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First "Blind Pig" in "Dry" Plymouth Raided

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The first case of alleged liquor violation in local option Plymouth, was uncovered by Deputy Sheriff George W. Springer, when he arrested Howard Ballen, aged 25 years, and brought him before Justice Campbell last week Friday morning. In Campbell's court, Ballen pleaded guilty to running a "blind pig" in a vacant building in north village. A quantity of liquor was taken as evidence. Ballen was bound over to the circuit court. Unable to furnish \$1000 bail he was taken to the county jail.

Judge Campbell gave Edward Smith of Plymouth, the limit of the law for assault and battery the same day. Smith was found guilty of beating Harry Hetzler, a dwarf. The sentence was \$100 fine, 30 days and 90 days in the house of correction. Being unable to pay, Smith will be obliged to serve one day for each dollar of the penalty.

Fred DeGraft of Grand Rapids, was arrested by Deputy Springer last week Thursday night, and sentenced to serve 35 days for stealing metal from Pere Marquette car journals.

L. C. Hall Passes Away

In the death of L. C. Hall, which occurred at his home on Main street Monday morning, Plymouth loses one of her best known and most highly esteemed citizens. Mr. Hall had been confined to his home for some time, suffering from a complication of diseases, and his death was not looked for by those who were acquainted with his condition. The funeral services were held from his late home Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. B. F. Farber officiating. Interment in Riverside cemetery.

Lafayette C. Hall was born in Hamburg, Livingston county, Michigan, on March 11, 1848. He was the youngest of eleven children. His mother died when he was but two and one-half years of age and his father passed away when he was ten years old. He then went to live with his eldest brother, R. G. Hall, who lived in Albion. Here he received such education as he was permitted to receive through the schools. About four years later he moved to Plymouth with his brother, who engaged in the mercantile business in this village. After a few years of association with his brother, he entered the field of manufacturing. He invented, manufactured and sold washing machines for a number of years. On April 2, 1896, he was united in marriage to Emma Gorman of Corunna, Michigan. They came to Plymouth in November of the same year to make their home. She survives. The subject of this sketch was greatly interested in and took an active part in politics. He named the Republican as his party, but did not hesitate to vote for a worthy man of another party. He was not intensely prejudiced in politics. He did not seek office, but was appointed postmaster of the local office under McKinley's administration, held the same into Roosevelt's administration, in all between nine and ten years, and surrendered his office Feb. 2, 1908. He was a great reader and with many educational advantages he would have accomplished much more. He might be termed a self-educated man in the best sense of the word. He was thoroughly reliable and conscientious and sought by many as a counsellor. A good husband and a worthy friend he passed into the great beyond to be missed by those who survive him, but to gain for himself the riches of immortality.

A Big Lot Sale in Elm Heights

Although the weather was very disagreeable, the sale of lots in the new Elm Heights subdivision Saturday was remarkably successful. Over half of the lots were sold despite the weather conditions, which kept many from seeing the subdivision on the opening day. Sherwood Bros., the selling agents, were well pleased with the results of the day's sale, and have no doubt that all the lots would have been sold with good weather conditions. The people of Plymouth have shown their appreciation in the opening of a subdivision that calls for all modern improvements, and a large number of our leading citizens have been lot purchasers. There were also a number of out of town purchasers, who intend to build and move to Plymouth. There is no doubt that next spring will see a large number of houses under construction in Elm Heights.

Although many lots have been sold, there are still a number of choice lots still available, and for the benefit of those who were unable to visit the new addition on the opening days, they will be given an opportunity to visit Elm Heights on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 11th and 12th, when salesmen will be on the ground. We call your attention to a half page ad in this paper for further particulars.

The Gleamers of Plymouth Arbor will have a box social at Fred Forshee's on the Ann Arbor road, Friday, Sept. 10, and also ice cream will be served. Everybody welcome.

Route No. 6 to Be Discontinued

Postmaster Ladd has received notice that rural route No. 6 from this office would be discontinued after October 1st. The new order came as a great surprise to the patrons of the route, as it had been understood that there were to be no changes made in the routes from the Plymouth office. Route 6 is the shortest route that leaves the local office. Arthur White is the carrier. The greater part of the patrons of Route 6 will be served after October 1st by the carriers of Routes 2 and 5, who will have about five miles more added to their routes by the change.

A Pleasant Birthday Surprise

A surprise party was given Mrs. Ella Safford at her home on Church street last Sunday, when about twenty-five relatives gathered there in remembrance of her birthday. About one o'clock the guests were invited to Mrs. Phila Harrison's home on Harvey street, where a fine dinner was awaiting them, after which the remainder of the day was enjoyed in a quiet way at Mrs. Safford's home. Another pleasant surprise was the arrival that morning of Mrs. Safford's cousin, whom she had not seen in about seven years, Mrs. Belle Baird of Mantrio, South Dakota. Other out of town guests present were Mrs. Don Safford of Dallas, Texas, Miss McGregor and Claude Baird of Ann Arbor, Mrs. James Woodard and Mrs. Harry Andrews and children of Detroit.

Plymouth Band Will Give Concert

The Plymouth band will give a concert in Kellogg park, next Saturday evening, weather permitting. Last Saturday evening closed the regular band concerts and moving picture shows that had been contracted for by the business men. While the local band have not been playing any the past summer, they have been doing a little practicing lately. They are always able to give a program of music that never fails to please the people of Plymouth, and their appearance next Saturday evening will bring out a large crowd to hear them.

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Mrs. Spencer Showers and daughter, Irene, of Alpena, are visiting relatives here.

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SYNOPSIS.

Kenneth Griswold, an unsuccessful writer because of socialistic tendencies, holds up Andrew Galbraith, president of the Bayou State Securities, in the president's private office and escapes with \$100,000 in cash. By original methods he escapes the bus and gets away aboard the Belle Julie as a deckhand. Charlotte Farnham of Wahaska, Minn., who has seen him cash Galbraith's check in the bank, recognizes him, and sends a letter of betrayal to Galbraith, anonymous. Griswold is arrested on the arrival of the boat at St. Louis, but escapes from his captors. He decides on Wahaska, Minn., as a hiding place, and after outwitting himself properly, takes the train. Griswold falls ill on the sleeper and is cared for and taken to her home in Wahaska by Margery Grierson, daughter of Jasper Grierson, the financial magnate of Wahaska. Margery finds the stolen money in Griswold's suitcase. Broffin, detective, takes the trail Margery asks her father to get Edward Raymer into financial hot water and then help him out of it. Griswold recovers to find the stolen money gone. He meets Margery's social circle and forms a friendship with Raymer, the iron manufacturer. Broffin searches for the woman who wrote the anonymous letter to Galbraith. Margery takes Griswold to the safety deposit vault and turns the stolen money over to him. Charlotte bluffs out Broffin and Margery begins to work him. Griswold puts his money in Raymer's plant and commences to rewrite his book. Griswold goes to dinner at Doctor Farnham's and is not sure that Charlotte has recognized him.

CHAPTER XVIII—Continued.

"It was a man—he was looking in at the window!" she returned in low tones. "I thought I saw him once before; but this time I am certain!"

Griswold sprang from his chair, and a moment later was letting himself out noiselessly through the hall door. There was nothing stirring on the porch. He was still groping among the bushes, and Miss Farnham had come to the front door, when the doctor's buggy appeared under the street lights and was halted at the home hitching post.

"Hello, Mr. Griswold; is that you?" called the cheery one, when he saw a bareheaded man beating the covers in his front yard.

Griswold met his host at the gate and walked up the path with him.

"Miss Charlotte thought she saw someone at one of the front windows," he explained; and a moment afterward the daughter was telling it for herself.

"I saw him twice," she insisted; "once while we were at dinner, and again just now. The first time I thought I might be mistaken, but this time—"

Griswold was laughing silently and inwardly deriding his gifts when, under cover of the doctor's return, he made decent acknowledgments for benefits bestowed and took his departure. On the pleasant summer-night walk to Upper Shawnee street he was congratulating himself upon



"It Was a Man—He Was Looking in at the Window."

the now quite complete fulfillment of the winking prophecy. Miss Farnham was going to prove to be all that the most critical maker of studies from life could ask in a model; a supremely perfect original for the character of Fidella in the book. Moreover, she would be his touchstone for the truths and verities; even as Margery Grierson might, if she were forgiving enough to let bygones be bygones, hold the mirror up to nature and the pure humanities. Moreover, again, whatever slight danger there might have been in a possibility of recognition was a danger outlived. If the first meeting had not stirred the sleeping memories in Miss Farnham, subsequent ones would serve only to widen the gap between her forgetfulness and recollection by just such distances as the Wahaska Griswold should traverse in teaching behind him the deckhand of the Belle Julie.

How much this might have been modified if he had known that the man whose face Miss Farnham had seen at the window was silently tracking him through the tree-shadowed streets in a matter of conjecture. Also, it is

to be presumed that much, if not all, of the complacency would have vanished if he could have been an unseen listener in the Farnham sitting-room, dating from the time when little Miss Gilman pattered off to bed, leaving the father and daughter sitting together under the reading lamp.

At first their talk was entirely of the window apparition, the daughter insisting upon its reality, and the father trying to push it over into the limbo of things imagined. Driven finally to give all the reasons for his belief in the realities, Charlotte related the incident of the afternoon.

By this time the good Doctor Bertie had become the indignant Doctor Bertie.

"We can't have that at all!" he said inclusively. "You did your whole duty in that bank matter; and it was a good deal more than most young women would have done. I'm not going to have you persecuted and harassed—not one minute! Where is this fellow stopping?"

The daughter shook her head. "I don't know. He gave me his card, but it has the New Orleans address only."

"Give it to me and I'll look him up tomorrow."

The card changed hands, and for a few minutes neither of them spoke. Then the daughter began again.

"I've had another shock this evening, too," she said, speaking this time in low tones and with eyes downcast. "This Mr. Griswold—did I understand you to say that he had lost all of his money?"

"Yes; practically all of it," said the father, without losing his hold upon what a certain great London physician was saying through the columns of the English medical journal.

But afterward, long after Charlotte had gone up to her room, he remembered, with a curious little start of half-awakened puzzlement, that someone, no longer ago than yesterday, had told him that young Griswold was rich—or if not rich, at least "well fixed."

CHAPTER XIX.

Pitfalls.

Within a week from the day when Raymer, angrily jubilant, had rescued his imperiled stock, it was pretty generally known that Kenneth Griswold, the writing man, had become the fourth member in the close corporation of the Raymer Foundry and Machine works, and Wahaska was eagerly discussing the business affairs in all its possible and probable bearings upon the Raymers, the Griersons and the newly elected directors of the Pineboro railroad.

Of all this buzzing of the gossip bees the person most acutely concerned heard little or nothing. Digging deeply in the inspiration field, Griswold speedily became oblivious to most of his engagements; to all of them, indeed, save those which bore directly upon the beloved task. Among these, he counted the frequent afternoon visits to Mercedes, and the scarcely less frequent evenings spent in the Farnham home. He was using each of the young women as a foil for the other in the outworking of his plot; and he welcomed it as a sign of growth that the story in its new form was acquiring verisimilitude and becoming gratefully, and at times, he persuaded himself, quite vividly, human.

When he got well into the swing of it and was turning out a chapter every three or four days, he fell easily into the habit of slipping the last installment into his pocket when he went to Mercedes. Margery Grierson was adding generously to his immense obligation to her; hoping only to find a friendly listener, he found a helpful collaborator. More than once, when his own imagination was at fault, she was able to open new vistas in the humanities for him—apparently drawing upon a reserve of intuitive conclusions compared with which his own hard-bought store of experimental knowledge was almost puerile.

"I wish you would tell me the secret of your marvelous cleverness," he exclaimed, on one of the June afternoons when he had been reading to her in the cool half-shadows of the Mercedes library. "You are only a child in years; how can you know with such miraculous certainty what other people would think and do under conditions about which you can't possibly know anything experimentally? It's beyond me!"

"There are many things beyond you yet, dear boy; many, many things," was her laughing rejoinder; from which it will be inferred that the episode in the Farnham and Merchants' burglar-proof had become an episode forgotten—or at least forgiven. "You know me—a little; but when it comes to the women—well, if I didn't keep continually nagging at you, you are really in love—would degenerate into rag dolls. They would, actually."

"That's true; I can see it clearly enough when you point it out," he admitted, putting his craftsman pride

underfoot, as he was always obliged to do in these talks with her. "I should be discouraged if you didn't keep on telling me that the story, as a story, is good."

"It is good; it is a big story," she asserted, with kindling enthusiasm. "The plot, so far as you have gone with it, is fine, and that is where you leave me away behind. I don't see how you could ever think it out. And the character drawing is fine, too, some of it. Your Fleming is as far beyond me as your Fidella seems to be beyond you."

"You don't know Fleming yet. Have you ever met Fidella?"

"Not as you have drawn her—no. She is too unutterably fine. If she had a single shred of humanity about her, I should suspect you of meaning to fall in love with her, farther along—dating from the time when little Miss Gilman pattered off to bed, leaving the father and daughter sitting together under the reading lamp."

"Is she out of drawing, too?"

"Yes; you are distorting her the other way—making her too inhumanly worldly and insincere." Then, with an abruptness that was like a slap in the face: "If you didn't spend so many evenings at Doctor Bertie's, you would get both Fidella and Joan in better drawing."

He flushed and drew himself up, with stabbed amour propre prompting him to make some stinging retort contrasting the wells of truth with the



Instantly the Primitive Instinct of Self-Preservation Sprang Alert.

brackish waters of sheer worldliness. Then he saw how inadequate it would be; how utterly impossible it was to meet this charmingly vindictive young person upon any grounds save those of her own choosing.

