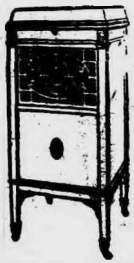


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Opening Number on Entertainment Course Exceptionally Fine

The opening number on the Citizens' Entertainment Course was given by The Old Colonial Band at the packed house, and it is universally pronounced by all who heard them to have been the best musical entertainment of its kind ever given in Plymouth. It is something entirely new in the way of a Lyceum attraction. The band is composed of twelve musicians under the direction of E. Carmelny, at one time cornet soloist with Liberty's band, and several other famous musical organizations. The costuming of the band is true to the days portrayed and is very picturesque. Each individual member of the band is an artist of ability. The program included ensemble numbers, sextets, quartets, trios, duets and solos. Each number on the program was splendid and received a hearty encore. Two cornet solos by E. Carmelny, the director, were beautifully rendered.

One of the most pleasing features of the evening's entertainment, was the vocal selections by Ambrose Wynick. No vocalist has appeared here in some time whose singing was so well received and appreciated as the numbers rendered by Mr. Wynick. His Scotch songs were simply great. He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Bertha Beals of this village.

The closing number of the band's program was the presentation of "The Spirit of '76." The appearance of the trio, who formed this historic picture, was greeted with a burst of applause of appreciation from the large audience. It was indeed a most fitting ending to an evening of great enjoyment and pleasure. It was the hope of everyone who was present, that the band and Mr. Wynick might appear again in Plymouth at some future time.

Presbyterian Entertainment Well Received

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church at the village hall, last Friday evening, was largely attended. The chorus, composed of thirty children, sang some catchy songs that furnished a large part of the evening's entertainment. Every one of these numbers was rendered in a most pleasing manner and received numerous encores. Among the song numbers by the chorus which deserve special mention were: "When the Bells Ring" and "I Wore a Big Red Rose." During the singing of this number Gladys Schrader and Dorothy Dodeley did some fancy dancing that delighted the audience, and "Smarty," which was acted out by the Schrader twins, Edwin and Evelyn, made one of the decided hits of the evening. Jeannette Whipple as a little newsboy, sang "Home Sweet Home," in a most charming manner. Little Gladys Schrader rendered a piano solo very nicely and responded to an encore. Calvin Whipple, in the character of a colored gentleman, sang a solo in the same pleasing manner that always makes him a favorite with Plymouth audiences. Rev. B. F. Farber rendered a solo most beautifully and responded to an encore. Harry Green gave a reading entitled "The Village Gossip." Mr. Green's portrayal of the character of the gossiping old lady was splendid and as natural as life, and he kept the audience continually laughing. He was heartily applauded for his efforts. The ladies' quartette, composed of Miss Hazel Conner, Mrs. F. F. Bennett, Mrs. Wm. Baker and Mrs. J. L. Oliver rendered a number that was greatly appreciated. The male quartette, composed of Calvin, Elmer and Austin Whipple and Evered Jolliffe, gave a song number that was splendidly rendered, and responded to an encore. Miss Bertha Beals was the accompanist on the piano for the evening. Those who had the entertainment in charge and the training of the children are to be congratulated on the success of the splendid program.

War Sidelights

In this issue of the Mail we are publishing two special articles by correspondents on the battle-lines in Europe. "War Horrors" gives the impressions of a civilian stretcher bearer at the front in France. "Sniper's Grim Work" describes the ghastly assignment of a sharpshooter in picking off unsuspecting enemy soldiers.

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Woman's Literary Club Visited Northville

The Woman's Literary club of Plymouth, on invitation attended a reciprocity meeting of the literary club of Northville, Friday afternoon, Oct. 29. The ladies were met at the car by officers of the Northville club and were escorted to the club room in the pleasant library building, where a hearty reception was given the visiting ladies. The room was made interesting and cheerful by All-Hallow's decorations. Not even the witch with her broom was omitted, while pumpkins, black cats and Kuppies were prominent on all sides.

The president, Mrs. B. A. Woehler, on calling the meeting to order, spoke of the purpose of the meeting and the mutual benefit such meetings might be to the clubs. Then followed a piano solo and encore by Mrs. Strong of Northville, after which Mrs. Charles Dubuar gave a very interesting talk on the "Big Brother" movement, especially pointing out the great good received by the "Big Brother" as well as by the juvenile first offender.

Mrs. Farber of Plymouth, read an instructive and carefully prepared paper on "The Evolution of the Novel." Expressions of appreciation of the paper were heard from many present. This was followed by a vocal solo and encore effectively sung by Mrs. R. E. Cooper, accompanied by Miss Bertha Beals.

Mrs. John Cleaver of Northville, then closed the program by giving an excellent reading of "Tam O'Shanter," her clear understanding of the Scotch dialect being greatly appreciated by all present.

At the close of the literary program, light refreshments were served by the Northville ladies.

Rev. Bell's Sunday-School Class Will Hold Banquet

The second annual banquet of Rev. A. L. Bell's Sunday-school class will be held Tuesday evening, Nov. 9th, at 7:30 p. m., in the parlors of the Baptist church. Prominent speakers from Detroit and Pontiac will be present, also some fine vocal and instrumental music will be rendered. Members of the club are urged to secure their tickets as soon as possible from the class secretary, Miss Mabel Merkeson.

Tom Leith Will Establish Training Camp at Island Lake

Tom Leith of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in town. He has purchased the Swastika Inn at Island Lake and has leased a few acres of land surrounding it. Mr. Leith and another gentleman intend to make a permanent training camp of it where boys from the city will come out and receive instruction both mentally and physically during the summer months. Mr. Leith has specialized in athletics and is considered a very good physical instructor.—Brighton Argus.

Judge Durfee Has 73rd Birthday

Last week Thursday was Probate Judge Edgar O. Durfee's seventy-third birthday anniversary. Hundreds of friends of Judge Durfee took the opportunity to extend hearty congratulations to Wayne county's honored judge of probate. Judge Durfee was born in Plymouth and has many friends here, though it has been many years since he resided here.

For 39 years Judge Durfee has presided over Wayne county probate courts and for 43 years has been connected with the probate offices, serving four years as register of probate before being appointed judge, January 1, 1877.

"It is hard to realize that I am growing old," said Judge Durfee, "until I look back and see the wonderful changes that have taken place in Wayne county during my term of office. I enjoy my work as much as ever and am content. What more can I wish?"

Thirty-eight members of the Eighth grade of Plymouth schools enjoyed a Halloween party in the dining room of the M. E. church last Friday evening. The room was decorated in keeping with the occasion. Various games furnished the amusement of the evening, and light refreshments were served.

Presbyterian Men Banquet and Make Building Plans

More than thirty men of the membership and congregation of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a fine supper in the church parlors Tuesday evening. The supper was served by the men and it is needless to say that the menu was all that could be desired. After the supper the affairs of the church for the coming year were discussed at some length. Among the most important matters that were taken under consideration was that of building an addition to the present church edifice, that would provide for much needed room for Sunday-school purposes, etc. It was the unanimous opinion of all present that this matter which has been under consideration for some time, should be undertaken at once, and the men entered into the preliminary arrangements with much enthusiasm. Right then and there, plans were discussed and the work is now under way. It is planned to practically tear away the chapel on the south side of the church building and the old wooden part at the rear. The new addition will include large and commodious Sunday-school rooms on the ground floor, while the basement will be given over to the dining room, kitchen and lavatories. The new addition will contain every modern improvement when completed. A new heating plant will also be installed. The work of remodeling will be started just as soon as the architects can draw the plans for the improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gill and son of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Galpin of Dixboro, took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hurston.

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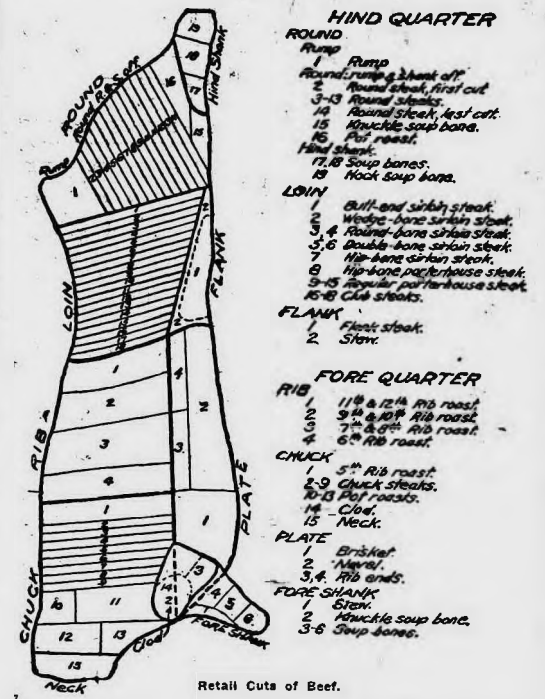
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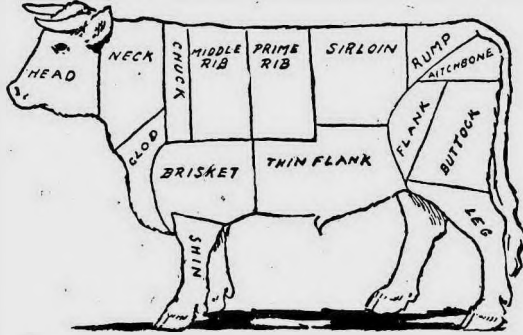
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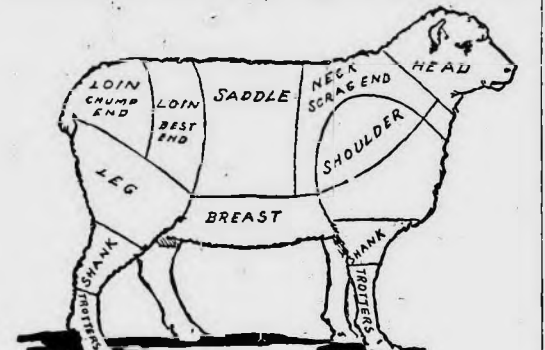


Retail Cuts of Beef.

A LARGE majority of meat consumers have no knowledge whatever of the food value of meat from different parts of the carcass... The various plate cuts—brisket, navel and rib ends average 51 per cent lean, 41 per cent fat, and 8 per cent bone... Another Diagram Showing Cuts of Beef.



Another Diagram Showing Cuts of Beef.



Retail Cuts of Mutton.

round average 65 per cent lean, 18 per cent fat, and 17 per cent bone. Round steak contains 74 to 84 per cent lean, the rump roast 49 per cent, round pot. oast 85 per cent, and soup bones 8 to 66 per cent.

FROM ALL PARTS

A fairly accurate sun dial has been invented that can be held in the hand and adjusted to tell the time in any latitude. Rubber tubing can be kept from deteriorating when not in use by storing it in water to which a little salt has been added.

BUILDING STEEL CARS

WORK THAT REQUIRES FINE SKILL AND MACHINERY. Immense Shears That Cut Through a Quarter-inch Plate With Ease—Thousands of Rivets Used on Every Carriage. The building in which steel box cars are constructed for a leading eastern railroad—the Altoona Steel Car shop—covers the space of a large city square and looks as though it had been built to be the mammoth of all convention halls.

These plates are first moved by overhead cranes to the shearing machines, of which there are several of different sizes. Suspended in chains, so that they may be swung and turned with the least possible expenditure of human effort, the plates are seized by gangs of men, who, combining skill with brawn, guide them between the blades of the shears, where they are cut into the proper shapes.

Next in order, after the joining of the center sills, is the fitting and riveting of the diaphragms and braces, the application of air-brake equipment and couplers, and riveting the sides and ends.

Marketing should be done in person. To this rule there is no exception, it is for the purchaser himself to see whether the chops be large or small, the slice of ham of the proper cut and thickness and what the proportion of waste in the piece of meat she is purchasing.

This invention relates to train stops—that is, to mechanism used for automatically stopping a train when the latter would otherwise be exposed to danger. More particularly stated, it relates to train stops of the kind operated by electricity and controllable automatically by a predetermined condition of one or more electric currents.

Begin an Alaska Railroad. The steamer Wilmington from Panama began discharging fifteen hundred tons of equipment for the government railroad, says a recent dispatch from Seward, Alaska.

Idaho Has a Seaport. The completion of the Collio canal on the Oregon side of the Columbia river adds Idaho to the list of states having a seaport. It is now possible for stern-wheel river steamers to pass from the Pacific ocean to Lewiston, at the head of navigation on the Snake river, a distance of 480 miles.

