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Local Correspondence

ELM.

Ira Wilson went to Plymouth on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hirschlieb visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Pankow at Newburg Monday.

Chas. Ruthenbar and John Sherwood were in Detroit on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Harriett Blue has been visiting relatives in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Will Witt called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klatt in Nankin last week.

The incessant rains are making the roads almost impassable in this vicinity.

Mrs. Mary Hunter, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, returned to her home in Flint Monday.

Mrs. Krueger has been visiting relatives in Detroit this week.

Ray Shaw entertained a friend from Beech Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Shaw entertained relatives from Detroit Sunday.

Will Gow called on his parents at Gilt Edge Monday.

Chas. Hirschlieb, Jr., called on his parents at Pikes Peak Sunday.

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WEST PLYMOUTH.

Miss Hazel Brown of Plymouth is visiting friends in District No. 7.

F. L. Becker is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Gideon Durfee, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Don Packard, for the past week, returned to her home in Wayne Wednesday morning.

The scholars in District No. 7 held Thanksgiving exercises Wednesday afternoon.

A number of relatives came out from Detroit Sunday to help Mrs. Gus Gates celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O'Bryan of Wayne took Thanksgiving dinner with J. C. O'Bryan and family.

Helen Smith came home from Ypsilanti Wednesday for Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Carrie Merritt is much improved in health and resumed her school Monday morning.

Charles Shearer's mother is quite ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Packard and little Cecil visited Israel Packard at Lapham's corners Sunday. Mrs. Packard has been in poor health for some time.

J. C. O'Bryan has purchased a new cream separator.

LIVONIA CENTER.

And now Mr. and Mrs. John Mau, Sr., ride out in a brand new auto seat top buggy, altogether too nice for the muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck and E. R. Peck of Detroit took dinner with Mrs. Elizabeth Peck last Sunday, it being the latter's 81st birthday.

Clarence Hayball began work for the coming year at Fred Lee's last Monday.

Good workmen are known by their chips. This is his second year at Mr. Lee's.

Mrs. Palmer Chilton entertained company from Farmington a couple of days last week.

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Music and Manners.

Tan Kung, a pupil of Confucius, said, "In any country it is only necessary to hear its music in order to know if its manners and customs are good or bad."

Always Friendship.

In the hour of distress and misery the eye of every mortal turns to friendship; in the hour of gladness and conviviality, what is our want? It is friendship. —Walter Savage Landor

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STONE THAT BURNS ITSELF

East of the Jordan Lime is Made From Rock That Contains Its Own Fuel.

While making a trip through the Hauran district recently the writer's attention was attracted to a curious stone which might be described as a "self-burning limestone." Our party came upon some natives burning it and was enabled to see the operation. This district is south of Damascus, east of the upper Jordan. At this place the rock lay in a stratum between ordinary limestone; it was of grayish black color, and when freshly broken had an odor of petroleum. Near by were outcrops of what looked like the same material many rods long and 20 to 30 feet thick.

Quarrying is easily done with primitive picks and other tools, as the rock is quite soft and full of seams. The stone is broken into small pieces with hammers and piled up against the bank of rock.

A wall of the same material about two feet high is roughly laid up around the pile on three sides, making a pile of small stone eight to ten feet long and nearly as wide, and two feet at the front, rising to nearly three times that height at the back, where it lies against the bank.

In building the wall around the pile small holes are left for draft and in which to start the fire. When the kiln is ready to burn a few small bunches of straw are placed in the holes mentioned, lit with a flint and steel and in a short time the whole pile has ignited. The men then begin working on a new kiln while the other burns and cools.

After about two hours of burning the stone has all become converted into lime, except the stones in the wall and the very top layer, which are only about half burned. When cool the lime is air-slacked and sifted to remove any pieces not thoroughly burned, which are thrown into a new pile to be fired again.

The workmen told us that it made a very black smoke with a bad odor like kerosene burning. The lime is white and said to make a very strong plaster, superior to the ordinary lime burned with brush. This stone is so located that, should it prove to be of commercial value, it could be easily transported.—Consular Reports.

Fingernail Photography.

"Would you like your sweetheart's portrait placed on your fingernails?" is a unusual query at most of the swell Berlin manicurists just now. The new fad grew out of a whim of a pretty cousin of the kaiser who had an enameled portrait of her fiance worked on the nail of her little finger. The portrait was a gem of art in its way and cost \$90. The manicurists took up the idea, and now, for a small fee of 20 marks—about \$5—you can have anyone's photograph placed on your fingernail. The main skill of the manicurist consists in rendering the photograph watertight; which is done by coating it over with a shellac-like substance, which is burned upon the nail. This is the only painful element of the strange process.

Quite a number of society dames have taken to the idea and everywhere you go you see fingernail photography. Mothers have pictures of their favorite and proudest children placed on their fingernails; young men and maidens display their sweethearts in the same fashion, and the fad has spread marvelously since it was first introduced. A portrait on a fingernail will last with careful handling, about four months without renewing.

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No Chinese revolutionist wants at any rate a pompadour.

What has become of the old-fashioned open-face applebutter pie?

The autumnal colors are much finer than those of the study billboards.

The Chinese revolution seems to have got beyond the control of the police.

The effort to render hazing safe and sane continues at various educational institutions.

China's infant emperor writes marvelous compositions for one who has just begun his schooling.

No true lover of nature ever goes around declaring, in sepulchral tones, that life is a vale of tears.

Japan's population is increasing at the rate of 500,000 a year, and the surplus must go somewhere.

If goat's milk is a cure for inebriety, as is asserted, one would never guess it by studying bock beer signs.

Hoopskirts are announced as due to return. But fashion, like politics, has its rumors that never come true.

The Kings county, New York, jail is characterized as a "disgrace." Most jails are open to the same criticism.

A baby has been killed by a hot bag. This comes from departing from the established and recognized cold bottle.

Football fatalities have been less frequent this year than usual. The game is in danger of losing its popularity.

A New York janitor laughed so hard at a joke which his daughter told that he fell dead. As usual the joke is suppressed.

And the worst of it is, the war between Turkey and Italy doesn't seem to be good even for cinematograph purposes.

The man who killed himself after six hours of married life apparently was satisfied that a little often goes a great way.

Magazines that are shipped by freight are at least congratulating themselves on not being completely sidetracked.

A young actor has married a widow worth \$15,000,000. It was about time that the male sex of stageland was recognized.

Violinist Kubelik has fled from Chicago because it was too noisy here for him. Need it be said that he has gone to St. Louis?

Football is not all wasted effort. Lots of the pale-browed ordinary students get excellent exercise in giving the college yell.

It's our notion that everybody will have to have his liver regulated and in good working order before the millennium can come.

A Seattle clergyman preached from a coffin in the streets and was "pall-bearing" home. Seattle must be a hard town to wake up.

Statistics show that in nearly all cases the college girl, when she marries, stays married. Probably she starts out by giving her husband a vivid description of the hazing stunt she has participated in.

A song writer has been ordered to pay \$2 a week toward the support of his child. Now we may expect an indefinite number of new "rag" spasms.

A Chicago paper suggests that only light reading should be carried by the aeroplane postmen. It is grimly appropriate, however, that a lot of it goes to the dead letter office these days.

A New York young man has entered Harvard with six trunks, 20 suits and 10 pairs of shoes. Nobody, however, has gone to the trouble of predicting a brilliant future for him.

Mary Anderson says that any work is preferable to a stage career. But successful people usually speak in this strain. Even our great financiers assure us that being a millionaire is nothing like as easy as it looks.

An Asbury Park cook is reported to have had her \$1,500 worth of diamonds stolen. This looks like a deep scheme to attract all the cooks in the country to the Jersey resort next season.

"Swat the ants!" cries a scientist. Say, swants—ants? We keep one little insect for a pet?

There are some women who never change their minds. Just as there are some men whose automobiles never break down—because they don't own automobiles.

"Hoopskirts are inevitable," says a fashion expert. The only redeeming feature of a hoopskirt is that it can be used as a parachute in case of an aeroplane accident.

TO NULLIFY ALASKA GOAL CLAIMS

GOVERNMENT MAY ALSO PROCEED AGAINST CLAIMANTS UNDER CRIMINAL STATUTES.

ATTORNEYS ARE READY FOR LEGAL BATTLE.

Secretary Fisher Trying to End Tie-up That Keeps Fuel in Ground—May Arrange to Lease Land.

Reputation of all Alaskan coal and land claims is said by claimants to be the plan of Secretary Fisher, of the department of the interior.

Fraud in making entries, violation of existing laws and illegal associations, it is declared, will be made the basis on which the government will proceed. And the \$500,000 already in the hands of the government, as deposits on the coal land claims, will be declared forfeit because of illegal proceedings.

Furthermore, legal proceedings are said to be planned against the various claimants on the ground that they have made themselves criminally liable. The only hope the claimants have is that they may be permitted, under Secretary Fisher's plan, to lease the lands they have filed claims on.

CUTS HEADS OFF TWO.

Italian Slays Wife and Lover With Hand Ax.

Tortured by the mental picture of his headless wife and her paramour, whom he slew Saturday, Pasquale Marchesi, 27 years old, a merchant of Kenosha, Wis., Sunday went to a priest and confessed the double crime, which had theretofore not been discovered. He was turned over to the police, who are closely guarding him for fear of mob violence.

According to Marchesi, he went home Saturday and found his wife, Roxsaria, and his cousin and namesake together. The younger Marchesi, who was not of age, had been a favorite of the husband, and the scene drove him mad, he said. Without allowing his presence to become known, Marchesi went to the woodshed, procured a hand ax, crept to the room and chopped off the heads of the two. He hid in the basement of an Italian Catholic church.

In the darkness of the church basement, he said, he heard the death cries of his wife and saw horrid forms rushing at him through the blackness.

As the music of the morning mass came faintly to his ears from the auditorium above, he said that he thought he distinguished the words, "Vengeance is mine, saith the Lord." Then he rushed from his hiding place, went to the home of the parish priest and sought relief in confessing.

After the priest had turned Marchesi over to the police, the slayer told a connected story of the crimes, pleading that he had felt justified in killing the pair at the time the deeds were committed.

Decrease in Births and Deaths.

The monthly mortality report issued by the secretary of state shows there were 2,762 deaths in the state during October, as compared to 4,581 births. A decrease of 93 deaths is noted, as compared to the preceding month, while the number of births decreased 339.

There were five deaths in the state during October due to infantile paralysis and the same number from tetanus.

By ages there were 537 deaths of infants under one year of age; 164 deaths of children aged 1 to 4 years, inclusive, and 830 deaths of elderly persons aged 65 years and over. A slight decrease is noted in the number of deaths of infants and children, as compared with September, while a slight increase is shown in the number of deaths of elderly persons.

Important causes of death were as follows: Tuberculosis of lungs, 147; other forms of tuberculosis, 32; typhoid fever, 61; diphtheria and croup, 61; scarlet fever, 12; measles, 3; whooping cough, 11; pneumonia, broncho-pneumonia, 130; diarrhoea, enteritis, under 2 years, 143; meningitis, 37; influenza, 173; violence, 173.

Cave-in Kills Two.

Two miners lost their lives and a third barely escaped the same fate when a cave-in occurred in the Yale mine near Bessemer. Stanley Curran and Charles Donnell were caught under the falling rock and entombed alive. After several hours' hard digging the two men were reached. Curran was dead when taken out. Donnell was still alive but terribly crushed. He died later. It is claimed the mine was declared unsafe a long time ago and the authorities will make an investigation.

Cornelius Secojesky, 23, an inmate of the Michigan State Hospital for Criminal Insane, at Ionia, escaped. He was employed in the boiler room as a trusty.

The Anti-Saloon forces of Oakland county met in Pontiac to talk over plans for the coming fight to be waged in that county against the saloons. Committees were appointed to circulate petitions, and over \$1,100 was raised to push the fight.

A hospital for animals costing \$1,000,000 is to be placed among the beautiful public buildings of the aristocratic "Back Bay district" of Boston as a permanent memorial to George T. Angell, founder and for 49 years president of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and the American Humane Educational society.

