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FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 1912

Township Tickets

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP... The Republican township caucus was held in Village hall last Friday afternoon...

LIVONIA TOWNSHIP... Following are the tickets nominated in Livonia township, first named being Republican...

CANTON TOWNSHIP... Canton township placed in nomination the following tickets...

Republican (District) County Convention... To the Republican Electors of the Second Congressional District of Wayne County, Michigan...

"Lest We Forget"

Tonight, Friday, March 29th, is the exhibition by the Boy Scouts of Ypsilanti at the opera house.

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By order Second District Republican Congressional Committee... IGNATIUS SALLIOTTI, Chairman.

CHURCH NEWS

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL MISSION... Sunday next, Palm Sunday, there will be service in the above church at 2:15 standard time.

CHRISTIAN CHRISTIAN... First Church of Christ, Scientist, holds services at church edifice, corner Main and Dodge streets, Sunday morning at 10:10.

LUTHERAN... Rev. O. Peters, Pastor... Palm Sunday there will be no services on account of confirmation at Wayne, nor Sunday-school, many wishing to attend same at Wayne.

METHODIST... Rev. E. J. Warren, Pastor... Sunday, March 31, our services will be as follows: Morning worship, 10 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN... Rev. B. F. Farber, Pastor... Services will be held in this church on Sunday, March 31st, as follows: Worship at 10 o'clock.

BAPTIST... Rev. W. W. DesAntola, Pastor... Services next Sunday will be as follows: The pastor will preach in the morning at 10:00.

Think This Over... This Offer Should Gain the Confidence of the Most Skeptical... We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation.

About a Former Plymouth Boy... From a copy of the Alhambra (Cal.) Advocate we learn that Roy Armstrong, a former Plymouth ball pitcher...

Probate Notice... STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne... said county of Wayne, held at the Probate Court room in the city of Detroit...

Take FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS... Toxic in Action - Quick in Results... Get rid of your Deadly Kidney Ailments, that cost you a high price in endurance of pain, loss of time and money.

Financial Statement Plymouth Township

Contingent Fund RECEIPTS... 1911... 12 To balance cash on hand \$ 218.88

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11 Geo. Wilcox, gravel \$ 69.85... 21 Jacob Bell, gravel \$ 42.75... 12 To balance cash on hand \$ 218.88

12 To balance cash on hand \$ 218.88... 13 Geo. Macomber, salary \$ 26.00... 14 H. P. Magneto \$ 200.00

13 Geo. Macomber, salary \$ 26.00... 14 H. P. Magneto \$ 200.00... 15 J. W. Mellow \$ 100.00

14 H. P. Magneto \$ 200.00... 15 J. W. Mellow \$ 100.00... 16 W. E. Hawthorne \$ 115.00

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It is positively without an equal... Now is the time to book your order for an early delivery.

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Best proposition to be had this year... Complete M. M. line at \$140, \$160 and \$200

The big 8 H. P. Twin, the most powerful and smooth running machine built \$225.

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MILLINERY OPENING FRIDAY & SATURDAY MARCH 29 AND 30... Everybody cordially invited to come in and see our line of up-to-date Millinery.

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ONCE MORE!

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**Redlands Seedless
ORANGES**

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No more than two dozen to a person.
While you are in the store ask about that
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R. G. SAMSEN
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Local News

