

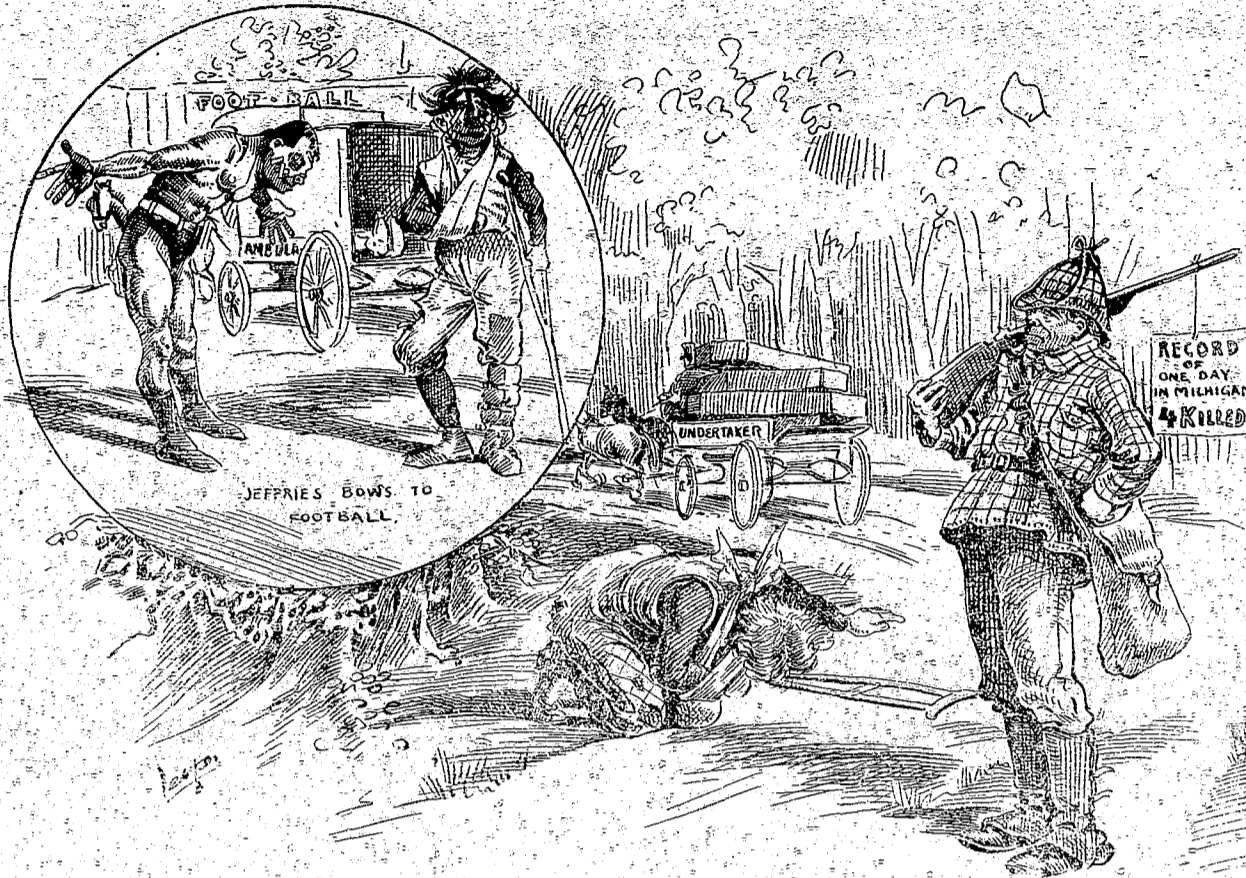
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SPORT!



AND SOME PEOPLE KICK ON PRIZEFIGHTING AS BOTH DEMORALIZING AND DANGEROUS.

—Evening News.

ELECTRIC CARS

HERE AT LAST!

TRAFFIC ON THE NEW D. P. & N. COMMENCED SATURDAY.

Transferring Passengers at Phoenix for the Present.

After months and months of weary waiting and watching Northville at last has an electric railway. The first car for passenger traffic ran up into town Friday night and gave a complimentary ride to a score or more people down as far as the Phoenix crossing and back. Regular traffic was inaugurated Saturday morning and from then until Sunday night every car was crowded both in and out. Sunday the cars were crowded beyond even the "standing room" capacity with Northville, Plymouth and Wayne people. It seemed that all of Plymouth was over here, and all of Northville was certainly over at Plymouth. Up till Sunday night more than 1,000 passengers had been carried.

The fare to Plymouth is 5 cents. Newburg 10; Wayne 15; Detroit and Ypsilanti 35, Ann Arbor 45. At present a transfer is necessary at Phoenix but as soon as the tunneling is completed under the F. & P. M. track at that point, possibly by December 1, that little inconvenience will be done away with. The eight-for-a-quarter village tickets and eight-for-a-quarter township school children tickets have not yet been placed on sale but probably will be soon as through cars are running. The late theatre car will also be put on soon as the tunnel is finished. The new time card is published elsewhere in this issue.

Auction Sales.

F. S. Power will sell at auction on Tuesday Nov. 21 at his home northwest of the village a lot of cows, heifers and sheep. See bills for full list.

Mrs. George Green, 4 miles west of Plymouth will sell at public auction next week Wednesday a lot of live stock, household goods, farm implements, etc. Brooks and Rattenbury, auctioneers.

A. L. Blanchard, administrator of the estate of Mrs. Leeland Green, will sell at public auction on the premises adjoining the Morley toll gate on the Grand River road west of Farmington, a lot of household goods, wood, green fowls and 2 cows, on Saturday Nov. 18. L. L. Brooks, auctioneer.

Pillars of Sand.

The deserts of Arabia are specially remarkable for their pillars of sand, which are raised by the whirlwinds and have a very close resemblance in their appearance to waterspouts.

THE BOSTON STARS.

At the Opera House Thursday Evening, November 23.

Being unable to secure patronage sufficient to insure success for the entire Lecture course and preferring not to put on a cheaper one, the management has decided to cancel all the numbers except the first, the Boston Star Concert company. This number will be given on Thursday evening, Nov. 23, in the Opera House. This is the best number of the entire course and at the low admission of 25 cents will give the public a lot of entertainment for their money. Reserved seats at Murdock's for 10c extra.

BELL FOUNDRY CO. IS ORGANIZED.

THE \$16,000 CAPITAL STOCK ALL SUBSCRIBED.

New Officers and Directors Elected Monday Night.

The first new stock company organized since the fire, and to take advantage of the subsequent bonus offering made by the Improvement Association, was that of the American Bell Foundry Co. organized Monday night, with the following board of directors: F. S. Harmon, Chas. Filkins, Wm. Phillips, L. A. Beal, E. H. Lapham, R. C. Yerkes, and Jas. Shaw. The new company is to manufacture bells and do a general foundry and machine business. The company has purchased the foundry buildings recently built by the Globe company together with the old bell patterns, good will, etc., and starts out under exceedingly auspicious circumstances. The capital stock of the company is \$16,000 and is offered as follows: F. S. Harmon president; Chas. Filkins vice-president; L. A. Beal, secretary; E. H. Lapham, treasurer. The new company commences business soon as the inventory which is now being taken is completed.

The organization of this company means the building at once of the new curtain shade and linoleum factory and possibly the organization of still another company for the manufacture of sanitary wood work, bank and court house furniture, and possibly church and school furniture as well. Certainly Northville's future begins to look brighter.

Europe's Armies.

France in war has 1,000 soldiers to 15,407 inhabitants, Germany in war has 1,000 soldiers to 17,427 inhabitants, Great Britain in war has 1,000 soldiers to 72,412 inhabitants, while under the house bill during the late war the United States provided for only 1,000 soldiers to about 791,000 inhabitants.

SANDUSKY KELLOGG INSTANTLY KILLED.

SLIPPED INTO A BEAN CHUTE IN THE NOVI ELEVATOR.

His Head Struck on Edge Floor With Fatal Results.

Sandusky Kellogg, who lived northwest of town, one of the best known and prosperous farmers of this section, stepped into a little bean chute in the Novi elevator about 5 o'clock Wednesday and in his short fall slipped and struck his head on the floor in such a manner as to cause instant death. The depth of the pit is only 3 feet and it is surprising how any one could get hurt by tumbling into it.

The accident happened while Mr. Kellogg was at the elevator with a load of beans which he was waiting to have cleaned. He had previously stepped over the hole several times while walking about the building and Mr. VanVleet had warned him to be careful lest he fall. "Never fear," replied Mr. Kellogg, "I went get into it for I think it would be harder to get out than to get in." No blame can be attached to anyone—it was one of those peculiar fatalities for which no one can account or prevent. Deceased leaves a widow and several grown children. He was a member of the Baptist church here and was held in high esteem by the entire community.

Two "Old Boys" Saw Wood.

Two citizens of this community did a little wood sawing one day last week, and while this is not an unusual occurrence, the feat in this case is worthy of notice. Robert Smalley, who is 86 years of age, was desirous of getting up his winter's supply of wood and came up town to hunt up a good man to help him. He finally hit on Nelson Beemer, aged 83 years. The next morning Mr. Beemer walked down to the Smalley farm, two and one-half miles out, and the two took a cross cut saw, split on their hands and went at it, and by four o'clock in the afternoon they had cut up six cords of wood, after which Mr. Beemer walked back to the village. Mrs. Smalley, who is 89, contributed to the performance by getting dinner for the men.—Orion Review.