"That is the first really unkind thing I have ever heard you say," was the mild reproach which was all that the reactionary second thought would sanction.

"Unkind to whom?—to you, or to Miss Farnham?"

"Ask yourself," he countered weakly, and she laughed at him.

Griswold did not reply to the laugh. He was gathering up the scattered pages of his manuscript and replacing them in order. When he spoke again it was of a matter entirely irrelevant.

"I had an odd experience the other evening," he said. "I had been dining with the Raymers and was walking back to Shawnee street. A little news-boy named Johnnie Ferguson turned up some where at one of the street crossings and tried to sell me a paper—at eleven o'clock at night! I bought one and joked him about being out so late, and from that on I couldn't get rid of him. He went all the way home with me, talking a blue streak and acting as if he were afraid of something or somebody. I remembered afterward that he is the boy who takes care of your boat. Is there anything wrong with him?"

Miss Grierson had left her chair and had gone to stand at one of the windows.

"Nothing that I know of," she said. "He is a bright boy—too bright for his own good, I'm afraid. But I can explain a little. Johnnie has taken a violent fancy to you for some reason, and he has fallen into the boyish habit of weaving all sorts of romances around you. I think he reads too many exciting stories and tries to make you the hero of them. He told me the other day that he was sure somebody was 'spotting' you."

Griswold looked up quickly. Miss Grierson was still facing the window, and he was glad that she had not seen his nervous start.

"Spotting me?" he laughed. "Where did he get that idea?"

"How should I know? But he had made himself believe it; he even went so far as to describe the man. Oh, I can assure you Johnnie has an imagination; I've tested it in other ways."

"I should think so!" said the man who also had an imagination, and shortly afterward he took his leave.

An hour later the same afternoon, Broffin, from his post of observation on the Winebago porch, saw the writing man cross the street and enter a hardware shop. Having nothing better to do, he, too, crossed the street and, in passing, looked into the open door of Simmons & Kieffert's. What he saw brought him back at the end of a reflective stroll around the public square. When he entered the shop the clerk was putting a formidable array of weapons back into their showcase niches. Broffin lounged up and began to handle the pistols.

"If I knew enough about guns to be able to tell 'em apart, I might buy one," he said, half humorously. And then: "You must've been having a mighty particular customer—to get so many of 'em out."

"It was Mr. Griswold, Mr. Ed Raymer's new partner," said the clerk. And he was pretty particular; wouldn't have anything, but these new-fashioned automatics! Said he wanted something that would be quick and sure, and I guess he's got it—I sold him two of 'em."

Broffin played with the stock long enough to convince the clerk that he was only a counterfeiter with no intention of buying. "Took two of 'em, did he?—for fear one might make him sick, I reckon," he said, with the half-humorous grin still lurking under the drooping mustache. "Automatic thirty-twos, eh? Well, I ain't goin' to try to hold your Mr.—Griscom, did you call him?—up none after this. He might get 'em."

Whereupon, having found out what he wanted to know, he lounged out again and went back to the hotel to smoke another of the reflective cigars in the porch chair which had come to be his by right of frequent and long-continued occupancy.

Griswold had left the Mercedes library considerably shaken, not in his convictions, to be sure, but in his confidence in his own powers of imaginative analysis. For this cause it required a longer after-dinner stay at the Farnham's than he had been allowing himself, to re-establish the norm of self-assurance. Charlotte Farnham was never enthusiastic; that, perhaps, would be asking too much of an ideal; but what she lacked in warmth was made up in cool sanity, backed by a moral sense that seemed never to waiver. Unerringly she placed her finger upon the human weaknesses in his book people, and unflatteringly she bade him reform them.

For his Fidella, as he described her, she exhibited a gentle affection, tempered by a compassionate pity for her weaknesses and waverings; an attitude, he felt, that was his own standard, was so much higher than any he could delineate or conceive. For Joan there was also compassion, but it was mildly contemptuous.

"If I did not know that you are incapable of doing such a thing, I might wonder if you are not drawing your Joan from life, Mr. Griswold," she said, a little coldly, on this same evening of rehabilitation. "Since such characters are to be found in real life, I suppose they may have a place in a book. But you must not commit the unpardonable sin of making your readers condone the evil in her for the sake of the good. Please forget what I have said about your Fidella—and your Joan. You are trying to make them human, and that is as it should be."

Griswold could scarcely believe the evidence of his senses. He told himself fiercely that he would never believe, without the conviction of fact, that the ideal could step down from its pedestal.

"You are meaning to be kind to me now, at the expense of your convictions, Miss Charlotte," he protested warmly.

"No," she denied gravely. "Listen, and you shall judge. Once, only a short time ago, I was brought face to face with one of these terrible compromises. In a single instant, and by no fault of my own, the dreadful shears of fate were thrust into my hands, and conscience—what I have been taught to call the Christian conscience—told me that with them I must snip the thread of a man's life. And then chance threw us together. A new world was opened to me in those few moments. I had thought that there could be no possible question between simple right and wrong, but almost in his first word the man convinced me that, whatever I might think or the world might say, his conscience had fully and freely acquitted him. And he proved it; proved it so that I can never doubt it as long as I live. He made me do what my conscience had been telling me I ought to do—just as your Fleming makes Fidella do."

"And he was taken?" he said, and he strove desperately to make the saying completely colorless.

"He was; but he made his escape again, almost at once. He is still a free man."

Instantly the primitive instinct of self-preservation, the instinct of the hunted fugitive, sprang alert in the listener.

"How can you be sure of that?" he asked, and in his own ears his voice sounded like the clang of an alarm bell.

Again a silence fell, surcharged, this one, with all the old thoughtful possibilities. Once more the loathsome fever quickened the pulses of the man at bay, and the curious needlelike pricking of the skin came to signal the return of the homicidal fear-fray. The reaction to the normal rickled him when his accusing angel said in her most matter-of-fact tone:

"I know he is free; I have it on the best possible authority. The detectives who are searching for him have been here to see me—or, at least, one of them has."

The hunted one laid hold of the partial reprieve with a mighty grip and drew himself out of the reactionary whirlpool.

"It is an outrage! I hope it is an annoyance past."

His companion leaned forward in her chair and cautiously parted the leafy vine screen.

"Look across the street—under those trees at the water's edge; do you see him?"

Griswold looked and was reasonably sure that he could make out the shadowy figure of a man leaning against one of the trees.

"That is my shadow," she said, lowering her voice; "Mr. Matthew Broffin of the Colburne Detective Agency, of New Orleans. He has a foolish idea that I am in communication with the man he is searching for, and he was brutal enough to tell me so. What he expects to accomplish by keeping an absurd watch upon our house and dogging everybody who comes and goes, I can't imagine."

"You have told your father?" said Griswold, anxious to learn how far this new alarm fire had spread.

"Certainly; and he has made his protest. But it doesn't do any good; the man keeps on spying, as you see. But we have wandered a long way from your book. I've been trying to prove to you that I am not fit to criticize it."

"No; you mustn't mistake me. I haven't been coming to you for criticism," was Griswold's rather incoherent reply; and when the talk threatened to lapse into the commonplace, he took his leave. Oddly enough, as he thought, when he was unfastening the gate and had shifted one of the newly purchased automatic pistols from his hip pocket to an outside pocket of the light top-coat he was wearing, the shadowy figure under the lake-shading trees had disappeared.

It was only a few minutes after the lingering dinner guest had gone when the doctor came out on the porch, bringing his long-stemmed pipe for a bedtime while in the open air.

"You are losing your beauty sleep, little girl," he said, dropping into the chair lately occupied by the guest. "Did you find out anything more tonight?"

The daughter did not reply at once, and when she did there was a note of freshly summoned hardness in her voice.

"We were both mistaken," she affirmed. "Coincidences are always likely to be misleading. I am sorry I told you about them. He has certainly been a present help in time of need to Edward."

As before, the good little doctor had recourse to his pipe, and it was not until his daughter got up to go in that he said gently: "One other word, Charlie, girl: are you altogether sure that the wish isn't father to the thought—about Griswold?"

"Don't be absurd, papa!" she said scornfully, passing swiftly behind his chair to reach the door; and with that answer he was obliged to be content.

CHAPTER XX.

Broken Links.

It was on the second day after the pistol-buying incident in Simmons & Kieffert's that Broffin, wishing for solitude and a chance to think in perspective, took to the woods.

A letter from the New Orleans office had reopened the account of the Bayou State Security robbery. The mail communication was significant, but inconclusive. One Patrick Sheehan, a St. Louis cab driver, dying, had made confession to his priest. For a bribe of two hundred dollars he had aided and abetted the escape of a criminal on a day and date corresponding to the mid-April arrival of the steamer Belle Julie at St. Louis. Afterward he had driven the man to an uptown hotel (name not given). He could not recall the man's name. But the destination address, "Wahaska, Minnesota," was submitted with the confession.

Broffin felt himself short-sighted from the very nearness of things. The single necessity now was for absolute and unshakable identification. To establish this, three witnesses, and three only, could be called upon. Of the three, two had fallen signally—Miss Farnham because she had her own reasons for blocking the game, and President Galbraith. That was as other chapter in the book of failure. Broffin had learned that the president was stopping at the De Soto Inn, and he had maneuvered to bring Mr. Galbraith face to face with Griswold in the Grierson bank on the day after the pistol-buying. To his astonishment and disgust the president had shaken his head irritably, adding a rebuke. "No, no, no; your trade makes ye over-suspicious. That's Mr. Griswold, the writer-man and a friend of the Griersons. Miss Madge was telling me about him last week. He's no more like the robber than you are. Haven't I told ye the man was bearded like a tyke?"

With two of the three eye-witnesses refusing to testify, there remained only Johnson, the paying teller of the Bayou State Security. Broffin was considering the advisability of wiring for Johnson when he passed the last of the houses on the lake-side drive and struck into the country road which led by cool and shaded forest windings to the resort hotel at the head of the southern bay. Presently a vehicle overtook him and passed him. It was Miss Grierson's trap, drawn by the big English holding-horse, with Miss Grierson lounging comfortably in the spare seat.

Half an hour later Broffin had followed the huge hoof-prints of the great English trap-horse to the driveway portal of the De Soto grounds where they were lost on the pebbled carriage approach. Strolling through the grounds into the lake-fronting lobby of the Inn, he went in search of Miss Grierson. He found her on the broad veranda, alone, and for the moment unoccupied. How to make the attack so direct and so overwhelming that it could not be withstood was the only remaining question; and Broffin had answered it to his own satisfaction, and was advancing through an open French window

directly behind Miss Grierson's chair to put the answer into effect, when the opportunity was snatched away. Raymond, his business apparently concluded, came down the veranda and took the chair next to Miss Grierson's.

Broffin dropped back into the writing-room alcove for which the open French window was the outlet and sat down to bide his time.

"It's a shame to make you wait this way, Miss Madge. McMurry said he had an appointment with Mr. Galbraith for three o'clock, and he had to go to keep it. But he ought to be down again by this time. Don't wait for me if you want to go back to town. I can get a lift from somebody."

"That would be nice, wouldn't it?" was the good-natured retort. "To make you tie up your own horse in town and then leave you stranded away out here three miles from nowhere? I think I see myself doing such a thing! Besides, I haven't a thing to do but wait."

Broffin shifted the extinct cigar he was chewing from one corner of his mouth to the other and pulled his soft hat lower over his eyes. He, too, could wait. There was a little stir on the veranda; a rustling of silk petticoats and the click of small heels on the hardwood floor. Broffin could not for- fore the peering peep around the sheltering window draperies. Miss Grierson had left her seat and was pacing a slow march up and down. That she had not seen him became a fact sufficiently well-assured when she sat down again and began to speak to Griswold.

"How is the new partnership going, by this time?" she asked, after the manner of one who rewinnows the chaff of the commonplace in the hope of finding grain enough for the immediate need.

"So far as Griswold is concerned, you wouldn't notice that there is a partnership," laughed the iron founder. "I can't make him galvanize an atom of interest in his investment. All I can get out of him is, 'Don't bother me; I'm busy.'"

"Mr. Griswold is in a class by himself, don't you think?" was the questioning comment.

"He is all kinds of a good fellow; that's all I know, and all I ask to know," answered Raymer loyally.

"I believe that—now," said his companion, with the faintest possible emphasis upon the time-word.

Broffin marked the emphasis and the pause that preceded it, and leaned forward to miss no word.

"Meaning that there was a time when you didn't believe it?" Raymer asked.

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"I'm coming to that. This escape we read about happened on a certain day in April. It was the very day on which poppa met me on my way back from Florida, and we took the eleventh-hour train north that night. You haven't forgotten that Mr. Griswold was a passenger on that same train?"

"But, goodness gracious, Miss Margery! any number of people were passengers on that train. You surely wouldn't—"

"Hush!" she said, and through the lace window hangings Broffin saw her lift a warning finger. "What I am telling you, Mr. Raymer, is in the strictest confidence; we mustn't let a breath of it get out. But that wasn't all. Mr. Griswold was dreadfully sick and, of course, he couldn't tell us anything about himself. But while he was delirious he was always muttering something about money, money; money that he had lost and couldn't find, or money that he had found and couldn't lose. Then when we thought he couldn't possibly get well, Doctor Bertie and I ransacked his suitcases for cards or letters or something that would tell us who he was and where he came from. There wasn't the Littlest Thing!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

MANY RESCUED BY TELEPHONE

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TRAIN SERVICE DEMORALIZED

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Fort Scott, Kan.—Six hundred persons were taken from dangerous positions when water from the Marmaton river rose 30 feet in a few hours, flooding the wholesale and residence sections of Fort Scott.

Business was suspended while every available man helped rescue persons who had remained in North Scott. No one was killed, as far as is known. The water was receding last night and fears of further damage have passed.