Louis Reed of Pontiac was in town last Friday.
Meet me at the Central Grocery at 2:30 Saturday.
Oranges Saturday 10 cents a dozen at Central Grocery.
V. E. Hill of Howell was a Plymouth visitor last Friday.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hetsler Wednesday, a boy.
Mrs. Alex Micol visited friends in South Lyon last week.
Mrs. H. C. Grant of Toledo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Bissell.
Mrs. Myra Jaquet of Ann Arbor is a guest of Mrs. P. W. Voorhies.
Sale of Spring Tonics Saturday and Monday at Pinckney's Pharmacy.
Baked goods sale at Miss Mary Penney's Saturday afternoon, Mar. 30.
M. S. Miller has gone to Indianapolis, Ind., for a week's visit with his son.
Mrs. Mary Evans of Ann Arbor visited Mrs. Harry Newhouse last week.
Miss Myrtle Chambers of Perrinville is visiting Mrs. T. P. Sherman this week.
Mrs. Luther Peck is entertaining her sister, Mrs. R. J. Smith of Baldwin, Mich.
E. L. Riggs sold his Ford automobile to Dr. Grainger and bought a Regal of Ed. Huston.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Maltby have moved to Detroit. Mr. Maltby is in the postal service.
The officials of the P. M. railroad were in town Tuesday on a tour of inspection of the system.
NOTICE—The first trip of the City Delivery will leave the stores at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock hereafter.
The little Misses Helen and Janet Hubbell of Pontiac are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. A. R. Hubbell this week.
The Pinckney Pharmacy have in their employ a very competent Pharmacist. Come in and get acquainted with him.
Mrs. Foster Hancock was married last week to Mr. Miller, a farmer living in Jackson county. They will reside on the farm.
Miss Winnifred Williams is home from Chicago University spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams.
James Leslie is at Harper hospital. She was a former Plymouth resident, but now resides with her husband in Lexington, Ont.
Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Promenschenkel are now Plymouth residents, having moved here from Detroit. Mr. Promenschenkel is employed by the J. D. McLaren Co.
Mrs. Timothy Belleville died at her home near Cherry Hill on Monday last at the age of 56 years. The funeral occurred Thursday from the Methodist church at Sheldon.
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The second and third division of the ladies aid society of the M. E. church will give an Easter supper in the church parlors Wednesday, Apr. 3, from 5:30 till all are served.

Earl VanDeCar has a new Buick touring car.
Meet me at the Central Grocery at 2:30 Saturday.
Mrs. Irving Daggett of Ypsilanti visited relatives here Monday.
Alva Burnett of Chelsea is visiting at F. J. Tousey's a few days.
Harold Moon of Toledo is spending a few days at William Travis'.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Losey of Dearborn, March 21, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Rockwell of Detroit called in town Saturday.
Todd Bros. are building a store room at the south end of their market.
Orville Tousey of Chatham Business College is home for spring vacation.
The Old Maids' Club met with Miss Ethel Smitherman Tuesday evening.
James Ward and Mrs. Lovina Miller of Milford Sundayed at J. H. Grierson's.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Detroit visited at J. H. Henderson's Friday and Saturday.
There will be a dancing party given in K. P. hall Tuesday evening, April 2. Admission 50 cents.
Miss Bertha Beals, a student of Michigan Conservatory, played at a recital Friday night in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brown of Detroit are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cole.
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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Corbishly of Sandusky are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Passage and family.
Mrs. Geo. Brink and daughter Marion have been spending a few days at Mrs. W. A. Ely's in Northville this week.
Mrs. Walter Hayes and two children of South Lyon and Mrs. Rosa Harem of Milford spent Monday at J. H. Grierson's.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Van Hove of Detroit March 26, a 9 pound boy. Mrs. Van Hove was Miss Minnie Gyde.
Elizabeth, Margaret and Benj. DeLand and Elbert Bryant of Saginaw are spending a few days with Mrs. Hulda Knapp.
Judge(?) Reber has been appealed to send the man up for fifty days, that put out the fire in the roof of the P. M. depot last Monday.
August Ebert, oldest son of Charles Ebert, underwent an operation in Detroit hospital Saturday, but is doing nicely at this writing.
Mrs. Fred Burch and Mrs. Ray Richardson of Northville entertained the Five Hundred club of Northville yesterday afternoon to a six o'clock dinner.
John L. Gale received a letter from Mrs. Coleman a few days ago saying she had sold the Coleman block of stores. There are all sorts of speculations as to who are the new owners, but no one seems to know or is willing to tell just "who is which."

GALE'S.

Wall Paper Wall Paper

Just received a new stock of Wall Paper that sells from 8c to 75c the double roll. Very pretty papers at 10c, 15c and 20c. Come and see.

Now is the Time to Buy Field Seeds

Buy early and escape the advance in price. June Alfalfa and Alfalfa. Clover and Timothy Seed.

New Stock of Groceries,

All of the best brands. The Chef brand of Vegetables is the best you can buy.

We keep everything in the Drug line.