BEATTIE EXECUTED

Prisoner Walks to Death Chair With Firm Steps.

Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., was electrocuted in the state penitentiary in Richmond, Va., Friday at 7:23 a. m. One minute after the first shock he was pronounced dead.

He went to the death chair unshaken, and, although entreated by his spiritual adviser to confess to killing his wife last July, smiled in dissent. He did not acknowledge his guilt.

There was no delay in preparing for the end. Beattie took his place, the prison surgeon and the electricians adjusted the straps, a half dozen clamps were quickly thrown into place and snapped. The cap, resembling a leather football head-harness, was adjusted and the men stepped back.

The warden raised his hand. Instantly Beattie's body stiffened with such violence that the straps creaked with the strain, the clamps rattled as though they were castanets in the hands of death and then that which once had been Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., relaxed.

One minute after the current was applied Beattie was dead. It was announced in Richmond that the first confession of Henry Clay Beattie was made Nov. 9 to his ministers, Rev. Messrs. Fix and Dennis, but not reduced to writing until the day before his execution.

WIRE BULLETINS.

Gov. Harmon of Ohio is asked to fire Mayor Turnbull of Canton for alleged hoodlum.

Crown Prince Adolph of Sweden was operated on in Stockholm for appendicitis. His condition is quite satisfactory.

Dr. J. G. Galleher of Kalamazoo, who died of heart disease, Tuesday, predicted his death a few hours before he was stricken.

While her five children, the eldest aged 11, lay asleep in an adjoining room, O. C. Allison, a farmer near Nevada, Mo., shot and killed his wife and shot himself to death in his home.

A record in whirlwind money raising campaigns was established for the dominion when it was announced in Montreal that in five days a total of \$1,526,965 had been collected for McGill university.

By the terms of the will of the late Hugh W. Washington of Macon, Ga., the Missouri Historical society and the Daughters of the American Revolution will share equally in an estate valued at \$150,000.

Perhaps the greatest consignment of big game that ever came to Duluth arrived on the steamer Eastman, which brought 20 moose and more than 40 deer. The animals were shot at different points along the north shore.

Fruit growers, students of agricultural colleges in many states and representatives of the department of agriculture have arrived in St. Joseph, Mo., to attend the National Horticultural congress, which opens here until December 3. Exhibits have been installed by states from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

A hitherto unknown Inca city was discovered by the Yale Peruvian expedition, according to Dr. William G. Erving, surgeon of the party, who has returned to Hartford, Conn. Prof. Bingham and Tucker also reached the summit of Mount Corabuna, which their figures show is 22,000 feet high or the third highest in the western hemisphere.

220 WOMEN ARRESTED.

London Police Make Wholesale Arrests of Suffragettes.

The militant section of the suffragettes have made good their promise to resume their old tactics. They warned Premier Asquith last week, and between 8 and 11 o'clock Tuesday some 220 martyrs to the female cause were marched by burly London "bobbies" to various police stations in the neighborhood of the house of commons.

The suffragettes, unable to approach in force, could not make a very imposing show. The usual method of securing arrest was for two or three to run up behind a solid line of bobbies, who would gently push them back into the crowd. If this course of action was persisted in often enough it would secure an arrest. Three policemen would be brought out from the reserves and they would take the suffragette to the police station, a mounted policeman making way for them through the crowd. In this manner 223 suffragettes, including three men, were taken to the police stations.

Sultan Ready to Call Holy War.

Arabs declare that the Turkish troops have received orders from Constantinople to make a decisive attack on the Italians in the city of Tripoli very shortly.

In case this should fall the Turkish troops are to withdraw into the interior of the country, after which the sultan, it is said, will proclaim a holy war.

Cardinal Gibbons sees the dawn of the world's peace in President Taft's British and French treaties.

Saloonists of Branch county propose to influence the resubmitting of the local option question.

After donning the civilian clothing of two of the guards at the Jefferson reformatory, at Jefferson, Ind., Ben Ziegler and Chester Brown, trustees at that institution, made good their escape by lowering themselves from a second-story window with a rope made of blankets.

An epidemic which Dr. Armstrong of the state board of health states is smallpox has caused the closing of the schools at Shaftsbury. Church services and other public meetings have also been suspended. Although there is a large number of cases in the village none of them are considered serious.

CHINESE REBELS CAPTURE NANKIN

FORCE ENTRANCE AFTER SILENCING BATTERIES OF THE IMPERIALISTS.

REBELS LOST 300 MEN AND THE IMPERIALISTS 2,000.

Both the Land and Sea Batteries Concentrated Their Fire—Warships Did Great Havoc With Heavy Guns.

Storming the gates under cover of a fierce bombardment from their artillery, the rebel force which has been besieging Nankin for a fortnight gained entrance to the city and, it is reported, that the rebels are in full possession. The battle was one of the fiercest of the revolt, the rebels losing about 300 men while the imperialists' casualties were placed at 2,000.

Rebel artillery on Tiger hill silenced the batteries on Lion and Purple hills, which were pouring a heavy fire into the ranks of the forces advancing at the Tah Chang Men gate. With this entrance to the city captured, the rebels swung their guns against Pei Che Kao fortress.

Warships Work Havoc. Both the land and sea batteries concentrated their fire on this work, the warships doing great havoc with the heavier guns.

The heaviest firing was about the Mingtombs gates. Four thousand rebel soldiers with a battery of 12 3-inch guns were there. The rebel artillery was opposed by the loyalists with eight 6-inch guns and the guns on Purple hill. Despite the fact that the government guns outnumbered those of the anti-Manchu forces, the rebel aim was so superior that the Manchu battery was soon out of commission.

It is reported that desperate fighting has taken place between the revolutionists and bandits in Hwai-Yuan, Anwei province, and that a thousand robbers were killed.

At Wuchow the revolutionary soldiers are avenging the recent massacre. They have already beheaded 60 prisoners, some of them the sons of aristocrats. Afterwards they held an orgy, cutting out the hearts of victims which they roasted and ate.

Some of the missionaries from upriver stations have sought refuge at Hong Kong.

Companies of troops patrolled the streets of Hong Kong and Kowloon on Sunday with fixed bayonets. This was done with a view to preventing the recurrence of recent disturbances. Some hooting and stone-throwing occurred and two persons were injured slightly.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Beach, who with others connected with the Chengtu Methodist-Episcopal college, is penned up in the refugee camp in Chengtu, West China, has written to friends describing the outbreak of the rebellion against Manchu rule in that city. Dr. Beach says that the viceroy by an artifice made prisoners of the leaders of the rebellion and then began a massacre in which 8,000 persons were slaughtered.

News that a massacre of considerable proportions had occurred at Chengtu came in cable dispatches about two months ago. The number of dead in these advices was estimated at from 500 to 2,000.

Yuan Falls as Chinese Leader.

Premier Yuan Shi Kai's position is becoming more intolerable daily. Neither Manchus nor Chinese trust him and the Manchus are becoming more suspicious all the time.

The moderates do not hesitate to say that if Yuan had remained at Chagg Te Fu the court would now be at Jehol and the rebellion ended. Many Chinese believe that while Yuan is reassuring foreigners with a view to obtaining a loan and placating measures, he is in reality intent upon crushing the rebellion with force.

The continued fighting at Hankow and vicinity of Nanking is taken as leading color to this belief. The imperialists after an attack upon Hankow that lasted for 36 hours were repulsed and driven back across the Han river with great loss.

White Hanged for Killing Negroes.

For the murder of a negro woman and her daughter near Kingsland, Ga., J. A. O'Berry, a white man, was hanged in St. Marys, Ga. This, it is believed, is the first time in the history of the state that a white man has been executed for killing a negro.

Young Emperor's Mather Elopes.

Chinese papers received in San Francisco tell of the elopement of Princess Lai, mother of the baby emperor and wife of the prince regent, with Yung Shu Lu, an actor.

Moving picture firms of Lansing gave "Scientific exhibitions" Sunday in the face of court prosecutions, claiming they are so empowered by a city ordinance.

Dr. H. S. Couden, the blind chaplain of the house of representatives, formerly pastor in Port Huron, has been chosen president of the Universalist Brotherhood of Washington.

The Muskegon Traction & Lighting Company and the Grand Rapids & Muskegon Power Company are in a fight to see which shall furnish the gas for the city. Saturday the Grand Rapids & Muskegon Company closed a deal with the city whereby they are to furnish gas for much less than the other company. Monday the Muskegon company cut their prices for gas from \$1.25 to \$1 per thousand.

FISCAL ESTIMATES IN

President Will Favor Government Economy in His Message.

Estimates of the sums to run the government machine for the fiscal year, 1915, have been submitted to Secretary of the Treasury MacVeigh, to be placed in the hands of President Taft.

The president expects to devote some space in his message to government economy, and several months ago gave instructions to department heads to pare this year's estimates as much as possible. Mr. Taft's message is expected to be complete Monday, and final corrections will be made on it at Tuesday's cabinet meeting.

Governors to Visit Detroit.

Governors of 10 western states will visit Detroit Thanksgiving day, Nov. 30, as one stop in a 4,000-mile tour which will be begun Nov. 22, with the end in view of advertising 10 western states. The chief executives will come on a special train called the "governors' special" and will be in Detroit for part of the day, leaving for Toledo in the afternoon.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

Detroit—Cattle—Market active; quality very common; good grades would sell higher; best steers and heifers, \$5.50@6; steers and heifers, \$4.00-1.200, \$4.50@5.25; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.50@5; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$3.50@4; choice fat cows, \$4.50; good fat cows, \$3.25@4; common cows, \$2.75@3; canners, \$1.50@2.50; choice heavy bulls, \$4; fair to good bolognas, butler, \$3.50@3.75; stock bulls, \$2.50@3; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4@4.25; fair feeding steers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@4; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$3@3.25; stock heifers, \$2.50@3.50; milkers, large, young, medium, age, \$4@5.50; common milkers, \$2@3.00.

Veal calves—Market steady; common grades, very dull; best, \$8@8.50; others, \$4@7.50.

East Buffalo, N. Y.—Cattle—Dull; best 1,600 to 1,500-lb. steers, \$7.75 to \$8; good prime 1,300 to 1,400-lb. steers, \$7.75 to \$7.75; good prime, 1,200 to 1,300-lb. steers, \$8.50 to \$6.75; best 1,100 to 1,200-lb. shipping steers, \$5.50 to \$6; medium butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., \$4.50 to \$2.40; light butcher steers, \$4.25 to \$4.75; best fat cows, \$4.25 to \$4.75; fair to good do, \$3.25 to \$3.50; common to medium do, \$2.25 to \$2.75; trimmers, \$2 to 2.50; best fat heifers, \$4.25 to \$4.85; fair to good do, \$3.25 to \$4.10; stock heifers, \$2.75 to \$3; best feeding steers, \$3 to \$3.50; stockers, all grades, \$2.75 to \$3.50; prime export steers, \$4.25 to \$5.25; best fat bulls, \$1.25 to \$4.65; bologna bulls, \$3.25 to \$4; stock bulls, \$3 to \$3.75; best milkers and springers, \$5 to \$6; common to good do, \$2.5 to \$3.50.

Hogs—Market 15c to 20c lower than last week. Range of prices: Light to heavy, \$6.75@7.50; pigs, \$5.50@6.75; light yorkers, \$6@6.50.

Sheep—Strong; top lambs, \$5.50; yearlings, \$3.50@4; wethers, \$3.50; ewes, \$2.25@3.75.

Calves—\$4.50@9.50.

GRAIN, ETC.

Detroit—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 97c; December opened unchanged at 98 1/4c, dropped to 97 1/2c and closed at 98c; May opened at \$1.03, lost 1-2c and closed at \$1.02 3/4; July opened at 96 1/2c and closed at 96 1/4c; No. 1 white, 91c.

Corn—Cash No. 2, 76c; No. 2 yellow, 77 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 77c; new No. 3 yellow, 2 cars at 68c, 3 at 67 1/2c, closing at 68c.