Those people will probably wish when they get old that they hadn't worked quite so hard in these their younger days.

Publisher's Notice.

Friends and readers of the Record will confer a favor on the paper, and themselves as well, by asking Judge of Probate Durfee to publish all notices of estates in which they may be interested, in the Record. The judge is perfectly willing and a request is all that is necessary.

FISHED WITH DANIEL WEBSTER

How Capt. Pratt Scraped Acquaintance with the Great Statesman.

Every visitor to Scituate or the neighboring villages along the shore and farther inland knows Capt. Pratt, says the Boston Transcript. He is among the oldest of the town's inhabitants, and from an inexhaustible fund of entertaining stories he relates with inimitable drollery many amusing happenings of a time before the south shore became a famous resort. It is counted an important part of the summer's programme nowadays to call on this old man and hear him narrate some of the varied experiences of his ninety years' life. He dearly loves company, and when the wind is in the right direction he can be very entertaining. For more than forty years he was master of ships that visited all the ports along the Atlantic coast. After that he retired to a somewhat quieter life fishing round the zigzag shores of his native Massachusetts. He believes himself to be the only survivor of the company that built the first Minot's Ledge lighthouse, and, although his memory lapses when recent events are under discussion, he is undisputed authority on matters relating to that wonderful undertaking as well as the disastrous storm that swept it and its occupants from the earth, when he was also one of the workmen. Sitting beneath the apple trees that shelter his home, with his little granddaughters at his feet, Capt. Pratt looks up at the sound of every passing vehicle and nods and smiles at the never-failing greeting of "the summer folk." All of his reminiscences are worth hearing, but there is one which he tells with special glee. It relates to a certain day, long ago, when he was fishing in his boat just off the shore with several companions. They anchored at noon and prepared to feast upon a fish chowder the cook had made. Just then a rowboat appeared, carrying two men in rough attire. They asked for bait, which was promptly handed over the side, and as they started away the hospitable captain mentioned the chowder, and invited the strangers to come aboard and join the hungry company. They accepted readily and ate with a keen appreciation of the savory dish. "They do say," remarked one of the fishermen, "that Dan'l Webster brags about the chowders he makes over to Ma's field. I don't believe he could hold a candle to this one. Why, it's the best chowder I ever eat!" "Daniel Webster thinks so, too!" came in thundering tones from the man who had borrowed the bait. "Sure enough," says Capt. Pratt, after a series of chuckles, "it was the great statesman sitting on a pile of rope and holding an empty tin plate in his hands. We were all stirred up, you better believe, but he enjoyed the joke. He and I were great friends after that, and many's the fine luck at mackerel fishing we've had together."

One of Lady Aberdeen's Reforms.

The Countess of Aberdeen, who is well remembered by Chicago people for her connection with the world's fair, is a woman of many advanced opinions and original ideas. One of her latest innovations, in which she hopes to be imitated by other people of prominence, is dining with her servants at least once each week. Her object is to bring about a better understanding with the domestics and to teach them that their interests and her own are identical.

A Distinctive Feature

of our store is that you always find the best quality of goods on our shelves. We do not cater to shoddy goods. We know that the price may sell them sometimes, but it don't make customers. Note a few prices on good goods:

Kornlet, something new in extract corn	18c can
Favorite Peas, very fine	12c can
Early June Peas	10c can
Honey Drop Sugar Corn	12c can
Eucled Brand Sugar Corn	10c can
Maine Brand Sugar Corn	10c can
Polk's Best Tomatoes (3 for 25c)	10c can
Favorite Tomatoes	12c can
Haserot's Butter Beans	15c can
Grated Pine Apple	25c can
Shredded Pine Apple	25c can
Sliced Pine Apple	20c can
3 lbs Fancy Prunes	25c
3 lbs 4 crown Raisins	25c
Layer Valentias	12c lb
Seeded Raisins	12c lb

Stone Meat Jars

We have just received a large stock that we offer as follows:

10 and 12 gal. Jars at	9c gal
15 and 20 gal. Jars at	10c gal
25 and 30 gal. Jars at	11c gal

ROLLIN H. PURDY.

Groceries, Crockery, Lamps, Etc.

\$5.50

a ton for No. 2 Chestnut Coal. Order now. Chestnut, Egg, Stove, Jackson, Pocahontas and Smithing on hand.

A Fine line of Horse Blankets at prices hard to beat.

A few Stoves left. Come quick.

Linoleum in several patterns.

American Fence, a car load just come in.

Carpenter, Yerkes & Harmon.

Drugs and Druggists Sundries.

You will find everything at Hueston's Pharmacy, both for the sick and the well. Patent Medicines at cut-rate prices.

66 Main St. NORTHVILLE, MICH. Hueston's Pharmacy.

New York State Old Fashioned Buckwheat Flour 4c lb

It comes high but we must have it.

Prepared Mustard, in pint Mason jars	10c
Catawba Grapes in Baskets at, pr basket	20c
18 lbs Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
20 lbs Extra C. Sugar	\$1.00
4 lbs V. Crackers	25c
3 cans Tomatoes	25c
3 cans Corn	25c
4 lbs best Jap Rice	25c

See us when you want

Chestnuts,	Oranges,	Lemons,
Bananas,	Candies,	New Figs,
Nuts,	Etc.,	Etc.

TELEPHONE B. A. WHEELER.

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Advertising rates made known on application. All advertising bills must be settled monthly, transient advertising in advance.

Obituary notices will not be inserted unless paid for. Cards of thanks, 1 cent per word invariably in advance.

Notices for religious and benevolent societies, of reasonable length, one insertion free.

Copy for change of advertisement should be received not later than Tuesday, 9 p. m.

No fake advertising, nor unreliable patent medicine advertising, or anything bordering on the "objectionable," accepted at any price.

Practical, progressive, clean, fresh, vigorous and reliable. Nothing intentionally published that cannot be personally endorsed.

F. S. NEAL, Editor and Proprietor.

Notice to Subscribers.

Subscribers are requested to note the label on their paper each week which indicates the date to which the subscription is paid.

Out of town subscribers who get their Record in single wrappers will receive notice by mail each week previous to the date of expiration.

Northville, Mich., Nov. 17, 1899.

The Census of 1900.

During the month of June, 1900, the field work is to be done for the twelfth National census, and it is decided that this shall be the most complete, the most correct and the most intelligent inventory of the American people and their interests ever yet compiled.

It is now none too soon for families to begin their preparations for the roll call next June. Each household will be required to report the names and ages of its living members and of any who have died during the year preceding June 1.

The census enumerators is the year ending with next May, but for the agricultural statistics the year ending with the coming December is the basis for reporting. The reasons for this difference of periods are obvious, and it is equally apparent that the report in order to be anywhere nearly accurate must be made up very largely before the year expires.

We quite generally underestimate the total of our agricultural products when they are matured and disposed of a little at a time through many months; and hence if we leave the matter to be guessed at next June, while the enumerator is waiting, pencil in hand, nearly every such estimate will be below the truth.

A few will shrink from telling the whole truth as to their year's achievements, lest the statement be used for the purpose of increasing the proportion of their taxation, yet the number of such persons will not be as great as some have estimated.

It is no one need fear the enumerator any such reason for the district will not be the same as an assessor's rict and he cannot possibly hold office of assessor and do the rating.

ew man-stopping bullet" is a invention. A bullet stopping never is no novelty.

The President and the Governor have both issued their Thanksgiving Proclamations. November 30 is the day appointed. In both proclamations there are mentioned numerous reasons why this year should be one of special gratitude.

It is said that a new issue of stamps is to bear Dewey's portrait, and an exchange remarks that it would not do to use Hobson's face like this, as one-half the women would be licking the wrong side of the stamp.

There are three times in a man's life when he is considered all right. When he is born, his parents and mother think he is; when he is married he and his wife both think so, and when he is dead the minister says so.

After preaching is a good deal like publishing a newspaper. Some people pay cash in advance, some pay during the year, some after the year has passed while others never pay at all.

ONE CASE IN A THOUSAND.

How He Got His First Start in the World.

There is a gentleman in this city who is fond of telling the story of how he got his first start in the world; says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, "Before I was married," he said, "I received a pretty fair salary, spending every cent of it as I went along. Then I fell in love, but I try as I would, I could not see how two could manage on what had scarcely been enough for me. We talked it over, she and I, and considered the question of ways and means. She thought we could manage with my salary, and we were both so desperately in love with one another that we were brave to the point of rashness, and were married. I did not care to assume the responsibility of making that salary go around, and so questions of finance were left to my wife. We lived modestly, but very comfortably, and gradually added pretty things to the little stock of furniture we had begun with, until at the end of five years we had all we had space for. Of course, my salary had increased in that time, but so had the family, and there were hundreds of demands for which we had made no allowance when we discussed the subject before marriage. One day, in the course of the day's work, I made the discovery that, if I had \$1,000 to use immediately I could make several thousands before the week was out. That night I went home dispirited and discouraged. I began to think of the dog's life I was leading, living from day to day with no prospect of anything better as far as I could see, and by the time I had reached home I was cross and taciturn, but a good dinner put me in a better humor, and as we sat together in the dining room after the children had gone to bed I told the dear woman about the fortune that we had missed because I did not have a paltry \$1,000. "How soon will you need it?" she asked, when I had finished the story. I told her that the money would have to be forthcoming within the next three days, and asked her if she did not wish she had a fairy god-mother to supply the want. "I will have it in three days," she replied, confidently, and I took the answer as a joke and thought little more about it, but imagine my surprise on the third day when she handed me a check for the amount. There had not been a year since we were married that she did not save at least a couple of hundred dollars, and she had kept her own counsel about it, too, leading it in small sums to the best advantage. A thousand dollars may not seem much to you, but it was a mighty large sum to me in those days. I made the investment and made several thousand, and the first thing I did was to pay her back what she had lent me. The little bit of capital I then had was all I needed to make a start with, and from it has come all the money I have since been able to make."