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| Vienna Sausage | 10c |
| Potted Tongue | 15c |
| Potted Ham | 15c |
| Potted Chicken | 15c |
| Corned Beef Hash | 15c |
| Chop Suey | 35c |
| Blue Sea Tuna | 30c |
| Crosse & Blackwell's Malt Vinegar | 25c |
| Farragon Vinegar | 30c |
| Orange Marmalade | 25c |
| Gluden's Olive Relish | 15c |
| Crescent Mapleine | 35c |
| Tobasco Sauce | 35c |
| Izumi Crabs | 25c |
| Star Lobsters | 25c |
| Capres Capotes | 15c |

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Fence Posts
—AND—
Drain Tile

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Call Central Meat Market,
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Choice Meats,

Smoked Meats of all Kinds,
Fresh Fish and Oysters.
Home Made Bologna and Sausages.
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MENU

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| Hash | Pork and Beans |
| Brown Bread | White Bread |
| Pickles | Deviled Eggs |
| Jelly | Fruit Salad |
| Assorted Cakes | |
| Tea | Coffee |

Adults 20 cents, children 15 cents.
Mrs. John H. Felt died at her home in the village Wednesday morning. Mrs. Felt was born in the town of Pennfield, Monroe county, New York, May 20, 1833. She was married Sept. 4, 1855, to John Felt and two children were born of this union, William Felt of this village and Nancy Abbey, who died Dec. 28, 1873. She and her husband came to Plymouth some five years ago, but since her marriage had always resided within twenty miles of this village. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the M. E. church.
The most common cause of insomnia is disorders of the stomach. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets correct these disorders and enable you to sleep. For sale by all dealers.

Wants, For Sale, To Rent, etc.

5c. per Line, One Insertion

FOR SALE—Rose and single comb Rhode Island Red eggs, \$2 per setting. J. H. Hanford. ma224

FOR SALE—A base burner and cook stove. Enquire Julius Willis.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two large brooders, one Chatham, one Johnson. A. H. VanVoorhies.

FOR SALE—Two houses on Penniman avenue, two on Mill street, one on Depot street, two on Oak street, one on Northville road; some good bargains. See me before you buy. E. N. Passage.

FOR SALE—Choice single comb Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. \$2.00 per setting of 15. Incubator eggs \$4.00 per 100. L. E. Bronson, Plymouth ma15m2

FOR SALE—Good Round Oak stove, good as new. C. O. Hubbell, Pontiac.

FOR SALE—My lot, corner Halsey and Williams st. C. O. Hubbell, Pontiac.

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock, Rose Comb Rhode Island Red and Indian Runner duck eggs for hatching, \$1.00 per setting. E. J. Burr, Plymouth.

FOR SALE—One pair of draft mares one being in foal, 8 Duroc sows due to farrow in April. F. L. Becker, Route 4, Plymouth, phone 917 2S1LIS.

FOR SALE—A new six room cottage, cellar, electric lights, everything in first class shape, for \$1200. Also a six room cottage for \$1100. For information address Mrs. E. L. Riggs, Plymouth, Phone 86-3 rings.

THE MARKETS

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| Wheat, red, \$.91; white \$.88 |
| Hay, \$17.00 to \$20.00 No. 1 Timothy. |
| Oats, 50c. |
| Rye, 85c. |
| Beans, 85c. |
| Peas, 85c. |
| Butter, 28c. |
| Eggs, 12c. |

THE GIFT IDEAL

—It should be good in quality, whatever may be the limit of the cost.
—It should be artistic.
—It should be useful, so as to enter into the daily life of the recipient.
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We have nothing that you need hesitate about buying or eating. "Parity a Surety" is our Grocery motto

Our CHEF Brand of Canned Goods will please you. Try them.

