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## GOOD ROADS QUESTION AGAIN

PRESIDENT EARLE OF THE L. A.  
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Everybody.

### WHY DO WE WANT 'EM?

The last shall be first, I will answer it. "Who are we?" We are farmers, merchants, manufacturers and men connected with large corporations—mining, railroading, expressing, telephoning, etc.—but all alike are interested in anything that will save any part of the expenses of our business and leave to us a greater profit on our investment of money, time and labor.

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Mr. Stone Road like Mr. Railroad is costly at first, for both depend largely upon engineers and men of experience to build their highways and they buy the best materials to be had, for both figure that all the cost of transportation that can be, must be, eliminated.

But King Mud is cheap at first, but mighty dear ever afterwards, but he has a hypnotic influence over many, especially farmers, so they willingly keep on paying him his toll of 17 cents per ton per mile each year instead of clubbing the years and paying Mr. Stone Road the sum so raised and ever after costing them only 8 cents per ton per mile.

King Mud is the meanest of citizens for he never spends a cent, he is a rank prohibitionist, doesn't drink anything but water, is always full of that, which he turns into mud, doesn't smoke, doesn't chew, doesn't eat and doesn't wear any clothes that other citizens produce, but keeps every cent that is paid to him, so I beg you to drink to the following toast, and drink it in water! Good Roads worst enemy and King Mud's best friend.

Here's to King Mud,  
Dama him? No,  
For if you damn him,  
He will grow.

But,  
Ditch him, drain him,  
Stone him, roll him,  
Then the Gun's son  
Will have to go

### HOW CAN WE GET 'EM?

If we wanted to protect a corn field and had decided to build a rail fence, would we build by putting up one rail a year? No, we would build the whole fence at once, and by so doing save the whole crop, which would pay for the fence, but if we built by putting up one rail a year, we would lose at least the first two crops, which would be far more than enough to build the fence.

So too, if we want to build a road, we should not build it by degrees, but build whatever we do build at once and get the full benefit and save the expense of doing any more to that piece, I don't mean to build the whole road from San Francisco to Boston, but as far as you build of that road or any other build permanently each year.

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If you don't know just how to build a permanent gravel or stone road, write to the president of the Michigan Highway Commission and he will either come or send some one to show you how if you are going to build a half mile or more and he won't charge you anything for doing it either.

This commission was established for your benefit, but it cannot benefit you unless you ask, and when asking tell what you want.

### WHAT DOES A GOOD ROAD COST?

It costs considerable more to not



WHEN UNCLE SAM GOES A GUNNIN'.

—From Detroit Journal.

## DID MRS. YERKES COMMIT SUICIDE

RUMORS THAT THERE MAY HAVE  
BEEN FOUL PLAY.

Body Exhumed Here Monday by  
Order Pros. Attorney.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Louis Wurzer is busily engaged at present trying to unravel a mystery surrounding the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Yerkes, formerly of Northville, who was found dead in bed in Greenfield township on the morning of May 7th. The funeral took place May 9th and the remains were buried here in the Yerkes cemetery, but by the order of the prosecutor the body was exhumed Monday and it was found that death was due to a dose of carbolic acid.

Mrs. Yerkes was housekeeper for William McFarlane, and on the morning of May 7th Mr. McFarlane says he left Mrs. Yerkes at home feeling as well as she ever did. Shortly before noon he returned and found her lying across the bed dead, an empty bottle lying on the floor.

Dr. J. S. Dohany, who was called to the scene, decided that death was due to poison and it was immediately concluded that Mrs. Yerkes had committed suicide.

Sometime ago a man named McIntyre died at Sand Hill and left a fortune amounting to over \$100,000. Mrs. Yerkes was used as a witness to show that he left a late will in which he gave a good share of his property to a Mrs. Ewing. Mrs. Yerkes was a witness in the probate court and her testimony was what Mrs. Ewing relied upon almost entirely.

After the sudden death of Mrs. Yerkes all kinds of rumors were circulated. Certain people whispered that Mrs. Yerkes died from poison, but that she did not commit suicide.

The inquest was continued at Sand Hill to ascertain whether it was a case of foul play or suicide and a verdict rendered that the carbolic acid was administered by herself.

**Jinrikisha Men in a Walk.**  
A great walking competition in Tokyo in which most of the competitors were jinrikisha men resulted in a fiasco, none of the men completing the minimum of seventy miles. This excited some surprise as the jinrikisha men have immensely developed legs. The result is attributed to their want of staying power.

## Second District Republican Congressional Convention.

A delegate convention of the Republican electors of the Second Congressional District of Michigan, will be held at the Court house in the city of Adrian, Mich., Wednesday, May 23, 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative in Congress for said second district and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The district is composed of the counties of Jackson, Lenawee, Monroe and Washtenaw, and eleven townships in Wayne county, viz: Brownstown, Canton, Dorse, Huron, Monguagon, Northville, Plymouth, Romulus, Sampter, Taylor, Van Buren, and the city of Wadonette. The number of delegates that each county is entitled to is as follows: Jackson, 26; Lenawee, 27; Monroe, 16; Washtenaw, 22; that portion of Wayne included in the district, 12. Total 103 delegates.

By order of Committee,  
FRID W. GREY, Chairman,  
CHAS L. EDWARDS, Secretary.  
Dated, May 1, 1902.  
The county convention will be held at Trenton on May 26.

### Notice to Taxpayers.

The Board of Review for the Village of Northville will meet at the store of C. A. Sessions in said Village on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 20 and 21, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m. on each of said days for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll for said Village. Taxpayers deeming themselves aggrieved may be heard at that time.

C. A. SESSIONS,  
CHAS. G. HARRINGTON,  
C. M. JOSLIN,  
Board of Review.

Dated, Northville, May 7, 1902.

### Gutta Percha From Pent.

Advices from Germany are to the effect that a very satisfactory artificial gutta percha has been derived from pent, and great things are expected to result from the discovery in cheapening the cost of insulating ocean cables. Gutta percha is the only substance thus far discovered for protecting a wire against the corrosive action of salt water, and the product is not only limited, but is controlled by an English firm of cable manufacturers, who own the forests in the East Indies from which the gutta percha is obtained.

### Pious Pilgrims.

At this time one catches a passing glimpse of the Indians from the mountains or the interior of the republic, who enter the capital but once a year. They come many miles on foot, carrying their children and family belongings on their backs, and after a brief visit to the shrine at Guadalupe fill their bottles at the holy spring, and are off swiftly and silently as they came.—Mexican Herald.

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### Australian Prison Ship.

An old convict ship from Australia is on exhibition at the Waterloo pier, London. It is the Success, owned by a Melbourne firm, and kept solely for exhibiting purposes, and it remains practically with the same fittings it had when it was used for transporting convicts from England to Botany Bay.

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### Paris' Diving Police.

The formation of a body of "diving police" in Paris was received with much banter, but it must not be supposed that this body has no usefulness. The Society of Parisian Anglers has shown its sympathy toward the corps by handing over 400 francs to the inspector, to be divided between the men who have been instrumental in the repression of fish poaching.

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## BAD EX-CONVICTS

Stir Up Trouble in Saginaw and Niles.

### ONE MAN USED HIS PISTOL

Considerable Information Comes to Light Relative to a Robbery and Arson Affair in Macomb County—Sheriff Thinks He Has Right Man.

Saginaw, Mich., May 14.—Fred Caser of Flint, a paroled Iowa convict, who has been serving a four years' sentence for burglary committed at Kalamazoo, is again behind the bars. He gave a sensational performance at Bay City Monday night, entering a house at 900 Center avenue and holding up the inmates at the point of a revolver. He then came on to Saginaw and was arrested here yesterday afternoon by Officer Bishop.

On the way to the police station Caser broke away and opened fire on the officer, who promptly responded, a running fight taking place on the crowded street.

After emptying his gun Caser surrendered. He has been identified by Charles A. Bigelow, one of the Bay City people who was held up on Monday night. In his possession, besides his gun, were a set of dice, a little money and a black cloth mask.

When arrested, he gave the name of Frank Considine.

Niles, Mich., May 14.—Harry Swartz, a burly thug and ex-convict, entered the home of Clinton Tromwell last night while drunk and attempted to assault Mrs. Tromwell. The woman picked up a revolver and fired twice at her assailant, but neither shot took effect. She ran from the house calling for help, and when the police arrived a terrific struggle ensued.

Swartz was finally overpowered and taken to jail. When the handcuffs were removed at the jail he struck Chief of Police Francis an awful blow in the face, and the officer, who is an athletic himself, threw aside his club and trounced his man in real championship style. A big crowd gathered about the jail during the fracas.

Pontiac, Mich., May 14.—Sheriff Cady of Macomb county was in the city yesterday and took home with him William Vick of this city, who will be charged with either arson or burglary.

Whitney Bros' barn in Macomb county burned on the night of May 7. In the barn was a valuable team of horses, which were also supposed to have been burned. The fire was of incendiary origin, and the sheriff of Macomb county was put to work to find the guilty culprit.

Several weeks ago William Vick and Fred Russell were arrested here for larceny of hides from Kovinsky & Lebeater of this city.

At that time Russell confessed Vick had proposed that they take a pair of old horses which he had, substitute them some night for the fine team in Whitney Bros' barn, set fire to the building and then skip with the good horses, sell them and in that way make some money.

A careful examination of the remains of horses found after the barn had burned disclosed the fact that the animals were not the same as those owned by the brothers.

One of the missing horses has already been found, and the other is said to be located. John McDonald of this city arrested on the same charge, was taken to Mt. Clemens yesterday.

McGarry Trial a Long One.

Allegan, Mich., May 14.—The testimony of Frederick Garman for the prosecution continued steadily during yesterday's session of the trial of T. F. McGarry. The testimony closely followed that of the Salisbury and Taylor trials and the day was a quiet one as far as the attorneys were concerned. The trial now bids fair to prolong itself into five weeks more, as the prosecution has only begun its work and the defense had a great array of testimony to enter.

Will Sue for Those Tolls.

Washington, May 14.—The department of justice has sent notice to Attorney-General Oren at Lansing that the application for permission of the federal government to sue the state of Michigan for St. Mary's river canal tolls, claimed to have been withheld by the state when the canal was transferred to the government in 1881, will be made next Monday in the United States supreme court.

### MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

The republicans of Berrien county have launched a boom for Hon. Orville W. Coolidge of Niles as a candidate for the supreme bench.

A nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krapohl of Detroit, a dead of burns received by the exploding of kerosene used in starting a fire.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of local business men of Traverse City has decided to celebrate the Fourth of July in a manner befitting a banner city of northern Michigan.

In the circuit court at Marshall John Lynch, who was brought back from Kansas City to answer to the charges of larceny, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three years at Jackson.

S. S. Olds of Lansing has received a telegram informing him of the recovery of the body of his brother-in-law, Fred C. Clemmer, formerly of that city, who was killed in the great snowslide at Telluride, Col., Feb. 28.

George Nixon of Flint, who was struck by the Grand Trunk yard engine Monday while driving over the railroad tracks at the Beach street crossing, died yesterday afternoon of his injuries.

### CHANGES TO BE MADE.

At the State Encampment of the National Guard.

Detroit, May 15.—Dr. George H. Brown of Port Huron, brigadier-general of the Michigan state troops, was in the city yesterday. When asked if there would be any changes from the usual plan of other camps of the troops, he said:

"Yes, I think there will be. Gen. Boynton and Quartermaster-General Kidd will go to Manistee in a few days to look over the grounds, and it is Gen. Boynton's intention, I believe, this year to separate the regiments of the brigade. In past years, you know, the regiments have camped side by side in brigade formation and have been practically so close together that, to all appearances and in certain details of the camp life, they might as well have been all in one. This year Gen. Boynton will spread the regiments out, separating them by probably a distance of a quarter of a mile or more."

Asked how the brigade compared now in point of numbers and equipment with the year previous to the Spanish-American war, the general said that there are now about as many men enrolled as then, and that the equipment was much better all around.

For the special information of the Prohibition party, Gen. Brown was asked if there would be any liquor or beer allowed in camp this year.