RAM'S HORNS.

Doing is a sure proof of believing. Every man has his price—Calvary. Christ is Jacob's ladder made real. There is no sin so subtle as spiritual sin.

The gospel for the eternities is the only gospel for the times. Christ towers above all the great men of history like an Alpine peak.

Those who prefer the service of sin must be satisfied with the wages of sin.—Ram's Horn.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, to know that the people everywhere take pleasure in relating their experience in the use of that splendid medicine and in telling of the benefit they have received from it, of bad colds that have been cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia that have averted and of the children that have saved from attacks of croup and whooping cough. It is a grand, good medicine. For sale by Geo. C. Hueston, Druggist.

RECORDS OF CRIME

THE DIFFERENT KINDS THAT FLOURISH IN SEVERAL STATES

The Average of Some Sections Lowered by the Influx of Foreigners—According to the Records, Ohio Seems to be the Best Michigan and Florida the Worst.

Nine out of every ten men if asked in which part of the country was the most wickedness would answer the Atlantic seaboard. Their assumption would be based on the fact that the large cities and particularly New York are situated there and almost everybody thinks New York City is the wickedest place in the United States.

The records of crime do not bear out this assumption and a comparison of the police records of Eastern and Western cities is quite favorable to New York, Philadelphia, Boston or any of the Eastern cities.

The population must, of course, be taken into consideration when a comparison of States is made, just as it is when their relative literacy is made the subject of statisticians' reports. Thus considered, the Empire State compares most favorably with any other State in the Union.

The average of certain manufacturing States is lowered by the influx there of foreign workmen who bring their crimes with them. Massachusetts and Connecticut would have the reputation of having the best people in the country were it not for the Portuguese and other foreign laborers attracted to Fall River and similar places where there are big mills or manufactories of various kinds.

The records show that the very best people in the United States are the men and women of Ohio. Out of every hundred thousand inhabitants of Ohio, only 34 commit serious crimes during a year. And when the police report "best" they practically mean most honest. If you take any hundred crimes committed in this vast country, you will find that 99 of them are thefts, burglaries or robberies.

The second, third, fourth and fifth best States, that is, those nearest Ohio, like Indiana, Pennsylvania, Missouri and Kentucky. Those conspicuous in the other direction are some of the Western States, particularly California, and some of the Southern States, including two of the Gulf States.

Some people will tell you that drunkenness is the cause of all other crime. But the criminal annuals show that there is no truth in this statement. In the Eastern States twice as many indictable serious offenses are committed as in the Western States. But the Western man becomes intoxicated three times to the Eastern man once.

Assaults and other crimes of violence also seem to have small relation to dishonesty and very little connection with drink. The most violent of all are the people of Tennessee, but in point of honesty they are third best; and with regard to drink they occupy sixth place among the States.

It is safe to say that almost every one has somehow formed the impression that the inhabitants of North Carolina are a shiftless as well as a wicked set of people. This, however, is one of those "general impressions" which will not stand investigation; it is a slur on the State which has furnished excellent citizens and supplies magnificent scenery. As a matter of fact North Carolina ranks better than fourth in the grand old virtue of honesty in the various States, and the cause of its crimes, if any, keeps them down to a somewhat innocuous or petty grade.

This Frog a Weather Proprietor. Here is a frog which is said to forecast changes in the weather more accurately than the Weather Bureau. The little reptile is kept in a high jar filled with water and a ladder.

An Old House. The oldest house in America is in St. Augustine, Fla. In 1564, it was built by the monks of the Order of St. Francis and the whole of the solid structure is composed of coquina, a combination of sea shells and mortar, which is almost indestructible.

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A LONG WAY AROUND.

A Cable Message Over Five Lands to a Man Across the Street.

The telegraph offices of the London, Brussels and London-Paris cable companies are directly opposite to each other in one of those narrow streets of London where one hardly has room enough to change his mind.

The operators are good friends, and often when work is slow cross to each other to have a friendly chat. It happened during the English-Soudan war that the operators were kept constantly at their instruments, not having time for calls.

The operator of the Paris cable discovered that he had left his pipe on the table of his colleague across the way the night previous. To go over for it was an impossibility. The clicking of the instrument would not permit even rising from his ages, through which persons were led



THE COURSE OF THE DESPATCH.

chair. He could not catch the eye of his friend to communicate to him by signs. He called the Dover office to connect him with Calais, across the Channel; the operator there put him on with Paris, thence with Chalon, Goblentz, Brussels, Ostend, and back to England with his comrade across the way.

Then he sent the following message: "If it is possible for you to return my pipe without it being compelled to follow the route of my despatch, please do so immediately." His friend happened to have an assistant, who took the pipe over at once. This message traveled through England, France, Germany, Belgium and England.

New York, with all its greatness, is in some respects the most condensed place on earth. Down in Mulberry street there is a shop just wide enough for a cobbler's bench and hardly long enough to permit three customers to stand in line.

There are cigar stores so diminutive that a man can scarcely turn around in them. In Broadway, not far from Herald Square, is a place for the sale of the fragrant weed in which a customer can hardly lift his arm without knocking down a box of cigarettes or a pile of stogies. It's the proper thing for the purchaser to back out of the place after cautiously applying the match to his recently acquired cigar.

Smallest of all is a restaurant near the South ferry, where there are a shelf and three chairs, and the pies are placed on edge. On busy days those who desire the particular brand of crullers, steaks and coffee offered there for sale are obliged to wait outside the door for a place at the shelf.

A Giant Moose Head. The largest moose head on record is in the possession of Mr. W. F. Sheard of Tacoma, Wash. It is the head of an Alaskan moose and the antlers measure from tip to tip 6 feet 6 inches. The wildest moose antlers in England were in the possession of his royal highness the duke of Edinburgh. They measured 59 1/2 inches across or 3 1/2 inches under 5 feet. The Alaskan specimen, 6 inches higher, than a 6-foot man, is also immensely wide and massive in the "palm" of the horns.

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WYANDOTTE NOW HAS A CIVIC HOLIDAY KNOWN AS "FORD DAY."

It is Nov. 17, Capt. J. B. Ford's birthday, and was established by the city council at its last meeting.

To Cure La Grippe in Two Days. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on every box. 25c.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Lydia J. Leonard and Walter C. Leonard and Ella M. Leonard, his wife, to William G. Lapham, dated February 4th, 1898, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County, Michigan, on February 7th, 1898, in Liber 997 of mortgages on page 432, on which there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred thirty-two and ninety-two hundredths dollars, \$132.92, and no suit or proceeding in law or equity having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the same having become operative according to the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, A. D. 1899, at twelve o'clock noon—city time—I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the westerly front door of the City Hall in the City of Detroit, in said county, that being the building wherein the circuit court for the County of Wayne is held—the premises described in said mortgage to pay the amount due thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses of sale, including an attorney fee of \$15.00 as stipulated in said mortgage and allowed by law, to-wit: Lying and being in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, and described as: Lot fourteen—14—of Dan, Griffin's sub-division of lot eight—8—of Wesson's section of LaBrosse & Baker farm according to the plat of said sub-division recorded in book six—6—of plates on page 48, said lot lying on the northerly side of Selden Avenue between 6th and 7th Streets.

WILLIAM G. LAPHAM, Mortgagee. C. C. Yerkes, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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THE RECORD PRINTERY, Northville.

Suburban News.

Delray folks had a "donkey social" this week. And bray var is dot? Two of the Livonia diphtheria children, in the Smith family, died last week and another passed away on Tuesday.

A well recently bored in one of Wyandotte's suburbs is decidedly sulphurous in character. Bad old place that; but little above the infernal regions, apparently.

All some men can do is to hoodoo. Farmington Enterprise.

Hoodoo you suppose believes it? And echo ungrammatically answers "Who do?"

A Michigan Air Line train ran over a flock of sheep near Orchard Lake on which the owner claims \$1,500 damages. Some of them were among the most valuable of their kind in this country.

Kansas has great possibilities. There are Gelfalts and vice versa in store for a lot of her people that they would not of. There are said to be 100 comities in that state where there is not a bicycle as yet.

The Milford Manufacturing Company was incorporated at that place last week. Capitalization, \$25,000. Sanitary supplies and plumbers' woodwork are the principal articles to be manufactured.

For sale, a span of horses aged 7 and 8 years; says an advertiser in the Delray Times. If they prove to be fifteen there can be no kick coming at least on the part of the purchaser; as seven and eight are fifteen, sure's Uzizes.

U. of M. co-eds are planning to adopt a dress reform system and have already decided on the style of head gear, which is to be a soft felt hat. These will be of different colors for different classes and are to be labeled with the class number.

