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Local Correspondence

LAPHAM'S CORNERS.

Mrs. F. I. Packard and children of Detroit are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Withee.

The Salem Farmers' Club held its annual meeting Wednesday at the M. E. parsonage, with but a small attendance.

The Ladies Society will meet Wednesday, July 15, with Mrs. Warren Gorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Macomber and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Prosser of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Nelson and family over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Howe visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Krause and daughter are visiting her sister, Mrs. G. M. Waters this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bovee and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tyler and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Packard.

WEST TOWN LINE.

Miss Julia Smidt of Detroit is the guest of Miss Helen Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Whitmire entertained relatives from Detroit the fourth.

Mrs. J. W. O'Bryan of Wayne visited at her son's, J. C. O'Bryan's Sunday.

James Spencer spent the fourth at Bunker Hill.

Leo Spencer was surprised with a party Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. James Heeney, Gladys, and Fay Spencer spent Sunday with Mrs. Heeney's parents in Livonia.

Maurice See has returned to Wayne, having secured his old position in the P. & G. carriage factory.

When the stomach fails to perform its functions, the bowels become deranged, the liver and kidneys congested, causing numerous diseases. The stomach and liver must be restored to a healthy condition and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets can be depended upon to do it. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by Beyer Pharmacy.

PIKE'S PEAK.

Roy Badelt who has been working near Denton has returned home.

A number from here attended the celebration at Plymouth last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottman of Detroit visited the former's sister Mrs. Paul Badelt last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers of Detroit are visiting at C. V. Chambers' this week.

PERRINSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beyer and daughter Mildred of Detroit have been visiting relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. Maude Stewart and children of Plymouth are visiting her parents and other relatives here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pineheas of Detroit visited Mrs. Katie Wurts last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Norton visited her daughter Mrs. Klumpf of Northville last Monday and Tuesday.

Quite a number from this place attended the celebration at Wayne and Plymouth last Saturday.

Mrs. F. Theuer is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Porter of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parmalee over Sunday.

Thomas Fox died last Wednesday morning after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder of Detroit visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Stephenson over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tyer and daughter Lucile and Mrs. S. Herr and son John visited at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herr's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schunk spent last Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Assa Shaw of Elm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf were in Detroit last Saturday.

Accidents Will Happen

And when they do, you should be prepared with a bottle of Renne's Pain Killing Oil. The best remedy in the world for all aches and pains, no matter where they occur. For both internal and external use. The best on the market. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. F. L. Manning, Jackson, Mich., writes: This is to certify that I have been a constant user of Renne's Pain Killing Oil in my family for the past 20 years, and would no more think of being without it, at all times in the house, than I would without food. I know that by having it at hand to apply at once, we have saved much suffering and doctor bills. Get it—keep it handy at all times, study the directions closely, follow them and you will never regret it. Sold by John L. Gale and Beyer's Pharmacy.

LIVONIA CENTER.

The L. A. S. hold an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnson three-quarters of a mile west of the Center, on Saturday evening, July 10th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peltier visited Willard Bains in Oakland county Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Halstead visited Center friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Karrick visited her daughter, Mrs. John Baze, Sunday.

Hovey Leece and family of Detroit visited friends here from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Chilson, Mr. Mrs. Volney Gunning and Mrs. Wait Whipple and sons helped to make the crowd merry at Ed. Halstead's at Novi June 20th, it being Mrs. Halstead's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Peters of Plymouth took supper with Fred Lee's people Friday night.

The wind storm did quite a lot of damage around here Friday, lodging grain and hay also corn. It blew over a wind mill on Mr. Liverance's farm.

Fred Lee had a nice heifer killed by lightning in the storm Friday night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Peck is having her barn repaired, preparing for the coming crop.

Latest from Cuba says Horace Kingsley and Charlie Hutchins are on their way back to Michigan. No place like home.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is necessary is to give the prescribed dose after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by Beyer Pharmacy.

NEWBURG.

"Where ignorance is bliss 'tis folly to be wise."

E. C. Bassett returned from a short visit with his son Clark in Gratiot county Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Davey, Jr., and her three children came Saturday for a few weeks' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bassett.

Henry Bassett is able to be out again. Mrs. Geo. Messer has returned home, after being in Detroit for several weeks.

The Gleaner society held an ice cream social at the home of E. C. Bassett Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Breckenreid visited Belle Isle Monday.

SALEM.

Miss Gladys Cook of Howell is visiting at S. C. Wheeler's.

John Bussey and family of Detroit are spending the week at L. Bussey's.

Quite a number from here spent Monday at Silver Lake.

F. C. Wheeler attended the Buffalo Bill show in Detroit Monday.

Miss Potter of Detroit has been spending a few days with Clara Westphal.

An ice cream social will be held at the home of E. T. Walker Saturday evening for the benefit of the Walker cemetery.

Bertha Bennett, who has been in Mrs. Tousey's millinery store in Plymouth the past season, is home for the summer.

Mrs. Julia Allen of Holly, Mrs. Mary Gillet of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Newton and daughter, Mrs. Arnold, of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thayer of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Carpenter of Ypsilanti were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ryder last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bussey are spending a few days with relatives in Portland.

Wm. Corbin and family of Grand Rapids spent last week at John Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. Rook Bronson and son of Detroit and Mrs. Lydia Bronson of Chelsea are visiting at Frank Whittaker's this week.

The funeral services of Mrs. N. E. Ryder, who died very suddenly of heart disease at the home of her brother, S. C. Wheeler, last week Tuesday evening, were held at the house Friday afternoon. Rev. Thrasher of Williamston conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Callahan. Burial in Walker cemetery.

Mrs. Ryder was 77 years old and until three years had been a resident of Salem nearly all of her life.

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INCREASE AS THEY TRAVEL

Circumstance That Shows How Stories Are Magnified in Their Repetition.

England's recent fright over an imagined airship from Germany is paralleled by the amazing tiger scare which put central and south Wales in commotion about seven years ago.

This state of terror lasted a week, though no person was found who had actually seen the tiger, but only people who "had heard that some one else," and so forth.

The scared children accepted the warning as real, and hastened home with stories of a savage beast lurking behind hedges or growing in ravines.

Triumphing Ancient German Chrysalis. The most noted ornament of the town is the Rathaus, which no artist who visits Rothenburg fails to sketch.

It is of a most imposing beauty, consisting of an older Gothic building dating back to the middle of the thirteenth century, with an elaborate renaissance facade.

It was from its darkling dungeons that many of the instruments of torture in the museum at Nuremberg came, for Rothenburg was not tender in its treatment of prisoners.

The earlier building has a high square tower crowned with a bell cupola, where thrice a week the choir of St. Jakob's, a reverend church lying within its shadow, painfully climbs, armed with trumpets and other musical instruments.

The sweet Lutheran chorale is repeated four times, as the musicians respectively face the four points of the compass, and the ceremony, so in keeping with the quaint, old-time life of the town, is one of the visitor's unforgettable memories of Rothenburg.

Stockyards to Be Beautified. Unoccupied places in the Chicago stockyards are to be made to bloom.

Instead of unattractive lanes and pens and roadways and great bare buildings, the yards are to present stretches of flower beds, with here and there buildings surrounded with shrubbery.

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Arrange for Loan at Once. State Treasurer Sleeper wrote an official letter to Gov. Warner notifying him of the condition of the treasury, and the governor in turn, it is expected, will notify the state board of auditors, and they will arrange for the loan authorized by the constitution.

How to buy stamps for the next six months is one of the questions bothering state officials, for the sisterhood of states does not extend credit to bankrupt members of the coterie.

State Treasurer Sleeper, in discussing the situation, says that he will not deviate from the course mapped out by the statutes relative to handling the state's cash, and no one need expect him to use one fund illegally to bolster up another.

Capital May Invite State Encampment. The possibility that Lansing may be the scene of the next annual encampment of the state G. A. R. came out at a meeting of Foster post, where it was proposed that an invitation be extended the executive committee of the council of administration of the state department, Grand Army of the Republic.

French Officer Rival of Maxim. Col. Humbert, a retired officer of the French artillery, has invented a gun silencer like that of Hiram Maxim, as it employs the principle of muffling the sound by confining the gases of the explosion and allowing them to escape gradually.

The Great Trek of 1909. A prominent Vancouverite who has just returned from a three-months visit to the northwest, says that there are herds of people, piles of furniture and droves of cattle and horses taking every trail to the great farming lands of the prairies.

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STATE TREASURY IS EMPTY

With \$300,946.67 in the Strong Box, Inroads for Fiscal Year Eat Up Balance, with Result That Officials Must Act at Once.

Lansing.—With millions and millions of dollars' worth of property, generous crops growing in the sunshine, great mineral wealth and millions of citizens—successful citizens—backing her, the dear old state of Michigan is again "broke," it is said.

Thursday night there was \$300,946.67 in expendable funds in the state treasury and demands enough so that Saturday night there was nothing left, according to reports.

By the first of the year the deficiency may reach a million, and to stem this tide state officers may borrow \$250,000.

The new fiscal year began and various state institutions were entitled to draw large sums of money. The Kalamazoo asylum sent in a requisition for \$109,000, and other smaller demands raised the amount to \$200,000.

The institutions were notified some time ago of the prospect, and the rush was made to get what they could.

How to run the state government for six months without money and the legal authority to borrow to exceed \$250,000 is a question causing much discussion in official circles.

It has been proposed that each institution secure funds in the town where it is located and buy needed supplies on sufficient time to weather the storm until next January, when the taxes are collected, or Attorney General Bird induces the railways to pay their taxes ahead of time.

Auditor General Fuller will approve vouchers for interest on credit extended, believing it is better for the state to pay interest than for the firms to increase their prices as a means of collecting interest.

When the taxes come in next year there will be money to clear up the shortage and restore the state to a basis where people will extend credit, but a Lansing drayman notified the board of auditors that unless they could guarantee him his money he would not do any further drawing for the state.

The legislature made provision in the tax budget to be collected next January to take care of the shortage, but the talk then was that the emphysema in the strong box would not appear until August or September.

Dr. George H. Copp President. The Michigan Dental society adjourned its annual convention without selecting a meeting place for the 1919 meeting, the selection being left to the executive committee.

Dr. George H. Copp, Plainwell; vice-president, William A. Griffin, Detroit; secretary, Don M. Graham, Detroit; treasurer, J. Ward House, Grand Rapids. Dr. E. A. Honey of Kalamazoo was inducted as a member of the Michigan board of dental examiners, to succeed himself, and Gov. Warner will be asked to reappoint him.

Dr. George F. Burke of Detroit, opened the afternoon session with a paper on "Progressive Features of Some of the State Dental Laws." He deplored the privilege of the governor to make appointments from the ranks of all registered dentists, and said the tendency of dentists, with a "pull" to "cop" off all the good jobs on the various state boards meets with the disapproval of the society at large.

Reizes Michigan Fish. Game Warden Pierce has received complaints from upper peninsula fishermen that some of their shipments of fish have been seized by the Wisconsin game warden because the boxes were not legally marked.

Three Months for Balking. For refusing to assist in fighting a forest fire, Amil Honkan was sentenced to spend 90 days in the Detroit house of correction.

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SERIAL STORY

THE LONES

of the

LADY ARABELLA

By **HOLLY ELLIOT SEAWELL**

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SYNOPSIS.

