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Local Correspondence

NEWBURG.

"Go to the ant thou sluggard, consider her ways and be wise." Mrs. Clark Mackinder entertained her Sunday-school class Wednesday evening last. The games, music and refreshments were very much enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clinton of Detroit visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Barlow, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lewis Isler of Detroit, formerly of near Stark, fell from a couch and sustained a fractured hip.

Philip Messer has rented some land from Mrs. Mary Philport.

Floyd L. Ostrander of Marshall visited his parents Monday night. He has shipped his household goods from Franklin, Pa., and will reside at Marshall, where he has an auto garage.

Willie Barlow of Gilt Edge visited his parents Sunday.

LIVONIA CENTER.

There was a large turnout to town meeting Monday and the big plums seemed about evenly divided between Democrats and Republicans, with very small majority for either party.

Mr. and Mrs. Revard Chilson spent Sunday with friends here.

Charley Colby and wife visited at Mrs. Stringer's Tuesday and Wednesday.

Farmers are busy getting in their oats.

Frank Hake had the misfortune to lose a cow by the animal being struck by lightning Monday morning.

Mrs. Mattie Ingersoll is quite poorly just at present and her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck visited friends near Sheldon Saturday and Sunday.

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PIKE'S PEAK.

Miss May Lewis visited the school last Wednesday.

Mrs. Barnum and daughter of Detroit visited Mrs. Henry Klatt last Friday.

Ward Calahan and family of Inkster have moved into T. P. Sherman's tenant house.

Mary Chambers visited the school last Thursday.

Mrs. E. Lewis of Detroit visited her son, Ransom, the latter part of the week.

Wm. Butler of Gregory was a caller in this vicinity last Friday.

Nicholas Stienhauer of Detroit visited his brother, George, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pokojski were Wayne caller's last Wednesday.

Isaac Innis visited Mr. Butler of Gregory last Sunday.

Mr. Wandre, who has been living in Detroit the past year, has moved back on his farm.

Wm. Hetzler and Mrs. Agnes Krumm of Plymouth visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wright and family last Sunday.

The Jolly Bunch was out last Friday night. We think they had a good time by the noise they made when they got home Saturday morning.

Miss Bertha Cady visited Mrs. Mae Kubik of Perrinsville last Saturday.

Miss Lela Klatt who has been visiting in Detroit for the past two weeks has returned home.

Many from here attended the dance at Wm. Snyder's near Wayne last Friday evening.

M. Stienhauer has rented the Butler farm.

Miss Nelly Long visited her grandmother, Mrs. James Bridge last Monday.

Mrs. Henry Klatt visited her mother, Mrs. Richards of Milford last Wednesday.

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WEST PLYMOUTH.

"Oh, many a shaft at random sent Finds mark the archer little meant!" —Scott.

Chas. Shearer made a business trip to Detroit this week.

Miss Otha Lucas of Salem is spending the week with her parents assisting in papering and painting the home.

Mrs. A. Stout who has been very sick with la grippe is slowly improving.

Lyman O'Bryan is out of school with the chicken pox.

Percy Moyer of Northville's shearing the sheep in this vicinity.

J. C. O'Bryan was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

For empty cisterns filled and well watered fields many are returning thanks.

Victims to April fool jokes are very easy to secure in this vicinity. Almost anyone will respond with charming ingenuousness.

Miss Edna Nevison of Northville spent the week's end with Miss Fay Spencer.

Miss Viola Carey spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Gladys Heeney.

Miss Alice Kellogg has one of the most unique pets possible. He spent last summer with her, but retired at the approach of cold weather, and was not seen again until very recently. Then taking up life again exactly at the point he laid it down, Master Woodchuck re-appeared on the scene, indulging once again in all his engaging tricks and receiving a warm welcome from his little mistress.

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W. C. T. U.

A goodly number were present at the meeting last week and the leaders made the meeting very interesting. An able paper was read upon "The interest parents should take in the school, by showing sympathy and co-operation with the teachers." This was followed by remarks by different ones expressing the great importance of such help from the parents.

Arrangements were made for the annual meeting which is to be held next week Thursday, April 14. It is expected that Mrs. Calkins, our State President will be with us and she will give a lecture in the Presbyterian church that same evening.

We will all rejoice at the victory gained by the "drys" in the recent election, if it was not as great as expected, especially that our capital city will be free from saloons. It will come in good time and the map of our beloved state will be all white.—Supt. Press.

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FOR THE AMBITIOUS WOMAN.—A great man said, "Be not the first to try a new thing nor the last to forsake an old."

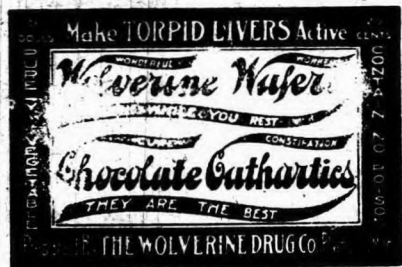
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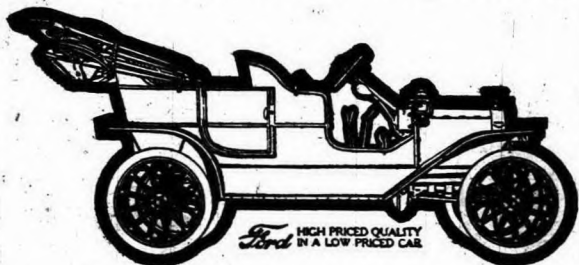
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When a Rhinoceros Tosses You

By W. COTTON OSWELL

ONE evening I was returning to camp with a number of Kafirs, tired and hungry after a long day's spooring elephants, which we never overlooked. I saw a long-borne rhinoceros standing close to the path. The length of his horns, and the hunger of my men, induced me to get off and fire at him. The shot was rather too high, and he ran off. I was in the saddle in a moment and, passing the wounded beast, pulled up ten yards on one side of the line of his retreat, firing the second barrel as he went by from my horse, when, instead of continuing his course, he stopped short and, pausing an instant, began to walk deliberately towards me. This movement was so utterly unlooked for, as the white rhinoceros nearly always makes off, that until he was within five yards, I sat quite still, expecting him to fall, thinking he was in his "furry."

My horse seemed as much surprised at the behavior of the old mahoho as I was myself, and did not immediately answer the rein, and the moment's hesitation cost him his life and me the very best horse I ever had or knew, for when I got his head round a thick bush was against his chest, and before I could free him the rhinoceros, still at the walk, drove his horn in under his flank and fairly threw both him and his rider into the air. As he turned over I rolled off and fell in some way under the stirrup-iron, which scalped my head for four inches in length and breadth. I scrambled to my knees and saw the horn of the rhinoceros actually within the bend of my leg; but the animal wavered and, with the energy of self-preservation, I sprang to my feet, intending to run, for my gun was unshouldered and had fallen from my hand. Had I been allowed to do so, this story might have never been told, for, dizzy as I was from the fall, I should have been easily caught.

He passed within a foot without touching me. As I rose for the second time my after-rider came up with another gun. I half pulled him from his pony and, mounting it, caught and killed the rhinoceros. The horn now hangs over the entrance of my door.

That day a companion happened to be hunting in the same direction as myself and, hearing the reports of my gun, hoped I might have come up with the elephants I had started after in the morning. He found me sitting under a bush, hatless, and holding up the piece of my scalp, with the blood streaming down my face, as he afterwards described it to Livingstone: "I saw that beggar, Oswell, sitting under a bush holding on his head." A few words told him what had happened, and then my thoughts turned to Stael, my horse. That very morning, as I left the wagons, I had talked to him affectionately, as a man can talk to a good horse, telling him how, when the hunting was over, I would make him fat and happy, and I had played with him and he with me. It was with a very sore heart I put a ball through his head, took the saddle from his back and started wagonwards, walking half the distance (ten miles) and making my after-rider do likewise. Unless a man was situated as I was then, it is difficult to make him understand all that the loss of a good horse means. You cannot even fill up his place in quantity, let alone quality. In this part of Africa, at all events, your success depends enormously upon your steed, for the country is generally too open for stalking, and he carries you up to your game, in most instances, as near as you like, and it is your fault if you don't succeed. Had I been the best shot that ever looked along a rifle, and made of steel, I could have done but a trifle without horses, in comparison with what I accomplished with them. Armed as I was with a smooth-bore, not very true, with heavy charges at over 30 yards, it was a necessity to get as near my game as possible. I am not vain of my shooting—I can do what I intend pretty well at about ten to twenty-five yards—but I would have given the best shot in the world without horses very long odds; besides, from the saddle you see so much more at your ease, and your attention for everything that surrounds you is so much more free.

The horses were unshod and sure-footed. Introduce them, if possible, gradually to their work by letting your after-rider use them a few times. He is always out of danger, and if once accustomed to the sight of an animal at a respectable distance, they can be driven up alongside of it, and get as eager in pursuit of elephant and large game as their riders.

By neglecting this rule, I very nearly came to grief on an afterwards capital pony. It was his debut, and a wounded elephant, charging with a scream, so terrified him that he was paralyzed with fear and stood stock-still after turning round; spurs had no effect, and how we escaped I cannot now tell. The bull came within a few feet of his tall and then wheeled. I was only supposed to get the scent of the human being, for he was quite near enough to have swept me from the saddle with his trunk. By a little careful treatment this pony became a very valuable one and I once in after days shot \$600 worth of ivory from his back in half an hour. Have nothing to do with a vicious or uncertain-tempered horse. If you find you have been taken in with such a one, shoot him; the first loss may not be so bad as the last. Never ride a stumbler up to anything that bites or butts. I had one, and he twice fell with me before a charging elephant. Luckily I did not come off, and pulled him up just in time to escape. Horses used to be cheap enough, but I dare say the price has risen. I mounted myself well from \$40 to \$75 a piece. Your ponies—for they are hardly more—ought to be quick getting their legs, and a turn of speed is desirable, for though in the open it is easy sailing away from an elephant, in bush or broken ground for 200 yards he will sometimes press a slow horse.



"I WAS SAILING THROUGH THE AIR."

ceptionally tough beast. Whilst at "Oologs Poort," a farm then in the occupation of a Mr. Nelson, I was buying mounds when a Hottentot riding a neat, round-ribbed bay, came in with a return letter from the town of Cradock, as far as I remember, 70 miles distant. The horse's appearance pleased me much, and though I found the owner, a Mr. Cock, at first unwilling to part with him, I purchased him for \$75, a large price then; but he was worth it. It had just done 140 miles in 30 hours, including five hours of saddling at Cradock. I was unfortunate with my horses and lost this one early in the campaign. I had shot an eland or two just beyond the first school, and, being alone, had tied "Vonk" (Spark), as the men called him, to a tree whilst I gave the coup de grace to the game. This done I walked up to loose him and remount; but as I thoughtlessly placed my hand on the rein he got scent of the blood and, suddenly starting back, broke away. I followed him a long while, every moment hoping to catch him, as he let me come quite close and then trotted on, feeding quietly till I came up to him again. At length I grew weary and angry, and twice covered him with the gun that I might at all events save my saddle and bridle; but twice I relented—the creature was too good and too lame to shoot, and there was a chance that I might find him next morning, if he were not killed by a lion during the night. So I let him go, and just before sundown set my face towards the wagons, the encampment lying ten miles off. I walked really, I think, for once by instinct. It was soon dark, and after three hours, afraid of going astray, I decided upon making a fire and camping out, knowing I should find the wheel-tracks next morning if I did not overshoot them. I took out my tinder-box and, trying to strike a light, dropped the flint, and was on my knees feeling for it on the ground with my head down, when a muffled shot, which I at first took for a lion's pant, made me start to my feet, and within 100 yards of where I was standing, though hidden by a belt of thorns, by a second shot I was directed to the wagons. I had come quite straight down upon them through the night. We searched for the horse next morning in vain; his spoor was over-trampled by a large herd of quagga, and for two years I never heard any more of him, when I ascertained a wandering party of Barlogoes had found him in the veldt and, unable to catch him, had driven him before them for 30 miles to their kraal, and had killed many giraffes and other game from his back, one or two

of the tribe who had gone into the colony for work having learned to ride. One day it was three in the afternoon We had followed a herd of elephants since 8 a. m., and the traces of the dew of the previous night were still visible on the trail. Our chances of coming up with them were so small that we abandoned the pursuit and turned in the direction of the wagons. After an hour or two the natives began to make pathetic appeals as to the state of their stomachs, suggesting that they had met with hard usage, and that, as we had not found the elephants, they were not above breaking their fast upon quagga, giraffe, or even rhinoceros. I tried to persuade them that elephant was the only dish worthy of them or likely to fill those almost bottomless cavities to which they had alluded; that we might have better luck the next day, and that they might put off dining till then. If you wish to be successful in hunting for large tusks it is as well to keep your men on an elephant diet and not pamper them with dainties, or they become lazy and careless in seeking the larger game. Whether on this particular occasion I was unusually tender-hearted, or their appeals were too touching, I do not remember; but whilst, with my very poor stock of Bechuana words, I was trying to explain my views, in an open glade of the forest through which we were passing, their hungry eyes fell upon two rhinoceroses of the keltioa variety, and the eager cry of "Ugh, chukuru, mynaar"—the last word a corruption of the Dutch mynheer, lengthened plaintively into a kind of prayer—was too much for me, and I dismounted to do their pleasure. Fifty yards before the animals ran a scanty fringe of dwarf thorn bushes, on out-liers of which they were feeding away from us. I made a long detour and came out a hundred yards in front of them, the little scrubby cover lying between us. A handful of sand thrown into the air gave the direction of the