Oats—Standard, 1 car at 51c; No. 3 white, 1 car at 50 1/2c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 97c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and November shipment, \$2.55; December, \$2.30.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$12.50; March \$12.50; sample, 14 bags at \$12.50 at \$11; prime alfalfa, \$10.50; sample alfalfa, 9 bags at \$10.14 at \$9.75.

Timothy seed—Prime spot, \$7.20.

Barley—By sample, 1 car at \$2.55 per cwt.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 195 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$4.75; second patent, \$4.40; straight \$4.10; spring patent, \$5.60; rye, \$4.80.

Feed—in jobbing lots in 100-lb. sacks: Bran, \$2.70; coarse middlings, \$2.90; fine middlings, \$3.20; coarse corn meal and cracked corn, \$3.00; corn and oat chop, \$2.8 per ton.

FARM PRODUCE.

The firm tone in dairy products continues. EGGS are scarce and firm, and there is no sign of weakening in the latter deal. Cheese is firm, prices are in big supply and active, and there is an increase in offerings of turkeys. Prices are unchanged, but the market is quietest east of Potomac, moderate supply and firm and vegetables steady. Fruits of all kinds are steady and rather quiet.

Apples—\$2.25 per bbl. 50@75c per bu; snow, \$3.50 per bbl.

Chestnuts—10@12c per lb.

Cabbage—\$1.60@1.75 per bbl.

Hickory nut—Shellbark, 21-2@24c per pound.

Dressed calves—Fancy, 10@11c; choice, 8@9c per lb.

Honey—Choice 17; fancy comb, 18@19c; amber, 14@15c per lb.

Potatoes—Car lots, track, 85c per bu in bulk and 90c in sacks per bu.

Sweet potatoes—Virginia, \$2.50 per bbl; Jersey, \$3.85@4 per bbl; kiln-dried Jersey, \$1.50 per crate.

Dressed poultry—Chickens, 11@15c; hens, 9@10c; ducks, 16@18c; geese, 12@13c; turkeys, 18@20c per lb.

10c; No. 2 chickens, 8c; hens, 8 1/2-9c; No. 2 hens, 8c; turkeys, 16@18c; geese, 11@12c; ducks, 12@13c; young geese, 15c per lb.

Chickens—Michigan, old, 15 1/2-17c; September, 15 1/2-17c; York state, September, 16@17c; Limburger, 14@15c; domestic Swiss, 17@20c; imported Swiss, 29@32c; brick cream, 15@16c per lb.

VEGETABLES.

Beets, 50c per bu; carrots, 50c per bu; cauliflower, 75c per doz; cucumber, 1.50@1.75 per doz; home-grown celery, 20@25c per doz; eggplant, \$1.25 per doz; green onions, 12 1/2-2 per doz; green peppers, \$1 per bu; head lettuce, \$1.50@2 per bu.

The proposal to build a \$25,000 school in Birmingham carried by a vote of 52 to 29.

The Wisconsin supreme court sustained the constitutionality of the workmen's compensation law enacted at the last session of the legislature. The law provides for the insurance of working men employed by corporations. In case of injury damages are to be fixed by a state commission.

Mrs. Walter B. Pillsbury has resigned as secretary of the Ann Arbor branch of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae and Mrs. Edson R. Smerland has been elected in her place. The Ann Arbor branch has voted to join the American Drama League, which has for its object the increase of the study of the drama.

OFFICIAL INVITATION TO AMERICANS

HOW ROBERT ROGER, MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR, IN WINNIPEG ADDRESS, ISSUES WELCOME OF AMERICANS TO WESTERN CANADA.

During the course of a reply to an address presented to Hon. Robert Rogers, the newly appointed Minister of the Interior of Canada at a banquet given at Winnipeg in his honor that gentleman spoke on immigration. The tone of his remarks was that he intended to pursue an aggressive and forward policy in the matter of immigration. In part, he said:

"The most important branch perhaps of that department (interior) is that of immigration.

"If there is anything more than another we want here it is a greater population, and it shall be my duty to present to the people in all parts of the world where desirable emigrants are to be found the advantages and the great possibilities of this country. We have received in the past a reasonably large immigration from south of the international boundary, and in this connection let me say just a word for our American cousins who have found happy homes amongst us, and those whom we hope to welcome in greater numbers in the years to come. There are hundreds of thousands of them in our prairie provinces, happy in the enjoyment of a freedom as great as they ever knew, and all contributing in a material way towards the development of Canada. We are not blind to their value as settlers. They come better equipped with scientific farming knowledge than most of our emigrants, and constitute without doubt the wealthiest class of emigrants any new country has ever known. As head of the immigration department it will be my privilege to offer them a welcome hearty and sincere, and to so contribute to their welfare that under the protecting folds of the Union Jack they will enjoy as great a degree of liberty and happiness as under the Stars and Stripes. The Borden government cherishes nothing but the kindest feelings for the people of the great republic to the south, and will do all in its power to increase the bonds of kinship and neighborly good feeling that has so long existed. (Hear, hear.)

"While we adopt a vigorous emigration policy in that country, we will also adopt the same vigorous policy in other parts of the world. We will go to England, Ireland and Scotland, and every other country irrespective of race, creed or nationality, where we can find suitable and desirable emigrants for this great country. I think much good work can be done in those countries, and especially perhaps at the present time in England, Ireland and Scotland. Now, then, it will be my duty to stir up that policy in the most vigorous manner possible."

A DIFFERENCE.

SERIAL STORY

THE GIRL FROM HIS TOWN

By MARIE VAN VORST
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SYNOPSIS.

Dan Blair, the 22-year-old son of the fifty-million-dollar copper king of Blairtown, Mont., is a guest at the English home of Lady Galorey. Dan's father had been courteous to Lord Galorey during his visit to the United States and the courtesy is now being returned to the young man. The youth has an ideal girl in his mind. He meets Lily, Duchess of Breakwater, a beautiful widow, who is attracted by his immense fortune and takes a liking to her. When Dan was a boy, a girl sang a solo at a church, and he had never forgotten her. The Galoreys, Lily and Dan attend a London theater where one Letty Lane is the star.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

At the end of the tenor solo Princess Oltary runs into the pavilion and there changes her dress and appears once more to dance before the rajah and to prove herself the dancer he has known and loved in a cafe in Paris. Letty Lane's dress in his dance was the classic ballet dancer's, white as the leaves of a lily. She seemed to swim and float, actually to be breathed and exhaled from out her film gown; and the only ray of color in her costume was her own golden hair, surmounted by a small coral-colored cap, embroidered in pearls. The actress bowed to the right and left, ran to the right, ran to left; glanced toward the Duchess of Breakwater's box; acknowledged the burst of applause; began to dance and finished her pas seul, and with folded hands sang her song. Her beautiful voice came out clear as crystal water from a crystal rock, and her words were cradled like doves, like boats on the boundless seas.

"From India's coral strand,
But there was no hymn tune to this song of Letty Lane's in "Mandalay!" To the boy in the box, however, the words, the tune, the drooping of the flies on the window pane, the strong odor of the hymn books and panama fans, came back, and the clear sunlight of Montana seemed to steal into the gallery as Letty Lane sang.

The Duchess of Breakwater clapped with frank enthusiasm, and said: "She is a perfect wonder, isn't she? Oh, she is too bewitching!"

And she turned for sympathy to her friend, who stood behind her, his face illumined. He was amazed; his blue eyes ablaze, his head bent forward, he was staring, staring at the gallery curtain, gone down on the first act.

He laughed softly, and the duchess heard him say:

"Good! Well, I should say she was! She's a girl from our town!"

When the duchess tried to share her enthusiasm with Dan he had disappeared. He left the box and with no difficulty made his way as far as the first wing.

"Can you get me an entrance?" he asked a man he had met once at Osden, and who was evidently an habibue.

"I dare say. Rippen show, isn't it?" Dan put his hands on the duke's shoulders and followed the nobleman through the labyrinth of files.

"Which of 'em do you want to see, old man?"

Dan, without replying, went forward to a small cluster of lights in one of the wings. He went forward intuitively, and his companion caught his arm: "Oh, I say, for God's sake, don't go on like this!"

But without response Dan continued his direction. A call page stood before the door, and Dan, on a card over the entrance read "Miss Lane." The smell of calcium and paint and perfume and the auxiliary hung heavy on

door of the dressing room of the actress. Miss Lane's dressing-rooms were worth displaying to her intimate friends. They were done with great taste in coral tint. She might have been said to be in a coral cave under the sea, as far as young Blair was concerned. As he came in he felt his ears dead, and the smoke of cigarettes grew so thick that he looked as though a veil. The dancer was standing in the center of the room, one hand on her hip, and in the other hand a cigarette. Her short skirt stood out around her like a bell, and over the bell fell a "rain of pinkish coral strands. She wore a thin slip, from which her neck and arms came shining out, and her woman knelt at her feet strapping on a little coral shoe.

Blair shut the door behind him, and began to realize how rude, how impertinent his entrance would be considered. But he came boldly forward and would have introduced himself as "Dan Blair from Blairtown," but Miss Lane, who stood at the entrance through the smoke, burst into a laugh so bright, so delightful, that he was carried high up on the coral strands to the very beach. She crossed her white arms over her breast and leaned forward as a saleswoman might lean forward over a customer, and with her beautifully trained voice, all sweetly she asked him:

"Hello, little boy, what will you take?"

Blair giggled, quick to catch her meaning, and answered: "Oh, chocolate, I guess!"

And Letty Lane laughed, put out her white hand, the one without the cigarette, and said: "Haven't got that brand on board—so sorry! Will a cocktail do? All sorts, in bottles. Higgins, fix Mr. Blair a Martini."

As the dresser rose from her stooping position, the rest of Letty Lane's

she smiled on both the men with extreme brilliance.

"You bet your life," he responded "I should think it was great."

Poniatowsky rose indolently. He had not looked toward the newcomer, but had, on the other hand, followed every detail of Miss Lane's dressing.

"Better take your scarf, Letty. Hand it to Miss Lane," he directed Higgins. "It is so damned drafty in these beastly wings."

He drew his watch out, gathered up his long coat, flung it over his arm and picked up his opera hat which lay folded on Letty Lane's dressing table.

The call page for the third time summoned "Miss Lane, Miss Lane" and she took the scarf Higgins handed her and ran it through her hands, still beaming on Dan.

"Come in to see me at the Savoy on any day, at two-thirty except on matinee days."

"Put on your scarf," Poniatowsky, taking it from her hands, laid it across her white shoulders, and she passed out between the two men, light as a bird, smiling, nodding, followed by the prince and the boy from Montana. The crowds began to fill the lately empty wings—dancers, chorus girls with their rustling gowns. Letty Lane said to Dan:

"Guess you'll like my solo in this act all right—it's the best thing in 'Mandalay.' Now go along, and clap me hard."

It gave him a new pleasure, for she had spoken to him in real American fashion with the swift mimicry that showed her talent. Dan went slowly back to his party. As he took his seat by the duchess she said to him: "You went in to see Letty Lane. Do you know her?"

"Know her!" And as Dan answered, the sound of his own voice was queer



"She's a Girl From Our Town."

dressing-room unfolded out of the mist and smoke. On a sofa covered with lace pillows Blair saw a man sitting, smoking as well. He was tall, and had a dark mustache. It was Prince Poniatowsky, whom Dan had once met at the Galorey shoot.

"Prince Poniatowsky," Miss Lane presented him, "Mr. Blair of Blairtown, Mont. Say, Frederick, give me my cap, will you? It is over by your side. I've got to hustle."

The man, without moving, picked up a small red cap with a single plume, from the sofa at his side. In another second Letty Lane had placed it on her head of yellow hair, real yellow hair and not a doubt of it, like sunshine—not the color one gets from inside bottles. Her arms, her hands flashed with rings, priceless flashes, and the little spears pricked Dan like sharp needles.

"It's the nicest ever!" she was saying. "How on earth did you get in here, though? Have you bought the Galey theater? I'm the most exclusive girl on the stage. Who let you in?"