"Not a bit," he declared, "this will be a strictly prohibition camp, as usual."

### Young Girl Commits Suicide.

Detroit, Mich., May 15.—From Monday afternoon until Tuesday night Clara Brown, a 17-year-old girl, a domestic employed at the home of a Mrs. Wm. Schneider, on Waterloo street had been missing. Tuesday night at 11 o'clock she was found diving from a dock of carbolic acid, taken on the doorstep of her sister's home at 193 Waterloo street. The girl wore half a dozen fresh carnations when found. Where she had been or what prompted her to commit the act is not known. She was taken to St. Mary's hospital, where she died Wednesday morning.

### Rheumatism Still Rife.

Lansing, Mich., May 15.—Reports to the state board of health from representative physicians in active practice in different parts of the state indicate that rheumatism, neuralgia, tonsillitis, bronchitis and influenza, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Meningitis was reported at 9 places, whooping cough at 15, diphtheria at 30, typhoid fever at 36, measles at 82, scarlet fever at 87, smallpox at 100 and consumption at 228.

### Vick Confessed All.

Mt. Clemens, Mich., May 15.—William Vick and John McDonald, who were arrested by Sheriff Cady in Pontiac for burning the Whitney barn in Washington township and stealing two valuable horses substituting two poor ones who were burned with the barn to avoid suspicion, were arraigned before Justice Lyons. Vick confessed the whole affair. He laid all the blame on McDonald, saying he was led into it, and that McDonald did all of the work.

### His Own Lodge Feted Him.

Port Huron, Mich., May 15.—Dramatized the Macabees Tuesday night at a banquet given by the Port Huron lodge of the Marquette convention. The tent is the second largest in the city, and the contest was made especially interesting by the fact of both Major Boynton and Great Recordkeeper Thomas Watson, the leaders of the antagonizing forces on the issue of expansion now before the order, being members of this tent.

### Prof. Russell Goes to Martinique.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 15.—Prof. Israel C. Russell of the university geological department, has left for New York to sail on the United States cruiser Dixie, which leaves forthwith for Martinique to carry succor to the stricken inhabitants of that and neighboring islands. Prof. Russell is sent by the National Geographical society of which he is a member, to make a study of the late disaster.

### Lord Told Him to Shoot.

Hart, Mich., May 15.—Rev. Thomas Ridge says he received an order from the Lord to collect a debt from W. L. Shafer, an Elbridge township farmer or else shoot him. Shafer refused to settle and the minister carried out the alleged orders, the bullet from his revolver striking the debtor and inflicting a dangerous wound. Ridge is in jail and Shafer is under the care of the surgeons, with a chance for recovery.

### Cracker Choked Him to Death.

West Branch, Mich., May 15.—John Granger, a farmer, choked to death on a cracker yesterday, while returning home from trading here. His wife was with him. As he was eating his lunch a gypsy team came along and frightened the horses. They ran away, but were stopped by W. L. Peck near his farm. He helped to carry Mr. Granger into the house, but before they found a doctor the unfortunate man had expired.

### Railroad Tax Greatly Increased.

Lansing, Mich., May 15.—The railroad operating in Michigan will pay into the state treasury for the benefit of the educational funds this year a total of \$1,483,906 84, this being the aggregate assessment certified by Commissioner of Railroads Osborn to Auditor-General Powers. This year's revenue will exceed that of 1901 by \$130,357.32.

### Body Found in the Lake.

Traverse City, Mich., May 15.—The body of Everett Jefferson, aged seven years, the deaf and dumb boy who disappeared two weeks ago last Monday, has been found in Boardman lake.

### Chinese Want Modern Law.

Pekin, May 15.—An imperial edict has been issued appointing Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister at Washington, and Sheng Chia Peng to prepare a code of Chinese laws on modern lines. Wu Ting Fang will probably soon be recalled to China.

## HONORS FOR CARO

Again Made Grand Chancellor of the K. of P.'s.

### OTHER OFFICERS ELECTED

Saginaw Chosen as the Place of Meeting Next Year—Pontiac Lodge of Rathbone Sisters Carries Off the Banner for Attendance.

Mt. Clemens, Mich., May 15.—Grand Chancellor Caro has certainly struck a business gait and has been working the representatives to the grand lodge of the Michigan Pythians full time. Every delegate is expected to be present at roll-call at each session, under penalty of forfeiting their per diem.

Yesterday afternoon was taken up in nominating and electing officers for the ensuing year. Leo Caro of Grand Rapids was re-elected grand chancellor; Robert G. Steel, St. Johns, G. V. C., E. W. Hampton, Charlevoix, grand prelate; M. E. Greusell, Hastings, G. M. of E.; C. A. Palmer, Manistee, G. M. of A.; H. A. Curtis, Charlotte, G. I. G.; Perley Abbey, Kalamazoo, G. O. G.; Miles S. Curtis, Battle Creek, K. K. of R. and S.; W. D. Hayes, West Branch, grand trustee, and Charles H. Fisk, Detroit, supreme representative. L. L. Hubbell of Belding was appointed as member of the grand tribunal.

Mr. Caro is the first grand chancellor elected to that office two terms in succession within the past 20 years.

Saginaw was chosen as the place of meeting for the grand lodge in May of next year. Charles S. Neal, president of the board of control of the endowment rank, is in attendance, representing that body.

A resolution will be offered at today's session, rescinding the action of the grand lodge last year, authorizing an assessment of \$1 for each member in this demand for the benefit of a Pythian home at Hot Springs. From present indications, it will be about unanimously adopted.

The Rathbone Sisters, representing 75 lodges of the state, have put in a busy day at their temple. Wednesday afternoon the Fanny E. Tompkin lodge of Pontiac, which is the banner lodge of the state in point of numbers, exemplified their staff work.

Last night Detroit temple No. 9 exemplified the realistic work at the hall occupied by the Pythians' grand lodge. The temple will elect officers today.

The local lodge gave a reception to visiting Pythians and Rathbone Sisters at the Avery and Egnew hotels in the evening.

### Michigan Pensioners.

Washington, May 15.—Michigan pensioners were granted Wednesday as follows: Original—James L. Teachout, Muskegon, \$10 increase—Herbert Schneider, Detroit \$8, Thos. M. Smith, Stanton, \$14, Wallace Broadwell, Columbiaville, \$12, Henry Benedict, Birmingham, \$14; Calvin Almsworth, Grand Rapids, \$8, Joseph G. Fisher, Saginaw, \$10, Julius Fernley Clarksville, \$10; Joan Anderson Caseville \$10, George E. Norris, Detroit \$8, John Davis, Muskegon, \$8, Patrick Conter, Soldiers' Home Kent, \$12; Sebastian Einsiedler, Luther, \$12, Jehn Krepps, St. Johns \$24, Ira Nelson Eden, \$17, Adin C. Wait, Colesgrove, \$3, George Willard, Middleville, \$10, Uriah Reams, Bellevue, \$30, Alfred H. Van Fleet, Ionia, \$24, Widows—Lydia A. Kilbourn, Farwell, \$8, Mary A. Hughes, Bedford, \$12.

### Squaw Burned to Death.

Assinibois, Mich., May 15.—Mrs. Mary Mangus, an old Indian woman, sat under a tree at this place last Tuesday to enjoy a smoke. She lighted her pipe and threw the blazing match into the grass. The grass caught fire, and as the old woman was nearly blind the flames crept up on her and ignited her dress without her noticing it. She was so badly burned that she died that night.

### Rev. Andrews to an Asylum.

Lansing, Mich., May 15.—The probable disposition of the case of Rev. J. R. Andrews, against whom charges have been made, will be the minister's commitment to an asylum for the insane. This course has been decided upon by the unfortunate preacher's relatives, who believe that he can regain his normal condition by rest and careful treatment.

### Elks Will Have Gala Time.

Sault Ste. Marie, May 15.—The common council has granted the Elks every concession asked for and the carnival to be held here Aug. 4 to 9 is expected to be one of the greatest events of the kind ever conducted in the upper country.

### MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

The arbitration committee of the National Bricklayers and Stonemasons' union will meet at Kalamazoo to settle the strike now on.

Fire at Darville destroyed the Danaher & Melindy Co.'s dry lumber shed, hay barn and camp supplies. Loss \$6,000; no insurance.

After several years of poor county fairs, the Midland County Agricultural society has decided to allow horse racing at their county fair, Sept. 16-19.

Jacob Miller of Saginaw has filed notice in the circuit court of a suit against the Pere Marquette railroad for \$20,000. Miller was engineer on the road and sustained injuries in jumping from the cab three years ago just before a collision took place.

The Saginaw presbytery met at Alma Tuesday for examination and ordination of candidates for the ministry. C. E. Scott was licensed to preach and P. S. Bates was ordained. Rev. W. H. Simmons preached the ordination sermon in the Presbyterian church in the evening. Rev. Bates goes to Hebron, Ill., where he has a pastorate.

### Like a Drowning Man.

"Five years ago a disease the doctors called dyspepsia took such a hold of me that I could scarcely go," writes Geo. S. Marsh, well-known attorney of Nocomi, Tex. "I took quantities of pepsin and other medicines but nothing helped me. As a drowning man grabs at a straw I grabbed at Kodol. I felt an improvement at once and after a few bottles am sound and well." Kodol is the only preparation which exactly reproduces the natural digestive juices and consequently is the only one which digests any good food and cures any form of stomach trouble. Murdock Bros.

### Irish-Speaking Negroes.

The Irish language is spoken in the Bahamas among the mixed descendants of the Hibernian patriots banished long ago by Cromwell to the West Indies. One can occasionally hear negro sailors in the east end of London who cannot speak a word of English talking Irish to the old Irish apple-women who gather around the docks.

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### Dangerous Not to Laugh.

Sometimes when the Turkish sultan attends a play in his private theater he hands in to the comedian an original joke or two of his own make. The actor gives these humorous efforts the fullest possible effect, of course, and perhaps that is why they are invariably received with great laughter.

### A Farmer Straightened Out.

A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Raydor, of Patiens Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar, saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.' For sale by George C. Hueston.

### New Year's Mass in Paris.

Paris gave up this New Year, after many centuries, the Red Mass in the Sainte Chapelle for the judges of the higher courts. This was done by order of the Minister of Justice on account of the intermeddling with political affairs of the religious orders. The ardent Catholic judges and lawyers attended instead a mass celebrated by Cardinal Richard in the Church of St. German L'Auxerrois, opposite the Louvre, whose bells gave the signal for the massacre of St. Bartholomew.

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F. A. Curtright, A. B., Principal of the Georgia Normal and Industrial Institute, and editor and proprietor of the "Georgia Helping Hand" writes the following glowing words concerning Peruna, and its efficacy in the cure of catarrh.

He says: "I was induced to try Peruna by the advice of a friend, and certainly believe that suffering humanity would be relieved if they only gave Peruna a fair trial. Would that I could frame words sufficient to express my gratitude for the benefits derived from its use."—F. A. CURTRIGHT, Greensboro, Ga.

Hon. W. N. Roach, United States Senator from North Dakota, in a letter written from Larimore, North Dakota, says:

"Persuaded by a friend, I have used Peruna as a tonic, and am glad to testify that it has greatly helped me in strength, vigor and appetite. I have been advised by friends that it is remarkably efficacious as a cure for the almost universal complaint of catarrh."—W. N. Roach.

Senator Roach's wife recommends Peruna also. She says: "I can cheerfully

recommend your excellent remedy, Peruna. Indeed, I know of no other remedy as good as yours. It is a grand tonic, and many of my friends have used it for catarrh with good results."—Mrs. W. N. Roach.

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Mr. Wm. Hebley, Duquesne, Pa., writes:—"I am cured of catarrh of the stomach of two years standing. I had it so bad that I could not eat anything but milk. I doctored with several doctors and they could give me relief for a short time only. I saw Peruna recommended and thought I would try it, and I now think I am cured of catarrh. I have worked two months and did not lose a day."—Wm. Hebley.