At 14 years of age Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw's nephew, Richard Glyn, fell deeply in love with Lady Arabella Stormont, who spurned his attentions. The lad, an orphan, was given a berth as midshipman on the Ajax by his uncle, Giles Vernon, nephew of Sir Thomas Vernon, became the boy's pal. They attended a theater where Hawkshaw's nephew saw Lady Arabella. He was met by Philip Overton, next in line for Sir Thomas Vernon's estate. They started a duel which was interrupted. Vernon, Overton and Hawkshaw's nephew found themselves attracted by pretty Lady Arabella. The Ajax in battle defeated French warships in the Mediterranean. Richard Glyn got £2,000 prize money. He was called home by Lady Hawkshaw as he was about to "blow in" his earnings with Vernon. At a Hawkshaw party Glyn discovered that Lady Arabella was a poor but persistent gambler. He talked much with her cousin Daphne. Lady Arabella again shows love for Glyn. Later she had Glyn and Overton prisoners, thus delaying the duel. In the Overton-Vernon duel, neither was hurt. Lady Arabella humiliated Richard by her pranks. Richard and Giles shipped on a frigate. Giles was captured by the French. Sir Peter arranged for his exchange. Daphne showed a liking for Glyn, who was then 21 years of age. Giles was released. Giles and Richard planned elopements. Sir Peter objected to the plan to wed Daphne. By clever ruses Giles and Richard eloped with Lady Arabella and Daphne, respectively. The latter pair were married. Daphne was pleased; Arabella raved in anger. When the party returned, Arabella asked Sir Peter to aid in prosecuting Giles in court on the charge of committing a capital crime.

CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

As soon as Giles was lodged in jail, Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw, Daphne and I went immediately to see him. We drove in state, in a coach and four, with outriders, Sir Peter in his uniform, with his sword, and I also in uniform; for our object was to testify publicly our regard for Giles and detestation of the prosecution for his life which was on foot.

We reached the great gloomy building, and the turnkey immediately showed us to Giles' room. It was one of the best rooms in the place, and would have been comfortable enough had it not been in a prison.

He was delighted to see us, kissed Lady Hawkshaw's hand, and gave Daphne a hearty smack on the cheek. He looked well, and I expected to find him hopeful; but he seemed to regard his fate as fixed, although it in no wise disturbed his cheerfulness. Sir Peter at once told him that everything possible should be done for his defense, and that eminent counsel were then on their way from London for him; and he and Lady Hawkshaw would bear all the costs of the trial.

"And we," cried Daphne, "claim the right to help; and when you are acquitted, you will find all your debts paid and need not trouble yourself where the money comes from."

Tears sprang to Giles' eyes at this, and he looked gratefully upon us all.

"Dear friends," he said, "I thank you; but I shall not be acquitted. Sir Thomas Vernon and Lady Arabella Stormont thirst for my blood, and by my own folly I have put the noose around my neck. But I say to you from the bottom of my heart that I rather would die upon the gibbet than be married to Lady Arabella. God was good to me in giving her to me as my enemy instead of my wife."

There was something in this; for what man could think, without shuddering, of taking Arabella Stormont to wife?

I saw that Giles had completely recovered from his madness. He blamed no one, frankly acknowledging his own folly, and bore himself as became an officer and a gentleman.

Sir Peter would by no means admit there was the smallest chance of an adverse verdict; but although I could not bring myself to believe that the extreme penalty of the law would be carried out, yet I thought it very likely that the case was too plain for Giles to escape conviction. The conduct of Daphne and Lady Hawkshaw to him was such that I came out of the jail with a deeper reverence, a higher esteem for women than I had known before, although I had always believed them to be God's angels on earth (with a few exceptions). So gentle and determinedly friendly was Lady Hawkshaw, that it did one's heart good. Daphne announced her intention of going to see Sir Thomas Vernon and pleading with him, while Lady Hawkshaw threatened to give him her opinion of him publicly, which was, indeed, a dreadful threat.

The trial came off at the February assizes, and on the night before was the great assize ball. The word was passed around that all of Giles Vernon's friends were to attend this ball, by way of showing our confidence—also—in his acquittal. Therefore, on that night, we—Glyn, the Hawkshaws, Daphne and I—were to go to the ball in all the state we could muster.

We had taken lodgings at York for the trial.

The evening of the ball found the streets crowded as I had never seen them before. The great case, which would be reached within a day or two, brought crowds to attend the assizes, many persons coming even from London. These were chiefly gentlemen of the nobility and gentry who were friends of Giles Vernon's, for never man had so many friends.

It was a cold, bright February night; and the street in front of the assize hall where the ball was held was packed with chariots, chaises, and people on foot, flaring torches and bawling footmen, as if it were a London rout. As our carriage passed the entrance, the way was blocked by the judges' chariots, from which they descended in state. Our coachman, whipping up to get the next place in line, locked wheels with the coach of Sir Thomas Vernon. He sat back, his face visible by the lamps in the courtyard, and as unconcerned as if the case which had brought us all to York was one of his servants beating the watch, instead of the trial of his relative and heir on a capital charge.

The crowd showed its disapproval of Sir Thomas by hurling abusive epithets at him, which only caused him to smile. But he had another enemy to encounter, which was Lady Hawkshaw, and in full sight and hearing of the judges, as they stepped, with stately tread up the stairs, occurred a battle a mort between her and Sir Thomas Vernon, to the intense enjoyment of the crowd, which was uproariously on Lady Hawkshaw's side. Neither Sir Peter nor I took any part in the fray, seeing Lady Hawkshaw had the best of it from the start, and that, woman against man, the populace was heartily with her.

It began by Lady Hawkshaw's putting her head out of the coach and saying at the top of her voice—and what a voice!—"Good evening, Sir Thomas. We are called here upon a sad occasion, but I hope that English justice will prevail to save the life of that gallant young man, your heir, Giles Vernon."

To which Sir Thomas, with a wicked grin, replied:

"We may safely leave that to the jury and to their honors, the lords



justices, madam. But if a young villain steals an heiress against her will, he incurs the extreme penalty of the law."

"Yes," replied Lady Hawkshaw, "I dare say you think the law will deal by Giles Vernon as it did by poor Jack Bassett, whom you got transported for life for killing a hare which was already half dead; or as it served Tobias Clark, the blacksmith, whom you got hanged for stealing one of your sheep."

These things were true, and the crowd gave three loud groans for Sir Thomas Vernon. Before he could get his breath to reply, Lady Hawkshaw continued:

"No wonder you are afraid to sleep without candles burning in your room all night, Sir Thomas."

Sir Thomas ground his teeth, and called:

"Back your horses, coachman, and drive out."

But the crowd would by no means permit it, holding on to the wheels, and shouts resounded: "Good for your ladyship! Hawkshaw forever!"

Sir Peter lay back laughing, while Daphne, by way of encouraging the people, clapped her hands and kissed Lady Hawkshaw on the cheek.

"And let me tell you, Sir Thomas," continued that excellent and indomitable woman, "that because no woman could ever be induced to elope with you, there is no reason why runaway marriages should not be the happiest in the world. I defied my family and as good as ran away with Sir Peter Hawkshaw, and he was as poor as Giles Vernon; but, like him, he was a true and gallant gentleman, and God bless the day I married him!"

At this there was tremendous cheering for Sir Peter, and he took off his hat and bowed, kissing Lady Hawkshaw's hand.

Sir Thomas responded by calling out angrily:

"May I ask your ladyship if Sir Peter was a free agent in the affair of your marriage? For I believe he is not generally held accountable for his actions since that day."

(this was a cruel thrust, for Sir Thomas was notoriously touchy about his age) and I would no more have run away with you than I would this night—and God knows no woman in all the three kingdoms would go with you now!"

The delight of the crowd was extraordinary. I believe they would have mobbed Sir Thomas, except that they felt that Lady Hawkshaw could inflict the more exquisite misery on him. The judges, still going up the steps slowly, probably heard every word of this controversy. The crowd then parted, and taking Sir Thomas' horses by the bits, forced them to give place to Lady Hawkshaw's coach, and she descended amid the loudest cheers of the populace.

Within the splendid ballroom Lady Hawkshaw's triumph was even more marked. Numbers of great people flocked around her; many of them had been witnesses of her battle royal with Sir Thomas, and the story had quickly spread to the rest. Lady Hawkshaw, in spite of her oddities, had always maintained the respect of all who knew her, and never saw I a woman who bore, under all circumstances, more unmistakably the air of a great lady; whether squabbling with Sir Peter, laying down the law to the world at large, or speaking bad French, she was invariably the woman of quality.

The scene of the ball was so gorgeous that even my sad heart took note of it. The hall was ablaze with wax lights, and a huge band of musicians brayed and trumpeted. The lords justices, the lords lieutenants of the three Ridings, and many other persons were in full court costumes, and the ladies' trains of brocade and velvet were a sight to see. And I may be pardoned for saying that Mistress Richard Glyn was by no means the least handsome of the women present.

By Lady Hawkshaw's command we were all to look cheerful, and, when I saw the outpouring of popular approval upon us as Giles Vernon's next friends, my heart grew less heavy.

Lady Hawkshaw seated herself in a large chair at the end of the hall, where she held a kind of court. She wore a gown of some sort of crimson stuff, with a great tail to it, and on her head was a turban with a bird of paradise in it, and on top of that her huge diamond tiara. Everybody flocked to pay her court, and the lord lieutenant of the East Riding asked the honor of her hand to open the ball. She promptly agreed, with the added remark that she had not danced for 30 years. Sir Peter attempted to interpose.

"You can not do it, my lady," he said. "You will trip up and break your leg."

"Not unless you trip me up, Sir Peter," responded her ladyship, who was totally unable to keep up the turtle-dove style toward Sir Peter for any appreciable length of time. "My legs are as good as the lord lieutenant's, thank God! and I shall have pleasure in dancing with his lordship."

Obeying a look from her, Daphne accepted a partner, and I secured one in the lord mayor's daughter. Sir Thomas Vernon, who was then in the hall, had the ineffable impudence to wish to dance in the country dance with us, but he was met everywhere with cold looks and refusals. The ladies of the lords lieutenants were all engaged; so were their daughters. It was a picture to see him going along the line of ladies sitting against the wall, being repulsed by all, and his composure under these embarrassing circumstances was the most extraordinary thing I ever saw. He wore a smile upon his sickly, but handsome face all the time, and, at last, he found a partner in the person of a monstrous ugly woman, whose husband was in the hides and leather trade.

We took our places, Lady Hawkshaw and the lord lieutenant, a fine, handsome man, many years younger than she, at the head of the room. And then the musicians struck up, and Lady Hawkshaw began to dance.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HOW THE PYRAMIDS WERE BUILT

Theory That Explains Expenditure of Time and Labor.

No one has been able to decide how the enormous stones in the pyramids were handled; for, even allowing for the vast army of men, some sort of mechanical contrivance must have been used.

One theory is that as each course of stone was laid a sand embankment was built around it with long, easy slopes so that the stones for the next course could be pushed on rollers and slid into place, without any actual lifting, and so on, the pyramid being in fact buried as fast as it was built, until the top was reached, when the stupendous job of removing the sand embankment was commenced.

This might account for the vast army of laborers used; for instance, it is said that in building the great pyramid of Cheops, 100,000 men were employed for 30 years, although the quarry from which the stone was obtained was nearly 3,000 feet from the pyramid.—Engineering Magazine.

Has Many Crowns.

The czar has as many crowns as a fashionable lady has hats. He is regarded by his people as a religious as well as a secular monarch, and therefore has crowns for every possible state occasion. The Russian imperial crown is modeled after a patriarchal matter. Five magnificent diamonds, resting on a huge glowing ruby, form the bases at the summit. Diamonds and pearls of utmost perfection render this crown unrivaled among all others, and there is one sapphire in it which is said to be the finest stone in the world.—London Times.

SLEEPS IN PEACE BETWEEN GRAVES

POWDER MILL WORKER REPOSES ALL NIGHT IN CEMETERY AND WINS FIVE DOLLARS.

FEAT IS RESULT OF A BET

Doctor Has Watchers Near to See That Compact is Kept and They Have Hard Time Rousing Him in the Morning.