The day was fast drawing to a close when, though in that added state which prevents a man from deciding whether to-day is yesterday or tomorrow, my brain seemed stirring again in a thick fog. By degrees I became aware that I was on my horse, that a native was leading it, and another carrying my gun beside my stirrup. It all appeared strange, but with the attempt to think it out the mist came eddying thicker, and I was content to let it be. Presently a dim confused impression that I was following some animal was with me, as in a dream; the power of framing and articulating a sentence returned, and I drowsily asked the nearest Kafir which way the trail led. He pointed in the direction we were going; his manner struck me; but I had had my say, and no other remark was ready. Men met us, among them I recognized two of my Hottentot drivers carrying a "cartel," or cane framework, which served as a swinging bedstead in my wagon. "Where are you going?" I asked in Dutch. They stared stupidly. "Why, we heard you were killed by a rhinoceros." "No," I answered. Without a thought of what had occurred my right hand fell faintly from the pommel of my saddle to my thigh, with the restlessness of weakness I drew it up again; a red splash of blood upon my cuff caught my eye. I raised my arm to see what was the matter; finding no wound on it, I sought with my hand for it down my leg, through a rent in my trousers, and so numbered was all sensation, that I actually dabbled down to the bone in a deep gash, eight inches long, without feeling any pain—the smaller horn had penetrated a foot higher up, but the wound was not so serious as the lower one. The limb stiffened after I reached the wagons and, unable to get in and out, I made my bed for nearly four weeks under a bush—the rip, healing rapidly, covered with a rag kept constantly wet. The rhinoceros, as I afterwards

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The plant of the Pan-American Bridge company at Newcastle, Ind., was wrecked by an explosion of dynamite. New York ministers are aiding letter carriers in their crusade for a national law assuring one day of rest in seven for all mail men.

Omaha, Neb., loses nearly \$1,000,000 in the fire which destroyed the Nye-Schneider-Fowler elevator, the Maney Milling Company's plant and 100 box cars.

After binding the town marshal and relieving him of his revolver, robbers blew open the safe of the First National bank at Randolph, Neb., escaping with \$10,000.

That the New York poor need not suffer by reason of a lack of relief agencies is shown by a report that there are 5,000 societies devoting themselves to the interests of the city's destitute.

Four-year-old Joseph Klein is dead in New York from intoxication, his relatives, according to the police, having given the child whisky at a family party. John Silver, a cousin, is charged with homicide.

Prof. Charles Sherwood Rucker of the department of physiology of Harvard university will begin a series of tests to learn what advertisements make the surest appeal to the public. His students will be the subjects.

Four hundred and fifty thousand wage earners in Greater New York are receiving wages smaller than \$800 a year, the "minimum of decency" fixed by the annual report of the committee on congestion of population.

State Senator Edward T. Fairchild of Wisconsin has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor on a platform which includes anti-county option on the liquor question and support of President Taft.

After he had accidentally shot and killed Frank Fracella at Trenton, N. J., through the careless handling of a pistol, John Connolly, a Philadelphia & Reading watchman, ran down the tracks and killed himself through remorse.

St. Clair McClary, a miner, was rescued from beneath a snowslide on an Alaskan mountain on the Haugan property through the keen scent of his dog, which led a rescuing party. A companion of McClary was found dead beside him, says a dispatch from Seward.

State Senator Benn Conger of New York, after reading a statement at Albany in which he declared that as a result of the Alldis bribery charge, his usefulness as a legislator was at an end, handed his resignation to Lieut. Gov. White and quickly left the chamber.

All peace negotiations are again off in the Philadelphia street car strike. The latest effort of the politicians and representatives of the American Federation of Labor were without result and the politicians declare that so far as they are concerned the strike "will run its course."

SOCIALISTS ELECT MAYOR

Republican and Democratic Candidates at Milwaukee Defeated by Nearly 8,000 Plurality.

Milwaukee, April 6.—Emil Seidel (Socialist), a pattern maker, at present alderman at large, was elected head of the city administration by a plurality over the strong Republican and Democratic candidates of nearly 8,000. This is the biggest plurality ever given a candidate for mayor of this city.

Together with the Socialist victory in the city administration comes a Social Democratic council. The Socialists, it seems sure, have elected all six aldermen at large, with many of their ticket in the various wards.

Stamping Out Bee Disease.

Albany, N. Y., Apr. 1.—New York state department of agriculture has begun a vigorous campaign to prevent the spread of "foul brood," a disease among bees, which is causing great injury to agricultural interests throughout the state.

THE MARKETS.

New York, April 6.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$6.50 @ 8.50
Sheep	5.00 @ 6.50
WHEAT—Winter Straight	5.20 @ 5.50
WHEAT—May	1.25 @ 1.27
CORN—May	85 @ 87
OATS—Natural White	47 @ 48 1/2
RYE—No. 2 Western	81 @ 82
BUTTER—Creamery	30 1/2 @ 31
EGGS	30 @ 32
CHEESE	6 @ 13
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Prime Steers	\$7.50 @ 8.50
Medium to Good Cows	4.75 @ 7.00
Cows, Plain to Fancy	4.00 @ 4.75
Choice Heifers	5.00 @ 6.00
Calves	4.50 @ 5.50
HOGS—Prime Heavy	10.70 @ 10.80
Medium Weight Butchers	10.00 @ 10.75
Pigs	10.00 @ 10.50
BUTTER—Creamery	31 @ 32 1/2
Dairy	21 @ 22
LIVE POULTRY	10 @ 11
EGGS	17 @ 18
POTATOES (per bu.)	1.10 @ 1.15
FLOUR—Spring Wheat, Sp. 1	6.30 @ 6.40
GRAIN—Wheat, May	1.13 @ 1.14 1/2
Corn, May	80 1/2 @ 81
Oats, May	42 1/2 @ 43
MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n	\$1.14 @ 1.15
July	1.05 @ 1.06 1/2
Corn, July	71 1/2 @ 72 1/2
Oats, Standard	44 @ 45
Rye	75 @ 80
KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Hard	\$1.05 @ 1.12
No. 2 Red	1.17 @ 1.22
Corn, No. 2 White	61 1/2 @ 62
Oats, No. 2 White	42 @ 43 1/2
Rye	75 @ 80
ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$6.50 @ 8.50
Texas Steers	4.25 @ 4.50
HOGS—Packers	10.70 @ 10.80
Butchers	10.70 @ 11
SHEEP—Native	5.00 @ 5.25
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$6.00 @ 8.10
Stockers and Feeders	3.75 @ 7.00
Cows and Heifers	2.00 @ 2.00
HOGS—Heavy	10.00 @ 10.00
SHEEP—Wethers	7.25 @ 8.00

Farmers should eat more oatmeal.

Although the farmer of today is able to buy almost anything he wants to wear or eat he isn't paying enough attention to food values when it comes to his own table.

He feeds his stock carefully, avoids over-feeding and selects the stock food that he believes will give the best returns in strength and general efficiency.

If he has been watching the extensive researches and experiments on the question of the best human food for muscle and brain he will heed the advice from all sides to "eat more Quaker Oats."

Quaker Oats is mentioned because it is recognized in this country and Europe as the best of all oatmeals. Feeding farm hands on Quaker Oats means getting more work out of them than if you feed them on anything else.

A HOT ONE ON HER.



Mrs. Waunta Coyne—The parrot talks all the time.

Mr. Coyne—Yes, but he never asks for money.

BABY'S SKIN TORTURE

"When our baby was seven weeks old he broke out with what we thought was heat, but which gradually grew worse. We called in a doctor. He said it was eczema and from that time we doctored six months with three of the best doctors in Atchison but he only got worse. His face, head and hands were a solid sore. There was no end to the suffering for him. We had to tie his little hands to keep him from scratching. He never knew what it was to sleep well from the time he took the disease until he was cured. We kept us awake all hours of the night and his health wasn't what you would call good. We tried everything but the right thing.

"Finally I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies and I am pleased to say we did not use all of them until he was cured. We have waited a year and a half to see if it would return but it never has and today his skin is clear and fair as it possibly could be. I hope Cuticura may save some one else's little ones suffering and also their pocket-books. John Leason, 1403 Atchison St., Atchison, Kan., Oct. 19, 1909."

Sickness Insurance in Germany.

The compulsory state system of sickness insurance instituted in 1884 in Germany has proved a powerful factor in combating tuberculosis. No less powerful have been the public sanatoria, the number of beds in which have increased during the past 15 years from 243 to 8,422. Of the 200 tuberculosis sanatoria and hospitals in Germany, 35 are supported by the carriers of sickness insurance. The statistics of the imperial insurance department show that as many as 42 per cent of the number of persons treated in these institutions remained in good working health five years after being dismissed from the sanatorium.

Money and expense are not essential to artistic homes and attractive rooms. One dollar and fifty cents' worth of material will completely transform a crude, inartistic room into a graceful, dainty apartment.

Really it is good taste and skill that makes the home homelike. That dainty touch is worth twice as much as money.

Wall paper is expensive—it costs money to buy it, to hang it and again to remove it. With the use of the alabastine wash, which is only the slight cost of the material—any one can brush it on—and it is not necessary to wash it off the wall when a fresh coat is required.

It is very easy to mix, very simple to apply, but the results are simply beautiful. A whole house can be done at just a little more than the cost of a single room when ordinary materials are used. And this is true, that now that we have so much better materials for use in the decoration of our homes, that wall paper, common kalsomine and paint are now as much out of date as the old time white-wash, tallow candles and rough hewn floors. Here money is no longer an essential in good housefurnishing in artistic home making.

The new materials and labor-saving machines are most welcome to us all—and every thoughtful woman, every woman who cares for her home, is quick to utilize them.

There's No Place Like, Etc. Wife—What sort of a play would you like to see? Husband—Something lively, that keeps you awake, and has plenty of music in it.

Um. You'd better stay at home and take care of the baby.—Life.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Of course, women are a trifle vain, but did you ever see a man pass up an opportunity to look in a mirror?

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EXCELLENT TRADE IN WESTERN CANADA

SPLENDID CROPS, BIG PRICES, AND PROSPEROUS OUTLOOK FOR THE FUTURE.