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Uniontown had a six-inch rain and the operator, realizing the danger to North Scott, telephoned to Konantz. The undertaker, with his drivers, harnessed his horses and drove to the imperiled sections. The cab men shouted a warning that the flood was coming and several times pounded on doors when their cries were not answered. Fifteen hundred people then fled to safety and a few hours later many of the abandoned homes were destroyed.

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GREATER EMERGENCY FUND

Appropriation of \$400,000 Must Be Doubled Says Flood.

Washington—Representative Flood of Virginia, chairman of the house foreign affairs committee, declared that larger appropriations would have to be made at the next session of congress to care for the work of the levee which has doubled on account of the European war.

"Take the emergency fund, for instance," Mr. Flood said. "We are now appropriating \$400,000 a year for that purpose. If we are to keep pace with the situation that has developed abroad, if we are to keep abreast of all that is going on confidentially in the various capitals of Europe, if we are to know what other governments of Europe should know about what their neighboring governments are doing, we must have a greater emergency fund and double the \$400,000 at least should be provided by congress."

Tustin's Serious Loss.

Tustin—This village is without a hotel, postoffice, bank and telephone exchange as the result of a disastrous fire which swept the village and caused from \$50,000 to \$100,000 loss. Every building on the south side of Tustin's principal street and the town's two largest potato warehouses were destroyed.

The hotel, a brick building built at a cost of \$8,000 and insured for \$5,500, is a total loss. When the walls fell a drayman named Adams was seriously hurt.

Twelve buildings were destroyed. The fire is thought to have been started by sparks from a freight engine, igniting the roof of the McClintock & Co. potato warehouse and being carried by a strong wind to the main street. A call for help was sent to Cadillac and several auto loads of men went down. The buildings destroyed were the best in the village.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

While bathing at Lakeside park at Port Huron Thursday evening, Miss Blanche Button, a telephone operator, went beyond her depth and was drowned.

Washington—That 400 merchant vessels capable of use as war auxiliaries are required adequately to safeguard the American coast and that additional provision for an increased navy must be made are emphatic statements of Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo in his letter to President Wilson reporting on the Pan American financial conference.

Hingham, Mass.—John D. Long, former secretary of the navy and former governor of Massachusetts, died at his home here Saturday night.

San Francisco—The executive committee of the Panama-Pacific exposition board of directors announced Wednesday the adoption of a resolution authorizing the controller to pay \$110,169 to the Union Trust Co., of this city, in settlement of all indebtedness. The original debt to finance the exposition was \$962,340.98. A big "out of debt" celebration was held Friday.

Amsterdam—That Germa Zeppelins have been employed to relieve the Turkish shell shortage by one of the most novel schemes of the war, was the story brought here from Berlin, Friday.

Washington—Postmaster General Burleson has ruled that substitute letter carriers may enlist in the army or navy without losing their places on the waiting list for regular appointments, and may assume their regular positions when discharged from the military service.

HAD ITS ORIGIN IN AMERICA

British King's Royal Rifle Corps, Now in France, Raised in 1755 in the United States.

There is a keen rivalry among the various regiments of the British army in every way. Naturally the rivalry is greatest where fighting is concerned, and every regiment is only too eager to take part in the war, and so add more fighting honors to its name. The regiment with the greatest num-

ber of battle honors is one that has already been in the thick of the fighting in France, the King's Royal Rifle Corps. Already in the great war it has acquired another Victoria Cross, that of Major Dimmer of the Second battalion.

In the Boer war the regiment carried off two V. C.'s, fourteen D. S. O.'s, and thirty-five D. C. M.'s. It has been through about forty battles, the names of the most important of which appear on the cap badge.

The King's Royal Rifle corps was

originally raised in 1755 in the United States, when those states belonged to us, and was known then as the Sixtieth (Royal American) Regiment of Foot. It is supposed to have been the first regiment to be armed with the rifle—Pearson's Magazine.

Wonder of Mechanism.

Half a century ago there was not a watch in existence capable of meeting the requirements of American railway time service today. Railway time inspection has set the limit of variation

from true time, for its employees' watches at 30 seconds a week. This means that the balance wheel shall not vary in its motion to the extent of one vibration out of every 20,000. Taking into consideration the various causes of disturbance to which a railway engineer's watch is subjected, the joints and jars, the changes of temperature and the magnetic influence incidental to the proximity of large masses of iron and steel, this performance is truly remarkable. That it is possible to secure such accuracy in such a tiny

piece of mechanism subjected to those adverse influences is little short of marvelous, and justifies the claim that the watch of today is the most wonderful piece of mechanism that the ingenuity of man has ever produced.—Scientific American.

Confusion of Tongues.

Most people are so sparing of the use of language other than their own that they have little idea that there are more than 4,000 languages in the world. There are six languages

common in Austria-Hungary, and Emperor Franz Joseph is master of them all. It is said that there are 60 vocabularies in Brazil. In Mexico the N

IN ALL OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

There is Hardly A Woman Who Does Not Rely Upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Princeton, Ill.—"I had inflammation, hard headaches in the back of my neck and a weakness all caused by female trouble, and I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with such excellent results that I am now feeling fine. I recommend the Compound and praise it to all. I shall be glad to have you publish my letter.

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Experience of a Nurse. Poland, N. Y.—"In my experience as a nurse I certainly think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a great medicine. I wish all women with female troubles would take it. I took it when passing through the Change of Life with great results and I always recommend the Compound to all my patients if I know of their condition in time. I will gladly do all I can to help others to know of this great medicine."—Mrs. HORACE NEWMAN, Poland, Herkimer Co., N. Y.

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Why the Applause. The amateur theatrical performance was being discussed.

"You know that part of the new play where the man seizes the woman, forces her into the cupboard, and turns the key on her?"

"Yes."

"Well, last night a fellow in the audience applauded it so much that they had to put him out."

"I don't think there is anything to applaud about it."

"Yes, there was. It turned out that the fellow was the husband of the actress, and it was the first time he had ever seen anybody shut her up."

Electricity on Farms. Rural distribution of electric current has made great advances in the last two years. In some communities the farmers have financed local distribution systems, taking current from the nearest cross-country transmission line at one point and retelling it among themselves. In other communities individual farmers find it desirable to pay for lines directly from the power plant to the farm. Other electric companies install the connection and require a yearly minimum use proportionate to the investment in the line extension.

Why Not? There goes young Richfield again screeching around in his automobile. I wonder what would become of the boy if his father should suddenly lose all his money?"

"Well, he might drive a jitney bus."

Backache is Discouraging

Nothing is more discouraging than a constant backache. Lame when you awaken, pains pierce you when you bend or lift. It's hard to work or to rest. Backache often indicates bad kidneys. If the urine is disordered, passages too frequent or scanty, there is further proof. Delay is dangerous. Prompt use of Doan's Kidney Pills now may spare you serious trouble later. Doan's is the world's best-recommended kidney remedy.

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CZAR AND CZAREVITCH IN UNIFORM



New photograph of the czar of Russia and his heir, the czarévitch, garbed in the uniform of officers of the Russian army. The young man seems to have outgrown his invalidism.

FIGHT LIKE DEMONS

Bernhard Kellermann Describes Trench War at Souchez.

Roads and Paths for Miles Around Under Fearful Fire—Little Hamlet Now Is Marked for All Time.

By BERNHARD KELLERMANN. (International News Service.) On the Western German Front.—I have seen them and talked to them. The men fighting out there in the trenches of Souchez. Just now they are resting, but tonight they will be fighting again like demons. The roads and paths for miles around are under a fearful fire. Almost every second a shell bursts with a deafening roar. Through this inferno they must pass. Then they will be in Souchez.

What is Souchez? A small village which nobody knew a few months ago and which now will never be forgotten again. The little hamlet is marked for all time, like Gravelotte and Woerth. If hell keeps books the name of Souchez must be entered in large letters.

There is nothing left of the village but a heap of ruins. The trenches are a few hundred yards from the village, behind a curtain of fire. Through this curtain our boys in gray must pass. There are no communicating passages—the French artillery on the heights of Loretto does not permit them. The trenches can only be reached over the open field, through the unceasing hail of French shells.

But our men are fearless. Their uniforms were all field-gray at one time, but nobody is able to distinguish their color now. Only the first sergeant looks as if he just came from the tailor shop. His uniform is spotted and his hands are carefully manicured.

With the long nails of his little finger he traces the position on the map. Before the war he was a high school professor, but now he is a soldier every inch of him.

"This is our trench," he said, explaining the map to me. "Over there on the heights the artillery of the enemy stands."

"Yesterday we were under heavy fire from seven o'clock in the morning till nine o'clock at night. The trench was destroyed and we were buried."

"About nine o'clock in the evening the shells began to fly over us. The enemy was trying to drive back a relief column and to storm what was left of our trench. Our lieutenant shouted a command and in a moment our trench resembled an ant-hill. We dug ourselves out. Most of our guns had become useless, but we had hand-grenades."

"The French swooped down upon us, but we sent a couple of dozens of grenades into their ranks. The smoke was so thick that we could not see each other."

"For a moment the enemy recoiled, but then believing us finished, he advanced again, as he had received reinforcements; yelling, singing and laughing we threw still more grenades."

"At the same moment we noticed that the Frenchmen were also beginning to attack from one of their trenches at our right, in the direction of the sugar refinery. Like peas from a barrel they came pouring out of the smoke. The lieutenant shouted: 'One man to the front with grenades!' A single soldier advanced and started to throw bombs. Who was it?"

"I did it," answered one of the men, a farmer from Silesia. "I took an armful of grenades and fired away at random, but the bombs hit their mark. The Frenchmen fell back. When they advanced again I had no more grenades."

searched his victim and found less than one dollar.

Pittsboro, N. C.—Messrs. James and John Burns of this county are twins and are probably the oldest twins in this state, being over seventy-seven years old. They recently had their photographs taken together for the first time in their long lives. They were both Confederate soldiers

Confederate Twins

Grand Forks, N. D.—Jerry Fitzpatrick, a wealthy farmer of Euclid, Minn., palmed \$30 successfully a few nights ago when accosted by a highwayman near this city.

"Hands up!" cried the thug. Out of Fitzpatrick's pockets his hands went straight over his head. The thug

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CHIVALRY NOT DEAD

Old Spirit of Knighthood Maintained Among Aviators.

British and German Air Raiders Notify Enemy of Fate of Rival Aviators—Flyers Are Type With Marked Characteristics.

By FREDERICK PALMER. (International News Service.) British Headquarters, France.—"Though it has been repeatedly stated that chivalry does not exist in this war," said a British aviator, "this does not apply to the British and German aviation branches. Whether it is the individualism of our work and its novelty, or whatever it is that is responsible, something of the old spirit of knighthood maintains among the flyers of the air. When a British aviator has to descend in the German lines, whether from engine trouble or because his engine or his plane has been damaged by anti-aircraft gunfire, the next day the Germans report to us his name and whether he survived, and if so, whether he is wounded. We always do the same. It has come to be a custom."

The reports are made in a manner worthy of armies and they are the only communications that ever pass between the two foes, which watch for heads to snipe at from their trenches. What is called a "message bag" is dropped over the British lines by a German or over the German lines by a British aviator—sometimes when he is in the midst of bursting shells from the anti-aircraft guns. Long streamers are attached to the little cloth bag. These, as they pirouette down to the earth from a height of seven or eight thousand feet attract the attention of soldiers in the neighborhood and they run out to get the prize when it lands.

It is taken to battalion headquarters, which wires the fact on to the aviation headquarters, where the fate of a comrade may be known a few hours after he has left his home or dormitory; and, in another few hours someone in England may know the fate of a relative.

"That is one of the advantages of belonging to the flying corps," say the British aviators. "It may be weeks before his relatives and comrades know whether a man who is missing after a trench attack or counter-attack is a prisoner or dead. Such little kindnesses as this don't interfere with you fighting your best for your cause; at the same time they take a little of the savagery out of war. Of course, the rule could not apply to prisoners taken in trench fighting—only to airmen. There are relatively few airmen on either side and only an occasional one ever comes down to the enemy's lines."

With the first flush of dawn the British planes rise from the aviation grounds. All day they are coming and going, and in the dusk of evening they appear out of the vague distances of the heavens returning home to roost.

The flyers become a type with certain marked characteristics. No nervous man is wanted; and it is time for any man who shows any sign of nerves to take a rest. They seem shy, diffident, men of the kind given to observation rather than talking; men who are used to using their eyes rather than their hands. It is a little difficult to realize that some quiet young fellow who is pointed out has had so many hairbreadth escapes. What tales worthy of "Arabian Nights" heroes who were borne away on magic carpets they bring home, relating them as matter-of-factly as if they had broken a shoe lace. Up in their seats, a whirl of the motor, and they are away on another adventure. They shy at the mention of their names in print, for that is not considered good for the spirit of this, the newest branch of the service of war. Anonymity is absolute. Everything is done by the corps for the corps. Some members have luck, as they put it, and some do not. L's name may not be given, but his is the most dramatic of recent experiences.

He was a pilot flying in Belgium, far away from the British lines, when an anti-aircraft shell smashed his leg, which was hit by fifty bullets and fragments, the doctor estimated, as the story was told to the correspondent. He collapsed in his seat unconscious. His machine dropped at right angles to the line of flight, with the concussion. The observer who was with him managed to hold on by clutching at the machine gun.

They were careening down to the earth, with the observer helpless from his position to do anything, when L recovered consciousness and mustered strength and presence of mind enough to right the machine and to turn it round in the midst of a cloud of shrapnel smoke. He was not going to be taken prisoner, despite his shattered leg, when he found that the shell which had so nearly done for him had not injured the engine or the plane. So he made for the nearest aerodrome.