St. Louis.—All the ghosts of East Alton are sad.

William Rampenthal "got their goat."

Some of the ghosts are in favor of moving away from the town, but others say that they will stay there and fight it out in the federal courts, where, they believe, there will be no difficulty in obtaining an injunction to prevent a further encroachment on their incorporate rights.

Rampenthal isn't afraid of anything. He works in a powder mill. A few nights ago he and a group of friends were talking and the conversation turned on personal courage.

"Fear of the supernatural often affects the bravest men," said Dr. C. N. Pence, who has made a deep study of the effect of fear on the nervous system. "You, for instance, Rampenthal, are a brave man, but I'll wager that you can't walk through the Milton cemetery here without shivering and feeling a strange sense of impending danger."

"Go 'way," replied Rampenthal. "I can lie down in that cemetery and sleep like a baby."

"Bet you \$5 you can't," said Dr. Pence.

"You're on," said Rampenthal. Midnight was chosen as the eerie hour when the start for the cemetery should be made.

Mr. Pence, in his somber, black bugy drove up to Rampenthal's home. In it were three heavy blankets, a sheet and a pillow.

"Jump in," whispered the doctor.



Pulled the Covers Over Him and Went to Sleep.

"Sure," said Rampenthal, "I always did like to sleep outdoors."

They drove to the cemetery. "I'll make your bed there between two graves," said Dr. Pence.

"All right. I'll sit on this tombstone and watch you," said Rampenthal.

When the bed was made Dr. Pence staked off a space 16 feet square, marking the corners with pegs.

"You must stay in there," he said. "If you step over the line you lose the bet."

"Sort of a dead-line, isn't it?" laughed Rampenthal, knocking the ashes from his pipe.

The doctor bade him good-by and drove away. Rampenthal didn't know that the physician had stationed watchers in the thick undergrowth nearby to see that he kept his compact. He lay down on his bed between the graves, pulled the covers over him, and went to sleep.

At 5:30 a. m. the watchers closed in. Rampenthal was lying on his back with his mouth open, still fling saws. They shook him. He rolled over and buried his face in the pillow.

They tickled his toes. He drew his feet under the covers and grunted. They poked him in the ribs. He threw out his arms to shoo them away. They pulled his ears and pinched his nose. Slowly he came to half-consciousness.

"G-r-r-r-r-raw, please, go 'way. G-r-r-r-raw, and let me sleep," he muttered.

When at last he was wide awake, he sat up and said:

"Do I get the five?"

He hurried to the home of Dr. Pence and collected the wager before starting his day's work at the powder mill.

WHAT WERE THEY THERE FOR

Reporter's Seemingly Superfluous Question as to Happenings at Cabinet Meetings.

Postmaster General Meyer is of a serious turn of mind, but he has a bit of humor in his makeup, nevertheless. Being looked upon as the surest political man in the president's cabinet, he is the objective point for newspaper correspondents on cabinet days.

Last week as Mr. Meyer emerged from the White House a newspaper man asked:

"Mr. Postmaster General, can't you give us some news about the cabinet meetings?"

"There really is nothing to say," replied the cabinet officer. "We discussed nothing of especial importance."

"Do you mean to say you did not discuss politics?" the newspaper man queried.

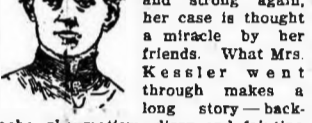
The postmaster general burst into laughter. When he recovered his usual serenity he said:

"Do you suppose we were all muzzled?"

HER FRIENDS WONDER

How Mrs. Kessler Was Rescued from Almost Certain Death.

Few have lived through such trials and suffering from kidney disease as were endured by Mrs. Caroline Kessler of W. Main St., Paw Paw, Mich. Well and strong again, her case is thought a miracle by her friends. What Mrs. Kessler went through makes a long story—back-



ache, rheumatism, dizzy and fainting spells, urinary disorders, dreadful bloating of droopy and finally a complete prostration that defied medical skill and caused her to be given up. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills Mrs. Kessler is a well woman and is willing to tell about her case to anyone who cares to inquire.

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A JOB FOR TWO.



"What you fellows got in that box?" "It's all right, officer. We're takin' home Mamie Casey's hat wot she wore at de lawn party last night!"

Alcohol and Tuberculosis.

The most prominent tuberculosis specialists in the country agree that alcohol will not cure consumption. Dr. S. A. Knopf says: "Alcohol has never cured and never will cure tuberculosis. It will either prevent or retard recovery." Dr. Frank Billings of Chicago and Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch, ex-presidents of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis; Dr. Lawrence F. Flick of Philadelphia and Dr. Edward L. Trudeau of Saranac Lake, the founder of the anti-tuberculosis movement in this country, are all of the same opinion.

A Youthful Idea.

"See, my son," said an enthusiastic parent, anxious to impress the beauties and resources of nature, "what beautiful green dresses of leaves the trees have now, when in winter they are quite bare."

"I guess," said the youngster, thoughtfully, "that when winter comes they pack these pretty green dresses in their trunks, don't they?"



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Force of Habit.

In spite of the impediment in his speech the fervent lover had urged himself up to the point of a proposal. "Mum-Mum-Maud," he began, "I mum-mum-may call you Mum-Mum-Maud, may I nun-nun-not?"

"Why, yes, if you wish to, Mr. Chatterton—Harry."

"That's rah-rah-right. Call me Ha-Ha-Harry."

"Ha-ha-Harry!"

"Thank you, Mum-Mum-Maud, there is sus-sus-something very nun-nun near my heart that concerns yuh-yuh-you. Can you gug-gug-guess what it is?"

"Why, no, Harry."

"Then I'll tut-tut-tell you. My dud-dud-darling. I lul-lul-love you. Wuh-wuh-will you bub-bub-bub-be my wuh-wuh-wuh-wuh-wife?"

"Oh, Harry! This is so sudden!"

Lazy Men Power Generators.

Learned Justice Betts of Kingston, N. Y., says: "Lazy men have a right to live." Our lazy men are our most potent. History shows that as a rule, with a rule's exceptions, our greatest men had either indolent or shiftless fathers, as fathers of Shakespeare, Lincoln, Napoleon, Bismarck and other worthies indicate. On the other hand, great men's children are few and far between. Power in a lazy man is accumulating, as in a coiled spring, but the great man has little or nothing left for offspring.—New York Times.

Leave it to Him.

A Wichita man was fusing because of his aching teeth. "Why don't you go to a dentist?" asked one of his friends.

"Oh, I haven't got the nerve," was the reply.

"Never mind that," replied the friend, "the dentist will find the nerve all right."—Kansas City Journal.

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FRIDAY, JULY 9, 1909.

New Optometry Law.

A new law to provide for the examination, regulation, licensing the registration of optometrists, known as House Enrolled Act No. 48, introduced by Mr. Giles, is of interest to many, and the following synopsis will explain some points of the law.

Five electors of the state are to be appointed before November 1, 1909, by the Governor, which shall constitute a board of examiners in optometry. These examiners must be people who have been practicing optometry for a least five years. The names of these people are to be furnished the Governor by the Michigan Society of Optometrists, at least three times as many names as are to be appointed, and he must select the five from this list. Certain classes of optometrists are barred from being on the board.

This board is required to meet at least twice each year.

After January 1, 1910, all men and women engaged in the practice of optometry or who wish to begin the practice of the same in this state, shall make application to this board to be registered and for a certificate of said registration. These certificates are granted under certain restrictions, which the law defines. The registration fee is \$5.

From and after May 1, 1910, any application for registration under this act shall be required to pass an examination. The act provides for certain qualifications, such as being possessed of an education equal to two years' high school course, he shall have been employed in the office of an optometrist registered under this act, as an assistant, for a period of not less than two years, or shall be a graduate of an optical school or college approved by this board, as well as other restrictions which the law gives. The examination fee is \$15 and \$5 for registration.

Provisions are made in the law for dishonest conduct, unprofessionalism, drunkards, etc., when proven in a court of competent jurisdiction.

The board conducts their business with the money received in fees, and provision is made for salaries of examiners, etc.

The practice of optometry is defined to be the employment of any means other than the use of drugs for the measurement of the powers of vision and the determination of the accommodative and refractive states of the eye and the scope of its functions in general, and the adaption of lenses and frames for the aid thereof. The provisions of this act do not apply to physicians and surgeons who are duly licensed.

Punishment is provided for the violation of this act.

ELM.

Fra Wilson was in Wayne on business last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Steffen of Redford has been suffering with quinsy and is under the care of Dr. Tupper.

A number from here attended the aid society at Mrs. Wm. Esch's at Gilt Edge last week Thursday. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Charles Goers August 5. All are cordially invited.

About one-half of the population of Livonia took in the doings at Plymouth on the 3rd.

Frank Shear of Redford lost a valuable horse last week.

Mrs. Fred Gams was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. John Krumm's at Plymouth several days last week.

Perry Shaw, who is employed by the telephone company at Grand Rapids, called on his parents on the 4th.

Flint Journal:—It was announced at the inspection that Sergeant Richard Pitcher, of Company A, had been promoted to the position of battalion sergeant major of the third battalion of the Third regiment, and he is now a member of Major Parks' staff. The promotion, it was stated, comes as a reward for long and efficient service in the company. He has been a member of the company since 1900.

A CARD.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Schaal, Mr. and Mrs. D. Baker, Mrs. Reed, Mr. Russell and Rev. Jack for their help in loading the papers. They also thank the public for donating the paper.

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While there were many noises and the small boy and his little sister as well as the larger brother and sister were very much in evidence from early morn until late at night, it was nevertheless a "Sane Fourth" that was celebrated in Plymouth last Saturday. Not a single accident or "incident" occurred to mar the occasion and everybody was happy and full of patriotism. The day was a perfect one from the weather standpoint—not too warm—making the getting about very comfortable. Not a single disturbance occurred, not a man drunk and no arrests were made.

The crowd began to arrive before nine o'clock and by ten o'clock the streets presented an animated appearance. The people continued to come and by two o'clock several thousand had congregated.

The early morning athletic sports were witnessed by a big crowd, from three to a dozen being entered in each event. The first event was a 100-yard dash, won by Spencer Heeney first, Art. Humphries second, Steve Jewell third. The potato race was won by John Gray first, Art. Humphries second, Spencer Heeney third. Sack race—Steve Jewell first, John Gray second, Ed. Bolton third. Three-legged race—John and Hugh Gray first, Claude and Geo. Bridger second, Steve Jewell and Will Cook third. Wheelbarrow race—Steve Jewell first, John Gray second, Perry Austin third. Girls' race—Ruby Like first, Marion Hood and Helen Ford tied for second, Avis Chilson third, Irene Linden fourth, Florence Stevens fifth. Fat man's race—Walter Cole first, Milo Corwin second, Roy Mott third.

After these sports had been pulled off the crowd headed for the ball park preceded by the band. The Daisy club was scheduled to go against Northville and it was a long drawn out affair before the game was finished. Rosenberg and Williams occupied the points for the Daisy team and Moffatt and Stimpson for the Northvilles. It was largely a pitcher's battle in the latter part of the game. The Daisies made five runs in the first inning and at the end of the ninth the game stood at seven each. Not until the sixteenth inning was a run scored by either side, when the Northvilles succeeded in putting two more across the pan, giving them the game.

At one o'clock the crowd gathered around the band stand in the park to listen to the oration by Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer of Ann Arbor. After several selections by the band, Village President Markham introduced the speaker, who held his audience closely for three-quarters of an hour, not by flighty oratory and spread-eagle buncombe, but by continuous witticisms and humorous stories, in which he worked in his trip to Georgetown, British Guiana, as U. S. consul, and his experiences and description of the country there, making comparisons with our own glorious land of the free. It was just such a speech as would catch the populace at such an occasion and the speaker was frequently applauded and at its close given three cheers by a bunch of old soldiers who had gathered in front of the stand to hear him.