Throughout all of Canada, and especially in the Western Provinces of Canada, there is a buoyancy in every line of business that is fully warranted by every condition. The crops of the past year were what was expected, and the prices for grain of all kinds, put the farmers in a class by themselves. Many of them are independent, and many others have got well started on the road. The latest reports are that seeding is well under way in almost every district, and the prospects are that a vastly larger area than that under crop last year will be seeded early this spring. In the Lethbridge district, in Southern Alberta, steam and gasoline outfits, hundreds of them, are breaking up the prairie at a tremendous pace, but they work night and day. As soon as it becomes dark, gangs are changed, a head light attached, and on, on through the night until the first streak of dawn, these giant monsters with their seven or eight gangs of breaking plows, keep up the work. Then the more modest farmer is putting in the longest hours possible with his teams of horses or oxen. And what will the Country be like in August, when these fields have become yellowed with the literally golden grain. There will be one vast expanse of wheat field. And there will be a market for it, because it is the best grain grown, and the demand will be everywhere. As previously intimated business throughout Western Canada is sound and good. The grain production of 1909 has been the great factor in establishing the reputation of Western Canada, and it is worth talking about. It surpassed all previous records, both in regard to quality and quantity, and such an achievement was by no means easy. The limit has not been reached, and a large average increase may be expected during the next ten years. There will be odd seasons when a falling-off will occur, and it is the falling-off that causes alarms and panics in the commercial world. The plains have done their duty so far in the output of grain and it would be reasonable to make occasional allowances for slowing-up. The faster the rate of increase is now, the sharper will be the check when the production diminishes. But there are some unreasonable people who wonder why the growth of one year is not continued during the next, and at an ever faster rate. These same unreasonable people are the ones who see flaws in the situation as soon as an indication is given that the startling advances have not been maintained.

THOUGHT SO LITTLE.



Cholly Chumpleigh—I'm not afraid, don'tcherknow, to say what I think. Miss Cutting Hintz—You may not be afraid—but you ought to be ashamed.

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It requires four factories, employing 4,000 men—turning out 140 Overlands daily—to meet the flood-like demand for these cars. Yet two years ago a hundred rivals had a larger sale.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 1910.

The Congressional Situation.

A meeting of some of the close advisers of Congressman Townsend was held in Detroit last Saturday evening, at which it was pointed out to Mr. Townsend that it would be advisable and in fact necessary, for him to get out of either the congressional or senatorial race. It was plainly shown to him that the people would not support him for two places. Mr. Townsend "saw" the point and withdrew from the congressional race and will now make his campaign in the hope to succeed Senator Burrows.

The congressional field being left open, W. W. Wedemeyer of Ann Arbor and Henry C. Smith of Adrian promptly announced themselves as candidates for the place. Both gentlemen are well known to Plymouth citizens and each will have supporters. Mr. Wedemeyer has been a candidate several times, but never succeeded in landing the prize, coming nearest to it in 1898. Under the present construction of the district Washtenaw county has never been represented in Congress and that is one of the reasons why she will give Mr. Wedemeyer united support. He is a young lawyer of qualifications, a ready debater and would undoubtedly fill the place satisfactorily.

Mr. Smith has represented the district two terms in Congress, is familiar with the methods, rules and workings of Congress and it goes without saying that his constituents would be as sincerely and as satisfactorily served, if he were nominated and elected, as before. The race between the two gentlemen will be a very close one and watched with interest.

Township Election.

There were but 387 votes cast at the township election last Monday, over 100 short of a full vote, many of the farmers neglecting to come in and exercise their right of franchise. Two ladies voted on the railroad franchise, which was carried by a vote of 297 to 44. The following is the result of the ballots, Republicans named first, Democrat second:

- For Supervisor: Chas. W. Bradner 216-52, George Lee 164. For Clerk: Ralph Samsen 160, C. A. Pinckney 214-54. For Treasurer: E. Jay Burr 224-76, W. T. Pettigill 148. For Justice of the Peace: S. E. Campbell 217-62, Chas. Westfall 156. For Highway Commissioner: James B. Pattison 175, Burton D. Brown 206-30. For Highway Overseer: Wm. Streng 228-80, H. H. Pasage 148. For Member Board Review: P. W. Voorhies 232-89, O. A. Fraser 143. For Drain Assessor: David Allen 245-115, Marshall Gleason 130. Constables: Geo. W. Springer 247, H. E. Wright 213, Leg Nowland 215, Daniel Smith 216, Frank Wilson 124, Carl Heide 147, James McKeever 145, Geo. VanDeCar 154.

Is Now Prison Druggist.

F. P. Glazier has been given the position of pharmacist in the prison hospital. One of the good things that go with this position is a well-furnished sleeping room in the hospital. Glazier is sort of assistant to prison physician. If when the prisoners go to their cells at night they report to their keepers as not feeling well, the matter is referred to Glazier, who calls on them at their cells, inquires the nature of their ailment, and if there is anything he can do in the way of fixing them up a little medicine he administers to them and reports to Dr. Pray. Glazier's work does not keep him employed in the hospital all the time.

As much as all the prisoners enjoy getting a snap, it is said none of them begrudge the ex-statement treasurer his good fortune in receiving an easier and more pleasant task. They don't consider Glazier as a "crook," and they all feel sorry for him.

The Big Head

Is of two kinds—conceit and the big head that comes from a sick headache. Does your head ever feel like a globe and your brain feel loose and sore? You can cure it in no time by acting on your liver with Dr. Herick's Sugar-Coated Pills. Isn't it worth trying for the absolute and certain relief you'll get? Ask for a free sample. Sold by Mackay's Pharmacy and Beyer's Pharmacy.

CHURCH NEWS.

LUTHERAN. Rev. O. Peters, Pastor. Services next Sunday at 10 a. m. Sunday-school at 11 a. m. The ladies' aid society met at the home of Mrs. Louis Reber Thursday afternoon and had a fine meeting.

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

METHODIST. Rev. E. King, Pastor. Morning service at 10 a. m. Evening service at 7 p. m. Dr. C. B. Allen of Detroit will speak at both services. Sunday-school and Epworth League at regular hours. Bring your friends to the anniversary services. Everybody invited.

BAPTIST. Rev. C. T. Jack, Pastor. The following services next Lord's day: Morning worship 10:30; Sunday-school 11:45; B. Y. P. U., 6:30. Leader, Arthur Humphrey. Topic, "God is here." Scripture lesson Ps. 139:1-12. Evening worship 7:30. We are glad to see so many young people in our evening service. Prayer service Thursday night 7:30. All are made welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. H. N. Ronald, Pastor. Sunday, April 10-10:00, morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Debtors." 11:15, Sunday-school. 6:00, Young People's Service. Subject "God is here."—Psalms 139:1-12. Leader, Mr. Carlos Sherman. 7:00, Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor. "An Unanswerable Question." You are most cordially invited to all these services.

All members, adherents, contributors and friends of the church are invited to the trustees' quarterly social in the church next Tuesday evening, April 12. This is a free function for all friends of the church. There will be refreshments and a short program. The treasurer will give his quarterly statement.

OBITUARY.

VELVA LARKINS. Velva, the thirteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larkins, died at Ann Arbor hospital Tuesday morning, April 5th. She had been there for a couple of weeks undergoing a critical operation for mastoid. After a great deal of suffering she passed peacefully away. She leaves a sorrowing father, mother and brother.

Velva was a bright and intelligent girl, but somewhat reserved with maidenly modesty. Those who knew her well, loved her. Not only was she a true friend to her youthful associates, but she was unusually highly esteemed by older people. She was a faithful member of the Methodist Sunday-school. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon, conducted by her pastor, Rev. E. King, the service being held at the Methodist church, where a very large number of friends gathered to pay their last tribute. The parents have the very sincere sympathy of many friends. "She is not dead but sleeping."

MRS. ALFRED N. BROWN. Julia C. Tyler was born May 28th, 1831, in Salem, Washtenaw county, Mich. She moved to Port Huron in early life, where she was united in marriage to Alfred N. Brown May 25th, 1852. They removed to Plymouth in 1869, where they have since resided. They had four children, three of whom are living, Wilbur C., Phannette E. and Mrs. Karl Hillmer.

Mrs. Brown died at her home Friday evening, April 1st, after an illness of some weeks. The funeral was held at the late home Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. E. King and Rev. Dr. Caster. Burial at Riverside cemetery. Many beautiful flowers spoke quiet, but eloquent tribute to the beautiful qualities of Mrs. Brown's life.

Mrs. Brown united with the Methodist church in 1861, of which she was a faithful member. She was also a charter member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. She was identified with various forms of Christian work, but she was queen of her home, and while a very true friend, she was in the fullest sense a mother. She will be greatly missed by the family and a large number of friends, but she has gone to the reward of many years of devoted Christian service.

Comrade A. N. Brown received the following letter of condolence from the Northville Post G. A. R.: Northville, Mich., April 2, 1910. My Dear Comrade:

We have just learned of your great loss in the decease of your dear wife and hasten in this way to tender to you our soldierly sympathy in this hour of your great sorrow, and also to say to you that if there is anything we can do to comfort and console you in this hour of affliction we are at your call and you have only to let us know. By order of Andrew Houk, Com. Attest: E. G. Webster, Adjutant.

Prompt relief in all cases of throat and lung trouble if you use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Pleasant to take, soothing and healing in effect. Sold by Beyer Pharmacy.

Next Thursday Apr. 14th will occur the annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. A brief program will be followed by a social hour. Each member is privileged to bring one friend, only, unless for a special reason, permission is granted by the executive committee. This will be an exceptionally interesting occasion, as the state president is expected to be present.

Canton township went Republican at the election Monday to a man something unusual. Here are the men elected: Supervisor, James A. Wiles; clerk, Chas. H. Curtis; treasurer, Albert Cole; justice, Wm. H. Haywood; highway commissioner, Edward R. Barker; highway overseer, Geo. A. Wiles; member board of review, two years, Silas Howard, one year, E. Newton; drain assessor, two years, Milton Carlton, one year, Lewis Truesdell; constables, Wirt McLeod, Clyde Truesdell, Harry Goodell, John T. Bird.

Charles Long, the deaf-mute who burglarized the residence of Supervisor Bradner a few weeks ago, was brought before Judge Murphy in the circuit court last Tuesday to plead to the charge made against him. The Judge for an interpreter of the finger alphabet, but Long did not understand the sign manual. Conversation between him and the court was carried on by writing. John J. Walsh was appointed to defend him, and he was remanded to the custody of the sheriff. Long is about 55 years old. He refuses to tell his real name, but told the officers his home is near Lansing and he has an aged mother. Some doubt is expressed as to whether he is really deaf and dumb.

Fiftieth Anniversary.

The fiftieth anniversary of the building of the Methodist Church will be observed next Sunday. Dr. Allen will speak at the morning and evening services. Special music is being prepared. It is to be a festal day in the history of the church which has been a landmark in this village many years. The membership of the church is now over 200 people and it is estimated that there are over 600 adherents. Everyone is invited. Souvenir cards will be presented to all attending.

The Alseum Theater Co

will present a series of moving pictures in the Opera House, Plymouth, every Wednesday evening, beginning April 20th. The Alseum Co. has gone to a big expense to present in Plymouth for the first time life effects talking pictures, and those caring for moving pictures, we trust this will be one place of amusement for the good people of Plymouth to spend one evening each week pleasantly. We guarantee perfect satisfaction with all our productions, as clean methods is our success. Special attention to ladies and children. Show lasting 2 1/2 hours, nothing repeated.

Latest songs will be illustrated and on sale at the box office. Doors opens 7:30, performance commences 8 o'clock. Admission 10c and 15c. Reserved seats at Wolverine drug store.

The second division of the ladies aid of the Methodist church will be entertained by Mrs. Geo. Richwize and Mrs. Addie Rowley at the latter's home this afternoon.

Gladiolus bulbs, light colors, mixed 20c a dozen. Phone 103. CORA L. PELHAM.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PLYMOUTH UNITED SAVINGS BANK.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Commercial Department, Savings Department, Bonds, Mortgages, etc.