Mr. Moses F. Merrill, Columbus, Cherokee Co., Kansas, Rural Route No. 3, writes:

"I had been troubled with systemic catarrh, which affected the lower bowels especially. I was troubled with running out of the bowels and troublesome catarrh of the bronchial tubes which caused spitting of thick mucus. Since taking Peruna my improvement has been wonderful. My bowels are regular as clock-work. I can now eat like other people and my vitals digest."—Moses F. Merrill.

Hon. Willis Brewer, Representative in Congress from Alabama, writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

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The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.: Gentlemen—"I have used one bottle of Peruna for last night, and I take pleasure in recommending it to those who need a good remedy. As a tonic it is excellent. In the short time I have used it has done me a great deal of good."—Willis Brewer.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jud Richardson visited friends in Northville Saturday.

Miss Camilla Risner spent a few days this week at her parental home. Mr. and Mrs. Eatherly are again living at their Braeside residence here.

Ray Ellis of Grand Rapids is visiting his cousins, Jas. F. and J. C. Dunham.

Mrs. E. M. Johnson of Ypsilanti is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Wheeler, this week.

Stanley Wheeler has gone to Detroit as a student in the Topical school of telegraphy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Wheeler celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary next week Friday night.

Will Yerkes, wife and daughter of Pontiac visited Saturday and Sunday at his parental home.

Mrs. Katharine Fuller and Mrs. Clyde Putnam of Novi called on Northville relatives Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burgess have been visiting friends in Genesee county for the last week or two.

Miss King of New York city who has been for some weeks past the guest of Mrs. W. T. Fisk, started on her homeward trip yesterday.

Miss Rosa Hiett after three weeks' stay with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dunham, started Sunday evening for her home in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blackburn and daughter, Mattie, arrived from the Northwest territory this week and have taken up their residence at Mead's Mills.

B. G. Filkins of the U. S. fish commission has returned from Alpena where he has been in charge of the U. S. fish station during the winter and will remain here for some time.

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Horses in French Capital.

Last year there were in Paris 96,693 horses susceptible of being requisitioned in time of war. This was the average number for the last few years, but this year the total has suddenly been reduced to 90,296. The decrease of 5,902 horses—sufficient to furnish several cavalry regiments—is entirely attributed to the great progress made by mechanical means of traction.

Methodist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

The pastor will speak Sunday morning on "Sunshine" and in the evening on "Decision of Character."

Mr. Lloyd preached and started a Sunday-school at the Union church in West Livonia last Sunday afternoon.

Reception of members Sunday morning. If any have church letters we would be pleased to receive them at this service.

The social gathering of the League last Tuesday evening reflected great credit upon those who planned it. The issuing of neat little invitations, the visit and talk of the district president and the social time that followed the reception of six new members, all added to the interest and pleasure of the occasion. The response to Bro. Knight's appeal in behalf of the Station Plan in Missions, when thirty of our young people pledged themselves to support this line of missionary activity, was very gratifying. Can we not increase the number to forty who shall be in touch with a definite field in India?

Baptist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

Where is our BYPU social committee?

BYPU topic for next Sunday evening is "Practical Consecration." Frank Moore, leader.

Remember the entertainment in the Opera House tonight. It is under the auspices of the Gleaner class in our Sunday-school.

The Sunday morning theme of our pastor will be "Jesus and the Great Commission;" in the evening he will speak concerning the "Conversion of a Teacher."

The series of Sunday morning sermons on the general theme, "Never man spoke like this man," is being favorably received and commented on. Every member of the church, who is able, should attend these services.

We hope our members of old standing, who have sustained the prayer meeting for "10, these many years," will not become weary in well doing. Our younger members are with us on Thursday evenings and this ought to be an incentive to the older ones.

Preserve Art Treasures.

The pope recently received a petition to encourage the project of making a catalogue of all art treasures preserved in Italian churches and monasteries, to prevent their being secretly purchased and exported.

Whisky in Scotch Stores.

There were 109,260,190 proof gallons of whisky in bond in Scotch stores a month ago. Of the total quantity 89,046,511 gallons were under lock and key for distillers and the balance for the "trade" generally.

Cottonseed Has Value.

In 1900 cottonseed added 114 cents to the value of each pound of cotton, or \$54,000,000 to the wealth of cotton-raisers. The return would have been \$80,000,000 if all the seed had been crushed for oil.

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## School Notes.

[By the Superintendent.]

Motto—"Add virtue to virtue, intelligence to intelligence, benevolence to benevolence, faith to faith." So ascend the feet of worth on the ladder of life, so reaches a high purpose a place beyond the derision of the world.—From "True to His Home."

The physics class is taking up the study of sound.

Our tenth grade is winning laurels in their study of geometry.

The seniors are now doing what is probably to them the most enjoyable work of the year—preparing for their debut.

Some of our eighth grade pupils are writing on the questions sent out by the department of Public Instruction for rural school examinations.

Our little children are very anxious to see a frog eat flies. They have a frog cage ready and are expecting soon to see the white vested gentleman partake of his delicious repast.

What elegant weather for school! What abundance of flowers, beautiful ribbons and spring hats, plenty of music and delightful lessons, it's no wonder the end of the school year is unconsciously drawing near.

Parents—encourage your boy or girl to remain in school until the last lessons are recited and the class is called up for promotion. Very often children are taken out of school or allowed to leave on one pretext or another before the end of the term. It is a bad practice and those who drop out must not expect to take up work with their grade next year without making up what has been missed. So far, we are not being troubled by pupils leaving and we trust all may be permitted to complete their work.

Last fall the first and second grade pupils gathered a quantity of caterpillars and in course of time saw some of them spin their cocoons and after waiting all winter they now have the satisfaction of seeing some gaudy winged butterflies come from the cocoons. Already some of the butterflies have deposited a quantity of eggs in the cage and in the future the children may be delighted again to see the infant larvae or caterpillars come from the eggs. Thus they witness all of the metamorphical changes in the life of this insect.

This week the kindergarten and first grade pupils discovered a robin in great trouble. In trying to build its nest in one of the shade trees near the building it had met with a serious accident. A string which it was bringing to use in the work of nest building became entangled in the branches of the tree, and in some way, one of the robin's legs was caught in this string. We do not know how long the poor bird had been fluttering in the tree before the little people discovered it. When taken down it was found that the leg was broken and seriously wounded. It was a sad time for the little folks when it was thought best by the teacher to amputate the leg. But a beautiful cage, kind care and tempting food are now all at the robin's disposal. Evidently the beautiful little poem that begins with—"Don't kill the birds, the pretty birds," etc., is being exemplified by the children.

## Had a Good Substitute

A young matron of Germantown, Pa., went to a corner grocery and said: "Let me have a package of Saratoga chips." The clerk replied, "Sorry, lady, but we've only got straight kindlin' in bunches." And he exhibited a circular bundle of little sticks, tipped on the ends with resin. "Won't these do?" he asked.

## Youngest Governor of a State.

The youngest governor in the Union is the newly inaugurated governor of the state of Washington, William McCroskey, aged 28, who recently succeeded ex-Gov. Rogers. Mr. McCroskey, who is a native of Tennessee, is a son of Rev. Solon McCroskey, a Methodist clergyman. He was graduated at Grant University at Athens.

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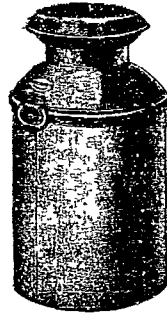
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## NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

[Contributions to this column are earnestly solicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting elsewhere drop a line to it effect in the Record Item Box in the postoffice.]

S. S. Crohn of Pontiac was in town Tuesday.

W. H. Ambler was in Pontiac Monday.

John Crommer of Flint was home over Sunday.

Mrs. E. Hinkley visited her parents at Belleville last week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Jerome are spending a week in Ohio.

Mrs. L. C. Perrigo of Detroit was a Northville visitor Wednesday.

Charlie Thurston of Clare was an over Sunday visitor in Northville.

Miss Anna Madison of Wixom was a Saturday and Sunday visitor in town.

Mrs. A. S. Parsons has been entertaining her niece Miss Lyon of Detroit.

Postmaster Wyckoff of Pontiac was the guest of Wm. Pinkerton and family Tuesday.

Mrs. John Crommer left Monday for Flint to join her husband who has a position there.

C. A. Stringer of Detroit made a trip to Northville on his fine steam automobile Tuesday.

Charles and Jet Tiffin of Wixom visited their sister, Mrs. Will Cole, of Northside Saturday.

Mrs. John Crommer and her friend Miss Madison of Wixom were Farmington guests Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Place of Milford was a visitor over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Budd.

The Hueston Pharmacy Co. has added a fine line of box stationery and fancy crepe tissue.

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### Don't Put Your Foot In It.

The fellow who goes prowling around the house at midnight, without a light, is dead sure to find trouble laying for him at every step. He doesn't realize it, though, till he puts his foot into it—or stubs his big toe against it.

And the man who buys a new wagon or carriage without seeing our stock and getting our prices, will also "put his foot in it." We have, without question, the best line of Wagons and Carriages in the town, and you'll miss it if you don't see us. Now don't put your foot in it, this ad is your lamp. It says buy here.

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John Joslin is the new clerk at Murdock Brothers' drug store.

Claude Burgess is at home again and is getting better as fast as possible.

A considerable amount of correspondence was received too late for insertion this week.

Mrs. Seaton who has been very ill with typhoid fever for some time past is now convalescing.

People who patronize the walk on the south side of Main street can hereafter walk on walks ten feet wide.

Mrs. Orpha Woodman entertained a party of Millford ladies at dinner last Friday, and Mrs. Robert Yerkes Jr. entertained the same guests at supper.

The Northville Gun club will hold a shoot for the Fish gold medal on their grounds Tuesday, May 20th, at 130 o'clock. Birmingham, Pontiac, Greenfield and Wayne shooters will attend this shoot.

There will be a necktie social and dance at Louis Schielke's four miles west of town on the base line and one mile north next week Saturday night for the benefit of the German Lutheran society. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Strauss, who lives on Randolph street, had the misfortune to break her right arm just above the wrist Monday by falling from a chair on which she was standing. Dr. Henry was called in to reduce the fracture.

The Presbyterian ladies will have a sale of baked goods Saturday, May 17th, in the Maun building, commencing at ten a. m. and continuing until everything is sold. Ice cream and sherbet will be served during the afternoon and evening.

The startling varieties of weather to which Michigan people have been treated of late, combined with the stereotyped remarks about the coal man and ice man, makes the situation look like two chickens pulling at the ends of an angworm. First it's one and then it's t'other.

J. A. Pfeiffer who was married at Mt. Clemens last week to Miss Julia Olde, holds a responsible position with the advertising department of Partridge & Blackwell in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer are a brother and sister of Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Olde of this place who attended the wedding.

Carl Zimmerman was arrested Saturday night as a "drunk and disorderly" and was arraigned before Judge Webster Monday. The evidence showed that Carl had used language much more noticeable than elegant in public places, and on his plea of guilty he was fined \$5 and \$4.35 costs, with an alternative of 30 days in the H. of C. By force of circumstances he took the latter, and chief of Police Taft took him to Detroit Monday.

The barn on G. S. VanZile's farm southeast of town was burned down Monday forenoon. Part of the contents were saved, but a binder and a number of other tools were destroyed. The fire was first discovered in the straw stack, but nothing could be done to keep it from the barn. The favorable direction of the wind was all that saved the flames from making a clean sweep. The strenuous efforts of neighbors in tearing away connecting sheds and fences and keeping the other buildings soaked with water confined the destruction to the barn and sheds.

Bunch lace at Mrs. Coleburn's Bazaar.

Mother, Yes one package makes two quarts of baby medicine. See directions. There is nothing just as good for babies and children as Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Murdock Bros.

## NORTHVILLE.

### The City in Brief.

Show at the Opera House tonight. Republican caucus tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon.

Miss Ada Pickell is recovering from a serious attack of fever.

Mrs. E. L. Babbitt has been quite ill but is now much better.

The Baptist ladies will sell home made baking Saturday, May 24th.

A. T. Stewart went up to Turtle Lake this week with 40,000 steel head trout.

Regular meeting of Orient Chapter O. E. S. this Friday evening at seven o'clock sharp.