According to an item in last week's Ann Arbor Courier it would appear that the editor of that paper has started a sewing school. "Through the kindness of friends donating money for the benefit of the sewing school, we will be able to begin our work next Saturday Nov. 11," says the Courier. Can this be so?

There are some awfully mean folks in this world and some of them are to be found even in the ranks of the burglary profession in spite of the old saying that there is "honor among thieves." Some fellows broke into the Wayne county poor house the other night and stole some of the belongings of the inmates.

Those celebrated awnings at Ypsilanti were demolished "between two days." We fail to see how such a demolition was necessary after the council had ordered the removal of the awnings to some people—obnoxious structures. If it was legal that they should be taken down, why not have waited regular proceedings?

One of our exchanges says that a "boarding house combine" has been formed at Ypsilanti which is called "the Normal Boarding-house Association," and proposes to establish stated prices for board and to boycott those grocers who deal with those who aren't in it. We notice the promoters are careful not to call it a "trust." No trust about it.

The Pontiac Gazette announces that "vehicles have taken a jump" in that city. The "risky conveyances" must be those automobiles they have been telling they were going to make out there; but if they are going to act like that they won't be any safer than horses and they cost more, too. Don't believe we'll buy one, after all.

The Delray Times kicks in a very able-bodied manner because somebody has been telling around that a lady employed in the office of that paper is youthful enough to be under the surveillance of the school officers, and that those august personages have been after the aforesaid legal infant. In spite of its protest however, the Times editor owns up that he doesn't know how old the girl is and allows that it's nobody's business anyway. Settle it by asking the girl. If she won't tell her age she's old enough sure.

George Martin is wearing his sweetest smile nowadays, all on account of an 8lb boy, born Saturday morning.—Oakland Excelsior.

Yes. Just so. But some night next winter when the bulb of the thermometer is in danger of exploding from pressure and it happens that George is obliged to perchman-late around in an abbreviated costume with that boy heavier by several pounds, the saccharine ingredients of that smile will have assumed an acidity that would make the best cider vinegar forsake its "mother."

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PRISON ART CENTRE.

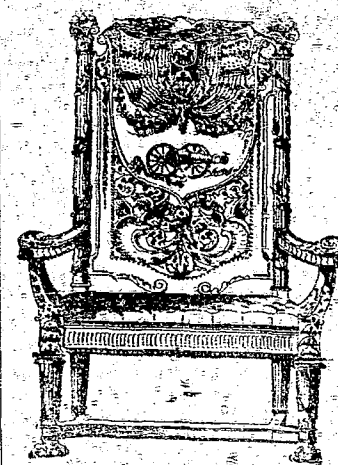
SING SING ESTABLISHING QUITE A REPUTATION IN THAT LINE.

Several Geniuses Already Discovered—A Prisoner Who Designed and Built Two Large Organs—A Remarkable Negro Woodcarver Convict.

As an art centre Sing Sing Prison is establishing a reputation. Already the warden has made the school of design and decoration there one of the most efficient in the United States. The classes are for thoroughly practical work, and the students, all of whom are "doing time," receive an education that makes it easy for them to earn a living honestly as skilled workmen after they have served out their sentences and are discharged into the world outside.

The warden has discovered several geniuses already. One of these built the large reed organs in the Catholic and the Protestant chapels. He did all the work himself and learned how to assemble after he entered the prison. His experience in carpentering or any mechanical work had not gone further than driving nails in pecking boxes before the law took charge of him. He had a good ear for music, though he could not read a note, and he had played organs "on the road" three seasons of three months each for a manufacturing firm in Canada. In this work he had helped at packing and unpacking dozens of instruments and had become familiar with the arrangement of the reeds and the general anatomy of the instruments. He had never worked at organ building nor had he done any of the practical work of designing or construction.

But the most remarkable fact about the building of these instruments is that the man who made them thought out everything to the minutest details before he made even a rough sketch of the work he wished to do. With



CHAIR MADE AT SING SING.

a model or tool for pencil and paper to help him, he brooded over his plans for twenty-five months. Then he had conceived every detail clearly in his mind, had computed the exact proportions of each of the 14,000 parts, and had assembled these parts mentally.

When his cogitations had evolved the organ he dropped a note to the warden in one of the various letter boxes the warden has placed about the prison grounds. He wrote, he said, in this note, to ask for permission to illustrate on paper the ideas he had on building an organ for one of the chapels. The warden set for the world-be builder, and was so impressed with the man's intelligence and earnestness that he told him to go ahead; that he should have pencil and paper and all the drawing instruments he needed. He had never made a sketch in his life, but he soon made a hundred intelligible illustrations that made it possible for others to see what before had been visible to him only.

The warden sent these drawings to organ builders in New York, and asked for expert opinions. Both critics replied that the designs were excellent and practical, with the exception of one point. They doubted if a reed could be made to fit the tone produced by the sixteen-foot organ pipe. They believed eight feet was the limit for reeds.

The genius said that if the warden would let him go ahead he would show the manufacturers how easily it could be done. The warden said "All right" and the result is the two splendid organs that attract so much attention in the prison chapels.

The one in the Catholic chapel is the largest reed instrument in the world, and has a tone that even an expert listening at a little distance would believe came from a pipe organ. Organists have remarked the rich, deep, full pipe tone time and again. This instrument has 321 notes. All of them six tone, from the voice celeste—the "impossible"—sixteen-foot pipe tone—to the highest the human ear appreciates. There are three manuals and four complete keyboards. The player can couple the swell, the choir or the great organ with the pedals, or he can give a pedal solo, not using his hands at all. There are 14,000 separate pieces in this instrument; 800 of these are small shutters which open or close by pulling or pushing a balance swell pedal stop. The pressure necessary to put down a key is three ounces, and this three-ounce pressure moves 600 pieces of the mechanism. The bellows are about eight feet long, and hold an air supply of 155 seconds, so the organ can play for nearly two minutes with one breath.

Another genius whom the warden's art school has discovered would be getting cabs to-day if he had behaved himself. Under the head of previous occupation he is down on the prison rolls "coachman, butler, colored." He is still colored, but it is not probable that he will ever drive or wait on doors or paper tables again. Instead of meat he will carve wood, and his attention to doors and tables will be with a view to ornament. He is the chief star in the art school galaxy, and does exquisite work.

Chinese Weight. "Catty" is a weight still in use in the treaty ports of China. When the Chinese first sold tea to the Europeans they inclosed it in little lacquer cases which each weighed a "catty" and in the time were called tea catties, and at last tea caddies.

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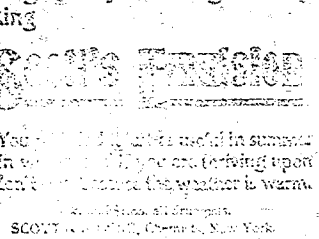
World's Steel Production.

The production of steel throughout the world last year was estimated, according to Engineering, at 24,127,000 tons. This total was made up approximately as follows: United States, 8,900,000 tons; Great Britain, 4,600,000 tons; Germany, 5,700,000 tons; France, 1,400,000 tons; Russia, 1,100,000 tons; Austria and Hungary, 880,000 tons; Spain, 190,000 tons; and other countries, 450,000 tons. It will be seen that the proportion sustained by each country in the production of steel was as follows: United States, 37.02 per cent; Great Britain, 19.23 per cent; Germany, 23.96 per cent; France, 6.11 per cent; Russia, 4.78 per cent; Austria and Hungary, 3.65 per cent; Belgium, 2.71 per cent; Sweden, 1.74 per cent; Spain, 0.83 per cent; and other countries, 1.72 per cent.

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FOR RENT—Nice house on Northside. Apply to C. J. Ball. 47th. FOR RENT—Desirable residence on Yerkes St., Northside. Enquire of A. McKay. 9th. FOR SALE—Smith Premier Typewriter. First class order. Less than half price. Apply to Record office. 51st. FOR SALE—Old papers, that are new, for pantry shelves, putting under carpets, etc. Apply to Record Office. FOR SALE—Black Walnut Extension table. Good Condition. \$5 takes it. Apply to Record Office. FOR RENT—Farm of eighty acres one and one-half miles west of Sutton. Apply to Mrs. E. A. Roe, Northville Mich. 31st. FOR SALE—White Bicycle Gen's, almost good as new. Never been run over 100 miles. Less than \$20.00 buys it. Apply to Record office. 51st. FOR SALE—One Hense and Lot corner Wing and Main street; also vacant Lot joining same 65x110 feet on Wing street and one House and Lot in Beldown known as the Sander House. For price and terms address F. D. Adams, 303 Grand River Ave., Detroit Mich. 134th. WANTED—Salesmen to solicit orders for choice and hardy line of Nursery Stock. Steady work and big pay. Stock shipped local. If you cannot work directly, take a local agency. Secure territory by writing at once to the HAWKS NURSERY COMPANY, Rochester, N. Y. 74th. WANTED—Persons men owning horses and buggies to sell Lubricating oils and Greases from Samples. Liberal Commissions to start. Good Salary paid after reasonable trial. References. The Canton Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 134th. WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGHT AND HONEST persons to represent us as Managers in this and other cities. Salary \$200 a year and expenses. Straight, bona-fide, no more, no less salary. Position permanent. Our references are in any bank in any town. This is mainly office work conducted at home. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. THE DOMINION CO., Dept. 3, Chicago, Ill. 74th.

NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

Earnest Willis was home over Sunday. John Blackwood was out from Detroit this week. Miss O. A. Shepard has returned from her visit at Grand Haven. The best of the season's next Thursday night at the Opera House. Mrs. Fred Birch of Plymouth was a Northville visitor Wednesday. Mrs. R. H. Beal of Detroit spent last Saturday with her parents here. Miss Grace Shannon of Wixom visited Northville friends last Saturday. Mrs. Benner of Detroit has been the guest of Mrs. Geo. Rayson this week. Dr. Meade of Detroit was out for a hunt one day this week, the guest of W. G. Yerkes. Miss Minnie Beal has returned from an extended visit with her sister in Chicago. The King's Daughters will be glad to see you at their Fair and Apron Sale Dec. 7 and 8. Mr. and Mrs. Azel Blair of Royal Oak were Northville and Novi visitors the first of this week. Herbert Eickel of Grand was home for a few days last week. Herb runs a barber shop at Durand. Dr. E. X. Root went over to New Hudson bird-hunting a few days last week. He came home sick but is better now. Mrs. Sarah S. McFarlin of St. John, Mich., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. B. Northrop, returned home Monday. C. A. McCullough has been home from Pontiac nursing a very painful foot, the result of accidentally stepping on a rusty nail. However he is now on the gain. Dr. J. A. Attridge of Detroit visited Northville friends Sunday. The doctor is still enjoying a fine practice in the city which is gradually increasing as each season goes by, all of which his numerous friends here are glad to know.

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School Notes.

[School notes are printed exactly as written by the pupil.] Mrs. Miller visited the sixth grade Monday. The first year Algebra has taken up factoring. Vern Calkins has been absent on account of illness. The High school girls will give a reception to the Wayne Foot Ball team Friday, at the YMCA hall. Miss Winnie Mason has been compelled to leave school on account of sickness. The Caesar class expect to take up Latin prose in the near future. Mrs. Wooley returned to her duties at school to-day, after an absence of a few days. The High School Foot Ball team played against the Plymouth team Wednesday. Miss Maud Buchner has been teaching the first grade, during the absence of Mrs. Wooley. Alfred Musolf entered the fourth grade as a new scholar Wednesday. The Wayne Foot Ball team will play against the home High School team, Friday P. M. Admission five and ten cents. R. B. G.

Lyceum—Detroit.

The creator of "Oh, By Gosh!" Geo. W. Monroe, is presenting his new play, "Mrs. B. O. Shaugnessy" at the Lyceum this week and there is fun for everybody. Another D'Artagnan in the field Harry Glazier, a young romantic actor who has won his spurs in the ranks under the command of Lawrence Barrett, Thomas W. Keene and Katherine Kidder, will begin an engagement at the Lyceum next Sunday night hero of Dumas' famous story, "The Three Musketeers." Mr. Glazier is under the management of E. D. Stair, and production is claimed to equal those of Sothern and O'Neil in the magnificence and completeness of its scenic investiture, and the correctness of its "costuming." The supporting company includes Harry Glazier as D'Artagnan; Warren F. Hill as Louis XIII; J. P. Barrett, Richelleu; Matthew McGinnies, Duke of Buckingham, etc.

Whitney's—Detroit.

"On the Suwanee River," the beautiful southern heart story, is playing a most successful engagement at the Whitney Opera House this week. Stella Maykaw repeats her former triumph as "Aunt Lindy" and the entire cast is a capable one. Next week, "At Piney Ridge." This play is more than its title signifies; it is a pastoral picture of the real south. A south not all "sunny," but depicted with its dark shadows as well as its brightness. The characters are as lifelike as though it were a tale of the real that we look at and not a mere stage portrait filled with claptrap nonsense, such as disgraces so many a so-called southern drama. David Higgins will present his play aided by a fine company of which Miss Georgia Waldron is still a member. Matinees daily except Wednesday.

Look, Listen, Detroit Shopping Excursions Via F. & P. R.—Round Trip Twenty-five Cents.

To afford our patrons an opportunity for Christmas shopping in Detroit the F. & P. M. R. R. has decided to resume its popular shopping excursions. Special trains will be run to Detroit and return, on December 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, leaving Northville at 9:30 a. m., Plymouth 9:45 a. m. No stops will be made after leaving Plymouth. Returning, leave Detroit at 5:30 p. m. Remember only 25c for round trip. Don't miss this opportunity. H. F. MOELLER, G. P. A. 14w6.

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No critic of this book am I— Love has no critic's power— And yet one change I can't deny; I'd make this very hour.

The covers bright I would let be, The text remain the same; This book is good enough for me— I'd only change the name. — J. M. in-Puck.

COLD BLUFF

And the Way It Worked Upon a Gang of Toughs.

New Orleans Times-Democrat: "A bluff is a valuable weapon sometimes," said a business man of this city who used to reside in California. "I had that fact firmly impressed on my mind one night while I was living in Erisco. I had gone down to the water front on some business, was detained until late and came back through a notoriously tough section known as the 'Barbary coast,' given over to dives, dance halls and the worst type of sailors' boarding houses. Very foolishly, I stepped into a particularly sinister-looking corner groggery to light my cigar, and the minute I got inside I recognized that I was going to have trouble. Half a dozen hoodlums were lounging in front of the bar, and before I knew it a couple of them were between me and the door. When a stranger happens into such a den alone the usual program is to hold him up and beat him to a jelly, and if he appeals afterward to the police there are plenty of witnesses to swear he was drunk and started the fight. I saw that was likely to be my fate, and resolved on a big bluff. Without paying any attention to the gang I pulled out my watch as if to see the time. It was a handsome watch, with a large diamond in the case. 'Say, what's dat stone in de lid?' asked one of the toughs, coming up close. 'Can't you see,' I replied, 'it's a diamond. Here, take a look at it.' With that I hooked the timepiece from the chain and put it in his hands. Words cannot describe the astonishment of the crowd. The ruffians looked at each other and then looked at me, evidently nonplused. I was quaking inwardly, but I managed to return their stares unmoved, and finally the bartender beckoned to a fellow who seemed to be the leader, and the two had a whispered conference. 'Give de man his watch,' said the tough when he returned, and I was promptly handed back. As I was putting it on my chain he asked me to have a drink, but I declined and walked out, expecting every minute to get a sandbag on the back of my head. Without a doubt the gang thought I was a detective, and that I probably had a posse on the outside. They couldn't understand my promptitude in handing over the watch, and it certainly saved me from a slugging and may be saved my life."

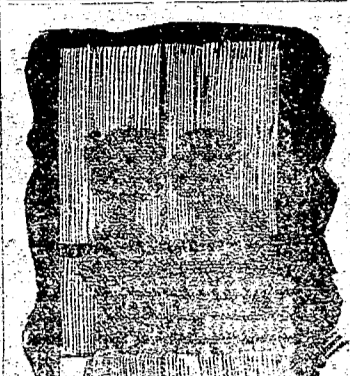
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THANKSGIVING

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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S. tonight, at 7:30.

Vern Calkins has been on the sick list for a week or so.

Don't miss the Concert, Co. next week Thursday night.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. I. B. Gilbert at St. Johns, Oct. 31, a son.

J. A. Lunday is in Plymouth finishing a fine residence for H. H. Roe.

A time table of the D. P. & N. electric railway appears in this issue.

Come to The King's Daughters' Fair and Apron Sale Dec. 7 and 8 at the rink.

In Northville at least it was too foggy for people to get any view of the meteoric display Tuesday night.

Lost—October 28, Saturday night, gray overcoat, black velvet collar and laps to pockets. Return to Byron Thompson and get reward.

Beautiful women everywhere owe their matchless loveliness to the use of Rocky Mountain Tea. Plain women made attractive. Ask your druggist.

Buy your supper of The King's Daughters Thursday evening, Dec. 7, at the rink.

Will Lockwood and Milt Burrows have leased the Shafer livery barn on Center street for a feed and sale stable.

The party who picked up the gold chain in the rink last Saturday night, will confer a favor by returning same to Record office.

The Wayne High-school boys come up this afternoon to play the Northville High-school team a foot ball game. It promises to be a right smart contest.

Christian Science service Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy or Mesmerism and Hypnotism," and Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the WCTU hall.

Geo. Thompson who was taken to the Wayne retreat some time ago for treatment was transferred to the Pontiac asylum last week. The doctors do not give out any hopes for his recovery.

Wanted—Work of any kind and as I am very needy will work for 75c per day. Have no fuel and no money to buy any.

Mrs. V. SICKLE, Northville.

Of course you saw the meteoric display Tuesday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Valkenburg Nov. 9, a son.

There will be services in the Baptist church as usual Sunday.

Don't forget the entertainment given by The King's Daughters Dec. 8 in the rink.

The Boston Stars will surely be seen at the Opera House next Thursday night. Admission 25c.

Of the public school money Northville township will get \$637 this year; Plymouth \$543; Livonia \$423.

This year Rev. J. H. Herbener will deliver the annual Thanksgiving sermon, presumably in the Baptist church.

The King's Daughters' Fair and Apron Sale Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings at the rink, Dec. 7 and 8.

The Northville U. S. fish station now has in ten million lake trout eggs, all received within a week or so. This is the largest number yet received at this station so early in the season. A number more million are yet to arrive.

Geo. Ryder is the motorman on the Northville division of the D. P. & N. and Ernest Miller is conductor.