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NORTH BOUND. Leave Plymouth for Northville 6:03 a.m. (Sun days excepted). 7:10 a.m. and every hour to 9:10 p.m.; also 10:48 p.m. and 12:24 a.m. Leave Detroit for Plymouth 5:48 a.m. (from Michigan car barn); also 8:30 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 8:36 a.m. and every hour to 8:30 p.m.; also 10:10 p.m. and 12 midnight. Cars connect at Wayne for Ypsilanti and points west to Jackson.

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CHANCERY SALE.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Wayne and State of Michigan, in chancery made and entered on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1910, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein Mamie Weyer is the complainant, and Charles Blunk, William F. Blunk, Myrtle Blunk, Lina Blunk, Clara Spurr and Elmer Blunk the defendants. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the southerly or Congress street entrance to the county of Wayne and State of Michigan, in the township of Livonia, county of Wayne and State of Michigan, that being the building in which the circuit court for the county of Wayne is held, on Monday, the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1910, at twelve o'clock noon, standard time on said date, the following described property, namely: The following real estate situated and being in the township of Livonia, county of Wayne and State of Michigan, described as follows: To-wit: Beginning at a subdivision of the northeast corner of the west half of the southwest quarter of section No. 30, town 1 south, range 9 east and running thence south 3 degrees east, 6 chains 90 links; thence south 87 degrees west, 14 chains and 30 links; thence north 3 degrees west, 6 chains 90 links; thence north 87 degrees east, 14 chains and 30 links to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres of land more or less. Also the north half of the north half of the west half of the southwest quarter of section No. 29 in said township of Livonia, containing 21 acres of land more or less. Dated February 19, 1910.

SAUEL T. MAY, Circuit Court Commissioner, Wayne County, Michigan.

P. W. VOORHIES, Solicitor for Complainant.

Commissioner's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Hayling, deceased. We, the undersigned, having appointed by the probate court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of P. W. Voorhies, in the village of Plymouth, in said county, on Thursday, the 16th day of June, A. D. 1910, and on Friday, the 17th day of September, A. D. 1910, at two o'clock P. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 16th day of March, A. D. 1910, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated, March 16, 1910. CHARLES BRAUNER, JESSE JEWELL, Commissioners.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate court room in the city of Detroit, on the 31st day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten. Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Sarah C. McLanahan, deceased. An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased having been delivered into this court for probate. It is Ordered, That the fourth day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room, be appointed for proving said instrument. And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published for three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne. HENRY S. HULBERT, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) Chas. C. Chadwick, Probate Clerk.

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Local News

H. J. Baker of Lansing was in town Tuesday.

Our March summer has taken on an April winter.

Miss Marion Nash is home from Yale, Mich., this week.

Miss Heidenreich of Detroit visited her sister here Sunday.

Lyman Pinney of Ann Arbor visited friends in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jolliffe were over Sunday visitors in Saginaw.

L. O. T. M. M. Bake Sale at Pinckney's Store Saturday, 2 P. M.

Clay Hoyt of Lansing came down to vote at the town election Monday.

Mrs. John Stewart, visited friends in Dexter and Ann Arbor this week.

Supt. W. N. Isbell and wife attended a golden wedding in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Harry Robinson has added to his heavy stock a very fine closed carriage.

Two vacuum cleaners for sale or rent, or will operate. L. W. Reed, 'phone 223.

Mrs. Carpenter of Ovid is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Daggett, this week.

H. M. Pelham and daughter Ora of Iron Mountain visited at A. A. Pelham's this week.

Dan Adams expects to leave for California in a few weeks, to remain for a year or two.

Several new residences are in process of building and there will be others before the spring fairly opens.

Mrs. Asa Joy attended the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society meeting at Howell yesterday.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Asa Joy Wednesday afternoon, April 13.

Mrs. Harry Cole was brought home from Detroit hospital Monday morning, and is now slowly improving, although it was feared last week she could not live.

F. B. Shattuck of Eaton, is one of the extensive farmers and lamb feeders of Northern Colorado and recently marketed 743 head of lambs in Chicago at \$10.25 per cwt.

Mrs. Will VapVleet left Tuesday for Charlotte, where the family will make their future home, instead of Clare, Mr. VanVleet being transferred from Clare to Charlotte to take charge of the elevator there.

The new council met in session last Monday evening, but no business was transacted except the passing of a number of accounts. They adjourned until next Monday evening, when regular appointments will be made.

Ira Wilson was defeated in Livonia township by Dan McKinney by 10 votes. Roy Shaw was elected treasurer by a similar vote. These were the only two Democrats elected, all the rest of the ticket being Republican by a safe margin.

Governor Warner has accepted an invitation to speak at the banquet of the Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers, to be held at the Hotel Astor, in New York, April 7. Michigan is in the front rank of automobile manufacture and accessories and Governor Warner's presence will be particularly appropriate.

Mrs. Calkins will give a public address in the Presbyterian church Thursday evening April 14th. She will relate some of her experiences and that of the people, in those counties, where the contest has been waged between the friends of the saloon and the defenders of the home. Do not miss the lecturer. A silver collection will be taken.

The present prospect is that the state will receive every dollar of its funds which were on deposit in Glazier's Chelsea bank at the time the bank was forced to close. With what will be realized from the bank and bonds furnished the deposit, approximately \$680,000 will be repaid to the state, according to state officers who are in a position to know the conditions.

The marriage of Mr. Winfield Birch and Miss Nellie Oliver was quietly solemnized at the Presbyterian Manse Thursday evening, March 31, Rev. Hugh Ronald officiating. Both parties are well known and universally respected and a host of friends will unite in wishing them abundant life and happiness. They will reside on the farm, one half mile south of town, where they are now at home to their friends.

Mrs. Duncan Leitch died at her home last Friday afternoon, after an illness of less than two weeks. She was born in Thamesville, Ont., and was 40 years of age. She came to Plymouth about seven years ago, and leaves to mourn their loss a husband, one son and several brothers and a sister. The funeral services were held at her late home Sunday afternoon, Rev. C. T. Jack conducting services. The remains were taken to Thamesville Monday morning for burial.

Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time and by a medicine which like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy not only cures promptly but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by Beyer Pharmacy.

Call 223 and rent a vacuum cleaner at \$1.00 per day.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sherman Tuesday, a boy.

Miss Marion Hood visited at Will Roths in Wayne last Saturday.

Rev. Peters and family are visiting relatives at Ludington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Merrell of Detroit visited at C. G. Draper's this week.

Mrs. Chas. Riggs and Mrs. P. E. White are visiting in Salem.

Mrs. Louis Reber visited her sister Miss Etta Reichelt, in Detroit this week.

Mrs. M. S. Lee of Ann Arbor visited her sister, Mrs. Asa Joy, the first of the week.

Carl Hillmer and wife are moving into Mr. Brown's house on South Main street.

Isaac Gleason, who has been sick the past two months, is able to be out again.

E. D. Wood and family are moving into Chas. Wheelock's house on Sutton street.

Mrs. E. H. Tighe of Detroit visited her mother, Mrs. Geo. Starkweather, this week.

Monte Wood leaves Sunday for Hartford, Conn., to join the Eastern League ball team as pitcher.

Repair your china with Western Cement, 15 cts. a bottle, at Draper's.

John Lang has accepted a position with a motor company at Pontiac and began work there Tuesday.

Chas. Shattuck returned Friday from Colorado, where he has been visiting his brother Fred and family.

Geo. Peterhans has sold his farm to a party in Farmington and will move into his house in north village.

David Allen returned home last Friday from Century, Fla., where he visited with his daughter the past three months.

Rev. H. N. Ronald attended an Alma College alumni banquet given at the Tuller Hotel, Detroit, Monday evening.

You will need the following articles when you clean house and you will find them at Draper's: Silver Cream, Fancy and Decorated Crepe Papers and Shelf Papers.

Mr. Morlan, who has been operator here the past year has been appointed agent at Brighton, and will move there this week.

Russel Wingard is now time-keeper and store-keeper for the P. M. in the yards here, having quit his position in Detroit offices.

Mrs. Durfee, and daughters Lida and Mrs. Sarah Armstrong returned home Tuesday from Los Angeles, Cal., where they had spent the winter.

Al. Smith has built a large porch from his pool room to the sidewalk and will bench same to accommodate passengers waiting for the D. U. R. cars, where they can wait out of the sun and rain.

Wayne has secured an automobile factory and they are now putting up a building 60x300 feet. Plymouth isn't making much noise just now, but wait until we get started on the gas engine factory.

The base ball season opens in Detroit next Thursday afternoon when Cleveland will oppose Detroit. Weather being favorable, undoubtedly a large bunch of Plymouth fans will be in attendance.

Louis Gerst of Canton township was thrown from a motor cycle last Sunday and severely injured about the face and head. There were several long gashes that required twenty-four stitches by Dr. Cooper to close up.

A CARD.—We extend our heart-felt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their sincere sympathy and timely aid in our recent bereavement. The many floral gifts deepened our respect and love for our friends and helped to soothe our sorrow. We cannot reward, we can only pray that heaven's dearest blessing may be granted you.

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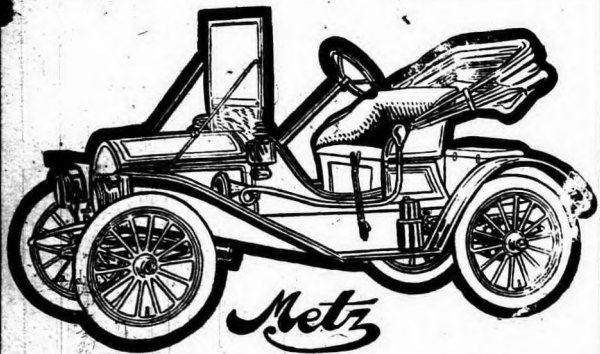
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STATUS OF THE SQUAW MAN

Term is No Longer Considered One of Reproach, Owing to the Changed Conditions.

The squaw man seeking only for the flesh pots—he who never marries—is generally as mean and low a voluptuary as any other carnal creature—white, black or red. He is an offense to society; and it is because of him that the term "squaw man" became one of opprobrium.

For in the early days in the west white men rarely married the Indian women with whom they lived. But now, save in Alaska, and in sporadic cases in the western states, conditions have changed to a wholesome respectability. Every little while on the reservation one hears of a wedding that might seem to the easterner highly romantic, or highly repulsive, according to his point of view, but to which local people and local practice give toleration, if not free sanction.

For westerners are agrarian in the broad sense of the term, and when a liberal-minded ranchman hears of James Tompkins marrying Mary Running Horse he thinks of the 160 acres of land that go with the matrimonial bargain and of the other like tracts that will go to each of their children; and so, on meeting the bridegroom, he shakes him heartily by the hand and says: "Good boy, Jim! May you be happy with your Indian wife and raise a big family!"—Everybody's.

New War Airship for Germany.

A new type of airship will be added to the German aerial fleet this spring. The new dirigible belongs to the non-rigid system and differs in several important points from other types. In shape it is similar to a torpedo. The envelope of the balloon is colored yellow to protect it as far as possible from the action of the sun's rays.

Its four cars are directly attached to the framework of the balloon. It will be driven by four Daimler motors, each of 125 horsepower. It is anticipated that the airship will be able to carry 40 persons. The estimated speed is 65 kilometers an hour.

A large hall is being built to shelter the vessel. The airship has been designed by Capt. von Krage of the aeronautic battalion, and is accordingly well adapted for military purposes.

The Suspect's Declaration.

Parson White's precautionary measure of protecting his chicken coop with chilled steel bars was futile, for that very night four more of his choice leghorns disappeared, leaving the severed and twisted bars as the only visible evidence of the theft. However, his suspicions pointed toward his next door neighbor, whom he had seen prowling around his yard that day, and accordingly, he had this suspect up in police court, the next morning.

"If the prisoner can file an alibi I'll let him off with a suspended sentence," announced the judge at the end of the evidence. "Can you file an alibi, Ham?"