There he managed to land safely. But, as he said, he did not dare to get out of his seat until the doctor came. He felt for fear that his leg would fall off. He will get well.

Saw Far Ahead

Wichita, Kan.—Mrs. Clara Fay, seventy-seven years old, who died here recently, had prepared for her demise, leaving nothing undone in funeral or burial arrangements.

Painful Truth

Miss Singwell had been a member of the choral society ever since it had been in existence, and it was undoubtedly true that her first youth had waned, but the chairman was astounded recently by the news that she had resigned her membership.

"Resigned!" he gasped. "But what ever for?"

"Well, I don't know exactly," said the secretary, "but it strikes me that it may have something to do with the solo we picked for her at the next performance."

"Why? What is it?"

"Don't you remember? It begins, 'I was young, but now am old.'"

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A young real estate man met an acquaintance of his wife who was in the lumber business the other afternoon. After greetings and a trifling invitation extended and accepted, the real estate man said to the wood salesman—just to make conversation—"Well, how's the lumber business?"

"I don't know. The fact is I resigned from my job last Saturday."

"Is that so? Didn't you like the work?"

"Well, I liked it pretty well."

"Wasn't the salary big enough?"

"Well, it was a pretty good salary. But the boss insulted me."

"He said I was a fool?"

"And you quit just for that? Didn't get fired or requested to resign? The boss called you a fool and you up and left a good job?"

"Well, by gosh, the boss was right." Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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GOT A LITTLE SATISFACTION

Motorist Employed Rather Neat Way of "Getting Even" After His Arrest for Speeding.

A motorist was stopped by a policeman for speeding, whereupon he became angry and called the policeman an ass. After he had paid his fine, the judge reproved him for what he had said to the officer.

"Then I wasn't call a policeman an ass?" he said.

"Certainly not," said the judge. "You must not insult the police."

"But you wouldn't mind if I called an ass a policeman, would you?"

"Why, no, if it gives you any satisfaction," answered his honor with a smile.

The motorist turned to the man who had arrested him. "Good day, policeman," he said, and immediately left the courtroom.—Boston Transcript.

GOT OUT OF HIS DILEMMA

Truly Iceman, as He Remarked to Himself, Had Profited by Night School Education.

Fritz, the iceman, was in a perspiration (for it was the hottest four o'clock in the morning in 11 years), and a dilemma (for he only had one small block of ice left, and there were still ten customers left unserved, each of whom took a ten-cent piece).

"I know!" Fritz cried to himself. "I know a way out. I didn't go to night school for nothing!"

And he cut the block into ten tiny pieces and put one piece in front of each of the ten gates.

Then climbing over one of the fences, and filling a bucket full of water, he poured water over each of the tiny ten, so that each was in the middle of a puddle.

"Clever Fritz!"

"What you don't? Well, let him explain it himself, then."

"Haw, haw!" chuckled Fritz. "Now when they find the pieces, they'll think the ice went and melted on 'em!"

Shortly afterwards ten good housewives opened their gates and got a slant at the tiny ten.

You know the rest—if you never had it happen to you.—Detroit Free Press.

Girls as Grocers' Clerks

The London municipal school, where girls may learn in six weeks to become grocers' clerks, has been successfully launched in the western part of the city, with a class of 30.

The girls will be trained in all routine work of assistants in grocery and provision stores. Tuition is free, and pupils unable to support themselves during the six-weeks' course are granted \$3 a week from the prince of Wales fund.

Just What She Wants

Church—How is the table up where your wife is boarding in the country? Gotham—Very, very poor.

"And she remains there?"

"Oh, yes; she's trying to reduce her weight."

Quite Fitting

"What has Maude on her hands now in flirtations?"

"A pair of college kids."

Pity the Poor Grocer.

A grocer was going over his books in the hope that they would show he was making some profit, when the telephone interrupted him.

"Those strawberries my boy bought at your place—they weren't good, and there were two boxes of them," said a voice over the wire. "Will you make them good?"

"Certainly," said the grocer. "Send them back and I'll give you some that are all right."

"But I can't do that," the voice exclaimed.

"You can't? Why not?"

"Because we ate them."

No such thing as "rubber roofing"

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All Woolens Shown in the Full Piece.

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F. W. SAMSEN
L. B. SAMSEN, Editor and Manager

LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Genevieve Satterlee will teach at Elm the coming year.

Mrs. Howard Glas of Detroit, visited at M. M. Willett's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Dickerson are visiting friends in Colorado and Kansas.

Miss May Preston of Detroit, was the guest of her father, W. A. Preston, last Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Peck and guests visited Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Peck in Detroit, over Sunday.

Carl Strasen and Roy Fisher have returned to the Lutheran Seminary at Saginaw.

Mrs. H. A. Spicer has returned home from a few days' visit with her children in Detroit.

Mrs. N. W. Ayers and little son of Detroit, were week-end visitors at H. A. Spicer's.

Mrs. Edward Haus and little daughter Ethel of Century, Fla., are visiting at D. D. Allen's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams of Mason, are visiting Mrs. Ella Peck and mother, Mrs. H. M. Taft.

W. W. Wyckoff of Jackson, was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. H. A. Spicer, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Helen and Miss Belle McClumpha are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. C. F. Chappel at Toledo.

Mrs. Daniel Murray and little daughter, Elizabeth, of New Hudson, have been guests of friends in town this week.

Miss Mabel Spicer has returned to Youngtown, Ohio, where she will assume her duties as superintendent of Domestic Art Centers.

Mrs. Geo. Peterhans has received word of the death of her son, who died August 19th at his home at Los Angeles, California. He is survived by his wife and two children.

The out of town friends who attended the funeral of Mr. L. C. Hall, Wednesday afternoon were, Mrs. Winfield Scott of Saginaw, Dr. Voorhies of Lansing, and Mrs. David Wallace of Toledo.

Edgar Peck of Detroit, visited relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Chaffee have been Toledo and Cleveland visitors this week.

Chas. Carruthers and family have returned from a visit with friends at Glencoe, Ont.

Miss Athalie Hough has returned to St. Mary's College at Monroe for the coming school year.

Chas. Beyer and family of Perrinsville, and Frank James of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beyer last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cartwright and two children of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Humphries, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Sarah Gayde, who underwent an operation on her throat at Harper hospital last Saturday has returned home and is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hardenburg of Detroit, and Frank VanVleet of Grand Rapids, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Joy over Sunday.

Miss Mildred Lefever, after spending the summer at Columbus, Ohio, returned home Monday accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Miner.

Mrs. Louis Chiriper and daughter, Iris, of Detroit, and Chas. Vidian of Goderich, Ont., were guests of Mrs. Peter Gayde and family last Tuesday.

Mrs. A. W. Vardon has returned home from Detroit, where she has been under the care of a physician for the past three weeks and is greatly improved in health.

A special meeting of the O. E. S. was held in Masonic hall last Tuesday evening. About seventy-five members were in attendance and a candidate was initiated into the Order. After the work a fine supper was served.

Mrs. Helen Paul, aged 78 years, met with a serious accident Monday, while going to visit at the home of Arthur Herbert on Holbrook avenue. In going up to the house a small dog jumped upon her, and being very feeble, she fell to the ground and sustained a fractured hip. She was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. N. J. Humphries, where medical aid was given. She is resting as comfortably as possible at this writing.

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New Officers Elected

The King's Herald Missionary society held their annual meeting in the Epworth League room at the Methodist church last Saturday afternoon. This society is composed of young girls, and numbers about thirty. The meetings of the past year have been very successful and splendid work has been done under the efficient management of Mrs. J. J. Travis. About twenty-three were in attendance at the annual meeting, several mothers being present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Helen Dutton; Vice President—Lillian Lundy; Secy.—Earnestine Roe; Rec. Secs.—Sereta McLeod; Treas.—Wilma Smith. The coming year the meetings will be held at the church the first Saturday in every month. The next meeting will be a Japanese party Saturday afternoon, October 2nd. All members are urged to be present.

Services will be held in this church on Sunday, Sept. 12th, as follows: Morning worship at 10 o'clock. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at this service. The loose change offering goes to the poor fund. Sunday-school at the close of the morning service. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor, Thome, "Finding by Losing." Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The public is most cordially invited to these services.

METHODIST
Rev. Joseph Dutton, Pastor.
10 a. m., Public worship. Sermon subject, "The Joys of Heaven." 11:15, Sunday-school. 6 p. m., Epworth League. George C. Richwine, leader. 7 p. m., Public worship. Sermon subject, "The Ties that Bind in Human Friendship."

BAPTIST
Rev. Archibald L. Bell, Pastor.
Phone M.W.
Morning worship 10 a. m. Dr. Robt. Harper of Burmah, who is home on a furlough, will be present and will be the work that he is doing in the foreign field. 11:45, Sunday-school. 8 p. m., Young People's Bible Study class. 7 p. m., Evening worship. Subject of sermon, "The Things That Count Most for God." Mid-week prayer-meeting Thursday evening, 7 p. m.

BIBLE STUDENTS
"And the waters covered their enemies; there was not one of them left. Then believed they His words; they sang His praise. They soon forgot His works; they waited not for his counsel; but lusted exceedingly in the wilderness and tempted God in the desert. He gave them their request, but sent leanness into their soul." Ps. 106:11-15. We are now a rich and powerful nation, but from observation of other nations and the Israelites of old, with divine disapproval, how soon can we be brought to lick the dust. At any rate let us preserve our standing individually before our God, and thus retain the largeness or fatness of the inner man.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
A Mission Festival will be held in this church next Sunday. The services will be as follows: Sunday morning at 10:15, local time, Rev. Lawrence of Perrinsville, will preach and the service will be in German. At two o'clock, local time, an English service will be held. Rev. Liskie of Northfield, will preach. The members of the Perrinsville, Livonia, Wayne, Northville and Northfield churches are earnestly requested to attend. The public is also cordially invited.

A kitchen has recently been built in the basement of this church, which will add greatly to the convenience of the ladies in working at the church.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL MISSION,
H. Midworth, Missioner.
Sunday, Sept. 12—Divine service at 10 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon. Subject, "Safety First." Young people especially invited. H. Midworth will be the preacher.

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Commissioner's Notice.
IN the matter of the estate of Charles F. Smith, deceased, W. S. Howard, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioner to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice, that we will meet at the office of E. N. Passage, in Plymouth, Michigan, in said County, on Saturday, the 10th day of September, A. D. 1915, at two o'clock P. M. of each of said days for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 7th day of September A. D. 1915, were allowed by the Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated September 7, 1915.
LOUIS HILLMER,
ALBERT HALLIDAY,
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
Plymouth United Savings
BANK,
At Plymouth, Michigan, at the close of business Sept. 2, 1915, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES:
Loans and Discounts, viz:
Commercial Department \$12,302.42
Savings Department 85,900.00
Bonds, mortgages and securities 75
Commercial Department 25,000.00
Savings Department 353,707.21
Premium account 425.00
Overdrafts 365.34
Banking house 4,500.00
Furniture and fixtures 1,318.12
Items in transit 23,602.08
RESERVE:
Commercial:
Due from banks in reserve cities 87,444.65
U. S. and National bank currency 14,649.00
Gold coin 4,800.00
Silver coin 1,249.44
Nickels and cents 90.45 51,469.85
Savings:
Due from banks in reserve cities 54,568.00
U. S. and National bank currency 10,000.00
Gold coin 15,000.00 84,568.00
Checks and other cash items 29.96
Total \$264,600.00

LIABILITIES:
Capital stock paid in \$ 75,000.00
Surplus fund 28,000.00
Undivided profits, net 35,500.21
Dividends unpaid 30.00
Commercial deposits subject to check \$163,729.40
Certificates of deposit 48,227.70
Certified checks 612.00
Savings deposits (book account) 44,378.21
Savings certificates 64,827.48 718,877.84
Total \$844,490.00

State of Michigan, County of Wayne, ss: I, E. K. Bennett, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Sept., 1915.
My commission expires March 3, 1917.
Correct—Attest:
D. D. ALLEN,
F. A. DIBBLE,
J. W. HENDERSON,
Deputies

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MANY BREEDERS TO EXHIBIT LIVE STOCK.
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The live stock must be at the fair grounds by 8 a. m., Sept. 6, the opening day of the fair, but will be released Saturday, Sept. 11, at 6 p. m. The live stock is released four days before the close of the fair because many farmers object to exhibiting their prize horses, cows, sheep and swine for a longer period. The poultry also is released on the Saturday preceding the closing of the fair.

SITUATIONS FOR YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN IN DETROIT.
The rapid growth of Detroit manufacturing industries has created a large number of office positions for capable young men and women. The business colleges are unable to supply the many calls for positions. The Business Institute alone has had nearly a thousand calls during the past six months for stenographers, bookkeepers and bank positions, which gives one an idea as to the opportunities offered young men and young women who are qualified to fill positions. The Business Institute enjoys an enviable reputation for educating young men and women for positions in offices, banks, mercantile houses, etc. Fathers and mothers who wish to give their children a thorough business education should write for full particulars regarding the educational training of this school. Illustrated catalogue will be mailed free to any person sending their address to Mr. A. F. Tull, President The Business Institute, Cor. Cass and Michigan Avenues, Detroit.

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THAT during the past five years the village has had laid miles of surface drains.

THAT next year, and in the future it is expected that the parks and streets shall be improved, beautified and the village made attractive.

Take time to see it as it is now. Our people are determined to have the needed improvements to place the village in the front.

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will be some special attraction for every
one of the ten days of the Fair.
The exposition will open on Labor
day, and addresses upon the great
role labor is playing today in the pro-
gress of the United States will be given
by prominent men.

Special Day For Old Soldiers.
Tuesday will be Patriotic and Old
Soldiers' day. The Patterson aviators
will present a patriotic program with
their airplanes, and speeches will be
given. Special fireworks will bring the
day to a close.

