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## NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

### BILLS AIMED AT TRADING STAMP PEOPLE.

#### Also One to Make Druggists Liable Same as Saloonists.

Rep. DeLisle of Delray will ask the legislature to amend the garnishment law so as to prevent the issue of writs until after a judgment has been entered. Such a change would favor the impecunious wage-earner who gets soaked when he isn't expecting it, or before he is expecting, really.

Rep. Lane has introduced a bill which if passed would make druggists, who violate the liquor law, liable to the same penalties as a saloonist.

Rep. Jenks of Jackson has a bill to prohibit the sale or giving away of trading stamps.

A bill has been introduced to empower Wayne county's sinking fund commissioners to invest the fund in securities bearing a greater interest than two percent. This can be done, it is said, so that a saving to the county of 1 1/2 per cent will result.

The legislature has passed a bill relieving County Treasurer Buhner of all responsibility of the loss of any of the state funds caused by the failure of the City Savings bank of Detroit, where he had state money on deposit. Mr. Buhner deposited money in that bank by orders of the state treasurer and auditor general and therefore it was figured that he ought not to be held responsible for doing what he was told to do.

It is believed that the people of Michigan are imperatively demanding a change in the law as to the taxation of mortgages, as it is well known that the present law is evaded by some, while it results in double taxation and hardship to borrowers in many cases. Rep. N. O. Ward, who was one of the authors of the much talked of Lowry-Ward bill of the last session, which was vetoed by Gov. Bliss, has introduced three different measures. One is in line with the recommendation in Gov. Bliss' message, providing that mortgages shall be taxed as part of the realty upon which they are liens in cases where they represent the purchase price of the property. The bill has also been amended so as to meet the objections raised by the tax commission.

An important bill has been introduced in the senate by Senator Woodman of Paw Paw, and is intended to compel telephone companies to exchange messages at any place where switchboards are maintained.

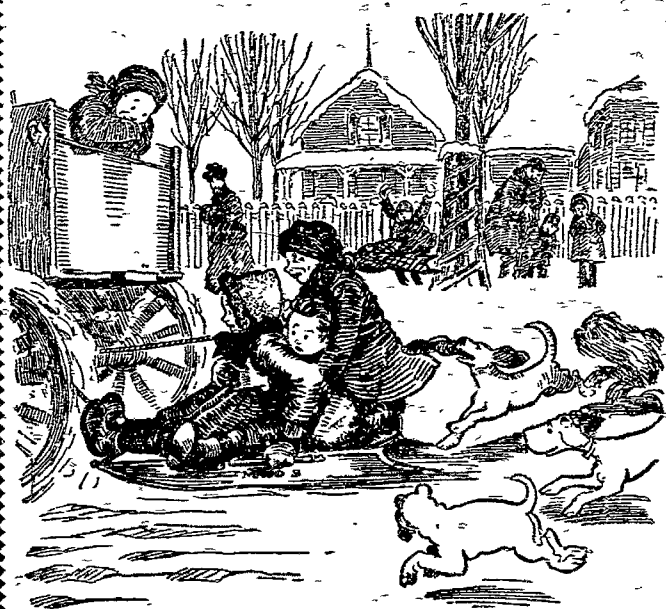
Several well known public accountants of this state are anxious that men of their profession shall pass public examinations and that they shall have the right to place after their names the title of P. A. C. A bill providing for a board of public accountancy has been introduced, providing the board shall consist of three members to be appointed by the governor, and the expenses to be paid from the fees charged for examinations. It is understood that the accountants expect eventually to bring about the establishment of a chair of public accountancy in the University of Michigan. The bill is not yet looked upon with much favor, and the majority of the legislators are believed to be opposed to creating any more grafts in the way of state boards.

### New Library Books.

New books put in circulation at the library last week are:  
The Valley of Decision  
The Mississippi Bubble  
The Blazed Trail  
The Queen of Barrymore Street  
The Madness of Philip  
Five Little Pipers Abroad  
In the Mikado's Service  
Cecilia  
Black Rock  
The Champion  
Under Colonial Colors  
The Four Feathers  
Janet Ward  
The Diary of a Goose Girl  
The Strenuous Life.

Try the new Bath Rooms at the Center street Barber shop next to postoffice. Open Sunday mornings from 9:00 to 12:00.

### A BOY IN WINTER TIME.



The trial trip of the Maud S.

—Chicago Record Herald.

## REAPER DEATH AGAIN BUSY

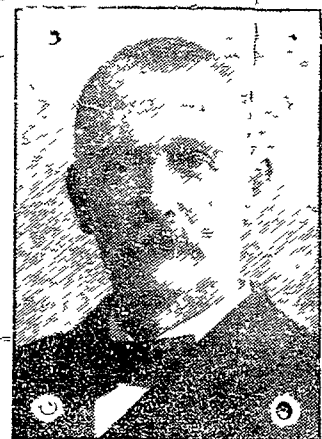
### THREE MORE NORTHVILLE CITIZENS CALLED HENCE

Dexter White, Edward Horton and Ephraim Simmons.

The last summons has come to three more of Northville's citizens, all of whom had been more or less identified with the life of this place for a long period of years, and all connected with well known families here.

#### EDWARD S. HORTON.

Edward S. Horton, whose critical illness was noted last week, died Tuesday forenoon at his home in this village. Mr. Horton was born in Warwick, Mass., September 2, 1844. He came to Michigan and to Northville in 1856 and had lived here most of the time since that date, the exceptions being two and a half years spent in learning the printers' trade in St. Johns and two years serving in the civil war. At eighteen he enlisted in Co. D, 5th Mich. cavalry, recruited by his uncle, Capt. E. K.



EDWARD HORTON.

Simmons, and served until crippled by his horse falling on him while fording the river at Brandywine Station, Va., as he was carrying dispatches in 1864. Mr. Horton was postmaster of Northville for twenty-three years, and served two terms as supervisor of Plymouth township before its division and was also township treasurer for three years. Mr. Horton before entering the army had learned the blacksmith trade, but could not follow that vocation afterward. He worked as clerk in a drug store for a time and later dealt considerably in real estate. A large number of the best residences in Northville were built by him. In 1868 he was married to Frances Dubuar, daughter of Rev. James Dubuar, for many years pastor of the Presbyterian church here. Four children were born to them, only one of whom, Ralph Horton of Detroit, is now living. Mr. Horton was a Mason of high rank, having risen from the first degree taken in Northville thirty-five years ago to

membership in the Mystic Shrine. He was a member of the Presbyterian church of this place. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon at the home, Mr. Jerome conducting the services, and the interment was in Rural Hill cemetery.

#### DEXTER WHITE.

Dexter White, after a lingering illness, died Friday night, January 30, at the age of 84 years and two months. He was born in New York state and was the son of Col. Samuel White of Rhode Island, who served in the war of 1812 receiving his commission direct from the governor. The family located in Oakland county in 1833, and Mr. White has passed the remaining seventy years of his life in this vicinity. He was first married to Julia A. Clark, who died in 1864. Three children of this marriage are living—Mrs. G. W. Newman of Philadelphia and Mrs. G. S. Van Zile and Perrine E. White of Northville. In 1875 Mr. White was married to Miss Fannie Yerkes, who survives him. The funeral services took place at the home Monday afternoon and were very largely attended. Rev. W. S. Jerome was the clergyman in charge and the burial was in Rural Hill cemetery.

#### EPHRAIM SIMMONS.

Ephraim F. Simmons, another old and respected resident of this village, died very suddenly Tuesday afternoon from an apoplectic stroke. He was found unconscious and expired almost immediately after his condition was discovered. Mr. Simmons was born at Bristol, N. Y., January 1, 1825, thus having just completed his seventy eighth year. He came to Michigan and to Wayne county when but four years of age, and has lived in Northville for thirty five years. In 1845 he was married to Behnda A. Brown, a sister of the late Almond Brown of Novi. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons were the parents of four children, three of whom—Alanson G. Simmons, Mrs. Frank S. Fry and Mrs. Jarvis Palmer—of this place are living. Mrs. Simmons survives her husband. Mr. Simmons was of a kindly nature, always thoughtful for the welfare and comfort of those around him. The funeral took place Thursday at the home, Rev. J. M. Shank conducting the service.

### OUR "HANK" REMEMBERED.

#### Gets Valuable Souvenirs from the White House.

From the flooring that was in the east room of the White house for over a hundred years, and was removed during the reconstruction of the mansion last fall, the Woman's National Industrial league has had carved a cane which the association's officers in Washington will give to Representative Henry C. Smith of this district as a testimonial of his unvarying courtesy to them during his four years in congress, while they were urging various of their legislative measures. The league has also had carved from the same material some old-style wooden dishes for Mrs. Smith.

### VERY SUCCESSFUL

#### Meeting of Wayne County Teachers Here Saturday.

As predicted, the meeting of the Wayne county teachers here last Saturday was one of the most successful in the history of that organization. Over a hundred and fifty teachers were in attendance, and the interest and enthusiasm were unbroken throughout the entire session. The hit of the afternoon seemed to be Mrs. Kern's primary reading class exercise, which won extremely favorable comment both for the system illustrated and for her unqualified success in applying it. The discussion following the exercise was very interesting, and all the teachers as well as some of the parents seemed to be unanimous in the endorsement of the method. The arithmetic discussion on the excellent paper given by Supt. Gee of Wayne was ably opened by Miss Sanford, and many instructive points were brought out. An exhaustive paper by P. B. Whitbeck of the Plymouth school board on the relation between parents and teachers was briefly discussed by C. C. Chadwick just before the afternoon adjournment. The banquet and toasts were very satisfying and satisfactory between the afternoon and evening meetings. In the evening a large audience was present to hear Prof. F. N. Ferris' lecture on "The Building of a Man," and to say that the people were delighted but fairly express their appreciation of the success of the meeting. The success is conducted by hiring sufficient and competent help, but not at excessive expense, as is so frequently the case among dairymen. Instructor John Michaels spoke on the adoption of a butter scoring contest as beneficial to the consumers, because such contest makes it an object to secure better butter. To start such a contest the college will give \$150 to secure a competent judge, whose business it will be to not only decide the winner, but to point out the defects in all butters which come under his observation.

### POSSIBLE REPUBLICAN LEADERS

#### From Detroit News Correspondent's Point of View.

There does not seem to be any leader of the republicans in the house. Of course Representative Wade of Allegan is considered a sort of leader but it seems to be the general opinion that, while he is a genial and capable man, enjoying exceptionally friendly relations with Speaker Carton, he has not such commanding presence and magnetic personality for leadership that characterized Representatives McCallum, Goodrich and others at the last session. Some look to Representative J. S. Monroe of Gogebic while others suggest either Representative Byrns of Isabella or Representative John J. McCarthy of St. Joseph to come forward "with the goods" in an emergency. Representative Neal of Wayne chairman of the ways and means committee, is picked by some for leadership honors. Representative Simmons of Mason is the recognized leader of the democratic minority.

At the request of Speaker Carton Rep. Neal will go on the tip of the committees to the upper peninsula institutions, as chairman of the ways and means committee having charge of appropriation bills. Neal and Chapman exchange places on rules and geological survey committees, the former being now on the geological survey. Chairman Ashley is the only original member left of the geological survey committee—Evening News.

### Cards of Thanks.

I wish to extend sincere thanks for all the kindness and assistance received during the sickness and death of Mrs. Pinkerton. Mrs. CLAPP.

We wish to extend sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for all their kindness during our bereavement and for the beautiful flowers. Mrs. HIRSH, MRS. CHARLES KINGSLEY, MISS FLORENCE ROGERS.

### Hard Wood for Sale.

A lot of hard wood—beech and maple—for sale in three cord lots. Cash on delivery. \$2 per cord. Leave orders at Record office or phone residence. 23rd W. H. YERKES, Northville.

## What to Eat?

is a question that puzzles every housekeeper. What you eat is none of our business.