"Ah guess Ah k'n," eagerly rejoined the suspect, "if it an't any habder den Pabson White's chicken coop bars!"—Brooklyn Life.

Expensive Politeness.

Politest people in New York are grafters, press agents, pinchers and grabbers. All know about grafters and press agents. The pinchers and grabbers, some of them with manners of Sir Roger de Coventry, get on crowded elevators where women are and take off hats to put in front of a man's eyes while they work. One of the "elegant gentlemen wearing a stovepipe hat last year got my fine alum Kohnhor scarfpin. Aman is a fool to wear a real high-priced diamond where so many polite gentry are around. Look what New York politeness cost poor young Mr. Van Norden—picking up a fallen pocket-book for a falling young lady.—New York Press.

Dogs Devour Dead Tibetans.

According to the Chinese who have now entered Lassa, that city is famous for three productions—lamas, women and dogs. The demand for dogs arises from one of the grim kinds of sepulture to which the Tibetans are inclined. "The poor," says a writer, "have the dogs of the suburbs for their mausoleum; but for persons of distinction a little more ceremony is used. There are convents where they keep sacred dogs, and it is to them the bodies of the rich Tibetans are carried."

The Puzzling Program.

"This play seems based upon an unusual theme. What has the renovation of feathers to do with the plot?" "You're reading the ads, my friend, not the plot."

His Architecture.

Sally Gay—What a cunning little fellow, Mr. Callipers! Dolly Swift—Cunning? Why, he's dreadfully bow-legged. Sally Gay—Yes, but that gives him such an arch look, you know.

The Great Decider.

Mrs. Grammery—What is your opinion about the right of women to vote? Mrs. Parks—It's enough for me to know, my dear, that it is fashionable.—Judge.

20 COUNTIES GO "DRY" OUT OF 36 VOTING

KENT TURNS PROHIBITION DOWN BY MAJORITY OF 7,500

Of the 1,161 Saloons Whose Existence Depended on Yesterday's Vote, but 282 Will Be Put Out of Business.

Oakland, Which Two Years Ago Went Dry, Flops Back Into the Wet Column by 1,000—Drys Lose Wexford, Too.

Thirty-six counties in Michigan voted Monday on the local option proposition.

In twenty of these the drys won. In sixteen the wets won. These figures would indicate that the drys had the better of the argument, but figuring on the number of saloons which will be put out of business as a result of the day's balloting, and the drys were very badly beaten.

In the twenty counties which were carried by the drys, but 282 saloons and six breweries are in operation, while in the sixteen which voted wet 878 saloons and nine breweries do business, and will probably continue to do so for two years more at least.

Lansing, Igham, Cass, Lapeer, Shiawassee and St. Joseph were the only populous counties not already dry which voted to abolish the licensed saloon, while in the wet list are the large counties of Kent, Oakland, Marquette and St. Clair.

Not a single bit of consolation do the drys gain in the upper peninsula, every one of the eight counties north of the straits which voted on the proposition deciding by comfortable majorities to remain in the wet column.

Ten counties which were already dry voted, and eight of these stayed dry. The two which flopped back, however, are large ones, Oakland and Wexford.

Twenty-six counties now wet voted, and fourteen of these stay wet.

In Kent county, where the drys had concentrated their forces the closing days of the campaign, they sustained a crushing defeat. In the city of Grand Rapids the wet majority will crowd the 7,000 mark, while the county districts increased this slightly.

St. Clair county was another place where the wets rubbed it into their opponents, winning by a majority of 2,500, the city of Port Huron piling up a majority that made it safe for the wets.

One interesting phase of the outcome is the flopping back to the wet column of Wexford county, after two years' experience with prohibition. What makes it interesting is the fact that Cadillac, the county seat, is the home of Perry F. Powers, former auditor-general, and leader among the prohibition forces of the state, who has spent several weeks on the stump for the drys in his own and other counties.

Two years' experience with bootlegging and blind pigs was enough for Oakland also, and this, the biggest dry county in the state, will go back to the licensed saloons on May 1.

The result in Igham county, wherein is situated Lansing, will give rise to a lot of gossip. The county went dry, which means that during the next session of the legislature there'll be no open bars. It has been freely predicted that if Igham went dry one effect would be to shorten materially the legislative session. Now the state will have a chance to see whether a dry session will last as long as a wet one.

It will be interesting also to watch what effect a dry capital will have on liquor law legislation. The State Anti-Saloon league officials have been saying all through the campaign that they would go before the next legislature and ask for a statewide prohibition law. The bumping they received Monday may cause a change in their attitude on this point, but if it does not, the people of Michigan will watch with much interest the course of the legislators in a dry session on the proposition.

COUNTIES WHICH THE DRYS CARRIED

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WHERE THE WETS WERE VICTORIOUS

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St. Ignace, Mich., April 4.—Returns from all but two precincts of 17 in the county give the wets 400 majority.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., April 4.—Chippewa county remains in the wet column. While complete figures are not yet available, it is estimated that the wets have a majority of about 150. The vote cast broke all records, practically every enrolled voter turning out. It was freely predicted for several weeks that the city would go wet and the outlying townships dry. This proved to be the case, but the city proved to be the stronger, turning in a majority of 807. Every ward was in the wet column. But one or two townships are in the wet column.

Shelby, Mich., April 4.—Shelby township gives 211 majority in favor of local option. Hart township goes dry by 125. The county of Oceana will certainly be in the dry column of two years more, and the indications are that the dry majority will be about 200.

Millersburg, Mich., April 4.—Indications are that Presque Isle county has gone dry by 200. Ten precincts out of 17 give 292 dry majority. Under ideal weather conditions a record vote was polled. The greatest excitement was at Onaway, where the scene resembled a Fourth of July celebration. Each side engaged a band and the women and school children paraded. Several arrests for illegal voting were made.

Manistique, Mich., April 4.—Returns up to 10 p. m. indicate a majority of 250 for the wets. A proposition to bond the county for \$50,000 for good roads will lose out by a large majority.

Standish, Mich., April 4.—Aronac county goes dry by 200 majority. Every township gave a dry majority.

St. Johns, Mich., April 4.—Clinton county stays dry by about 100, the wets making a gain of 220 over the vote of 1908. The city of St. Johns gave a wet majority of 31, while

the township of Bingham, in which St. Johns is located, gave a dry majority of one, reversing the result of 1908 when it gave that small majority wet.

Centreville, Mich., April 4.—St. Joseph county goes dry by about 200. Sturgis city went wet by 138. Three Rivers dry by one vote.

Gaylord, Mich., April 4.—Oscego county county complete gives 741 dry votes and 572 wet votes, a dry majority of 168.

Ludington, Mich., April 4.—With the largest vote ever polled in this county, the wets won today by a majority of approximately 600. Great excitement was caused by the large city registration, which exceeded any previous record by 627, and some talk was heard of contesting alleged colonization, although it is not probable this will be done in the face of such a large majority.

Marquette, Mich., April 4.—Marquette county voted today to retain the licensed saloon. The majority in favor of the wets is approximately 1,000, out of more than 2,000 votes cast. A lively campaign had been waged and the balloting was materially heavier than usual at spring elections.

Both Dickinson and Gogebic counties also voted wet by substantial majorities.

West Branch, Mich., April 4.—Full returns from Gogewag county show 48 majority for prohibition. West Branch city gives 68 wet majority, while Rose City gives 23 dry majority.

Cadillac, Mich., April 4.—Wexford county has gone back into the wet column, by a majority of 155. Cadillac gave a wet majority of 475, over 100 larger than two years' ago.

Pontiac, Mich., April 4.—Oakland county has repudiated prohibition by a majority of 1072. Twenty-five out of the 30 precincts show wet gains of 877 over the vote of two years ago. Pontiac city gave a majority of 742 wet.

Only five out of 20 precincts show dry gains over two years ago.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 4.—At 11 o'clock, R. N. Hoisap, assistant state superintendent of the Anti-saloon league, conceded Kent county to the wets by 5,500 and more enthusiastic wets are claiming as high as 7,000 majority. The drys failed to carry a single precinct in the city. The wets made certain their victory when they carried the county by about 400 majority. Hoisap's declaration late tonight that he will repeat his attempt to put Kent county dry in 1912.

Traverse City, Mich., April 4.—Lecanau county went wet by 147 majority every township in the county except two going wet. The result was a surprise to the dry forces, as they had expected to make a better showing. The fact that Lecanau adjoins wet Grand Traverse and that it was feared a dry county would affect the summer resort business were strong factors. Northport, which has been dry for years, returned a dry majority of 88. The village of Leland, with summer resorters as a principal industry, went wet by 38.

Munising, Mich., April 4.—With Burt township yet to be heard from, Algoma is expected to vote to be 143 in the lead. In all probability the wets will win by about 200. Munising township, containing Munising, the county seat, went wet by 141 majority.

Lapeer, Mich., April 4.—Lapeer city gave 22 majority for the wets, but the county as a whole is dry by 475 majority. Etba and Oregon, which had been claimed by the wets, gave 9 and 55 respectively for the drys. Lapeer township gave 26 majority for the drys.

McBain, Mich., April 4.—Missaukee county goes dry by 26 majority, with three precincts to hear from.

Owosso, Mich., April 4.—Shiawassee county goes dry by 1,000 majority. The wet vote of 600 was so, which gave the wets a majority of 78.

Newberry, Mich., April 4.—Luce county remains wet by 31 majority.

Cassopolis, Mich., April 4.—Cass county goes dry by 500 majority, in the largest vote ever polled.

Bellaire, Mich., April 4.—Thirteen out of 15 townships in Antwerp county give a majority of 4,000 for the drys. The other two townships will change the figure but little.

Midland, Mich., April 4.—Midland county stands about 220 dry, with the other three townships all wet. They will probably break even.

Adrian, Mich., April 4.—Local option carried in Lenawee today by 2978 majority.

Adrian city, estimated to go wet by several hundred, polled a dry majority of 25 out of 2,718 votes. Townships claimed by the wets surprised all by going dry by good majorities.

Paw Paw, Mich., April 4.—Sixteen precincts of the Ionia county are in the dry column, and the remaining five precincts will add probably 150. South Haven is the only wet spot.

Port Huron, Mich., April 4.—The wets were victorious over the drys today in one of the worst fights that has ever been pulled off in the state. The wets carried the county by a majority of 1,225 over the drys.

All during the day the drys remained confident that they would win, believing that the city would lead down to the majority of the wets, and that they would carry the county, but when it was learned that the city had given the wets a majority of 1,573 their hopes disappeared.

The victory of the wets is largely due to the work of the law and order league and the organized labor of the city. The workingmen were all against local option, and in order to defeat the majority that the drys might receive from the farmers' vote, they all turned out.

Lansing, Mich., April 4.—Local option carried in Igham county today by a majority of 695. A few errors in the count of Lansing city vote is expected to bring the county well over 700. The city gave a wet majority of 1,130, but with the exception of Lansing township, every one of the 16 townships delivered a handsome dry majority.

Roscommon, Mich., April 4.—Roscommon county today voted to remain among the wet counties of the state. While the returns are not all in, it is expected that the wets will carry the county by a comfortable margin. The majority now stands 41 wet, and the other three townships give but slight majorities either way. The fight has been a hard one for both sides. Higgins township, in which the village of Strossenau is located, gave the wets 22 majority.

Hastings, Mich., April 4.—It is estimated that Barry county continues dry by 900, or 500 less than two years ago. Hastings went wet by 98 majority, which is considered small. This is considered the most exciting, hard and bitterly fought election ever held in Barry county.

Hersey, Mich., April 4.—Complete returns for Oceola county show a majority of 265 for the drys.

Marquette Favors Primary.

Marquette, Mich., April 4.—The proposition of choosing the county officers and circuit court judge by the primary election method carried in Marquette county today by an overwhelming majority.

Taxpayers Win at Negaunee.

Negaunee, Mich., April 4.—J. W. Elliott, tax collector, was elected mayor by 28 majority over J. H. Sawbridge on the People's, Joseph Mercer, taxpayers was elected treasurer by 18 majority over Isaac Niemi, the majority.