Her accent was English, and even that put her from him. As he looked at her he couldn't understand how he had ever recognized her, if he had waited for another act he wouldn't have believed the likeness real. The girl he remembered had been softened and hardened; the rounded features were gone, but all the angles were gone as well. Her eyes were as gray as the sea; she was painted and her lids were darkened. Seen close, she was not so divine as on the stage, but there was still a more thrilling charm about the fact that she was real.

"To think of any one from Montana being here tonight! Staying very long, Mr. Blair!" Between each sentence she directed Higgins, who was getting her into her bodice. "And how do you like 'Mandalay'! Isn't it great!" She addressed herself to Dan, but

to him, and his face flushed hotly.

"Lord, yes. She used to be in the drug store in Blairtown. Sold soda-water to me when we were both kids. Whoever would have thought that she had that in her?" He nodded toward the stage, for Letty Lane had come on. She sang in our church, too, but not for long."

"Who was with her in her dressing-room?" the duchess asked. Blair didn't answer. He was looking at Letty Lane. She had come to dance for the rajah, and in her arms she held four white doves; each dove had a coral thread around its throat. It was a number that made her famous, "The Dove Song." Set free, the birds flew about her, circling her blond head, surmounted by the small coral-colored cap. The doves settled on her shoulders, pecked at her lips.

"Was it Poniatowsky?" the duchess repeated.

And Dan told her a meaningless lie. "I didn't meet any one there." And with satisfaction the duchess said:

"Then she has thrown him over, too. He was the latest and the richest. She is horribly extravagant. No man is rich enough for her, they say. Poniatowsky isn't a gold mine."

The doves had flown away to the wings and been gathered up by the Indian servants. The actress on the stage began her Indian cradle song. She came, distinctly turning toward the box party. She had never sung like this in London before. There was a freshness in her voice, a quality in her gesture, a pathos and a sweetness that delighted her audience. They fairly clamored for her, waved and called and recalled. Dan stood motionless, his eyes fastened on her, his heart rocked by the song. He didn't want anyone to speak to him. He wished that some of them would breathe, and nearly as absorbed as was he, so one did speak.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



Dan Stood Motionless, His Eyes Fastened on Her.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Benton Harbor.—Gilsen Crumb of Coloma is dead here and Walter Sauerbier, baseball pitcher and son of former Chief of Police Sauerbier, is charged with Crumb's murder. Crumb died at Mercy hospital following an operation. He was suffering from concussion of the brain. He was hit by Sauerbier and knocked unconscious, never regaining consciousness. A hole at the back of Crumb's head proves, so the police declare, that Sauerbier struck Crumb with some weapon. Sauerbier says he only hit the man with his bare fist and the defense will be that a fractured skull was caused by Crumb falling upon a cement sidewalk. Crumb was a laborer and leaves a widow and children. Sauerbier is a young man, powerfully built and comes from a well-connected family in St. Joseph. He explains the attack on Crumb by calling it a "drunken man's row."

Grant.—Lying, perhaps fatally wounded by a carelessly inflicted shotgun wound, at the home of Eugene Cavender, five miles east of Grant, George Hotelle, son of David Hotelle of Enaley township, is paying the penalty for attempting to use his gunstock as a boat oar. Standing upon one side of Rogue river, near Rice lake, and desiring to cross to the opposite side, the victim called to young Cavender to come across and ferry him to the other side. Cavender complied with the request and when he reached the opposite side Hotelle, in seeking to aid him placed the stock of his gun upon the boat and attempted to draw the boat to him, when the gun was discharged, the shot shattering Hotelle's leg at the knee.

Grand Rapids.—When Michael Krakowski, an employee of the American Box Boarding company, died some time ago his entire estate amounted to \$11.20, which was due him from the company. Several creditors claimed this amount and as the company did not care to divide it, the matter was taken into probate court. An administrator has been appointed and the amount will now be divided as equitably as possible.

Ionia.—George Austin, Pere Marquette railroad conductor on trial here for the alleged embezzlement of car fares, was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court. About \$300 was the amount involved, but the evidence showed that the company owed Austin and that he held it back pending a settlement, keeping all his cash slips and reports, which he made no effort to conceal.

Grand Rapids.—A startling discovery was made by local health officials. It was learned that the owner of an abattoir west of the city has been feeding his hogs on dead horses. City Meat Inspector Smith declared the practice has been in vogue for some time, but that he has been helpless to stop it owing to his jurisdiction being only within the city's corporate limits.

Elsie.—Mrs. Charles Moore was taken violently ill after eating candy, and died. The attending physician's diagnosis is peritonitis, although he says the candy may have been a contributory cause of death. An autopsy will be held. Mrs. Moore had been married but a short time and her husband survives.

Coldwater.—Mrs. Richard Hurst, who confessed to shooting her husband a few weeks ago, waived examination and was held without bail for trial in the circuit court next December on the charge of murder.

Ann Arbor.—Seven juniors and seniors of the university were taken into Alchemists. Those thus honored are: Nell McMillan, Detroit; George Armstrong, Middleville; Bruce Anderson, Pueblo, Colo.; Milo Taylor, Ovid; Leon Padcock, Toledo, O.; Carl Eberbach, Ann Arbor, and Al Bauer, Lawrenceberg, Ind.

Marine City.—Lindow Bros. Bears'able factory was completely destroyed by fire, entailing a loss estimated at \$5,000. The factory was owned by Mrs. William Beers and had not been operated for some time. It is not known how the fire originated. Adjoining property was saved with difficulty.

Lake City.—Losing the road while driving through the woods from a hunting camp in Kalkaska county, Hugh Norton, twenty-three years old, left the rig to find the track. The team started back toward the camp with a boy asleep in the sleigh. The boy was awakened by the horses, and his yells brought men from the camp. They went to search for Norton and found his frozen body. Norton is survived by a widow and one child.

Bay City.—George Goodwin, whose home is said to be in Woodstock, Ont., was instantly killed at Kaw-kawlin, in the National Clothing company's plant. Goodwin's clothing caught in a shaft while he was working near it. He was jerked around and thrown against a brick wall with such force that his head was literally split open. Goodwin came to Kaw-kawlin to work on the construction of the plant and remained in the company's employ after it was completed. He was thirty five and unmarried.

LASSOES A MAD DOG WITH A CLOTHESLINE

Boy Scout Captures Animal Chased by Police and a Big Crowd.

New York.—Several hundred men and women on the Williamsburg plaza of the Williamsburg bridge had a terrifying experience when a big yellow and white mongrel dog ran yelping and snapping into the crowd, followed by two policemen with revolvers, who stopped every few feet, took aim and seemed about to fire. The crowd was uncertain which was the more dangerous, the dog or the armed cops chasing it. Three persons



Boy Lassoes a Dog.

were bitten before the animal was killed.

The dog first appeared in the high-class neighborhood at Ross street and Bedford avenue, where it did a whirling doggish hunt, indicating that it might be mad or at least a keen sufferer from fleas or any one of a hundred fits neglected canines get. A man told the Clymer street police that if they wanted to save Williamsburg from an epidemic of hydrophobia they had better get on the job and corral the dangerous beast.

Lieutenant Lyman picked two of his best pistol shots, Policemen Geo. Bender and John Stantowitz. They chased their quarry to Ross street and Lee avenue. Soon 100 men were chasing the dog, the policeman trying hard to get a shot at the beast, but not daring to fire for fear of hitting somebody.

The dog wound up in a doorway at 173 Division avenue. A council of war was held, and while it was on four boy scouts appeared. One of them had his mother's clothesline made into a lasso.

"Give me that rope, sonny," said Policeman Bender.

"What for?" asked the boy, drawing back.

"I want to lasso that dog," said the cop.

"Want him lassoed, sure?" asked the scout, at once coiling his rope. Then before the astonished officer could say a word he skillfully whirled the line and dropped it neatly over the yelping dog.

The police finished the job.

KILLS BEAR ON LONELY TRAIL

Girl in Her Teens Has a Battle With Bruin and Comes Off Victorious.

Port Townsend, Wash.—On a lonely mountain trail in Clallam county, Miss Mary Schmitz, a girl in her teens, had a battle with a bear, in which she came out victorious. Miss Schmitz was employed at the Hotel Merryemere, and decided to visit her parents who lived 30 miles away.

She started out on the journey afoot armed with a revolver, loaned by one



Girl Shoots Bear.

of the guests. She had proceeded 15 miles when she sighted a bear in the trail coming toward her. She shouted, thinking that the animal would take to the bushes, but instead it continued to advance. She opened fire.

After several shots the bear left the trail, giving her the right of way. When she reached the place where the bear took to the bushes she found blood and on investigation she found the animal a few yards from the trail lying dead as a result of one of her shots.

Nothing to Write About.

A new reporter on a western paper was assigned to go to a church meeting and get a story of it. He went. When he came back the city editor asked:

"How did you pan out?"

"Oh," said the reporter, "I stuck his foot on the desk and lit a cigarette, 'there was nothing. I haven't got anything to write.' The meeting broke up in a fist fight between the minister and the deacon, and not a bit of church business was done."—Saturday Evening Post.

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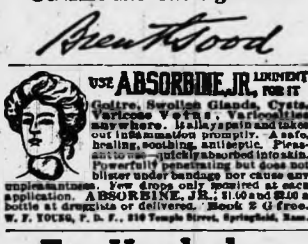
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1911

Plymouth Factory May Move

The Mail is informed that overtures are being made to the Bennett Mfg. Co., to remove its plant and business to another city. It is stated the company has been offered the free use of a \$10,000 brick building, located along a sidetrack, free lights and water. The company has recently purchased some land north of the Milk Products Co. and expected to put up a large building there next spring. The proposition above alluded to, however, has set the owners to thinking and they are debating if it wouldn't be good business policy to accept it. They are now employing 12 men and 20 girls and women, and Manager Bennett says this number will be doubled next year. The business has more than trebled the past year and the prospects of further growth are very encouraging.

It is hoped that the company may decide to remain in Plymouth, notwithstanding the offer to remove elsewhere, though a most attractive one. Plymouth cannot afford to let them go and influences undoubtedly will be brought to bear to induce them to remain.

Hunters to Blame

The farmers of Michigan at last have some redress from hunters who trespass upon their property, and by the looks of the majority of the country newspapers they intend to take advantage of it. The game laws of the state provide a heavy penalty for trespassers who hunt on other people's land.

Farmers are alive to the new law, and are posting notices on their farms, as well as publishing them in the papers. This stringent action is not one of greediness on the part of the farmer, but has been brought about by the hunters themselves. There are always a few who are not content to be reasonably decent, but have to tramp through the crops, molest stock and indulge in wanton destruction of property, such as cutting wire fences to let dogs through. That this done with malice aforethought is evidenced by the fact that some hunters carry plyers for that express purpose. This alone is enough to warrant the new law, and it will no doubt, be rigidly enforced.—Ex.

Must Register Soon.

Attention is being called to the fact that the old primary law has been radically amended by the last legislature and an entirely new registration of the voters of all the political parties must be taken next year. Those desiring to vote at the spring election must register the last Saturday in January and those who care to vote at the summer primary must register the first Monday in April. Instead of holding the fall primary in September the new law fixes it for the last Tuesday in August. This means that candidates for county and State offices will be selected in August and will have until November in which to conduct their pre-election campaign. Under the old law the candidates had six weeks in which to campaign and many complained that this was too long. Under the amendment they have nine weeks. The old primary law is known as Act 281 of 1908 and the amendment as Act 279 of 1911.

An exchange says they have invented a new kind of social amusement that is called an "Avoirdupois Party." All the girls are weighed and the weight of each written on a piece of paper and put into a hat and the young men draw. The young man must go to supper with the girl whose weight he draws, and must pay for her supper at one-half cent per pound. It is very exciting, so far as the young men are concerned.

A small frame house on South Main street was destroyed by fire last Saturday morning about two o'clock. The house was unoccupied and the origin of the fire is believed to have been the work of an incendiary. The fire alarm was given and the fire department turned out and did what they could to save the building. The house was owned by Wm. Burrell, who lives in Superior township, and was valued at about \$600. Insured for \$400.

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CHURCH NEWS

EPISCOPAL.
 Service next Sunday in the Universalist church at 3:15 in the afternoon. Rev. Allen of Detroit will preach the sermon. All are invited.