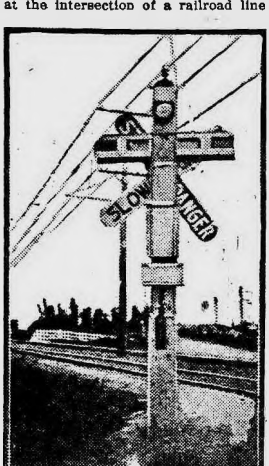
Life as It Really Is. Anyone can carry his burden, however heavy, till he is tired. Anyone can do his work, however hard, for one day. Anyone can live sweetly, patiently, lovingly, purely, till the sun goes down. And that is all that life ever really means.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

CHARACTER THE GREAT POINT

Matter Worth Consideration by Men Who Occupy Positions That Entail Degree of Responsibility. One of the railroads had a bad collision recently. The conductor, engineer and fireman of an extra train all forgot about a regular passenger train, the schedule of which they knew perfectly well, and ran into it from behind.

Warning and Precautionary Device at Intersection of Line and Automobile Road. The danger signal shown in the accompanying illustration was erected at the intersection of a railroad line

and automobile road. As a train enters the danger zone the signal reads "Stop, Danger," and at other times, "Slow, Caution." In the view the blades may be seen changing position as a car is approaching.



A New Type of Railroad Crossing Signal in Which the Arms Change Position to Warn Oncoming Pedestrians and Drivers.

When the Deaf Hear. It is often said that persons afflicted with certain forms of deafness can hear perfectly in the midst of a tumult. A locomotive engineer was found to be very deaf, and, although he protested that he could hear perfectly well while on his engine, he was suspended from duty.

Guarding Their Eyes. That some of the railroads are doing good work in accident prevention, outside of transportation problems, is indicated in an illustration in Safety Engineering from a photograph taken in the shops of the Baltimore and Ohio. An emergency wheel is guarded in an efficient manner.

Sixty Years With One Line. A. W. Dewitt, who died a short time ago, worked 60 years for the Erie railroad, having begun in the day of the old diamond stack, wood-burning, four-wheeled locomotive. Dewitt invented a duplex train check, which is now in nation-wide use.

Owners of Railroad Stock. Exactly 622,284 people in the United States own railroad stock. The average amount held figures out at \$13,958.

The Title. "I heard that a big orchard owner out West had a plan to drill his fruit workers." "I suppose, then, he would call them his apple corps." The Difference. "I think our taxicabs are such ugly affairs." "Then you ought to go to London. There you can always get handsome cabs."

Table Dainties from Sunny Climes. Libby's California Asparagus and Hawaiian Pineapple. From tropical Hawaii, home of the sweetest, most luscious pineapple, comes the one; and California, where the tenderest asparagus grows, supplies the other.

Put On. Educators and let your feet "grow as they should," free from corns, bunions, ingrowing nails, callouses, falling arch, etc. Narrow, pointed toe-binding shoes will never give you that freedom.

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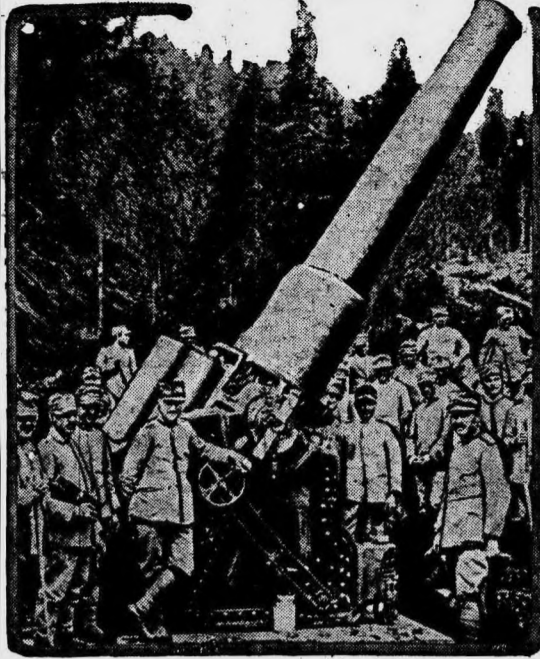
Medal of Honor Awarded. Gold Medal Awarded New Perfection Heater. Look for the Triangle. The Superior Jury of Awards of the Panama-Pacific Exposition has awarded the New Perfection Line a medal of honor.

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ITALIAN-BIG GUN IN THE ALPS



One of the heavy guns with which the Italians have been battering the Austrian fortifications in the Pyrenees Alps. Elevated to an angle of 45 degrees, it can shell a shell with accuracy some fifteen miles away.

SEES WAR HORRORS

Stretcher Bearer Gives Impressions of Life at Front.

Is Nearly Overcome by Sight of First Operation Till Given Slap by Surgeon—Dare Not Tell Men Truth.

Villers-Cotterets.—We had just left the hospital and had reached the station. We were exchanging glances of joy and shaking hands, saying "Paris! We are going to see Paris again!" The train was waiting on a siding. We climbed into it; the hospital attendants placed us in our seats.

There I heard a conversation that struck me more than has any other since the beginning of the war. One of the soldiers in our carriage, doubtless in a confidential mood that day, began to relate the impressions of his life as a military hospital attendant.

"It was in the early days of the war. I had received a commission as stretcher bearer in a hospital at Nice. The first wounded arrived; long trains were filled with them; they had lain on the straw of the cars throughout the interminable journey across France in slow military trains, which were constantly delayed. Many died on the way; others were landed here and there in heaps. How feverishly we had to work; there was not a minute to be lost.

"I remember the terrible slap the head surgeon gave me the first day he entered the operating room, when I was ordered to hold a wounded soldier whose leg was being amputated. The odor, the cruel sight of the operation, caused me to turn as white as death, and I was about to faint. That blow brought me quickly to my senses. I have seen worse sights since!

"We spent some terrible moments of anguish there. We had no antitoxin serum; we had written and telegraphed everywhere for it, but the hospitals which had it kept it jealously and it was impossible to obtain any.

"I recall one of the finest men I have ever known, a charming comrade, who was wounded in the foot. His wound was not serious; at the end of two weeks it had healed. Then one night he felt a stiffness in his neck; his mind began to wander, his muscles to contract. He was done for. All we could do was to relieve his suffering.

"Whenever a patient had an attack of this nature we dared not tell him what it was. He was sent to a special hospital; it wasn't a hospital, it was a morgue. He went there to die.

"Finally, one day we heard that serum could be procured at a fantastic price in Italy. The doctor immediately requisitioned the swiftest automobiles he could find in Nice. The next day we had serum and tetanus disappeared.

"The recollection of this period is not more terrible than that of the days I spent in Arras as stretcher bearer during the fierce combats of Notre Dame du Loreste. I was there a month gathering the dead and wounded; witnessing the most terrible mutilations; my ears filled with the groans of men. The work was hard; we had to carry the men away on our backs, for the approaches were too narrow to permit of the use of stretchers. More than one died on my back.

"I am old. I'm forty-six. I was taken from the trenches, and I am now one of the conductors of this train of wounded.

"Day before yesterday we had a wounded soldier whose head was a mass of bandages, with a little hole in the place of his mouth. Another hospital attendant and I were curious enough to raise his bandage. His tag indicated that his nose and the lower part of his face had been torn away by the splinter of a shell. By luck he had not lost his sight. His wounds had been cleaned and disinfected; a piece of skin had been removed from his back and applied to his face; in this a round hole was made through which he was fed, and another through which he breathed. Liquid food was given him by means of a rubber tube.

"And those poor unfortunates whose limbs have been amputated! I saw one whose two arms and a leg had been cut off. He had received more than 200 shell splinters; the greater part were small, like pinheads."

"As we listened to this man, sad and serious, a fine tall Moroccan, who was wounded, got up from his seat. His eyes were filled with tears and he started to talk with fierce energy.

"Why French take care bocho have many children, begin war again with children, and war no good. French stupid. Boches, kill all, all bad men. When no more boches, no more war. That good."

Professor Lost in Wilds. Berkeley, Cal.—Mrs. Genevieve Bridwell, wife of J. W. Bridwell, former entomologist at the University of California, is on her way to the antipodes in search of her husband, who went into the wilds of western Australia some months ago in the search of parasites to control insect pests.

War Swells Rail Victims. London.—The board of trade figures for a year, not including the most recent railway disaster in which nearly 300 persons lost their lives, show that on the 23,700 miles of railway in the United Kingdom during the year covered by the report, 125 passengers were killed, while 3,446 were injured. Of railway employees, 425 were killed in this period and 5,065 injured. This is a vasty worse showing than ever before. A fact due, perhaps, to the changes in servants and schedules owing to the war.

SNIPER'S GRIM WORK

Sharpshooter's Bullet Has Special Formidableness.

For Hours the Sniper Patiently Waits for the Opening of a Loophole or the Sight of a Cap.

British Headquarters.—It would be interesting, if such a calculation were possible, to classify the agencies to which the total daily casualties are due. Whatever the statistics might prove, the most formidable agency is still the sniper's bullet.

It is possible, perhaps even probable, that the majority of British casualties would be found to be attributed to shell fire. It might be found that along a particular line of trench the bulk of the men are knocked out by hand grenades. But the sharpshooter's bullet has a special formidableness of its own such as is enjoyed by no other weapon.

The shell, the rifle grenade, the trench mortar at least give some warning to the ear; the bomb and the aerial torpedo are visible as they come through the air in daytime, and may frequently be dodged. The "listeners" are generally able to give some warning as to the operations and progress of hostile miners. The bullet alone is absolutely unobtrusive, instantaneous, and unceasing.

One may take a certain amount of liberties, as it were, with shell fire. A single man, or even two men, provided that they are not obviously people of importance, may risk a walk along a stretch of ground in view of the enemy's guns, simply because it is not worth a gunner's while to shoot at every individual enemy he sees.

No such familiarity is safe with a sniper. He is always on the lookout for unsuspected trifles, and all the more ready to fire that his ammunition is so cheap and plentiful.

This static trench warfare has largely curtailed the activities of the old type of sniper—the sniper, that is to say, who concealed himself in some neat piece of cover and thence, with the aid of telescopic sights, picked off individuals at a long range. And this, for two reasons.

In the first place, as soon as the two armies realized that trench warfare was likely to last for months, they set to work very naturally to elaborate their defenses, and have largely defeated the sniper proper by the very elaboration and multiplicity of their communication trenches. And, secondly, the immobility of the front has meant that very many of the sniper's haunts have gradually become found out and are so carefully watched as to be almost untenable.

The old sniper has thus been forced more and more into the background, and finds it increasingly difficult to get anything like a good day's bag.

The other afternoon I was with two snipers when they at last spotted a German sump in a field. The distance was made out to be just over 2,000 yards. Each of my companions was a well-known big game shot, and they each fired a couple of rounds at the enemy.

The bullets must have gone uncomfortably near the mark, for after each shot the man started about him with a puzzled movement, but he stalked off. This was, of course, an extreme range, but the marksmen were exceptionally good, and their failure to find anything but so unpromising a target shows clearly enough that the only possible marks are frequently set at virtually impossible ranges.

But, with the temporary extinction of the sniper proper, there has grown up a host of trench snipers, men who

are constantly firing at from 20 to 300 yards or more. This may be the ridiculously small distance separating the opposing lines. One of the bewildering features of the war is the daily publication of long lists at a time when there is nothing sufficiently important to justify a British communiqué. Behind the rows of sandbags which face one another with such apparent purposefulness, there are the snipers who will spend hours waiting for the opening of a loophole, the sight of a cap or a hand incautiously raised above the parapet, the hoisting of a periscope, a shovel—anything which may betoken the least undue activity.

There is a constant pitting of patient vigilance against ignorance, carelessness, or the sheer recklessness born of physical fatigue. The strain of being under shell fire may be more acute while it lasts, but, in the long run, it is the unintermittent crack of the bullet which jars the nervous system most permanently.

A man, whom I will call "A," was admittedly one of the first half dozen rifle snipers in Great Britain. In the early days of the war his special value as a rapid firer during the German attacks in masses was great. "A" was later put in a machine-gun section, and was finally killed while going to fetch water for the gun. That, surely, was a job which might have been detailed to a less valuable man. It would seem to be only common prudence that first-class shots should be carefully husbanded.

Pomona, Cal.—Hitched to a light wagon in the place of a faithful mule which perished in the desert, William Green, an old animal trainer from New Orleans, arrived here and appealed to Mayor Vandergrift for aid. He was sick and penniless.