Twenty-eight insane foreigners left Stockton, Cal., on special cars for New York, whence they will be deported to their native countries under a recent federal law. Eleven attendants are in charge of the patients.

By the terms of a treaty just concluded between the Mexican foreign relations department and the British foreign office, Great Britain and Mexico have equal rights in the navigation of the rivers that form the boundary between Yucatan and British Honduras.

One of the most highly prized scholarship honors at Columbia university has been awarded this year to a negro student, George W. Scott, 1911, a southern negro, is the winner of one of the two Curtis medals for oratory. His oration was on the subject, "Is the Negro Fitted for Full Citizenship?"

The United States Steel corporation is considering a voluntary increase in the wages of its employees. The proposed percentage of increase has not yet been decided, but it is believed that it will equal the per cent increase announced by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

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Grand Rapids—The proposition to have circuit judges elected by direct primary carried by a large majority in this county.

FLINT—The charter revision proposition carried by a fair majority. The question of increasing the pay of the mayor and aldermen was lost.

ANN ARBOR—The proposition to bond Washburn county for a new county building was defeated by 1,500. The new board of supervisors is Democratic by nine.

FRANKLIN—The proposition to grant a franchise to the Detroit, Lansing & Grand Rapids Electric line was defeated, as was the bonding issue of \$5,000 for a new opera house.

MARQUETTE—The election system for nominating county officers and circuit judges was adopted by Marquette county by a very large majority. There was practically no opposition to the proposition.

HILLSDALE—The proposition to bond \$40,000 for a city hall was lost 679 to 493. Proposition for additional light equipment lost 691 to 442. Proposition for a fire engine house lost 104 to 404.

BAY CITY—The Democrats elected 5 out of 11 aldermen and for the first time in 20 years secured control of the city government. The Grand Trunk franchise was approved with little opposition.

Houghton—Houghton county voted in favor of the nomination of county officers and circuit judge by direct nomination; also for the county road system, also to bonding for \$15,000 for a township hospital.

OWOSSO—Mayor Burke, re-elected for a third term, was the town's most popular saloonkeeper, which elected for his first term. He has retired from business, but rents a building that he owns for a saloon. In all his years in the saloon business he has religiously enforced the law. He said last night on hearing the returns that the county had gone dry.

"There will be no bootlegging or violation of the law," he said. "If I can prevent it I do not think that the law is a good one, but it is on the statute books, and for this reason I respect and obey the law. I will be glad to do their best to convict them, if guilty."

He arrested all violators of the law. POIT—The proposition to bond \$10,000 for a city hall was lost 679 to 493. Proposition for additional light equipment lost 691 to 442. Proposition for a fire engine house lost 104 to 404.

MONTMORENCY—Montmorency county voted by a majority of 60 to adopt the primary system of nominating county office candidates.

GRAND RAPIDS—The proposition for pure water supply on the filtration plan carried by a majority of 1,130. A revision of the city charter, giving it complete home rule and the bonding of the city for \$75,000 to extend water mains. The flood protection proposition involving the granting of a power company franchise carried by a small majority, while the question of nominating circuit judges by direct vote went through with a small majority.

JACKSON—Jackson voted Monday in favor of the primary system of nominating circuit judges by a majority of 678. The city election was a quiet affair, and the vote very light. Three bonding propositions were carried.

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LANSING—The Democrats elected mayor, treasurer and two out of the aldermen by small majorities. Mayor John S. Bennett, re-elected (Dem.), 1924 treasurer, G. Reutter (Dem.), 529. Vote on nomination of circuit judges by primary carried by 2,250.

PONTIAC—Almost all the officers elected in the city are Republicans. F. Monroe, Republican, won by 1,128 majority over Arthur E. Newberry, Democrat. This is the largest majority ever won by a Republican in the history of the city. Monroe is a young manufacturer and popular with the factory men. Joseph Thorne, Republican, was elected circuit judge. A bonding proposition involving the granting of a power company franchise carried by a small majority, while the question of nominating circuit judges by direct vote went through with a good majority.

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In Battle Creek Mayor John W. Bailey, known as "the militant

Warmest March in Forty Years.

Last month was the warmest March that has been recorded in the last 40 years, according to the monthly summary of the Detroit weather bureau. The mean temperature was 44 degrees, a fraction less than 10 degrees warmer than the normal record. The mercury reached its highest point on March 24, when it soared to 81. The lowest was 17, on the 15th. It also set a new record for warmth 81 degrees being the warmest day the month has had in 40 years.

Unusual is the fact that in spite of the warm days the month brought one-fourth of an inch of snowfall recorded. There was but 35-100ths of an inch of precipitation, which is also far below all previous records. The normal precipitation for the month for 40 years has been 2.58.

Mrs. Elizabeth Chapman, 96, died Sunday at her home in Coldwater from illness to age. She had been a resident in the vicinity of Coldwater for 45 years and is survived by two daughters and a son.

Acting President Hutchins, Dean John O. Reed, Prof. H. M. Bates and Secretary W. B. Shaw, of the Michigan Alumni association left Ann Arbor Tuesday morning for their trip through the west to lecture before various organizations of Michigan graduates and set forth the present conditions and needs of the Wolverine state university.

Edward Irwin, wheelman of the steamer Wilson, disappeared Nov. 7, last and a reward was offered for the recovery of his body. His remains were found at Menominee in the log of the Republic Lumber Co. in the McCombes river.

mayor," and the entire Democratic ticket was elected. From now on he will have the majority support in the council.

In Bay City, Gustavus Hine, former Democratic mayor, who was defeated two years ago for reelection, was elected by a majority of 671.

At Flint Mayor Selby, representative of the younger Republicans, was re-elected.

NILES—The Democrats carried the entire city ticket.

MT. CLEMENS—Overwhelming majorities in Macomb county for direct nomination of candidates for circuit judge, and to nominate candidates for county offices at primary. Proposition carried to give the D. U. R. a franchise on Cass avenue.

GRAND RAPIDS—The Democrats swept the city. Mayor Bailey, Democrat, and prospective candidate for governor, the Democratic nomination for county offices at primary. Proposition carried to give the D. U. R. a franchise on Cass avenue.

FLINT—The charter revision proposition carried by a fair majority. The question of increasing the pay of the mayor and aldermen was lost.

ANN ARBOR—The proposition to bond Washburn county for a new county building was defeated by 1,500. The new board of supervisors is Democratic by nine.

FRANKLIN—The proposition to grant a franchise to the Detroit, Lansing & Grand Rapids Electric line was defeated, as was the bonding issue of \$5,000 for a new opera house.

MARQUETTE—The election system for nominating county officers and circuit judges was adopted by Marquette county by a very large majority. There was practically no opposition to the proposition.

HILLSDALE—The proposition to bond \$40,000 for a city hall was lost 679 to 493. Proposition for additional light equipment lost 691 to 442. Proposition for a fire engine house lost 104 to 404.

BAY CITY—The Democrats elected 5 out of 11 aldermen and for the first time in 20 years secured control of the city government. The Grand Trunk franchise was approved with little opposition.

Houghton—Houghton county voted in favor of the nomination of county officers and circuit judge by direct nomination; also for the county road system, also to bonding for \$15,000 for a township hospital.

OWOSSO—Mayor Burke, re-elected for a third term, was the town's most popular saloonkeeper, which elected for his first term. He has retired from business, but rents a building that he owns for a saloon. In all his years in the saloon business he has religiously enforced the law. He said last night on hearing the returns that the county had gone dry.

"There will be no bootlegging or violation of the law," he said. "If I can prevent it I do not think that the law is a good one, but it is on the statute books, and for this reason I respect and obey the law. I will be glad to do their best to convict them, if guilty."

He arrested all violators of the law. POIT—The proposition to bond \$10,000 for a city hall was lost 679 to 493. Proposition for additional light equipment lost 691 to 442. Proposition for a fire engine house lost 104 to 404.

MONTMORENCY—Montmorency county voted by a majority of 60 to adopt the primary system of nominating county office candidates.

GRAND RAPIDS—The proposition for pure water supply on the filtration plan carried by a majority of 1,130. A revision of the city charter, giving it complete home rule and the bonding of the city for \$75,000 to extend water mains. The flood protection proposition involving the granting of a power company franchise carried by a small majority, while the question of nominating circuit judges by direct vote went through with a small majority.

JACKSON—Jackson voted Monday in favor of the primary system of nominating circuit judges by a majority of 678. The city election was a quiet affair, and the vote very light. Three bonding propositions were carried.

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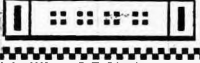
LANSING—The Democrats elected mayor, treasurer and two out of the aldermen by small majorities. Mayor John S. Bennett, re

SERIAL STORY

The Master of Craven

By Marie Van Vorst

Author of "Amanda of the Mill," "Miss Desmond," etc., etc.



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10 SYNOPSIS.

Basil Tempest, world's greatest poet and novelist, refusing further to be lionized, shuts himself up in Craven, his country home. His gloomy meditations are broken by the admission of an American, Lucy Carew, who has come to England to get a study of the author, but more especially a synopsis of his new suite of poems. Tempest, angry at being disturbed, declares he will write no more, and asks Lucy to go. Repenting his rudeness in sending her out at night in the rain, Tempest hastens after her, but she refuses to return to Craven with him and takes lodging with a cottager. Next morning Lucy receives an apology from Tempest and an offer to assist her in writing her essay. Tempest dictates to Lucy, who listens spellbound as she writes. Lucy decides to go to London, but Tempest induces her to remain and read her manuscript to him. Lucy declines an invitation to dine with Tempest, who in anger and disappointment, goes to London. He asks Lady Ormond, with whom his name has been linked, to leave her husband, promising to marry her when she divorces her. Tempest burns the letters and photographs of Lady Ormond. He takes great pleasure in Lucy's presence as their work progresses. He takes her to Penthouse castle, where unexpectedly he meets Lady Ormond.

CHAPTER VI.

Tempest tortured himself with wondering whether or not Miss Carew had heard and how much; if she had heard, would it affect her, and why? That it would not be indifferent to her he was too versed in women not to mark, and he read with delight all that this clear-eyed girl revealed.

"If I could have a right to her, would I be so quick to understand her? Probably not! It is simply because she is safe from me that I am tortured by a slight of bliss I can never claim. If things had been so that we might have married I dare say I should have eaten my heart out with doubt regarding her state of mind!"

During the drive from Penthouse to Craven over miles swiftly and easily covered by the heavy-rolling motor, Tempest had not been able very satisfactorily to study his companion. Excitement may have blurred his vision; he several times impatiently passed his hand across his eyes, straining to see what change had come to her face. Once he muttered something under his breath which she could not hear—it sounded like an imprecation.

With all his power of making himself delightful he filled the short hour so perfectly as to leave Miss Carew no time in which to think and puzzle and to withdraw from him. He made her conscious of herself and of him, and crowded out every possible other person from her mind.

On leaving her at Ramsdill's he said nothing whatsoever about seeing her the following day, and before it dawned he had regretted it.

During the early hours he was up at dawn pacing his bedroom; later tramping his study, his face towards the window through which he could catch the first glimpse of Miss Carew as she should appear, he searched the avenue with the eagerness of one who waits for a herald.

Over and over again he murmured: "Well, she has gone! She should have come long ago! I am quite mad—and I dare to dream!" Letty did not return to the child.

He gathered together the manuscript she had copied in a pile, on the top a sonnet he had written during the last few days. It was half after ten, a good 30 minutes beyond her hour.

"I'll give her another hour to wonder in—to be jealous in—and to make her mind to be late in—then if she fails me, I will scatter these sheets to the wind." He steadfastly watched the unloveliness of the changed November atmosphere.

He had been right in his prediction the phenomenal beauty of the autumn was gone, and England had settled down into the early winter gloom. In another five minutes Tempest saw her coming up the alley to the terrace steps.