Louie Roof is on the Plymouth end but the cars run so that he is able to get home every day which is very convenient.

The foot-ball team has at last returned to the daily routine of practice and Capt. McCarty hopes to have a team soon that will make both Northville and Plymouth open their eyes.—Wayne Review.

They have "opened their eyes" already—but it has been with surprise because the Wayne team failed to keep its first engagement.

Last Sunday the Presbyterian people showed they could do business when they felt like it. They felt like it Sunday morning, apparently, for in less than five minutes the \$260-back salary due Pastor Herbener was raised. The pastor felt better at the outcome and so did the congregation.

B. G. Filkins of the U. S. fish commission returned this week from Beaver Island where he has been gathering trout fish eggs for the Northville station. He left Wednesday to resume his work at the Detroit station where the procuring and care of white fish eggs will be the chief occupation until spring.

One would hardly suppose that bean pods possess any considerable nutriment or have a market value, but we read of one New York farmer who sold the pods from his 700-bushel crop for \$4.50 per ton. They are said to be quite as good as clover hay for sheep. This may be a valuable pointer for Michigan tillers of the soil.

It is suggested—mildly, mind you—that the common council build or procure a building and properly house the crushed stone roller for the winter. If there are no more horses to be exercised with it, it might better even be sold for old iron than to be allowed to rust away down on the Dubuar factory grounds.

The Northville Telephone company has placed new phones in the stores of Merritt & Co. (502) and E. J. Cox & Co. (22) and in the residences of Mrs. G. Lapham (483), Orange Butler (172) and L. B. Ball (283). The Club room number is now (562.) M. F. Stanley's (173). There is no phone now in the residence of Mrs. Harrison Verkes or W. A. Carruthers. Subscribers will please correct their cards accordingly.

Notice—Life insurance companies will reduce the rate 33 per cent. to all who agree to use Rocky Mountain Tea. A wise measure. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Charter, Sunday, Nov. 12, a 12 pound boy.

Concert at the opera house next week Thursday night. It is the first number of the lecture course.

Flaney's orchestra will furnish the music for the Eastern Star's fifth annual ball on Thanksgiving eve.

A break in the trolley between Plymouth and Wayne delayed the Detroit traffic for several hours Sunday.

Tinham's Orchestra of this place furnishes the music for Thursday Bros. opening party at the Nichols house, Walled Lake, Thanksgiving eve.

The F. & P. M. will soon place on sale here ten round trip Detroit ride tickets books for \$7. That will make the same rate as via street cars.

On account of the O. E. S. hop on Thanksgiving eve the D. P. & N. will run a special car back to Plymouth and Wayne at 2:00 o'clock a. m. to carry the guests from those towns home.

John Tinham has sent home for the winter his four year old trotter Fred Arlington by Arlington, 2147.

This horse learned to step very fast and will easily drop into the select list another season.

The fully Queen Harold sold by Landlord Shafer last February to W. Yetter of Riverhead, N. Y., took a mark of 2.297. A letter from Mr. Yetter states that she could easily have clipped off twenty seconds from this record.

It seems that the Record erred last week in stating that M. S. Ambler had the contract for furnishing the lumber for the new electric light power house. Mr. Ambler furnishes half and C. L. Dubuar Lumber Co. half. The Record was misinformed.

The W. R. C. ladies invited their friends to a tea at the GAR hall Wednesday afternoon and incidentally a nice lot of sewing was done for several needy people whom the women of this organization have been helping for a long time. As usual an extremely pleasant time was enjoyed.

The L. O. T. M. will give a social entertainment, Nov. 23, in Richardson's society hall. Some of the features of the evening will be the giving away of two beautiful quilts, one made of silk and one made of worsted. Five cents admits to the hall and you may get a quilt, free. Come and see.

Next Sunday will be a big day for the local Y. M. C. A. C. M. Copeland, state secretary, unexpectedly announced that he would spend the day in Northville and help the local work. The committee has arranged for a union meeting in the Presbyterian church at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening to be addressed by Mr. Copeland. At 8:00 o'clock he will speak to men only. The admission to the men's meeting will be by ticket and only those who secure their will get in. Any male citizen fourteen years old can have a ticket. The work of the Y. M. C. A. is worthy of hearty support from every quarter.

Used by British Soldiers in Africa.—Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Gallshe. Under date of Nov. 4, 1897, from Vryburg, Bechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by Geo. C. Haeston, Druggist.

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TELEPHONE

One more of Northville's noted speed horses is sold. M. E. Sloan has just disposed of to M. J. Helmer of Coldwater for \$500 his trotting horse Royal Auctioneer 20701, sired by Auctioneer 5889, Dam Golden Dawn by Golden Bote. This horse is not only a fine individual but has unlimited speed, having shown a 2:24 gait with but little work. Undoubtedly in the future he will be heard of as ranking among the fast ones in the grand circuit.

It is surprising how much mail matter is handled by Uncle Sam's employes in a short space of time. Postmaster Hutton has finished a 30 days' weighing of mails originating in the Northville post-office and while it is exceedingly dull here now, and October is a light month any way yet for the past 30 days there has been sent out 3,954 pounds, or a ton and a half. The weighing was ordered for 35 days but as there are no Sunday mails here there was but 30 of it. The mail received here would reach a very much higher figure than the mail forwarded.

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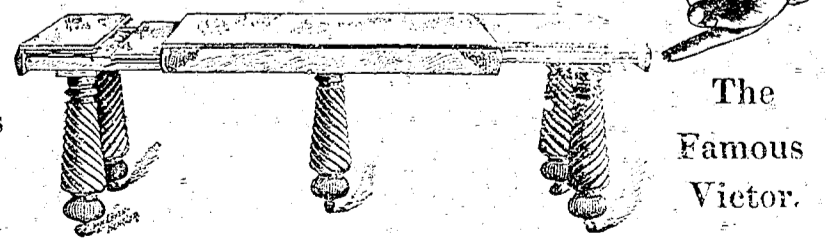
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It's bound to come and you might better be prepared. Have just received another invoice of Horse-Blankets and the price will move 'em fast. Rubber Footwear for everybody. The "Golden Rule" rubber boot for men beats all. Working Clothes for men at the old prices. Mr. Workman, we guess we have the best 25c working lined Mitt and more of them than any other house in this section. Here's another tip. We have put in a line of the "Silver Dragon" Coffees, which means the rest satisfaction yet offered by Coffees. They range from 15c to 20c. Ask for sample.

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- Best Apples, 4 lbs for 10c
- Best Pickles, each, 10c
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The best I can buy anywhere, and all these bargains at

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The most secure way of having a letter read by the pope is to address it as follows: "To his Holiness the Pope, Prefect of the Holy Roman and Universal Inquisition," as any other than the head of the church guilty of opening a document so addressed will be excommunicated, according to a bull promulgated by the Carafa pope, Paul IV.

Nora—you can't expect to do away with face blemishes in a week's time. Keep on taking Rocky Mountain Tea. You'll have a lovely complexion. Ask your druggist.

The Busy Propeller.
The screw of an Atlantic liner revolves something like 630,000 times between Liverpool and New York.

Good Advice.

When that distressing pain seems to grab you by the back of the head and neck and your eyes seem fixed on a given point straight ahead, do not make yourself sick by taking drastic cathartics, but take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It relieves the pressure on the nerve centers of the brain and aids digestion by causing constipation permanently. In 10c, 50c and \$1 size at Geo. C. Hinoston's.

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NEIGHBORHOOD

Novi News.

Miss Grace Court spent last week at her home.
Miss Mabel Whipple has returned from Detroit.
Mrs. Ella Spencer has returned from Webberville.
Helen Trump of Saginaw visited at C. E. Goodell's last week.
George Kidd and family are now occupying the Lottie Hill house.
Roy Van Atta and sister of Waterford called on Novi friends Sunday.

WANTED—Good Soldier, Salary of Commission. Apply or address The Record, Northville.
The big little city of Novi is about to try to support three blacksmith shops.
Chas. Aldrich and family are temporarily located in T. Gurr's teaming house.
Bible day exercises will be observed in the Baptist church next Sunday evening.

Thad Williams and family left for Saginaw last Saturday where they expect to reside.
Miss Blanche Van Atta of Emery and Claude Balfy of Salem visited at W. D. Stark's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Baneroff visited at Delos Leavenworth's a couple of days last week.
Floyd Parker of Detroit spent a few days last week visiting and hunting with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapel and children of Cass city are visiting friends and relatives in and around Novi.

The ENDC held a meeting last Monday evening on account of the bad weather for a few weeks previous. The meeting will be held to night as usual.

Among the Oakland county jurors' names for December are D. Leavenworth, Novi; Geo. Cork, Lyon; Robert Smitherman, Commerce; S. Vincent, Milford and Isaac Bond, Farmington.

A rousing temperance sermon was delivered from the Baptist pulpit last Sunday morning by Rev. F. Brittain, whose grandparents were formerly residents of what is now the "Doc" Rice farm.

Sarah Lamb and Stella Angell attended the Cheerful Workers society held at Blanche Dunham's last Saturday. The distance was only seven miles from their homes, nevertheless it showed a true missionary spirit proving that "He that is faithful in that which is least, is faithful also in much."

The non-appearance of one of the correspondents items, last week caused quite a commotion at the WND club as many in that locality depend upon the Record to remind them of club duties. However we judge it must have been some unaccountable delay. Was it? [Items not received until after going to press. Ed.]