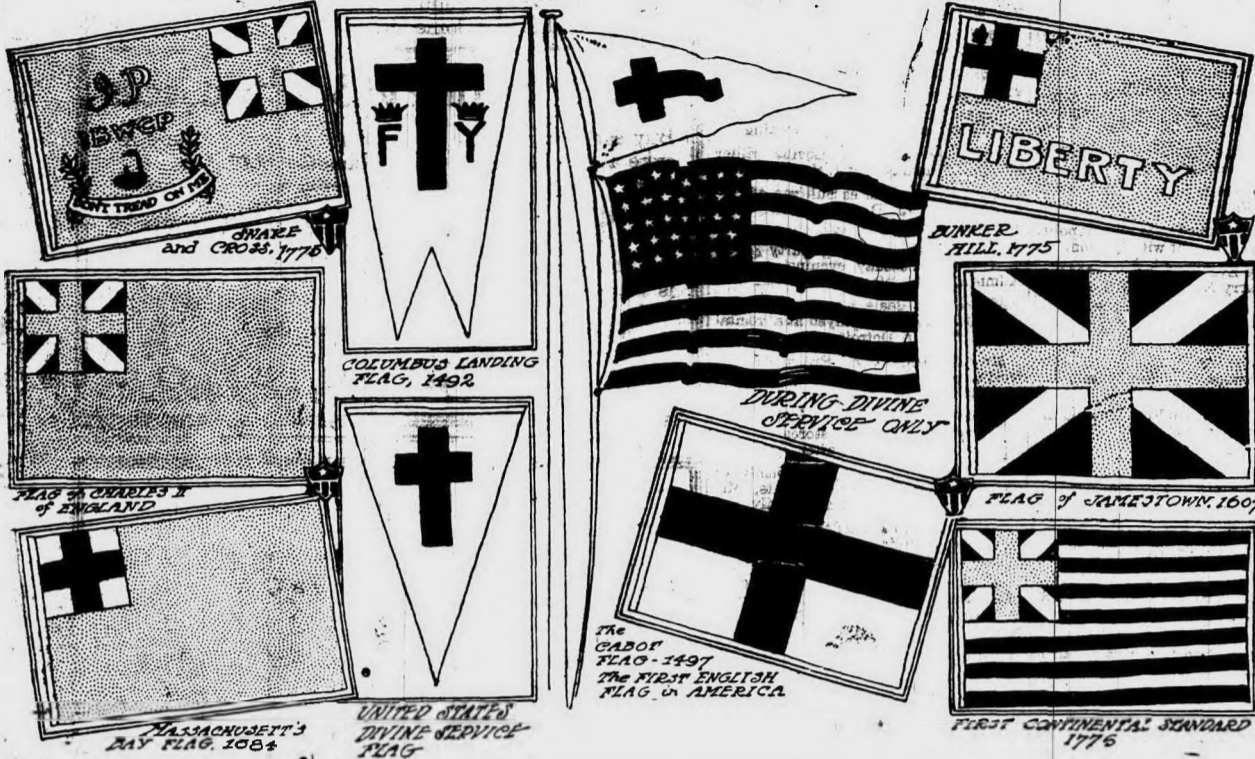
For a good cup of Coffee, try our Jamo, Eden or Chef brand Coffee. Better doesn't grow on this old planet of ours. 38c a pound and worth every cent of it.

Other brands at 25c, 28c, 30c and 35c per pound.

GAYDE BROS.

The Symbol of Christ on the Flag

By PROF. BERNARD J. CIGRAND



THE Sign of the Cross, or Christ symbol, so widely displayed on Easter day, is an emblem which holds a more prominent place in American heraldry than is generally known. It has been identified with our history as a nation from the beginning, and forms three of the prime elements in the United States navy. A red cross in saltire is typical of a guardian; a blue saltire cross signifies the service, devotional or church flag. The last mentioned flag came into being immediately after peace was declared between north and south; and ever since 1866 it has been accorded precedence even over the national banner, on certain occasions. It is the only pennant which at special periods can and does float above the Stars and Stripes.

The flag is triangular in shape and white in color, upon which is blazoned in blue a Latin cross. Just before divine service commences on board a ship of war the Christ emblem is thrown to the breeze. Its white background is symbolic of purity; the blue, or azure, signifies virtue and godliness, and the cross is emblematic of the Savior of mankind.

Chaplain Evans of the United States steamship Minnesota writes as follows: "The flag (service) flies proudly above the national ensign during divine service, and proclaims to all in sight that the only true patriotism is that which has God as its author and which can be sealed with the stamp of approval by the incarnate God—His Son. To the chaplain whose heart is in his work, Sunday is his great day. There is always a celebration of Holy Communion at 7 a. m. By the courtesy of the admiral this is held in his after cabin, to which all officers and enlisted men have ready access. Communicants of all Christian bodies are invited to attend, and there is always a good attendance. At 10:30 a. m. the bugle sounds 'church call,' the church pennant is flown from the mast, and the ship's bell is tolled. Then the 'official divine service' is held. Of necessity the altar is a portable one, the pews consisting of the mess-benches, with chairs in front for the officers. The service never lasts longer than fifty minutes, and consists of prayer, song, and a short, plain talk. Sunday afternoon there is a Bible class, and every evening there is a prayer meeting. At 6:30 on the Sabbath the band gives a sacred concert for one hour, always closing with 'Onward Christian Soldiers' and 'Adeste Fideles.'"

and the same flag floated over the Plymouth in the new world, for the banner of Columbus had the symbol blazoned on his "voyage flag" which he displayed on reaching the land, August 12, 1492; and in the name of this emblem he took possession of the strange shores.