The water battle between members of the Plymouth and Northville fire departments was the most exciting event of the day. Northville was delayed a couple of minutes in getting a stream upon their adversaries, but were game to the end. Both sides were about all in when the order was given to "lay-down," the battle being declared a draw. The Plymouth team was composed of the following members: Roy Lane, Albert Stineable, Merritt Hanchett, Lee Passage, Ed. Bolton, Fred Wagonshultz.

The band again headed for the ball park, followed by a large crowd, while yet many more remained up town to sit in the park, ride in the merry-go-round attend the dance or otherwise to enjoy themselves. The afternoon ball game was between Northville and Plymouth, and it was believed for the first five innings, the game might be a good one but about that time Evans, pitcher of the Northvilles, weakened and Plymouth ran up a score of 14 runs. Roy Armstrong pitched for Plymouth, being nicely supported by the field, the visitors being unable to make a single tally.

The next feature on the program were the horse races on Sutton street. The night shirt race was won by Roy Lane first, Charley Stevens second, Ann Lyon third. The quarter mile dash was won by Stevens, Goodale second, Lane third. The novelty race was won by Lane first, Stevens second, and Lyon third. The egg race afforded a lot of amusement and was won by Goodale first, Lane second, Stevens third.

A magnificent display of fireworks in the evening closed the 1909 celebration in Plymouth.

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CHURCH NEWS.

LUTHERAN.

There will be no services in the German church next Sunday. Sunday-school at 10 a. m., as usual.

UNIVERSALIST.

Rev. F. W. Miller, Pastor. Services next Sunday at the usual hour, 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Topic, The Spiritual in Life an Uplook.

METHODIST.

Rev. E. King, Pastor. Morning service at 10:00 a. m. The pastor will preach. Sunday-school at 11:30. Evening union service at the Presbyterian church at 7:00, or in the park at 6:30 if weather is warm. The pastor of this church will preach.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST.

Next Sunday morning at First Church of Christ, Scientist, 10:10 A. M. Subject, "Sacrament." Communion service. Sunday-school for children 11:00 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial service 7:10. Every one is welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. E. N. Ronald, Pastor. Sunday, 10:00, morning worship. Preaching by the pastor. Subject, "Christian Refinement." 11:15, Sunday-school.

The evening service will be a union service. Weather permitting it will be held in Central park at 6:30 o'clock. Otherwise in the Presbyterian church at 7 o'clock. If a park service is to be held the bell will ring at 5:30, otherwise at 6 o'clock. Rev. E. King will be the speaker. You are invited to all the above services.

The July quarterly social was held Wednesday evening.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	232,714 55
Bonds, mortgages and securities	190,214 05
Overdrafts	142 01
Banking houses	1,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	3,000 00
Other real estate	7,834 28
Items in transit	2,381 10
Due from banks in reserve cities	85,021 98
U. S. and National Bank currency	18,318 00
Gold coin	9,547 00
Silver coin	1,746 85
Nickels and cents	121 25
Checks and other cash items	28 27
Total	\$75,829 40

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 75,000 00
Surplus fund	15,000 00
Undivided profits, net	12,989 98
Dividends unpaid	00 00
Commercial deposits	64,206 22
Certificates of deposits	105 00
Savings deposits	24,476 05
Savings certificates	100,530 17
Total	\$575,829 40

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 29th day of June, 1909.
 My commission expires Jan. 18, 1913.
 ALICE M. SAFFORD, Notary Public
 Correct—Attest:
 D. D. ALLEN,
 O. A. FRASER,
 J. W. HENDERSON, Directors

EXCURSION

VIA THE

Pere Marquette

ON

Sund'y, July 11

TO

GREENVILLE

Train will leave Plymouth at 8:15 a. m. Returning leave Greenville at 6:00 p. m.

ROUND TRIP FARES

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To Lansing	1.00
To Grand Lodge	1.25
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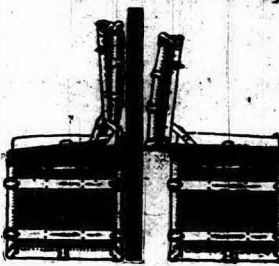


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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, ss: At a session of the Probate Court for the said county of Wayne, held at the Probate court room in the city of Detroit, on the fourth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine. Present Edgar O. Duffee, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Luther Lyon, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary Lyon praying that administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the seventh day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room, be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

EDGAR O. DUFFEE, Judge of Probate

(A true copy.) EDWIN H. PALMER, Probate Clerk.

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Sunday, July 11

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NORTH BOUND.

Leave Plymouth for Northville 6:30 a. m. (Sundays excepted), 7:30 a. m. and every hour to 9:30 p. m.; also 10:45 p. m. and 12:25 a. m. Leave Detroit for Plymouth 5:45 a. m. (from Michigan car barn); also 6:30 a. m. and every hour to 7:30 p. m.; also 9 p. m. and 11 p. m. changing cars at Wayne.

Leave Wayne for Plymouth 6:30 a. m. and every hour to 8:30 p. m.; also 10:10 p. m. and 12 mid-night. Cars connect at Wayne for Ypsilanti and points west to Jackson.

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Local News

Miss Emma Merrill spent the week with Mrs. C. G. Draper.

Chas. Waghorn of Stanton visited Miss Kate Passage over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mather of Marshall are visiting their son Chas. Mather.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Proctor of Detroit spent Sunday at W. W. Murray's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Detroit were Sunday visitors at the Bogert home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cable of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday at Lewis Cable's.

Miss Nellie Bradford of Whitehouse, Ohio, is visiting at Calvin Whipple's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stevens of Flushing visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Riggs over Sunday.

Geo. Lee and family have moved into their handsome new residence on Sutton street.

Eugene Riggs, wife and son of Pontiac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Riggs Sunday.

Miss Florence Caster left Tuesday for a few weeks' visit with friends in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Don. Voorhies of Detroit were visitors at the parental home over the Fourth.

G. A. Maltby and daughters, Alma and Edna, of South Lyon spent Saturday at Louis Maltby's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bradner and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coe of Lansing celebrated the 4th in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carman of Sandusky, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Corkins are visiting the former's mother and brother near Tecumseh this week.

Miss Elsie Eddy is visiting friends at Cheboygan for a few weeks. She formerly taught school there.

W. T. Conner took his family to Walled Lake Tuesday, where they will pass the rest of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bogert and children were Saturday and Sunday visitors with friends at Birmingham.

Mrs. C. W. Valentine and Mrs. Henry Valentine and children are spending the week at Whitmore Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Honsinger of Fairgrove, Mich., visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. Sherman the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Briggs and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Briggs were visitors at the Burrows home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Voorhies and children and Mrs. Mina Warner of Manistee were over Sunday guests of Supt. and Mrs. W. N. Isbell.

A pair of 4th of July twin girls made their appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Roth Sunday morning, and Will is very happy over their advent.

The Rebekeh Lodge committee, assisted by Mrs. E. L. Riggs, purchased an upright piano for their lodge and had in place for their meeting Friday night.

Mr. dan Mrs. Fred Bennett and Mr. Mrs. J. H. Patterson and their guests from St. Joseph spent Saturday and Sunday at the Blue cottage at Cass Lake.

Rev. and Mrs. Ronald attended a banquet last evening given in the Fort street Presbyterian church house in honor of Dr. J. M. Barkley, who was moderator of the Denver Assembly.

Mrs. L. C. Schroder of Farmington visited here Tuesday. She was surprised by a number of her friends who had gathered at the home of Miss Grace McGraw and who presented her with a linen shower.

Misses Theo. Macdonald, of Detroit, Florence Wetmore and Elizabeth Kitztrige of Ann Arbor and Mary Howes, of Decatur, Ill., all former teachers of the Plymouth schools, visited Rose Hawthorne yesterday.

Not much of any business was transacted by the council at the regular session last Tuesday evening. Several new crosswalks were ordered built and a retaining wall was ordered built in front of the premises of Ed. Chase on Main street. The matter of approving the water tax roll was left for a special meeting to be held this evening.

Rev. H. N. Ronald has received a unanimous call from the Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian church and is considering its acceptance. He will make a decision before the end of the week, but we hope his congregation here will prevail upon him to remain. He is a thoroughly good citizen, conscientious and sincere in his work for the cause of God.

Stop! Listen! Look out for the bake sale! When? Saturday afternoon, July 17th. The committee of the W. C. T. U., of which Mesdames John Root and Agnes Stevens are leaders, announce a bake sale on date mentioned. The members of this committee are requested to bring their goods to Gittins' store as early as 2 o'clock p. m., July 17.

Ernest Roe has gone for a trip up the lakes.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Orman Russell, Sunday, a son.

Miss Evelyn Thomas is visiting her uncles in Flint.

Harry Wilkinson of Detroit is visiting at Dan Baker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sherman spent the Fourth at Eloise.

Carl Eberts of Flint spent the 4th with his parents here.

Mrs. Carmen Root is expected home from California this week.

Mrs. Geo. Richwine has been visiting friends in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wolgast of Detroit are visiting friends here.

John Miller of Flint was the guest of Chas. Shattuck over Sunday.

The Post Office at Stark will be discontinued after the 31st of July.

Miss M. J. Matthews of York, Neb., is visiting her father J. Matthews.

Arthur Reed of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Reed over Sunday.

Frank Nicholson and Miss Lelia Murray spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

Fred Cline and family are camping at Walled Lake for a couple of weeks.

Will Brown, with other friends, is spending a week at Straights Lake.

Miss Autie Millard of Detroit is visiting friends in the village this week.

George McGill of Detroit visited his father and sister the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slater of Marshall are visiting John Lang and family this week.

Thos. Leith, Jr., and Miss Ethel Burton of Ypsilanti were visitors here Saturday.

Miss Minnie Born of Portsmouth, Neb., is visiting Mrs. Peter Gayde and family.

Mrs. E. H. Tighe and sons of Detroit are visiting her mother, Mrs. Geo. A. Starkweather.

Mrs. J. D. McLaren and Miss Nell McLaren are spending the week with relatives in Saginaw.

Mrs. Love and granddaughter Lorena Love of Dunnville, Can., are visiting at Mrs. A. W. Lyons.

Dr. E. I. Backus and wife of St. Joseph were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patterson this week.

Mrs. Jonas Wilcox and Miss Lorene Iris of North Farmington visited at Chas. Riggs' last Friday.

Misses Mary Bell and Iva and Myrtle Holmes of Ypsilanti visited E. N. Passage and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Parks left Wednesday for their cottage at Walled Lake, where they will remain for a season.

Mrs. F. J. VanLeuven of Milford visited her daughter Mrs. L. B. Wheaton from Friday until Tuesday morning.

The band took occasion last Thursday to serenade Isaac Gleason, one of the original members way back in the sixties, and it was much appreciated.

A card received from Harry Evans of Flint says his father, Oliver Evans had another stroke of paralysis and is expected to survive the stroke but a short time.

B. E. Tremaine and wife of Detroit, cousin of Mrs. J. Matthews, spent Tuesday at the Matthews farm and Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins also of Detroit, were there Monday.

Lafayette Dean returned Wednesday from a several weeks' visit with friends in New York, Rhode Island and New Jersey. He had a most pleasant time, so he says.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Spicer, also Miss Emma Boylan and Norval Ayers of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barker and Gladys Barker of Canton, were guests at the Spicer home Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Some sixty friends of Thos. Patterson gathered at his home last Friday afternoon to help him celebrate his birthday. That it was a surprise to him made the occasion none the less agreeable and all were greeted with a happy smile and cheering words. An elegant luncheon was served by Mrs. Patterson and the guests departed wishing Mr. Patterson many more happy birthdays.