The following item clipped from the Saginaw News will be of interest to the many friends of the groom here. A very quiet wedding took place at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Nov. 2 at the rectory of St. Paul's Episcopal church, 429 North Washington Ave., when Miss E. Putnam, youngest daughter of Mrs. E. J. Putnam and Stephen C. Gage were united in marriage by Rev. W. H. Gallagher. Both are popular and well known young people of the city. Mr. Gage is operator of The Courier Herald's Associated Press leased wire service, and their many friends will wish himself and Mrs. Gage a long and happy married life. They will be at home to their friends at 1017 Tuscola street after Nov. 20.

Last Saturday night at the WND club the "Trust" question was debated by N. A. Clapp, D. Gage, Perry Lamb and B. Nicholson with such enthusiasm that each reluctantly left the floor for his opponent who defended the trust company or proved that it was a menace to the country, in such an able manner that the house found it difficult to decide which side had won. The society appreciated the assistance rendered by Mr. Nicholson whom it is hoped will often be present. The society submits the following program for tomorrow night:

Secretary's report
Miscellaneous business
Quotations by members
Song—N. A. Clapp
Recitation—Mrs. J. Richardson
Impromptu—N. A. Clapp
Recitation—Perry Lamb
Duet—Edith Gurr and Iva Dodge
Recitation—Blanche Dunham
Answers to queries
Recess
Distribution of queries
Discussion—Resolved that the U. S. should take permanent possession of the Philippine Islands. Mr. Perry Lamb, N. A. Clapp, Mrs. J. Dunham, Mrs. B. Nicholson, D. Gage, Mrs. N. Richardson.

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Wixom News.

John Chambers visited friends at Milford Saturday evening.
Miss Carrie Angell of Northville is sewing at Wixom this week.
D. Skinner of Gaines visited his uncle, H. O. Fuller, Monday.

The "Secret Nine" were entertained by Mrs. Calhoun Wednesday.
Mrs. Electa Furman visited in Northville a part of this week.
Miss Maine Smith visited at New Hudson Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. N. Ball and little daughter visited at Mrs. J's parents' Monday.
There will be Thanksgiving services Sunday morning Nov. 26, in the church.

Dr. Dean's little daughter of New Hudson visited Edith Hartland Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buland at Milford.

A candy-pull was indulged in by several ladies Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Phil Parker. The

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Could not express the rapture of Annie B. Springer of 1125 Howard St., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." So will everyone who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs.—Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at G. C. Hinoston's Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed.

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candy was delicious and was made by Miss Vira Phillips.

Miss Ethel Waite of Novi visited with Miss Allie Madison a part of last week.

Mrs. J. R. Shaw of Detroit visited at B. F. Madison's last Thursday and Friday.

Two more mail-trains have been put on the Airline making nine mails per day for Wixom.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Heath, the first of the week.

Some one visited Mr. Saylor's hen-roost one night last week and took his Thanksgiving rooster and one hen.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolomb of Deer Lake visited at J. Abram's last week. Mrs. H. was formerly Bernice de Linley.

Mrs. Daniel Johnson of Pontiac, Mrs. Harriet Baker and daughter Leila visited at Mrs. Perrigo's the first of the week.

The ladies of the Free Will Baptist church of Wixom will serve dinner Thanksgiving day in the ROTM hall for the benefit of the church. Roast turkey and chicken pie and everything that goes with it to make a good dinner will be served. Bill to

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Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by Geo. C. Hinoston, Druggist.

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Genuine Hard-Enamel and Gold.
For 18 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The illustration is only two-thirds actual size. Color a delicate pink, with jewel setting and gold trimmings. Best enamel finish, stylish and durable.

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Mailed free for 12 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. An unusually fine picture, from the brush of the noted German artist, Gabriel Max. It is founded on Chamisso's poem, "The Lion's Bride." The story is interesting, and we send with each picture a handsome folder, containing copy of the poem and telling all about it. Size, 10x2 1/2 inches.

"Dorothy and Her Friends."
A bright, cheery picture.
For 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.
A bright, cheery picture, representing a little girl playing with her chickens and her rabbits. The predominant colors are rich reds and greens. Size, 11x2 1/2 inches.
For 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp we will mail it boxed, ready for hanging.

Stylish Belt-Buckle.
Handsomely gold-plated, with Roman finish, and set with ruby colored jewel in the center. This will be welcomed for "dressed-up" occasions by the ladies who like to wear different colored sashes. The gold-finish goes well with any of them. Given for 20 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Ladies' Apron.
Made of good quality lawn, with alternate covering and tucked broad hem at bottom; and is neatly gathered at waist, a very superior and stylish article. Size, 36x40 inches.
Given for 20 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Fruit Picture.
Given for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.
Made of closely braided cotton threads, strong, and will give the best of satisfaction.

50-Foot Clothes Line.
Given for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.
Made of closely braided cotton threads, strong, and will give the best of satisfaction.

Box of Colored Crayons.
For 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.
Fine wax crayons, colors are combined with fine pictures for coloring. Each crayon is wrapped with tissue paper, to prevent smudging.

Ladies' Goggles.
Length, 6 1/2 inches. Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Razor.
Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.
A first-class razor, made of best English steel, and extra hollow-ground.

Rubber Dressing Comb.
For 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.
Length, 7 inches, full size and weight. Made of genuine India rubber, finely finished. Appropriate for a ladies' dressing-case or for use in the household.

Game India.
Similar to "Parcher's" which has been played in eastern countries since before the dawn of history. The illustration shows plan of the game, with usual counters, dice and dice-cups accompanying it. A beautiful rubber, finely finished. Given for 20 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Child's Drawing Book.
A collection of nice outlines pictures bound into book form with sheets of tissue paper between the leaves. On these children can trace the pictures beneath, thus affording enjoyment, as well as instruction to the hand and eye. These drawing books and the box of crayons go very well together. There are six different kinds, and each drawing book requires 6 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

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CHAPTER I

"Hello, old chap! Who would ever have thought of seeing you here to-night? What's brought you back to civilization again?"

It was the night of Christmas Eve, and I was just entering the lobby of St. James's Theatre.

"I've always eagerly followed your doings, so far as one could follow them in the newspapers, and I read your African book with the greatest interest; but somehow I never got to have much personal gossip about you."

"I've had a good offer," he said. "Indeed, I'm visiting the house of the man who has made it—a wonderful fellow, only one degree less interesting, perhaps, than you. His name is Carson Wildred. Did you ever hear of him?"

"No," I answered, "though possibly not to know Mr. Carson Wildred was to argue myself unknown."

"He seems to have plenty of money," explained Farnham, "and though he's a newcomer in London, has got in with a number of good people. He has two houses, one in Sloan street and one on the Thames—a queer, lonely old place near Purley Lock, if you know where that is, in Surrey."

"There are Wildred and his friends just coming into the stage box. By Jove! what a pretty girl!"

Two years I had spent in Africa and Egypt, and I had not seen many fair faces during that time of travel and campaigning. I was in a mood, therefore to appreciate the delicate loveliness of Englishwomen, but even had I been surfeited with beauty, my eyes would have lingered in a species of wonder on the girl just seating herself in a corner of the stage-box. It is possible that I have seen other women as beautiful, many more classically perfect of feature, but never have I looked upon a face so radiant, so bewitching.

The girl could not, I thought, have been more than twenty, and every turn of the beautifully poised little head, every dimpling smile told that she was full of the joy of life.

CHAPTER II

En passant, my eyes dwelt for a moment upon a stout woman of a certain age, whose figure was encased in a sort of armor of steel-gray satin and beads, and whose carefully arranged head was adorned by a small tiara of diamonds, but they found no temptation for lengthy lingering.

face. Where had I seen it before? Or did it bear but a haunting resemblance to some other, painted on my memory's retina in lurid, yet partially obliterated colors?

I had no doubt which of the two was Carson Wildred, Farnham's friend and host. What he had said of the man's personality assured me of his identity.

"Who is the girl?" I asked. "A Miss Karine Cunningham. Same name as the mine that Wildred is going to take off my hands. Merely a coincidence, but I fancy it influenced him in his wish to buy the property perhaps. He is very much in love with the girl, and rich as he apparently is, she can more than match him, I should say. She's an orphan. Sir Walter Tressidy, who is in the box with his wife, was her guardian until she came of age, about a year ago. She still lives with them, and Lady Tressidy takes her about. The girl has thirty thousand pounds a year if she has a penny. Whew! Only think what that means in American money. She could buy and sell me."

"I might have truthfully replied that the young lady could have had me without either buying or selling, since—for the first time in my wretched days—these few moments had taught me what it was to experience a wild quickening of the pulses under the casual glance of a woman's eyes."

At the end of the act we went out for a smoke and a breath of fresh air, and as we were returning we met Wildred near the staircase, which at the St. James's leads to the boxes on one side of the house.

"I was looking for you," he said to Farnham, "but the tones of his voice roused the same vague, unpleasant memories that the eyes had stirred."

"And we were just talking of you," Farnham answered me by retorting, "I should like to be the means of making you two known to each other. Of course, Wildred you have heard all about Noel Stanton. This is actually he in the flesh, and he has been telling me that he believes he must have seen you somewhere before."