### Our Business is to Furnish You What You Eat.

If, in Eating, You Eat Goods  
Selected from Our Stock  
Your Eating

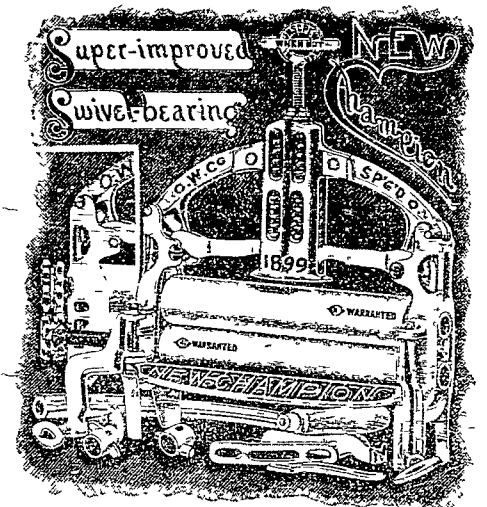
### The Best of the Market.

Yours to Sell You what  
you eat

## H. PURDY

E. MICHIGAN.

## Buy the Great 1899



For Sale by

## Carpenter & Huff Bros.

NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

## ROLLED OATS

Beck's Rolled Oats, per lb. .... 4c

### SOUPS

You will not be in the soup very bad if you use  
Campbell's assorted, per can ..... 10c  
Campbell's Salad Dressing is all right too, bottle.. 15c

### BREAKFAST

I do not know of anything better for a quick  
breakfast than Henkel's Buckwheat Flour—all ready  
to mix.

We also have plenty of the Daisy Buckwheat.

B. A. WHEELER,  
NORTHVILLE, MICH.

TELEPHONE.

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## BUTTER SCORING CONTEST.

Diplomas to be Given, Also a Medal From the Governor.

Agricultural College, Mich., Feb. 5.—The second day of the Dairywomen's convention opened Wednesday morning with a speech by H. G. Greer of Detroit, on the possibility of curing a genuine Michigan cheese at a low temperature. Although it was a difficult matter, still, it had been done. He, however, recommended to bring about a better method by using the desired effect.

Following Mr. Greer came an interesting paper on "Testing milk for bacteria" by Governor Bliss was in attendance at the afternoon session and occupied a seat on the platform among the speakers. Instructed by the committee, he gave a report of the committee having the butter scoring contest in hand. The contest will be held every six months in both creamery and dairy butter, and diplomas will be presented to makers receiving first and second decisions.

Governor Bliss made a few remarks relative to the butter scoring contest, and offered to present a gold medal to the winner of each branch of the industry.

Dr. Marshall of the department of bacteriology and hygiene of the college gave a discussion on "Dairy sanitation."

Hon. E. N. Bates of Monroe then spoke on the benefits to be gained by the dairymen through a system of state inspection.

## STALLED AT ST. IGNACE.

**Fish Committee Had Trouble—Other Junkies at Houghton.**

St Ignace, Mich., Feb. 5.—The fish committee were stalled all day Wednesday, at Mackinaw City by the storm which veterans there claim was the worst experienced for twenty years. At 5 o'clock in the afternoon the clouds broke away and the wind died down so that the start across the straits was begun at 6. The party could not here last night leaving for the St Ignace morning. The plan to join the main party of the junkies has been sadly increased with, and it will be impossible to meet them at St Ignace. The party reached it at 10 a. m.

At 10 a. m. Feb. 5.—After a lay spent waiting the copper rails and college of junkies the junkies enjoyed the entire afternoon of the people of Houghton last evening. The program included a banquet at the Douglas and a hockey game between Detroit and Portage Lake. The party leaves today for Ishpeming.

**Atwood on Grade Crossings.**

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 5.—Railroad Commissioner Atwood, while endorsing the policy of his predecessor relative to grade crossings of steam and electric tracks, believes no rigid rule can be applied, but that each case should be determined on its merits. In other words, he says, he sees no reason for refusing to permit a grade crossing where an overhead crossing is absolutely impracticable. For this reason he has decided to permit a grade crossing of the Pere Marquette by the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon in Grand Haven. A personal inspection of the situation convinced him that an overhead crossing was a practical impossibility.

**Roadbed Swallowed Up.**

Casnovia, Mich., Feb. 5.—A freak of nature that is attracting considerable notice and comment in this vicinity has occurred two miles south and two miles west of this place, on the line between Casnovia and Chester townships. About a year ago the roadbed of the highway began settling. It was first planned, and recently, in order to make it passable, about 100 logs were drawn and placed in the gap and covered with from 300 to 400 yards of dirt. Now the whole bed for about 100 feet, plank, logs and all, has completely disappeared, and at least twenty feet of water occupies the place of the original roadbed.

**Canada Growing More Apples.**

Canada's shipments of apples this year are over three times what they were last year and about double what they were in 1900.

## HAVING A GOOD TIME

## BATTLE CREEK CITIZENS TAKE EDITORS TO THE SHOW.

## SPICY PAPERS READ AT THE BUSINESS MEETING.

## EDITOR KNOX'S PAPER BRINGS FORTH A DISCUSSION.

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 5.—The biggest bunch of free tickets that ever passed the door of the Post theater at a single performance went through last night when over 200 Michigan editors marched in to see the presentation of "The Burgomaster," but all were paid for by local industries and business houses.

This enjoyment followed a business session, presided over by B. J. Lowrey of the Howard City Record, president of the association. Willis J. Abbott, president of the Battle Creek Press club, and editor of the Pilgrim magazine, gave the opening address, and Hon. Perry F. Powers of the Cadillac News and Express, responded in a characteristic speech, in which he declared that Battle Creek figures more in the newspapers than any little city in the United States.

The first paper read, "An Eccentric Experience," by George H. Mitchell of the Birmingham Eclectic, was a comical relation of the founding and career of that paper. The paper was received with appreciative interest by the editors, who knew well the reading between the lines.

W. F. Knox of the Sault Ste. Marie Journal, read a fine paper on circulation, which was discussed by Byron Holt of the Bellevue Gazette, Editor Greening of Monroe, Editor Davison of the Lowell Journal, J. H. Newell of the Coldwater Reporter, F. N. Green of the Oliver Optic, and R. M. Andrews of the Eclectic.

Frank L. Gibson, editor of the Benton Harbor Blade, spoke on "Rules for running a newspaper," in which he advocated the abolition of advertising card for advertising, and also a fixed rate for advertising.

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## AN ELECTRICAL LADDER.

How Mr. A. G. Whitney Will Tap Interplanetary Space.

Jules Verne's fanciful tale of a trip into interplanetary space seems about to be accomplished in fact—that is, if the dazzling scheme of Albert Gallatin Whitney, the inventor, proves successful. Mr. Whitney proposes to throw up a metallic cable until it reaches the region of free electricity and thence draw the electricity down to the earth. The manner of projecting the cable into space is the one point about his



ALBERT GALLATIN WHITNEY.

plans which Mr. Whitney refuses to explain. He says the apparatus is not yet fully protected by patents.

A tract of seven acres of land has been purchased in Chicago, and the initial plant will be built there. The plans of the plant provide for a distribution of 140,000 horsepower. The plant will be merely a storehouse and distributing center for electricity. Extending into space out of the roof of this building will be a copper cable three-fourths of an inch in diameter and 125 miles long. There it will be fastened to a spherical generator. Above this generator will be a steel cable of two strands of wire extending 102 miles still farther into space.

Above this will be more generators, and then comes a cable of aluminum wire forty-eight miles long, to which will be attached a silver ball. The end of the ladder, or "electric ladder," is not yet ready.

Dr. Samuel Willard, a veritable school teacher in Chicago, though now in his eighty-first year, is about to start on a trip to the Mediterranean, expecting to "do Greece especially in a very thorough and satisfactory manner."

**Croup.**

The peculiar cough which indicates croup is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Dr. Phipps' Cough Remedy.

**How Henry Phipps' Cough Remedy Suffering Humanity.**

Henry Phipps, the multimillionaire and ex-director of the United States Steel corporation, who has just made public his intention to build, equip and endow a hospital in Philadelphia for the isolation and treatment of consumptives in an advanced stage of the disease, fought his way to fortune alongside Andrew Carnegie.

The Henry Phipps Institute for the Study, Treatment and Prevention of Tuberculosis will be the title of the institution, and the task of establishing it has been placed in the hands of Dr. Lawrence T. Flick, the great tuberculosis expert of Philadelphia. It is estimated that Mr. Phipps' gift to humanity will entail an expenditure of over \$1,000,000.

The institute is to be modeled on the lines of the Pasteur institute in Paris, but of course it will deal exclusively with tuberculosis while the Pasteur

**Truck Gardening on Big Scale.**

Niles, Mich., Feb. 5.—Thomas H. Fitzgerald, representing a syndicate of Chicago capitalists, is securing options on thousands of acres of marsh land on Howard township, Cass county. Much of this land has about Barren lake, four miles east of Niles. It is the intention of the prospective buyers to locate about a thousand foreigners on the land to raise garden truck for the Chicago market.

**Money For Blind School.**

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 5.—The legislature will be asked to appropriate \$15,000 for a new building at the school for the blind, for the purpose of supplying storage room, kitchen, dining room and auditorium, the building to be three stories high. Plans have already been prepared.

**Ex-Land Com. French Ill.**

Saginaw, Mich., Feb. 5.—Hon. W. A. French, ex-land commissioner, of Dundee, came here last Thursday and on Friday was taken ill and removed to St. Mary's hospital. He is suffering from some growth in the abdomen.



HENRY PHIPPS.

Institute is for contagious diseases generally. The Phipps institute will consist of pavilions with a capacity for 100 beds for the treatment of advanced cases, which will furnish clinical material for the study of the disease and its treatment.

There will also be a dispensary for the treatment of walking cases of tuberculosis, and, besides this, the institute will give assistance to the consumptive poor of Philadelphia. Its staff physicians will treat them in their homes.

Mr. Phipps is a native of Philadelphia, and his father was a poor workman. Today Mr. Phipps is worth a hundred millions—at least that is what he is reputed to have received on the organization of the steel trust. Among financiers it is held that his brain, and not Andrew Carnegie's, built the vast Carnegie Steel company, which became the trust.

He has a house in New York and a castle in Scotland—Beaufort castle, it is called. Mr. Phipps is sixty-three years old.

## The Great Coal Hunger

Fast Extent of the Unprecedented Fuel Famine—Some of the Tragical and Humorous Results.

FOR the first time in history, the people of the United States are experiencing the discomforts and perils of a fuel famine. Until this winter there never has been a time when the supply of coal or other fuel was less than the demand. The condition that at present confronts almost the entire country is a new experience in this land of plenty.

This reason, however, the citizens of the vast extent of country east of the Rocky mountains and north of Mason and Dixon's line have found themselves facing a situation that, to say the least, is grave and may readily become appalling. In the midst of the rigors of an unusually severe winter the supply of fuel has been woefully inadequate. The coal mined one-day appears to be swallowed up on the next, and there is no reserve stock on which to draw, as in former years.

Forty years or so ago, outside of the large centers of population, wood was the common fuel. It is only in comparatively recent times that coal has come into general use in rural communities. Now, however, due no doubt in a great measure to the rapidly decreasing forests, wood has been replaced by coal as a fuel. So today the shortage of coal is so widely felt as to be little short of a national calamity.

From all sections comes the same story. There is little coal to be had at any price. In some places mills have had to suspend operations for lack of fuel, schools have been closed and heads of families have shut up their houses and taken to hotels and boarding houses. Several communities have been so pressed for fuel that the shutting down of the waterworks and lighting plants has been threatened. Happily these extremes in the coal famine have not yet been reached. In some localities the people have taken the matter into their own hands.

resolutions to the effect that the health of the city was endangered by the inability of the people to get fuel, and the mayor was appealed to. Citizens were promised protection and a road was made on the Illinois Central yards, where there were twenty cars of coal. Half of this was confiscated.