Green left New Orleans last March, headed for the San Francisco Exposition. He had a show wagon drawn by the mule. In the wagon were 18 performing dogs. Green himself was once a leading light of minstrelsy.

The wandering minstrel raked in the money till he struck the desert in Arizona and then his fortune faded. His mule died of thirst. He bought a horse and it perished on the desert. His intelligent dogs, some of which were valued at \$500, dropped off one by one. He says aid given by passengers of an overland train enabled him to get out of the desert with his own life.

Oldest Red Cross Member. A Pointed Cap, Canadian Indian. Who at 108 Sends Portrait to Canadian Premier.

Ottawa, Can.—A novel picture has been received by Sir Robert Borden the Canadian premier, and forwarded by him to the local Red Cross rooms. It is that of the oldest member of the Red Cross society in the world, and that a western Indian, Pointed Cap, who belongs to the File Hills Indian reserve in Saskatchewan. He will be one hundred and eight years old on November 14 next.

The establishment of a branch of the Red Cross society for these Indians shows how deeply the people of all classes in the Dominion are interested in the war and eager to find a way of lending assistance.

Flatiron Explodes and Injures Girls. Berlinville, O.—Edna and Gertrude Jenkins, daughters of a farmer living near here, were painfully burned the other day, when a flatiron containing a heater fed with gasoline exploded in Miss Edna Jenkins' hands.

M. Yergason and Edward A. Deming. The operation first performed three years ago by Doctor Albee of New York city is one of the most difficult known to medical science today. The Newington Home is operated by the Connecticut Children's Aid society. For many years the name of the institution was the Newington Home for incurables, but because of the number of cures, both in spinal and hip trouble and in club foot and paralysis which the doctors were able to effect, the name recently was changed.

War Swells Rail Victims. London.—The board of trade figures for a year, not including the most recent railway disaster in which nearly 300 persons lost their lives, show that on the 23,700 miles of railway in the United Kingdom during the year covered by the report, 125 passengers were killed, while 3,446 were injured. Of railway employees, 425 were killed in this period and 5,065 injured. This is a vasty worse showing than ever before. A fact due, perhaps, to the changes in servants and schedules owing to the war.

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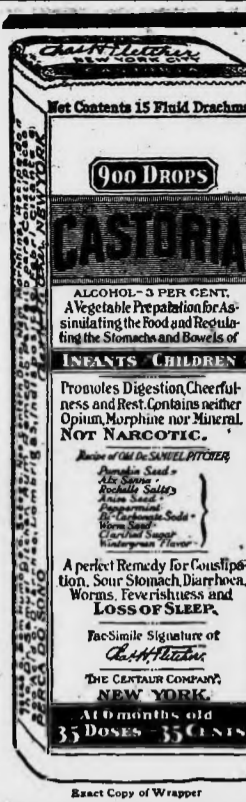
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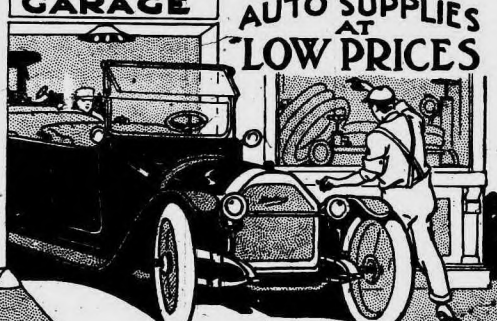


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Local News

Special cloak sale at Riggs' Saturday, November 6th.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Free church will meet at the home of Mrs. Thomas Geer, Thursday, Nov. 11.

Mrs. S. C. Hensch returned to her home at Benton Harbor, Saturday, after a week's visit with relatives here.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Louis Hinman Wednesday afternoon and will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Sarah Bartlett.

The case of Samuel Bettern against the village of Plymouth was up for a hearing last Friday afternoon. Bettern, who was employed by the village in digging a sewer, was injured while at work on October 2, 1914. He brought action for damages for permanent injury under the compensation act. At the time of the accident the village paid hospital, doctor bills and other expenses at the request of Mr. Bettern. A board of arbitration before whom such cases are heard was composed of Deputy Commissioner Orna E. Reaves of the Industrial Accident board, E. N. Passage for the village and a Mr. Monask for the complainant. After hearing the facts in the case, the board allowed the complainant \$5.77 per week for a period of twenty-eight weeks, instead of for five hundred weeks as asked for by Bettern, making a total of \$161.50. From this amount \$38 was deducted as being the amount paid to Mr. Bettern personally by the village, leaving a balance of \$123.50, the total amount of the judgment awarded the complainant by the board. Attorney J. S. Dayton represented the village and Attorney Swartz of Detroit, Mr. Bettern.

Hammond-Gierschke

A quiet wedding occurred at the Methodist parsonage Plymouth, on Saturday evening, October 30th, when Josephine F. Gierschke of Detroit, was united in marriage to Conrad H. Hammond, one of Plymouth's highly respected young men. The happy pair will reside on Pennington avenue, west. Rev. Joseph Dutton, pastor, read the ring service of the church. The bride is an estimable young lady who will soon win her way into the friendship of the people of Plymouth.

OBITUARY

John A. Lutz was born in Wurttemberg, Germany, March 18, 1844, and died Oct. 28, 1915, at 11:13 o'clock, aged 71 years, 7 months. He came to New York when he was eight years old to join his father. May 27, 1885, he was married to Margaret Schwap at Waltz, Michigan. Five children were born to them, all of whom are living: John of Grand Rapids, Charles of Belaire, George of Pontiac, Henry of Plymouth and Mrs. Clara Russell of Pontiac. Besides the widow and children there are nine grandchildren to mourn their loss.

Plymouth Gun Club Weekly Shoot

The Plymouth Gun club held its regular shoot Thursday with the following result:

Merle Murray	19	"	"	25
R. Wheeler	18	"	"	25
J. Gates	15	"	"	25
John Patterson	14	"	"	25
C. McConnell	12	"	"	25
John Moss	9	"	"	25
Warren Baxter	8	"	"	25
Matt Powell	8	"	"	25

For the Family Medicine Chest

Green Bay, Wis., Mrs. Wm. F. Babala says: "I always use Foley's Honey and Tar for my children as it quickly breaks up their colds with no bad after effects, and they like to take it."

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St. John's Episcopal Mission Confirmation Services

The Rt. Rev. Charles D. Williams, D. D., Bishop of Michigan, made his annual visitation to the mission last Wednesday evening, upon which occasion, he bestowed the apostolic rite of confirmation upon four candidates. There was a very large congregation. A vested choir of twenty voices from Trinity church, Detroit, under the leadership of their director, H. Broadbent, rendered the musical part of the service, and it is not too much to say the singing was an inspiration to all present. The service commenced with the professional hymn, "For all the Saints who from their labors rest." A shortened form of evening prayer followed, and after the singing of the hymn, "Soldiers of Christ Arise," during the singing of which the candidates advanced toward the altar, the confirmation service proceeded. The candidates were presented by the lay missionary, H. Midworth, who also read the lesson. After the laying on of hands the hymn, "Oh, Jesus I have promised," was heartily sung by the choir and congregation. This was followed with an address by the bishop, whose earnest words of warning and advice to the candidates greatly impressed all those who were present.

The bishop was met at the depot by E. C. Hough, also the warden and treasurer, and was entertained until the commencement of the service by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilcox at their home. At the conclusion of the services he was taken to the depot by Chauncey Rauch.

We wish also to record a very pleasing incident. A church member handed to the treasurer a donation of \$30, to be applied toward the building fund of a new church, for which the warden and vestry extend their grateful acknowledgment and thanks.

In And Around Plymouth

The village of South Lyon was purchased a new chemical fire engine.

Next April the citizens of Oakland county will vote on a million dollar bond issue for good roads.

Oxford is after the auto speeders alright. One day recently a half dozen speeders cashed in \$80 in fines.

Royal Oak expects that the free delivery of mail will start this month. When will it start in Plymouth?

Everything is so trimmed in fur this year that the well known cat will have need of all of its nine lives.—South Lyon Herald.

Mrs. Mary Russell, who has been living with her son in Plymouth, will now occupy her own home on Cady street.—Northville Record.

Northville's business men are considering the proposition of organizing a civic council for the betterment and advancement of the village.

William Whittaker has moved his family from South Lyon to Stark, where he is employed in the cafe recently owned by Hemenway & Fair on the Plymouth road.

G. W. Gale reports a splendid wheat yield on his farm in Superior township, 529 bushels of excellent quality wheat having been secured from 10 acres. From 18 acres of oats a yield of 1196 bushels was recorded.—Ypsilanti Record.

SCHOOL NOTES.

HIGH SCHOOL
Miss S. Mildred Nurko is our new teacher in music and drawing.
Miss Hanford's class in English IV are reading Shakespeare's play, "As You Like It."

GRADES
Smith Fellon of the First grade moves to Detroit this week.
The Fifth grade had a "weenie" roast on the school grounds the night before Halloween.
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SHOWING HOW TO DO THINGS

Much That Could Be Accomplished by Woman County Agent in a Community.

The United States department of Agriculture has started a movement to place a woman county agent in every community in this country. And why shouldn't it? Mother needs help just as well as father.

The woman county agent is to do for women, girls and the home what the farm demonstration agent does for the men and the boys on the farm. The aim in each case is to get done some definite worth-while things, which teach a lesson and inspire to greater achievements. In the girls' canning-club work the girls are instructed how to grow tomatoes and other vegetables on one-tenth of an acre, and how to can, preserve, pickle, and in other ways utilize the products. Winter garden clubs and poultry clubs have naturally followed the work in canning and summer gardening. Bread making and many other forms of home-improvement work have also been taken up. This work trains girls to become efficient home makers, develop the resources of the farm, to improve the quality of the country life and to become economically independent. From the girls' garden to the mother's kitchen and the home is a short and easy step. The work with girls has opened the way for systematic home-economics work in the rural home, and has developed the logical organization and method for doing this work.

CHURCH NEWS

PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. B. F. Farber, Pastor.
Services will be held in this church on Sunday, Nov. 7, as follows: Morning worship at 10 o'clock. The pastor preaches. Theme, "Plow On." Sunday-school at the close of the morning service. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Special music. Address by a representative of the traveling men's organization, "Advent with Me." Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Subject, "David and Goliath." The public is most cordially invited to attend these services.

BAPTIST
Rev. Archibald L. Bell, Pastor.
Phone 84 W.
Nov. 7.—Morning worship, 10 a. m. Theme of sermon, "The Seven Eyes of God." 11:15 a. m., Sunday-school. 6 p. m., Bible Study Class. 7 p. m., evening worship. The sixth number of "Advent with Me" series on the life of Christ will be given. A Mid-week prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
First Church of Christ, Scientist corner Main and Dodge streets. Sunday morning service 10:30 o'clock. Subject, "Advent with Me." Sunday-school at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial service. 7:10. Reading Room in rear of church open daily except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m. Everyone welcome.
A lending library of Christian Science literature is maintained.

BIBLE STUDENTS
Services as usual for Sunday, Nov. 7: Berean, second lesson on "Thy Kingdom Come." Special topic under consideration, "Why do so many instinctively dread the kingdom?" 3 p. m., discourse by A. K. Ophel of Northville, from the words, "Am I satisfied with Jesus, is Jesus satisfied with me?" Wednesday evening meeting Nov. 10, at David Birch's.

METHODIST
Rev. Joseph Dutton, pastor.
Nov. 7—10 a. m., Sunday-school. 11:15, Sunday-school. 7 p. m., Epworth League. Topic, "A Prophet's Great Promise to Youth." Leader, Miss Florence Caster. 7 p. m., public worship. An address by a member of "The Gideons"—a band of christian traveling men. The speaker, a Detroit man, will present the "Placing of Bibles in the Hotels of America."

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
Next Sunday morning there will be no Sunday School and services. The Lutheran St. Paul's church at Livonia will celebrate its annual mission-festival. Two services will be held at 10 a. m. and at 2 p. m. The morning service will be in German and the afternoon service in English. Rev. C. Straesen will deliver the mission sermons. Collections will be taken for mission purposes. The Ladies' Aid will serve dinner at the town hall at the prices of 25c and 10c. The Lutheran church at Plymouth will have services at 7:30 p. m. in English.

Last Friday night Rev. C. Straesen was agreeably surprised by the members of the Lutheran church. The occasion was his birthday. Rev. Straesen and family were invited for supper at the home of H. J. Fischer, who also had his birthday. After supper Rev. Straesen was called home by phone and found his house occupied by the members of the church, who had made the occasion a donation day and brought all kinds of eatables. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Rev. Straesen extends his heartiest thanks to all.