LUTHERAN.
 Rev. O. Peters, Pastor.
 Sunday, Dec. 3, services in the morning at 9:30 standard. Sunday-school at 11 standard. All children are requested to be present as they will receive their pieces for Christmas. The ladies' aid will meet Sunday after the services.

Special Thanksgiving services were held Thursday evening.

BAPTIST.
 Rev. W. W. DesAutels, Pastor.
 Usual services will be held on Sunday Dec. 3rd. The pastor preaches in the morning at 10:00. The Sunday-school meets at 11:15. The B. Y. P. U. holds a meeting in the parlors of the church at 6:00. Fred Bogert is the leader. At 7:00 the pastor has the fourth sermon of the series on "Ships of Our Own Making." This poem sermon will be on "The Anchors." That was a fine congregation last Sunday. Be sure and be present next Sunday and bring someone with you.

The pastor preaches at Livonia Center again next Sunday afternoon.

PRESBYTERIAN.
 Rev. B. F. Farber, Pastor.
 The Presbyterian Guild present Gertrude Upholt Hansens tonight, December 1, in "Lovey Mary." Come and hear this pretty story told by a good Reader. There will be musical numbers as well. The entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock.

Services will be held in this church on Sunday, December 3rd as follows: Morning worship at 10 o'clock. The pastor will preach. Sunday-school at 11:15 o'clock. Presbyterian Guild at 6 o'clock. Subject, "Lessons from Great Lives (Paul)." Leader, Mr. C. H. Rauch. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Subject, "Thanksgiving Afterthoughts." Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to attend these services.

METHODIST.
 Rev. E. J. Warren, Pastor.
 Sunday, Dec. 3, morning worship at 10 o'clock. There will be Holy Communion at this service; also a reception of members. The pastor wishes to urge any who have church certificates to hand them in before Sunday. An invitation is also given to any who would like to join the church either from probation or on confession of faith.

Sunday-school at 11:30 a. m. Will you join us?
 Epworth League service at 6 p. m. "Reproducing the Model," is the subject.

Evening service at 7 o'clock. Pastor's subject, "Men and the Church." This service will be especially for men. Women and young people are also invited. There will be special music by the quartette.

Our mid-week service on Thursday evening would interest almost any one. We have been compelled to move this service into the auditorium, the lecture room being too small to accommodate the audience. Remember that this service begins promptly at seven o'clock and closes promptly at eight.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The English II class is studying "The Christmas Carol."

Lillian Rivers has been promoted from the first to the second grade.

There were nineteen in the second grade who received a half-holiday Friday.

William Hance has entered the first grade.

The eighth grade drawing class has begun working with charcoal.

The 7th grade gave a fine Thanksgiving program at chapel Monday.

Miss Hazel Brown visited the 7th grade Monday.

Glenn Jewel has started his school work again.

The kindergarten and first grades had a Thanksgiving party Wednesday morning.

Seventy-five H. S. pupils received a half holiday Friday for being neither absent or tardy during the month.

The fifth graders are making Thanksgiving postal cards.

There was not an absent mark in the seventh grade last week.

Plymouth defeated the Woodward avenue team at football last Saturday 10 to 0. The last game of the season will be played Thursday with an alumni team.

Will Sly was injured in the game last Saturday.

Pays Spencer has been taken ill with chicken pox. This will keep Captain Jim out of Thursday's line up.

Some of the teachers are to be out of town for the Thanksgiving recess.

Miss Wise will go to Flint; Miss Stryker, Hastings; Miss Brinkerhoff, Detroit; Miss Smith, Northville; Miss Carter, Detroit; Miss Gifford, Flint; Miss Adams, Byron; Miss Johnson, Owosso and Miss Woodworth, Ovid.

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WORLD OF BLUFF AND SHAM

Absolute Frankness Seems to Be a Thing Unknown Among Men and Women.

One of the most pitiful as well as one of the commonest things in all this old world is sham. Those who hide—and who of us does not?—under its sleazy covering are continually struggling to keep up appearances against a remorseless and overwhelming handicap. The modern spirit of emulation is responsible for much of the present-day sham. The mad race to keep up with and a little ahead of one's neighbors creates an ingenuine condition. One strives for a good showing, and life behind the scenes accepts what's left. If we could only see the other side that is jealously hidden from Mrs. Grundy's prying eyes what an awakening there would be oftentimes!

The man who, living on his wife's inherited or possibly hard-earned money, tells his friends with blatant impudence that she spends his wages faster than he can earn them and then asks for more; the young wife who to "make a show" passes her summers at some fashionable resort while her husband bends his head even nearer the grindstone to meet an extravagance that far overreaches his salary, supplementing the deficit by borrowing from his business partner; the "happy" woman who with serene eyes forces the world to think her lot a blissful one when all the while her heart is breaking over some secret sorrow or bitter humiliation—each a disciple of bluff, sham and pride. What cankers of the soul these three cover! And the world moves serenely on and the make-beliefs which cover a multitude of miseries are held valiantly up to trick Dame Grundy into thinking that all is gold that glitters.

To Whom It May Concern.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council and Board of Special Assessors of the village of Plymouth, State of Michigan, will meet as a board of review at the council chambers in said village, on Monday, the fourth day of December, 1911, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., this meeting to be held for the purpose of reviewing special assessment No. 13 of said village as levied for the purpose of defraying part of the expense of the construction of the Mill Street Sewer, so-called.
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 Leave Detroit for Plymouth 5:45 a. m. (from Michigan cars); also 6:30 a. m. and every hour to 6:30 p. m.; also 9 p. m. and 11 p. m. changing cars at Wayne.

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Local News

Mrs. Hulda Knapp is visiting friends in Saginaw this week.

George Cavanaugh visited his old home in Clare last week.

Mrs. George Smith of Grand Rapids visited in town last week.

Duncan Leitch of Thessville, Ont., is visiting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robinson of Detroit spent Thursday here.

Ben Chamberlain of New Buffalo spent Thursday at his home.

Walter Ebert of Detroit is working at the Pere Marquette round-house.

Eugene Campbell of Ann Arbor spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Gladys Furse of Detroit was the guest of Ernest Henderson, Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Daggett is spending a few days in Ovid this week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wingard of Wayne spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mrs. Hall of Detroit is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Henderson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hayes and family spent the latter part of last week in Saginaw.

Miss Bessie Olsaver of Rushton visited her sister, Mrs. R. G. Samsen, a few days this week.

The Epworth League social at Wm. Smitherman's last Friday evening was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Olsaver of Rushton were Thanksgiving visitors at R. G. Samsen's.

There will be a bake goods and vegetable sale at the Presbyterian church on Saturday, Dec. 9.

Miss Mildred Huston gave a shower at her home last Saturday afternoon for Miss Ethel Gracen.

Miles Tait and his bride of Fowler are spending a few days visiting relatives and friends in Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Hamilton were called to Toledo last week on account of the death of his uncle.

There will be no services in the Newburg church next Sunday and no ladies aid society meeting next week.

Flora Bates was on the sick list the first of the week and unable to attend his duties in the railroad yards.

Dan Adams is building a new house on 15 acres he recently purchased about a mile east of town on the Ann Arbor road.

Mrs. Wilbur McDude of Minneapolis and Mr. E. E. Reynolds of Bay City spent the first of the week at Dr. Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bassett of Carbonale, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrows and other friends from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sheffield and daughter were Detroit visitors yesterday, Mrs. Sheffield and daughter remaining until Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Brownell, who has been staying a couple of months with Mrs. Will Heaney, west of town, returned to her home here on Wednesday.

There is to be a new meat market at the North end with August Micol, proprietor. Chas. Rathburn is putting up a building east of the greenhouse.

A clearing sale of bargains in trimmed hats, ostrich and fancy feathers and other lines of millinery at bargain prices at Miss Hassinger's.

The U. S. postal bank has been in operation in Plymouth since Nov. 23 and Postmaster Ladd says he has received less than a hundred dollars in deposits.

The funeral of Gen'l H. N. Wilder, Grand Sec'y of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Michigan was held at Lansing Monday last. Capt. C. G. Curtis and Chevalier B. Sherman of Plymouth were present and assisted in the ceremonies.

The circuit court jury in the case of Blanche Gents, the young lady injured in a D. U. R. wreck two years ago this coming Christmas, gave her a verdict of \$3,250 damages. It is probable the street car company will appeal to the supreme court.

Victor, the four-year-old son of C. R. Carson, who conducts a store at Newburg, died of diphtheria Wednesday morning after a few days' illness. We understand two other children are also sick with the disease, but in a mild form and are expected to recover. All precautions have been taken to prevent the further spread of the contagion.

A Northville man, it is related, has a very red nose, and recently a very inquisitive person said to him: "Please don't take any offense, but I'm very curious to know why your nose is always red?" And this is the reply the inquisitive person got: "My nose is merely blushing with pride over the fact that it has never butted into anyone's business."

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Mrs. Lily Brahmmer of Detroit visited at Ed. Harlow's yesterday.

E. K. Bennett visited his daughter Madeline at Monroe Sunday.

Harold Rise of Saginaw visited at Wm. Smitherman's Thursday.

Mrs. F. A. Dibble and daughter Dorothy spent Thanksgiving in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burch and Mrs. Brink spent Thursday in Northville.

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

Miss Verne Rowley spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Williamston.

Adna Burnett and daughter Alva of Chelsea visited at F. J. Tousey's yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Warfield of Mason is visiting relatives in town for a couple of weeks.

Wm. Curless of Seattle, Wash., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burrows Thursday.

Mrs. Edgar Peck and daughter Virginia of Detroit visited Mrs. C. L. Wilcox last Sunday.

George Shafer and wife spent yesterday in Detroit, as did also Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Whipple.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Voorhies of Detroit spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Nowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Sawhill of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown yesterday.

Mrs. Wealthy Chaffee and Elmer Chaffee of Wayne spent the day at W. T. Pettingill yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Wood and son of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gents Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Smith entertained her sister, Mrs. Austin, and niece, Miss Austin of Wayne Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Huston and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Huston of Birmingham spent Thanksgiving at E. O. Huston's.

H. R. Merrill, father of Mrs. C. G. Draper had 32 nice fat Thanksgiving turkeys stolen from his little farm near New Boston, one night this week.

The dance given by the Sextette Club last Tuesday evening was an enjoyable affair, there being a very fair attendance. Bad roads kept many of the farm boys and girls away.

The foot ball game yesterday at Athletic Park between the Alumni and Plymouth High School was not very largely attended owing to the coldness weather. The score was 21 to 0 in favor of the Alumni, the side having much the heavier players.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Safford and their four children accompanied by their grand-father, Rev. Dr. J. T. Sunderland, spent Friday, Nov. 24th, with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Safford and daughter Ada, who was spending a week at home.

Mr. A. J. Murray of Ypsilanti and Miss Lulu Bird of McHenry, Ill., were also a part of the company who had their Thanksgiving ahead of the calendar, as all could not be present on the real Thanksgiving day. It was a very enjoyable occasion.

Last Sunday afternoon a bright and hearty service was held in the Episcopal church. The sermon which was preached by the Rev. Midworth of Detroit was earnest and appropriate and was much appreciated by the congregation. It is proposed to continue service in this church every Sunday, the time in the future to be 3:15 instead of 3:30. Next Sunday the Rev. Allen will come out from Detroit and it is to be hoped that all Episcopal church members and their friends will endeavor to attend.

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Uruguay and the Pan American Railway System

By Jose Richling



URUGUAY is a country small in area, not quite twice the size of New York state, but large in the importance it has in relation to South American development. Brazil to the north must cross Uruguay to get to the South American metropolis, Buenos Aires. Argentina to the south must use Uruguay's railways to find the shortest route—part rail, part sea—to Europe, England and the United States, for the port of Pernambuco, Brazil, will some day take an importance as the terminus of a through rail line from Buenos Aires and as the port of departure for a quick steamship service to the countries north of the equator. With this in view Brazil is now spending millions upon harbor improvements at this point.