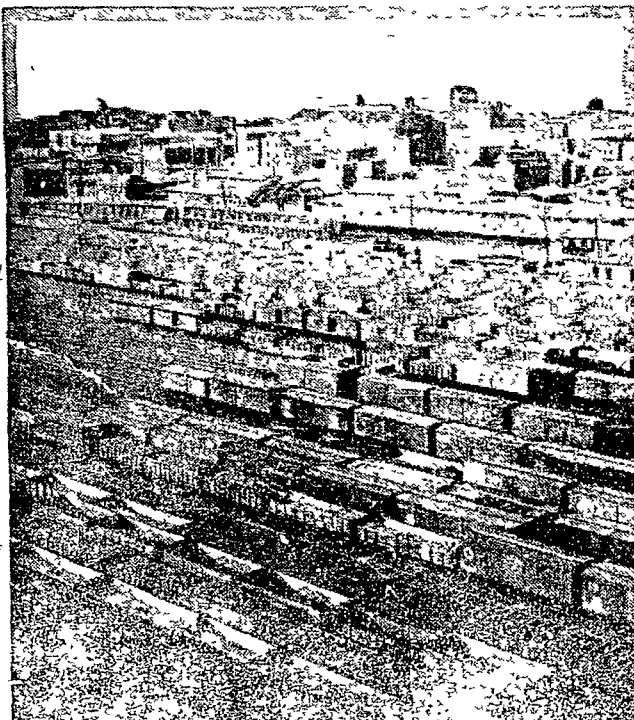
Bankers, lawyers and business men joined in the raid. All coal taken was paid for, and the money was given to the railroad company. At Chatham, N. Y., the same thing happened. The people, despairing of getting coal, raided a train that was sidetracked and helped themselves. As in the other instances, the leading citizens took part, and the coal was weighed and paid for.

In Nebraska coal is so scarce that the farmers have been compelled to burn corn. At first they started burning fence posts and loose timbers, but now they have nothing left to burn but corn, and this they have been feeding to the flames regardless of the fact that it is worth 35 cents a bushel. At one time the street railway of Omaha was only an hour ahead of its coal supply. Corn is also being used as fuel in central Illinois by the farmers.

Even in Pennsylvania the coal famine has reached such an acute stage that many industries in the smaller towns have shut down. In the country districts the distress is so great that farmers travel thirty to forty miles to the coal districts with their teams to supply pressing needs.

In the big cities conditions are but little better. Much suffering has resulted to the poor. In the great centers the coal is doled out by the pallid, and every effort of the municipal authorities, charitable societies and individual philanthropists has been bent to furnish supplies to this class.

Acute as the situation is, it does not lack its humorous features. Some of the retail dealers have been able to secure supplies, while others have not.



COAL TRAINS IN FREIGHT YARD OF A GREAT RAILROAD.

Thousands of coal have been confiscated and their contents distributed to the householders, the wagon populace turning out to assist in the distribution. In every instance, however, the coal has been weighed and payment tendered to the railroads that were transporting the coal.

Some notable cases of seizures of coal were those at Arcola, Ill., Chatham, N. Y., and Tuscola, Ill. At Arcola an Illinois Central train containing sixteen cars of coal was compelled to stop on account of a breakdown in the engine. Practically half the persons in Arcola were out of fuel, and several of the business houses had been compelled to close on account of being unable to heat their stores. For days several of the prominent business men had been agitating the question of stopping a train and seizing the coal. The plan met the approval of many, and it had been decided to flag a train and confiscate the fuel.

When the train stopped for repairs the news at once spread. One of the leading business men in behalf of the citizens went to the local agent of the railroad and offered to pay for the coal and also the freight, but his offer was refused, whereupon the whole sixteen carsloads were declared confiscated. Among those active in the confiscation were ministers, bankers, policemen and nearly all the prominent business men.

The raid was well organized, and as far as possible the coal was distributed in lots of one ton each. A member of the staff of the late Governor Tanner was chosen grand marshal of the day. He helped keep the crowd from doing violence and endeavored to keep the wagons in line so as to await their turn, but the drivers were eager for action, and this part of the programme was very difficult. A weigher was appointed, and all loads were accounted for. In the hope of bringing about a satisfactory settlement, the entire town united in the movement.

At Tuscola, Ill., the same procedure was taken. The board of health passed

been so fortunate. Here is where the fun comes in. The dealer with coal usually refuses to sell to any but his regular customers. These happy ones sometimes take pity on their less fortunate neighbors. So that it has become a not uncommon sight when the shades of night have fallen to see a well-to-do citizen equipped with a wheelbarrow and trundling a day's supply of fuel from his neighbor's bin to his own bare cellar.

Even the law has been invoked against the dealers. The retail dealers in many cities have felt themselves justified in discriminating in favor of regular customers. That is to say, in the case of applicants who have not been regular customers the dealers either refuse to supply at all or exact higher prices. The victims of such discrimination consider themselves wronged, and some of them have determined to raise the question in the courts.

Of course there is a mystery about the coal famine. Everybody knows that the supply is short because of the long strike of the miners. However, knowing about it has not lessened the inconvenience and distress that the lack of fuel has entailed on the country. Both rich and poor have felt the pinch. The poor of course have had the hardest time. It is difficult enough for them to keep warm when coal is plenty. Under existing conditions many would doubtless have perished but for the efforts that have been made in their behalf.

The most discouraging feature of the situation is that there seems to be little prospect of relief until the advent of spring brings warm weather. The miners seem to be doing their best, but appear unable to produce more than is needed for daily consumption. For the remainder of the winter the coal question will probably be a hand to mouth affair, and the man who has more than a week's supply in his bin will be regarded as one of fortune's favorites.

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## Antiquity of the Fan.

The antiquity of the fan in the East, particularly in Asia, extends far back beyond the possibility of ascertaining its date. In China and India the original model of the fan was the wing of a bird, and at one time was part of the emblems of imperial authority.

## The Newest Extravagance.

A young American lady recently caused a sensation by appearing at a fashionable dance in shoes worth nearly \$5,000. The fronts were a blazing mass of rare diamonds, which gave the wearer a Cinderella-like charm as she moved beneath the electric lamps.

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## Profits of Fishing.

Several of the Scotch fleet fishing out of Yarmouth made extraordinary deliveries at the wharf on a recent Saturday as the result of only one night's work. One boat's catch realized \$775, the boat having earned a total of \$1,500 in the week, and another \$725.

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American Machinery in Germany. An American firm is putting in a system of electrical fire alarm apparatus for the city of Hanover, and has under negotiations contracts for installation in other German cities.

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# TO SEE INSTITUTIONS.

Legislature Will Adjourn in Order to Give Solons the Opportunity.

WILL RECONVENE ON FEB. 10

Then the Lawmakers Are Expected to Get Down to Business—Expenditures To Be Kept Down.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 27.—On Friday of this week the legislature will adjourn until Tuesday, Feb. 10. This is for the purpose of enabling the committees to visit the several state institutions. It was hoped to start on these journeys one week earlier, but the necessary arrangements could not be made. With this junketing out of the way the sessions will get down to business in earnest.

Thus far, of course, no general legislation has even been considered, although plenty of bills of a general nature have been introduced. About the usual number of local bills are being

put through the mill, notwithstanding the determination at the outset to cut out the "suspension of rules" business to a large extent, passing bills under such suspension only in extreme cases. So many members, however, have bills of this nature which they desire to get through at once that the "scratch my back and I'll scratch yours" program has served to pretty nearly dispose of this deter-

## To Keep Down Expenditures.

The people of the state have cause for congratulation in the fact that the present legislature appears to be constructed along economical lines. Already it has given evidence of a desire to keep expenditures down generally, having plugged up several little leaks and given evidence of a desire to push the good thing along.

One of the legislators who will have much to do with the matter of expenditures is Representative F. S.



Neal of Wayne, chairman of the house committee on ways and means, to which all appropriation bills will be referred. Representative Neal has had a training which ought to stand him in good stead in the important work he will have to perform this winter, having two years ago been a member of the committee of which he is now the head. His experience last session put him into a number of things it is important for the chairman of this committee to know, and gave him a very thorough knowledge of the needs of the various state institutions and the details which the state is annually called upon to meet. His friends have no doubt that he will prove equal to the occasion.

## Protests Went Unheeded.

One day last week a couple of the Wayne county members did make an emphatic protest against the suspension of rules for the passage of a local bill asked for by a member from the western part of the state, but when it was recalled that the objectors were the beneficiaries of the suspension on the previous day, their protests went unheeded. This simply goes to show that the only way to get rid of this burden is to amend the constitution so that a large majority of the local propositions can be taken care of at home and thus kept out of the legislature altogether.

The committee appointed by Commander Anthony of the Michigan G. A. R. to look after legislation providing for the publication by the state of the records of the Michigan soldiers and sailors in the war of the rebellion and Spanish-American contest met here several days ago and drafted a bill making an appropriation of \$20,000 for this purpose. This committee consisted of ex-Congressman Alfred Milnes of Coldwater, ex-Representative Foote of Kalamazoo and Col. Frederick Schneider of Lansing. The records have all been compiled under the direction of the adjutant and are now on cards in his office. This work has been done during the past ten years in accordance with laws enacted by successive legislatures. It is now proposed to publish these records as a sort of monument to the heroes of the state, so that those still living may have these records to preserve in substantial form and the families of the dead may have them to preserve as legacies of great worth.

"Michigan in the War," which was published a number of years ago, contains the records of the commissioned officers only, but the contemplated volume will include the record of every

Law Against Vivisection. Massachusetts has the first law in the world prohibiting vivisection in the schools.

citizen of Michigan who serves in either war, however humble may have been his station. There is small probability that the present legislature will provide for the \$250,000 soldiers' monument that has been recommended by the state commission, but the veterans see in the volume proposed a monument but little, if any, less prized, and they are unanimous in their request that the bill be passed, and it doubtless will be.

## State Game and Fish Warden.

During the past few weeks there has been considerable discussion as to the succession in the office of state game and fish warden, the alleged situation being that the governor is bound under a promise made some time ago to appoint a gentleman whom a majority of the senators say could not be confirmed, whereas his personal preference is for a fellow townsman who could be confirmed. Now the law governing this office, unlike that which applies to most of the other important appointive offices, does not provide that the senate shall confirm the appointment. This leaves the governor free to make an appointment independent of the senate. This situation has indeed Senator Bangham to introduce a bill providing that all appointments to office by the governor shall be by and with the advice and consent of the senate.

## Punishment for Anarchists.

If a bill introduced by Senator Brown becomes a law Michigan will be in position to mete out proper punishment to such anarchists as may undertake to stir up trouble within its borders. The bill defines criminal anarchy as "the doctrine that organized government should be overthrown by force or violence or by assassination of the executive head or of any of the executive officials of the government, or by any unlawful means." The penalty provided in the bill also runs against any person who shall by word of mouth advocate, advise or teach such a doctrine, or who shall print, publish or knowingly circulate or publicly display any book, paper, document or written or printed matter in any form which promulgates this doctrine. The penalty fixed for violation of any of these provisions is a fine of not to exceed \$5,000 or imprisonment for not to exceed 10 years, or both. The bill goes even further than this and provides a fine of \$2,000 or imprisonment for two years, or both, for the owner, janitor, agent, caretaker or occupant of any building or room, who purposely permits such room to be used for gatherings of persons to discuss or promulgate the prohibited doctrines. The major penalty is also to be visited upon any two or more persons who assemble for the purpose of advocating these doctrines.

## Assessment of Railway Properties.

One of the most important items of work in the history of the state was completed last Thursday when the state board of assessors attached their signatures to the perfect roll covering the assessment of the railroad properties of Michigan. The result of the board's deliberations previous to the review provided by law fixed the valuation of these properties at \$208,212,500. Under the law the companies had 30 days in which to be heard and deny every item appearing in the state representative's valuation to Lansing to submit its side of the case to the assessors. Without exception these representatives insisted that the assessments were too high. The hearing ended on the 15th inst. and though the assessors had until the end of the month in which to complete the rolls, they wound up the business as indicated.

## Total Valuation Reduced.

They reduced the total valuation as at first determined by \$9,522,000, thus leaving the amount on which the companies will be required to pay the average rate of taxation in the state at \$198,690,500. To this amount about \$2,000,000 will be added as the assessment of car loaning companies, thus making the assessment of both classes of companies about \$200,000,000. The average rate of taxation as determined by the assessors is \$13.75 per \$1,000 of valuation. The railroads will, therefore, pay nearly twice as much in taxes as they paid last year.

The farmers of the state will be interested in a bill that is fathered by Senator Glasgow. It seeks to do away with the practice of a few of the farmers' mutual fire companies of the state which fail to levy an assessment sufficient to cover all their indebtedness, but seek to make assessments low by not providing for the payment of all that is owing. The bill in question requires this class of companies to levy assessments sufficient to cover all liabilities owing at the time each assessment is made.