Tonquish Lodge, I. O. O. F., installed the following officers Tuesday night: P. G., G. E. Criger; N. G., F. J. Howe; V. G., L. Green; P. S., F. S. Wilson; T. S., B. Sherman; R. S., C. G. Curtis; con., W. J. Stewart; warder, L. Dean; chap., A. Trinkaus; I. G., M. Gleason; O. G., H. Fisher; R. S. S., J. Cooper; L. S. S., J. Lundy; R. S. to N. G., George King; L. S. to N. G., F. Reiman; R. S. to W. G., E. Clark; L. S. to V. G., Wm. Crumm.

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Baxter, July 3rd, when their daughter, Alma Louise was united in marriage to William Winthrop Millman of Jackson. The bride was attended by her sister, Helen, and the groom's best man was his brother, J. C. Millman of Jackson. Rev. Hugh Ronald of the Presbyterian church officiated. The young couple left for a short trip and will be at home after Aug. 1st at 226 West Westley St., Jackson, Mich.

Car Overturned.

The last car out from Wayne to Plymouth Wednesday night ran off the track at Cady's corners and overturned. The accident is said to have been much similar to that which occurred at Newburg some time ago. There were no passengers on the car, however, but Motor-man Harrington and Conductor Russell were seriously cut by flying glass and more or less bruised up. A wrecking car was sent down from Farmington and by nine o'clock yesterday morning the track was cleared for traffic.

Too much speed going around curves is again attributed to be the cause of the accident, and it makes people of nervous temperament feel rather apprehensive when they take the night cars out from Wayne. The time schedule from Wayne to Northville on the last two cars is said to be much shorter than the day cars, and the crew, to make the time, is obliged to run at greater speed. Seems as if the time could be lengthened out at that hour instead of shortened and the lives of passengers and crew made more safe.

Huston-Brooks Wedding.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Brooks at Warren, Mich., at high noon on Wednesday, June 30th, 1909, when their only daughter, Miss Frances Mae, was united in marriage to Mr. Charles Elmer Huston of Plymouth, in the presence of about fifty friends and relatives. The color scheme was green and white and the house was tastefully decorated. To the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march played by Mrs. L. M. Lenhoff, of Oxford, the bridal party took their places under a canopy of green and white. The bride was beautifully gowned in white Messaline satin, trimmed in Irish lace, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and lilies of the valley. Miss Mary J. Bielman as maid of honor wore a gown of white Japonica silk with lace and carried white carnations. The groom was assisted by Mr. F. J. Whitbeck of Plymouth as best man. Miss Iva Huston and Master Oscar Huston of Plymouth, niece and nephew of the groom, and Misses Bernice Stevens and Georgia Wilson of Utica were ribbon bearers. Little Miss Hildreth Cross of Troy carried the ring in the heart of a Bermuda lily. Rev. J. R. Beach of Denton, acted as officiating clergyman, being assisted by Rev. Cross of Troy. At the close of the ceremony and after receiving the congratulations and best wishes of their friends, Misses Bessie Wade Crate of North Branch, cousin of the bride, and Ruth Huston, niece of the groom, as flower girls, scattered white carnations along the pathway of the bride.

The guests were then escorted to K. of P. hall, where a delicious luncheon was partaken of, the decorations of the hall also being green and white. At the close of the feast Mr. Chas. M. Smith of Detroit was chosen toastmaster and aptly filled the place, toasts being responded to by the following: Rev. Beach, Rev. Cross, J. H. Hodges, Julius H. Rieck, Arthur Huston, Ed. Huston, O. M. Brooks and W. H. Marvin. Utica Sentinel.

The following Plymouth people leave next Sunday for a trip to Seattle and the coast, expecting to be gone several weeks: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Leach and Madeline Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilcox, Mrs. E. L. Riggs Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bennett, and Miss Verna Root. They will go by boat from Port Huron to Duluth and then by rail. Accompanying the above party the following will go as far as Duluth only: Mrs. W. O. Allen, Miss Mary Gonner, Miss Minnie Heide, Mrs. Phila Harrison, Miss Kate Passage and Miss Meda Wheeler. The last named party will be gone about ten days.

While at work on the railroad section last Monday Levi Hanchett got in the way of a pickax wielded by his son Merritt, the point of the pick piercing his right foot clean through, making a very painful injury. Dr. Patterson dressed the wound.

Notice.

The annual school meeting of District No. 1 will be held in the high school room on Monday evening, July 12th, at 7:30 o'clock, for the election of two trustees and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. P. W. VOORHIES, Sec'y.

NOTICE.—I will be at W. W. Murray's grocery store every Thursday and Friday in July to collect village taxes. W. B. ROE, Treasurer.

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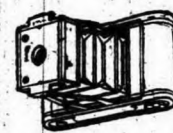
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SPELLING THE DOOM OF THE HORSE THIEF

CLASING a fleeing thief on a special train is a new feature just introduced into detective work in Kansas, and has served to attract attention to the Anti-Horse Thief association, which made use of that unusual method recently at Parsons, Kans. A policeman, in collusion with others, had burglarized a store, been arrested, and escaped from jail. His route was learned, and there being no regular train soon, a special was chartered, and with a bunch of Antis, as the members of the A. H. T. A. are called, aboard, started in pursuit. When it returned a few hours later it had aboard the policeman-burglar.

The Anti-Horse Thief association is rather a novel organization now flourishing in the middle west, having members as far east as Ohio, and as far west as New Mexico, and a total membership of 40,000. It is organized on the lodge system, and combines both protection and detection in its plan of operation—protection, in that its members unite in guarding the person, home and property of each member against unlawful interference by others; and detection, in that the members will hunt and capture any persons who transgress on the rights of any member, and hunt for and recover stolen property. The detective features are for the purpose of making the protective features more successful and effective. The order often spends ten times the value of a stolen article in recovering it, but it teaches thieves what to expect if they molest the property of any member. Hiring a train to chase a thief is a heavier expense than any public officer will, or can, afford to incur, but that expense was small when divided among hundreds of members, and they consider it well spent. A big thief is in the penitentiary, and an impressive lesson has been taught to other thieves in that locality.

There is a marked difference between the A. H. T. A. and the old-time organizations of that nature. The vigilantes, about whom our fathers sometimes speak, often set themselves up as judge, jury and executioners. They sometimes held "necktie" parties in some secluded spot in the woods on a dark night, and perhaps there would be a light-fingered gentleman missing from that community the next morning. The regulators, about which we have read, sometimes forced people to leave the neighborhood or "take the consequences." Their motives for such action were often questionable. Not so with the A. H. T. A. It does not violate one law to uphold another. It imposes a strict obligation upon its members to obey the law themselves. It then commands others to do likewise or suffer the penalty the law provides. It catches criminals, but turns them at once over to the officers of the law. Some have styled the A. H. T. A. an officers-aid society, and in fact its record entitles it to that appellation. It opposes mob violence with all of its influence, and has prevented more than one lynching. It has recently been making its plans to prevent if possible the introduction of "night-riding" in Arkansas and Oklahoma. "Protect the innocent; bring the guilty to justice," is its motto.

A mistaken idea some people have of the A. H. T. A. is that it looks after horse thieves only. Every kind of stealing, as well as other violations of the law, comes within the scope of its work. Cases are on record where the A. H. T. A. spent ten dollars to recover a dollar whip. One such case usually puts an end to whip-stealing in that community. Its object in doing so is not the value of the whip, but the lesson taught. It convinces thieves it is not profitable, and is extremely hazardous, to



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steal from a member. Thieves have been known to pass by the horse of a member and take that of his neighbor. The thief knew it was easier to elude one man than many.

This unique, practical and useful organization was first organized in Clark county, Missouri, during the civil war. Maj. David McKee, a brave soldier, was its first president, and his first efforts was to suppress bushwhacking in northeast Missouri. The disorganized condition of the country gave the order men much to do, and it grew and spread until it now extends over seven states.

John W. Wall of Parsons, Kans., is the supreme president. Wall is a born detective and a crack shot with a Winchester at long range. He led the crowd that chartered the special train to seek the fleeing policeman. Through the thoroughness of the organization Wall is able to call to his aid, by secret methods if needed, members of the order almost anywhere he may go, and with this assistance his work has given rise to the saying "If Wall goes after them he will bring them in."

Some of the experiences of the order read



like sketches from Conan Doyle, but they are actual happenings. The work of William Weaver in capturing two yegmen at Carl Junction, Mo., holds the record for grit, daring and activity among the Antis. Weaver arrested a man he knew was wanted, and started off with him. Four strangers nearby, one with

two guns and each of the others with a gun, came to the rescue of their comrade, and before Weaver was aware, they had five ugly guns pointed at his head and his own hands and guns were extending upward toward high heaven. The leader of the gang told the others to get away while he took care of Weaver with his two guns. "Drop that gun or you die," came the command to Weaver in no uncertain tones. A pause, and again the command was repeated. The two men stood staring into each other's eyes, every nerve at high tension. It was a trying moment, one in which most men would have dropped the gun. Weaver is small and lithe. He knows no such thing as showing the white feather. As president of the grand lodge of the A. H. T. A. in Missouri he had been drilling others for just such work. He, their leader, must do his duty. He dropped to the ground like a flash, and as he dropped he sent two bullets through the body of the stranger, while two others went whizzing over his own head. "I'm all in," said the stranger. Weaver kicked the dying man's guns beyond his reach and started after his first man, and in a few minutes had him on the way to jail. An hour later it became known that yegmen had blown a safe in a nearby town during the night, and that Weaver had put an end to the career of two of the men who did the work.

Bill Rudolph, the Ironton, Mo., bank robber, who had eluded the Pinkertons for months and had killed one of the best detectives in the country, was captured by the Antis near Paola, Kans., not long after he made his daring escape from the St. Louis jail by dashing through the jailer's house in broad daylight. The newspapers said he was captured by a bunch of farmers, but they were men who had been preparing for months for just such cases, and were acting under direction of their chosen leader.

Bob Worthman, a noted criminal, who was sent to the penitentiary from the Indian Territory a couple of years ago, got gay, and he and two of his pals caught an active anti while on his way home from church one Sunday night. They started to hang this anti, but after compelling him to take an oath of their own making, they released him. This particular anti dropped out of the hunt, but the other members kept it up until the rascal was put in safekeeping, where he still remains.

These are only a few of many cases, but they serve to show the work of the order. The A. H. T. A. is organized on the lodge system the same as the many other fraternal orders, except that it has a different object in view. Its workings are secret only in so far as is necessary to its success and to protect it from impostors. The cost of maintenance is a trifle. It seldom costs a member more than a dollar a year, and often less than that.

The activity of the A. H. T. A. has a far-reaching influence. It is a potent factor in the line of moral uplifting. It leads aright those who will be led, but lays a heavy hand on those who persist in their efforts to live from the fruits of other men's toil. It prevents crime. It is a public benefactor, for a thief in jail can steal from no man. An active A. H. T. A. lodge is a blessing to any community.

he proceeded to put it into execution at once. The stream was dammed to one side, exposing the rocky bed half way across, above the falls. Gordon procured dynamite and sunk a shaft 5 by 15 feet to the cave below, about ten feet back from the brink of the falls. A dam was built at the brink, so the entire flow was diverted through this hole. A new two-story mill was built and a bigger chain hung in the shaft, to which huge wooden buckets were fastened, and Gordon found to his joy that he had more power than he had any use for, and actually had to remove every third bucket to lessen the speed.

different streams, and some of these stand today as our greatest triumphs of engineering. But for native ingenuity—doing something with nothing, getting results with neither tools nor materials, nothing but pure Yankee ingenuity, the mill which stood for many years on the brink of a little waterfall in Jefferson county, Indiana, between the little Presbyterian college town of Hanover and the Ohio river, and only recently has fallen into disuse, deserves a Carnegie medal.