The lecture by Rev. Straesen at the Lutheran church at Livonia Wednesday night was well attended, all enjoying his description of prison life and taking to heart his words, to help the unfortunate.

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The Seventh grade boys have organized a foot ball team and have succeeded in beating the Fifth and Sixth grade boys by a score of 38 to 0.
The Kindergarten department had a Halloween party in their room Friday and the little folks enjoyed a "peanut hunt."
Miss Ruth Crossman, a student at Ypsilanti, visited the Seventh grade Friday.

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In the past sixty-five years the national wealth of the United States has increased 2,258 per cent. from \$7,136,000,000 in 1850 to \$187,730,000,000 in 1915.

More than 15 per cent of the national wealth, or about \$12,314,000,000, is real estate and is exempted from taxation.

Of the present national wealth, \$98,363,000,000 is in taxed real property and improvements; \$16,149,000,000 represents railroads and their equipments; \$14,694,000,000 is in manufactured products; \$8,463,000,000 is in furniture, vehicles and the like; \$238,000,000 is in live stock and \$5,091,000,000 in manufacturing machinery, tools and implements.

The richest state is New York with \$25,011,000,000 of property wealth. Then comes Illinois with \$15,484,000,000, and Pennsylvania with \$15,453,000,000.

Britain's national wealth was estimated a year ago at \$108,230,000,000, and Germany's in 1908 at \$77,864,000,000.

MANY WIRELESS STATIONS

Germany Prepared for Emergencies That Would Arise in the Day of Conflict.

Part of German preparedness for "the Day" was the erection of a worldwide system of high-power wireless stations. When the war started there were in operation German wireless stations in Europe, Africa, America and the South seas.

The three greatest stations are at Nauzen, Germany; Sayville, L. I., and "somewhere" in Spain. The French claim that there is a German wireless station in every state in the Union.

Outside of the Sayville station there are known to be four high-power stations in Mexico and ten in South America, the latter having added materially in the exploits of the German sea raiders in both the Pacific and the Atlantic.

The Spanish, Sayville and Nauzen stations are probably the most powerful in the world. They are each supposed to have a constant transmitting power of 6,000 miles, occasionally raised to 7,200 miles. The waves are so powerful that they temporarily paralyze other aerial communications.

Waterproofing French Uniforms. In the rainy season, which lasts well into the summer in parts of France and Belgium, the French army authorities faced the necessity of providing an inexpensive and effective means of waterproofing the uniforms of their soldiers.

Experiments proved that the chemist was right. The waterproofing is done by reducing the wool fat to a liquid by the use of a solvent and diluting it with benzine or naphtha. The garment is soaked in this solution for a few minutes. It dries in a short time. Neither the color of the article nor the fabric is impaired by the treatment.

Cheapest Commodities. There are many opinions, but next to human life, opinions are the cheapest commodities of these times. As it now stands, human life is the cheapest and the least regarded thing in the world—not only human life as it exists, but human life in the future.

Careless housewives often spoil milk that is delivered to them in prime condition by letting it stand for a long time on the dining table or in a hot kitchen, under such conditions it spoils quickly.

Growing Russia. From the foundation of the Russian Empire at Moscow, about 1500, says Dr. Nansen in his recent book, entitled "Through Siberia, the Land of the Future," Russia has grown at the average rate of 55 square miles a day or 20,000 square miles a year—a territorial increase that is almost without parallel.

You Don't Just Like It. After you've worked outdoors longer and harder than ever before to make the whole place more attractive it isn't funny to have someone ask "How'd you get tanned up so, playing tennis?"—Boston Globe.

Take a Jexall Orderlie Tonight. It will act as a laxative in the morning. Boyer Pharmacy.

OBSERVED THE USUAL OMENS

French Astronomer Claims the Stars, as Always, Foretold Coming of War in Europe.

In a recent number of L'Astronomie Camille Flammarion publishes an ingenious memoir, illustrated with quaint woodcuts from a sixteenth century work on prodigies, in which he shows that all the celestial and terrestrial omens of war in which our forefathers so firmly believed were ushered in the great conflict now raging in Europe.

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BUYS DOG TO RECOVER RING

Man Kills Animal and Finds His \$200 Gem in Stomach, as He Had Suspected.

While William A. Thompson was trying to drive a pup away from him the animal closed on his fingers and pulled off and swallowed a \$200 diamond ring. Mr. Thompson was not certain what had become of the ring, but when he failed to find it he suspected the dog. He bought the animal, nominally a ten-cent pup, from H. R. Rogers, the negro owner, for \$10 after much parley, took the dog home, killed him and found the diamond ring in his stomach.

He was luckier than a man in a neighboring town who owned a valuable vase, a family heirloom. His dog poked his head into the neck of the vase and it stuck. The owner cut off the dog's head to save the vase and then had to break the vase to get out the dog's head to bury it.—Beckley (W. Va.) Dispatch to New York World.

Old Men Are on Top. Oldish men still remain on top in this war after a year of hard fighting. The four conspicuous commanders are Joffre of the French, Von Hindenburg of the Germans, French of the English and Grand Duke Nicholas of the Russians. All are well up in the sixties.

That is an unusual circumstance. Caesar was a young man when he invaded Gaul. Alexander was a boy when he made his great conquests. Napoleon became the military meteor on earth before he was thirty, and he and Wellington were only forty-six when they met at Waterloo for the last fight either ever witnessed.

Washington was but forty-five when he wintered at Valley Forge, and he was not yet fifty-six when Cornwallis surrendered to him his army at Yorktown. Grant was only forty-three as he stood at Appomattox. Stonewall Jackson had won a military record for all time before he was killed at thirty-nine.

Von Molke was the exception, as he was seventy when, 45 years ago this summer, he trapped the armies of France in six weeks. But these seem to be the days when age gets the plums.

Didn't our governor just designate as Pennsylvania's three greatest men one seventy-three, another seventy-five and a third seventy-seven?—"Girard," in Philadelphia Ledger.

Authority on Steel Production. Sir Robert Hadfield, who has been selected by the British government to assume charge of the engineering works that it has obtained power to take over for the manufacture of war material, is one of the greatest living authorities on the production of steel. In addition to the Bessemer medal, which is the blue ribbon of the Iron and Steel Institute of Great Britain, he has received equally high awards from similar societies in almost every country of the civilized world. Inventor of manganese steel, he is chairman of the Hadfield Steel Foundry company Ltd., at Sheffield, one of the biggest ordnance and projectile concerns in the United Kingdom, in fact, in the world.

His Accustomed Place. Seven-year-old Frances was watching her papa start for the office and reporting his progress to mamma. "Who was a little near-sighted. The car's stopping for him," said Frances.

"Has he got on?" asked mamma. "Yes, mamma. He has jumped on and taken his place on a strap."—Puck.

Just Picks the Kind-Hearted. "George, you're always happy and smiling. Is everybody good to you?" "No, I wouldn't jes' say dat, boss. Dere's some pow'ful mean folks in dis worl', but when I discover 'em I jes' nacherally don' sociate wif 'em."—Detroit Free Press.

New Outlook. When a cold hangs on as often happens, or when you have hardly gotten over one cold before you contract another, lookout for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are so much more liable to contract catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv't.

W. C. T. U.

The tea meeting, given October 29, at the home of Mrs. Hiranau, was very enjoyable. Mrs. O'Bryan had a fine program, the topics being "Women Who Do Big Things Well" and "The Mother and the High School Girl."

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Special cloak sale at Riggs' Saturday, November 6.

Wm. Gayde has been quite seriously ill at his home for the past two weeks.

Wm. Pettigill and J. M. Young are enjoying a few days' duck hunting at Weale on Saginaw Bay.

Mrs. Willard Roe returned home Monday from a ten days' visit at Mason, Williamston and Howell.

Special for Saturday and Monday, one-fourth off on all hats. Evelyn Macomber, 230 South Main street.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson and daughter, Mae, of Detroit, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. A. Sharrow.

Mrs. Robert Baird of Howell, visited her sister, Mrs. F. A. Dibble, the latter part of last week and over Sunday.

The "Me Wakye To" club will give a 20-cent supper at the I. O. O. F. hall, Friday, Nov 12, from 6 to 7 p. m.

Village President Louis Hillmer has been seriously ill, but we are glad to state that he is improving at this writing.

Don't miss seeing Damon and Pythia at the opera house Monday evening, November 8. See big ad in supplement.

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Die italienische Offensive ein Fehltag.

Die neueste italienische Offensive gegen die österreichisch-ungarischen Stellungen an der ganzen Front richtet, ist, wenn auch noch nicht völlig gegen die Italiener entschieden, so doch heute schon als Fehltag zu bezeichnen.

Im militärischen Streifen nimmt man an, daß es die letzte große Offensive der Italiener vor dem Winter ist, der militärischen Operationen in den hochgelegenen Gegenden so gut wie unmöglich macht.

Am südlichen Abschnitt ist es ruhiger geworden. Wiederholte Angriffe der Italiener schlugen fast und besonders fehl. In einem unserer vorderen Gräben lag es den Italienern auf kurze Zeit zu fallen.

An der Front in Kärnten griffen die Italiener gleichfalls an. Im Jella - Tale und am Schludersbach, südlich von der Brunel - Annighenbahn, wie an der ganzen Dolomiten - Front, wurden sie mit blutigen Kämpfen heimgeführt.

Der Bericht des österreichisch-ungarischen Generalstabes hat folgenden Wortlaut:

Die Schlacht am Isonzo wird fortgesetzt. Die mit nie dagewesener Bitterkeit ausgeführten Infanteriekämpfe richteten sich gegen den Bridentopf von Goetz.

Der Hauptangriff der Italiener wurde von Angriffen starker Kräfte gegen unsere Tiroler Front begleitet. Die Gabeln von Biadene und Salsura wurden unausgesetzt schwer bombardiert.

An der Front in Kärnten fanden wir Artilleriekämpfe und Schanzenschießen statt. Im Jella - Tale machte der Feind isolierte Angriffe, die alle erfolglos waren.

Die Italiener in kurzer Zeit wieder heraus.

Im Isonzodistrikt war es den Italienern nicht möglich, an irgendeiner Stelle in unsere Stellungen einzudringen. Vor dem Bridentopf von Goetz brachen mehrere Angriffsoffensiven der Italiener blutig zusammen.

An der westlichen Grenze des Plateaus von Roherda, in dem Gebiet zwischen Rainizza und dem Teiobu - Berg, tobt die Schlacht noch mit unverminderter Wut weiter.

Berlin, über London. Einer der höchsten Vertreter der türkischen Volkspartei in der Reichshauptstadt erklärte einem Zeitungs - Korrespondenten betreffs der Lage in Armenien folgendes:

„Um den Amerikanern die Lage klar zu machen, möchte ich mir die Frage erlauben, was die Amerikaner tun würden, wenn sie einen Streit mit Mexiko hätten und Bewohner südlicher Staaten — sagen wir zum Beispiel die Negre — einen Aufstand beginnen und amerikanische Soldaten ermorden würden.“

„Das selbe wäre der Fall, wenn die Irländer England bekämpften und die „Drangenen“ einen Aufstand inszenieren würden.“

„Die türkische Regierung bedauert die Ereignisse in Armenien, lehnt aber jede Verantwortung dafür ab. Das verdräufliche Benehmen der Armenier vor dem Krieg und während des blutigen Kampfes ist die Ursache der Unruhen.“

„Die Türken hielten es für notwendig, alle überlebenden Rohmanedaner nach Mesopotamien zu schaffen, um sie zu retten. Die türkische Regierung war über die Haltung der Armenier erstaunt, weil sie stets der Ansicht war, daß die armenische Nation eine Schmeichelei der türkischen Regierung fühlte.“

„Einen Fehler begingen die Armenier dadurch, daß sie auf die Seite der Russen traten. Jetzt müssen sie natürlich die Folgen tragen.“

„Die türkische Regierung bedauert die Lage außerordentlich.“

„Die Armenier wurden durch die Feinde der Türkei aufgehetzt. Für den Zerbruch, den sie dadurch begingen, daß sie glaubten, Rußland werde siegen, müssen sie jetzt schwer büßen.“

Franzosen beklagen sich gegen Englische Censur.

Paris. In seinem Protest gegen die Unterdrückung von Blättern wegen Lebertragung der Censurvorschriften macht der Verband der Pariser Zeitungen geltend, daß Zeitungen, welche aus verbündeten und neutralen Staaten nach der französischen Hauptstadt kommen, die Meldungen enthalten, welche der französische Censur den Blättern der Hauptstadt vorenthalten.