This through railway from Buenos Aires to Pernambuco has therefore something more than a South American significance. It becomes Pan-American. In fact the great system of railways designed to bring about easier communication between the capitals and principal cities of all American republics may be divided into two systems: (1) The main line following close to the backbone of the continent and connecting Argentina and the westerly republics with North America through the Isthmus of Panama; (2) the transcontinental

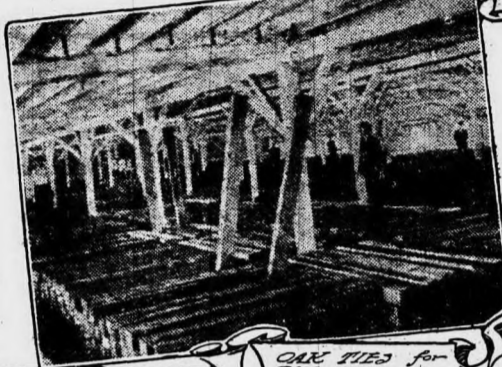
line linking up Chile and Argentina with the easterly republics and thence via steamship line with North America. That the transcontinental system will be completed long before the main line seems assured. Chile and Argentina have pierced the Andes and Valparaiso sends passengers and freight to Buenos Aires by the completed Transandine railway. Brazil has pushed her steel highways nearly to the border of Uruguay.

While England and France have poured their capital into the building of these lines, which help to form the Pan American, it seems fitting that the United States should at last step in and complete one link in the chain which goes under the name Pan or All American. It was left for the little republic of Uruguay to bring about this desired result. She granted to an American company concessions to build the line from Colonia just opposite Buenos Aires northeast to the San Luis river, a distance of about 365 miles, with a branch of 60 miles to connect with an existing line to the east.

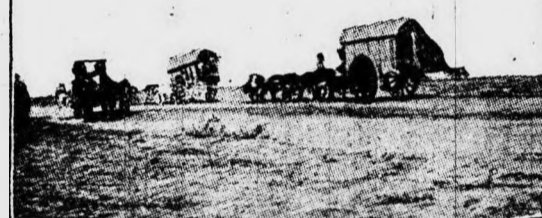
Uruguay has found it good policy to encourage railway-building by fair and liberal treatment of capital which ventures into such large undertakings. The government has confidence in the future of Uruguay and is willing, therefore, to guarantee an interest earning upon a fair cap-



UNITED STATES STEAM SHIP LINE



ONE OF THE PAN-AMERICAN RAILWAYS



PRESENT MODE OF TRANSPORTATION



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italization, believing that the country as it develops will make good and produce these earnings and more. Experience has shown such confidence to be well founded, and the existing railways are paying good returns to their shareholders. Uruguay, therefore, felt no hesitation in inviting capital from her sister republic north of the equator to enter the field.

How the invitation was accepted may be learned from an examination of the Uruguayan consular records. During the past three months, April, May and June, a steady stream of invoices has passed through the offices. Thousands of tons of rails, bridge and other structural steel, telegraph poles and wire, fence wire, cement, lumber, passenger cars, freight cars and locomotives have left the port of New York headed for Uruguay. From Newport News the Lovisa cleared, a good-

sized barkentine purchased by the Pan American Transcontinental Railway company to help out in carrying railroad ties and lumber. From New Orleans, on June 7, the Wimbledon steamed away, carrying the largest consignment of lumber which ever went out of that port. Over 50,000 ties and over 60,000 feet of yellow pine timber made up her cargo.

All of these things are to help build the first American railway in the River Plata region. Inquiry has developed that the enterprise is one which is backed by business more than by banking interests in the United States. The work has been carried on quietly and steadily. The surveys were completed and submitted to the government July 15, 1910. The winter and early spring were occupied in arranging for purchase of material and equipment. Grading was begun at Durazno on March 6.

The first section of 30 miles was formally opened to public service in September, 1911, and the entire line will be completed within four years.

It seems thus to be destined that Uruguay, of all the South American republics, shall be first intimately known to United States capital. And as where one's capital is there lies one's interest, it seems not unlikely that Uruguay in its development may feel strongly the influence of American ideas and customs and perhaps be drawn into still closer national sympathy with the people of the United States.

In the physical characteristics of the country Uruguay bears a striking resemblance to parts of the United States. The rolling prairies and many streams of Illinois are there, as, too, is the rich, deep, black soil.

The peaches, grapes and pears of northern Ohio find a natural home in the southerly portions of the country, and the sands of Colonia remind one of the sands of Lake Erie.

If the history of the development of the middle west be repeated south of the equator one can see Uruguay well peopled and well plowed, a prosperous country to live in and a fair one to look upon.

In the plans of the railway company the development of the port of Colonia plays an important part. It is understood that here will be established a center of distribution for imports to the River Plata region. Storage warehouses will make it possible for manufacturers to carry at trifling expense large stocks upon which they can call as needed for distribution in the Argentine or Uruguay or to up-river districts.

The natural depth of the water is such at Colonia as to make this one of the finest of harbors. The largest ocean steamers will be able to discharge their cargoes quickly and cheaply. Natural conditions, in fact, seem to have destined this point for one of the great shipping centers of the River Plata region.

This Pan American railway has large significance for Uruguay, but it may mean even more for the United States. If it serves, as now seems quite possible, as the introduction of United States capital to this great South American region, and familiarizes United States investors with the sound and stable character of railway enterprise, as it has been and will be developed on this port of the new world, it will have accomplished quite as much for the republic of the north as for Uruguay, and more perhaps for the general advancement of Pan Americanism than for either.



TRANS-AMERICAN RAILWAY FROM COLONIA TO SAN LUIS

TRAPPER ARRESTED BY WOMAN WARDEN

Game Law Violator Whose Fane Held Men Officials at Distance Pays Fine.

"GOT DROP ON HIM"

Colorado Woman Warden Caught "Bad Man" With Rifle, and He Obeyed Her Command—His Reputation Gone, Hunter Thinks He Will Move

Sterling, Colo.—The pride of a certain trapper and "bad man" of this neighborhood is completely cast down, his spirit crushed to smithereens. After bluffing out most of the deputy game wardens and other peace officers generally, he has been arrested and brought into court—by a woman.

There is no real reason why he should feel excessively humiliated. A husky repeating rifle, loaded with steel-jacketed bullets, will kill as quickly when a woman's finger presses the trigger as when the best shot on the plains does the same thing. It all depends on the success and the intent with which the rifle is aimed.

Several weeks ago Mrs. Christie Partridge, a widow, was made game warden. The trapper works in her district, and, although there is a law against trapping beavers, he has disregarded it systematically, placing not unwarranted faith in his "bad man" reputation.

The other morning, just as he had visited his traps and rebated them, he was surprised to hear a noise in a clump of bushes behind him. He turned and found himself gazing into the muzzle of a rifle. The butt of the rifle was resting comfortably against Mrs. Christie Partridge's



"Up With 'Em"

shoulder, while Mrs. Christie Partridge's right eye was gazing meditatively along the barrel.

"Up with 'em," the woman said laconically.

The "bad man" didn't hesitate. Both hands went high above his head.

"I'm the new game warden," Mrs. Partridge continued quietly. "You are under arrest for trapping beavers. They tell me you are a 'bad man.' What's it going to be? Are you going along with me peacefully?"

"Well, mom," replied the trapper. "It kind-a looks like you've got the cards stacked and I reckon I'll have to admit your hand's convincted. I'm willing to go with you whenever. But I'd be obliged if you wouldn't be quite so careless with that shootin' stick."

A little while later the deputy game warden, her rifle resting lightly in the hollow of her left arm, walked into the nearest justice's office, preceded by the perfectly good "bad man."

The trapper paid a \$25 fine and said he reckoned he'd have to move higher up the creek where folks ain't so doggoned civilized.

INDIANS DECLARED STARVING

Shoshone and Arapahoe Tribes Face Winter Without Money or Supplies—1,600 Are in Need.

Cheyenne, Wyo.—Hunger stalks on Wind river Indian reservation in Fremont county, Wyo. Sixteen hundred Shoshone and Arapahoe braves, squaws and papooses are face to face with the worst famine they have ever experienced with the knowledge of the white man.

Already there is suffering on the reservation and when winter arrives, unless something is done for their relief, there will be many deaths from starvation among the tribes.

For the past two years the Indians have been employed by the government on ditch work on the reservation and have been able to subsist on what they earned. The expenditure for this ditch work aggregated about \$350,000. The irrigation system is for the Indians, but so far they have raised no crops.

Recently work on the ditches ceased and the Shoshones and Arapaho, who spent the money as fast or faster than they earned it, are left wholly without resources.

Quickly Cures Lame Back, Weak Kidneys

You Can Prove It Without Expense—Get a Free Package Dr. Derby's Guaranteed Kidney Pills—Today

Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills absolutely cure kidney and bladder troubles and rheumatism.

Their action is positive, certain—quick. The very first dose takes hold. You can see and feel the difference in a single day.

You can find this out without a cent of cost to you.

Just ask your druggist for a free sample package—use pills as directed—and see for yourself.

Get the pills at once if you have diabetes, dropsy, Bright's disease, urinary trouble, or rheumatism in any form.

Have you any of these symptoms? Weak, lame, aching back. Sharp, piercing pains in bladder, kidneys, side or limbs. Sore, tender, twitching muscles. Bladder or canal inflamed. Inability to hold water. Too frequent urination. Urine cloudy, bloody, too light, too dark, unnatural odor, or sediment in it. Narrow, restless, irritable, dependent, irregular heart action. Sleeplessness. Dull headaches. Dizzy spells. Pains about the eyes. Swollen extremities. General weakness, constant tired, worn-out, all-gone feeling.

Then get Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills without a moment's delay. They will surely drive the disease poisons out of you—strengthen, build up the weak, disordered kidneys and bladder as nothing else can. It's the modern, common-sense, rational, scientific kidney and bladder cure.

And the treatment is guaranteed; money back if it doesn't do all claimed for it.

Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills sell for 25c and 50c—the larger package containing more than twice the pills in 25c size. If you want to try them first, ask for free sample. Sold by your druggist, or sent prepaid upon receipt of price, by Derby Medicine Co., Eaton Rapids, Mich.

HE WAS NEXT.



Katherine—There is never any excuse for ignorance.

Kidder—That's right. There were even knight schools in the dark ages.

BABY'S ECZEMA AND BOILS

"My son was about three weeks old when I noticed a breaking-out on his cheeks, from which a watery substance oozed. A short time after, his arms, shoulders and breast broke out also, and in a few days became a solid scab. I became alarmed, and called our family physician who at once pronounced the disease eczema. The little fellow was under treatment for about three months. By the end of the time, he seemed no better. I became discouraged. I dropped the doctor's treatment, and commenced the use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and in a few days noticed a marked change. The eruption on his cheeks was almost healed, and his shoulders, arms and breast were decidedly better. When he was about seven months old, all trace of the eczema was gone.

"During his teething period, his head and face were broken out in boils which I cured with Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Surely he must have been a great sufferer. During the time of teething and from the time I dropped the doctor's treatment, I used the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, nothing else, and when two years old he was the picture of health. His complexion was soft and beautiful, and his head a mass of silky curls. I had been afraid that he would never be well, and I feel that I owe a great deal to the Cuticura Remedies."

(Signed) Mrs. Mary W. Ramsey, 224 E. Jackson St., Colorado Springs, Col., Sept. 24, 1910. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 5 L, Boston.

Love Note.

People may sneer all they please at what is called puppy love; but anybody who has ever had a puppy, and noted the wag of its tail and the look in its eye as it wriggles forth its protestations of undying affection, can hardly deny its actual sincerity.—Judge's Library.

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. Williams*.

In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for *Fletcher's Castoria*.

Unfair Play.

"Foul tactics," declared the quarterback.

"What's the trouble now?" demanded the referee.

"I tried a kick for the stomach, but this fellow blocked it with his face."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take.

His Bearing.

"Is he a man of military bearing?"

"Well, he likes to soldier."

Hard to Destroy Species

Difficulty of Extirmination is Exemplified by the Case of the Wolf in Europe.