The stream, which has less than three miles of length from its source in the hillside springs to its mouth in the Ohio, was so insignificant that it was never graced with a name. But in the old days, before some unexplained geologic changes occurred, it carried a flow of water 20 feet wide and three deep, with the speed of a mountain torrent. About half a mile from the Ohio it spread out suddenly over a flat rock 40 or 50 feet wide, and plunged over its brink a sheer 90 feet. The rock was of hardest limestone, but underneath was a stratum of schist and rotting slate, so that a cave, like the Cave of the Winds at Niagara, was hollowed out. It made a quite roomy, and, strange to say, dry apartment, and was approachable in but one point, which was hard to find.

During the War of 1812 a hermit lived in a hut built in this cave and spent his time compounding salt petre, which he sold to the powder-makers. He disappeared as mysteriously as he came, and for a year or two the falls were left to roar out their own destinies.

In 1815, among the settlers who rushed west after leaving the army was a shrewd miller, William Gordon, in whom the hard sense of his Scotch heredity was well mixed with a shrewdness acquired of Yankee environment. He came down the Ohio in a flatboat and stopped at every settlement seeking a location for a mill. He stopped at Hanover, and while rambling through the hills on a hunting expedition, stumbled on the falls. He was struck with the vast waterpower going to waste, and when he made inquiries about it he was an-

A Strange Hoosier Waterpower

By A. E. MARSH.

WATERPOWER was the foundation of our industries. But this humble agent of producing energy was abandoned in favor of the more flexible and available steam when the coal fields were opened. Steam was hailed as the giant of civilization, but had scarcely established itself when it, too, was found too clumsy, and the electric current, which could be carried many miles over a slender wire, while steam could be carried only as many feet through a cumbersome pipe, became the monarch of our mills. In the last decade gasoline, which does not need even the slender wire, but can be carried in the most convenient tin can, has assumed a large share of the burden of relieving man of physical exertion. And now, after the others have had their inning, millions are being spent to develop waterpower again.

Niagara, which for years was useful only as an artist's model and a spooning ground for Mr. and Mrs. Newsywed, has been "harnessed" to light the streets of Buffalo. The Great Falls of Montana, the International Falls on the Canadian-Minnesota border, the mountain torrents of Switzerland, the Victoria Falls in central Africa, which, 15 years ago were almost regarded as a myth of the explorer; even the humble St. Anthony "falls" at Minneapolis are earning their living.

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Unexpected Prize. With a deftness acquired by long and patient practice, the pickpocket extracted an old but well-filled wallet from the hip pocket of the unsuspecting old gentleman with the beaming countenance against whom he had carelessly brushed when leaving the street car, and on reaching a secluded place he opened it.

The contents had been wrapped with great care in numerous thicknesses of blank paper. Removing the wrappings one by one, he found in the center of the package a card with this inscription upon it: "Young Man, Give Up Your Career of Crime! Nothing in It!"

An Anatomical Wonder. Senator Beveridge was criticizing the ludicrous speeches of a certain upright but hot-headed congressman. "He does make queer blunders, doesn't he?" said Senator Beveridge. "Have you heard about his latest?"

"Well, it seems that a constituent, visiting him recently, complained of the shabbiness of a pair of ink-stained crash trousers that he had on. 'A man of your position,' said the constituent, reproachfully, 'ought to wear handsomer trousers than those.' 'The congressman, offended, answered reproachfully: 'My trousers may be shabby, but they cover a warm and honest heart.'"

AN OLD TIMER Has Had Experiences.

A woman who has used Postum since it came upon the market knows from experience the wisdom of using Postum in place of coffee if one values health and a clear brain. She says:

"At the time Postum was first put on the market I was suffering from nervous dyspepsia, and my physician had repeatedly told me not to use tea or coffee. Finally I decided to take his advice and try Postum. I got a package and had it carefully prepared, finding it delicious to the taste. So I continued its use and very soon its beneficial effects convinced me of its value, for I got well of my nervousness and dyspepsia.

"My husband had been drinking coffee all his life until it had affected his nerves terribly, and I persuaded him to shift to Postum. It was easy to get him to make the change for the Postum is so delicious. It certainly worked wonders for him.

"We soon learned that Postum does not exhilarate nor depress and does not stimulate, but steadily and honestly strengthens the nerves and the stomach.

"To make a long story short, our entire family continued to use Postum with satisfying results, as shown in our fine condition of health and we have noticed a rather unexpected improvement in brain and nerve power."

Increased brain and nerve power always follow the use of Postum in place of coffee, sometimes in a very marked manner. "There's a Reason." Look in place for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are free, and full of human interest.

SEEN and HEARD NEW YORK

Chum Reclaims Son of Cyrus W. Field



NEW YORK.—Edward M. Field, son of Cyrus W. Field, is now day clerk at a Chatham square lodging house. An associate of one of the missions said the other day of Field: "He's all right, and has been so ever since he started right again a couple of years ago; you can take that from me. I know him."

Edward Morse Field was the eldest son of Cyrus W., and succeeded him in business. He had everything his way and enjoyed life and friends. In 1891 he was charged with wrecking his firm of Field, Lindley, Wiechers & Company, having failed for \$3,000,000. He disappeared, was found and was committed as insane to an asylum in Buffalo in 1892.

It was always disputed that he was insane, and it is certain that he enjoyed full liberty within the institution. He was released as sane in 1894, and was then liable to trial on several indictments for forgery and grand larceny, but he was not tried, and in 1898 the indictments were dismissed on the ground that there was no possibility then of convicting him.

He continued to go down hill, was arrested at various times for drunkenness, and once for stealing a coat in the Western Union building. He was picked up on the Bowery in 1904

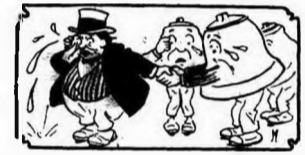
and sent to the psychopathic ward of Bellevue. He was known at one time in "Hell's Kitchen," in which neighborhood he lived, as "Jack Morse."

About two years ago Field drifted one night into the Hadley rescue mission on the Bowery, a few doors from a restaurant where in 1894 on his return from Buffalo in the sheriff's custody, he had his last oyster stew before being incarcerated in Ludlow street jail, under an order of arrest in civil suits pending against him. In the mission that night was Bradford L. Gilbert, architect of the Grand Central station, who now occupies as offices the suite of Cyrus W. Field in the Washington building at 1 Broadway, from whose windows Edward M. Field used to signal his yacht off the Battery when he was ready to have it carry him up the Hudson to his home.

Mr. Gilbert was an early friend of Field in college days. When he found Field in this mission he persuaded him to go to the "racourners' bench."

At his "anniversary," as the mission folk call the day of observance of a convert's spiritual recovery, Field said that he did not want to talk of his past, but would do so if it would help anybody else to find himself. He said that as a slave to drink he was lost to the upright and good, and that all had lost hope of him but a sister-in-law who would not believe him to be beyond reclamation. He told of entering the mission and beginning again, and said that he had found peace of mind and freedom from appetite.

Veteran Bell Ringer of Trinity Retires



A FIGURE unique in the church history of New York city and one of the last professional representatives of the rapidly passing occupation of bell ringer has just been lost to New York in the person of Albert Meislahm, who ever since 1879, that is for 30 years, has rung the chimes of the famous old Trinity church at every regular service and on special occasions. The last of these special occasions on which he played the chimes was when Theodore Roosevelt set out on his African hunt. His selection for that occasion, given as the outbound steamer was abreast of the church, was, "Guide Me, Oh Thou

Great Jehovah, Pilgrim to a Foreign Land."

He has been associated with many other famous happenings, having rung the chimes at the unveiling of the Statue of Liberty, the opening of the Brooklyn bridge, which was the first to connect Manhattan with Long Island; the celebration here of Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee, and many other events of national and international importance. One duty every year which he never missed was the ringing out of the old year and the ringing in of the new, and for nearly a third of a century he has done this to the accompaniment of the tooting horns of the celebrating crowds in the street below. It is far from a sentimental reason, however, which has led to the retirement of Mr. Meislahm, for his great weight has made the climbing of the 81 steps to the keyboard of the chimes an almost impossible accomplishment. He was born in the shadow of Trinity.

Third of the DeAcosta Sisters to Wed



THE announcement of the engagement of the third of the de Acosta sisters, Miss Maria de Acosta, to A. Robeson Sargent, son of Prof. Sargent of Harvard university will interest society in New York, Newport, London, Paris and Rome. Though probably not so well known in Europe as her sisters, Mrs. Philip M. Lydig and Mrs. Oren Root, Miss Maria de Acosta is none the less as beautiful and as accomplished.

She has the wavy dark hair, the snapping eyes, the olive complexion of the race from whom she traces her descent, but it is more the type of beauty that one finds in the grass lands of Ireland, where the Spanish survivors of the ill-fated Armada left their trace than one would look for in a Cuban of Castilian ancestry. Miss Maria de Acosta rides and

drives well, motors with skill, can row a boat, steer a motor boat, paddle a canoe, tend the main sheet of a yawl, cast a fly and shoot on the wing. She has not emulated her sister, Mrs. Root, in aeronautics, but, like her, has had adventures here and abroad. She has driven a touring car through the crowded thoroughfares of London in a fog and toiled a coach and "green four" through the narrow streets of Paris. She has written poetry, is somewhat of a musician, and has a pretty voice.

Her elder sister, Mrs. Philip Meiser Lydig, who began her social career as Miss Rita Hernandez di Alba de Acosta, is one of the most popular and beautiful of the younger matrons. In 1902, shortly after her divorce from William E. Dodge Stokes, she married Capt. Philip Lydig, a member of one of the oldest New York families.

Mrs. Oren Root was the first and favorite pupil of Santos Dumont. She has been thrown from horses, from carriages and narrowly escaped drowning. She married a nephew of Senator Elihu Root.

Flower Boxes Brighten Wall Street



WALL street is not altogether so-did. Far from it. The love of nature and of flowers and the things of the country prevails even in the hurly-burly of the financial district of New York City. Young women stenographers and clerks in many of the 'store story office buildings have prevailed upon their employers, and usually with their ready consent, to have window flower boxes installed where they will do the most good.

There are many of these miniature gardens in the financial district, and stenographers and clerks and office boys vie with one another in keeping the plants well watered and shielded from the too great stress of the ele-

ments. Offices inhabited and tenanted by mere men, adjoining suites in which there are women clerks inclined to domesticity, cast longing eyes in the direction of the window flower boxes, and blossoms often mysteriously find their way to lapels which must be supplied, if at all, from some source outside the wearer's office.

The flowers that bloom in the spring have nothing on those which flourish in the window boxes of the Wall street offices. Indeed, it might be observed, to paraphrase the well known stanza: "Full many a gem of purest ray serene The dark unfathomed caves of Ocean bear; Full many a rose bloom, after strife most keen Is bestowed upon some broker's clerk to wear."

Above the dust of the street these flowers thrive, and in luxuriance and fragrance many rival those grown in the private gardens of stock exchange and business men at their country estates in Jersey or Long Island.

SAVE FOR A SUICIDE CAVED IN AT BURIAL

FUNERAL WISHES OF SELF-DE-STROYER DISREGARDED BY MAN SHE LOVED.

Sterling, Ill.—Friends and neighbors throughout Whiteside county are discussing in awestruck whispers the strange events associated with the burial of Mrs. Emma Stelzer, who rowed in a death message that unless her funeral was conducted from the house of the man she loved she would send her spirit to haunt him and to vex him for the remainder of his life.