When he said brusquely: "I don't want to write to-day, Miss Carew," she flushed painfully.

"No? You did not perhaps expect me?"

"I never dare to expect you—I have never dared. If hope is expectation, then I do. I can't say I didn't look, I was at the window; you saw me?"

"Yes."

"Why do you gather up your gloves again?"

"If you don't care to work?"

"Oh!—his impatience was boyish. 'What a school-mistress! I have worked' as you call it, made you work for weeks, a methodical honest labor quite unusual even to me, and yet I have produced pal mal de choses. Can't I have one holiday?"

"We had yesterday."

"We," he laughed, delighted. "We," he emphasized, "will have this morning. Let me rest in the agreeable sense of—talking with you—an hour or two." Other words, whose warmth colored even the simple phrase he used, were at his tongue's end.

Miss Carew sat down before her table and her materials and folded her hands over them.

"I have asked you nothing, Miss Carew, during these faithful weeks. I mean about yourself. You must have sometimes thought me selfish?"

"No."

"I am," he confessed, "horribly selfish, but that is not the reason—I have not wished to know. You came to me like a dream as it might be, like a fairy godmother out of an old tale on one windy night in the storm—against my will. How rude I was! But you forgave me." He had drawn near to her. "I like to think of you so—you seemed to have a wand with you, you know; you touched the bewitched fancies in my brain and things came to life again."

Tempest was under a control whose strength only a man of his nearly un-governable passions knows how to use.

"I've an idea there are no fairy stories in America—at any rate, I don't connect you with anything 3,000 miles away. You said something about careers and working for your living—"

Here he stopped. Her slender hands, her slender figure, the grace and femininity of her, coming in contrast with the harsh facts he broached appeared to distress him. "I can't think of money, or the lack of it, in connection with you. I can't believe you are poor, you don't look it."

No sentimental revolution had made an empire room of Mrs. Henly's arch-English quarters! Here she had lived a tranquil existence for over forty years, feeling heir to the uses and duties of the place when she was a very young woman at the first house-keeper's decease.

Tempest had associations even with the wall-paper's blazing roses and knots of floating streamers, which his child's imagination had untied and retied to find there were no ends, no real continuations, and all the flowers and ribbons fell into confusion in his mind! The mantel clock with its quaint Chinese figures, brought to Mrs. Henly by a sailor brother, had made the little Tempest dream of ships and those distant ports that possessed the maddening fascination of the far-away and the unknown. He had intended joining the nautical man's ship some day, just as he had intended doing at some period everything that amused him or stimulated his live fancy. In the big armchair with its print-covered back and arms Mrs. Henly had held him and soothed his griefs. His own little chair stood by the fireplace as it had for more than thirty years. He had been a sailor in it; it had been a boat, a chariot, a ship of dreams. To the quaint room with its individual odors (Tempest had always thought of woods and worsteds, and fire and fogs and tea!) he had come stormily with his miseries of boy-love, which he had confided on Mrs. Henly's breast; here, stormily, later, with the miseries of Mrs. Henly's love, he had not confided. But never had he gone away without some solace from the homely little room. To-day he came in and shut the door. Mrs. Henly sat knitting in her big chair.

"She's old," he thought for the first. "She's aged very much of late, but she'll stand by me till—the end." Then aloud: "Sit still, Henly; don't get up," and Tempest took the corner of the table and sat himself down on it, staring at her.

He was past 40 years old, but only she would have known it. There was no gray in the thick, dark hair that grew close as thatch around his beautiful head. Bodily and mentally he was so vibrant, so magnetic, so strong, that youth seemed inherent in him, and he would never be old. To her, indeed, he had never grown up. His naturally uncontrolled nature made him often like a naughty child, and when he was his more lovable self she called him by her heart "my dear, dear boy." As she said, she had wept tears already so bitter that she would not claim a nearer tie if it could have added salt to their brine. Her master said shortly:

"Henly, she must go."

Mrs. Henly knitted a line in order to collect herself, then put her work down on the table and looked at her master over her glasses. "He speaks of her as if she were the housemaid," she thought.

"I'm heart sorry, Mr. Basil."

"Why," he demanded, rudely, "why?"

"She's a sweet and gentle lady, coming as she does, clinging to the door as I might say; here as she is, day in and out, no one could or does think harm of her."

He exclaimed furiously: "Harm! how do you dare, Henly, to mean—"

"I mean," said the housekeeper, steadily, "that for a young lady alone here—with no mother or friend even—even the Ford would talk; but she bears it in her face what she is—good and true."

"Yes," he interrupted more reasonably, "she does, and good she shall remain. That's why she must go. She must leave Cravenford; no good will come to her for staying on."

"But," interrupted the devoted woman, "to you, Mr. Basil?"

Tempest was forced to smile. "You would sacrifice anything to that, I think. You have kept silent and patient, never considering her so far, or her reputation, because you thought it was good for me!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Food for Reminiscence. Twenty-five years hence the Pennsylvania railroad station will give a lot of people a chance to reminisce," said the gray-headed New Yorker. "I was born on the site of the Pennsylvania station, they can tell their acquaintances, and then proceed to give an account of their vicissitudes during the trying time of eviction to make way for the great improvement."

IN HOSPITAL FOR NINE MONTHS.

Awful Tale of Suffering From Kidney Trouble.



Alfred J. O'Brien, Second St., Sterling, Colo., says: "I was in the Baltimore Marine Hospital for nine months. I had a dull pain in the small of my back that completely wore me out. The urine was in a terrible state, and some days I would pass half a gallon of blood. I left the hospital because they wanted to operate on me. I went to St. Joseph's Hospital at Omaha and put in three months there without any gain. I was pretty well discouraged when I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I did so and by the time I had taken one box, the pain in the back left me. I kept right on and a perfect cure was the result."

Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Look to Welfare of Workmen. A significant phase of the campaign against tuberculosis in Sweden is the establishment, by various industrial concerns, of sanatoria for tuberculous workmen from their own factories. The Vulcan Match Company, the Ljusne-Voxne Timber Company, the Sandviken Hardware Company, the Eriksson Telephone Company and the Stora Kopparberg Company are among those who maintain such institutions, each accommodating from fifteen to thirty patients. At these sanatoria the workmen are received free, and their families may be admitted for a small charge.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed you have a running ear or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous lining.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Terrible Risk. Typhoid had broken out in their neighborhood and the family resorted to travel as the best means of precaution until the trouble should subside.

They arrived at Quebec by the morning boat, intending to take it to Montreal in the evening, but the sight-seers got tired and returned early in the afternoon to find the top of the smokestack on a level with the dock, the tide having dropped 18 feet.

"Mamma," cried the little girl, "did God drink up all that water?"

"Yes, my child."

"Then hadn't we better tell him it wasn't boiled?"

Wrong View of Marriage. "There would be less divorce," said ex-Gov. Peñypacker, "if there were fewer men like William Windle."

"William Windle embarked on an excursion steamer for Point Breeze, and a few miles out, as he paced the upper deck and drank in the bracing ozone, he spied his friend Jackson.

"Why, Jackson, how are ye?" he exclaimed. "Are ye out for pleasure, or is yer wife along?"

HITS ALDRICH LAW

SENATOR BEVERIDGE ATTACKS TARIFF AT INDIANA REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

PROUD HE VOTED AGAINST IT

Resolutions Indorse President Taft and Work of Beveridge in Senate—Insurgent Talk is Cheered—Senator is Chairman.

Indianapolis, April 6.—Frank denunciation of the Payne-Aldrich tariff act as a "mockery" and a "makeshift" was the climax of Senator Albert J. Beveridge's opening address as chairman of the Republican state convention.

Nine Chosen by Acclamation. The following nominations were made by acclamation: Secretary of state, Ottis E. Gulley, Danville; auditor of state, John E. Reed, Muncie; clerk of supreme court, Edward V. Fitzpatrick, Portland; state statistician, John L. Pectz, Kokomo; state geologist, W. S. Blatchley, Terre Haute; judge of supreme court, Second district, Oscar H. Montgomery, Seymour; appellate judges, Ward H. Watson, Charlestown and C. C. Hadley of Danville; attorney general, Finley P. Mount, Crawfordsville.

Ascribing a large share of the responsibility for the passage of the new tariff bill to the Democrats who voted for it, Senator Beveridge also attacked Senators Hale and Aldrich for amending his plan for a tariff commission so as to deprive its members of any real power.

Delegates and galleries gave Senator Beveridge storms of applause as he reached climax after climax in attacking the action of those who enacted the present law, against which he voted in the United States senate. His speech, in part, follows:

"The Republicans of Indiana are for a protective tariff which covers the difference in the cost of production here and abroad. Less than that is unjust to American producers and more than that would be unjust to American consumers. It was to reduce the Dingley tariff to meet changed conditions and obtain justice that we undertook its revision.

Calls Roll of Increases. "The masses of Republican voters today refuse to permit the great doctrine of protection to be used to excuse and cloak tariff excess. Like President Taft, I wanted free iron ore, of which we have the greatest deposits on earth, and which the steel trust chiefly controls. I would not stand for the duty that was passed and I cannot stand for it now.

"Like President Taft I wanted free lumber, out of which the homes of the people are built. Like President Taft I wanted the ancient woolen schedule reduced—a schedule .42 years old, which raises the price and reduces the weight of the people's clothing. I stood against that schedule and am against it now.

Tariff Board "Slaughtered." "Above all, I could not stand for the slaughter by the conference committee of the moderate beginning of a tariff commission which I wrote into the bill that passed the senate; but all except one of the Democratic senators were and are the enemies of any tariff commission.

"I voted against the bill and for plighted honor. I voted against excess and for protection. I voted against the interests and for the people."

The platform adopted, in part, follows: "We, the Republicans of Indiana, declare our determined support of those great policies for the common good developed under Theodore Roosevelt and bearing his name, and we demand that they be given effect in legislation and administration.

Demand Tariff Commission. "We believe in a protective tariff, measured by the difference between the cost of production here and abroad. That difference should be ascertained with the utmost speed and the present law modified accordingly.

"We demand the immediate creation of a genuine, permanent, nonpartisan tariff commission, with ample powers and definite duties fixed in the law itself."

The platform ends with a paragraph of vigorous indorsement of the record of Senator Beveridge, after giving high praise to the policies of President Taft.

BALLINGER TO STRIKE BACK

Secretary of Interior Threatens Prosecution of Publishers for Attacks in Magazine.

Washington, April 4.—One of the most startling declarations brought out by the congressional committee's investigation of the Pinchot-Ballinger controversy was made when H. K. Love, formerly a special agent of the land office, while under cross-examination by Attorney Brandeis, asserted that John W. Dudley, former register of the land office at Juneau, Alaska, had told him in Juneau last February that an agent of Collier's Weekly had intimated to him that "it would be worth from \$5,000 to \$10,000 to him" to come to Washington to testify.

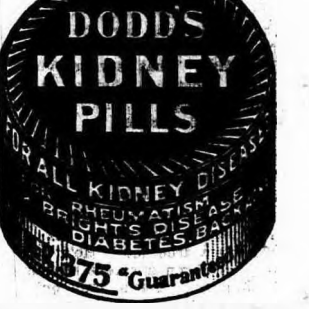
Red, Weak, Watery Eyes. Relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. Try Murine For Your Eye Troubles. You Will Like Murine. It Soothes. See at Your Druggist. Write For Eye Book. Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Those who believe that man descended from the monkey should remember that it's a poor rule that won't work both ways.

There are lots of people who can't take a joke, and a good many times it isn't through any fault of their own.

Takers of the United States Census will use Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen because it is always ready and sure.

Take a good watch to a pawnbroker and see how quickly the time passes.



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Here's the Proof. Mr. G. T. Roberts of Resaca, Ga., R.F.D. No. 1, Box 43, writes:—"I have used your Liniment on a horse for sweeney and effected a thorough cure. I also removed a spavin on a mule. This spavin was as large as a guinea egg. In my estimation the best remedy for lameness and soreness is Sloan's Liniment."