The many friends of W. H. Yerkes are glad to see that he is able to be around town once more.

Rev. W. S. Jerome has been chosen by the Northville graduating class of 02 to preach the baccalaureate sermon.

Mrs. E. J. Bradner's father, Mr. Vickery, has been seriously ill with heart trouble.

Later: Mr. Vickery died early yesterday morning.

The ball game at Starkweather park last Friday afternoon between the town team and the shoe factory nine resulted in a ratio of about 6 to 1 in favor of the former.

Steve Safford succeeds Ernest Miller as clerk at Ed. Hinkley's cigar store and billiard rooms and Mr. Miller assumes similar charge at Mr. Punched's place in the Opera House building.

Northville Tent No. 200 K. O. T. M. elected Will L. Tinham as delegate to the Great Camp to be held in Marquette the week of June 8th. Mr. Tinham was not instructed but he favors expansion.

The Detroit Photo Novelty company have opened photo rooms over V. O. Whipple's harness shop, Northville, and in order to introduce their work will make twelve photos and one photo pin for 25 cents.

All Spanish-American war veterans are requested to turn out on Decoration day and to report to Corp. Edward Mooney.

Little Kathlene Safford celebrated her fifth birthday last week and a dozen or two little tots helped her to enjoy the occasion.

A. T. Stewart has moved into W. E. Ambler's house on Cady street and W. H. Safford now occupies the foreman's cottage at the U S fish station.

Lost—On the streets Monday, pocketbook containing a five-dollar bill and 50 cents in change. Finder please leave at postoffice or Record office and get reward.

Mrs. George Clark of Grace avenue had another attack of hemorrhage Thursday morning and is still very weak this morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Nina Beal, is assisting in caring for her.

It is an oft quoted aphorism that "Nature never makes a mistake" but apple blossoms veiled by falling snow flakes and promising "garden sass" with icicle trimmings on as per last Saturday, looks as if Mother N. came awfully near it that time anyway.

Thirty or more members of Northville camp M. W. A. went to Wayne Monday night to exemplify the initiatory work of the order. They were hospitably entertained by the Wayne brethren, and had an enjoyable time. On the car coming home each member was given the "side degree."

One of the most infallible indications that spring has really come, weather freaks to the contrary notwithstanding, is found in the influx of agents of all sorts, conditions and varieties, each one with just the greatest and most utterly surprising bargain on earth, which can never be duplicated in a lifetime.

The local camp of Modern Woodmen celebrated its third anniversary last night by giving an entertainment to the members and ladies in their hall, followed by a banquet at the rink, where toasts were responded to by the various members of the order. Mr. Chadwick did the honors of toastmaster in a very satisfactory manner.

J. J. Kimmel is putting down a lot of fine cement walks on Main street these days. Nearly the entire block on the north side as far as Hinkley's store now has a nice stone walk the entire distance and a new ten foot walk is now being finished on the south side from Wheeler's store to Richardson's inclusive. The improvement is a very marked one, indeed.

One does not have to be in a volcanic country to be in danger. Ed. Starkweather had a narrow escape in peaceful Detroit Monday which gave him a few gray hairs. A runaway team collided with a street car on which he was riding and the pole of the wagon came crashing through the side of the car, just barely missing Mr. Starkweather by passing a little above his shoulder and giving him a few "purple moments" which required no encore to make him remember them.

### IMPURE BAKING POWDER SEIZED

The New York Board of Health find it Contains Alum and Rock, Declare it Dangerous to Health and Dump it into the River.

The New York papers report that the Health Department of that city has seized as dangerous to health nearly two tons of cheap mixtures sold for baking powder, and dumped them into the offal scow to be destroyed. More of the powder was found in a Sixth ave. department store. The report of the analysis of the Health department stated that it was "an alum baking powder" containing alum and pulverized rock.

The different Health Authorities seem to have different ways of repressing the sale of bad baking powders. In England they have prosecuted the grocers under the general law and broken up the traffic. In Missouri the sale of alum baking powder is actually prohibited by law. In New York they seize the unwholesome stuff and cast it into the river, without any discussion. The latter way is certainly effective. The alum baking powders are usually offered at a low price, ten to twenty cents a pound, or with some prize, as a temptation to the housewife.

Consumers can protect themselves by buying only high-grade baking powder of established name and reputation. Do not be tempted by the greener to take something else as "just as good" or "our own brand," for the trials show that the grocer himself is often deceived by unscrupulous makers and is selling an alum powder without knowing it.

There are several good powders on the market; let the housekeeper insist on having what she knows is right, not be induced to risk the life of the family for an imaginary saving of a few cents.

The many friends of she that was Mattie Kirbyson, now Mrs. Norris of Stark, will regret to hear that she died yesterday of scarlet fever. Until her marriage some four years ago she lived in Northville with her sister, Mrs. Frank Adams.

**Aguinaldo Living at Ease.**  
Aguinaldo is living in comfort on the banks of the Pasig river, in the suburb of Malacanán. The house compares favorably with that of Gov. William H. Taft, half a mile farther up the river. Besides a guard of American soldiers to protect Aguinaldo there are several servants to attend to the wants of himself and family, for the Filipino has with him his wife and children and his mother-in-law.

## EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

Grand Rapids, Sunday, May 18.  
Train will leave Plymouth at 8:15 a. m. Rate, \$1.75. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Saginaw and Bay City, Sunday, May 25th.  
Train will leave Northville at 5:10 a. m. Rate \$1.00. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

**Memorial Day.**  
For above occasion Pere Marquette agents will sell tickets from all stations, to all stations within a limit of 150 miles of starting point, at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip. Good going May 20 and 30. Limited for return passage to May 31.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's Laxative is on each box. 25 cents.

**Spent Eight Cents in Campaign.**  
Richard Evans, who was recently a candidate for the London common council and was defeated, in his report of expenses declared that he had spent only fourpence in his campaign.

### Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

Notices under this head inserted for first issue and 10c per week for each subsequent issue.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House and lot, No. 25 Dunlap St. Albee M. Rockwell 35th.

FOR RENT—Good house in Northside, 4th house east of greenhouse. Apply to A. McKay, Northville 32nd.

FOR SALE—Rural New York and Early Burpee potatoes—pure seed W. I. Simmons 37th.

FOR SALE—A large number of yearling and two-year-old heifers and steers and a number of new and old cows and dairy bulls. G. D. Spencer, Wabash. 40w2

FOR RENT—The Woodman meat market, including machinery and fixtures on Center street, Northville. Apply to Record office. 38w4

FOR SALE—A good work horse, weight about 1,350 (cheap). Apply to Orange Butler 40w3.

FOR SALE—or will exchange for a farm, my residence corner Main and Rogers streets, Northville. Apply to W. G. Larkins Pontiac 38w1.

FOR SALE—Good driving horse harness and buggy. Also good Lancia Fly Shuttle Locomotive for weaving carpets. Apply to L. H. Roberts 26 Lake street 29th.

### What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date

Oats—40c  
Corn in ear—25c Shelled corn—30c.  
Hired hay per ton—\$10  
Baled straw per ton—\$3  
Cattle—\$4.25 to \$5.30  
Sheep—\$3.00 to \$5.00  
Lamb—\$3.50 to \$5.00  
Hogs live—\$5.75 to \$6.75  
Beef hides—5c per lb.  
Veal calves live—\$4.75  
Dressed hogs—\$7.50 to \$8.25  
Eggs—13c Butter—15c and 16c.  
Poultry live  
Turkeys young and lump—9c  
Geese young and lump—9c  
Ducks young and lump—9c  
Spring chickens—9c  
Hens—9c

## SLAUGHTER SALE OF BASE BALL GOODS!

We are closing out our entire line of Base Balls, Gloves, Mitts, Bats, Masks, etc. etc. Everything goes except goods made by A. G. Spaulding & Bro. Hereafter we will handle their line exclusively. To clean up other make of goods we have, we will cut the price in two giving us the half cent.

A 50 Cent Ball or Glove for 25 Cents.  
Everything Else as Low.

## MERRITT & COMPANY

JEWELERS AND BOOKSELLERS

NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

## THE MAN IS FOLISH

who denies himself the comfort of a well-fitting Tailor-Made Suit. The price is but a trifle more than ready-mades. You don't have to go away from Northville to get the right thing at the right price.

### GORDON ALLAN

Northville. The Tailor of Experience.

## DID YOU FOLLOW THE FLAG?

The quickest way to get from New York and Boston, is Wabash, the Bonner the pathway of the Continent, which has a speed and equipment Groceries cheaper at the Cash's unexcelled. When east, see that your any place in town? Just go is Pere Marquette and inquire their prices and you'll see. We will also run a Saturday livery. This will give the world a chance to get the benefit of it. Get our prices on goods before us for information.

## FRY BROTHERS

CASH STORE, NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN. Telephone Connection.

FRY BROTHERS, Proprs.

## "Coughed All Night"

We hear that complaint frequently now. It is one easy to believe as a rule, for the speaker generally shows that his rest has been badly broken.

Of course, it is always natural for us to tell of the value of White Pine, and we can recommend this preparation with confidence. We have made and sold it for five years, and have scores of people in the neighborhood who are willing to say a good word for it as the opportunity arises.

White Pine soothes the inflamed bronchial passages and quickly quiets the annoying hack. It's good for a fresh cold or a chronic one, good for the little fellow who coughs and chokes and gasps; good for his father if he has a cough. Two sizes, 25c and 50c.

### MURDOCK BROTHERS

...DRUGGISTS...  
63 Main Street, Northville.

Keep Live Stock Healthy and Free From Vermin by Using

## CREL OLL

which prevents and cures all "germ" diseases like tuberculosis, abortion, lung worm, scours in calves, sheep catarrh, hog cholera, roup and gasps in poultry. Instant destruction to lice, fleas, ticks, flies, etc., also house vermin.

### DON'T DIP SHEEP

Endorsed by stockmen and breeders. For sale by MURDOCK BROS., Northville, Mich.

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Only First-Class River View Hotel in the City.

### POPULAR RATES.

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLANS. DETROIT.

Millinery.  
Shoes.

DETROIT.

Boys' Clothing.  
Metal Beds.

# William H. Elliott Co.

## Rainy Day Skirts

At materially reduced prices will be a feature in our "Ready-to-wear" department—3rd floor—now.

Fine Skirts that were \$10.00, will be ..... \$7.50  
Fine Skirts that were \$7.50, will be ..... \$5.00  
Fine Skirts that were \$5.00, will be ..... \$4.00

For \$2.50 each, to close them out rapidly, choice of tan, castor and blue, all silk, lined Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, the cloth alone worth double.

SUITS—the Tailor Made sort for Ladies—choice of black, blue, brown, tan and castor, also some Misses' Suits for young ladies 14 to 18 years, prices start at ..... \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 to \$25. Remarkably good values that you should not miss.

Misses' handsome Black Silk Coats, box style—special things. \$5.75, \$7.50. Reduced prices on 2 styles of Black Jackets, they're silk lined, were \$7.50 and \$5, now ..... \$5.00 and \$4.00.

Cashmere or Cheviot "Wool Dresses," reds, blues, browns, old rose, electric-blue, etc., for children 8, 10 and 12, prices ..... \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$5.75.

Children's New Style Wash Dresses, very complete, Colored Percale Lawn, Linen and Chambray ..... \$1.00 to \$4.00  
Sweet White Dresses, daintily made and very nice ..... \$2.50 to \$5.75

## Rugs Very Low in Price

Extra Heavy Smyrna Rugs—low prices—read:

Size 18x36 ..... \$1.00  
Size 21x48 ..... \$1.50  
Size 26x54 ..... \$2.00  
Size 30x60 ..... \$2.50  
Size 36x72 ..... \$3.50

Let us estimate on your new Shades. We guarantee satisfaction, and possibly can save you money, time and disappointment. Competent person will call on request.

## Black and Colored Dress Goods

We continue selling them at the reduced prices offered last week.

Cor. Woodward and Gd. River Aves., DETROIT.