Wednesday will be State Grange
day, and Thursday will be Grangers'
day. Men prominent in the two farm-
ers' organizations will deliver ad-
dresses, and special exercises will be
arranged and presented by the orders.

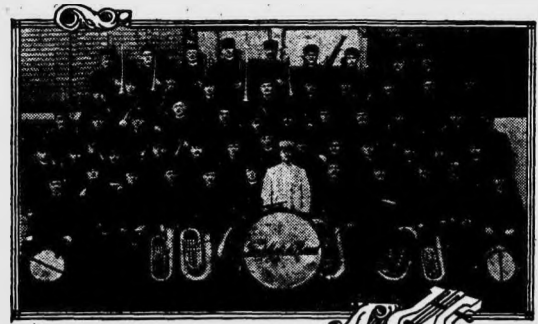
Friday will be Michigan day. Gov-
ernor Ferris will make an effort to be
present, and Congressman P. H. Kel-
ley is also expected to attend the Fair
on that day. Other men prominent in
the state and nation will be speakers.

Saturday will be Children's and Boy
Scouts' day. Appropriate exercises
will be given by the children. Various
contests have been arranged for the
Boy Scouts, and prizes will be award-
ed. Athletic events and tournaments
for boys and girls will also feature
Saturday.

Sunday is to be Aviation day. The
Patterson aviators will dive, dip and
drop heading toward earth with their
aeroplanes and give a thrilling dem-
onstration of warfare as it is being
carried on over the battlefields in Eu-
rope. Mrs. Joan Cuneo, famous auto
driver, will compete in a one mile race
against an aeroplane. She will also
make an effort to lower the dirt track
records for one, five and ten miles.

Auto Races Sept. 13 and 14.
Monday will be W. C. T. U. day.
Prominent members of the union will
give addresses. The auto races will
open on the second Monday. Louis
Diabrow, Farmer Bill Endicott and
several other noted pilots of speed cut-
ting machines will race on Monday as
well as Tuesday, which is designated
as Detroit day. Mayor Marx will is-
sue a proclamation requesting the citi-
zens of the metropolis to attend the
Fair on Sept. 14.
Wednesday will be Canadian day
and the grand finale. On the closing
day many residents from across the
border are expected to attend the big
exposition and note the progress made
by Michigan in the industrial and agri-
cultural world.

AUTOMOBILE COMPANY'S BAND TO PLAY AT MICHIGAN STATE FAIR



FORD MOTOR BAND.

THE Ford Motor band, one of the
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will furnish music at the Mich-
igan State Fair at Detroit
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band, which is supported and uniformed
by the company, is considered the
peer of any industrial musical body in
the United States. It is in California,
where the musicians went by special
train to attend the San Francisco ex-
position. The band will visit several
cities in the west and will return to
Detroit just previous to the opening of
the State Fair.

MEMBERS OF GROSSE POINTE HUNTING CLUB AT THE MICHIGAN STATE FAIR



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always enter their mounts in competition at the Michigan State Fair.
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Sept. 6 to 15, will be larger than ever before.

BETTER BABIES CONTEST IS BIG FEATURE ATTRACTION AT THE FAIR



PRIZE WINNERS IN BETTER BABIES CONTEST AT 1914 STATE FAIR.

SCORES of babies from all sections of the state are being entered in the
better babies contest to be held at the Michigan State Fair at Detroit
Sept. 6 to 15. The boys and girls from the rural districts will be judged
separately from the babies living in the cities. Prizes will be awarded.

FAMOUS WOMAN AUTO RACER TO APPEAR AT MICHIGAN STATE FAIR



MRS. JOAN CUNEO of Rutland, Vt., recently divorced from her husband,
is going to return to the dirt track racing game and will drive at the
Michigan State Fair on her second appearance. Mrs. Cuneo was
hailed as the foremost woman dirt track driver of America in the
early days and drove in the sanctioned meets of the American Automobile as-
sociation. In 1906 the A. A. A. passed a rule which barred all women drivers
from contests or exhibitions and Mrs. Cuneo retired. Her last speed trial was
April 17, 1911, when she drove a car over the Long Island motor parkway,
where the Vanderbilt races were held, at an average speed of 100 miles an
hour for a half mile straightaway with a flying start. This did not count as a
record as the A. A. A., at that time the only racing contest governing body, had
barred woman five years previous.

Acute Indigestion

"I was annoyed for over a year by
attacks of acute indigestion, followed
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everything that was recommended to
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I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised
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Commissioner's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Pettinelli
Clark, deceased. We, the undersigned,
having been appointed by the Probate Court
for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan,
Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust
all claims and demands of all persons against
said deceased do hereby give notice that we
will meet at the Office of E. H. Paswege in the
village of Plymouth, in said county, on
Monday the 11th day of October, A. D. 1915,
and on Saturday, the 11th day of December, A.
D. 1915, at one o'clock P. M. of each of said
days, for the purpose of examining and allow-
ing said claims, and that four months from
the 11th day of August, A. D. 1915, were allowed
by said Courts for creditors to present their
claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated, August 13, 1915.

LOUIS HILLMAN
ALBERT GAYDE
Commissioners.

TWENTY EVENTS ON RACE PROGRAM

Michigan State Fair Purses
Total Over \$14,000.

HORSEMEN ARE INTERESTED

General Manager Dickinson Says
Michigan Short Ship as Well as
Grand Circuit Stables Will Be Rep-
resented at Detroit.

The fastest trotters and pacers in
Michigan as well as other states in
the central west will be attracted to
the State Fair this fall by purses to-
talling more than \$14,000. The speed
program will open the Fair on Labor
day, Sept. 6, and continue for five
days.

General Manager G. W. Dickinson of
the State Fair asserts that he has
been assured by scores of horsemen
that they will have their strings at
Detroit during the Fair, and close com-
petition in the twenty races on the
program is expected.

Not only will the Michigan Short
Ship Circuit be represented at the State
Fair races, but it is expected that
many of the Grand Circuit trotters and
pacers which have been hung up.

"The State Fair is for the people of
Michigan," declared Mr. Dickinson,
"and we want the Michigan horses rep-
resented at our races. While some
Grand Circuit horses undoubtedly will
be brought to Detroit this fall, a ma-
jority of the entries will be made by
Michigan owners and drivers."

Half Mile Track Used.

The races will be staged on the half
mile track, thus assuring the specta-
tors of a better opportunity to see the
speedy equines. The entries for the
State Fair races will close Aug. 24.

The race program the first day, Sept.
6, includes the 2:30 trot, 2:20 pace, 2:24
pace and 2:18 pace. Purses of \$500
each will be awarded in all events but
the 2:24 pace, which will be a \$1,000
stake.

The \$1,000 purse event the second
day is the 2:15 pace. The winners in
the 2:12 trot, 2:16 trot and 2:14 pace
will receive \$500 purses.

The \$500 events on the third day are
the 2:10 pace, 2:16 pace and 2:15 trot
for three-year-old speedsters. One
thousand dollars will be distributed
among the winners in the 2:18 trot.

The 2:12 pace and 2:21 trot are \$1,000
events on Sept. 9. Six hundred dollar
purses are announced for the 2:20 pace
and 2:22 trot.

The 2:14 trot is the \$1,000 purse race
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Universal Demand Is for Experience

By ED T. GILTZOW, Columbus, Ohio

Keenly conscious of the tragic fate certain to engulf the purposeless, shifting and subsequently unskilled individual—a consciousness bred of personal experience and observation—and profoundly desiring to avert this calamity, I have sought in vain for an opportunity to enter, specialize and develop in the automobile industry. With this end in view I have planned with sincerity of purpose, enthusiastically and systematically to devote my leisure moments to the acquisition of knowledge and skill with the object of enhancing the value of my services both to my employer and myself, and with the ultimate aim of becoming a sales representative.

One of the mountainous obstacles impeding the realization of this aspiration is the universal demand for experience and the seeming equally universal lack among employers of volunteers to contribute to the novice the first opportunity for its acquisition. Wending his way from door to door in a futile and discouraging search, the prospective specialist must soon accept employment of whatever nature to sustain himself and possibly some dependents. With this acceptance of uncongenial employment his opportunity for further search is curtailed. His enthusiasm dampened, indifference finally results.

Vocational training is an obligation which society owes its younger members because of the highly technical and complex nature of modern industry. Well organized federal employment bureaus co-operating with such schools would solve this problem at least partially.

One cannot blame the young man, whether, as one contributor expresses it, he is "cognizant or not" of the danger of just floating through life, and the gainfulness of planning with his own God-given bent in mind a life-work. At least not until we offer a "fair field and no favor." Opportunities when made available will find no want of eligible applicants.

Help Rather Than Hinder One Another

By J. F. KNOX, Birmingham, Ala.

I have often heard it remarked that people of the new South were not so courteous as was the case in antebellum days, and perhaps this is true.

But, nevertheless, the people of Birmingham and other communities are well disposed and usually wish to help rather than hinder one another. For example, I was recently employed in taking a time view of one of the downtown show windows. It was a rush order and the work had to be performed in the busy part of the day.

In taking a picture of this kind it is necessary to have an exposure of ten minutes without interruption. The camera was stationed at the edge of the sidewalk so as to have the correct distance, and a friend politely requested pedestrians not to pass before the camera. One would be surprised at the number of people who will pass a given point when business is brisk. I suppose there were several hundred. But with the exception of two instances there was ready acquiescence to my friend's request.

This incident, I think, will go to show that by far the greater portion of the people of Birmingham, at least, are to all practical purposes considerate and kindly disposed and prefer to help rather than hinder the worker.

Superficiality Is Greatest of Sins

By C. C. Reynolds, Dayton, Ohio

One of the great sins of the age is superficiality—an indifference to the deeper meaning of things; an indisposition to think. It is the dusty outside, the frivolous glimpse of events and things, the joke of it, that engage the universal attention. This situation is destructive of character and sacrifices understanding, which is the basis of wisdom.

Many think this is no offense; that one is innocent if he is only superficial. We take to the frivolous and laughing side of things, just as we take to narcotics and intoxicants, because it is pleasant and tends to relieve one from the anxieties and duties of the hour. A person thus slips away on a fad from the realities of life.

The Bible enjoins upon us to be sober-minded. This admonition is as wholesome and exacting as any part of the Decalogue. It is based upon the idea that superficiality is destructive of mind and soul.

The frivolous person has no character, no purpose in life, no respect for wisdom and understanding.

The evil effects are everywhere shown—in church, in school, in court, in legislative hall, in shops; there is no insistence upon truth.

Siberian Pea Tree of Early Origin

By J. P. PEDERSEN, Chicago

In a recent article on "City Gardening" the Siberian pea tree is mentioned as a late introduction by the United States government. This is a mistake. The tree—or, rather, large shrub—is an old acquaintance. The date of its discovery is given in Nicholson's "Dictionary of Gardening" as the year 1752. No doubt it has been cultivated in Europe since about that time, being introduced to this country not much later.

In 1910 we planted seeds of it in the city nursery at the Gage farm and have them at present, about five thousand plants, besides a few sent us a couple of years ago from the government.

It is a rather useful plant, one of its good qualities being its hardiness. But, though I have handled it for the last twenty years in the Chicago parks, I don't believe I have ever seen a flower on it here, although in Europe it flowers very freely.

Its botanical name is Caragana arborea.

Many Have Strange Ideas of Liberty

By C. R. REICHOW, Brooklyn, N. Y.

What strange ideas many persons have of liberty! What an amount of mischief has been done to society by such "rabble charming words," as South calls them—words "which have so much wildfire wrapped up in them"—as liberty, equality and fraternity! How many who "hawl for freedom" confound it with license!

A republic presupposes a high state of morals, but how can this be possible without the habit of subordination and respect, and how can these exist without humility?

The true freeman is not only jealous of his own rights, but respects and cares for the rights of others, and is indignant when any man, even the meanest, is wronged or trampled under foot.

The man who is always boasting of his freedom is probably a slave to the meanest and most tyrannical vices, passions or prejudices.

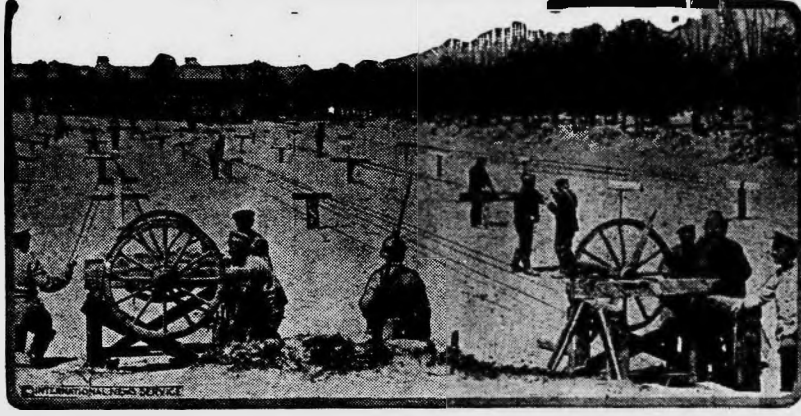
If railway ticket agents were paid according to the fool questions they have to answer, it would keep them busy drawing their salaries.

It may be all well enough to advise people to look on the bright side of things, but there are so many things that have no bright side.

It is said that some wives drive their husbands to drink. Anyway, we know a lot of husbands who would like to have such wives.

After a girl gets on the shady side of thirty she drops the affinity business and makes a play for an ordinary breadwinner.

OUTDOOR WIRE FACTORY IN GERMANY



A temporary outdoor factory in Germany where Russian prisoners are at work manufacturing wire for the making of entanglements in front of trenches.