Sloan's Liniment

Mr. H. M. Gibbs of Lawrence, Kans., R.F.D. No. 3, writes:—"Your Liniment is the best that I have ever used. I had a mare with an abscess on her neck and one on her hip. Sloan's Liniment entirely cured her. I keep it around all the time for galls and small swellings and for everything about the stock."

Sloan's Liniment will kill a spavin, curb or splint, reduce wind puffs and swollen joints, and is a sure and speedy remedy for fistula, sweeney, founder and thrush.

WESTERN CANADA

What Governor Deneen, of Illinois, Says About It.

Governor Deneen, of Illinois, came a second time to the land in Western Canada. He has said in the following interesting interview: "As an American I am delighted to see the rapid growth of Western Canada. Our people are flocking across the border in great numbers, and I have not met one who has had a mistake. They are all well, and there is a truly a community in the Middle or Western States that has not a representative in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta."

125 Million Bushels of Wheat in 1909. Western Canada field crops for 1909 will yield to the farmer over \$170,000,000 in cash. Free Homesteads of 160 acres. Free pre-emption of 160 acres at \$3.00 an acre. Railway and land companies have land for sale at reasonable prices. Many farms have been sold for their land cost. Excellent climate, good schools, excellent railway facilities, low freight rates, wood, water and lumber easily obtained.

For pamphlet, "Let West's particulars as to suitable locations, low sections, and apply to the Dept. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to Canadian Gov't Agent, H. E. Simeon, 174 Michigan Ave., Detroit, or C. A. Lusk, 101 St. Marie, Minn. (Give address nearest you.)"

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Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to Its Natural Color and Beauty. It softens, cleanses, and positively removes Dandruff. It cures Itch, Redness, and all skin troubles. Buy at your Druggist. Write for Free Book. Send for large sample Bottle FREE. Hay's Hair-Health. C. C. Hay, U. S. A.

ROSEBUD'S ROMANCE

"Good maw'nin, ma'am," said the ebony-hued personage in response to whose knock Mrs. Murray had opened the back door. "I'm the lady what Miz Johnson sent."

"Mrs. Johnson?" queried Mrs. Murray vaguely. "I don't think I know her."

"Oh, yas'm, you do," asserted the ebony-hued one kindly, but firmly. "She's the lady what washes for you. She jest natchally couldn't come this week, because why she's sick abed on her back with the miz'ry in her left year. It's fierce."

Mrs. Murray eyed the substitute laundress rather dubiously. "Well," she said finally, "you may go down to the laundry and sort the clothes and by that time I can give you your breakfast. What is your name?"

The substitute shuffled inside the door and began to remove a hat about the size of a barrel.

"Yas'm my name's Miz White. Miz Isabella Arabella Rosebud White. Yas'm I'm Miz White. My husband's daid, so I'm a widow lady."

"Indeed!" ejaculated Mrs. Murray.

"Yas'm," continued Miz White. "That's a true fac'. He's daid now. It's only been a recent occasion that he died on. Yas'm, only quite a recent occasion."

"Indeed!" said Mrs. Murray again, rather feebly. "I'm sorry to hear it."

"Law," responded Mrs. White cheerfully. "I wuzn't sorry. I wuz powerful glad. It was a shore 'nuff release. I wuz mighty glad to git s'het of him. You see, I done been a grass widow for some considerable time and if ever a puseca was glad to be a real shore 'nuff widow, I wuz it."

"So you were divorced, then?" inquired Mrs. Murray.

"Yas'm, I was divorced some time previously to Mr. White's bein' removed. You see, I wasn't able to git no divorce right immediately precedin' after me and Mr. White was separated, on account of me not havin' no money to pay for it, so I just had to wait until a gentleman friend of mine he says he'd help me and he got me one real cheap."

"I was mighty glad to be single again. That husband of mine he shore was the limit. He couldn't stand it for me to have no money no more'n nothin'. Ev'ry time I come home with maybe a dollar or two dollars or fifty cents or two bits, that'd set him tryin' to get it out of me. He wasn't nothin' but no 'count, anyway. Never did have no raisin'. Such performances like those wasn't reasonable and I jest natchally got sick and tired of it, so I packed up one night and left him."

"I think it served him right," said Mrs. Murray, sympathetically.

"Yas'm, I was tired of supportin' an indignant husband, so I just up and quit."

"But what made him indignant if you supported him?" queried Mrs. Murray.

"That was jest what made him indignant, yas'm," explained Rosebud, kindly. "You see, once I heard a lady talkin' about women that supported indignant husbands and I asked her what she meant. I had raisin', but I never had no education not to speak of, so I didn't mind askin', and she says, that lady she tole me, it was husbands that was too lazy to work and didn't support their families. The minute she spoke the word I knowed that was what I was doin'."

"So when I got home that night I just tole Mr. White he had to get out and do sumpin'. And he done it, yas'm. He was right mad, but he wasn't indignant for quite a spell after that. He got a job janitin' in an office and I never had to give him a cent for two weeks. Then he quit. No'm, he never worked no more after that. He was too delicate, he said, so I jest packed up one night and went away and never went back no more."

She paused at the top of the basement stairs with her hand on the door knob.

"If it's just as convenient to you, I'd like mighty well to git away at four o'clock this afternoon," she said. "You see, I got to git home in time to dress for the weddin'."

"If you want to go to a wedding I think we can manage it," said Mrs. Murray. "Are some of your friends to be married?"

"Yas'm, I reckon so. Me and the gentleman friend what got me the divorce is goin' to git married. We been waitin' until Mr. White was diseased. I was scared to marry nobody else when he was livin'. Seems like I might git mixed up, havin' two husbands."

"I should think you would hesitate about marrying again since your first experience was so unfortunate. Maybe you won't do any better another time," said Mrs. Murray, pessimistically.

A dazzling smile spread over the features of the substitute laundress. "No'm," she said, as she began to clamber down the stairs, "I ain't calculatin' to do what you might call much better. But I couldn't do no worse."

Good Evidence.

"Why do you call 'him a dashing young man?"

"As he went out of our front gate last night I heard him say: '— the dog.'"

Not Fit for Publication.

Mrs. Church—What did your husband say when you gave him the fountain pen?

Mrs. Gotham—He rather not say.

Confusing to Lucinda

"Now this for a time," said Lucinda, "seemed to me a very complicated experience, but my brother Claude says it was really very simple. I'll tell you about it and you can see what you think."

"Three of us girls started to come down town on a surface car. There was I and a friend of mine and a friend of hers who was with her. Now usually, you know, we girls pay each her own fare, but my friend wanted to pay the fare of her friend, and what my friend wanted to do was to give me a dime for herself and her friend and have me pay for all three; and what I wanted to do was to give my friend my nickel and have her pay all three fares. I hope you understand, this as far as I've got, for it's going to get more complicated right away."

"Well, the car was crowded when we got aboard, and we all had to stand up, and we tried to arrange that fare business as we stood there in the crowd, so that everything would be all right and ready when the conductor came around, and so I dropped my nickel in her handbag so she could pay, and she tried to hand her dime to me at the same time so I could pay, but in the crush somehow the dime was dropped between us and it fell down between the slats on the floor of the car, and there we let it rest, because we couldn't get at it in the crowd."

"Then pretty soon my friend and her friend came to the street where they were to get off, which they did; and this, you understand, before the conductor had got to us to collect our fares. So, you see, they got off without anybody paying their fares, they or I or anybody. And now things began to get more mixed up."

"Pretty soon after they had got off the conductor came along for my fare—I had got a seat by that time, near where I had been standing—and I told him I had dropped a dime on the floor and he could take it out of that. But there were some people still standing in the car and the conductor couldn't get the mat up with people standing on it, but evidently he believed me about the dime, for he didn't ask me again for my fare but went out and stood on the platform. And then more things happened."

"Sitting next to me was a mother with her little daughter, a very pretty little girl and handsomely dressed, as for that matter her mother was, too, and presently the mother spied that dime down between the slats on the floor, and she tole her little daughter, and of course the little girl at once began to dig for it. But she couldn't get it out with her fingers and in a minute she looked up and said:

"Mamma, give me a hairpin."

"And mamma smiled at that, but she gave her a hairpin, and in a minute more the little girl had got the dime—which she handed over at once to me. 'I don't think the mother knew it was mine, but somehow the little girl did.'"

"So now I had the dime back, and when we came to the street where I was to get off I handed it to the conductor as I passed out, telling him that there was the dime that I dropped, and he took my fare out of it, and gave me back a nickel."

"And then I tried to cipher out who had paid, and how much, and with whose money; and the more I ciphered the more I got mixed up. I had certainly paid two fares, one to my friend when I gave her my nickel, which, if she knew it at all, she had forgotten all about, and then I had paid another five cents to the conductor."

"I had paid twice and yet I was really out only five cents, for that nickel to the conductor was paid out of my friend's dime, and of course the change from it belonged to her. My friend had lost a dime, but I had given her five cents with which to pay my fare, which she couldn't do, because the conductor didn't come for it, and she would get from me five cents more, the change out of the lost dime, which I had recovered."

"So who had paid and how much had anybody paid or lost, and the more I thought about all this the more confused I got, till I got so I just couldn't think, and then I asked Claude if he could figure it out."

"My brother Claude is great on figures, he can do sums with signs and all that sort of thing, and he said, as I told you, that it was all simple enough, that all I wanted to bother about was what he called the net result, and he said that when I had given my friend back the nickel out of the dime the net result of the entire transaction would be that this party of three would have paid out one fare, the fare paid by me, and that the company would be out two fares."

"And I think I can understand it now, but I hope I shall never have another experience like that, because trying to get this one straight in my mind actually made my head ache."

A Miss.

"She says her face is her fortune."

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"Why, has she money?"

"No, but the kind of a face she carries is never a fortune."

Mean.

"Mr. Flipper tries to kiss every pretty girl he meets."

"He hasn't tried to kiss me yet."

"You heard what I said, didn't you?"

STEAMSHIP TIPPING

As a ship nears land after a trip across the Atlantic inexperienced travelers are always in a ferment in regard to the proper tips to give their various stewards. Of course, one may give what one chooses, and, no matter how small, the amount will never be questioned by the recipient, though his looks may mean much. I may say, however, that it is customary to give the table steward about three dollars. Your bedroom steward should receive not less than two dollars, the steward that polishes your boots of a morning one dollar, and your bath steward two dollars. In the very large boats in which there are lifts that run between the E and A decks, saving you the climb of five flights of stairs, should your cabin happen on E deck, it is now customary to give a "pourboire" to the boys who operate the cars. It is advisable, by the way, to engage a position for your deck chair and indicate the time at which you desire to take your morning tub at the time when you engage your passage.

Has the problem of long-distance aerial navigation been solved without anybody but the experimenter knowing anything about the matter? A Worcester (Mass.) genius asserts that in September last he sailed in an aeroplane of his devising from Boston to New York and back, and that part of his feat was circling the Liberty statue, though many hundred feet above that monument. The trip was taken in the night, according to the inventor; hence the achievement escaped public notice. The Worcester man now announces that some night he will take a little flight down to Washington and return, and that in February he will give a daylight exhibition of the capacity of his machine. Meanwhile he will keep a great many persons guessing.

New Jersey is about to commemorate properly the most stirring and dramatic episode of the revolution occurring within the borders of that state. A commission appointed by the governor is preparing to create a park at the point where Washington and his troops crossed the Delaware on that wild winter night and, with soldiers many of whom left marks in the snow from their ill-protected and bleeding feet, struck a blow which amazed an enemy too self-confident to be alert. The battle of Trenton was one of the few famous victories in a war for independence abounding in hardships and reverses, and New Jersey, now a rich and happy state, does well thus to set apart the scene.

Three octogenarians ran a race of 100 yards in California lately, the winner covering the space in 18 seconds. John Bigelow, celebrating his ninety-second birthday, last year made a trip to Europe. The Oserlian theory has apparently gone to join the dodo.

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