## How Some Legislators Figure.

Too many legislators lose sight of the fact that there are continuing appropriations which must be provided each year, and take into consideration only those which the legislature of which they happen to be members is asked to make. They figure that if the latter are kept within apparent reason the burden upon the taxpayers will not be very heavy, never once stopping to think that to this aggregate must be added the standing appropriations provided for in laws enacted in previous years. These latter include appropriations for the current expenses of prisons in excess of earnings, and of asylums, the mill tax for the support of the university and agricultural college, the per capita tax for the support of the national guard and naval militia, etc. Governor Bliss said this matter before the legislators very vividly in his last message and it is expected that appropriations will be made this year in the light of what was already appropriated before the present legislature convened.

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# DAIRYMEN AT THE M. A. C.

STATE ASSOCIATION IN 19TH ANNUAL CONVENTION.

HON. P. C. GOODRICH DISCUSSES MANUFACTURE OF BUTTER.

CONTEST OF BUTTER SCORING PROPOSED AND DISCUSSED.

—Agricultural College, Mich., Feb. 4.

The nineteenth annual convention of the Michigan Dairymen's association opened Tuesday morning in the chapel with an address by President Snyder.

The attendance was very good and marked interest was shown in the discussions, especially the address by Hon. C. P. Goodrich of Fort Atkinson, Wis., who spoke on the manufacture of dairy products from a business standpoint. He endeavored to impress the fact that a creamery should be carried on in a manner similar to any other business, and rather than raise the price of butter be thought it best to reduce the cost of production by improving the herd.

In response to the president's address, J. Lendell of Saginaw spoke for the dairymen. Then Hon. F. M. Warner of Farmington, president of the association, formally opened the meeting and called for reports from the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. Wilson of Flint.

The afternoon session opened with an increased attendance. J. A. Smith of Manchester, in his address, showed how the success of a creamery depends upon the observance of certain mutual responsibilities by the butter maker and the patrons. Following this F. T. Hadley of Hadley spoke on successful co-operative dairymen. Mr. Hadley would make dairymen successful by establishing milk routes independent of the creamery and have patrons hire their own collector. Further, to conduct it as any other business is conducted by being sufficient and competent help, but not at excessive expense, as is so frequently the case among dairymen.

Instructor John Michaels spoke on the adoption of a butter scoring contest as beneficial to the consumers, because such contest makes it an object to secure better butter. To start such a contest the college will give \$150 to secure a competent judge, whose business it will be to not only decide the winner, but to point out the defects in all butters which come under his observation.

## Michigan Patents.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Michigan patents allowed Tuesday: Walter Austin, Grand Rapids rotary pump or motor; Glenn T. Barrett, Grand Rapids typewriter cabinet; Alanson P. Brush, Detroit steam gear for automobiles; Clinton D. Canover, Battle Creek casting and articles made thereby; Carl H. Engleberg and J. Erickson, St. Joseph, electric hydraulic valve; James S. Fox, Jackson, trolley system for electric railways also railway rail; Franklin D. Holder, Lansing notary masher; Joseph W. Hemmel, Detroit, package for storing and shipping; Hugh E. Kenny, Detroit, metal seat or strip; Henry V. King, Adrian mail box for mail free delivery; John King, Detroit brake mechanism; Remshalt, F. Kunze, Detroit, hose or pipe mend; Harry Morganshaw, Detroit, gas engine lubricator; Victor T. Payne, Battle Creek clutch; Avery A. Smith, Lansing, crane.

## A Perilous Adventure.

Menominee, Mich., Feb. 4.—Homer Williams and his son Charles, with four other fishermen whose names are unknown, narrowly escaped being carried out on the ice on Green bay, through Death's Door into Lake Michigan. The men were tending nets in the bay and failed to notice that the field of ice had broken away and was carrying them out into the bay. They broke off a large cake of ice and one of them paddled across the water, after which the cake was drawn back by a rope and the rest crossed one at a time.

## State Y. M. C. A. Convention.

Pontiac, Mich., Feb. 4.—The thirty-first annual state convention of the Michigan Young Men's Christian association will be held at Pontiac Feb. 12-15. Delegates upon arrival will report at once to the association rooms where the opening session will be held at 2-30 p. m. Thursday. This will be followed by an informal reception to the delegates, given by the ladies' auxiliary.

## Barkworth Succeeds Whiting.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 4.—Thomas E. Barkworth of Jackson is the new chairman of the Democratic state central committee to succeed the late Justin R. Whiting. The committee met last night at the Hotel Normandie after returning from the funeral of its late chief. The choice for chairman fell unanimously upon Barkworth.

## Railroad Man Fatally Injured.

Jackson, Mich., Feb. 4.—Merton Heberling received fatal injuries while switching in the Michigan Central yards early Tuesday morning. He was taken to the hospital, but died on the way. Heberling formerly lived in Detroit and was 28 years of age. His wife, a daughter of Lake Shore Conductor L. L. Fitch, survives him.

## Record In Divorce Suits.

Flint, Mich., Feb. 4.—County Clerk Allen has just finished his report of the divorce cases in Genesee county during 1902 for the attorney-general. There were pending on Jan. 1 of last year 210 divorce cases, and the number filed during the year was 75, and one was refused, 25 being withdrawn or otherwise disposed of.

A True Observation. Samuel W. Pennypacker, governor of Pennsylvania, has a valuable library, in some respects the most curious in the world. Among its treasures is Jefferson Davis' copy of the constitution of the United States, with the confederate leader's autograph on the fly leaf: "Jeff. Davis." Underneath Judge Pennypacker has written: "His book. And little good did it do him."

## A Valuable Find.

Two years ago the German colonial society offered a prize for the finding of a plant in the German colonies furnishing gutta-percha suitable for cable purposes. A telegram from German New Guinea says that gutta-percha, as well as rubber, has been found in large quantities.

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## Pat's Argument.

Marshall P. Wilder tells of a certain Irishman, famed for hard drinking, who was asked why he did not take just one drink each day and let it go at that. "Shure," answered Pat, "what good would one be? A bird can't fly with one wing."

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## Cheap Hotels in Paris.

In the center of Paris there have been recently built several large "hotels" in which homeless men may, for four cents, get a plate of hot soup and an all night seat on a bench. They are so crowded that no one can lie down.

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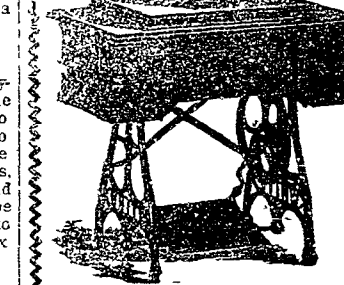
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## Memorial to Thomas Huxley.

An artistic memorial tablet to Thomas Huxley was unveiled in the public library at Ealing his birthplace, a few days ago. The tablet contains only his name dates of birth and death, and one of his best epigrams: "Try to learn something about everything and everything about something."

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## NORTHVILLE.

### Purely Personal.

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

Mrs. Nettie Skinner visited friends  
at Wixom last week.

E. H. Harmon of Milford was a  
Northville caller Sunday.

Mrs. F. Carrothers spent three  
days in Detroit last week.

Miss Anna Madison of Wixom visited  
friends in town Saturday.

J. D. Hazen and wife of Novi were  
Northville callers Saturday.

Mrs. Gertrude Row has returned  
to Northville from Lansing.

Miss Millie Hitchcock of Milan is  
the guest of Mrs. E. C. Hinkley.

Mrs. L. C. Perrigo of Detroit was a  
Northville visitor last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shannon of Wixom  
visited Northville friends last week.

Miss Evalina Moore has been visiting  
her sister Mrs. Seeley near Novi.

Paul Dubuar is home from Lansing  
this week during the legislative recess.

Miss Sadie Francis and Mrs. C. W.  
Botsford of Farmington were in  
town Tuesday.

Mrs. B. G. Filkins visited her husband  
at the Detroit fish commission  
station last Friday.

Misses Maude Edwards and Lulu  
Grace of Farmington attended church  
here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Putnam and son Grant  
of Novi visited her daughter Mrs. J.  
C. Dunham Saturday.

W. H. Yerkes attended the banquet  
given Tuesday night by the Presby-  
terian society at Milford.

Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Stringer o  
Livonia Center have been recent  
visitors in and near Northville.

Misses Marquita and Alice Wal-  
line attended the funeral of Prof.  
Austin George at Ypsilanti last week.

Miss Mabel Clarkson was home  
over Sunday from her work at  
Guthess Business college in Detroit.

Mrs. Susan Goyton and Mrs. Peter  
Coldren attended the funeral of  
Walter Ryder at Salem last week.

Mrs. Guthess of Guthess college,  
Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. B. J.  
Cox Tuesday evening and Wednes-  
day.

Mrs. Neal is representing the Record  
at the annual meeting of the Michigan  
Press association at Battle Creek this  
week.

C. A. McCullough and wife of St.  
Clair have been visiting the former's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCul-  
lough, the past week.

Misses Louise Joslin, Vera Lar-  
rence, Leta Richardson and Genevieve  
Clark attended the matinee of "A  
Chinese Honeymoon" in Detroit  
Saturday afternoon.

Miss Maude Hudson of the Delray  
schools, daughter of a former North-  
ville pastor, was the guest of Miss  
Olivia Shepard Saturday and attend-  
ed part of the Teachers' association  
meeting.

Rep. W. S. Jerome went to Milford  
Tuesday where he acted as toast-  
master at the banquet given by the  
Presbyterian society of that place on  
the occasion of the completion of the  
basement rooms of their handsome  
new church.

Rep. Neal left Monday for the  
Upper Peninsula with the Legislative  
visiting committees who go to  
Marquette normal and prison and  
the Houghton college of mines. The  
party returns by way of Chicago,  
reaching Detroit some time Monday  
forenoon.

M. L. Pickett and family went to  
Newburg Monday to attend the  
golden wedding of Mr. Pickett's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Pickett,  
who were re-married "for another  
fifty years" by Rev. Mr. Stephens of  
Plymouth. By a pretty coincidence  
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stark of the  
same place, near neighbors, celebrated  
their half century anniversary of  
wedded life the next day.

Oil Fuel for Ocean Steamer.

Oil fuel was used for one boiler  
and coal for two others of the steam-  
er Kensington, which arrived at New  
York from Antwerp. She is the first  
Atlantic liner to use oil as fuel even  
partially.

One Way Colonist Rates to the West  
and Northwest via Detroit  
Southern R. R.

Tickets on sale daily February 15  
to April 30 to points in Montana,  
Idaho, Washington, Oregon, British  
Columbia, California and Arizona at  
greatly reduced rates. For full  
information apply to any Detroit  
Southern ticket agent or write Geo.  
M. Henry, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

Try the new Bath Pooms at the  
Center street Barber shop next to  
postoffice. Open Sunday mornings  
from 9:00 to 12:00.

### School Notes.

[By the Superintendent.]

Several new pupils began work in  
the grades this week.

Miss Ethel Greenly began work in  
the high school last week.

The Ladies' Aid society won much  
praise for their excellent supper.

A large number of pupils are re-  
turning after an enforced vacation  
due to whooping cough.

All of Northville's teachers except  
one who found pressing business  
elsewhere profited by the association.

The lecture given by Prof. Ferris  
was one of the very best, and all  
who heard it speak words of praise  
and commendation.

The Teachers' association held here  
last Saturday was one of the most  
successful and beneficial that it has  
been our pleasure to attend.

About one hundred fifty teachers  
from all over the county and many  
patrons and pupils from our own  
schools attended the association.

The senior class was organized last  
week, with the following officers:  
President, Estella Anguli; treasurer,  
Charlotte Ferris; secretary, Shirlee  
Timham.

Miss Beatrice Belford has been  
engaged as assistant preceptress on  
account of the resignation of Miss  
Bryant, who takes a more lucrative  
position in Bay City.

Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

"For Her Children's Sake" the  
new melodramatic success, announ-  
ced for production here at the Whit-  
ney Theater next week, is said to be  
a dramatic story full of love, adven-  
ture, even tragedy, that holds the  
spectator breathless to the end. A  
better play was never written, a  
more costly production never con-  
ceived, and as for the company, well  
their names speak for themselves.