MOVING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES TO THE MARKET

Wholesale Distribution of Commodities Often Seems to Take Circuitous Route.

CAUSES OF LOSS AND WASTE

Economic Conditions Do Not Court Market Parasites—Consumers Demand More Elaborate and Efficient Service—Problem Is Difficult One.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Washington, D. C.—The present abundance of fresh vegetables and fruits brings with it the perennial necessity for their rapid, economical distribution and for encouraging a generous and steady consumption. The machinery for moving these food products is complex, and retail grocers are often accused of not following closely the wholesale market quotations; that in times of glutted markets they do not cut prices severely and aid in a rapid movement from producer to consumer. But the responsibility for slow and uneconomic movement into consumptive channels is difficult to trace. The large class of food distributors known as "middlemen" are often accused of levying, arbitrarily, a heavy tribute on all food-stuffs passing from the producer to the consumer. The attention of the public has been frequently directed to increased costs of products rather than service rendered. The new United States Department of Agriculture Bulletin, No. 257, "Methods of Wholesale Distribution of Fruits and Vegetables on Large Markets," does not indict the "middlemen" as a class, although it points out some of the abuses in the trade. As a matter of fact, says the department's specialists, when discussing the present marketing organization, economic laws would not permit the long-continued existence of a marketing agency which was solely a parasite.

Production increases. Several important factors have contributed to the establishment of many middlemen as necessary agents in the present system of marketing. Production during the last decade has increased greatly, and improved methods and facilities for handling the increase have been introduced. Keeping pace with increased production has come the demand of consumers for more elaborate and efficient service. Scarcely is the fact considered that service can become a very expensive luxury. With the widening of the distance between the city and the sources of its fruit and vegetable supplies there has arisen the necessity for special agencies to meet the changed conditions.

The present distribution machinery, with all its strong points and its weaknesses, has been created of necessity, and it has weathered the storm of much adverse criticism. Every part of the country is now enjoying the perishable products of the most remote districts. Any readjustment of present market practices must be based upon the fact that some agency must continue to perform the functions of the present-day middleman.

The problems involved in handling goods through a large market differ greatly from those of production. Usually one man or one firm cannot handle both production and distribution and succeed at both. The vast volume of business transacted at large market centers makes necessary some special agencies which can devote all their energies to distribution. Especially does the machinery for efficient marketing become necessary when perishable goods are to be handled. Commodities of this sort must be moved rapidly, must be distributed evenly, and from their nature permit of no weakness in distributive machinery, if they are to be sold at a profit.

Causes of Loss and Waste. With the perishable nature of a large part of the fruits and vegetables

WANT TARIFF BOARD

League Is Formed to Make Nation-Wide Campaign.

"Take Tariff Out of Politics" Is Slogan Under Which Leading Men of the United States Have United.

Chicago.—"Take the tariff out of politics and put it on a business basis" is the slogan of a nation-wide campaign to be undertaken in Chicago by an organization formed in Chicago to urge the establishment of a permanent non-partisan tariff commission. Many leading men in the United States have gone on record as approving the plan and are directly interested in the movement.

The Tariff Commission league, just formed in Chicago, and now in process of detailed organization, will be the medium through which the fight will be made to arouse the American public—the business world, the agricultural world, the labor world—to bring such pressure to bear upon congress that the proposed tariff commission will be created.

James J. Hill has agreed to take the chairmanship of the advisory committee of thirty members, which will pass upon all general matters of policy and action, and which is now being formed.

On Mr. Hill's advisory committee it is intended to have prominent representatives of agriculture, labor, manufacturing, trade and commerce, higher education, as well as experts on economics and public officials.

Warren S. Stone of Cleveland, grand chief of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, has accepted an invitation to serve on the advisory committee, as one of the representatives of labor. Another member of the advisory committee is Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath of Tiffin, Ohio, first vice-president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, and a recent addition is Miss Jane Addams of Chicago. Representing agriculture on that committee are: F. D. Coburn of Kansas, the "Father of Alfalfa," who for twenty years has been secretary of the Kansas department of agriculture; ex-Governor W. D. Hoard of Wisconsin, who has been called the father of the dairy industry of the West, and A. P. Groot of Illinois, one of the chief farmers of that part of the country and president of the National Alfalfa Growers' association. The composition of the remainder of the committee will be determined shortly. John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank, is treasurer of the league. G. S. Wood, a well-known newspaper man of Chicago, is assistant to the president.

The president of the Tariff Commission league, and the man who will be in direct and active charge of the campaign for the arousing of public sentiment, is Howard H. Gross of Chicago.

Losses Can Be Avoided. The fact that a large percentage of these losses can be avoided by proper grading, packing and shipping, together with prompt, efficient handling while the goods are in process of distribution, makes it imperative that this subject be given special consideration by those interested in the efficient marketing of farm crops.

A better understanding by the farmer of the complex marketing machinery would enable him to intelligently choose between the many channels through which his fruits and vegetables might be marketed. The new bulletin aims to make clear to the layman the rather intricate machinery of the market and deals with methods of receiving, inspection, rejections, terminal distribution and sales methods, the broker, auction sales, carlot wholesalers, commission merchants, jobbing sales, public markets, etc.

marketed there must be some loss. This often totals higher than the farmer realizes. For instance, according to the department's market specialists, the loss on such commodities as strawberries, peaches and grapes sometimes amounts to 30 or 40 per cent before they reach the hands of the retail trade. Losses due to spoiling may be the result of the shipper's sending overripe or diseased fruit, or failing to give proper attention to packing, to loading, or to bracing the packages in the car. Sometimes the railroad is at fault. Delay in transit, improper ventilation or refrigeration, or unnecessarily rough handling of cars may contribute to rapid deterioration of the shipment on arrival.

The lack of proper refrigeration facilities at distributing centers is a cause of much loss. When produce moves slowly, there is often much spoilage before complete sales can be made. Rough handling during unloading or carting is another important cause of loss. As a matter of fact, the opportunities for losses due to the spoiling of commodities are so manifold that it is impossible to enter into a complete discussion of them.

It is always well to bear in mind the really serious side of losses and wastes. The spoiling of a dozen cantaloupes, a basket of grapes, or a crate of strawberries represents an absolute loss to the community. No benefit accrues to producer, distributor, or consumer from such a condition. The loss occurring at this point must be borne by both producer and consumer, and in a great many cases the distributor must bear his part of the burden. The department's specialists think in many cases losses and wastes are entirely too heavy a tax on food distribution and that the elimination of unnecessary wastes would do as much toward effecting permanent, substantial economies in marketing and distribution as any readjustment of present marketing methods could do.

EUGENIC BABY PERFECT



The first eugenic baby is perfect and thriving. The baby is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin R. Bell and has been named Helen Elizabeth. She was eight and one-half pounds at birth and has gained steadily half a pound a week. She sleeps in the open and is fed with a combination of artificial and natural food. Her mother is seen holding her in the picture.

More than \$5,000,000,000 for luxuries was the record of expenditures in the United States last year.

MUCH-TRAVELING GIRLS IN COURT

Older Sister Charges That New York Paid Her Too Many Advances.

Newburgh, N. Y.—The Misses Jennie and Grace Babcock, nineteen and seventeen, of Ramapo, were arraigned in the Newburgh police court because they have too many lovers. The complaint was their older sister, Mrs. Jennie Thompson of this city. They want to visit her and then re-

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Demands of Wisconsin Woman Are Considered in Court at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Woman and her clothes was the subject of a discussion in the District Court when George Gruenewald, wealthy farmer, was arraigned on the charge of abandoning his wife and children.

Mrs. Gruenewald admitted her husband furnished her with an up-to-date home. "But he will not give me money for clothes," she said. "He doesn't give me more than \$20 a year to dress with." Gruenewald's attorney demanded to know how much was required. The court left the question to Assistant District Attorney Sullivan.

"I should say," said Sullivan, "that she could properly dress on \$3.50 a week."

"That isn't enough," Mrs. Gruenewald asserted. "I need \$5 a week." Gruenewald agreed to pay \$3.50. His wife agreed that the abandonment case be dismissed.

THORN GRIPPED DYING MAN

Jamestown, Ky.—Andrew Koford, aged seventy-one years, was caught under a thorn apple tree which he fell on his farm near here. The thorns gripped his clothing and prevented his escape while the tree slowly crushed out his life.

COFFIN AND AUTO FUNERAL FOR A DOG

Hartsville, N. Y.—Mrs. L. C. Secor provided a \$150 coffin and arranged an automobile funeral for her English bulldog and had him buried in a special cemetery near here.

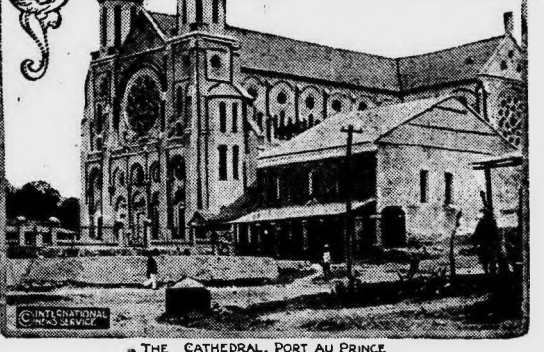
ONE LAYING HER EGGS FROM THE TOP OF A CHERRY TREE

This peculiar fact was reported here recently by Fred Forcmler, a truthful Albany business man, who had returned from a visit at the Vail farm.

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ISLAND OF MISERY



THE CATHEDRAL, PORT AU PRINCE

Haiti and Santo Domingo share jointly an island comprising roughly about 28,000 square miles, and having a total population of nearly 2,000,000. Haiti has nearly the population of Santo Domingo, but only a little more than half its area.

For 100 years Haiti ard for half that period Santo Domingo have been a cause of continual anxiety to the United States. Since gaining their independence both have been in a state of constant upheaval and bloodshed as a result of a practically unbroken succession of revolutions.

The story of Haiti is a story of misery. The characters are childish negroes, who play at dignity, spill blood and do no work. In natural advantages, Haiti is a land of fertile opulence, but what is human there is debased and wretched.

A race of simple children pretend there at being kings and emperors and presidents. All to themselves, they possess a part of a wonderful island, where once they were slaves. They had the entire island at first, but their quarrelling gashed an ugly frontier across, marking off Santo Domingo, and now the sets of warring factions are multiplied.

The fairy country of richly wooded hills, where these children play at government, is a land of palms, a land of dreams and indolence. The people of the island own lazy Africa for a mother. They are the creatures of dalliance, they are good-natured, and quick to laugh, showing their white teeth and the whites of their eyes.

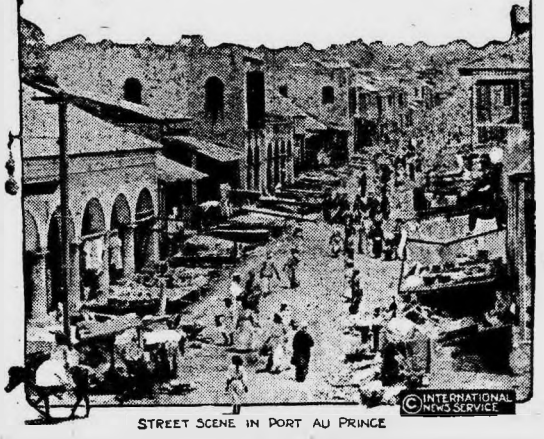
But they also have the thoughtless cruelty of children. In spite of their natural slothfulness they rage under their tropic sun with the energy of bloodthirsty beasts, wrecking their flowery paradises. They suspect the white man, fearing a return to slavery, and they carry on constant political feuds with each other. On all sides

glare. Their enlightenment, such as there is of it, is only imitative. For instance, an election is but the old tribal war cry, attended by scenes of violence. Negroes tell heir to magnificent plantations after the expulsion of their French masters. But they show a poor accounting for their stewardship. They have squandered their substance in civil war and the luxury of sluggish ease. A family here and there camps in the wilderness, living on coffee that grows wild, picking the fruits on every side, and perhaps growing a few yams. Should a man aspire to what he could call a farm, he would have to leave it for military service, or perhaps see it ruined by ravaging hordes of armed politicians.

Consequently, the vast natural resources of the country are not exploited. The island has been called the richest of all the West Indies. Anything that is planted will grow and yield crop after crop the same year. The hills are covered with forests of fine wood, practically untouched. Cotton might one day mean great wealth for Haiti, but its annual export now does not exceed a few thousand tons.

White Man's Influence Resented. But should a foreigner attempt anything for the development or uplifting of Haiti, he is fettered by obstacles at every turn. The negroes have wanted nothing of the white man. They are absurdly jealous, absurdly suspicious. The cost of the white man's absence is misery, but Haiti chooses to pay it. A fair-sized transport, circling the coast, could take away every foreigner in the country. They number scarcely 500, mostly Germans. The negroes number about a million and a half.

At every turn, the traveler is reminded of primeval savagery. One need only see the stevedores, at Port au Prince, pounce upon the bones that are thrown down to them by sailors. They are naked to the waist, and



STREET SCENE IN PORT AU PRINCE

are evidences of suspicion and hatred. The island is a land of decay. The boards of the houses are cracked and rotting. There are negroes in "ags everywhere, lazily shuffling about, doing nothing. What is picturesque is of dirt. There is no national dress, no distinctive local color. The impression one gets is of a "coon hollow," such as the slums of our southern cities might offer. But the lightheartedness of our own darters is missing. One feels that the spirit has been taken out of these Haitians. The sun glares bright and hot, yet there is a heavy cloud that depresses. When voices are raised, they are rarely mirthful, but high strung, quarrelsome, in a peevish strain.