„Die Presse Frankreichs“, heißt es in dem Protest, „ist sich der Lasten bewusst, daß sie seit Ausbruch des Krieges die Verteidigung der heiligsten nationalen Interessen betrieben hat.“

Der Protest ist von Jean Dupuy, vom Stiefsohn des früheren Auslandsministers Stephen Vinchon, Arthur Mayer, Henry Simon und vielen anderen hervorragenden Mitgliedern der Pariser Presse unterzeichnet.

England verspricht Serbien Hilfe.

Verdacht, daß Großbritanniens den Serben alle in seinen Kräften liegende Unterstützung verleihe. Die Hilfe besteht nun in der Aufzählung von Serbiens, Italiens und Frankreichs, Kruppen nach dem Balkan zu entsenden. Als ob diese Länder, wie ihre Regierungen ja auch offen erklären, nicht mit sich selbst genug zu tun hätten.

LETTER FROM STATE CAPITOL

REVIEW OF WORK OF RAILWAY COMMISSION FOR THE PAST YEAR.

IMPORTANT POWERS GIVEN

Petition for Vote On Constitutional Amendment Filed By The Fraternal Amendment League.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing—Figures taken from the last annual report of the state railroad commission show that during 1914 the commission passed favorably upon stock and bond issues of public utilities corporations amounting in all to \$233,909,239.

Steam and electric railroads were given permission to issue stock and bonds amounting to \$202,104,000. Light, gas, water and power companies received the approval of the commission for issues amounting to \$30,877,500.

As a result of the increased authority granted the state railroad commission in recent years, this commission is possessed of great power and is one of the most important arms of the state government.

It was only a few years ago that the state struggled along with but one railroad commissioner. Several years ago the state railroad commission, composed of three members was created and it was given authority to pass upon the stock and bond issues of practically all the public utilities corporations doing business in Michigan.

The present commission is composed of Lawton T. Hemans of Mason, who is chairman of the board, Charles B. Cunningham of Detroit and C. L. Glasgow, of Nashville.

Before any public utilities corporation can sell stock or issue bonds, application must first be made to the commission. A date for a hearing is set and the proposition is thoroughly investigated before any action is taken.

Although the deer hunting season does not open until November 10, many nimrods have already obtained licenses and are on the way to the north woods to open their camps and be ready for the early shooting.

Under the law passed at the last session of the legislature a hunter is permitted to kill but one deer during a season.

Many hunters have written to the game warden's department asking whether it is lawful to kill a deer and eat it in camp and then kill another for shipment.

It is believed that the one deer law will reduce the number of hunters this year and as each man will be anxious to land a buck, it is expected that the number of accidents will be less than in previous seasons.

Petitions containing the names of 70,000 voters providing for another constitutional amendment to be voted upon at the general election next fall were filed Thursday afternoon with Secretary of State Vaughan.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE LOSES IN EAST

NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS AND PENNSYLVANIA REJECT VOTES FOR WOMEN.

WETS WIN AGAIN IN OHIO

Main Interest in Tuesday's Contests Centered About Amendments Submitted in States.

New York—Woman suffrage was decisively defeated Tuesday in all three of the states where the proposition was submitted to the voters—New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania.

Early returns indicate that suffrage was beaten in New York by not far from 200,000. The majority against it in New York city was 92,600.

In Massachusetts the majority against was more than 100,000. The vote on suffrage from 2,467 districts out of 5,713 in New York state gave 241,828 for and 321,418 votes against the measure.

Everywhere the vote on suffrage seemed to be cast quite irrespectively of party lines or affiliations.

Wets Win Again in Ohio

Columbus, O.—For the second time in two years, Ohio voters Tuesday rejected a state-wide prohibition amendment to the constitution.

Estimates based on returns received up to midnight show that the proposal was defeated by a majority which may reach 40,000. Last year's majority was 84,000.

McCall Wins in Massachusetts

Boston—Samuel McCall, Republican, was elected governor of Massachusetts by 3,500 plurality over Governor Walsh, Democrat, Tuesday.

New York Defeats Constitution

New York—In New York state the returns at midnight indicated that only three counties voted for the new constitution.

This is said to be the severest loss ever given to a proposed fundamental law for the Empire state of the union.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Berlin—Announcement that Pope Benedict had donated \$5,000 to the Polish relief fund is made by the Overseas News Agency.

London—King George continues to improve, Dr. Bowly and Dawson reported Monday. Sunday night, they said he passed more comfortably than any since his fall from his horse last week.

London—Total British casualties to October 9 was 593,294. Premier Asquith announced Friday. In the west-end war theatre, said the premier, 4,401 officers and 63,059 men had been killed and 9,189 officers and 225,716 men wounded, and 1,567 officers and 31,134 men were missing.

Paris—France is to have a coalition cabinet in succession to the Viviani ministry which resigned Thursday.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Best heavy steers, \$7.50 @ 8; best handy weight butcher steers, \$6.50 @ 7.25; mixed steers and heifers, \$5.50 @ 6.25; handy light butchers, \$5 @ 5.50; light butchers, \$4.50 @ 5; best cows, \$5 @ 5.75; butcher cows, \$4.50 @ 5; common cows, \$4 @ 4.25; canners, \$2.50 @ 3.75; best heavy bulls, \$5.50 @ 5.75; bologna bulls, \$5 @ 5.50; stock bulls, \$4 @ 4.75; feeders, \$6 @ 7; stockers, \$5 @ 6; milkers and springers, \$40 @ 55.

Veal calf trade was steady, \$10.25 @ 10.50; few choice early at \$11.60; culls slow, \$7.50 @ 9.

Best lambs, \$8.75 @ 8.80; fair lambs, \$8 @ 8.35; light to common lambs, \$8 @ 7.50; fair to good sheep, \$4.50 @ 5.50; culls and common, \$3 @ 4.

Pigs, \$6 @ 6.75; mixed, \$7 @ 7.20.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—Receipts, 6,250; prime grades steady; medium shipping 15 @ 25c lower; choice to prime native steers, \$9 @ 9.50; fair to good, \$8.25 @ 8.75; plain and coarse, \$7.50 @ 8; best Canadian steers, \$8.25 @ 8.50; fair to good, \$7.75 @ 8.10; medium and plain, \$7 @ 7.50; choice handy butcher steers, \$8 @ 8.25; fair to good grassers, \$6.25 @ 6.50; light common grassers, \$5.50 @ 6; yearlings, dry-fed, \$9 @ 9.25; Canadian prime fat heavy heifers, \$6.75 @ 7; native good butcher heifers, \$6.50 @ 7; light grassy heifers, \$5 @ 6; best fat cows, \$6 @ 6.50; butcher cows, \$4.75 @ 5.75; cutters, \$4 @ 4.50; canners, \$2.50 @ 3.35; fancy bulls, \$6.50 @ 7; butchering bulls, \$5.75 @ 6.25; sausage bulls, \$5.50 @ 6; light bulls, \$4.25 @ 5; stockers, good, \$5.50 @ 6.50; light common stockers, \$4.75 @ 5.50; feeders, best dehorned, \$6.75 @ 7; feeders, 800 lbs., \$5.25 @ 6.50; milkers and springers, \$6 @ 100.

Hogs: Receipts, 22,000; market strong; heavy, \$8 @ 10; yorkers, \$7.75 @ 7.85; mixed, \$7.80 @ 7.90; pigs, \$7.50 @ 7.75.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 15,000; market 15 @ 25c lower; top lambs, \$8.75 @ 8.90; yearlings, \$7 @ 7.25; wethers, \$6.25 @ 6.50; ewes, \$5.50 @ 6.

Calves: Receipts, 1,200; slow; tops, \$11 @ 11.35; heavy fat calves, \$7 @ 8.50; culls and common, \$6.50 @ 9.25; grassers, \$4 @ 5.50.

Grain, Etc. DETROIT—Wheat: Cash No 2 red, \$1.11; December opened without change at \$1.13, declined to \$1.12 1/2 @ 8.90; advanced to \$1.13; May opened at \$1.14 1/2, declined to \$1.14 and advanced to \$1.14 1/2; No 1 white, \$1.08.

Corn—Cash No 3, 67 1/2c; No 3 yellow, 68 1/2c.

Oats—Standard, 39 1/2c; No 3 white, 38c; No 4 white, 35 1/2 @ 36 1/2c; sample, 32 @ 35c.

Rye—Cash No 2, \$1.02 1/2c.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$3.40, November, \$3.20; December, \$3.10; March, \$3.12; prime at \$3.10.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$3.60.

Hay—No 1 timothy, \$13 @ 19; standard timothy, \$17 @ 18; light mixed, \$17 @ 18; No 2 timothy, \$15 @ 16; No 1 mixed, \$14 @ 15; No 2 mixed, \$10 @ 12; No 1 clover, \$10 @ 12; rye straw, \$8 @ 8.50; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50 @ 7 per ton in carlots, Detroit.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 lbs. jobbing lots: First patent, \$5.90; second patent, \$5.60; straight, \$5.20; spring patent, \$6.60; rye flour, \$6.20 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$28; standard middings, \$24; fine middings, \$32; coarse cornmeal, \$24; cracked corn, \$24.50; corn and oat chop, \$21.60 per ton.

General Markets. Grapes—17 @ 18c per 8-lb basket.

Apples—Fancy, \$2.75 @ 3.25 per bbl and 75 @ 80c per bu; common, \$1.25 @ 1.50 per bbl and 40 @ 50c per bu; box apples, western, \$1.75 @ 2.25.

Cabbage—\$1.25 per bbl.

Mushrooms—45 @ 50c per lb.

Celery—Michigan, 15 @ 20c per doz.

Tomatoes—Hothouse, 17 @ 18c per lb.

Onions—Southern, \$1.75 per 75-lb sack.

Lettuce—Head, \$1.25 @ 1.50 per case; hothouse, 8 @ 9c per lb.

Dressed Calves—Fancy, 14 @ 15c per lb; common, 11 @ 12c per lb.

Potatoes—Michigan, 60 @ 65c; Minnesota red, 65 @ 70c; Minnesota white, 60 @ 65c per bu in sacks.

Michigan News Tersely Told

Ann Arbor—The celebrated Vornich collection of illuminated manuscripts and very rare and early printed books, which has attracted wide attention at Chicago, were shown at the University of Michigan.

South Haven—Edwin S. Smith, late postmaster at South Haven, who died, was buried under Masonic auspices. He was thirty-three years of age and had lived in this part of Michigan for 16 years.

Bay City—Dr. J. M. McGeoch, fifty-five, one of the city's best known and successful medical practitioners, is dead after an illness of two weeks from pneumonia. He leaves a widow and four children.

Cadillac—After having carried a piece of steel an inch long in his body for five weeks without knowing it, John Waite was operated on. He was injured by flying steel when a large wheel broke.

Albion—Mrs. Maude Raub of Marshall was elected president of the Woman's relief corps of the fourth district of Michigan at the convention here. Next year the meeting will be held in Marshall.

Cadillac—Clayton Cool and Albert Briggs of Leroy told Justice McDowell of Tustin they did not know the trout season was closed when arraigned on a charge of catching trout out of season. They paid fines totaling \$30.

Kalamazoo—The Thirteenth Michigan Volunteer Infantry association met here, seventy-five veterans of the surviving 100 being present. Col. G. Edwin Dunbar was re-elected president and Charles Hoag was re-elected secretary and treasurer.

East Lansing—The United States department of agriculture will soon begin a wide campaign for the use of purebred sires on dairy farms of the country, according to Helmer Rabld, in charge of extension work for the dairy division of that department.

Iron Mountain—The body of August Fisher, aged sixty-eight years, a resident of this city for 30 years, was found at Spread Eagle summer resort hanging over the side of a row boat. He was subject to rheumatism and it is thought that he stood up in the boat, lost his balance and was unable to get up.

Ludington—The new Booster club just organized here, has interested a furniture factory for location here and is contemplating the erection of a building for it to operate in. Of the bonus fund of \$50,000, voted some years ago, \$14,000 is still available and the boosters propose to invest this money to bring desirable industries.

Lansing—Governor Ferris is still gathering information in the McGregor case. It will be several months before he decides whether Doctor McGregor of Uby, who is serving life sentence in Jackson prison for murder of Sybil Sparkling, is entitled to a pardon.

Kalamazoo—A jury in circuit court decided that Clarence L. Borger of Paw Paw had no cause for action against the sheriff, prosecuting attorney and undersheriff for false arrest. Borger sued for \$25,000 damages, alleging that he was held in jail longer as a suspect than he should have been.