## PEOPLE OF THE DAY

### An Advocate of Cereals.

One of the men who have attracted attention by their utterances apropos of the high prices of meat is Professor H. W. Wiley, chief of the Bureau of chemistry in the United States department of agriculture. Professor Wiley suggests cereals as substitutes for meat. He says it is well known that men who are nourished very extensively on cereals are capable of the hardest and most enduring manual labor. Meats,



PROFESSOR H. W. WILEY.

he says, are quickly digested, furnishing an abundance of energy soon after consumption, but are not retained in the digestive organism long enough to sustain permanent muscular exertion. On the other hand, cereal foods are more slowly digested, furnish the energy necessary for digestion and the vital functions in a more uniform manner and thus are better suited to sustain hard manual labor for a long period of time.

### Advantage of Having a Short Name.

N. L. Chev of Indiana, assistant auditor of the treasury for the postoffice department, obtained his position because of his name. This is not due to the meaning of his name. The fact that the assistant auditor of the treasury for the postoffice department spends from forty to fifty days every quarter signing his name to warrants. He signs at the rate of 5,000 or 6,000 a day. It can readily be seen that Mr. Chev can earn more money for the government by signing his name than could Edgar D. Crum-packer, the Indiana congressman. He got the job because he has a short name. He can save three or four days in the month over A. L. Lawshe, his predecessor, although Mr. Lawshe was a very rapid writer.

### Poetical Mr. Robinson.

Every once in awhile the dull pages of The Congressional Record are enlivened with the outpouring of an exuberant soul. In the midst of prosy sentences these glimmerings of joy shine like a diamond in the somber clay. "I like sunshine, optimism and enthusiasm," exclaims Representative Robinson of Indiana, for instance. "I love to see the rosy early morning sunshine kiss the dome of the capitol, paint it with golden glory and make it look glad."

No doubt Mr. Robinson loves to see the early sunshine kiss the dome, but it is also a thousand to one that the golden glory never dazzles his sleepy eyes. —Washington Post.

### Lord Kelvin Favors Metric System.

Lord Kelvin, the eminent scientist of Edinburgh, who is visiting in Washington, made a statement before the house committee on coinage, weights and measures the other day in support of the adoption of the metric system. Ninety per cent of the people, he said, who had ever given the matter any thought were in favor of the change, and the other 10 per cent he characterized as "stupidly ignorant."

### President of A. R. S.

The Army Relief Society of the United States at its recent annual meeting held in New York elected Mrs. Daniel S. Lamont president. The convention was attended by delegates from about thirty branch organizations which are distributed throughout the country. Reports showed that over a hundred widows of soldiers of the



MRS. D. S. LAMONT.

regular army had been assisted by the society during the past year. The work of educating the children of soldiers has been extended and is now an important branch of the society's work.

Mrs. Lamont has since the organization of the society been one of its active members, and her election to the presidency is considered only a just recognition of her past services.

**Miss Gould's Donations to Y. M. C. A.**  
Miss Helen Gould of New York, who is interesting herself in the building of Y. M. C. A. buildings in Indiana, has increased her donation for the building at Peru to \$4,300 and has promised other donations when the membership has reached 500. Miss Gould's donations to the Y. M. C. A. in Indiana promise to aggregate many thousands of dollars.

## DR. FENNER'S

# KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs, Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. The necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations free.

"For years I had backache, severe pains across kidneys and scalding urine. I could not get out of bed without help. The use of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure restored me." G. WAGNER, Knobsville Pa. Druggists, 50c. Ask for Cook Book—Free.

ST. VITUS DANCE. Supp. Cure. Circular. Dr. Fenner, Fenner, Fredonia, N.Y. For Sale by Hueston, Northville.

## MILLER'S Meat Market.

FRESH, SALT and SMOKED

...MEATS...

F. A. MILLER, Propr., 109 Main St. Northville. Telephone.

### What Is Foley's Kidney Cure?

Answer. It is made from a prescription of a leading Chicago physician, and one of the most eminent in the country. The ingredients are the purest that money can buy, and are artistically combined to get their utmost value. Murdock Bros.

### Chance for Scientific Men.

The Hamburg Marine Observatory offers three prizes to inventors of any country for the best instrument to measure wind pressure.

### Beware of a Cough.

Now is the time to get rid of that cough, for if you let it hang on no one can tell what the result may be. Others have been cured of their coughs very quickly by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. A. J. Costa, of Gainesville, Fla., says, "A friend of mine, a painter of this town, who was nearly dead with a cough, was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He also recommended it to a lady here, who was suffering from asthma and a severe cough. She gratified him by trying it and was cured by one small bottle." This remedy is for sale by George C. Hueston.

### Carnegie's Private Library.

Mr. Carnegie has taken steps for the formation of a private library at Skibo castle. The work of selection has been entrusted to Lord Acton, professor of history at Oxford. The library will probably number 8,000 volumes.

### Traveling Is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys, which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, seamen and men in some form of travel who drive very much suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. H. Hausman, locomotive engineer, Lima, Ohio, writes: "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Murdock Bros.

### Carnations for the Coronation.

Lovers of flowers in Great Britain who neglected to plant their beds with carnations last autumn have lost an opportunity of displaying their loyalty next June. For the coronation should be the flower of fashion in the coming season, meaning, as it does, "coronation," this being the old name, given to it by Spenser and the poets, on account of its use by the ancient Greeks and Romans in the making of chaplets.

# Blood.

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood.

This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c and \$1.00; all druggists.

## NEIGHBORHOOD

### Novi News.

Stephen Gage was home over Sunday.

Genevieve Durfee has the whooping cough.

W. D. Stark was a Highland visitor Saturday.

Blanche Dunham was a West Novi caller Sunday.

Budd Jones was an Orchard Lake visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Cogsdill spent Sunday with Mrs. Waldron.

Miss Olive Wixom spent part of last week at Wixom.

Mrs. S. E. Cranson of Northville is visiting friends here.

Mrs. D. C. Dunham visited her sons at Northville part of last week.

Mrs. Sly and daughter of Ypsilanti visited Mrs. Alice Flint this week.

Mrs. Bert Hicks and Miss Clara Becker spent Thursday at Wixom.

Epworth League at 7 p. m. next Sunday night. Preaching service at 8 p. m.

W. A. Sperry of Owatonna, Minn. and J. H. Harger of Pontiac called on friends here Thursday.

Frank Becker has secured a position in the commission store of Lichtenberg & Sons of Detroit.

The WBM circle and the Cheerful Workers were well represented at the annual mission meeting at Walled Lake last week.

Moses Nye died of dropsy at the home of Miss Eleanor Shurtliff Saturday night. The funeral services were held at the New Baptist church Tuesday.

### Farmington News.

Mrs. Sarah Adams called on friends here Monday.

Ezra Green of Farmington was a Farmington caller last week.

Mrs. Emily Becker of Walled Lake was a Farmington visitor this week. Little Maile Pettibone, who has been so seriously ill, is slowly recovering.

Miss Nina Stewart of Detroit was entertained Sunday at the home of Carlos Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Groves and children were entertained Sunday at the home of Joseph Gray.

Miss Mary K... who had been in Germany, returned last few days. Isaac, is reported to be in the hospital. His son, and an angel, his wife down from heaven, if wire water on the pan is by Wind-or, by Anton or introduced himself. Saturday, and Bap May, survived long period of suffering. Christ healing the feverish.

Missing a ten-cent note. The auto oblige and the chauffeur discover the owner of the note. "Hurry up, you people, you are all going."

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### Wixom News.

Phel Parker was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Anna Madison was a Farmington visitor Sunday.

Grace Stevens is visiting in Commerce this week.

The Wixom Farmers' club met at M. S. Pratt's Wednesday.

Dr. Getrude Banks of Detroit was a Wixom visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Albert Stowe and Miss Magie McGaffey were Milford visitors Tuesday.

Chas. and Jettie Tiffin and Anna Madison were Northville visitors Saturday.

J. H. Taylor, wife and daughter visited at Belleville from Thursday until Monday.

Blanche Bennett is a Wixom resident for a short time and is boarding at Charles Proud's.

Mrs. Grant, who had been visiting in South Lyon for two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Tiffin Bros. have sold their house and lot to James Pratt of Lansing, who will take possession the first of June.

### Salem News.

Mrs. John Haywood is very sick at this writing.

Miss Inez VanVleet visited friends in Salem on Sunday.

The Salem Ball club will cross bats with the Worden nine next Saturday.

James Woodworth is doing a rushing business in paper hanging this season.

Clay Kingley and wife visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Ryder, on Sunday.

Duncan Leitch has secured a position in the Northville milk condenser.

Miss Rachel Gilegan of Lyon, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Angus Heeney, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Tapp, who resides on the Butler farm east of Salem, was called to Troy, New York, by the sudden death of her mother. Mr. Tapp has also gone to join her at the afflicted home.

Fred Truesdale's pacer took a flying trip to Plymouth last week with a somewhat demoralized buggy. Mrs. T. had just returned from a drive when the animal took fright and ran away. No one was injured.

There were no services at the Baptist church Sunday, owing to the pastor's absence from town. The party who placed the notice on the door to that effect must have been of a very poetic turn of mind as the following would indicate.

"No services here today. The pastor has gone away."

### A Country of Gates.

A curious feature to travelers in the high roads of Norway is the great number of gates—upwards of 10,000 in the whole country—which have to be opened. These gates, which either mark the boundaries of the farms or separate the home fields from the waste lands, constitute a considerable inconvenience and delay to the traveler, who has to stop his vehicle and get down to open them.

### Too Great a Risk.

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of cholera or cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by George C. Hueston.

### Walled Lake News.

John Tucker and son visited at Capt. Nichols' over Sunday.

Rev. W. C. McIntosh of Flint occupied the Methodist pulpit Sunday.

Harrison Moyer of Detroit spent Sunday with his brother and family here.

Burr Tuttle and friend, Mr. Geoffrey of Canada, called on friends here last Saturday.

Ice cream will be served in the west side of the brick store Saturday evening.

Hiram and Wm Hoyt of Muskegon were guests of their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoyt, this week.

Elmer Rice and family and Roy Donaldson and wife of New Hudson were Walled Lake visitors Sunday.

A. M. VanTassel entertained his son, Frank, and wife and his grandsons, Henry Horton, of Dentons over Sunday.

Cameron and Wm Douglas of Sand Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Church this week.

Rev. J. P. Cooper went to Saginaw to attend the wedding of a friend Wednesday. His wife will return with him the last of the week.

### Holds Up a Congressman.

"At the end of the campaign," writes Champ Clark, Missouri's brilliant congressman, "from overwork, nervous tension, loss of sleep and constant speaking I had about utterly collapsed. It seemed that all the organs of my body were out of order, but three bottles of Electric Bitters made me all right. It's the best all-around medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter." Overworked, rundown men and weak, sickly women gain splendid health and vitality from Electric Bitters. Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Geo. C. Hueston.

### Shotgun Quarantine Against Jehannies.

The authorities of the East Mississippi Female College at Jackson, have taken drastic steps toward keeping the young lady students of the institution from flirting with the boys of the town. They have established a shotgun quarantine around the building and none of the boys are allowed to come around so they can make "goo-goo eyes" at the girls.

Don't waste your money on worthless imitations of Rocky Mountain Tea. Get the genuine made only by the Madison Medicine Co. A great family remedy. 35c. Murdock Bros.

### Annual Boiler Explosions.

In 1900 there were in the United States 373 boiler explosions, by which 263 persons were killed and 520 wounded. In Great Britain during the same period only twenty-four persons were killed and sixty-five wounded by boiler explosions.

### Wants Others to Know.

"I have used DeWitt's Little Early Risers for constipation and torpid liver and they are all right. I am glad to endorse them for I think when we find a good thing we ought to let others know it," writes Alfred Heinze, Quincy, Ill. "They never gripe or distress. Sure, safe pills. Murdock Bros."

### Czar Shows Liberal Views.

M. Stakhovich, the marshal of the nobility for the province of Orel, whose speech in favor of freedom of conscience in Russia created such a sensation and who in spite of all opposition of the reactionary party and the church was re-elected for another term by an overwhelming majority, has now been confirmed in his post by the czar.