Not Far From Savagery. Without the white man, the blacks have been sinking gradually to their original savagery of the African jun-

gle. Perhaps one Haitian in twenty can read and write. The educational system is a farce. Yet, the inhabitants are usually devoted. If a village is on fire (one of the pleasing pastimes of warring factions), the negroes will leave their huts to burn and toil frantically to save the church.

The lack of public works is pitiable. Naked children, and grown ones, too, loiter like swine in the ditch water of the public streets. The only electric lighting in the country is that in the president's palace. In all Haiti there is not an illuminated street.

"Great Man" of England

The great, fat man of England, Daniel Lambert, was born in St. Margaret, Leicester, on March 13, 1770, and died in Stamford, on June 21, 1809. He was 5 feet 11 inches in height, and at the age of twenty-three weighed 445 pounds. He constantly increased in flesh until the time of his illness, when he weighed 739 pounds. Around the thigh he measured 37 inches, and 9 feet 4 inches around the body. His coffin was 6 feet 4 inches in length, with the extraordinary width of 4 feet 4 inches, and 3 feet 4 inches in depth. A window and part of the wall of the house had to be taken out to allow its exit.

A gradual slope was made in the earth leading to the grave, so that the coffin could be permitted to descend on rollers to its final resting place.

Fish Statistics

Some interesting fishery statistics relating to the menhaden of Norway were presented in a lecture by Dr. John Hjort, the well-known Norwegian fishery expert. The work of tagging

fish, setting them free, and recording the time and place of subsequent capture has now been in progress for a number of years and has given most valuable information as to the migration of fish and as to the ratio of the catch of any given year to the total number of fish available. This ratio is about 1 to 10 in the case of the common food fishes. Attention has also been paid to the age and growth of fishes, as indicated by annual rings on their scales, and it has been learned, among other things, that fish make faster growth in some years than in others, regardless of their individual ages.

Just What She Wanted. The much-travelled foreign man had just returned from young climates, and of course he must entertain his rich old aunt (with whom he was in favor) with stories of the wonderful sights he had seen. "Yes," she said, in the course of his remarks, "there are some spectacles that can never be forgotten." "Dear me," exclaimed the absent-minded old lady, "I do wish you would get me a pair of them, John."

The "Rude" Wide-Spread Low-Down Manure "Spreaders."

The only spreader made using small beaters. Small beaters make light draft. No gears inside or between the beaters. It spreads beyond the wheels, not just between them. Spreads 7 feet wide—Bed 3½ feet wide.

Come in and let us show you this Spreader before you buy one.

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Wednesday and Thursday,
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1870 "Cabby," Quakeress Sailor, the large rim, veil-draped Sailor and the tiny Turbans in many rakish tilts.

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the ice cream that we have at our store. The mother, the child, the boy and girl; anyone who has ever tried it. The reason is because it is well made, of the purest ingredients, and frozen fresh each day; no left overs. Drop in and try a plate and see how it will refresh you.

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FOR SALE—80 acres improved and under cultivation in Washington county. 10 acres nice, hardwood timber and 10 acres in a fine young orchard, 5 acres old orchard. A good clay loam, containing just the right amount of gravel. An elegant 9-room house with good basement and fine milk cellar. Two barns, two chicken houses and a large woodshed, all in A No. 1 condition. Good fences and plenty of good water. School house near. Price, \$110 per acre, on easy terms.

FOR SALE—200-acre stock farm with a fine sod of Kentucky blue-grass. 15 acres hardwood. Running water. Price \$35 per acre. Terms to suit purchaser.

FOR SALE—116 acres in Wayne Co., one mile from town. Two good houses, 3 barns besides cribs, hog houses, etc. Good heavy soil. Gravel roads. Running water and two wells. Price \$125 per acre, part cash.

A number of other well-located farms that can be bought at rock bottom prices. Call and see photos of these places and let me explain the details of the one you are interested in.

R. R. PARROTT

62 Church St. Phone 339-W
Plymouth, Mich.

Local News

Maynard Riley of Chicago, was calling on friends here last Tuesday.

Miss Helen Lamphere of Detroit, is visiting at E. S. Roe's, this week.

Chas. Gill of Detroit, was an over Sunday guest at Robt. Mimmack's.

Miss Helen Mauger of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting Mrs. Evered Jolliffe.

Plymouth people are investing in Beautiful Elm Heights, why not you?

Little Jean Voorhies of Detroit, was a week-end visitor at Dr. J. J. Travis'.

Miss McGregor of Ann Arbor, has been the guest of Mrs. O. A. Fraser, this week.

Mrs. Belle Baird of Mankato, South Dakota, is visiting her daughter, Miss Kate Baird.

George Burr is spending a few weeks with friends at Bay View, Charlevoix and Lansing.

F. D. McCauley of Barstow, California, is visiting his brother-in-law, P. B. Whitbeck.

Mrs. Geo. Smith of Grand Rapids, visited at C. O. Dickerson's, the latter part of last week.

Earl Lauffer has returned to Plymouth after a several weeks' stay with relatives at Sparta.

We guarantee all Nyal Remedies. All others you buy at your own risk. Rockwell Pharmacy.

Mrs. E. G. Chriswell announces her fall millinery opening in a new ad in this issue of the Mail.

Miss Leda Riley has returned to her home in Chicago, after a two weeks' visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spurgeon of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. John Adams, last Sunday and Monday.

Miss Genevieve Beals, who has been spending the summer with relatives here, has returned to Youngstown, O.

First Church of Christ Scientist announces a free lecture on Christian Science, Friday evening, Sept. 17, at eight o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Robinson, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Bennett, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weed of East LeRoy, Mich., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mather this week.

Most women come to us for canning spices. Send the children. They will be treated with even more consideration than elders. Rockwell Pharmacy.

Miss Margaret Miller left the latter part of last week for a few days' visit with Mrs. Frank Keller at Lake Orion, and Mrs. John LeMunion of Gagetown. Both ladies are former residents of this place.

About twenty-five Lady Macabees went to Northville last Tuesday to attend the county association held at that place. Dr. Isabella Holden, of Port Huron, Great Medical Examiner, was the guest of honor and the principal speaker of the day. At noon a pot-luck dinner was served.

Our Advice is:
When you feel out of sorts from constipation, let us say that if you use **Small Orderlies**, do not relieve you, use a physician, because so other home remedies will, sold only by us, 10 cents.
Reyer Pharmacy.

Milton McQuarrie of Boston, Mass., is visiting friends in town.

Many from here have been in Detroit this week attending the state fair.

Frank Watson of Detroit, was a Sunday visitor at Mrs. Elizabeth Terry's.

Mrs. Zerah Burr and grandson, Burr Steinbach, of Dexter, spent the week at E. J. Burr's.

Miss Nell McLaren is the trimmer this season at Mrs. E. G. Chriswell's millinery store.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Voorhies of Detroit, announce the birth of a daughter, Friday, Sept. 3rd.

Mrs. F. J. Tousey has a new ad this week in which she announces her fall millinery opening.

A few choice lots for sale in Beautiful Elm Heights. Act quickly or the opportunity will be lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Todd and little son have returned home from a several weeks' stay in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Oliver Martin has returned home, after a several week's visit with relatives at Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor and little daughter of Detroit, visited at Mrs. Mary Lyon's over Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Patterson was called to Detroit last week Monday, to attend the funeral of her brother, A. J. Ely.

Miss Marjorie Travis and Miss Nellie Rooke have engaged rooms with Mrs. Phila Harrison for the school year.

John Mining has purchased one of George Robinson's houses on Kellogg street, now occupied by H. J. Dye and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Pettingill and Mrs. Ida M. Dunn have returned home from a two weeks' motor trip through the "Thumb."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Shear of Elm, a son, Thursday, Sept. 2. Mrs. Shear was formerly Miss Mabel Eckles of this place.

Mrs. Sarah Hastings, Mrs. Flora Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanAtta and two sons of Northville, were visitors at E. J. Burr's, last week Thursday.

Mrs. C. A. Pinckney and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson pleasantly entertained a few friends at a six o'clock dinner last week Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Don Safford.

Word has been received here of the birth of a little daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Patterson, August 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson were former Plymouth residents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lusk of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. James Wright of Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hood and daughter, Mildred, spent Sunday and Monday at Walled Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunnavan of Fremont, Indiana, were guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. A. R. Hubbell, and son, Winn, last week. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbell at Pontiac.

Wood need not rot!
Noyl need not rust!
Nor concrete "dust"!
When properly protected with Nyal Remedies. We guarantee them. Rockwell Pharmacy.

On another page of this paper will be found a large ad announcing the sale of lots in the Starkweather property in this village. These lots are very desirable for home sites, being centrally located and with all modern improvements. Several new houses are now being built on this property and more will follow. The many advantages which these lots offer will make their ready sale an easy matter. If you are thinking of purchasing a lot, read this ad, it will interest you. Louis Hillmer has the selling of these lots in charge.

The Detroit annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which includes territorially the eastern half of the lower peninsula and all of the upper peninsula of the state of Michigan, convenes at Port Huron, Sept. 15-21. Bishop Wm. Burt of Buffalo, presides. A number of Methodist people from this vicinity will attend. The pastor of the Plymouth charge preaches the last sermon of the conference year Sunday, Sept. 12th, and leaves on Tuesday, Sept. 14th, for Port Huron. All friends are invited to attend these closing services.

Following are the names of the out of town friends who attended the funeral of Wm. Howard: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bell, son and daughter of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Farrand of Eaton Rapids; Mrs. H. J. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Spran, Mrs. A. B. Rosenberger, Messrs W. Richmond, J. Ma-rooney, J. Hines, M. Graney, J. McCormick, H. Viger, L. Cole of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Miss Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wittelberger, Albert and Mrs. Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Orr, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pardoe, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harland, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Howard, Miss Mae Pardoe, Mrs. E. Candler, Mr. and Mrs. F. Van Alstine, the Misses Van Alstine, Oliver Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Maxwell, Letha Maxwell, Howard Orr, Geo. Richard and Henry Haigh of Dearborn.

Mrs. Asa Joy visited friends at Jackson last week.

E. L. Riggs is visiting his brother at Lapeer this week.

Stewart Warner of Hamburg, is visiting at Asa Joy's this week.

Miss Jennie Dean of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Asa Joy last week.

Miss Olive Coppock of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. Oliver Martin.

Mr. Upton of Detroit, was a guest at Dr. S. E. Campbell's, last Sunday.

Phone No. 73 and have an automobile call and take you to Elm Heights, Saturday or Sunday.

A. Young of Coleman, Mich., and Mr. Hutchinson of Detroit, were guests of J. M. Young over Sunday.

Mrs. Don Safford, who has been visiting with relatives here for the past two months, left Monday for her home at Dallas, Texas.

The Gleaners will have a regular meeting, Tuesday, Sept. 14. The team from Perrinville Arbor will do the initiatory work.

Frank Whitbeck, who has been spending the past three months with his parents here, has returned to the west, where he will work in the interest of the Vaper Stove Co. the coming year.

Milton McQuarrie of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Chas. Pitcher and daughter, Ada, and granddaughter, Miss Evelyn Thomas, and Winn Hubbell have returned from a week's outing at Walled Lake.

About fifteen ladies were guests of Mrs. Mary Brown at her farm home west of town last Saturday. At noon a fine picnic dinner was enjoyed and late in the afternoon the guests returned to their homes declaring the day a pleasant one.

Household Furniture for Sale
A coal stove, bedroom suite, refrigerator, hall rack, writing desk, lounge and other articles. Paul W. Voght's.

Wants, For Sale, To Rent, etc.
See 2d Line, One Insertion

FOR SALE CHEAP—4th and 8th grade school books, nearly new; also ladies' side saddle for \$5. 60 East Ann Arbor street. 40wip

FOR SALE—A lawn swing, gasoline stove and bedsprings. Mrs. M. Ladd, phone 89. 40w

FOR SALE—My 12 h. p. portable Fairbanks Morse gasoline engine; also Bowsher feed grinder. N. C. Miller, Plymouth. 40t

FOR SALE—A good cook stove in fine condition. Will be sold cheap. O. M. Rockwell. 40

FOR SALE—Rural mail box, one large and one small shirtnose box quarter-sawn oak mantle shelf. Chas. Dickerson, 68 Harvey street. Phone 338J.

FOR SALE—A new house on South Mill street, with modern conveniences. Enquire of Ed. Bauman. 35w8

FOR SALE—Potato Crates, 14c and 17c each. Enquire of George Helm, 1 mile north of Stark Station, Post-office, Plymouth, Mich., Route 3. 40v1

FOR SALE—One good house with large lot, on Starkweather avenue, cheap at \$2600; a fine one on Penniman avenue at \$3000; one on Main street at \$4500; a few good building lots for sale, prices and terms are right, house and lot on Blank street at \$2,500, and house and lot on South Main street at \$1,100. E. N. Passage. 46-ft

WANTED—To exchange a good lot in Plymouth for a second-hand Ford automobile. Enquire of Mrs. E. L. Riggs, phone 88-F3.

NOTICE—Leave your orders for peaches with Lee McDonald at the express office or phones 128 and 230-J.

FOR SALE—Seven Holstein bulls ready for service. Telephone 244-F12. 39w2

FOR SALE—One bedstead, springs and mattress, two 9x12 rugs, hall tree, coal stove. D. M. Berdan. 40w1.

FOR SALE—Two Duroc boar pigs. Enquire of F. L. Booker. 40t

FOR SALE—A Garland range in first-class condition. Enquire of F. D. Schrader. 40w1

FOR RENT—Eight-room house and stores furnished if desired. Call at Frank Loomis', 95 Main street. 40w1

ROOMS TO RENT—With bath, electric lights and heat. Inquire at 12 South Harvey street.

FOR SALE—\$575 cash buys my house and two lots, 50x145, South Main street. D. N. Severance.