Flint—Forrest Perringo, aged five years, is confined to his bed with serious burns about the hands, face and legs received when he crawled through a pile of burning excelsior to escape death. The child and some companions had made a playhouse out of a large packing case, having cut a small opening in one side. One of the boys touched a match to the excelsior while the Perringo boy was inside.

Muskegon—When Henry Lyman, sixty-nine years old, the "golden rule" resident of Twin Lake, near here, dies, his body will be wrapped in a linen shroud and placed in a sepulchre. "Our Lord," Lyman declares, "was not buried in the ground, and my body shall not be." Lyman has built a little brick sepulchre on a wooded hillside in a secluded portion of his 60-acre farm.

Ann Arbor—Mortarboard, senior literary society of university women, has chosen the following Michigan women to membership: Katherine Wenley, Ann Arbor; Ruth Brown, Ann Arbor; Grace Fletcher, Chelsea; Emily Sargent, Valosta, Ga.; Marion Stone, Ann Arbor; Florence Snyder, Churchville, N. Y.; Helen Dow, Midland; Jessie Spence, Cass City, and Louise Potter, Hastings.

Cadillac—A banquet which was to have been held in the Swedish mission church young did not take place. When some 50 young people, members of a church society, entered the church banquet hall they found the dead body of Mrs. John Erickson, who had prepared the food for them, on the floor. A physician was summoned and said the woman had been dead for some minutes. Heart disease is believed to have been the cause.

Grand Rapids—William Wright of Vermontville, a veteran of Company F, Fourth Michigan cavalry, objects to the recently published reports of the death of James B. Tabbs of Alma, claimed to be the last survivor of those who assisted in the capture of Jefferson Davis. Mr. Wright says he was present as an orderly for Lieutenant Colonel Pritchard.

Muskegon—This city, which was to have been the scene of the State Grangers' annual convention in December, may lose it because of the inability to furnish an auditorium capable of seating 2,000 people.

Paw Paw—The Van Buren county supervisors met in special session at the call of the state tax commission to hear the result of an appeal of the supervisors from Alma's township board at its annual session. The commissioners decided there was not sufficient evidence to disturb the valuations fixed by the supervisors.

Lansing—A touring car or runabout remodeled into an automobile truck will be classed as a truck and not a touring car by the secretary of state, as the result of a ruling by Attorney General Fellows.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM THE CITIES

Paterson Woman Mothers 15,000 Mill Girls

PATERSON, N. J.—Mothering 15,000 girls ranging in age from sixteen to twenty-five is the task assigned to Mrs. Grace E. Headlin, policewoman of Paterson. Of Paterson's 150,000 inhabitants more than 70 per cent are foreign born or the children of foreign born parents, and a large proportion of them come from volatile races.

Sixty-five per cent of these girls live away from relatives or close friends. They are employed at monotonous labor all day, and while they turn out beautiful fabrics, the work is a constant repetition of the same motions, and they perpetually see the same machines and the same product. They take the same number of steps forward and back and they tie the same kind of knots in the same way hour after hour until, when the ten-hour task is finished they are almost hysterical.

And then, the cheerless boarding house or the poorly furnished room and a cheap restaurant table, which tend to drive the girls into the streets, where they walk aimlessly up and down because it is the only thing they can do. At best they will be surrounded with dangers, and frequently only by chance do they escape the snares spread for them.

Cheap theaters with questionable plays or acts and moving picture shows attract many, but the one overpowering passion is for the dance. The monotonous daily toil seems to seek relief in some such exciting amusement, and literally thousands of them attend nightly. In many instances the dancing hall is connected with a saloon and is free, or the cost is nominal, the proprietor finding his profit in the beer and liquor sold. There is the peril to those girls. Many of them have no mothers to guide them; others are so far away from mothers that they are really alone.

Mrs. Headlin is very much in earnest. She has made no arrests thus far, but when she has seen a certain sort of man in company with a girl a hint to him has proved sufficient.

She has said that she prefers a horsewhip to a policeman's club. She has even threatened to cowhide some of these men should they refuse to heed her admonition. She says that to cowhide such a man in the street would do more to stop his nefarious work than imprisonment or fine.

What Art Students in New York's Museum Hear

NEW YORK—The students of painting who copy the Rembrandts and other paintings at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, are bothered considerably by conversational critics, who get close to their easel and comment on the work before them. One of the girl students was chatting about some of the phases of that kind of practice.

"Some of the museum visitors," she said, "take it for granted that the copyists are stone deaf. One afternoon about a month ago a methodical woman with her three mammoth pig-tailed daughters drew up behind my easel, standing so close to me that I could barely move my arms without brushing against one or the other of them. I was copying a Rembrandt 'Portrait of a Gentleman.' One side of the face is heavily shaded, so much so that the eye is barely visible. It was upon this eye that I was engaged when the huge woman said: 'Well, I do declare, if that looney girl hadn't givin' that poor fellow a black eye.' And all four of them tittered in unison. Not long after that an elderly couple, evidently from the country, came up behind my easel. 'Land sakes, Hiram, hadn't that pore gal thin?' said the woman. 'She sure is,' Hiram replied, meaningly. 'But I've often heard that these yere artist gals mostly starve while they're gittin' their picture painting education. The woman nudged her husband and whispered something. Then she opened a nice, clean package and took from it a large, comfortable-looking corned beef sandwich, made with homemade bread. 'You pore chile,' you look most famished,' she said, as she offered me the sandwich. Did I accept it? Well, I should say I did, and ate it, too. And maybe it wasn't good. They asked me a lot of native questions about my work and invited me to spend the summer with them."



Tries to Chop Foot Off His Neighbor's Store

CHICAGO—This happened in the suburb of Glenview: Charles M. Dennis owns a candy and tobacco store on Park avenue. He had leased it to a young man named Alfred Lawrence. The store adjoins a hotel owned and conducted by Joseph Kalk. Kalk and Dennis do not speak, as Kalk maintains that the tobacco shop overlaps his property just 12 inches.

Mr. Dennis decided to lay a new sidewalk in front of the store the other day. Mr. Kalk eyed the workmen wrathfully, and turned and went back into the hotel. When he reappeared he carried an ax.

Mr. Lawrence was selling an all-day sucker to a juvenile customer when the ax crashed against the wall, causing a jar of gumdrops and ten Pittsburgh stogies to become embarrassed and tumble off the shelf. Mr. Lawrence ran out to find Mr. Kalk trying to chop out of the store the 12 inches which he claims.

"Oh, my good man," he said, "that can't be done, really it's impossible. 'Can't, eh?' and the ax crashed again. 'Can't? I'm going to take my foot off the plagued-taken store right now, and I'll stop for nobody.'"

So it was that Town Marshal Cooper received the startling information that Mr. Kalk was cutting off his foot in the tobacco store, and he came running to stop such a barbarous thing.

He was immensely relieved to find that no blood had been shed—but he's keeping his eye on Mr. Kalk to see that he "quits trying to make a chop-house out of a tobacco shop."

"Murphy Night" in Detroit Is a Real Delight

DETROIT—Out of the night stillness of the corridors of an office building comes the strains of the lighter symphonies and operatic overtures dear to the hearts of every musician. The tones of flute, cello, piano, harmonium, viola, violin and clarinet blend in harmony produced only by artists who have worked together consistently under the guidance of competent directors.

The time is Thursday night, any Thursday, and the place is the fourth floor of the Telegraph building. To the players it is "Murphy's night."

William H. Murphy, multimillionaire and rated as the second wealthiest man in Detroit, has one hobby. It is music. He loves music and loves it as only a true musician can. During most of his leisure hours he sits at the keyboard of a magnificent pipe organ at his home, surrounded by a library of records on music in which he has invested a small fortune. But every Thursday evening he gathers about him a few friends who enjoy music, business men for the most part like himself, and there in the Telegraph building they form an orchestra of string and wind instruments and far into the night play over and over again the classics of the music masters of all times.

It is only a small band of musicians now, about a dozen, composed of professionals, ex-professionals and high-grade amateurs, but the room in which they meet has been completely equipped at the expense of Mr. Murphy with stands, sheet music, organ and piano and accommodations for 30 players.



POSTSCRIPTS

Baking for a few minutes in a hot oven will add to the life of satchet powders.

Sediment carried to sea by the Amazon river can be detected 100 miles from the coast.

An attachment for scissors has been patented to enable them to be used to sharpen lead pencils.

Clothing made of pressed feathers as a substitute for wool has been invented by an Italian priest.

There are nearly 500 sulphur mines on the island of Sicily.

An implement resembling a small carpet sweeper has been invented for removing crumbs from dining tables.

An electric clock has been invented in France that runs without attention as long as its battery is in good condition.

Compulsory. "Can two live as cheap as one?" No, but the degree of it is they generally have to.—Shrewsbury (La.) Times.

Concerning the Fashionable Fox Furs



Foxes will need all their cunning, and much more, if the demand for their pelts does not abate. Just now it seems that every girl wants to wear a red fox, or a white one, colled about her neck, and a fox muff in which to embed her hands. She dines in airy gowns, but, having removed a coat, her graceful fur is retained, not because the public dining room is cold but because her furs are becoming, and fashion allows her to wear them.

White fox is in demand on evening coats in collars and deep cuffs. Or very light colors and white coats employ fox fur dyed black. It is a long, soft and rich fur but not so durable as some others.

Red fox is especially becoming to Auburn-haired, fair-skinned women, and when brown eyes are added to these the effect is so good that even the fox might be reconciled to his fate, could he foresee it.

One of these natural fox sets is shown in the picture. The scarf is held in place by fastening the claws together. In the muff the head is used, but tail and claws are omitted.

Modes in Hair Dressing.

The modes in hairdressing change quite as much as the modes in millinery or clothes. Indeed we have to keep modifying our coiffure to suit the changing hair shapes. When the crowns are high we must needs wear our knots on top of our heads to fill in the high crowns. When the flat-crowned shape prevails it means that the hair must be stowed away round the nape of the neck somewhere.

But though hair styles changes frequently, this does not mean that we must follow them blindly and obediently regardless of how they appear on us. There is nothing which so transfigures a girl's face as the right kind of coiffure.

Two Sorts of Crepe Blouses



A plain blouse and a dressy one, both of crepe, are pictured above. They are representative styles in blouses made of crepe, which are equally well liked for daily wear and for dress occasions. Crepe Georgette is chosen for the rich-looking waist with handsome lace vest and ermine bands, while crepe de chine makes the plainer blouse for ordinary service.

The plain blouse is set on to a yoke which is narrow at the back and terminates at the front, where it is brought over the shoulder. The shoulder seams are long and the sleeves plain and almost straight. They are set into a plain cuff with overlapping ends. This end is prettily shaped into a point that is extended and decorated with a fine embroidered floral spray.

A small buttonhole worked in the point fastens the cuff over a round button set on the underside.

The blouse fastens at the front with small ball buttons. These are usually white on light-colored crepe. On tans and grays they are generally made in bright contrasting colors.

The collar is cut high at the back and turns over in two points at the front, where the embroidered flower design reappears. Many of the latest blouses are cut with high collars and others are worn with high collars of batiste net or organdie.

In the dressier waist the sleeves are fuller and finished with a trim of fine net and a band of ermine. The front pieces are turned back, forming revers, and a vest and high collar of heavy silk lace are set in. Small jet buttons and a band of ermine about the neck at the back and sides give a brilliant finish.

The jet buttons repeat the note of black which appears in the points of the ermine, and the lace and fur convert the blouse into a rich-looking affair conveying an atmosphere of high style.

Julie Bostrom

No Material Damage.

A husky Ethiopian came into a lawyer's office and, exhibiting a scalp wound about three inches long on top of his head, wanted to know if he could "git anything for dis head."

In response to a query from the lawyer he explained: "Well, boss it was like dis: Ah was working down by dis beach new buildin', an' a fo'poun' brick fell off'n de sixteenth story an' hit me smack on top de head." A grasping and heartless construction company, although admitting the facts

and their liability, refused to pay more than \$10, on the ground that the evidence failed to disclose any material damage.—Case and Comment.

Integrity Above All. "There is nothing," says Plato, "so delightful as the hearing or the speaking of truth"—for this reason there is no conversation so agreeable as that of the man of integrity, who hears without any intention to betray, and speaks without any intention to deceive.—Sherlock.

GETTING A START

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THE SOCIAL LIFE OF BUSINESS.

Business, while often hard and even cruel, does not refuse to consider the human side of life.