Mrs. Stelzer killed herself by taking strychnine. She left a note saying that she loved Jacob Warner, a farmer, and that she wished her fu-



One Side of the Grave Caved in Again.

eral to take place from his home. She also commanded Warner to see that her divorced husband did not witness the burial.

Warner scoffed at the strange threats. He said he never loved Mrs. Stelzer and that he would have nothing to do with her funeral. News of the woman's threat and the man's defiance spread over the countryside, and there was intense interest in the plans for the funeral.

Mrs. Stelzer's body was taken from the morgue, where it had lain since Warner refused to admit it to his home, and was carried out to the cemetery at the head of a long cortege of carriages, containing friends, neighbors, and many who were drawn by curiosity.

The pastor had scarcely begun to read the burial service when the earth around the open grave caved in.

There was a suppressed movement of alarm among the crowd about the grave. The minister sent for workmen, who repaired the damage, and the burial service was resumed.

Just as the pallbearers were about to lower the casket into the grave, one side of the grave caved in again and caught the casket, holding it like a vise. It was necessary to raise the casket to remove the dirt. On the second attempt there was another cave-in, and it was necessary to remove the casket again and remove the obstruction.

There was none in the funeral assemblage that believed the woman's threat had been anything more than the distracted message of a troubled woman, but all those present were visibly impressed by the two accidents.

Warner, who laughed at the threat that her spirit would return to haunt him all his life, keeps up his air of bravado. But he has noticeably grown pale and is falling in health, and friends who saw him the other day said he was a sick man. They attribute it to his brooding over Mrs. Stelzer's vow.

Pet Hen Takes a Trip. Kansas City, Mo.—Much amusement was afforded patrons at the Union depot the other day when A. E. Munden and his wife arrived at the station carrying in a basket what appeared to be an ordinary speckled hen, and later proceeded to put the chicken through a number of "stunts." The hen's principal accomplishment was "singing." The old couple were on their way to Coffeyville, Kan.

Whenever told to sing the hen would emit a long, continuous cackle and seemed to get as much satisfaction out of it as the bystanders who stood around and applauded. Another trick of the chicken was to ruffle her feathers and scratch her head with her foot when told that there were creepers there.

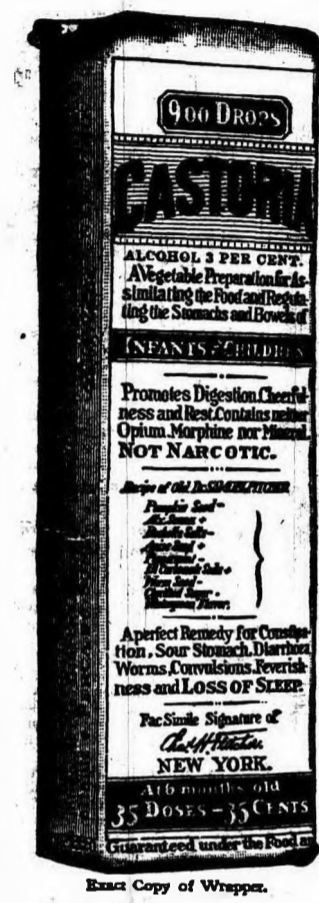
The hen strutter about the corridors on the lower floor of the depot, seemingly as much at home as if she were in her own barnyard. Mr. Munden said that he had been more than a year training the chicken and it had come to be a family pet. She has never laid an egg.

Power Station at Niagara. Nearly 300 miles of line for power transmission purposes is to be put up by the Ontario hydro-electric power commission in order to supply various towns and cities in Ontario with electricity generated at Niagara Falls. About a million pounds of aluminum wire will be used. The line will consist of three cables supported on towers spaced 150 feet apart.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twentytwo per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirtyseven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

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 Dr. J. B. Elliott, of New York City, says: "Having during the past six years prescribed your Castoria for infantile stomach disorders, I most heartily commend its use. The formula contains nothing deleterious to the most delicate of children."
 Dr. C. G. Sprague, of Omaha, Neb., says: "Your Castoria is an ideal medicine for children, and I frequently prescribe it. While I do not advocate the indiscriminate use of proprietary medicines, yet Castoria is an exception for conditions which arise in the care of children."
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 Dr. Norman M. Gear, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "During the last twelve years I have frequently recommended your Castoria as one of the best preparations of the kind, being safe in the hands of parents and very effective in relieving children's disorders, while the ease with which such a pleasant preparation can be administered is a great advantage."

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No Romance About It.

The stricken man constantly moaned the name of the young woman who had jilted him.

"Tell her," he said to the medical man, "that her cruelty killed me. Tell her I am dying from a broken heart." The medical man shook his head.

"Aw, go on," he said. "That would be shamelessly unprofessional. Your heart's all right. It's your liver that's the trouble."

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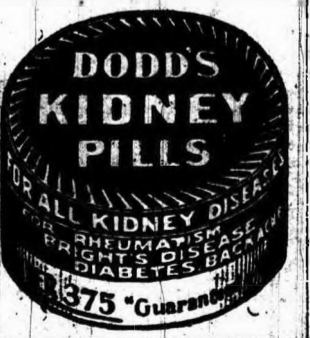
A friend of mine told me of a curious experience. He was carefully stalking a big bull elephant in a large herd, when they got his wind, and a big cow elephant charged him. He jumped behind a large tree as the elephant reached him, and, being unable to stop herself in time, the elephant drove her tusks with such force into the tree that they snapped off close to her head. The elephant was stunned for a moment, but luckily turned and galloped after the fast retreating herd, leaving him the possessor of some 80 pounds of ivory, valued at about \$250.—Circle Magazine.

A household once supplied with Hamlin's Wizard Oil is seldom allowed to be without it. In case of sudden mishap or accident, Wizard Oil takes the place of the family doctor.

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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

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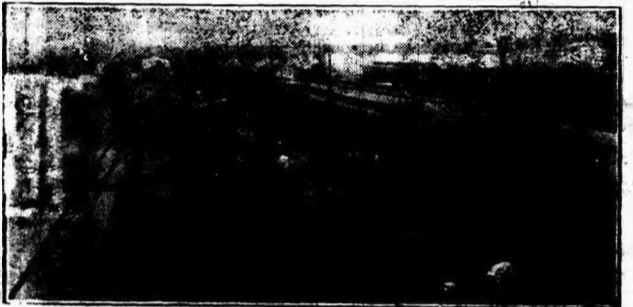
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TALE OF BRITANNY FOLKLORE

Piper Who Played for the Unholy Korrigan, and the Curse Thereby Entailed.

The korrigan are the black dwarfs of Brittany who dwell in the sacred Druidic circles of the menhirs and count their cash in the moonshine. When mere mortals encounter them by night the korrigan force their visitors to dance with them around and around, singing monotonously the names of the days of the week from Monday to Sunday. This is the theme of the best known tradition dealing with them, the story of Lao and the korrigan. Lao was a prize piper and came to set the dance at the pardon of Armor. Women, terrified at their discovery of a korrigan town, besought him to avoid the little black folk, but he laughed them down. Heavily enough he went to the korrigan town, but terror came over him in the dark when he heard whispered sounds and dimly saw dark shadows marching with him in the gloom. Then the moon rose and the little creatures bade him play for their dance. All night long he played upon his pipes and the little people capered about him on the grass. Not a note did he miss until the moonlight faded and the cock crow, sounding dawn, gave the signal for his companions to vanish. All the night he had played, obedient to the magic cry "Pipe, prize piper, pipe and set the dance of the korrigan!" Exhausted with the coming of the day, the bag-piper left his pipes and he fell asleep at the foot of the menhir, and the last sound

which fell upon his drowsy ears was "Sleep, prize piper, sleep! Thou hast set the dance of the korrigan; never more shalt thou set a Christian dance!"



Unloading platform, State Fair, Detroit.

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BAT WHIPPED GOPHER SNAKE

Reptile Was the Aggressor and Paid for its Temerity with its Life.

Now comes an account of a fight that took place near Lorton between a large gopher snake and a house cat. This contest was witnessed by Dr. C. W. Hardman, who says that the spectacle was worth going a long way to see. The feline was the victor, but the snake did not succumb until after he had fought for an hour. The snake started the trouble by striking at pussy while the latter was out searching for stray mice. No sooner had the cat recovered from his surprise after being slapped than he returned the compliment. Of course pussy was rather frightened at the start, but he recovered quickly. As the snake recoiled after the slapping episode, Tabby ran in and with a quick movement dug his claws into the snake's body. The snake struck back but fell short. Then Tabby ran in and scored again. By this time the gopher snake was pretty angry. He struck at Tabby again and again, but he failed to land. Meanwhile the feline kept up its systematic attack until the reptile bled to death from its numerous wounds.—*Freano Herald.*

Woman's Right to Fish.

All man's heritage of fresh-air pleasures lies at woman's feet. She may ride, she may walk, and, best of all, she may camp and she may fish. Furthermore, let me remind those lords of creation who may still desire to defraud her of this goodly privilege, that whatever their rights in other directions, to the honest art of angling in a literary sense she has the prior claim. Long before the gentle Walton walked, rod in hand, beside the country streams, long before he wrote his charming classic, *Dame Juliana Berron*, a sporting abbess of the fifteenth century, compiled her "Treatise on Fyshing." If the cuts and description of rod and tackle are somewhat ponderous and out of date, the opening argument breathing the love of nature, is eternally young.—*Country Life in America.*

Military Attache's Duties.

The duties of a military attache are to make himself thoroughly acquainted with every change that takes place in military affairs and to report from time to time on the mobilization, armament and equipment of the power to which he is accredited. The task is one of no little difficulty, as a military attache must be thoroughly alive to all that concerns the professional interests, be diplomatically and socially "persona grata" and must refrain from procuring information in an underhand manner. In time of war the headquarters staff of an army is usually conceded to representatives of friendly nations.

Bill Nye's Editorial.

Bill Nye, the editor of *Bill Nye's Budget*, is one of the most unique figures in American journalism. To a few of his friends he is called the best humorous paragrapher of his former editorial associates, Bill Nye. There had been a railroad ac-

The Value of a Brain.

One good strategist is worth several armies. That is why Napoleon could accomplish more than all his marshals together. It was he who said: "You can never outnumber a brain."

That is why the single Robert E. Lee, south of Mason and Dixon's line, was more formidable than all the union generals together. Had Lee served with the north rather than the south, said Lincoln, the war would have ended two years sooner.

Thus, too, the greatest living military writer, Lecompte, has declared that one Moltke, on the side of the French, in 1870, would have turned the scale in favor of France.—*Uncle Sam's Magazine.*

Men and Their Mustaches.

"In Europe," the barber said, "it is the fashion for men to wear their mustaches long and trained carefully at the ends, in which shape they must be looked after at the cost of much time and trouble. Here it is the fashion for men to wear their mustaches short, which may not be out of the

Slight Misunderstanding.

An Italian organ-grinder recently escaped a fine by his wit. He had been playing before the house of an irascible old gentleman, who furiously and with wild gesticulations ordered him to move on.

The Italian stolidly stood his ground, and played on, and at last was arrested for causing a disturbance.

At the court the magistrate asked him why he did not leave when he was requested to do so.

"Me no understand mooch Ingleese," was the reply.

"Well, but you must have understood by his motions that he wanted you to go on."

"Na na," was the rejoinder; "I think he come to dance."—*Weekly Magazine.*

A Beautified Park.

The Michigan State Fair grounds at the present time has the appearance of a great city park. The recent rains have produced a luxuriant growth of grass, shrubs and flowers, that make the place in every direction, a joy even at this time of the year.

Attendants are constantly at work mowing the grass, trimming the plants, and at the same time installing shrubs and flowers that are planned to produce a most gorgeous effect during the fair next September.