When man sets about ridding himself of entire species of animals by systematic persecution he usually finds it a difficult job. Set a price on the head of a wolf or a woodchuck, and the animal seems at once to realize the importance of prolonging its life.

The case of the wolf in Europe is a historic one. A price has been set on the creature's head for centuries, and yet there is only a small portion of the continent from which the animal has been exterminated. The Netherlands is free of wolves, owing to the character of the country. The whole land furnishes not a single rocky den suitable for a wolf's lair; neither is there a forest for the animal's shelter.

It is true the wolf has been exterminated from Great Britain and Ireland. This result has been reached, however, by indirect means rather than by a direct attack. The clearing off of the forest left the wolf no place in which to hide from pursuit. The islands were too far from the continent for their thinned ranks to be recruited from the mainland. In Spain and France the wolf has at no time been unknown, although a price has been set on its head for hundreds of years. The animal has developed cunning in proportion as the pursuit has become closer. Like the crow, it has learned to take care of itself.

On the other hand, species receive

very little help toward their continuance from the well-meant efforts of man to that end. In proof of this we are told that there is an ancient act of parliament still in force in England and Wales prohibiting the taking of eggs of certain birds, of which six kinds are expressly named. In spite of this protecting law, four of the six species have ceased to breed in those countries. The indirect ways in which such results are brought about are shown in the destruction of the quail in New Zealand. The birds once were numerous; no one wished to destroy them. But the land was burned over for other purposes at seasons when the eggs and young of the quail were exposed to destruction, and a few years brought the species to an end.

Difference Lies in Direction.

A precocious son of one of the managers of William S. Vare's mayoralty campaign has been following the developments of the fight with interest. He has not yet acquired all the rudimentary knowledge of politics necessary to understand all the curves, but he is learning.

"Father," he inquired the other evening, as his "old man" bolted down his evening meal, having to make haste for political reasons, "what's a traitor?"

"Fellow that leaves our side and goes over to the gang," snapped the father.

"And what do you call 'em when they quit the other side and come over to yours?"

"A convert."—Philadelphia Times.

Facts About Wedding Gifts

Presents Should Be Sent to a Bride-Elect Within a Fortnight of Her Marriage.

Wedding gifts are sent to a bride-elect within three weeks or a fortnight of the day set for her marriage. Mere visiting acquaintances of the families or the couple about to be wed do well to wait and see whether they are asked to a wedding before forwarding any presents. This course is not prompted by cold calculation, but by genuine delicacy. As soon as the person thus in doubt receives a card a pleasant assurance is given, and the gift may then be forwarded.

When wedding cards extending an invitation to witness merely the marriage ceremony are received by one who acknowledges only the most formal acquaintance with the bride or groom, or either of their families, there rests no obligation to send a gift. It would be proper to send one if the recipient of the cards wishes to, and many persons feel that the receipt of such cards calls for one. It is customary to send a gift when the cards include an invitation to the house afterward, as well as the church.

Persons in mourning may send wedding gifts, though they are not able to attend either the religious ceremony or reception. Those who feel themselves under obligations or who have received favors from either of the contracting parties, are privileged to send a bridal gift, even when only slightly acquainted with the bride or bridegroom or their relatives.

Only the intimate friends and relatives of a bride are entitled to present the gifts in person.

Shorthand.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller shows the religious side of his character by taking notes of a sermon in order to read it to his sick wife. The note-taking habit is a useful one. When this great financier becomes his own stenographer he is indulging in a pleasant occupation. A knowledge of shorthand is a good accomplishment for anyone. Its usefulness is unquestionable. Anyone capable of taking phonographic notes need not necessarily be speedy enough for professional work. If one can merely take notes two or three times as fast as he could by using long hand he can catch and preserve important data. For most Americans a knowledge of shorthand is of far more importance than the acquirement of a foreign language, as the latter cannot be used often and is easily forgotten. In the public schools its pursuit would soon make pupils better spellers and writers, as well as more accurate in their pronunciation and grammar.

Red Whiskers.

"Plunkville needs a new constable."

"What's the matter with the present incumbent?"

"He has black whiskers and the spenders kin see him hiding in the shrubbery. What we want is a constable with whiskers to match the fall foliage."

TALLS OF GOTHAM AND OTHER CITIES

Foreigners a Problem for New York



NEW YORK.—Perhaps no other city in the world quite equals New York in the great diversity of its population and in the variety of the interests engaging the population's attention. Constantinople would seem to be the only rival. In New York pretty much every civilized nation has its representation. There are gathered Jews, Italians, Greeks, Poles, Armenians, Chinese, Hungarians and so on. Many nationalities not only have representation, but they have large ones. There are today undoubtedly many more Jews in New York than ever had permanent residence in Jerusalem at any given time. They constitute about one-sixth of the 5,000,000 of population.

So it comes about that New York is not a typical American city. It is too crowded with people who do not have typical American conditions in their homes, who do not have American ideals before them and who do not go about their duties with the American spirit. In brief, New York

is thronged with multitudes who are living in a different age of the world and who are dominated by other ideas of morality, duty and the like. Their ideas of cleanliness are not those of the typical American. It is doubtful whether American institutions mean much to them. Foreign thoughts, purposes, ideals, business methods, manners and customs are swamping the city.

In spite of the very considerable number of high grade American people who live and do business in New York; they do not form a percentage sufficiently great to control conditions in any effective way. There is a tremendous prevalence of crime, insolence, incompetence and ignorance.

As one moves about and comes into contact with New York employes he will be fortunate indeed if he does not suffer from their bad manners, not to say insolence. Probably some of this is due to the conditions of a great city, and would occur even under the best of circumstances. However, the presence in the city of such enormous masses of ignorant and incompetent people, saturated with un-American ideals and purposes, cannot help having a tremendous and bad influence upon others. The conditions in New York really constitute a very great problem indeed.

Nurses Find Cupid in the Sick Room

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—The trained nurse appears to play a more prominent part in the romantic news of the day than any other professional woman. Hardly a day passes but the newspapers chronicle some marriage, will, love affair or litigation in which a trained nurse figures. Miss Eleanor Peregrine, who nursed Walter E. Duryea, the New York youth with a broken neck for twelve years, is, by agreement among the Duryea relatives, to receive the \$200,000 bequest left her in his will. Miss Ida Corey Murphy, who nursed Chalmers Dale, a stock exchange broker, two years, is suing for \$30,000 for her services, because Mr. Dale didn't remember her in his will. The marriage of John Ellerton Lodge, son of United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, to Miss Carrie Catherine Connolly, a trained nurse who attended him a year, is another proof that Venus in a nurse's cap and gown is a most enticing siren.



Charles E. Halliwell, of the American Tobacco company, married Miss Ruth Alice Cole, who had been summoned to nurse him in New York city after a severe operation in 1906. The following year he died, leaving her a fourth of his \$5,000,000 estate.

Thomas Caldwell, a Pensacola, Fla., recluse, left his \$75,000 estate to Miss

Work 47 Years on Same Street Cars



CHICAGO.—Chicago has the oldest street car conductor and the oldest street car motorman in the world, both in age and point of service.

They are Michael Moran, sixty-six years old, conductor, and Patrick Brady, sixty-five years old, motorman. They started driving the same car in 1884 and are still working together on West Sixty-third street, from Central Park avenue to Fifty-sixth avenue.

Their first car was an old bus mounted on trucks and hauled by horses. That was soon after Chicago adopted "street cars." Within a few years from then the first regular horse cars were operated in Chicago, and the old buses were abandoned. Then Moran and Grady got a regular run on State street.

Moran and Grady have worked on all of the old routes, and, with the ex-

ception of short periods, never have been separated since they started.

For a year after the fire of 1871 they were separated, and after Grady took his first electric car on Wentworth avenue world's fair year the two again were on different cars for about two years and a half. Since then they have been on the same car and for three years continuously.

Neither has missed more than an average of three days a year because of sickness since 1864. Counting holidays and all, they say they have not missed more than an average of eight days a year. This does not include regular days off.

For thirty-nine years on a horse car they averaged forty miles a day, or 569,400 miles up until the time they took their first electric car. Their average daily fares amounted to \$35, or 700 nickels. During the thirty-nine years they took in approximately \$9,574,500 nickels.

In the eight years they have been running electric cars they have traveled an average of 100 miles a day, 36,500 miles a year, making a total of 292,000 miles. Their electric car has averaged \$200 a day, or 4,000 nickels.

Women Said to Be Real Home Wreckers

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Woman, not man, is the real home-wrecker, according to statistics that are being compiled from the divorce court records of the state of Kansas. So far as the statistics show, 80 per cent of the divorce suits now pending are brought by wives, while virtually the same percentage of the suits are brought on so-called trivial charges, such as incompatibility of temper, quarrels and other allegations which do not charge infractions of the moral or civil laws.



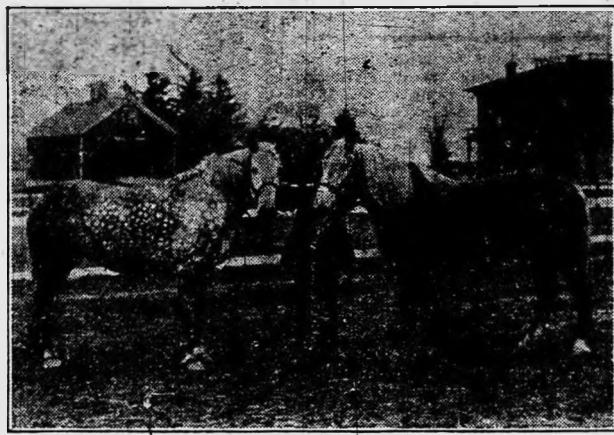
Previous statistics show that in Jackson county, in which Kansas City is, there were three suits for divorce filed for every five marriage licenses issued, and this startlingly high percentage prompted an investigation into divorce statistics. It was found that while 80 per cent of the plaintiffs were women and 80 per cent of their suits were brought on trivial charges, that less than 10 per cent of the suits filed by the men were based on the trivial charges, while 90 per cent were based on the more serious charges of desertion, immoral conduct or neglect of the home through a preference for working.

Women, too, the statistics show, have apparently less regard for the future of their children. Whereas, when men are plaintiffs in divorce suits, the average is only one child to a family, 300 suits taken consecutively from the docket, in which women are plaintiffs, show nearly 1,600 children, or an average of a little more than three to the family.

Incidentally, the statistics on a side investigation show that mother-in-law is a very much maligned person, and that cases in which mother-in-law has taken the son-in-law's part against her daughter or vice versa are just as numerous as where mother-in-law has sided in with her own child.

Economic Wintering of the Farm Work Horses

By PROF. R. S. SHAW,
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One of the Michigan Agricultural College Work Teams.

Most farmers are confronted by this problem, in a serious manner because of the short crops of the past dry season and the present high prices for feed stuffs. In wintering farm work horses one of two extremes usually prevails. The lover of good horses saves the best mow of hay and the best bin of oats for his horses during winter when they are producers as workers, thus rendering their cost of keep very expensive. On the other hand, however, too many horses are wintered in the barnyard on straw and corn stalks only, going into the spring work weak and thin and unfitted to undergo the severe strain of the seeding work. There is a medium between these two extremes by which coarse cheap feeds in sufficient variety can be used in wintering the horse cheaply and satisfactorily.

If the horse is in moderately good condition and doing no work it can be wintered on corn fodder, straw and ensilage with a small feed of mixed hay daily. If there are no nubbins of corn in the fodder a few ears may be fed daily. Under these conditions the run of a yard during the day with ample stall or shed protection at night is desirable. If the horses are being em-

ployed at moderate work such as hauling manure, feed, wood, etc., a moderate feed of mixed grain daily should be given in addition to the ear corn. If ensilage is not available from ten to twelve pounds of carrots per day per horse will be found very serviceable. Ensilage should be fed in moderation, using not more than 15 to 20 pounds daily, depending on the horse.