England's standard also bore the sacred token, and consequently when Sebastian Cabot landed in Labrador in 1497, at the end of his voyage of discovery, it was under the "Red Cross of St. George" that he took possession of the new domain. The planting of the red cross resulted in grim years of warfare and bloodshed, for many hard-fought battles took place between the French and English over the disputed territory. For one hundred and nine years this Christ emblem was the British symbol of American discovery and possession. But in 1606, one year before the settlement of Jamestown, Va., a new English flag was devised, which contained, besides the red cross of St. George, the white cross of St. Andrew in honor of the Scots who had joined the British nation. These crosses, of Saints George and Andrew, were placed on a blue square, while the remainder of the flag was red. Under this union banner began the labors of the Virginia settlers in 1607, grimes at Plymouth, Mass., in 1620.

The East Indian company, which in 1644 intended to improve and settle America, displayed a flag of four stripes, two red and two white, and in a white union there was blazoned a red cross. In 1702 the same company devised a new banner, with the cross in the union still in evidence, but four more stripes added, making five white and five red stripes. Oddly enough in the light of subsequent events this company in 1704 ordered a change in their standard which resulted in the production of a flag with thirteen stripes, six white (argent) and seven red (gules). Now this banner may be said to have been practically the same as the present American flag as regards number and tincture of the stripes—more heraldischly denominated "bars" since "stripes" are perpendicular, while "bars" are longitudinal. The union of this remarkable flag was a red cross on a white field or union, and its thirteen

stripes floated in American waters and over American lands seventy-three years before any such device was officially recognized as typically American. The writer saw this flag at the Louvre, Paris, in 1900, the exhibit being marked "East India Company's Ensign, London, 1704." In 1649, on February 22, just eighty-three years before Washington's birth, the English parliament decreed that "ships at sea shall display a new flag consisting of a red cross in union, and in a blue field a yellow (or) harp, representing Ireland."

As early as 1684 the colony of Massachusetts attempted to establish a distinctive colony flag. In a letter to Capt. Thomas Noyes of Newbury, Mass., N. Sallonsall writes:

"In ye major general's letter, I have ordered also to require you which I herein do, with all convenient speed, to provide a flight of colors for your foot company . . . to be green with a red cross, with a white field in the angle."

Two years later, under the rigid rule of the Colonel governor, Sir Edmund Andros, this green flag of Massachusetts was ordered hauled down, and the flag of King James I., with the British crosses, was re-established in New England. The green flag was, according to English heraldry, a "sign of hope," and this is the earliest and first reference regarding it. The flag was actually made and displayed, of which there is no doubt, as in an old English work on heraldry it is described as "Colors of Capt. Noyes's Company, Massachusetts Bay, 1684."

The New England people did not like the idea of submitting tamely to the tyrannical orders of the governor, but their weakness impelled obedience to the czar-like attitude of the British officials. Moreover, the Puritans of New England were naturally averse to the worship and display of the cross, or emblem of Christ. Therefore, in the confederacy which was formed of the New England states in 1643, they voted to "Take off the cross, because it is an idolatrous symbol, and place instead a rose, a tree, or other natural object in place of the cross." Hence in many of the early Colonial flags which waved over our possessions under the rule of the Puritans, the cross

was missing and its place taken by the pine-tree, a flower, or even an outline of the globe (intended to represent the new world) blazoned on backgrounds of various tints.

A flag owned by Mrs. Craig, a distant relative of General Craig of Revolutionary fame, has the crosses of Saints George and Andrew on a blue field. The remainder of the flag is red, and upon it a coiled rattlesnake in attitude to strike, and under it the significant words, "Don't tread on me." The date of this flag is important, as it would illustrate the first direct attempt to claim certain rights for the colonies. The dual crosses in the union betoken allegiance to England, yet the symbolic snake and the expressive motto plainly indicates a threat against too much interference by the mother country.

Another and later use of the serpent device and motto, "Don't tread on me" was that of the South Carolina troops of the Confederate army, who employed it on their flag during the Civil war.

At the battle of Bunker Hill, the first real clash of arms and initial display of independent colors, there were two decidedly colonial flags—one "a red cross on white union, with pine-tree in dexter quarter, field of flag red;" the other the "English union bearing the crosses of Saints George and Andrew with field red, containing the war cry, 'Liberty and Union.'"