The rose bushes are just preparing to burst into bloom which will produce an inspiring effect during the next few weeks.

Nursery companies are already preparing for the great fall exhibit and have many men at work arranging flower beds and shrubs to attract attention when the fair opens.

Car loads of gravel and cement are being shipped into the grounds for long stretches of cement walks that will take the place of muddy thoroughfares. This is an improvement that will be greatly appreciated by the general public. Besides eliminating a large amount of muddy walk, dust will also be done away with.

At the present time a new horse barn—240 feet long—is being erected. It will be one of the finest in the country and a great convenience to horsemen and others who will exhibit stock at the coming state fair. This structure was started early and will be fully completed long before the fair opens.

Other features are contemplated which will add to the convenience of the great institutions.

BUSINESS MEN'S DAY.

Detroit Wholesalers to Entertain Michigan Retail Dealers.

Wednesday, September 5, will be "Wholesalers' Day" at the Michigan State Fair and the Detroit Wholesalers' association has arranged a program of entertainments that will give the visitors an extremely delightful time. On this occasion merchants from all parts of Michigan and the surrounding states will be guests of the Detroit organization, which will see that nothing is left undone for their enjoyment. The Michigan State Fair and the city of Detroit has a reputation for doing things and the visitors on that day will be treated to surprises of every sort.

The Wholesalers' association will have a tent on the grounds with free telephone service to visitors, who thus will be able to talk with friends back home.

The evening will be known as "Wholesalers' night" for which a special entertainment will be prepared including a magnificent horseshow and a general vaudeville performance which will take place in front of the grand stand. A grand display of fireworks, including many large pieces, will conclude the evening.

Michigan retail merchants say that Detroit is one of the best places in the country in which to buy goods. About everything under the sun can be found there. The shops, mills and wholesale houses are numerous and the proprietors cater to the very highest class of trade. This fact was demonstrated a year ago when five thousand visiting merchants attended the annual meeting.

It is expected that this year's attendance will exceed that of 1908. The railroads are interested in the event and will furnish cheap rates into Detroit from every part of the state.

Real Indian Village.

The American Indian is gradually disappearing and his mode of life is becoming more interesting each day to the general public. The management of the Michigan State Fair, realizing the educational features that lie in the Indian village, has secured an attraction of this sort, which is promised to be one of the leading features of the Midway at the coming State Fair, September 2 to 10.

This is a real Indian village and consists of "Chief Two Stars" and his followers, consisting of one hundred persons.

The Indians will live at the Fair grounds in tepees, in the same wild style that existed on western plains fifty years ago.

These Indians will eat, sleep and appear in a semi-barbaric style that will be interesting to every visitor at the grounds. This attraction will be as fascinating to adults as to the children. The Indians will execute war dances, shoot with arrows, ride huck-nag broncos, rope cattle and do everything that is so common on the western reservations.

BRILLIANT FIREWORKS DISPLAY

To Be One of the Features of the Coming State Fair.

The management of the Michigan State fair this year has arranged for one of the most gorgeous displays of fireworks that has ever been witnessed at any similar exhibition. The Gregory Fireworks company of Chicago, which is one of the largest concerns of the kind in the world, has been secured to give an exhibition that for brilliancy and startling effects, has never before been seen.

The fireworks will start Saturday evening, September 4, and continue five nights, September 6, 7, 8 and 9, discontinuing of course on Sunday night, and the last night of the fair.

The horse show, which will also be given in front of the grand stand, will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock and continue until 8:30. Then the fireworks will immediately begin, the display lasting until 9:30, giving everyone ample time to reach home early.

The Gregory Fireworks company will prepare a program from high-class material that is something different from that ever seen before. The program will be filled with startling things that thrill from the opening of the program, when a salute of aerial guns are fired, until the close with the goodnight piece.

Among the features will be the grand illumination, when the entire surroundings are brilliantly illuminated with tri-colored Bengal lights, changing from red to white to blue. Two monster fire balloons will follow carrying trails of variegated colored stars. Figure balloons will then ascend showing the star spangled banner in the sky, air ship, flying fish, pigs, elephants, foxy grandpas, etc. Then will be exploded numerous bombs and rockets reaching an altitude of five thousand feet.

The "Merry Acrobat" is a humorous piece of mechanical construction showing in outlines of fire, a most realistic production of an acrobat performing many interesting and amusing feats on the horizontal bar. This wonderful creation cannot fail to produce roads of laughter.

The flight of peacock plumed rockets produces a most startling effect, a gorgeous veil of feathery plumes embellished with emerald comets, spreading out through the air.

The "Sultan's Fan" is one of the most novel and bewildering pieces of pyrotechnic displays. When first displayed a beautiful pillar of tri-colored fire is seen, which finally opens into a fan that, when ablaze, has a spread of thirty feet.

The "Golden Sunset" is a mammoth wheel of fire, twenty-five feet in diameter, the acme of twentieth century creation. This piece when ablaze has a circumference of over one hundred feet.

The "Grondela" is another startling effect. This device is manufactured in Europe and especially imported by this concern. After making a long flight and descending nearly to the ground, a second flight is made, resulting in thrilling effects.

Niagara Falls in fire would seem difficult to produce, but it is really accomplished by this concern. The piece is forty feet in length and when in operation has all the appearance and sound of the mighty cataract itself. The molten fire, reaching to the ground, rebounds with a splash of silvery mist, creating an inspiring effect.

Added to this great display, there are scores of other beautiful pieces that will add to the general fascination. Rockets and bombs are exploded at the most opportune time to produce startling effects.

These beautiful things in fire are all produced by a skill crew of men, who have been so long in the business that a hitch never occurs to spoil the pleasure of the evening. This exhibition alone will be well worth a trip to Detroit, and is expected to be one of the leading attractions at the big fair.

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Is a pretty hard thing to accomplish when you're blue, bilious and out of sorts. There is a sure cure for all stomach and liver complaints, constipation and dyspepsia. Dr. Herrick's Sugar-Coated Pills are mild, yet absolutely effective in all cases. Price 25 cents per box. Ask for a free sample. Sold by John L. Gale and Beyer's Pharmacy.

Articles of Incorporation of the Detroit Casualty Company.

We, the undersigned, desiring to become incorporated under the Provisions of Act 187, Public Acts of Michigan, 1897, entitled "An Act to Revise the Laws PROVIDING for the Incorporation of Co-operative and Mutual Benefit Associations, and to Define the Powers and Duties and Regulate the Transactions of the Business of all Such Corporations and Associations Doing Business Within This State," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, do hereby make, execute and adopt the following Articles of Association, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.
The names of the persons associating hereunder in the first instance, and their respective places of residence, are as follows: Arthur John Farmer, Groton, Polaris Farms, Michigan; Alfred McGraw, 43 Hague Ave., Detroit, Michigan; Bruce Woolley, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan; William A. Eldred, 115 W. Warren, Detroit, Michigan; Guy B. Cady, 131 Farmer St., Detroit, Michigan; F. D. McCormick, 128 Taylor Ave., Detroit, Michigan; Wm. F. Schmeltz, 182 Blaine Ave., Detroit, Michigan; John M. Ermerine, Forest Apartments, Detroit, Michigan.

ARTICLE II.
(a) The name assumed by this Association, and by which it is to be known in law is "Detroit Casualty Company."
(b) The place where its principal office for the transaction of business is located in the city of Detroit, Michigan.
(c) The period for which this Association is incorporated is fixed at thirty (30) years from the date hereof.

ARTICLE III.
(a) This corporation is organized with the object of associating together persons of sound body and good moral character, for the purpose of giving mutual aid to its members and their beneficiaries, and of raising a fund or funds for their benefit, to be supplied in the following manner:
(b) To provide indemnity for disability from accidental bodily injuries, sickness or disease, to provide a benefit for medical and dental care, to provide medical attendance in cases of injury or sickness, to provide assistance to its members and their beneficiaries in special cases of distress, and in any other manner not inconsistent with the Act under which this Association is incorporated, and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to provide for the expense of management and prosecution of the business of the Company.
(c) The membership of the Company shall be divided into ten different classes, as follows: (Classes AA, A, B, C, D, E, F, FF, X & XX, respectively, and such division shall constitute a classification of risk for the purpose of fixing the amount of indemnity to which a member would be entitled to in a given class according to the hazard or character of his or her occupation, business or employment, and the amount of assessment or premiums charged therefor, which said classification, schedules of indemnity, assessments or premium rates shall be adopted from time to time by the Board of Trustees, provided that each Certificate of Membership shall specify amount of indemnity according to occupation.

ARTICLE IV.
(a) The further purpose of the Company is to collect from its members fees and assessments or premium calls payable monthly, semi-annually or annually in advance, to provide indemnities for its members and their beneficiaries in the event of their disability from accident or sickness, benefits for accidental death medical attendance in cases of sickness and accident assistance to its members and their beneficiaries in special cases of distress, and in any other manner not inconsistent with the Act under which this company is incorporated and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and the expense of management and prosecution of the business of the Company.
(b) If at any time the proceeds from the regular assessments or premium calls shall be insufficient to meet all obligations of the Company, the Board of Trustees may levy a special assessment or premium call upon the members to meet such liability.
(c) The proceeds from fees, assessments or premium calls shall be divided into three funds, to-wit: the "Operating Fund," "Indemnity Fund" and "Reserve or Emergency Fund."
OPERATING FUND: Fifty per cent of the gross assessment of premium calls received by the Company from its members in addition to Membership Fees shall constitute the Operating Fund, and so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used to defray the operating expenses of the Company.
INDEMNITY FUND: Forty per cent of the gross assessments or premium calls received by the Company from its members shall constitute the Indemnity Fund, which fund shall be drawn upon for the payment of all indemnities accruing to its members and their beneficiaries, under the certificates of membership issued by the Company, together with any expense incident thereto.
RESERVE OR EMERGENCY FUND: The balance, or ten per cent, of the gross assessments or premium calls received by the Company from its members shall constitute the Reserve or Emergency Fund, which may be drawn upon to cover any deficiency that may arise in either of the other funds.

ARTICLE V.
(a) The corporation shall be managed by a Board of five Trustees to be chosen by and from the members of the Association at their annual meeting each year, and the Board of Trustees shall have full control of the management of the affairs of the business of the Company with power to make all laws and rules for the government of the Company and its members within the scope of its Articles of Association.
(b) The Board of Trustees shall elect from among their number a President, Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, whose duties and terms of office shall be fixed and prescribed by the by-laws of the Association.
(c) The annual meeting of the Association shall be held at its office in Detroit, Michigan, on the second Tuesday in June of each year, at an hour to be fixed by the Secretary.

ARTICLE VI.
Members shall be accepted between the ages of 16 and 65, inclusive. Membership can be acquired only upon the written application accompanied by a schedule of warranties, and by the payment of all assessments or premiums levied against the membership, or expressly stipulated and provided for under the Certificate of Membership, issued to each member.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the parties associating ourselves together, for the purpose of giving legal effect to these Articles hereunto signed our names on this 15th day of June, A. D. 1909.

ALFRED MCGRAW,
ARTHUR JOHN FARMER,
BRUCE WOOLEY,
WILLIAM A. ELDRÉD,
GUY B. CADY,
F. D. MCCORMICK,
WILLIAM F. SCHMELTZ,
JOHN M. ERMERINE

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
County of Wayne, ss.
On this 15th day of June, A. D. 1909, before me, a Notary Public in and for said county, personally appeared the above, known to me to be the persons named in the Articles of Association of the Detroit Casualty Company, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same freely and for the intents and purposes therein mentioned.

GEORGE R. BEARD, JR.
Notary Public in and for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan.
My Commission expires March 15th, 1913.

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