Michigan experiment station bulletin No. 254 gives a description of the methods employed in wintering work horses engaged at moderate labor on the college farm during ten weeks of the winter of 1908. Six horses averaging 1,254 pounds consumed daily 11 pounds of oats and 20 pounds timothy hay at a cost per day of 19.4 cents. Another six horses averaging 1,291 pounds consumed daily 8.6 pounds corn stalks, 4.3 pounds oat straw, 5.4 roots, 4.2 pounds hay, 5.7 pounds grain and 4.2 ear corn at a cost of 12.3 cents per head daily. Both lots of horses worked between forty and fifty days out of the seventy of the experiment. Those on the cheaper feeds gained a few pounds in weight over and above the others and were in equally good trim to go into the hard work of spring plowing, seeding, etc.

REPAIR WORK ON THE FARM

The Use of Tools Has Educational Value
By R. J. BALDWIN,
Michigan Agricultural College

The successful management of a modern farm depends largely upon the care and repair of the equipment with which the work is performed. This implies the necessity of housing all implements when not in actual use and their repair before needed again. To do this there must be a suitable outfit of tools on the farm arranged in a shop where work can be conveniently and comfortably done. Alterations and repairs on buildings and fences are required from time to time and if there are not tools at hand suited to this purpose the work will not be done well, if at all.

The question of how far to attempt to do repair work on the farm depends upon the distance from town and the tastes and training of the farmer himself. The regular work of the farm should be the first consideration and anything that will interfere with field work should not be undertaken. In many cases the work of a trained mechanic is more satisfactory than that done at home, and we must always depend upon the village blacksmith for many things. All ordinary injuries to machinery can be repaired on the farm, and this, in addition to the work which must be done about barns, stables and fences, make a repair outfit an important part of the farm equipment.

The general overhauling of machinery should be done at a time of year when no other work is pressing and when it may be done as a rest or change from other farm work. If farm implements are stored during winter in places not easy of access or left in open weather they will probably be out of repair when needed again; but if they are housed in a building one corner of which is a shop the job of fixing them will be more attractive and the work will be more liable to be done before spring. Frequent applications of some metallic paint such as Venetian red and raw linseed oil does much to improve the appearance of implements and adds greatly to their lasting qualities.

The use of tools is of great educational value, especially when the work is carefully performed. The boys on the farm should be encouraged in the use of tools, but should be held responsible both for the care of the tools and the character of the work performed with them. The tool outfit of the farm is of special service on stormy days and will aid greatly in keeping the boys employed and contented to remain at home.

Suggestions on the selection of tools and the arrangement of a shop may be found in Farmers' Bulletin No. 247, which may be obtained upon request from U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

All brush and rubbish in the orchard should be gathered and burned before winter. Such things harbor all kinds of pests such as rabbits and mice which are liable to girdle the trees while snow is on the ground.

Increasing Popularity of Agricultural Education

By R. S. SHAW,
Dean of Agriculture

The enrollment of students in the regular four courses at the Michigan Agricultural College for the year 1911 and 1912 presents some interesting data. Up to October 5th the total number enrolled was 1,278, divided as follows, viz.: agriculture, 571; engineering, 452; and home economics, 255. These figures do not include any short course students, which number from 400 to 500 annually. The requirements for entrance to the freshman year are graduation from accredited high schools or other institutions with equally good training.

Ten years ago only about twenty-five per cent of the male students entering this institution enrolled in agriculture, the number this year exceeds 55 per cent. Not more than 20 per cent of the graduates in agriculture returned to the farm a decade ago. The past few years nearly all who had farms to go to returned to them.

Some influential factors have been at work bringing about these changes. Agricultural colleges have succeeded in winning the confidence and respect of the farmer. High prices of farm produce has had an effect. Men of national reputation politically and industrially have been speaking and writing in behalf of agricultural development. The daily and weekly paper and even some of the largest city papers have used agricultural matter freely while the movement has been popularized by the magazine. The purely agricultural paper used to stand alone in its efforts for a better agriculture.

Care of Strawberry Beds.
Before the season of snow and continuous frosts the strawberry bed should be covered to prevent winter-killing. The mulching should be either good clean straw or leaves. Care should be taken to be sure that the covering does not contain grass or weed seeds. Before covering it is well to go over the bed with a spud and cut out the dock, cheese-weed, thistles, or other weeds which make quick growth and crowd the strawberry plants in the spring.

Cedar Rail Fences.
The old-fashioned cedar rail fences of middle Tennessee now furnish the world's main supply of cedar pencils and it is stated that these fences are the sole remaining source from which to make the best grade of smooth whittling cedar pencils so well known to every school boy. These rails bring fabulous prices.

Beans.
Select very tender pods. String them and cut in inch pieces. Pack in the cans, add one teaspoonful salt, fill with sterilized water and cook the same as corn.
Other vegetables, as cauliflower, asparagus, lima beans, etc., may be similarly canned.

Swello Music.
Little Willie, being a city boy, had never seen a cow. While on a visit to his grandmother he walked out across the fields with his cousin John. A cow was grazing there, and Willie's curiosity was greatly excited.
"Oh, Cousin John, what is that?" he asked.
"Why, that is only a cow," John replied.

"And what are those things on her head?"
"Horns," answered John.
Before they had gone far the cow mooed long and loud.
Willie was astonished. Looking back, he demanded in a very fever of interest:
"Which horn did she blow?"—Everybody's Magazine.

Wednesday Mislead.
A Broadway actor got carried away by the spirit of the times and remained carried away for several days. He came to himself in his own room without knowing exactly how he got there. A friend sat beside him.
"Hello," he said, as he opened his eyes, "what day is this?"
"This," said his friend, "is Thursday."
The invalid thought it over a minute.
"What became of Wednesday?" he asked.—Saturday Evening Post.

Diphtheria, Quinsy and Tonsillitis begin with sore throat. How much better to cure a sore throat in a day or two than to be in bed for weeks with Diphtheria. Just keep Hamlin's Wizard Oil in the house.

What has become of the old-fashioned politician who used to imagine he was destiny's son?—Toledo Blade.

If every man had all the money he wanted, the devil would get us all.

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"And the reason for this beautiful resolution?" inquired her married sister, in whose house Marjory had taken refuge.

"It's not from any moral scruples that I have registered this vow," sighed Marjory, reveling in the wickedness of her confession, "but simply because I have come to the conclusion that lies don't pay."

"Tell me what happened when you forsook the truth," said the interested sister.

"This morning the thermometer read 101 degrees in the shade, and there wasn't any shade," related Marjory. "I had just returned home from a strenuous house party at Dorothy's bungalow, much the worse for wear. Simply exhausted and hating everybody, I flung the contents of my suitcase into their respective places, jumped into my kimono, pulled down the shades, locked my door, threw myself on the bed and sighed a sigh of contentment."

"Then the telephone rang. Such a long, vicious ring, too. As I went out into the hall to answer it I said to myself: 'If that is King George, and if he asks me to go riding in an aeroplane with him, I shall refuse. I wouldn't accept an invitation even from Bob himself, today.'"

"Yes, this is Marjory," I told the telephone. "Oh, I'm dreadfully, dreadfully sorry, Puss, but I won't be home this afternoon. You were coming to spend the afternoon with me? What a shame that I can't be here! I am just going downtown this minute. I have some important shopping. That's what I shamelessly told her."

"Going downtown? Puss said over the phone. 'How perfectly grand! You dear, sweet thing, I know you will match some Irish crochet lace for me. We have the dressmaker here. I'll bring the sample right over.'"

"Then before I could say 'Peter Pepper' that awful girl had hung up the receiver!"

"Mildred Morton Morse, maybe I wasn't angry! I was furious. Here was a whole afternoon spoiled by having to rush downtown in the broiling sun to match a sample of lace, for a girl whom I see only about twice a year, and whom I don't care two straws for!"

"As there was no one to open the door for Puss and her sample, I had to dress in a perfect whirlwind rush—and I looked it, too. When I got downtown my hat was over one ear, my veil was over the other, my sailor collar had worked its front view to the rear, my white buckskin shoes begged for a shine, my gloves sympathized with the mistreated shoes, and my hair was done in a wad on the top of my head in a most original and unbecoming manner. The perspiration rolled in rivulets off my face. I looked hideous, that's all. My one and only fervent wish was that I might meet no one I knew."

"Well, as I stepped off the car I ran straight into Bob, Bob's mother, Bob's father, Bob's two sisters and Bob's grandmother. They were all coming from their Michigan home for some sort of family reunion, or something. Bob has been so anxious for me to meet his family, and I wanted to make a good impression on them because—well, Bob is Bob, you know."

"There I stood like a scarecrow. Bob looked at me wonderingly as he introduced me to his tribe. It seemed to me that there were hundreds of them. Though they all said, 'We're pleased to meet you, we've heard so much about you,' I know they were thinking, 'What under the sun can Bob see in that awful girl?'"

"I said good-by as quickly as I could and rushed away, disgusted with Bob's family, Puss, myself and the whole wide world in general. Hurrying to the lace counter, I discovered that I had lost the miserable sample, so I couldn't get the lace. Then I jumped on the cab, and here I am a wreck. I come to you for any comfort you may have in stock."

"Please phone to Puss for me. Tell her that I didn't get the lace because I lost the sample, and that I am glad of it. Tell her that I didn't have any downtown shopping of my own this afternoon. Tell her that if she had a molecule of sense she wouldn't want to inflict herself on innocent people in such hot weather. Tell her that if Bob breaks our engagement it will be on her conscience, and that I hate her, anyway."

"The truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth for me! I can see already that I'm going to be unpopular."

Value of Knowledge.

Officer (at distance judging practice)—Well, have you learned anything new today?

Private—Yes, sir; if you take the bolt out of the barrel and a man just fits inside, he's 300 yards away.

Officer—And what is there remarkable about that?

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GAYDE BROTHERS

The Marriage of Nora

By Peggy Powers

"It's preposterous! Outrageous! Incredible! Who told you?" asked Mr. Bryce.

"Nora told Sonny and Sonny told me," answered his wife.

"I can't believe that as refined, gentle and pretty a girl as Nora could sink so low as to wish to marry a Chinaman," said Mr. Bryce.

"She has worked for us for six years, and I've never seen as capable a servant."

"Have you remonstrated with her?" asked the husband.

"Just came from the kitchen. I begged, pleaded and implored, but to no avail. Her mind is irrevocably made up."

"I'll speak to her myself," majestically stated the husband.

Entering the kitchen, he said: "Nora, you have always been a good, faithful, sensible girl. You will not take offense if I speak plainly to you, will you?"

"Shure not, sir," promptly answered the girl.

"Tell me then why are you marrying this heathen?"

"He ain't no 'hathen, sir. He's a nice respectable fellow. He gives me



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"A Chinaman?" gasped Nora, holding on to the table for support. "Who's going to marry a Chinaman?"

"Sonny said you told him you were engaged to our Chinese laundry man," stated Bryce.

"Oh, Mr. Bryce, I see now. I told your boy that I was going to marry the laundry man. The only laundry man Sonny thinks of is the Chinaman at the corner. But I—I am thinking of another."

"Well, that is a joke," said Mr. Bryce.

"Is your young man the tall, good looking chap who delivers the wash on Thursday mornings?"

"That's him," blushed Nora.

"Bully for you," said Mr. Bryce. "I don't blame you. Let's go and tell the news to Sonny and the Mrs."



"You Will Not Take Offense?"

a good home. I love him. He loves me. I marry him."

"What would your poor mother say if she knew it?" asked Bryce, trying to work on her sympathies.

"She don't care. She knows it. We wrote to her, Lee and I did," answered Nora.

Young Man Much to Learn.
An Englishman once fell in love with a girl who was obliged to marry a Chinaman. One day the doctor visited the patient and the son instead of the Englishman. "Have you married the Chinaman?" asked the doctor. "Yes," answered the girl. "I have drawn up the contract which I ascertained to be the name of his agent." "Fool!" cried the doctor. "I trusted you to do the job."

Old Truth Reaffirmed.
A Massachusetts widow wrote a Kansas editor to find her a big-headed, big-bodied, whole-souled man for a husband. He printed the advertisement and replied in a bushel. Soon there will be an account of a wedding, and the frank admission that the advertisement was for a husband.—Charlotte (C.)