That truly charming artist Selma  
Herman is entrusted with the diffi-  
cult role of the wayward heroine  
Matinee will be given on Wednes-  
day and Saturday.

Lycum Theater—Detroit.

Carl Hagenbeck's trained animals  
take possession of the stage at the  
Lycum next week. For this en-  
gagement only there will be a mat-  
inee every day. The entire perform-  
ance takes place in a circular steel  
cage that is covered with a heavy  
net. Of principal interest is Herman  
Bogor's big mixed group of lions,  
tigers, pumas, leopards, panthers,  
polar bears and Stuttgart hounds.

These animals will appear in the ring  
at the same time and perform a  
great variety of tricks. There will  
be John Dudak's nine polar bears,  
Charles Judge Alaska's juggling sea-  
horses, Kerlake's pig circus, Reuben  
Schubert's "Goit congress of all  
nations," Asie Pope's tiger and  
elephant, Miss Anna Gike's macaws  
and cockatoos.

THEY ALL SAY SO.

Not Only in Northville But in Every  
City and Town in the Union.

If the reader took the time and  
trouble to ask his fellow residents of  
Northville the simple question given  
below, he would obtain the one an-  
swer. If he would read the state-  
ment now being published in North-  
ville, which refers to this answer, it  
would surprise him to note that  
the number so many and many  
more could be, and may be published  
but in the meantime ask the first  
person you meet what cures back-  
ache? The answer will be, Doan's  
Kidney Pills. Here is a citizen who  
endorses our claim.

Mr. Charles Elhot, Drayman, living  
on River St., says: "I am only too  
pleased to add my testimony to the  
merits of Doan's Kidney Pills, pro-  
cured at Murdoch Bros' drug store.  
They have been used in my family  
with the best results more especially  
by my wife, who was annoyed with  
a dull aching pain in her back. I  
never hear her complain now. We  
both endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as  
the finest remedy on the market.  
We heartily recommend them to all  
sufferers from backache or other  
kidney trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c  
per box. Foster-Milburn Co.,  
Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U.  
S. Remember the name Doan's and  
take no other.

Chinaman Enters Politics.

Mon War, a well-to-do Chinaman  
of Honolulu, has been nominated for  
the Hawaiian legislature by the home  
rule party and is making a vigorous  
cavass of his district.

"Expert" Where He Belongs.

A New York insanity expert is now  
an inmate of an insane asylum. It  
would be interesting to know how  
long he has been deciding on the  
sanity of others while himself in a  
mentally abnormal condition.

Croup.

The peculiar cough which indicates  
croup is usually well known to the  
mothers of croupy children. No time  
should be lost in the treatment of it,  
and for this purpose no medicine has  
received more universal approval  
than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.  
Do not waste valuable time in ex-  
perimenting with untried remedies,  
no matter how highly they may be  
recommended, but give this medicine  
as directed and all symptoms of  
croup will quickly disappear. For  
sale by George C. Hueston.

### Marines Died of Black Diphtheria.

Three Rivers, Mich., Feb. 5.—Sev-  
eral months ago J. B. Shoemaker, a  
brother of Mrs. Clark Reed, of this  
city, enlisted in the United States mar-  
ine service, and was assigned to the  
United States receiving ship Franklin.  
Mrs. Reed has just received a letter  
from her brother, in which he says  
that the black diphtheria had been  
raging on the vessel, and that out of  
sixty-seven boys from the vessel who  
were taken to the hospital ship, all  
but five had died, he being one of the  
five survivors.

### New Railroad Co. Organized.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 5.—Articles of  
association were filed Wednesday by  
the Michigan Shore & Eastern Rail-  
way Co., under the general railroad  
law, with \$1,000,000 capital. The line  
in Michigan runs from Bertrand town-  
ship, Berrien county, on the Indiana  
state line to Kalamazoo, and it is the  
purpose of the new company to absorb  
the Benton Harbor, Coloma & Paw  
Paw Lake tram railway and the South  
Haven & Eastern.

### Child Drank Boiling Water.

Lapeer, Mich., Feb. 5.—The 4-year-  
old child of Alan Van Wagoner caught  
hold of a tea kettle of boiling water  
placed the spout in its mouth and  
drank some of the contents. The  
child's mouth, throat and stomach are  
horribly scalded by water and steam.  
Little hope is felt for the child's re-  
covery.

### Stockbridge Laundryman Missing.

Stockbridge, Mich., Feb. 5.—Claude  
Powell, who has been engaged in the  
laundry business here nearly two  
years, is missing. No one seems to  
know anything concerning his where-  
abouts only that he was seen to take  
a west-bound train late one evening a  
week ago.

### Fire in Oklahoma City.

Oklahoma City, Feb. 5.—Fire that  
started in the Lion store, dealers in  
general merchandise here Wednesday  
morning caused a loss of \$250,000, in-  
surance about one-third of loss. The  
entire stock and buildings of the Lion  
store was consumed.

### Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne,  
ss.—In the matter of the estate of MARIA H.  
BLDPORI, deceased. Notice is hereby given  
that in pursuance of an order granted to the  
undersigned administrator of the estate of  
said deceased by the Hon. Edgar O. Durfee,  
Judge of Probate for said county of Wayne,  
on the twenty-third day of December A. D.  
1902, there will be sold at public vendue to  
the highest bidder at the premises hereinafter  
described, in the village of Northville in said  
Wayne county on Saturday the fourteenth  
day of February A. D. 1903 at two o'clock  
in the afternoon of that day the following  
described real estate to wit: Village lot  
number one (1) in block number seven (7)  
in the village of Northville in said  
Wayne county as surveyed by William  
Packard and recorded in the Registers  
office for said county of Wayne in Liber  
19 of plate or page 241.  
Dated, December 31st, 1902.  
ALBERT H. DIBBLE  
Administrator of estate of Maria H. Bld-  
ford, deceased.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne.

ss.—At a session of the  
Probate Court for the County of  
Wayne held at the Probate Court Room  
in the City of Detroit on the  
third day of February in the year  
one thousand nine hundred and three  
Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of HIRSH E.  
CABY, deceased. An instrument in writing  
purporting to be the last will and testament  
of said deceased having been delivered into  
this court for probate. It is ordered that  
the third day of March next at ten  
o'clock in the forenoon of said Court Room  
be appointed for proving said instrument.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy  
of this order be published three succes-  
sive weeks previous to said time of hear-  
ing, in the Northville Record, a news-  
paper printed and circulating in said  
County of Wayne.  
EDGAR O. DUREE  
Judge of Probate  
HENRY S. HULBERT, Register

### STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne.

ss.—At a session of the  
Probate Court for the County of  
Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room  
in the City of Detroit on the twenty-  
eighth day of January in the year one thou-  
sand nine hundred and three. Present, Edgar  
O. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter  
of the estate of SARAH PINKERTON deceased.  
An instrument in writing purporting to be  
the last will and testament of said deceased  
having been delivered into this court for  
probate. It is ordered that the third  
day of March next at ten o'clock  
in the forenoon at said Court Room be ap-  
pointed for proving said instrument.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy  
of this order be published three succes-  
sive weeks previous to said time of hear-  
ing, in the Northville Record, a news-  
paper printed and circulating in said  
County of Wayne.  
EDGAR O. DUREE  
Judge of Probate  
ALBERT W. FLINT, Deputy Register

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Probate Court for the County of  
Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room  
in the City of Detroit on the twenty-  
eighth day of January in the year one thou-  
sand nine hundred and three. Present, Edgar  
O. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter  
of the estate of ADELLA BRIGHAM, de-  
ceased. An instrument in writing pur-  
porting to be the last will and testament of  
said deceased having been delivered into the  
court for probate. It is ordered that the  
tenth day of February next at ten o'clock  
in the forenoon at said Court Room be ap-  
pointed for examining and allowing said  
account and hearing said petition.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy  
of this order be published three succes-  
sive weeks previous to said time of hear-  
ing, in the Northville Record, a news-  
paper printed and circulating in said  
County of Wayne.  
EDGAR O. DUREE  
Judge of Probate  
HENRY S. HULBERT, Register

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romantic as that be-  
tween Romeo and Juliet.

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It is one of the best yet  
written by the distin-  
guished author. It is a  
vivid picture of the pe-  
riod of the war and  
contains brilliant de-  
scriptions of the battles  
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## For Sale--Real Estate

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## What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date.

Oats—35c.  
Corn in ear—25c Shelled corn—50c  
Baled hay per ton—\$10  
Baled straw per ton—\$5  
Cattle—\$3.75 to \$4.00  
Lamb—\$4.50 to \$5.75  
Hogs live—\$6.00  
Beef hides—5c per lb.  
Veal calves live—\$6.00  
Dressed hogs—\$7.50  
Eggs—20c Butter—18c and 19c.  
Poultry live:  
Turkeys, young and plump—12c  
Geese, young and plump—8c  
Ducks, young and plump—11c  
Spring chickens—9c.  
Hens—8c.

## NORTHVILLE.

### The City in Brief.

Mrs. Ed Vanderhooft has been very ill this week.

Mrs. Dar Brockett underwent an operation Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lafferty Tuesday, Feb. 3d, a girl.

Remember the "bean soup" social at Merritt Stanley's this evening.

Dick Mooney has been sick with pneumonia, but is now convalescent.

Mrs. D. F. Griswold entertained a party of ladies at Pedro Wednesday evening.

Orient chapter, O. E. S., entertains Ypsilanti chapter this evening at a banquet.

Mrs. A. Adams of Flint, wife of the barber Adams formerly of this place, died last week.

The shoe factory resumed operations Tuesday, having been shut down since Friday for lack of fuel.

A number of Oakland county teachers enjoyed the Wayne county association's meet here last week.

Regular communication of Northville lodge, F. & A. M. Monday evening, Feb. 9th to work third degree.

Several Northville young people attended a party at the home of Miss Myrtle Delker in Plymouth one evening last week.

The Northville central office of the Bell Telephone Co. has been transferred from S. W. Knapp's grocery to Murdock Bros' drug store.

The Northville Woman's club meets this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thrasher. Next week's meeting, Feb. 13th, is to be with Mrs. A. W. Olde.

The regular monthly board meeting of the Library association occurs tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. The election of a member in place of Mrs. Yarnall will be considered.

Through an error last week the Record gave Mrs. A. K. Carpenter credit for winning first prize at the O. E. S. Pedro party, when the lucky lady was Mrs. Hinkley instead.

People needed to "get their skates on" literally as well as figuratively Wednesday morning, even some of the grown people adopting that method of locomotion as safer than attempting to walk.

Gideon's Benton's rig was struck by an electric car near the Ely factory Saturday, but very fortunately the occupants of the vehicle were not injured and no damage was done except smashing a wheel.

The body of Mrs. Louise Cady, a sister-in-law of the late Hiram Cady and a former resident of this place, was brought here from Chicago for interment Wednesday. Rev. J. M. Shank conducted the brief burial service.

The "ground hog" saw his shadow if he got out just at the right time of day Monday, but there's a delightful uncertainty about the schedule time when he ought to have appeared which gives the believers in "signs" a good chance to hedge.

The waft of a joke, going the rounds of the press, is supposed to be original with some Michigan editor: "A teacher in a neighboring county wrote the word 'dogma' on the blackboard and asked her pupils to compose sentences containing the word. Among those written was the following: 'Our dogma has three pups.'"

"What's the matter, old man? Been losing on wheat?" "No, not that, forgot to take Rocky Mountain Tea last night. Wife said I'd be sick today." 35 cents. Murdock Bros.

Did you "on Candlemas Day Have half your wood and half your hay?"

Minnie Kreiger, who lives one and one-half miles northeast of town, has diphtheria.

Mrs. Cobb's mother was taken seriously ill Monday. At this writing she is much improved.

Miss Iva Stilson is learning the art of type setting at the Record office.

Mrs. W. H. Hutton entertained a number of her lady friends at lunch from two until five o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Regular convocation of Union chapter, No. 55, R. A. M., Wednesday, Feb. 11th, to confer the Mark and P. & M. E. degree.

Mrs. T. B. Henry entertained a party of young people Monday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Holington, and Miss Przybylowski of Detroit.