Thousands of captains of industries and merchant princes recognize the needs of man as well as those of trade, and encourage many forms of social intercourse among their employees, including the establishment of libraries, reading rooms, gymnasiums, and the organization of athletic and other societies.

Exhaustive experiment has shown that healthy social life can be added to business without detriment to financial profit, and that the more employees get together, play together as well as work together, the more efficient they are likely to be.

Workers of the same grade naturally have much in common, and there is no reason why they should not enjoy one another's company in business and out of it, why they should not have a common business interest and a social acquaintanceship and friendship.

Of course, business must be attended to, and any social life which interferes with the conduct of business cannot very well be tolerated, but there are forms of sociability which the well-regulated store or factory should recognize, and many of them do.

Fellow employees should be friends as well as business associates. They should enjoy one another's company at work as well as out of hours.

A hearty "Good morning," an exchange of smiles, a pleasant joke, a kind word, even during the heat of business, helps to bring the strenuousness of work to a livable level and assists rather than retards the action of business.

Get acquainted with your fellow clerks. Know something of their personal life, as well as of their business. Organize ball teams, associations for business and social betterment. Connect with the employees of similar institutions. Interchange and interchange.

The greatest business men in the world are members of boards of trade, chambers of commerce, and other organizations. They lunch together unafraid of competition. Their principles should be emulated by the employees, who, collectively, are as strong a factor in success as are those who command them.

Let your wife come into this social and business life, if she will.

Do not draw too sharp a line between business and family.

Pass along the good things you have to others, and they will reciprocate. The more you get together, the greater will be your accomplishment.

Remember that you alone amount to very little, that you as a part of a composite mass may hold great responsibility.

The successful man is not a hermit. He circulates rather than boards. He shakes hands with his competitors, exchanges experiences with those of similar callings. He has a normal social life, the kind that does not interfere with his business. He renders unto business all that business deserves, and does not forget there is something besides business, something which, if properly handled, will push rather than handicap trade.

Don't live by yourself. Get away from yourself. Get together.

"THE OTHER FELLOW."

Ninety-nine and nine-tenths per cent of failures, men of the never-get-there class, intentionally or unintentionally, forget themselves and think about "the other fellow."

If the other fellow is promoted, they are jealous, feel that their employer has discriminated unfairly, and that favoritism or luck is responsible for the good things which he has received.

If they make a mistake, instead of attempting to learn better, they hunt up the mistakes "the other fellow" has made and excuse themselves because he has blundered.

Many a young man, who has not been promoted or received a raise of salary, instead of analyzing himself, goes to his employer and says, "You raised Smith's salary, I think mine ought to be raised, too."

The employer naturally asks him what Smith has got to do with it. Smith had his salary raised because he deserved it. Yet a proportion of men, who ought to know better, use this feeble and unbusinesslike argument.

DID AWAY WITH THE MIXUP

Post Office Authorities Surely Acted Wisely in Changing Seriously Conflicting Names.

Near Juneau, Alaska, there is a prosperous mining town called Sheep Creek, while at the head of Cook Inlet there has been for a number of years an insignificant and practically unknown place, a mining village known as Ship Creek.

In anticipation of the boom caused by the proposed new government railroad last year Ship Creek began to receive a great deal of freight from various vessels plying from Seattle to Cook Inlet, and the similarity between the names of the two settlements caused considerable confusion. Sheep Creek received several shipments of freight intended for Ship Creek.

Because of this state of affairs the Alaska railroad commission, as well as the heads of steamship companies, requested that Ship Creek be changed to Woodrow Creek. This matter was formally placed before the national geographic board, which has sole jurisdiction in passing on geographic names.

Early in last November the name was changed, and the coast and geodetic survey was notified. The new name applied not only to the creek itself but to the settlement which had sprung up.

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ment, forgetting that it is "up to" them, not "up to" "the other fellow," that it is all important to them what they do to themselves, and of less consequences what happens to "the other fellow."

Don't envy "the other fellow," be friendly with him and exchange experiences with him; congratulate him when he is promoted; learn of him, if he is a good teacher. His promotion, even if you do not receive a like one, is an indication that the firm for which you work is prepared to do by you as it has done by him as soon as you are worthy. The advancement of "the other fellow" should incite you to greater effort. Instead of stirring up jealousy, let it make you say: "Good for the other fellow" if he has been promoted. Your turn will come next, if you "deliver the goods."

Don't harbor the delusion that your employer does not want to pay you more money. Unless he is an exception, he regards you as a part of his business plant. It is policy for him to use you to his advantage, and he cannot do this unless it is to your advantage also. He would rather pay you \$20 a week than \$10, if you are worth it and the business will warrant. If you show that you are able and ready to bring him service the equivalent of, or of greater value than, that extra \$10, he is more than willing to give it to you.

No business man worthy the name wants to have inefficient employees about him. They injure his business and injure him. The modern business man requires efficiency, and in most cases he is ready to pay the price necessary to obtain it.

Ninety-nine per cent of young men who are down, are down because they downed themselves and did not realize that, however subordinate their positions might be, they, above all the world, were masters of their destiny.

It is you, not "the other fellow."

Child's Narrow Escape.

Snake stories so frequently degenerate into mere fabrications that a serious chronicler hesitates to tell of an incident such as that which W. F. Beyer, lighthouse engineer, witnessed on the Sirolo river, near Panama. The river had been swollen by the first heavy rains and at its junction with the Trinidad was very swift. Five men and a child came down to the ford at Lagateras and prepared to get into a cayuco for crossing. The river looked so treacherous, however, that they decided to make the crossing in parties of three.

One man, the child, a boy of four years, and the paddle man got into the canoe and put off. The first eddy caught them when they were not 25 feet from shore and upset their boat. As they struck the water, a huge boa dropped from a limb overhanging the water, coiled itself around the child and started for shore. It glided up the steep bank and made for the jungle. The child's body caught between two stalks of bamboo and while the snake was trying to pull itself through the man on the bank ran up and killed it. Two bright welts around the body of the child are the only injury he sustained.

Gatun lake now covers an area of about fifty square miles. At its final height of 85 feet, which it will attain about Nov. 1, it will cover 164 square miles.

Leave it to a Woman!

He—As it is to be a secret engagement, dearest, it would not be wise for me to give you a ring at present.

She—Oh, but I could wear it on the wrong hand, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Careless.

"I'm afraid I shall have to let that new servant go."

"What's the trouble?"

"She couldn't pay less attention to the children if they were her own."

The Limit.

Willie—What is the most unintelligible thing that you ever heard?

Gillie—A magazine poem, set to musical comedy music, played on a phonograph.—Judge.

Optimistic Thought.

Time comes when even the conqueror mourns.

Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.—Confucius.

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The national geographic board is the only organization which has the right to change the name of a town, river or mountain, but the post office department reserves the right to change the name of a post office.

Development of Human Jaw.

The bony structure of prehistoric human jaws was of astonishing massiveness and strength. They were buttressed, as if to withstand terrific violence. But when chins began to be worn, nature was obliged to furnish pads for them—to which circumstance Doctor Robinson attributes the origin of the fleshy covering that adorns this part of the face today, beautifying its contour.

THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.

The experience of Motherhood is trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

In many homes once children there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (consultant) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



Skin Muddy?

Dull eyes, blotches and other skin blemishes result from a disordered digestion. Purify the blood, tone the stomach, gently stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels and bile with

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

What Came Up.

"London's a dreary sort of place, and the smoke's something awful!" the returned countryman was telling his waded village friends. "It's so thick, the air is, that I wonder anything grows there. I planted some corn in a box on my window sill; to remind me of home, and what do you think came up?"

One suggested wheat, while another thought oats more likely. But most of them remained silent, looking at their venturesome friend with respect.

"All wrong!" said the returned traveler, presently. "A policeman came up and told me to take the box down at once!"

He Got Them Mixed.

A Missouri farmer had ordered a fancy pig from a breeder. The pig was a mere mite of a pig, and the farmer sent it back. "Dear Sir," he wrote. "From the comparative size of the pig and the bill, I am forced to the conclusion that you got them mixed. You should have sent the pig by mail and the bill by express."—Youth's Companion.

Can't Beat 'Em.

"The boss notified me last night that I'm to have a raise in salary."

"Good for you. Take my tip, old man, and don't tell your wife about it."

"Oh, she knew about it two weeks ago. The boss' wife told her."

MOTHER'S "NOTIONS"

Good for Young People to Follow.

"My little grandson often comes up to show me how large the muscles of his arms are."

"He was a delicate child, but has developed into a strong, healthy boy and Postum has been the principal factor."

"I was induced to give him the Postum because of my own experience with it."

"I am sixty years old, and have been a victim of nervous dyspepsia for many years. Have tried all sorts of medicines and had treatment from many physicians, but no permanent relief came."

"I used to read the Postum advertisements in our paper. At first I gave but little attention to them, but finally something in one of the advertisements made me conclude to try Postum."

"I was very particular to have it prepared strictly according to directions, and had good, rich cream. It was very nice indeed, and about bedtime I said to the members of the family that I believed I felt better. One of them laughed and said, 'That's another of mother's notions; but the notion has not left me yet.'"

"I continued to improve right along after leaving off coffee and taking Postum, and now after three years' use I feel so well that I am almost young again. I know Postum was the cause of the change in my health and I cannot say too much in its favor. I wish I could persuade all nervous people to use it."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

WEST PLYMOUTH.

Mrs. John Robinson is ill. Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Murray and daughter, Elizabeth, of New Hudson, visited at Mrs. C. F. Smith's Sunday. Mrs. Murray and Elizabeth remained for the week. Ernaah Tiffin was a Detroit visitor Saturday. John Butler, Lyman O'Bryan and F. L. Becker made business trips to the city during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Don Packard and little son, Cecil, made an automobile trip to Wayne, Detroit and Grosse Point, Saturday. Miss Mary Powell and Lloyd Fillmore of Petersburg, visited at F. L. Becker's, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green and Mrs. Harlow and Thelma of Plymouth, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cook's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sackett of Detroit, were week-end visitors at John Butler's. Mr. and Mrs. Littlefield and sons, John and Raymond, and John and Will Wiese of Detroit, were guests at the Minehart party and remained over Sunday. Will Henney had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow Monday. Richard Widmar is ill. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brown, Allen, Mary Francis and Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown and little son were Sunday guests at Mrs. C. F. Smith's. Mrs. Frank King of Ypsilanti, and Mrs. Clarence Sayles of Plymouth, were guests at Mrs. C. F. Smith's Wednesday and Thursday of last week, and attended the shower at Mrs. Becker's in honor of their niece, Miss Helen Smith. Charles Tiffin has further improved his recently purchased farm property by adding to the house a new porch and new chimneys. He is also doing extensive grading about the yard. District No. 7 has a fine addition to its library. Clarence Sayles visited Mrs. C. F. Smith, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Minehart entertained their friends and neighbors with cards and dancing Saturday evening. At the same time the Minehart young people entertained their schoolmates, the pupils of District No. 7. A delicious luncheon was served at mid-night. The guests departed grateful to their genial hosts and hostesses for a pleasant evening. Ralph Gibson of Owasco, and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Murray were out of town guests at the Smith-Gibson wedding. Do You Have Sour Stomach? If you are troubled with sour stomach you should eat slowly and masticate your food thoroughly, then take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Obtainable everywhere. -Adv.

PERRINSVILLE.

The box social held at the hall Saturday evening was well attended, and \$12 was added to the Gleason treasury. Myrtle Chambers of Plymouth, and Emory Holmes spent Sunday afternoon at Henry Kubik's. Miss Elsie Tait is working at Ann Arbor.

W. C. Gotsman of Detroit, called on his sister, Mrs. Paul Badels, Saturday afternoon. Chas. Hirschlieb Jr., and Miss Phillips of Elm, spent Sunday at Wm. Hirschlieb's. Mabel Mallinger, Florence Gotsman and Mr. Burns of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Badels spent Sunday at Wm. Beyer's. Mrs. Darby spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit. Wm. Herr, wife and children of Detroit, spent Sunday at Wm. Sherwood's. Services at the hall Sunday evening. Good speakers from Detroit. If interested bring a companion. All are welcome.

EAST PLYMOUTH

Mrs. McCaffrey of Ontario, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Willis, and family this week. Mrs. Emiel Rocker visited relatives at Northville one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Miller entertained Mr. and Mrs. Beck, Mr. Schindler, Miss Louise Speck, Miss Schindler and Carl Stender, all of Detroit, last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elsie and children of Detroit, visited at Albert Willis's over Sunday. Mrs. Chas. Strebbing is entertaining a lady friend this week. Mrs. Geo. Aash and two children visited friends at Northville, Tuesday. Johnny Cool returned to his duties at Harper hospital Monday morning. Sixty invited guests were present at a Halloween party at John Cool's Saturday evening—a jolly gathering of friends and neighbors. About half of the company were masquerade costumes. England, Ireland, Africa, American Indians and our own United States were cleverly represented. Five hundred and dancing was the evening's entertainment. Refreshments were served at 11:30.