On January 2, 1776, General Washington displayed over the troops at Cambridge the earliest effort to form a flag which would express that the colonies had united in defense of their homes, but still manifesting a love for English historical tradition. This flag was of thirteen stripes, seven red and six white. The union consisted of the Latin cross of St. George, and the saltire, or X cross of St. Andrew, on a blue field. This remained the Continental flag for just seventeen and one-half months. Then on June 14, 1777, the Continental congress adopted a device for a flag which has been universally pronounced a happy combination of ideas, namely the Stars and Stripes, which waves triumphantly as the emblem of American patriotism over a free country.

BEGIN TO DISCIPLINE EARLY

Better to Teach Child as a Baby Rather Than When His Habits Have Been Formed.

There is nothing more beautiful than a baby just learning to talk and beginning to run about. He has so many charming ways, and each new accomplishment is so absorbingly interesting. At the very worst his misdemeanors do not irritate us, and usually they are amusing. It is far pleasanter and easier to divert the child's attention than to take him seriously; and so, since there is no good stopping-place, he is coaxed and indulged until he is no longer a baby. But the habits that were amusing in the two-year-old cease to be funny at four and five, and at seven and eight they begin to be unendurable; and it is a sad fact that punishment usually begins at an age when there should be no further occasion for it, and when, to confess the truth, it often does more harm than good. As the baby faults grow more and more irritating the child himself grows less and less appealing. We can punish now, and we do. We are sure that a child of his age "ought to know better," though just why it might be hard to tell. It is certainly no fault of his that seven-year-old naughtiness is less attractive than the baby variety, and habit is a powerful antagonist.

It is perfectly safe to say that

every child will require punishment at some time. It is absolutely certain that at some time, from some source, in some way, he will receive his share of the world's discipline. In babyhood it is light; later it is severe. In babyhood there are no bad habits to combat; later the habits are a part of the child. In babyhood the grief is soon forgotten; later humiliation and resentment live in the heart and often

embitter the dearest ties. In view of these perfectly obvious truths the fact that we do not wish to discipline the baby becomes the chief reason why we ought to discipline him. If we wait until we wish to punish him our own motives are degrading; what should be education becomes retaliation; and neither our judgment nor our justice is to be trusted.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Sacrifice Made By Husband

Remarkable Self-Abnegation That Proved His Love for Her Was True and Deep.

One of the most curious stories recently passing within view of the office window comes from the state of Georgia. It discloses an example of self-sacrifice quite out of the ordinary.

A young widow was married a year ago to the estimable man with whom she lived most happily for several months, their home life being described by neighbors as little short of ideal. Then all of a sudden the young wife became strangely despondent and distressed. After much pleading from her husband she finally declared that she was constantly haunted by the ghost of her former husband. During the latter's

life, she explained, she had solemnly promised that in the event of his death she would never remarry, and that, having violated that pledge, she was tortured every hour with his ghostly reproaches.

The husband, after earnest but futile efforts to overcome his wife's strange melancholy, generously offered himself from her life by consenting to a separation and turning over to her the charming home in which they had for a time been happy together.—New York Daily Mail.

The Trouble.
"By Jove, I left my purse under my pillow!"
"Oh, well, your servant is honest, isn't she?"
"That's just it. She'll take it to my wife."

AGED MAN NEARLY DROWNS IN BED

Henry Frohman, Paralytic, Sees Water From Burst Main Creep Up to Him.

New York.—Henry Frohman, a paralytic of 70, is suffering from shock following an explosion which flooded the basement at 203-207 East Forty-eighth street, in which he lay helpless on his cot. He was rescued when the water was up to his neck. Frohman heard the explosion in the street and a few minutes later saw a tiny stream of water trickle down the door step and into his room. The stream increased in volume and the water rose about his bed. Then he began to call for his wife, who is janitress of the building, but she was on one of the upper floors



He Was Rescued When the Water Was Up to His Neck.

and did not hear him. When a chair and a table began to float about the room he made a desperate effort and raised his head upon his elbow. It was this that saved his life.

Policeman Donovan and Frederick Miller, a chauffeur, both of whom live in the house, came through the basement and carried Frohman to safety, just as he had given up hope. The water was then three and a half feet deep.

Outside, the walk had been ripped up and a stream was shooting 25 feet in the air from a burst 18-inch pipe. Nobody knew how to stop the flow and in was half an hour before the water was shut off.