The O. E. S. will give the fourth in their Pedro party series on Friday evening, February 13th. Guests will not receive further notification so do not forget the date.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. R. M. Johnson next Tuesday at three o'clock. Members please bring temperance items and each invite a non-member. Catechism drill will be continued.

Alfred Haarer of Detroit announces his candidacy for County Auditor at the spring primaries. The other candidate is Lou Bert, the present incumbent of the office. Mr. Haarer says he will be in the fight to the finish and he appears to have a good lot of reliable hustlers back of him.

Messrs. Shafer, Burch & Fly of Northville have purchased the saloon business of Chas. Miller and took possession yesterday. They will run a first-class bar. The same gentlemen are also negotiating for the Crosby property adjoining Fred Burch will be in charge of the business here, we understand—Plymouth Mail.

Mrs. A. K. Carpenter gave an extremely enjoyable twelve o'clock luncheon and flinch party Wednesday to about thirty ladies. The first prize was won by Mrs. W. S. Jerome and the consolation—which was pretty good to be very consoling indeed—went to Mrs. T. G. Richardson who, however, had to contest the honor with Mrs. D. F. Griswold and Mrs. A. C. Harmon.

The Northville Record says a Wayne hen stole her nest. The wicked thing. Probably belongs to the Smart Set. A hatchet would be none too good for such a thieving hen. It will be the only way to prevent these fowl acts—Adrian Press.

"Lay on, Macduff!" But who is "a wicked thing," the hen or the Northville Record for saying so?

A joke is told on a certain young man working near Milford who is very bashful. He went to see his best girl one night recently and it began to rain, and it rained and rained and rained. She told him it would be a pity for him to go home in the rain and she asked him to stay all night. He hated to refuse, so he said alright, and she told him she would go and prepare his bed. It required some little time, and when she came back, imagine her surprise at finding him sleeping with rain. She asked him where he had been, and he told her he went home to get his nightshirt.

Try the new Bath Rooms at the Center street Barber shop next to postoffice. Open Sunday mornings from 9.00 to 12.00.

Mrs. F. E. Magill of Novi is here nursing Mrs. Brockett.

WANTED—A little girl ten years old would like a good home on a farm. Inquire at Record office.

The Northville Telephone company has placed a phone in the residence of Milo N. Johnson. The number is 373.

Special communication of Orient chapter, No. 77, O. E. S., Friday evening, Feb. 6th. Initiation and banquet.

Episcopal church services will be held Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Allen on Center street. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend and join in the worship.

About fifty friends of R. R. McKahan perpetrated a surprise on that gentleman Monday evening, bringing along a liberal supply of ice cream, cake and flinch cards. Of course a jolly time ensued for all concerned. Mrs. W. H. Hutton won first prize by playing off a tie with Mrs. Joslin, and Mrs. Allie Yerkes enjoyed undisputed possession of the consolation. The culmination of the "surprise" came when in his usual happy style Mr. Jerome, on behalf of the visitors, presented Mr. McKahan with a handsome oak rocker.

### George Gibson Walks Up.

Mr. George H. Gibson has resigned his position with the Westinghouse Companies' Publishing Department at Pittsburgh, Pa., to accept a position with the E. F. Sturtevant Co., of Jamaica Plain Station, Boston, Mass., the well-known manufacturer of blowers, heating, ventilating and forced draft apparatus, electrical machinery, and steam engines. Mr. Gibson was formerly a member of the editorial staff of the Engineering News, of New York City, and is a graduate of the Engineering School of the University of Michigan. Mr. Gibson will also be well remembered as a former Northville boy and graduate of the Northville High School.

### Methodist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

The Tabernacle lecture resulted in net proceeds of \$18.20. The pastor is now under engagement to give this talk in Trenton in March.

This week begins a new term for the Northville Bible Reading club. The closing of the first term last week Thursday evening resulted in 18,444 credits with south side 646 in the lead.

"What Becomes of Us—When We Die" will be the subject of next Sunday morning's discourse, and evening the subject will be "Hell, in the Light of Modern Ideas." If any persons desire they may send or bring written questions upon these discourses to the Thursday evening meeting following and they will be answered at the succeeding Sunday evening service.

### Presbyterian Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

On Wednesday afternoon of last week a meeting of the young ladies of the congregation was held at the parsonage for the purpose of organizing a society for practical training in Christian work. Miss Jerome was elected president; Miss Crocker, vice president; Miss Seator, secretary; Miss Joslin, treasurer; Miss Greenly, secretary of literature; Miss Skinner, pianist. Mabel Stark had the honor of naming the society, "The Northville S. D. Circle." The meeting will be held on the second Wednesday of each month. All young ladies of fifteen years or over are eligible to membership. The program on the first regular meeting will include a paper on China by Miss Jessie White, a solo by Miss Richardson and a story by Miss Skinner.

### Baptist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

Don't forget the "bean soup" social at Mrs. Stanley's tonight under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U.

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Systematic Beneficence at the parsonage next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 to make plans for their year's work.

The pastor's subject for next Sunday morning will be "With Christ in Prayer." In the evening the BYPU will take the place of the preaching service at 7:00 o'clock. The topic will be "Bible Lessons from Men that Failed" and Mrs. F. J. Moore will be the leader. An interesting program is being arranged consisting of especially prepared papers, responsive scripture reading and choice music by the choir, besides familiar songs in which all can join. Don't fail to be present that you may enjoy this People's service of worship and praise.

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### JUNKETERS AT LUTHE.

Spent a Busy Day Inspecting and Eating.

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 4.—The Igislative junket committee had a busy time at Marquette Tuesday. Senator Burns of Grand Rapids, chairman of the committee on Marine and Fisheries, conducted the party to the prison chapel hall. Music was furnished by the convict band. In the afternoon Representative Barnab Kent county, chairman of the committee on normal schools, took the legislative party through the normal school building and inspected the work. Needs of the institution for the next two years. Last night local citizens gave a banquet to the party in the Hotel Clifton, at which 150 convicts were laid and the glad hand extended in a cordial manner. Ex-Senator Gad Smith served as master of ceremonies, all day in entertaining his former colleagues of the legislature.

The party left at 11:30 for Houghton, where the college of mines will be inspected today. Houghton citizens will give a banquet to the party tonight.

Senator Doherty of Clare was confined to his berth in the special train all day with an attack of malarial fever.

Cadillac, Mich., Feb. 4.—The fish junketers left here last evening for Sault Ste. Marie. The committee visited the new Harrietta station yesterday, for which \$7,800 is asked for maintenance and improvement. The legislators talk favorably for the appropriation. They expect a 5,000,000 output of trout if the amount is allowed. "Pop" Coodell surprised the party by appearing in a new shirt, collar and tie.

### Tenree Attempts at Suicide.

Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 4.—Patience Hughes, a young woman who has led a dissipated life, made three futile attempts to commit suicide yesterday in jail. She was brought in Monday night intoxicated and locked in the woman's department. She entered the bathroom adjoining her cell, turned on and inhaled a quantity of gas, falling to the floor unconscious. Deputies found her just in time to save her life. After being placed in her cell she again entered the bathroom and went to the gas for a second time but this time tied a towel around her neck, which partially strangled her. With some difficulty she was revived and the officers caught her making a third attempt.

### Justin-Whiting Laid to Rest.

St. Clair, Mich., Feb. 4.—Justin R. Whiting was loved, honored and respected in life. In death he was given all the honors that can be bestowed upon the dead. The funeral of the distinguished citizen held Tuesday afternoon, was one of the largest ever seen in this section. Many distinguished citizens from Detroit and other cities in the state were present, including many members of the Democratic state central committee and kindred bodies. The remains lay in state from 12 to 1:30 p. m. and were viewed by a great throng of people. The funeral took place shortly after 2 o'clock. All business places were closed.

### G. T. Men Want a Raise.

Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 4.—The representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen of western section of the Grand Trunk system are in the city conferring, and today officials of the railroad company are expected to confer with a committee to discuss conditions of the men wages and advantages as offered by other roads. The men mapped out their course Tuesday. They will ask for a raise and general betterment of conditions, such as exists on other roads.

### Michigan Prisoners.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Michigan pensions granted Tuesday Charles M. Sheridan, Clo 38 (war with Spain), Copley Cottrell, Mt. Clemens, 38 Benjamin Drake Marcellus, 24 James Hill, Royal Oak, 10, Robert Haynes Dutton, 10, Harley C. Bement, Grand Rapids, 10, William H. Norton, Fremont, 20, Robert Norgate, Flint, 24, Frank Stephens, St. Johns, 12 (war with Spain), Sarah Bennett Siddle, 12, Melvina C. Leshe, McDonald 38.

### Pistol a Poor Love Promoter.

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 4.—John Johnston is in jail for attempting to promote love with a revolver. Johnston's sweetheart Etta Young, became infatuated with Ed Dietrich of 536 Adelaide street, Detroit, and Johnston shot at her to change her mind. Dietrich took the girl to a hotel to protect her and he and Miss Young were arrested.

### Supreme Court Decisions.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 4.—The supreme court Tuesday morning decided the following cases: Affirmed—City of St. Joseph vs. Schultz; Miller vs. McLaughlin; Pollock vs. German Fire Insurance Co.; Geer vs. Traders' Bank of Canada; Reversed—Lowry vs. Paw Paw Savings bank; Brunick vs. Ann Arbor Railroad Co.

### Asylum Inspected.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Feb. 4.—The legislative committees visited the asylum Tuesday, finding everything in fine shape. At the regular session of the board of trustees, Samuel Post of Ypsilanti, the retiring member, was presented with a handsome gold-headed umbrella.

### Dr. Newark Secures Bail.

Charlotte, Mich., Feb. 4.—Dr. W. E. Newark, who was arrested Sunday, charged with having caused the death of Mrs. W. H. Wirtz of Calhoun county, has been released in \$2,500 bail. He will have his examination Feb. 17. He denies guilt.

### Failed to Pay Alimony.

Monroe, Mich., Feb. 4.—Harry Rosenbloom, prominent merchant here, was Tuesday sentenced to the county jail for ten days for contempt of court. He was required to pay \$50 alimony quarterly, but failed to do so.

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

Notices under this head inserted for 15c per line and 10c per week for each subsequent insertion.

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### Gift to Oberlin College.

A New Englander, who does not wish his name to be known, has given Oberlin college \$50,000 to form a part of the new half-million fund for the endowment and equipment of the college. The gift was unsolicited. The same person gave \$50,000 to the previous half million fund.

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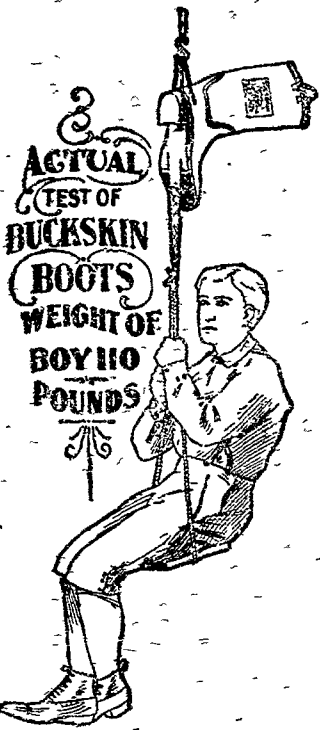
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## NEIGHBORHOOD

## Novi News.

Mrs. Root is on the sick list.  
Fred Miles' baby girl is under the doctor's care.  
Will Hicks has returned from a visit to China county.  
Cora Higgins and Floyd Berry spent Tuesday in Detroit.  
Mrs. L. Miller and Mrs. George Hugger are on the sick list.  
Roy Matherson has returned home after a short visit in Detroit.  
Miss Isabelle Skene was married to a Detroit man last Wednesday.  
George Goulet is able to be out again. John Watts is improving.

Mrs. Dr. Holton and two children are at St. Catharines, Canada, for a visit.

Mrs. Elroy Munroe and her son were in Detroit and Pontiac out of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holmes entertained some friends last Friday evening.

Mrs. John Packer visited Mrs. John Phelps at North Farmington last Thursday.

Miss Evelyn Moore of Northville is the guest of her sister Mrs. S. S. Moore today.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Giddell attended a dance at Buckhorn Corners on Friday evening.

Clay Putnam's wife and daughter Margery spent Sunday at Mrs. Seely's in East Novi.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Banks of Washington are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home.