### Stand Like a Stone Wall.

Between your children and the tortures of itching and burning eczema, scaldhead or other skin diseases. How? Why by using Bucklen's Arnica Salve, earth's greatest healer. Quickest cure for ulcers, fever sores, salt rheum, cuts, burns or bruises. Infallible for piles. 25c. at Geo. C. Hueston's.

# Kodol

## Dyspepsia Cure

**Digests what you eat.**  
This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Dieting unnecessary. Pleasant to take. **It can't help but do you good.**

Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The 51. bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 50c. size.  
For Sale by Murdock Bros., Northville, Mich.

## Who Pays the Printer?

When you go around from printer to printer getting bids on a job and then giving it to the lowest bidder, you get an indifferently good job—one with no particularly good points—one that sells no goods for you, then who pays the printer?

**YOU DO.**

When you pick out a good printer, giving him all your work, educating him to an idea of your needs, and paying a fair price for the work you get, your printer matter (when secured at the Record Printing, necessarily creates a favorable impression for you and for what you offer, and becomes a factor in selling your goods. Then who pays the printer? Your customer.

**HE DOES.**

DETROIT, PLYMOUTH & NORTHVILLE RY.

GOING SOUTH—Car leaves Northville 6:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:15 p. m., which is the last car for Detroit. P. M. Depot, Plymouth, 33 minutes past each hour, and Conner's store 40 minutes past the hour.  
GOING NORTH—Leaves Wayne at 7:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 12:15 a. m. Conner's store, Plymouth, every hour from 5:30 a. m. until 10:30 p. m. P. M. Depot, Plymouth, 5:57 a. m. until 10:57 p. m. Last car for Northville leaves Wayne at 10:15 a. m.  
FREIGHT CAR—Leaves Northville daily at 10:15 a. m.  
J. W. AL BURTON, Supt., Plymouth, Mich.

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# THE STRANGER AND THE PRINCESS

BY SEWARD W. HOPKINS

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Unsuspectingly Buckford followed him. He was led through a corridor and into a small room where two men stood waiting.

"Ah! Now we have him!" cried one. "Kill the hound!"

"What's this?" demanded Buckford in alarm. "Foul play?"

"You lying hound!" now cried his guide in a frenzy. "You betrayed us to the police! Did you think we accept noives without trying them well? You came here, learned part of the truth, and visited the prefecture. You have not only failed to save those you wished to save, but you have again come into our hands—this time an enemy. We will not kill you at once, for that would simply carry out your own design. Torture, hunger, misery—all shall be yours! And while you starve and mean and cry for water to quench your burning thirst, the tyrant you sought to save will die by our hands."

"Advance toward me an inch, and I will kill you!" said Buckford, drawing his revolver. They stepped back in sudden alarm.

"A police pistol? Proof of treachery?"

The man with the wolfish face made a sudden leap forward. Buckford, in no humor to show patience, fired point blank, and the fellow dropped. The noise of the pistol brought a score of others.

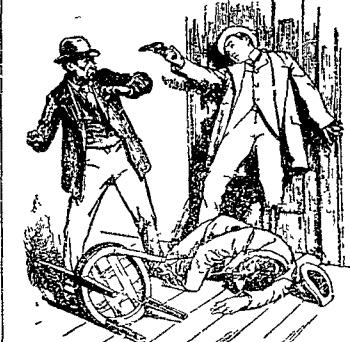
"The traitor! The traitor! He has shot our secretary!" was the cry.

A dozen pistols were leveled at Wallace. He backed up against a door that seemed to be locked and stood at bay. Even if he killed a man at every shot he knew he must soon exhaust his pistol and then fall an easy victim to their hate. They made a rush at him. He fired again, killing the foremost. He stepped back suddenly, the door behind him gave way and he fell through it. There came a rush of cooler air, and he felt himself falling through darkness. There was a crash, and he lay still on an earthen floor.

## CHAPTER III.

THE MURDERED MILLIONAIRE.

THE exit of Buckford Wallace from that den of thieves and cutthroats was so sudden and of so startling a nature that it might well be supposed that he had fallen upon one of those relics of the dark ages—a house of mysterious architecture, in which the very walls revolve on pivots, trapdoors open where



"Advance toward me an inch and I will kill you!" said Buckford.

no cracks can be seen and stone pillars, hide secret passages from one den of iniquity to another.

But, however plausible that theory may be, it was not the case. The explanation of the accident to Buckford is astonishingly simple.

It happened that a very rich and equally eccentric person named M. de Bullion had purchased a large piece of ground in that quarter on which he intended to build large modern apartment houses. This piece of ground fronted on three streets and adjoined on the Rue de Mont-Rouge the building in which the brotherhood of crime held its meetings. In making a new and complete survey it was discovered that a portion of that building really stood on land owned by the person from whom M. de Bullion was making his purchase. It therefore must be included in the sale. The proper steps were taken, and M. de Bullion became the owner of about 13 feet of the eastern end of the building.

When all the old buildings on the newly purchased site were torn down to make way for the splendid modern edifices, the 13 feet were torn down also.

This cut off two rooms of that building, and the door that had formerly opened into one of these rooms now opened out through a naked wall of dirty plaster over the cellar.

This was the door through which Buckford had fallen. It was built to open outward. When Buckford leaned against it, it had given way and precipitated him into the old cellar.

Most unfortunately, as will be seen, he struck upon some window sashes which had been placed there for safe keeping. These were smashed utterly by his weight, and pieces of the broken glass cut his hands and face.

For a moment the young man was so bewildered that he did not know really what had happened to him. He fancied that he was in a place much like that pictured in the opening lines of this chapter. He was in total darkness. There was a damp earthy smell

Either the sashes broke his fall or he was possessed of a very hard skull; for he did not lose consciousness. He sat up in the darkness and tried to look around. He could not do this, so he felt.

His fingers came in contact with the sharp edges of broken glass.

At that moment he heard a voice above his head.

"Curse on the hound!" the voice was saying. "Where could he have gone? He has wounded Vandal and killed Blouet. Get a lantern, somebody. Don't let him get away."

This remark stirred the blood in Buckford. It brought to his mind the fact that that was just what he wanted to do—to get away before they discovered him.

He rose to his feet and stretched his arms above his head. After walking a short distance he felt beams and girders.

"Hello!" he said to himself. "I must have fallen somehow into a cellar."

Then he saw the gleam of a lantern shining from a door in a wall some distance away.

"Ah, ha! They have explained the thing to me now," he said, with a chuckle. "Mighty lucky accident for me."

"Come, now, Pierre," came the voice from the door. "You take the lantern and lead a party through the cellars. I will lead another to the right, around the square. Reber, here, will lead another to the left. We will meet on the street in the rear. He cannot get away."

Buckford did not wait to hear any more. He gathered from what had been said that the cellar he was in communicated with the street in the rear. Taking his direction from the door, where the light could still be seen, he started as briskly as possible toward the rear.

He clambered over debris of all kinds. Collar walls had been partially destroyed, and loose stones lay all about. Old foundations and party walls were wiped out, yet enough old or new walls were standing to enable him to constantly keep a screen between himself and the lantern. This had now been lowered into the cell. He heard voices behind him.

The searching party, however, made slower progress than he did, notwithstanding they had a lantern. They were spreading out and searching every nook and cranny of the cellars as they went. He, on the other hand, was making all speed straight ahead.

He soon found himself in a part where there was less debris and ruin and more of the newly built walls. It was the cellar under the building on the rear street.

He saw a red lantern hanging on a pole outside to warn drivers of the trench before the house. He made for this.

Sitting on a pile of lumber outside was a man wearing a leather jacket and slouch hat. He carried a stout club in his hand. It was the watchman.

The watchman, seeing Buckford emerging from the cellar he was supposed to be guardian over, rushed to him.

"Well, well! Who are you? What do you want?"

"Hush, my friend!" whispered Buckford quickly. "I am pursued by enemies. Is there a police officer near?"

"No, they passed ten minutes ago."

"I must escape. Can you not help me?"

"Help! Me help? What can I do?"

At that moment there was a shout up the street, and Buckford saw lanterns. The party under Reber or the other had turned the corner.

"Too late!" groined Buckford. "Stay! There is one chance. Here is a 5 franc piece. Lend me your hat, jacket and club. I will watch your buildings while you go drink my health."

"Le Diab! I may get into trouble, but a 5 franc piece! Here! Give it to me! Quick! Get into the jacket! The hat! Pull it down over your eyes. Speak as little as possible. Ah!"

A stout watchman sat on the lumber pile and a bareheaded Frenchman was starting off to drink on the 5 franc piece.

"Ho! My keys!" he exclaimed. "I must take my keys."

"Leave them, they will be safe. If any one suspects the keys will prove that I am the watchman."

"Good! But do not use the large brass one. It is to the floor in the end building. There M. de Bullion has his office. He is there now. He must not know."

"I will not disturb him. Now go!"

The watchman went lumbering off, none too soon. The searching party in the cellar came out on to the street and met the other that had gone half way round the square. A short distance away the third party was seen approaching.

"Here, M. le Never Sleep," said one leader. "Have you seen a man come out of these cellars?"

"Mon Dieu! I just saw a score," replied Buckford, almost in a tremor lest his French should not be such as to pass muster. But the man hunters were too excited to notice just then a little thing like the accent of a watchman in a leather jacket and slouch hat.

"It is strange, devilish strange," said he. "How could he vanish so completely? Was he a magician?"

"You! With your magicians!" said another. "He was a flesh and blood man, but a quick one. Did we not see his blood on the broken window?"

Buckford trembled. He had wiped the blood from his hands and face with his handkerchief, but now kept his hands concealed and his face screened from the light lest a show of blood should betray him.

"Well, are you to stand here till he comes and asks us to kill him?" asked one of the party. "In a moment the police will be here. And then what, eh?"

"Very well," said a man owning the voice Buckford had heard in the door. "Have some one wait here to watch. We will continue."

"Have you any objection, stay awake, to our company?"

"None. I shall be pleased," replied Buckford.

Four men were told off to remain there on watch. The others separated into groups and went in various directions.

Buckford was in an agony of apprehension. If the real watchman returned while these fellows were there, what might not happen, and especially if the watchman was drunk?

The American thought over every possible method of defeating his foes that came into his head. Nothing promised success. If the police came that way, he would certainly call for assistance, but to call for the police when there was no police in sight would be folly. He would simply be pounced upon and slain before the police could arrive.

An hour passed while he was thus wild with apprehension, and then a drunken whistle was heard coming.

"Here comes some one. We must question him," said one of the watchers.

Buckford looked toward the approaching man. As he passed under a street light Wallace noted that he wore no hat.

Honors! It was the watchman, and he was far from sober.

And now, with certain destruction staring him in the face, Buckford Wallace thought as he had never thought before.

To wait there till the drunken watchman came and demanded his keys, his jacket, his slouch hat, would be to sit silently inviting death.

He rose, stretched himself, yawned and said:

"My friends, I should have been relieved an hour ago. My assistant sometimes stops at M. Jacques'. I leave the place in your care while I go to see if he is there. I request, however, that you allow no one to enter the building."

"Oh, never fear, old stay awake. We will take care of your buildings. You are so anxious you must have a fortune invested here."

They all laughed at this joke, and Buckford walked away in the opposite direction from that in which the real watchman was.

"Good!" he said to himself. "My only chance is M. de Bullion, and fortunately I am before his door. I will waken the millionaire and tell him the whole story. He will give me his powerful protection until I can communicate with the police."

He turned into the corner building. He ran up one flight of stairs. He knocked loudly on a door.

There was no answer.

"This M. de Bullion is a sound sleeper," he said. "I will get him up if I have to pound in the door."

It was not so easy to pound in the door, but he did make a tremendous noise.

"Heavens! The mob will hear it even if M. de Bullion does not," said Buckford. "Stop! This won't do. I'll use the key and make my explanations afterward."

It was easy to find the big brass key and fit it to the lock. It turned easily, and Buckford opened the door. He turned again, shut the door and locked it.

For the first time since he had faced his enemies in the little room he breathed freely.