LIVONIA CENTER.

Harvey Wagenschuts was the victim of a surprise Saturday evening, the party being planned by his sister, Alice, and Miss Irene Smith. About thirty young people were in attendance and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed with music and games. Elegant refreshments were served and the guests departed at a late hour. The directors have purchased a fine new sectional bookcase for the school, and when filled with the books the school now possesses and the addition of about 65 new ones, the school can boast of a very complete library. Marion Lee attended a party of his Sunday-school class in the dining room of the Plymouth M. E. church Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Slaten and Mrs. Deming and daughter, Vera, of Detroit, were Sunday visitors at the home of H. D. Peters. A number from this place attended a reception at the Hoisington home, Thursday evening of last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, who were married in Detroit, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Halstead were guests at the home of Palmer Chilson, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Peters were in Detroit on business, Monday.

LAPHAM'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Victor Kingsley and Mrs. Will Smith of Northville, called on Mrs. Will Mager, Sunday. Mrs. Henry Whittaker and Mrs. Frank Crane spent Thursday with Mrs. Glenn Whitaker, going to call on Mrs. Cynthia Wyckoff of Dixboro, in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson and son were Sunday guests at their parents near Plymouth. Misses Ruth Mager and Grace Shoebright were guests Sunday afternoon at the home of Ben Shoebright. Mr. and Mrs. John Rowick and Norma and Mrs. John Rowick and daughters motored to Ann Arbor and Dexter on Saturday. Burt Taggart's entertained company from Detroit, Wednesday. Cleo Curtis spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whittaker. Miss Anna Frank of Detroit, was a week-end guest at the home of Albert Taggart. Mr. and Mrs. John Rowick and Mr. and Mrs. Coda Savary and Norma motored to Detroit Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blach were in Northville Saturday. Mrs. Marshall Withee and daughters were in Detroit for the week-end.

Her Son Subject to Croup

"My son, Edwin, is subject to croup," writes Mrs. E. O. Erwin, New Kensington, Pa. "I put in many sleepless hours at night before I learned of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mothers need not fear this disease if they keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house and use it as directed. It always gives my boy relief." Obtainable everywhere. -Adv.

NEWBURG.

The L. A. S. will hold their regular meeting Friday, Nov. 12th, at Newburg hall. Dinner will be served at noon. Reports of the fair will be given at this time. Everyone cordially invited to attend. The G. A. R. and W. E. C. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ryder, Tuesday, Nov. 9th, for their quarterly dinner. All members and their families invited to attend. A miscellaneous shower was given at Rose Dawn farm in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins. There was a large crowd in attendance. They were remembered with useful and ornamental articles. A very pleasant evening was spent with music and a social time. Light refreshments were served. They have the best wishes for a long and happy married life. Mr. and Mrs. James LeVan attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Miss Helen E. Hilliker and Loren Thorne Robinson of Detroit, at the First Unitarian church in Ann Arbor, last Saturday evening. Mrs. C. E. Ryder also attended the wedding and spent over Sunday at James Cook's in Ann Arbor. Subscribe for the Mail today. Only \$1.00 per year.

Mrs. Clark Sackett carried off one of the honors at the W. R. C. convention held in Port Huron last week. She was elected to fill the office of Junior Vice.

Mrs. W. R. LeVan spent last Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Ruth Chadwick in Detroit.

Both Memorial windows for the church have been donated and will be placed soon.

The Epworth League Halloween social held at the hall last Saturday evening was a great success. The home brought in the neat little sum of \$12.00. A fortune teller that had stayed from some Gypsy band told the young men and maidens what wonderful things would happen to them in the future.

Miss Floeste Baker of Inkster, spent from Friday until Sunday with Miss Gladys Smith.

Mrs. Edgar Stevens and little son left last Saturday for a two weeks' visit with her father and mother on their farm near Ann Arbor.

The friends of Mrs. Paul Asteie nee Ira Broadbent formerly of this place, will be sorry to learn of the death of her husband following an operation for appendicitis, Oct. 9. Besides his wife he leaves a baby boy, born Sept. 9.

Gibson-Smith

At high noon, Wednesday, Nov. 3, Miss Helen E. Smith, daughter of Mrs. Lucy Smith and the late C. F. Smith, was united in marriage by Rev. J. E. Webber, at the home of the bride, to Robert Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson. Only the immediate relatives were present. The rooms were tastefully decorated with vines and potted plants. The bride was charming in a gown of midnight blue velvet trimmed in mink and point de esprit. She is a graduate of the Plymouth High school and the Ypsilanti Normal, and for the past two years has taught successfully in District No. 7. The groom is a young man of enviable reputation, a former student at the M. A. C., and a highly successful farmer.

Mrs. F. L. Becker entertained in Miss Smith's honor last week Wednesday, the occasion being a miscellaneous shower. The young people have been the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts, among which were articles of linen, silver and cut glass and very substantial sums of money.

After a bountiful wedding dinner the happy couple motored to Detroit, where they took the Grand Trunk for New Hampshire and New Jersey, where each has a brother. Their itinerary includes a visit to New York City, Boston, Philadelphia and Washington and an ocean voyage.

Our Advice is: When you feel out of sorts from constipation, let us say that if you use **Roxall Orderlies** do not believe you, see a physician, because no other home remedy will. Sold only by us, 10 cents. Seyer Pharmacy.

A Strange Experience

Ephraim Partridge, underwent a strange experience that might have had a much different ending, last Monday evening. Mr. Partridge has been ill for the past week or so, complaining with a pain in his head at times. On the evening above mentioned he was on the street at about 9:30 o'clock by George VanDeCar, who was on his way home. Mr. VanDeCar spoke to Mr. Partridge and asked him if it was not pretty late for him to be out, and he replied that he was on his way to pay a visit to Chris Peterhans, who was sick. Mr. VanDeCar thought his actions were rather strange, and when he arrived home he telephoned the facts to Mr. Partridge's son, Melvin, who lives on the farm west of town. He came to town at once and with Mr. VanDeCar started a search for his father. They ascertained that he had not visited the Peterhans home. A short time later the son went to his father's home and had not been there long when the father returned. Mr. Partridge, who was in a delicious condition when he left his home, had wandered to the Wilcox Bros. mill race, took off his overcoat and hat and plunged into the ice cold water. In telling of his experience after ward, Mr. Partridge says that the minute he struck the water his mind cleared and he swam to the opposite bank. He secured his coat and hat and walked to his home nearly a mile away. He was given every attention and care, and it is thought that he will experience no serious results from the exposure he suffered. Mr. Partridge is one of Plymouth's most highly esteemed citizens, and his many friends are glad that his experience ended so luckily for him and all hope for his speedy recovery.

SMOKING AND WAR ALLIED

Interesting to Note The Innovations Which Have Been Brought About by Bloodshed. It is interesting to note in reference to Sir Ian Hamilton's appeal for cigarettes "for my brave fellows in Gallipoli," that the last war in which Britain was engaged in that part of Europe resulted in a new fashion in smoking. Before the Crimean war smoking was regarded as a rather surreptitious habit to be indulged in in out-of-the-way places, and it is recorded that both Gladstone and Palmerston were strongly against the tobacco habit, and did not like to have people near them who had been smoking. There was much smoking of cigars in the trenches at Sebastopol. Soldiers returned from the war set the example not only of wearing long whiskers, but of smoking with much more freedom than in the past, and cigars appeared in the streets. In those days some of the old school smoked cigars in china holders elaborately painted, an exercise excused from its peculiar inconveniences to keep smoking within bounds.—Dundee Advertiser.

The Uncolored Neck.

The sport shirt—thus they denominate the decollete affair which advanced dressers are displaying this summer—is a distinct step toward the emancipation of the masculine neck. As in other kinds of war it is the youth of the land which is bearing the first shock of the battle. The more conservative—or, as you might say, cowardly—elders of the species are watching, noncommittally but hopefully. It is not, however, a time to remain neutral. Already insidious influences are at work to nip the campaign for freedom in the bud. Jeers, japes and jests are beginning to make themselves heard, and the sex must be warned against them. They are inspired by the laundrymen and the owners of scraggy necks. Don't listen to them! Let every man who calls himself a man take a firm stand in favor of the free, uncolored neck.—Waterbury American.

Queen Esther Circle

Hold Pleasant Meeting. The Queen Esther Circle held a very pleasant meeting with the Misses Inez and Hazel Kingsley at their home on Union street Friday afternoon, Oct. 27. One new member was added to the circle. After the business meeting and program, a dainty luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Paul Nash the last Friday in November.

Tiny Motor.

At the national inventors' show recently held in New York one of the principal attractions was a motor, not larger than an ordinary watch, which produced one horse power at a speed of about 3,000 revolutions per minute. The tiny motor employs two gyroscopes that are operated by compressed air, steam or petrol and give the piston two impulses per revolution. During the show hundreds of persons had the decidedly novel sensation of holding between their thumb and forefinger a motor that was developing one horse power.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Kingsley attended a miscellaneous shower, given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, at the home of Mrs. Sarah Hoisington on Plymouth road, last week Thursday evening.

ECLIPSES OF EARLY DATE

Astronomers—Hold Differing Opinions as to When They Were Officially Observed in China. Messrs. Hiyama and Ogura have published in the proceedings of the Tokio Mathematical-Physical society the results of their attempts to fix the dates of some early eclipses recorded in Chinese literature. The earliest is mentioned in one of the books of the Shu Ching, where it is recorded that in the reign of Chung K'ang, the fourth emperor of the Hsia dynasty, there occurred an eclipse of the sun which had not been predicted by the astronomers, who were alleged to have been drunk and to have neglected their duties. Hence the customary rites for delivering the sun, which should have been arranged by the astronomers, were in the emergency performed by other officials without proper preparation. The emperor accordingly ordered the army to punish the astronomers. A later document makes it possible to fix the date of this event as October 15, 2127 B. C. (Julian calendar)—the earliest recorded eclipse in the world. Calculation shows that there actually was a solar eclipse on that date, but probably not in China, though the elements of the motions of the sun and moon are not accurate enough to indicate certainly the path of a remote an eclipse. The authors are inclined to think that the information fixing the date of the eclipse is due to Chinese astronomers of a later age, who calculated that an eclipse occurred on that date and erroneously supposed that it was visible in China.

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Two lots, size 50x145 each, a two room house on one; 12x20 chicken house; good garden with raspberries and strawberries. Bargain if taken soon. A farm of 111 acres on the good roads near Plymouth; good 12-room house; cellar; four wells on place; good barns; from five to seven acres muck land; good fences; gravel and sand soil; land tiled. 10 acres only a half mile from Plymouth good road; two greenhouses; good buildings; stream of water running through pasture; good barn; silo; gravel and black muck soil; good fences; four or five acres of timber. Good house on West Ann Arbor street; hot water heat; bath room; half acre of ground; barn; 8-room house. Good house on East Ann Arbor street. Large lot 50x145; nice shade trees. This place can be bought right. Seven-room house on our line near Plymouth; chicken houses and an acre of ground. Two houses in north part of town; modern in every respect; furnace heat; bath room; good cellar; electric lights, etc.; one bringing \$20 a month and the other \$16 a month. Reasons for selling, owner moved away. In north village, 4-room house; 3 rooms down stairs; bath and clothes presses; large attic. Good new house on Harvey street; lot six 100; bath, electric lights and furnace heat; fine location. A good nine-room house on West Ann Arbor street; quarter of an acre of ground; good shade trees; rain and city water in house; electric lights and bath. Modern house on Union street in good location; lot 50x145; electric lights, steam heat; bath room, etc. 3/4 acre, 1/2 mile from town; no buildings. For any of the above property, inquire of Mrs. E. L. Ridge, 111 Plymouth, Mich. Phone 96. F3.

Welcome News for Plymouth Ladies!

The Kraus Sample Shop will open a branch of their Detroit store in Plymouth, Saturday, November 6th, with Ladies' Sample Garments at Wholesale Prices. We give below a few ideas as to our prices.

Advertisement for Kraus Sample Shop featuring a large '\$5 Dress Special' and '\$5.00 Coat Special'. Includes illustrations of women in winter clothing and text describing the shop's offerings and location.