Miss Jennie Buren of Wixom was the guest of Mrs. L. Banks and Mrs. Harry Hogan last week.

The H. S. L. S. of Farmington met with Mrs. Lulu Becker last Friday evening. On account of the weather but few were present.

The Epworth League will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. S. C. Taylor Saturday evening Feb. 7 at 7:30 o'clock.

E. T. Hazen and wife are participating in a surprise at their home today by the gathering of about forty relatives in honor of their forty-fifth anniversary.

This county is to have the annual meeting of the state Y. M. C. A. this year. It will be held in Pontiac next week, February 12 to 15 inclusive.

The following clipping taken from the Superior Daily will be interesting to the many friends of Chas. Coates here: "Mr. Charles Coates and Miss Nina Daniels both of Superior were united in marriage at the First Baptist church at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. H. F. Wright of the church officiating. Both parties are well known in this city."

Miss Daniels having been a most efficient teacher in the eighth grade at the Blaine school for several years and Mr. Coates having had charge of the carpet department at Leight's for six years and the same department at Kelly & May's about five years. Mr. and Mrs. Coates will be at home at 1301 Eleventh St. after March 1.

Following is the program for W. N. D. C. February 7:  
Singing by club  
Secretary's report  
Miscellaneous business  
Roll Call, Current Events  
Recitation—Mrs. Blanche Sessions  
Music—Merry West and Nina Richards  
Recitation—Maud Kenner  
Select reading—Roy Hammond  
Essay—Mrs. Gertrude Clapp  
Improvisation—Irma West  
Music—N. A. Clapp  
Recitation—Maud Kenner  
Biographical sketch—D. Gage  
Recitation—Louie Miles  
Answers to Queries  
Recess  
Collection and distribution of queries  
Question—Resolved that the proposition for a new court house should not be submitted to the people.

## Walled Lake News.

Mrs. Ben Bentley has gone to Chicago for a brief visit.  
Mr. Fox returned from Midland with his wife and baby Saturday.

Mrs. S. M. Gage attended the funeral of Walter Rider at Salem last week Wednesday.

Dr. Gough of Detroit spent one day last week at the homes of Charles Meritt and Robert Carnes.

H. L. Haynes, Albie Phelps and Dan Bentley have been initiated into the mysteries of the I. O. O. F.

The Walled Lake Farmers' club met with Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilchrist Wednesday. An oyster supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bradley, Mrs. F. Turtle and Mrs. C. F. Rose attended the funeral of Mrs. Bebenhiser at Commerce last week.

Henry Rush of Farmington has bought Mrs. Jane Gilchrist's house and lot and has rented it to Dick Hutchins who moved in last week.

Hubert Haines of this place nearly lost his life while skating on the lake Tuesday. He was skating alone and skated into a large air hole. His cries attracted the attention of two young men on shore who caught him by the hair as he came up the second time.

## Wixom News.

Mrs. Chas. Pike was in Pontiac last Thursday.

Mr. A. J. Wilson was a Northville visitor Saturday.

Lourence Drums was a Detroit visitor over Sunday.

D. M. Calhoun of Midland was in Wixom last Friday.

Miss S. N. Parker has been quite ill, but is now much better.

Frank Birch and Mr. Goodwin were Pontiac visitors Saturday.

Miss Maude Peterson is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. B. at Port Huron.

Rue Shribb of Ben Lake called on Wixom relatives the first of this week.

Carl and Jennie Fly of Farmington visited at A. McGee's apartment of the week.

Mrs. J. H. Taylor and daughter Beatrice were Highland visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Perrigo of Detroit is visiting her daughter Mrs. R. Chamberlain this week.

Mrs. F. A. Seaton of Northville visited her mother, Mrs. Electa Furman, last week.

Mrs. M. S. Pratt and son, Howard, and Mrs. E. B. Furman and daughter, Hilda, were in Pontiac Saturday.

A theatrical troupe of 37 members breakfasted at the new Wixom hotel Wednesday morning enroute for Jackson.

The National Stock company are here for a week at the KOTM hall in a different play every evening. Ten cents each night.

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected. They can be soon broken up by using Foley's Honey and Tar Sold by Murdock Bros.

Aids Columbus University. Augustus Schermerhorn has made a gift of apparatus and equipment for the department of mineralogy at Columbus university, New York.

## Farmington News.

Emory Hatten is on the sick list. Clint McGee is at home for a short vacation.

Rev. M. S. Gray has gone to Canada for a few weeks.

Mrs. Stacy Prindle was a Pontiac visitor this week.

Miss Maude Peterson entertained friends from Pontiac Friday.

Mrs. George Wilcox is having serious trouble with her eyes.

E. R. Edwards has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Mrs. Murphy who has been visiting in Detroit has returned home.

Mrs. Samuel Davis, mother of Mrs. F. M. Warner, is quite sick with pneumonia.

There was a good attendance at the party held Friday evening and a pleasant time reported.

George Thompson who has been preaching in the Universalist church has left for another charge.

Every one is "flinchin'" these days or in other words the game of flinch has become "epidemic."

A pleasant time was enjoyed at the F. H. S. L. S. held Friday evening at the home of Miss Lulu Becker at Novi.

Mrs. Earle Cogswill of Novi was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker a part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Dudge of Caro have been the guests of Wm. Thomas and wife and John Delling and family.

Henry Thomas of Fremont, Ohio, has been making a short visit at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomas.

The Farmington township Sunday-school association was not very largely attended but a very profitable time was passed.

Mr. and Mrs. Grove of Walnut Lake were in attendance at the Sunday-school convention held Thursday afternoon and evening.

The many friends of Palmer Sherman are very sorry to learn of his very poor health and trust that he may soon be better again.

Mrs. Melvin Newton and daughter attended the fiftieth wedding anniversary of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Martindale at Greenfield January 27.

An "old fashioned" social will be held this Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Mamie Hatten under the auspices of the H. S. L. S. Please dress in old fashioned styles and bring a lunch basket all ye who attend.

Pontiac Elks had doings Thursday evening. Among the class initiated into the mysteries of the order was Fred M. Warner secretary of state.

Mr. Warner is a charter member of the Elks there but was unable to be initiated at the time the others went in. Efforts were put forth to so complete the arrangements that the initiation was in harmony with the position the candidate holds.

A social session followed the initiation.

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Mr. Julius Keister of Chicago was cured after ten able physicians had failed. Mrs. R. Trimmer of Greensburg, Pa., was cured after many physicians called her case "hopeless."

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## Mead's Mills.

Miss Nancy Benton is better. Avis Green is spending the week with friends in Detroit.

Albert Eckles and wife visited Mrs. Ursula Benton last Sunday.

Chas. Waterman had a relapse and has been quite sick again.

Mrs. Ray Rogers of Detroit was a caller at W. J. McRobert's Sunday.

Miss Edna Hughes will spend the next two weeks with Miss Lautenslager at South Rockwood.

G. P. Benton had a narrow escape last Saturday, colliding with a street car. His milk wagon was somewhat damaged.

## Livonia News.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith Jan. 31, a boy.

C. F. Smith and John Baze attended the dance at Ash's Saturday night.

Ed. Peck's eyes have been swollen shut as the result of sunstroke poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baze visited with Christian Paukow's people Sunday.

Frank Peck and family visited with Will Garchow's people Saturday night.

Emma Wolgast Kerhl was at home with her people Saturday night. A number of friends and neighbors called and spent a very pleasant evening.

## Giff Edge News.

R. C. Northrop visited over Sunday.

Wm. Bragg's people spent Monday evening at R. Kebl's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Liverance spent Wednesday at Wm. Bragg's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gartaow and family spent Sunday evening at R. Kebl's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bradley and baby called at J. Myer's Sunday afternoon.

F. E. Bradley, wife and baby were the guests of A. B. Smith at Northville Tuesday.

Little Russell Willard who has been very sick for the past two weeks is getting along nicely.

## Salem News.

The doctors report lots of sickness in this vicinity.

The union concert at the Congregational church last Sunday evening was largely attended.

Charles Adams, who suffered a stroke of paralysis while in the woods, is a little better at this writing.

The high prices paid by William Mosher for fur this winter causes some of the boys to get a hustle on them. Prices are higher than for several years.

The Maccabee social at Frank King's last Friday evening was a great success and reflected much credit on the promoters. It was a fine-querade.

The Salem L. Y. P. U. will hold a grand social at the residence of W. P. Holmes in this village on Friday evening, Feb. 6th. A program consisting of music, singing and recitations will be given.

George Weed, a farmer in the south part of this township, has purchased the old Wm. Weed homestead and will remodel the house and move therein soon. His nephew Ed Smith, the former tenant, has moved to a farm near Dixborough.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing healing influence of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

## Knew Her Readers.

Editor—You want to be sure, Miss Scratchington, that all the historical data of your novel is strictly correct. Miss Scratchington—Don't worry about that, dear sir, people who know history never read historical novels.—Brooklyn Life

## Strange Freak of Nature.

A chicken recently hatched in Wadsworth, London, was well provided for in the way of different members of the body, notwithstanding, or perhaps because of which it soon died. It had two beaks, three eyes, five claws on the left foot and four on the right, and three sets of brains.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. Sold by Murdock Bros.

## Difference in Human Ears.

Alphonse Berdillon, of anthropometric fame, has undertaken to educate the Paris police in the art of describing faces. An interesting part of the instruction is that special value is attached to the ear. No two ears are alike. Therefore that organ is chosen as the base of the system employed.

## Beyond Figures.

Somebody has figured out that the average man utters 11,800,000 words in the course of a year. Of course it would be utter nonsense to figure out the number the wife of the average man would use.—Baltimore Sun.

## NEGROES IN OFFICE.

FEDERAL APPOINTMENTS THAT HAVE CAUSED MUCH DISCUSSION.

Indiana's Colored Postmistress, Charleston's New Collector and Boston's Mulatto United States Assistant District Attorney.

The controversy that has arisen over the appointment of Mrs. Minnie M. Cox of Indianapolis, Miss. Dr. W. D. Crum of Charleston, S. C., and William H. Lewis of Boston to federal offices has raised these three colored citizens into figures of national note.

The case of Mrs. Cox is peculiarly interesting because of its surrounding circumstances. Mrs. Cox was appointed first by President Harrison and has served nearly ten years as postmistress.



of Indianapolis, Miss. Recently the citizens of that town determined that it was time to have a white person land their mails.

It is alleged and also vigorously denied that pressure was brought to bear on Mrs. Cox to resign. Be that as it may, the facts are that a few weeks ago she tendered her resignation. The resignation was not accepted but the postmaster general directed that all mails addressed to Indianapolis be forwarded to Greenville, as the former office was closed.

When Mrs. Cox was first appointed, the town was a mere village, and the office did not amount to much. In recent years it has grown until now the income from the office is about \$1,400.

Dr. William Demos Crum who has been appointed collector of the port of Charleston, is a well known colored man in South Carolina. He is a close

personal friend of Booker T. Washington, who is credited with urging President Roosevelt to appoint him.

Mr. Crum was a student in the junior class at the South Carolina university when the state passed into the hands of the Democratic party in 1876. He was at the head of his class, but he was forced to leave as were all the colored youths, and Crum then matriculated at Howard university at Washington and began the study of medicine. He graduated in 1890 and returned to Charleston to practice his profession.

His wife is a daughter of Ellen Craft, the octroon slave of Alabama whose escape from her owners with her black husband excited much talk in this country during the civil war.

William H. Lewis whose recent appointment as assistant United States

attorney for the Boston district has caused much comment, is a graduate of Harvard law school and is famous as a football player. Mr. Lewis is a negro, but his skin is so white that few would think he had colored blood in his veins.

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The Talipot palm of Ceylon has leaves which are sometimes 20 feet long and 18 feet wide.

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## CHAPTER I

### THE DREAM

WINTER in the south, and the morning of a day. Three years had elapsed since Boyd Peyton had been in Alabama in the month of December. The young breeze, carrying with it the fragrance of lingering fall as it swept across his face, filled him with surprise, for the season had been unusually pleasant and mild. The air was almost balmy despite its touch of early morning coolness, untempered by the new risen sun, yet there was a freshness in it which reminded him of springtime in New England.