FOR SALE—A small place of about 30 acres; eight-room house and other buildings. Easy terms. O. A. Maltby, South Lyon, Mich. 39w2p.

LOT FOR SALE—On Adams street. Enquire of Ernest Burdon. 39t

FOR SALE—A number of lotest posts for fences or gate posts. Inquire at 76 Penniman Ave.

Build a home outside the corporation—escape city taxes. I have for sale north of my residence on Plymouth avenue, lots, size 60x200 ft., for \$800 each. On car line, within walking distance of town. C. B. Sheppard. 40w5p

GALE'S.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES

School Book time is coming on again and at Gale's you will find a full stock of School Books and School Supplies. Tablets, Ink, Erasers, Pencils, Crayons, Blackboard Erasers, Rulers, Book Straps, Pens, Compasses, Book Bags, Composition Books, Note Books, Examination Tablets, Box Paper, Envelopes, Etc.

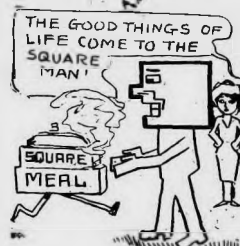
Just received new stock Tuna Fish, 10c and 15c a can.

Sugar is going up but we are still selling at the old price.

We have just started a quick auto delivery. All goods delivered up to 12 o'clock. Goods delivered in afternoon ordered before 3 o'clock.

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Salesmen will be on the premises on the above days and all those who were unable to see the property on the opening days on account of the bad weather, should take advantage of this opportunity. A large number of lots have been sold, but several of the choicest locations are still available and you should not fail to look them over. If you are looking for a homesite without one single objection, see

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PERRINSVILLE.

The L. A. S. will meet Wednesday, Sept. 16th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hanchett. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Edgar Stevens and son, Russell, of Newburg, are spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Lewis.

Dr. C. A. Gottman and wife of Detroit, spent Thursday at Paul Badelt's.

Mrs. Harry Clark of Northville, spent Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tait.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Priebe Saturday evening, and was well attended. The evening was spent in playing cards and dancing. All report a good time.

Miss Ethelyn Johnson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milroy at Redford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Theuer of Wallaceville, and Mrs. Henry Kubik spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Theuer, Sr.

Wm. Johnson and Emery Holmes were Wayne callers, Saturday.

H. E. Meldrum and wife spent Thursday in Detroit.

Frank James of Detroit, has been spending a few days at C. F. Beyer's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilkie of Detroit, were Sunday visitors at Wm. Sherwood's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis of Frog Alley, spent Sunday with Tom Bridge and family.

Mrs. Wm. McKinney and daughters were over Sunday visitors at William Schunk's.

Cooper school will begin Monday, Sept. 13th.

Frank, Henry and Jake Kubik, Geo. Cooper and Emory Holmes spent Monday at Ann Arbor.

Wm. Hirschlieb and Wm. Beyer were in Detroit, Tuesday.

Wm. Schunk has purchased a Ford car.

Chamberlain's Liniment.

If you are ever troubled with aches, pains or soreness of the muscles, you will appreciate the good qualities of Chamberlain's Liniment. Many sufferers from rheumatism and sciatica have used it with the best results. It is especially valuable for lumbago and lame back. For sale by all dealers.—Adv't.

LIVONIA CENTER.

Mrs. Frank Peck spent Sunday in Pontiac, the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dee Peck, who is being treated at a sanitarium at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hake and Mrs. Orion Smith enjoyed an outing at Lake Orion, Thursday.

Miss Adeline Simmons visited Mrs. Frank Peck, Friday, and called upon other friends. Miss Simmons was a former teacher of the school in this district and is well and favorably known here. She begins her duties Tuesday as teacher of a school at Wixom for the coming year.

Miss Vera Demming of Detroit, is spending a week at the home of H. D. Peters.

Mrs. E. E. Wolfe visited her daughters at Millard and New Hudson, Wednesday.

Mrs. Paul Lee and Miss Lois Lutz were guests of Mildred Johnson Thursday afternoon.

School began Tuesday with Miss Eva Jepson as teacher. Miss Jepson taught this school last year and made a host of friends, who are glad to welcome her back for another year.

The condition of Mrs. Wm. Cort, who has been quite ill, is slightly improved.

Our general mail carrier, J. N. Dickerson, is enjoying his vacation visiting relatives in Colorado. Mrs. Lettie Hicks is acting as Sub. during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Halstead of Novi, and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Chilson and grandchildren motored to Lake Orion, Sunday, and spent the day at that place.

Diarrhoes Quickly Cured.

My attention was first called to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as twelve years ago. At that time I was seriously ill with summer complaint. One dose of this remedy checked the trouble. I writes Mrs. C. W. Florence, Rockfield, Ind. For sale by all dealers.—Adv't.

NEWBURG.

Rev. Dutton handled the subject assigned to him by Gov. Ferris, Sunday last, in a very able manner. The subject was the one word, "Thrift," giving some excellent advice to young people. The coming Sunday will close the conference year. It is the wish of the people that he be returned to us another year. The pastor read a list of the names of business men of Plymouth, who had kindly contributed toward the church fund. The church roof are now being put in place for the wall.

The Farley and Ryder families attended the state fair Wednesday.

Mrs. Edgar Stevens, who has been quite ill, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. R. Lewis.

Miss Margaret Stevens is having a two weeks' vacation from her duties in the telephone office.

On account of the illness of the teacher, there was no school this week.

Miss Hattie Houghton and Vern returned last Wednesday, from their trip in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Emerson Woods spent last Wednesday at Rose Lawn farm.

Mrs. Day Dickerson and son, William, of Farmington, visited Mrs. W. R. LeVan, last week.

Miss Nettie Dickerson spent the week-end with Mrs. Emerson Woods.

A fire started in the upper part of Mr. Carson's house Monday afternoon, and but for the timely assistance of Albert Stevens and the men at work on the church, the house and store would probably have burned to the ground.

LAPHAM'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Allie Nelson is entertaining her uncle, Edward Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Corbin and daughter, Helen, were week-end visitors of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Curtis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whittaker attended a family reunion at Saline, Saturday.

Coda Savery is marketing plums and apples this week.

Several of our citizens are taking in the state fair this week.

The social which was to have been held at the home of Will Mager, has been postponed on account of the illness of Mr. Mager.

Miss Laura Blaich of Northville, spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Curtis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whittaker motored to Lansing, Sunday, for a few days' stay.

Eugene Nelson, mother and sister spent the week-end in Jackson, where they attended a convention.

Mrs. Alice Nelson has gone to Ann Arbor for an extended stay with her mother, Mrs. Waters.

Chas. Bovee was in Plymouth on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nelson went to Saginaw, Wednesday. They returned home with their guest, Edward Martin.

Calvin Austin was in Plymouth, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bills of Inkster, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Butler motored to Lansing last week, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Don Packard and Miss Hazel Schoch visited in Wayne, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Tiffin of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday at Chas. Tiffin's.

S. C. Cook of Chicago, spent the week-end at the home of Geo. Innis.

Mrs. C. F. Smith and Helen entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown, Allan and Mary Brown and Miss Mildred Butler, Sunday.

Mrs. Constance Simmons visited relatives at Newburg, last week.

ELM.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gow entertained friends from Detroit, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Raffles of Plymouth, visited at the parental home at Elm, last Sunday.

Albert Schroder visited relatives in Detroit Sunday and Monday and took a trip to Put-in-Bay.

Pleased to hear that Mrs. John Baur is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shaw entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Shaw and family of Clarenceville, last Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Hawkins has been improving her farm on the Plymouth road by adding an addition to the barn and several smaller buildings.

Threshing is about finished in this vicinity and the hum of the silo filler will soon be heard.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Simmons were entertained at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phillips, in Redford Sunday.

Chas. Hirschlieb made a business trip to Detroit, Monday.

The Annual Band Picnic

The annual band picnic was held at Union Lake last Sunday. The band with friends, numbering over eighty, were pleasantly entertained at Fred Burch's cottage on the banks of that picturesque lake. Twenty-three automobiles carried the guests to their place of entertainment, and although the weather was far from pleasant, it did not interfere with the pleasure of the guests. At noon a fine dinner was served, and during the afternoon the band entertained the company with excellent music. The day was also made memorable because it was the celebration of the eighty-fifth birthday of one of their number present, Captain T. V. Quackenbush. Mr. Quackenbush enjoys fairly good health for one of his age, and is able to go about and enjoy life. It is the earnest wish of his friends that he may attend many more like occasions. Late in the afternoon the guests returned home, declaring that the day had indeed been a pleasant one.

Miss Eva Willett, who has been quite seriously ill, is improving.

Robert Birch of this place, spent Saturday and Sunday at the local convention of Bible Students of Jackson.

Week-end visitors at H. C. Hager's were: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Whitney of Albion, Master Virian Whitney of Battle Creek, and Mrs. Bross Hayes of Nashville, Mich. Sunday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Curtis and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. Thompson, all of Detroit.

Miss E. Steveson of Detroit, visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Innis, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Mary Brown of Superior, spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Mildred Butler.

Mrs. Nina Heesay began her third year of school in Salem this week.

In And Around Plymouth

Chas. McLaren, who was operated upon some time ago for appendicitis, has so far recovered as to get out among us again.—South Lyon Herald.

The State Teachers' Institute for Wayne county is being held in Detroit this week, and the Plymouth schools are closed that the teachers may attend the sessions of the institute.

J. H. Patterson of Plymouth, who had the contract to build our new school house, has completed his part of the work to the complete satisfaction of the school board and all others who see the completed building. It is a pleasure to have such a man do a piece of work of this kind.—South Lyon Herald.

The peach crop promises to be unusually large this year in this vicinity.

Hills Bros., who have one of the large orchards, believe their crop will reach 2000 bushels of several fine varieties.

Fred Simmons & Sons and Frank Hamilton also have splendid orchards and are harvesting a luxurious crop.—Northville Record.

William Rounds, a typical western horseman, passed through Chelsea Wednesday, en route to his home in Gillette, Wyoming on horseback. His father formerly lived near Plymouth, but the son was born in Wyoming and had never before been in Michigan until he came east with a carload of horses this summer. He expects to make the entire trip home in the saddle.—Chelsea Tribune.

The following new order from the postoffice department went into effect Sept. 1st: Fourth-class mail shall not be registered, but may be insured against loss in an amount equivalent to its actual value, but not to exceed \$5 in any one case, on payment of a fee of 3 cents; not to exceed \$25 on payment of a fee of 5 cents; not to exceed \$50 on payment of a fee of 10 cents, or not to exceed \$100 on payment of a fee of 25 cents, in addition to the postage; but indemnity will not be allowed in cases of loss of such mail addressed to the Philippine islands, unless the loss occurred in the postal service of the United States. This amendment provides that the following indemnity will be paid for loss of insured parcels mailed on and after September 1, 1915: Covered by a 3-cent fee, value up to \$5; covered by a 5-cent fee, value up to \$25; covered by a 10-cent fee, value up to \$50; covered by a 25-cent fee, value up to \$100.

The meeting of the Plymouth Gun Club was held Thursday at the "Chase" farm on the Plymouth road. Twelve shooters were in evidence and some good shooting resulted. The score was as follows:

W. Murray, 22 out of a possible 25
F. Bamber, 19 " " " 25
M. Murray, 15 " " " 25
J. Youngs, 15 " " " 25
T. P. Sherman, 11 " " " 25
C. Rathburn, 11 " " " 25
Ryder, 11 " " " 25
R. Wheeler, 10 " " " 25
W. Bamber, 10 " " " 25
O. Passage, 8 " " " 25
J. Patterson, 7 " " " 25
M. Powell, 6 " " " 25

B. Punched got every one he shot at. Moral: He did not shoot.

Everyone who can shoot can consider themselves invited any Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

Take a Jaxall Orderlie Tonight

It will act as a laxative in the morning

Bayer Pharmacy.

County Roads Need \$300,000

Commissioners to Ask for One-half Mill Tax

Doubling of the Mileage of Wayne's Famous Road Is the Object

The \$2,000,000 good roads appropriation made five years ago by Wayne county, through a bond issue, practically will be exhausted at the end of the county's fiscal year, the last day of this month. To continue the work of road building, which has made Wayne county famous throughout the United States, Road Commissioners Hines, Haggerty and Butler will ask the supervisors at their October meeting to spread a half-mill tax that will provide \$300,000 for road building next year.

"We have some money left now because of the slowness of work this summer, due to bad weather," said Commissioner Hines to the Journal Thursday, "and with it we will be able to continue working in October. But for next year's work there must be some provision made.

"There are only two ways. One is by another bond issue, and none of us favor asking for such an item. The other way is by direct tax. Previous to the \$2,000,000 bond appropriation there was a half mill county tax to provide road funds and we have decided to ask the supervisors to restore this at their meeting next month.

"The horsepower tax on automobiles, it has been estimated, will provide \$300,000 or more for Wayne roads, but this tax is to be attacked in the courts. If it is sustained, we will not need the direct tax, but some provision has to be made for next year at this time, or no road work can be done."

The Labadie-Ross Motion Picture players will present the laughable three-act comedy drama, entitled "Casey Jones," at the Plymouth opera house, this Friday evening, Sept. 10th. Many specialties will be introduced between acts. Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats without extra charge at Pinckney's Pharmacy. THIS IS NOT MOVING PICTURES.

Thompson & Fisher have secured a number of features from the World Film Corporation of Detroit, which will be shown at the Plymouth opera house every Saturday evening. Remember every Saturday night will be reserved for special productions. AD-MISSION 10c. Two shows each night, 7:00 to 8:30 and 8:30 to 10:00. Come see "Old Dutch," the first of these features to be shown, Saturday night, Sept. 11th.

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