mendin' it!"

Delinquency Explained.

Lord Dunmore, the Scottish earl who has been touring America, talked at a dinner in Boston about Mrs. Baker Eddy, upon whom he had called in Concord.

"I think Mrs. Baker Eddy is a good woman," Lord Dunmore said, "and I think her work has been on the whole beneficent. They who misunderstand her, I am persuaded, misunderstand her willfully."

Smoothing his gray beard, Lord Dunmore smiled.

"They are like a certain soldier who served in my regiment," he said. "This soldier's chaplain saw Donald making for a public house pue day."

"Donald!" the chaplain shouted. "Donald! G. Donald!"

"Donald turned and gave him a hasty look, frowned and darted into the bar."

"The chaplain loitered outside the door till Donald came forth again."

"Donald," he said, reproachfully, "didn't you hear me calling?"

"Yes, sir," Donald answered, "I did, but—but I had only the price of one."

Laying Up Switches.

Apples and flowers, birds' nests, precious stones—precious to the owner—growing plants and baby mudrattles all figure in the collection of treasures carried back from the country; but rarely has a "fresh air" displayed the foresight of a mother who has seen clambering over a rail fence into a piece of underbrush.

"Faith, an' it's some o' thim nipe switches I'm after, Miss Frown," was the reply to the deaconess' question. "I haven't been able to find me a dach switch fer th' b'ys sense I was in the hentry last summer, and now I'm going to take home enough to last till next year."—Deaconess Advocate.

Evolution.

"Don't you believe in evolution?" asked the scientific man.

"Certainly," answered Miss Cayenne. "No change that centuries bring about in natural history can be more remarkable than that which a woman undergoes in a single day, as she progresses from curl paper to evening gown."

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