"There," he said, with a grunt of satisfaction, "I am safe for a time. They will scarcely dare intrude upon the privacy of M. de Bullion."

Having secured himself thus, he took a match from his pocket and lighted it. The gas had not yet been piped into the buildings. He found, however, a dingy looking lamp resting on a dusty shelf. He lighted this.

"I fancy," he said, "that the watchman was mistaken. There is surely no one in this apartment tonight. I have made noise enough to wake the dead."

He looked around the room. It was, or would be when finished, a cozy and pretty reception room. It was now littered with bits of wood, plaster and nails.

He stepped from this room into the next. No one there.

In this room there was a chair, but it had been overturned.

In one corner a small ornamental closet had been built. This was open. Workmen's clothing had been in it. Now this was strewn on the floor.

"Hello," said Buckford when he saw this. "Looks as if some one had got the best of the watchman and rifled the pockets for a sou."

From this room Buckford stepped into still another.

He stopped short on the threshold, and a cry of horror burst from his lips, which had turned white.

This room was fitted up as an office. Near the window stood a desk. At this desk sat a well dressed elderly man, dead.

His drawn face, his staring eyes, expressing terror; the position of his body—all spoke of violence.

Buckford stepped to him and made a hasty examination.

There was a wound in his left side

penetrating undoubtedly to the heart. It was the only wound to be seen. Scarcely any blood had flown. The knife with which the foul blow had been dealt lay on the floor by the dead man's chair.

"My God!" exclaimed Buckford. "I go from one horror to another; I seek safety with a man and find him a corpse. What under the sun of heaven am I going to do now?"

Meantime the four who had been left to watch had waited for the drunken whistler to come up.

"Well," said one of them as he drew near. "This fellow can give us but little help. He has been having a fine time. See how he takes the entire sidewalk?"

"Come, Bibbler!" said another, stepping out to intercept the whistler. "Which way have you come? Did you see a young man running away?"

"Eh—eh!" stammered the watchman. "Young man! I see young man! Who are you, my friend?"

"I'll show you who I am if you don't answer."

The watchman was not so drunk but what his senses were alert with sudden suspicion.

"Who are you, and what do you want here?" he asked. "Where is that man I left in my place?"

"Ho! What! Left in your place! The man you left in your place! What do you mean?"

"Police!" yelled the drunken watchman. "Police! I have been robbed!"

"What kind of fool is this?" angrily asked one of the four. "Come, idiot. We are not going to rob you."

"No, but my keys! Where is that fellow—your fellow robber, I believe?"

"Hold on! Don't shake the life out of him!" exclaimed one of the four who had not yet spoken. "This fellow has an idea. Let us get at it in a quiet way. Come now, my friend! Who are you, and what brought you here?"

"Who am I? What brought me here? Well, that is good. I suppose I have a right to come, messieurs, since I am M. de Bullion's watchman."

"Watchman! Are there two of you then? Oh, you are that other fellow's relief. Now I begin to see. Well, he went to find you. He said you frequently stopped at M. Jacques'. He went there to look for you."

"He went! He said what! He is a thief, I tell you!"

"Who is a thief? This is bewildering. We found a watchman here. He said that his relief had not come and went to look for him. You must be that relief."

"I? Oh, no. I am no relief. I am the watchman. A fellow came from the cellar and said he was pursued by

Buckford stepped to him and made a hasty examination.

a mob. He gave me 5 francs to drink his health, and I loaned him my leather jacket and slouch hat. And now please, where is that fellow? For my 5 francs are gone and I want my leather jacket and slouch hat."

"Curse you, your leather jacket and slouch hat!" roared the leader of the four. "Here we sat an hour with the man we wanted within arm's length of us. Oh, I've a mind to kill you in his stead."

"Rather," said the cooler speaker, "let us hurry to join our comrades. It cannot be difficult to trace a leather jacket and slouch hat tonight."

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### Suburban News.

A South Lyon hen laid an egg 8 by 6 1/2 inches last week. She must be a goose to produce such eggs as that when they don't sell by weight, either, but probably she doesn't know any better.

Carleton is the first town around here to embark a mad dog story on the sea of the season's happenings. A cantankerous canine supposed to be a rabid was killed over there one day last week.

An Ypsilanti church society gave a supper the other night and some of the good brethren and sisters weren't a bit shocked when asked to partake of deviled eggs. It isn't the first time the world has seen and the devil have managed to get mixed up in church doings.

A skull with a bullet hole in it was plowed up near Trenton the other day, and everybody got excited and wanted a few and offered for the base ruffian who had committed the foul deed. Finally somebody who was way up on the market decided that the 'find' had once contained the cerebrum and cerebellum of one of the long ago Indian residents of that region, and then all the amateur detectives had to give up the idea of getting a bone us.

Jennings of the Fenton Independent is enjoying the greatest celebrity of his life because of his involuntary participation in last week's hurricane incidents, and consequent precipitation into the Shiawassee river, but it is one of those cases where the point of view makes all the difference in the world, as illustrated by the old story of the boys and the frogs. It may be fun for the other fellows but it came near being death to the editor, who doesn't hanker to try the frog act any more.

A story has been going the rounds of the newspapers of a man in Pennsylvania who dined with his mother-in-law, but the Farmington fellow whose relative of that ilk recently had him arrested for assault and battery evidently wasn't that kind. However, the affectionate parent by marriage probably was sorry that she spoke as she did not appear against the accused and he was discharged. Perhaps it is due to the newly assumed honors of the Enterprise man to explain that the case in question had nothing to do with his affairs.

Truly the tongue is an unwholesome member indeed. A recent swindle said to be perpetrated as per opportunity on the ready-to-bite is the wagon tongue graft. A fellow with a "patent" new style wagon tongue comes along and tries to sell the same. In the event of not succeeding he asks permission to leave the article for a few days. In due time along comes another chap with a double action hung-in-the-middle tongue of his own, sees the wagon tongue and wildly entreats. He is willing to pay a big price for the pattern. If the farmer rises to the bait and the occasion as expected, he hunts up the first fellow and at a good figure buys the right to sell the same after which the unruly members of society go elsewhere with their waggon tongues to sell more waggon tongues and other unwieldy fellow creatures as best they may.

### Figures on Cycle Trade.

An official statement from the British Cycle and Motor Trades association puts the average profit on a bicycle at \$2.16, and the number of persons employed in the cycle trade at 100,000.

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### Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

"Dangerous Women, the big melodrama by F. A. Soudainore will be presented at the Whitney Opera all next week. Audiences will like this extraordinary and daring play. It is interesting, new and not devoid of literary merit. Special attention has been given to the company presenting this play and the complete and elaborate scenic production is all that can be desired. "Dangerous Women" is one of the few great successes of the season.

### Lyceum Theatre—Detroit.

The Pike Theatre company will allow Sousa's Band to occupy the Lyceum Theatre stage on May 15th. That man of action and achievement John Philip Sousa is about concluding his twentieth semi-annual tour of his great band, and the first opportunity of hearing them here since their remarkable success in Great Britain will occur at the Lyceum Theatre May 15th, after noon and evening. This is a special arrangement and as a result patrons of the Pike Theatre company will be enabled to see their favorites in a new bill on Monday instead of Sunday. For the week's production "Lady Vandermere's Fan," one of the best known of modern society plays, was selected by popular vote. The usual matinee and summer prices will prevail during the company's extended engagement.

### Grand Opera at Detroit Opera House.

The opera season to be given at the Detroit Opera House is close at hand. The engagement, which is for two weeks will open Monday night, May 19th. Musical circles in all places surrounding Detroit are agog at the prospect of listening to a remarkably attractive repertoire to be given by the famous Castle Square Opera Company, now the representative English singing grand opera organization in this country.

The management has decided on the following repertoire for the first week on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights, Verdi's immortal "Il Trovatore" Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinee, Gounod's ever popular "Faust," and on Wednesday matinee and Saturday night, Flotow's charming "Martha." For the second week the repertoire will consist of three performances of Wagner's impressive tone drama, "Lohengrin," to be given on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights, Bizet's romantic "Carmen" on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinee and Balfe's beautiful "Bohemian Girl" will be given twice at the Wednesday matinee and the Saturday night. It is advisable to send in orders for seats at the earliest possible time, for the advance sale is indicative of a series of overcrowded houses.

### Smallpox Statistics.

Smallpox in the United States, as officially reported from December 28, 1901, to March 7, 1902, amounted to 20,044 cases with 615 deaths. The total for the corresponding period in 1901 was 7,637 cases and 104 deaths.

### Immense Transatlantic Mail.

A transatlantic steamer, carrying what is called "a full mail," usually brings 200,000 letters and 800 sacks of newspapers for London, so say nothing of the 500 and odd sacks for other places.

### To Much for Reuben.

(From the Champaign, Ill., Gazette.) "Yes, sir," said Uncle Reuben, as the graphophone stopped, "that's mighty good—mighty good!" "Just wait awhile," said the youth, as he slipped on another record "and I'll explain it to you." "Oh, I understand it all right," responded Reuben. "I understand it all except one thing." "What's that?" asked the youth. "Well," answered Reuben, with an abashed grin, "I understand how these sleight-of-hand fellows pull big rabbits and pigeons out of little hats, but I'll be damned if I understand how you get a full brass band in that box."

### PROFESSIONAL ROBBERS.

Entered the Postoffice at Martin—Captured at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 13.—The postoffice at Martin, Allegan county, was robbed about midnight Sunday night and \$125 worth of stamps and money taken, the safe being drilled. A resident of the place, saw two strangers get aboard a freight train immediately after, and telephoned the jail in this city.

Deputy Sheriffs Greenly and Gates went to the south yards and saw two men leave the train. One of the officers made a detour and approached from the front and the other from the rear, and at the muzzle of guns held them up. The men submitted quietly and were taken to jail, where \$119 worth of stamps and about \$20 in money was found on their persons. They gave their names as George Harris and Edward Kelly, and said their residence was Fort Wayne, Ind., but they are evidently lying. They had gunpowder, dynamite and a full outfit of drils and other tools when arrested, and the sheriff believes he has captured two good men. Both appear intelligent and very unlike hoboes.

### Circulated Vile Literature.

Bay City, Mich., May 13.—As a result of the investigation following the arrest of three young girls charged with immoral conduct, Police Captain Wyman has found that at several of the schools of the city a lot of vile literature has been distributed broadcast among girls ranging in age from 10 to 16 years, and three printer's apprentices were arrested and fined \$15 each for printing the stuff. A girl attending the Sherman school, who had distributed it among the pupils in her room, was fined \$3 and given a severe lecture by the police judge. The police have been instructed to arrest all girls found on the streets at unseemly hours unless accompanied by members of their families.

### Changes in Postmaster Salaries.

Washington, May 13.—The following changes in salaries of presidential postmasters in Michigan in effect July 1, were announced at the department Monday: Agricultural College, \$1,500 to \$1,400; Albion, \$980 to \$2,700; Allegan, \$1,800 to \$2,000; Auna, \$1,800 to \$2,000; Bad Axe, \$1,400 to \$1,500; Benton Harbor, \$2,500 to \$2,600; Berrien Springs, \$1,100 to \$1,400; Bessemer, \$1,700 to \$1,600; Birmingham, \$1,300 to \$1,300; Blissfield, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Boyne, \$1,300 to \$1,200; Caro, \$1,300 to \$2,000; Carson City, \$1,200 to \$1,300; Cass City, \$1,400 to \$1,500; Casopolis, \$1,600 to \$1,700; Cedar Springs, \$1,400 to \$1,500.

### Wreck on the M. C. R. R.

Warren, Mich., May 13.—An east-bound freight on the Michigan Central was wrecked near Sheldon's Sunday evening, completely tying up traffic. The accident was caused by a broken wheel. Seven cars of dressed lumber were thrown into a heap, and it took all night for the wreckers to clear the track.

### Warrant for Senator Nichols.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 13.—Senator George Nichols of Iowa arrived here Sunday afternoon in response to a notification from the prosecuting attorney that a warrant had been issued against him charging him with subornation of perjury in connection with the Salisbury trial.