Mr. Wildred tossed away a cigarette and followed me with his brilliant eyes. He was smiling, but his lips were

"I MEET KARINE CUNNINGHAM tense, as his gaze came back to me. It is my misfortune to be obliged to assure you that Mr. Stanton is mistaken. I know him as well as one can do without having met him, through his book, and a world-wide reputation, but beyond that I have not, till now, had the pleasure."

We looked into each other's eyes and I knew the man lied, and that he hated me. But the mystery of his personality and my share in his past was as profound a secret as ever before.

Lady Tressidy sent me out particularly. "I'm in a quest of you both, having recognized Mr. Stanton from his numerous presentations, and she hopes that you will come and be introduced to her and to Miss Cunningham in their box."

Farnham looked at me doubtfully, evidently fearing that I would refuse. But, grudgingly as the message was evidently delivered by Wildred, I grasped at the opportunity it gave.

CHAPTER III

I had taken rooms temporarily at the Savoy. There was a bed burning in my room, and I drew up a chair before it to smoke an unlimited number of cigarettes and to think of Karine Cunningham.

sleeping hotel, and even the rattle of cabs outside was dulled. Still the impression lingered, and I could hardly persuade myself that I had not heard Harvey Farnham's voice calling my name and whispering with a gasping, despairing cry for help, the horror of which had chilled the blood in my veins, even in my sleep.

"I fell at last from waking dreams to sleeping ones, being dimly, as I slipped over the edge of realities, that there might be of Karine Cunningham. But they were not of her. Hardly had I slumber got its hold upon me when I saw myself by the river, looking down into a swiftly rushing tide. It seemed to be somewhere in the country, though I had little thought for my surroundings, and I was conscious that I was watching anxiously for the appearance of some object, whose nature I did not accurately know. It had been daylight in my vision at first—a cold, gray, wintry daylight—but suddenly night fell with the rapidity that all day comes and goes in dreamland, and the only light was a spot of phosphorescent radiance that lay just under the surface of the water, floating gradually down toward me. I knew in my sleep that my eyes were destined to behold some sight of horror, yet I was bound in a species of frozen fascination to the spot where I stood, forced to wait for the oncoming of the light and its revelation of mystery."

Slowly it was borne along with the tide, until, having reached a bend in the river opposite the spot where I was standing, it ceased to move, and I stooped down and saw that the pale light shone forth from a great white diamond on the finger of a dead man's hand. The body was faintly and darkly outlined; even the floating mass of blackened liver veed; but the hand was white as alabaster, and as I bent over it, staring down, one of the fingers moved and beckoned.

"Then I awoke with a loud cry—'Harvey Farnham!'"

CHAPTER IV. I arose on Christmas morning with absolutely nothing for me to do that day, as I had informed on one I knew of my presence in London, meaning to be for the present somewhat of a free-lance.

Now, however, I felt a curious inclination to call at the house by the lock, as it was called. I would not dine there, I told myself, but there most be an fun in the neighborhood where I could obtain some slight Christmas cheer, if I chose to embark upon the rather mild adventure of going up the river on this wintry holiday.

Once the idea had taken root in my mind, I was impatient to carry it out. I would go, I decided, almost immediately, lunching at the nearest decent inn to Purley Lock, and turning up at Wildred's house at 4 or 5 in the afternoon. I would spend an hour there perhaps, and return to town in time for dinner.

There was a long streak of gold along the horizon of the otherwise dull grey sky, and a rising wind moaned drearily along the lower branches of the trees.

The scene looked indescribably desolate, and yet there was a certain beauty in it, too. I had been told exactly how to reach the house by the lock, and, when, after passing the somewhat weedy-looking lock, I began skirting along a species of back-water, and came in sight of a long, low-browed house close to the river, I knew that I had reached my journey's end.

The place had the appearance of being only a restored remnant of an ancient abbey fallen into decay.

Indeed, at one end of the house a ruined wall jutted out, with a row of stone window-frames, half filled in with sombre trails of ivy; even in the middle came the habitable part of the old house, with an imposing front door, which might have belonged to some Gothic church; magnificent windows, which reminded me of a certain dear old college at Oxford, well known in younger days; and beyond, to the left, was the wing evidently added by Wildred. It was in wretched taste, I thought, with its pretentiousness and its huge round tower at the end, utterly out of keeping with the rest. Then, as I approached, my eye was

"MY EYE WAS CAUGHT BY A PUFF OF SMOKE FROM THE HOUSE. Caught by a puff of fiery smoke that suddenly rose above the battlements of the hideous tall tower. So near was I to the river as I stood waiting on the doorstep, to be admitted that I could hear the soft lapping of the water against the shore. Darkness had fallen now, and an ugly recollection of my dream suddenly sprang up in my brain. Just so, I remembered, had I heard the water whispering as in that hateful vision I had bent over to see the dead man's beckoning hand. It was long before my ring and knock were answered—so long that I had my finger on the bell again. But at the moment I heard footsteps walking somewhat uncertainly along an uncarpeted floor within. Still the door remained closed, but at a long narrow window, which was the duplicate of another on the other side of the door, I saw for an instant that a face was pressed against the lattice-work of the glass.

"What ill-trained servants this man keeps!" was my thought; and then, somewhat impatiently, I rang again. The door opened almost immediately into the dimly-lighted hall, where a respectable, middle-aged man, out of livery stood revealed. Yet I could have sworn that the face at the window, seen but a second ago, had been that of a woman, young, white-faced, and darkly bright of eye!

necessary to ask if they were at home. I knew that they had definitely arranged to be so.

"I am sorry, sir," said the servant, respectfully, "but both the gentlemen have gone out for the day. He did not look me in the face as he delivered this piece of information, but I loved his narrow eyes to drop away bitterly."

"Oh, I am surprised at that," I returned. "For I have come by invitation."

The fellow's smug face changed instantly. "Oh, I see, sir, you are the gentleman Mr. Wildred was expecting. He—they—it is possible they will be in shortly. Perhaps you will walk into the room."

"The room," and with such a queer little emphasis on the former word, sounded rather odd. It was but a trifling peculiarity of expression, however, and I did not think much of it as I followed the butler along the hall, passing through a door before which he swept the curtain aside with a flourish, and so into a passage which evidently led toward the new wing. We went on for some distance and presently arrived at a closed door, which he threw open for me. "It is here that my master requested you should wait," he said.

"I was sure that this room must be situated in that part of the new wing which adjoined the tower. In glancing at the house from the outside, I had fancied that the square squat wall must be that of a studio, as there were no windows, but a high domed skylight on top. Now I saw that though the outer building was square, the room within was octagonal in shape. It was, perhaps, a studio, as I had fancied, but there was something of the free-and-easy negligence of an Oriental smoking room about it.

The walls were hung with embroidered Indian material, and a low divan ran down part way. Between the hangings were panels of sandalwood, ornamented with bits of mirror in the Burmese way, and half hidden, with curious foreign weapons, daggers, swords, and spears, and even a zulu assegai or two. On the floor stood a hookah, and on a small inlaid table were a couple of curious little objects which I knew to be opium pipes. In one corner, as though it had been pushed aside, stood an easel with a canvas upon it, which was half-covered with a piece of drapery. The skylight was curiously concealed with red silk blinds drawn across the staring glass, and from the centre of the dome was suspended a large jewelled lamp. It was from this that all the light in the studio proceeded at present, and though there was no fireplace, the room was warm indeed, insufferably hot. This fact taken together with the studio's proximity to the tower, made me feel more certain than before some time in this modern portion of the house had caught fire. I searched the panels for a bell, but found none, and at last lifted several of the curtains that draped the largest part of the octagonal walls. Under the first two that I raised, only a blank space of dark wood was visible, but under the third, I was surprised to find a small, secretive-looking door.

There was no knob or ring by way of handle, but close to the edge, and about half way between top and bottom, I distinguished a diminutive key-hole, outlined with shining metal. I let the curtain drop again, though lingeringly. It could be only a cupboard, or a particularly secure wine cellar, perhaps, behind this dwarfish door, but had I discovered it in a house not English, but of a country less conventionally civilized than our own, I should have given good heed to that I had chanced upon the clue to a secret.

There was still a fourth curtained space (the remaining half of the octagon being of sandalwood), and this, as it happened, was directly behind the draped easel.

I moved toward it, not intending to pry into Mr. Wildred's domestic economies, but still bent on unearthing an electric bell if I could do so, when my eyes fell upon the partially covered picture.

It was but a pinky-white, gneiss-covered shoulder that I could see, with a glimpse of red-gold hair at such a distance above as to suggest a massive knot at the back of a woman's head, as seen in profile. There was a fraction of an inch, no more, of well-revealing the outline of a ruffled, striped apron, and though the face was hidden by the drapery, I was sure as I drew aside the curtain my eyes would fall upon the counterfeit presentation of Karine Cunningham.

With half-extended hand I paused. The painting was so far covered, and it was in another man's house. Had I a right to assure myself whether my suppositions were correct? As I hesitated my ears were startled by a scolding shriek.

Carson Wildred entered the room almost immediately, and in answer to my interrogation concerning the cause of the frightful and agonizing scream explained that the cook had spilled some hot grease on her foot; that while it was very painful it was not necessarily serious. He said plainly that I had doubted his explanation, and I was at no pains to conceal the doubt. I demanded to know the whereabouts of my friend Farnham who had promised to dine with him. He without displaying any emotion stated that Farnham had gone unexpectedly to London. So there was nothing for me to do but return to town.

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