Meanwhile the basements in all the houses in the neighborhood had been flooded and many tenants were busy carrying furniture into the street and to upper stories.

NAILS INTO WIFE'S SPINE

Husband Alleged to Have Inflicted Torture in Form Preferred by Ancient Jezebel.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Accused of inflicting on his wife the weird and deadly form of torture which the ancient Jezebel preferred for her most deadly foes, Stanley Vebenas is under arrest here. It is alleged upon corroborated testimony that the man actually drove two nails into his wife's spine. Jealous rages given as the cause for the deed.

Vebenas lived in a community of aliens in a settlement where several families of foreigners herded together, using what few household effects they possess in common. Under these circumstances, it appears, Vebenas grew jealous of a fellow foreigner and several times uttered threats of violence against his wife. According to a story told by his son, he overpowered his wife last week, bound her with ropes and then with a hatchet drove two nails into her spinal column.

Writing in pain and helpless, she screamed with all her power and summoned aid from the neighborhood. She was taken to the hospital, where she is in a semi-conscious condition and doctors fear she will not recover.



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Breaking Up.
"The rain was coming down in sheets."
"I noticed it was in the bed of the streets."

Boy Had Noticed Things.
The dear little office-boy had been detected in a lie. It was not one of the ordinary prevarications of the everyday world, and, moreover, to make the crime more grievous, he had persisted in adhering to his original mendacious statement.
"Do you know, my lad," asked a grizzled clerk, in a kindly fashion, "what becomes of young lads who trifle with the truth?"
"Aye," was the assured reply; "the boss often sends them out as travelers when they grow up!"

Chilly.
A certain member of a Boston club habitually evinces such a frigid demeanor that many of his acquaintances have facetiously averred that "it gives one a cold to shake hands with him."
One evening a group at the club were discussing the disposition of the said member, when a newcomer ventured this:
"Why, gentlemen, I understand that it is the custom in this club when that chap attends a dinner here to ice the claret in order that it may be at the same temperature as the dining room."—Harper's Magazine.

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FINANCIAL REPORT OF PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP.

DISBURSEMENTS.

1911.

MAY

27 O. H. Loomis..... \$ 182.00

November

30 O. H. Loomis..... 13.06

December

19 O. H. Loomis, acct. tax roll 25.00

1912.

March

18 To balance cash on hand..... 166.43

Total disbursements..... 386.43

RECEIPTS.

1912.

March

16 Twp. Treas. mill tax..... \$ 8.70

18 Twp. Treas. tax roll..... 5.11

18 Cash on hand..... 18.84

Total cash on hand March 18, 1912..... 312.08

all School Funds

District No. 1..... 65.51

District No. 2..... 2.50

District No. 3..... 139.18

District No. 4..... 156.42

District No. 5..... 13.84

Total all funds..... 368.17

Total cash on hand in all funds Mar. 18, 1912..... 312.08

Contingent Fund..... \$ 849.75

Highway Fund..... 1,496.70

Poor Fund..... 150.14

Wood chuck Fund..... 15.00

Dog Fund..... 20.33

School Fund..... 258.94

Total cash in bank March 18, 1912..... \$3,065.36

EDWARD GAYDE,
Township Clerk

Livonia Township Finances.

TOWNSHIP FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Raised by tax..... \$ 800.00

Transferred from School Fund..... 40.00

March 31, 1911, return tax from County Treas..... 56.41

Received hall rent..... 2.00

June 30, 1911, return tax from County Treas..... 2.00

Sept. 30, return tax from County Treas..... 5.61

Excess of roll..... 34.28

DISBURSEMENTS.