### Latest Candidate for Lieut. Gov.

Lansing, Mich., May 13.—Senford N. Dutcher of Newberry is the latest candidate for republican nomination for lieutenant governor.

### Samar Herves Coming Home.

Washington, May 13.—A cablegram received at the navy department from Rear Admiral Rodgers, announces that Maj. Littleton W. T. Waller Capt. David D. Potter and First Lieut. J. H. A. Day the marine officers who figured so conspicuously in the now famous march across Samar, and Capt. R. M. G. United States will sail for the United States aboard the army transport Warren, which is expected to leave Manila today.

### J. W. Page Down With Smallpox.

Adrian, Mich., May 14.—J. Wallace Page, the millionaire wire fence manufacturer, is down with the smallpox and is quarantined in his home. It is thought that he contracted the disease from one of his traveling men who called upon him recently after suffering with the disease. His case is a mild one.

### Abducted Child Returned.

Detroit, Mich., May 14.—Little Irene Kenny, abducted by her father, Fred Kenny, from the Duffield school on Monday of last week, has been restored to her mother by the kidnaper. She was brought back by her father, who had been hiding her in a hotel at Ann Arbor.

### Boynton is Confident.

Port Huron, Mich., May 14.—Major N. S. Boynton states that 90 per cent of the delegates elected throughout the state favor expansion. The major was of the opinion that he and his slate would win hands down in the convention.

### Fell Under Logs and Drowned.

Traverse City, Mich., May 14.—Fred N. Carroll, dealer in cedar posts, ties and logs, was drowned in the mill pond at South Boardman yesterday. He fell and the logs rolled over him. He was 29 years old and leaves a widow and two children.

### It Was Arsenic All Right.

Kalamazoo, Mich., May 14.—The funeral services over the body of Miss Frances Goodrich Stout were held yesterday. At the inquest it developed that the contents of the girl's stomach showed plainly that the death was due to arsenical poisoning.

### New Michigan Postmaster.

Washington, May 14.—J. C. Kirkpatrick was Tuesday appointed postmaster at Palmer, Marquette county, Mich., vice Joseph Kirkpatrick, removed.

### Hard to Tell Chinaman's Age.

How old is a Chinaman? Can you give a good guess? It is harder to tell than the age of a negro. The Chinaman has no beard and his hair is of a jet and glossy blackness, which turns gray only at an extreme age, when a Caucasian head would be either snow white or bald.

Then, again, the Chinese have the most perfect nervous system of any people in the world and do not wrinkle up with age. They can stand any amount of opium smoking without material injury that would send a white man to his grave or an insane asylum. So you have little to go by.

A Chinaman will look 30 when he is 20 and when he is 50. If you ask him his age he will place it at least 10 years ahead, for he holds old age to be honorable, and among his people he will be respected and looked up to by all his juniors.—Washington Post.

### Sudden Inspiration.

"We have with us this evening," the master of ceremonies said, "a gentleman from the Sandwich Islands, who kindly consented to sing a song—" "It's game!" demanded several rude boys in the rear seats. The chairman was non-plussed, but only for a moment. "The gentleman from Hawaii who has so kindly consented to assist us this evening," he went on, with a contemptuous glance at the rear seats, "will sing a selection entitled 'How I Love My Honolulu!'" The gentleman from Hawaii then proceeded to sing something in Kanaka, and nobody was the wiser.—Chicago Tribune.

### Dangerous If Neglected.

Burns, cuts and other wounds often fail to heal properly if neglected and become troublesome sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve prevents such consequences. Even where delay has aggravated the injury DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve effects a cure. "I had a running sore on my leg thirty years," says H. C. Haller, Yankeeetown, Ind. "After using many remedies, I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes healed the sore. Cures all skin diseases. Piles, yuck to it at once. Beware of counterfeits. Murdock Bros.

### Vice of Camphor Smoking.

The vice of camphor smoking, which is said to be on the increase abroad, soon enslaves those who indulge in it. While the results of its use are not so dire as those of cocaine, ether or morphine, apathy, muscular weakness and sleeplessness are always experienced.

### Say Croker Will Return.

It has been declared over and over that Richard Croker has expatriated himself for good, but officials of the New York Democratic Club say that the ex Tammany boss will return in September and will take a hand in the fall campaign as usual.

### Unique Provision for Poor.

Cephalonia, which is one of the Ionian islands, is going to be rich twenty years from now. Mr. Panaghi Athanasius Vagilano, a native of the island, became rich as a Greek merchant in London, and died recently at the age of 84 years, leaving nearly \$15,000,000. Of this, \$2,500,000 are to be put at interest for twenty years, after which the interest is to be used for charitable institutions in Cephalonia.

### All He Was Enjoying.

A musician of Baltimore, who was very averse to attending social affairs of any kind, was persuaded by a friend to attend a concert one evening. He was, unfortunately, the music was very poorly conducted. Late in the evening his friend found him in a corner, with a doleful look upon his face. "You don't seem to be enjoying yourself this evening," said his friend. "On the contrary," he replied, "that is all I am enjoying."

### No man can cure consumption.

You can prevent it though. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma. Never fails.

### Stuart Robson's Reminiscence.

Stuart Robson spoke in happy vein before the curtain at the Hyperion Theatre, New Haven, a few evenings ago. He said: "Just forty-three years ago, the first time I appeared before a New Haven audience, I was arrested by the sheriff of this city because I didn't have money enough to pay my theatrical license, which was \$20. It was a \$15 house. In those days Yale University discriminated in favor of the circus, which only had to pay a license of \$5."

A novel feeling of leaping bounding impulses goes through your body. You feel young, at young and are young after taking Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Murdock Bros.

### Most Beautiful City.

Now Baltimore is the most beautiful city, not even barring London, Paris, Vienna, Berlin or cities of China or Japan. How inspiring it is to come into the city at sunset and look at the beautiful vista down Charles street, the large monument pointing heavenward as a national finger post to holiness. Fifth avenue, New York, is a shabby and half-foreign street. Here there is uniform cleanliness and an atmosphere of pride. Druid Hill park is one of the best in the world.—Baltimore Sun.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the household remedy.

### IN NORTHVILLE

Every Claim is Backed by Local Testimony.

If the reader wants stronger proof than the following statement and experience of a citizen here at home what can it be? Mrs. I. E. Vanatta, husband bookkeeper in the Dubuair Factory, and living at 66 Randolph St., says: "I most assuredly thank Doan's Kidney Pills a remedy of great merit. I was bothered for some time with a dull aching miserable feeling in my back which to say the least was very annoying. In some way Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my notice and thinking if they did not do me any good they would not do me any harm I procured a box at Murdock Bros' drug store and began the treatment. I will cheerfully say this, I derived more benefit from them than any other remedy I ever used."

Price 50 cents per box. Foster-McMuburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and make no other.

### Human Work in Porto Rico.

One of the natural results of the introduction of American authority in Porto Rico appears in an active movement for the prevention of cruelty to animals. In San Juan, Ponce and smaller communities the beating of horses has been vigorously discouraged, and the last men re enacted at the recent session of the legislative assembly was an act to prohibit cock fighting.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

### Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the council was held Monday night May 5th. Present: President Johnson, Trustees Kohler, Knapp, Stenley Harmon. Minutes of April 7-8 14 and 27 read and approved. Following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

Freight, mds and coal	\$ 50.84
Arson, fuel, material, etc.	19.25
Andrew Honk, street com.	4.50
Pittsburg Transformer Co.	10.00
Am. Car & Foundry Co.	5.50
Jas. Shaw, labor	7.50
Diamond Company	31.40
Martinez Construction Co.	3.57
T. S. Murdoch, health officer	35.50
A. S. Huff, night watch	9.00
Record Printery	21.65
Gibson Gas Fixture Works	35.45
E. A. Dunlap Co., lumber etc.	133.94
Electric Supply Co.	12.07
Republic Oil Co.	4.00
Carpenter & Huff Bros, Mds.	2.57
Northville Telephone Co. rent	6.60
Gen. Hoeking Fuel Co.	164.79
J. E. Marshall	19.81
M. S. Nichols, freight and express	5.49
T. E. Murdoch, freight express	5.49
and postage	4.53
Sam'l Wilkinson salary	58.66
Bert Wilkinson, salary	40.00
Am. Electric Co.	5.57
E. Van Valkenburg, care clock	20.00
J. W. Davis, labor	9.06
Jas. Cook, work	12.33
Chas. Elliott, dray	4.50
Gen. Electric Co.	20.00
Northville Telephone Co.	3.00
M. Whitehead labor	6.40
Ph. Co.	6.40
E. J. Cox & Co., Mds.	21.20
A. H. Kohler, Mds.	1.61
J. Supio, labor	1.75
Andrew Honk, labor	1.75
E. Vradenburg, labor	1.75
M. Moore, labor	1.75
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,000.00</b>

Following were ordered to build or repair walks: Mrs. M. Dingman, W. H. Yerkes, G. Peasall, F. White, E. J. Badner, Mrs. S. Palmer, H. Jackson, Bedford estate, C. L. Dubuair, G. Appel, M. E. Welling, A. C. Northrop, J. Cook, O. Lewis, C. Booth, C. Van Valkenburg, Mrs. H. F. Jackson, W. Nichols, A. L. Kendrick, F. O. Whipple, J. Vardock, Gillespie estate, C. A. Hutton, Globe Furniture Co.

Crosswalks were ordered across Yerkes st. on Paul ave., Mill st. on Wing, Wing on Dunlap, High on Dunlap, and by mill race on Park place.

On motion Jas. Clark allowed to tap water main on his farm, he paying entire cost.

On motion Supt. of water works instructed to place a painted post at each vent in the main above the reservoir.

On motion revising of water ordinance referred to water committee, and committee of slaughter house on London avenue to health committee.

In response to petition of property owners on Main street motion carried that walks hereafter built on Main street between a center and 56 Main be ten feet in width.

On motion bills of H. Pickle and Michigan Electric Co. were laid on the table for one week, and the question of water main between Dubuair and Randolph streets referred to water committee.

Council adjourned. T. E. MURDOCK, Clerk.

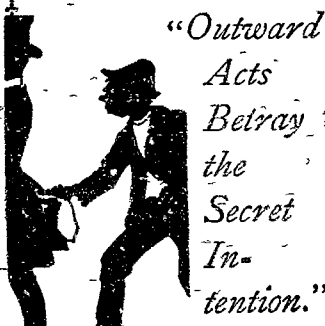
A special meeting of the village council was held Monday evening, May 12. Present: President Johnson, Trustees Perrin, Phillips, Kohler, Harmon, Knapp.

On motion the bills of Mich. Electric Co. for \$11.63 and Henry Pickle for \$24.40 were ordered paid.

On motion report of committee on water works recommending that rate for water be \$1.00 and water meter fee \$2.00, and that no rebates be granted for "freeze ups" unless the clerk is notified, was adopted.

Resolution adopted that grading required to bring walks to street grade shall be done by corporation, all other filling and removal of refuse and rubbish shall be paid for by the owner or contractor, the 30 per cent applying only to construction of walk proper.

Resolution adopted that all persons having walks recently completed or now in process of construction shall have rubbish removed by corporation. After this date all shall be graded by village ordinance, to be had by applying to village clerk. Council adjourned. T. E. MURDOCK, Clerk.



Placing an advertisement in a well circulated newspaper is an outward act that betrays an intention.

It indicates that the advertiser is bound to be at the head of the procession, that he is up to date.

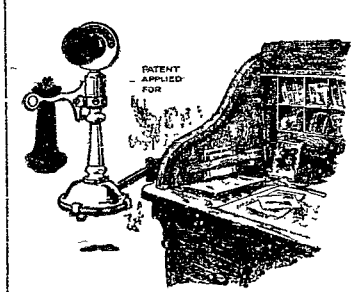
The merchant who has confidence in his goods and honestly and plainly states his case begets confidence in prospective buyers.

The place for such a statement is the advertising columns of the local newspaper. For this community these are the columns.

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Indispensable to all desk telephone users, saves its cost many times over, no lifting, no interference with looking desk or use of diavers, no handling or breaking of phone, no upsetting, these are some of the merits of

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