R. W. Ramsden..... 1.25

Wm. Harlan..... 1.30

Forbes, Lottie..... 109.00

C. F. Smith..... 92.50

Ira Wilson..... 70.71

Plymouth Lumber Co..... 1.76

Hawes & Company..... 2.65

J. D. McLaren..... 37.17

Wm. Garchow..... 33.25

John Stringer..... 2.50

Paul Melow..... 2.50

F. W. Samsen..... 300.00

Will Krumm..... 40.00

Geo. Chilson..... 2.50

Chas. Moss..... 8.00

E. C. Bassett..... 14.00

J. A. Levin..... 117.88

C. F. Smith..... 68.80

Dan McKinney..... 6.25

C. F. Smith..... 17.25

Chas. Moss..... 55.33

Wm. Garchow..... 11.60

Debtor to fund..... 2.00

John Harlan..... 2.00

John Pelkey..... 6.00

Paul Melow..... 6.00

Birt Padback..... 6.00

Harvey Meldrum..... 6.00

Gust Rohring..... 6.00

E. C. Bassett..... 13.25

F. W. Samsen..... 40.00

Wm. Garchow..... 10.00

Fred Wick..... 21.25

H. Kingsley..... 2.88

Dan McKinney..... 57.00

C. F. Smith..... 23.75

Christian Lauday..... 8.00

Wm. Harlan..... 52.00

Dan McKinney..... 38.75

C. F. Smith..... 27.00

W. H. Coats..... 30.00

Wm. Garchow..... 74

C. F. Smith..... 3.50

James L. Hogel..... 2.75

Chas. Moss..... 4.00

Detroit Courier..... 2.43

George Chilson..... 22.00

John Stringer..... 37.12

Clyde Bentley..... 4.00

Wayne Treasurer, return tax..... 11.25

Wm. Garchow..... 6.50

E. C. Bassett..... 4.00

C. F. Smith..... 83.19

Dan McKinney

Interest money Plymouth Bank.....

Total paid out..... \$1,723.54

Total on hand..... \$ 938.60

Debtor to fund..... 784.84

Total..... \$1,723.54

ROAD REPAIR FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand..... \$ 341.72

Raised by tax..... 795.00

Total for 1912..... \$1,136.72

DISBURSEMENTS.

Dick Fisher..... 3.00

Farnest Each..... 3.50

Roy Fisher..... 7.00

Harvey Millard..... 10.50

Dick Fisher..... 20.00

Dick Fisher..... 21.50

Dick Fisher..... 31.00

Dick Fisher..... 13.50

Geo. Chilson..... 18.00

Mat Miller..... 1.50

John Shotka..... 4.00

Albert Krumm..... 3.20

Frank Kruger..... 6.00

Frank Bradley..... 10.00

Dick Fisher..... 15.00

Dick Fisher..... 1.80

E. D. Buzzard..... 8.88

George Fisher..... 1.75

Dell Maynard..... 6.12

Wm. Garchow..... 1.72

Jube Fisher..... 7.88

Conrow Serva..... 16.00

Wolfrom Bros..... 16.00

Herman Trapp..... 16.00

August Krumm..... 16.00

Chas. Each, Sr..... 16.00

Chas. Each, Jr..... 16.00

Dell Maynard..... 16.00

John Moor..... 16.00

Will Halley..... 16.00

Henry Pankow..... 16.00

Will Wolf..... 16.00

A. M. Garchow..... 22.73

Henry Looy..... 16.00

Isaac Smith..... 16.00

Dick Smith..... 16.00

Harry Wolfrom..... 12.00

Chas. Helm..... 10.50

Harry Pelkey..... 6.25

Will Maynard..... 7.90

Clarence Hayball..... 1.73

Jim Glass..... 5.00

Thad Lambert..... 4.33

Albert Sacker..... 1.73

Fred Lee..... 12.00

Herman Johnson..... 8.00

Merl Johnson..... 6.00

Will Bauman..... 17.50

John Pelkey..... 8.73

I. Smith..... 48.00

Joe Huber..... 15.00

Er. Downing..... 8.00

Will Halley..... 12.00

L. Smith..... 8.00

J. H. Armit..... 8.00

Albert Krumm..... 12.00

Dick Fisher..... 2.80

Dick Fisher..... 12.00

Wm. Looy..... 7.50

Harman Stanmon..... 6.40

1408-9 Ford Bldg., Detroit..... 2.00

Dick Fisher..... 7.00

Chas. F. Smith..... 11.75

Albert Krumm..... 6.00

Dick Fisher..... 15.00

Wm. Green..... 12.50

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Walter Helm..... 2.00

Fred Lutz..... 4.00

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TONQUISH.

The play given at Newburg last Saturday evening was well attended. Mrs. Geo. Hix of Redford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parrish a few days last week. Russell and Arthur Warner of M. A. C., are spending a week's vacation with their parents. George Proctor met with an accident last Saturday while working among the logs at the mill. He is able to get around on crutches. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLaren and son Harold of Wixom spent Sunday at A. Warner's. Mr. Orlo Taylor of Pontiac visited relatives at Maple Grove Farm Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tillapaugh of Detroit spent Sunday at J. H. Fogarty's.

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