The train on which he had been a passenger had been delayed yesterday, and he had reached home after nightfall—too late to see anything outside, at any rate. Then, in the excitement of seeing his family once more after a long period of separation, he had given no thought to climatic conditions or to anything external to them. Stop! The statement is hardly accurate, for in not one single moment in all the joyousness of greeting, in all the exuberant affection given and received in his welcome home, had he lost mental sight of Mary Annan. This morning, as he stared down at the garden of roses in winter, his heart was full of her. So conscious of her had he been, in fact, so possessed of a sense of her nearness to him at last, that he had scarcely slept during the night.

In his restless anxiety to see her he had risen before any of the family, who slept later this morning than usual, possibly because they had remained up longer the night before. As soon as he was dressed he came out on the gallery, where he stood gazing alternately upon the roses or staring down through the long avenue of live oaks toward the St. Francis road, which led into the town where she dwelt.

Presently he turned from the railing and began to pace the gallery. The young man was a sailor, an officer in the United States navy, a passed midshipman awaiting his commission as ensign, just returned from a three years' cruise in European and north African waters, subsequent to his graduation after four years of study in the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md. He had been appointed to the academy from Alabama seven years before and was now just turned twenty-two. No one could look more unlike the typical bluff sailor than he. He was tall, slender and brown eyed, and the native darkness of his complexion, which his seafaring had deepened, with his thick brown hair, worn rather long, as was the fashion of the time, and slightly curling at the ends, would have betrayed him as a southern man anywhere. His appearance was gentle, his aspect dreamy. One would have pronounced him a poet, an artist, a musician—anything rather than a man of action. Without being gloomy there was a touch of gentle melancholy in his appearance.

There was a little timidity—which did not spring from fear—in his address, a deferential modesty, especially when in the presence of women or older men that was charming, if somewhat lacking in decision. Yet he carried himself well. His movements were easy and graceful. He held his head high and had about him that air of innate authority peculiar to the southern slave owner and gentleman, which his naval rank and position had served to emphasize.

What he might become in times of stress and danger was yet to be determined, what he was at that moment was quite evident—a dreamer! Like most of the dreams of youth, the object of his imagination was a woman. Just a year since, his ship, returning from the Mediterranean, had wintered at Boston. When he had arrived there he had rejoiced to learn in letters from home that Mary Annan was attending school in Cambridge. Miss Annan was a young Alabama girl whom he had known from childhood.

He had welcomed with an eagerness only possible to a southerner and a young man the opportunity of renewing his deepening acquaintance with his childhood friend and fair compeer, and he had striven to make the most of it. Every moment he could take from his ship duties or which she could steal from her not too engrossing studies during the winter the two had spent together in the quaint old Massachusetts town.

The school was described in the catalogue as a "finishing school," a very popular sort of institution in those days and not unknown to history even now. So far as Mary Annan was concerned, its efforts were fruitless. She did indeed graduate from it in June with all the honors of the school, but she was very far from being finished, and he would be a very hardy prophet who could predict what the bright, beautiful and charming southern girl would be in the end. There was latent force in her—plenty of character, energy, self will and greater possibilities—but only the larger school of life could develop her.

A great besom of war and privation and anguish was then preparing for this country. A period of conflict was to ensue in which the finishing touches that only suffering could add should

be put upon the characters of men and women all over the land. For the day on which Boyd Peyton returned to the home of his ancestors and the focal point of his heart's love was Dec. 19, 1869, six weeks after the election of Abraham Lincoln to the presidency of the United States.

As a sailor, an officer in the navy, on active service in foreign waters, Peyton had hardly realized the well nigh inevitable consequences to the country of that overwhelming declaration of popular opinion by the north.

In the early spring of the year, after the winter in Boston, his ship had gone on a cruise to the north African coast, whence it had just returned and been put out of commission the week before. Peyton had escaped the great debate and discussion of the spring and summer, the breaking up of the old Democratic party into two or three new ones, the forcing of sternly repressed and long-avoided issues to the front, the strife and bitterness, the threat and the counter threat. What little Peyton knew of the situation had filtered to him through incomplete sources. Being removed from personal contact, he had not realized the situation at all. The matter had only been touched upon last night at his welcoming, and he was yet to learn the feeling of his father, his friends, his people, his love, upon the subject.

On this morning Peyton had given no thought to the election or its consequences. At that moment, if he reflected upon it at all, he cared neither what the north might do nor what the south might do. He thought nothing as to what might be demanded of him, or what his course of action should be in any possible contingency—unless it concerned Mary Annan and his love for her.

Well, the world about him might do what it would. It mattered nothing to him in that bright morning of hope. In an hour or two at most he would see her. He could look upon her in her proper person and see her as he had imagined her in his dreams through the long night watches of the cruise.

In his letters to his sister he had taken care that news of his homecoming on a two months' leave of absence should reach Mary. He had so contrived that the very day and hour of his arrival had been made known to her. Indeed, had it not been that the train had been so delayed last night he would have gone to see her in the evening, but it was too late, and he had been forced to content himself with anticipating this meeting in the morning. No avowal of affection had yet passed between the young people. That certain timidity, that unwillingness to take the initiative, which was constitutional with him and which he had not yet overcome, but more especially a certain chivalry which made him loath to take advantage of their frank comradship in that strange Yankee land where a premium might have been put upon him, he feared, merely because he happened to be a fellow southerner, an Alabamian kept him from declaring in outspoken words his heart. Nevertheless he was thoroughly sure that Mary Annan knew he loved her.

His assurance all ended there, however. With any mockery with youth full audacity with deliberate yet delightful elusiveness, she had met his advances. The most presumptuous wish could not delude him into the belief that she loved him. How could she? he had often thought in dejection. There was a strange mingling, there fore, of foreboding and hope, anxiety and assurance, in his meditations on this morning.

There was no watering in his desire and determination, however. He was resolved to win her. He would count no sacrifice too great for that end. As the resolution took shape in his fertile brain a keen observer—a woman who loved him, for instance—might have noticed a tightening of his lips, which now, under the pressure of some compelling internal force, seemed to lose something of their sensitiveness. His gracefully rounded chin protruded slightly. There was an unnoticed bluntness in it, after all, perhaps. The softness in his eyes gave place to a harder expression. The brows straightened and drew together in lines. His face grew suddenly strong. His whole appearance was that of resolution.

## CHAPTER II

### A HARD SITUATION FOR A MODEST MAN

"I WILL, I WILL!" he murmured, staring down at the road through the live oaks.

As he spoke there was a step on the porch behind him, and a deep voice broke his reverie. The youth turned to meet his father.

"Dreaming again, Boyd?" said the elder reprovingly.

In appearance he was nearly the counterpart of his son, but with resolution added, decision acquired and dreams long lost in tempering experience. His bushy hair was snow white, although not from age, for he was just turned fifty. His thick drooping mustache and tufted imperial were also white. As he looked at his son he presented a stern, weather beaten, war worn face. Colonel Peyton had been a soldier. He had fought with

distinction in the Mexican-war four years before. Old soldiers usually develop into the fat and red or the thin and lean kind of men. Colonel Peyton was one of the latter class, although his temper was as quick and fierce as that of the most choleric and gouty old veteran. His voice was full and rich, and in pronunciation and accent betrayed his southern characteristics beyond question. Boyd's voice was different. It was still southern, but not markedly so. He had lived so long in the north and on the sea, and he had tried so hard to mold it in stereotyped form, that it had lost most of its distinguishing characteristics, and except when he was excited it was cosmopolitan and therefore monotonous.

"Dreaming again, Boyd? It's not good for an officer. I had hoped that your Naval academy training, your experience as an officer, might get you out of that bad habit. But here you are at it again, I see."

The old man frowned and shook his head hopelessly toward his son.

"No, father," said the young man quickly, "not dreaming when you spoke, but—"

"But what, sir?" Only he pronounced it "sub."

"Resolving."

"Ha, that's better! And resolving upon what, pray?"

"Resolving to take a wife, sir. If I can get her, that is, sir."

"A wife! A wife!" in sudden suspicion.

"A wife, sir," answered his son firmly.

"How old are you now, sir?" asked his father, having partially digested the unexpected announcement.

"Just twenty-two, sir."

"You are young to speak of marriage, lad."

"Yes, sir, I am," answered Boyd promptly. "But it is a habit of our family, sir, as I have heard. Mother was sixteen, I think, when she married you, and you were no older than I am yourself then, sir."

"Well, er—yes, of course," said the colonel, rather taken aback by this strikingly direct, if smiling, charge.

"I—er—who is the lady? I hope, Boyd, that you have not fallen in love with some foreigner in Europe or—"

"No, sir."

"Or with any Yankee girl. A man should marry among his own people, especially now. I—"

"Well, sir," said Boyd hesitatingly in a spirit of fun, "I met her in New England, at Boston, last winter, and I—"

"Boyd Peyton, don't tell me that you are going to marry outside of your own class," thundered his father, "that you are going to ally yourself with one of those northern tradespeople—with one of Lincoln's!"

No one could have exceeded the bitter contempt with which he spoke.

"Father," cried the young man hastily, seeing evidences of an explosion in the reddening face and excited manner of his father, "it is Mary Annan."

"Why, God bless me!" returned the old man, greatly relieved, grasping his son by the shoulders and giving him a little shake. "Why didn't you say so? Why, that girl is the pride of my life, the prettiest girl in Mobile, the belle of Alabama. You young dog! What do you mean by trying to fool your fa-



He kissed the plump white fingers with charming old fashioned grace.

ther in this way? My heart's been set upon it. It's the best thing that could have happened. I could not—"

"Hold on, father! It hasn't happened yet."

"Ha—what's that?"

"Well, sir; you see, I haven't said anything to her as yet, and I don't know what she will do."

"Boyd Peyton, do you mean to tell me that you were a whole winter with that girl—and you a sailor, sir, an officer, damme!—and you have not proposed to her yet?"

"Yes, sir, I—"

"Well, by gad, sir," exploded the older man, "when I was a young man if I were with a charming girl like that for a week and didn't propose to her I would consider that I was reflecting on her character, by Jove! I always proposed to all the girls I—"

"What's that, Willis?" interrupted a sweet voiced young matron, joining the group on the porch, through the open door of the hall. "You always proposed to whom, sir?"

"Er—my dear—Lucy, I—er—stammered the colonel in much confusion. "You see, I meant to say I proposed to you the first time I saw you and kept

it up regularly every week until you accepted me. That's all, my dear," he went on, with pardonable mendacity.

"Oh, indeed, sir!" laughed the lady. "Well, what are you rating Boyd for?"

"Because he doesn't propose to Mary Annan."

"Mary Annan?" cried the young man's mother. "Does he love her?"

"Gad—begging your pardon, my dear—how could he help it? I almost love her myself," chuckled the colonel.

"Don't make any reservation on my account, colonel," retorted his wife composedly, coming nearer to him as she spoke and laying her hand affectionately on his shoulder. "We old women cannot compete with young girls like Mary Annan, I know."

"My dear," said the colonel, taking her hand and bowing low over it while he kissed the plump white fingers with charming old fashioned deference and grace—a very polished gentleman indeed was her gallant husband, she thought—"Mary Annan can't hold a candle to you, and no other girl can or could that I ever saw, young or old. By Jove, Boyd, you should have seen your mother when she was Mary's age! The belle of the Old Dominion, sir, and the toast of Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, the White Sulphur, everywhere! Gad, sir, I was out with three young bucks before I—"

"Fie, colonel, what an example for your son! But tell me, Boyd, dear, do you love her?"

"Love Mary Annan, mother?" said the young man, much abashed at the publicity given to his love affairs, yet forging himself to speak boldly and answer her question, when he was interrupted a third time.

"Why, mother," said Miss Pinkie Peyton, his sister, a young woman just turned eighteen, as she joined the group on the porch, "if you could have read his letters to me you would think the sun rose and set and the earth began and ended in Mary Annan. Love her!"

"That's as it should be," said the colonel decisively. "I used to feel that way about your mother, children."

"Used to feel that way, Colonel Peyton?" queried the matron, with an emphasis, easily understood, on the first word.

"I do now, indeed, and more and more every year," said the colonel, hastily, anxious to repair his blunder.

"Sir," said Boyd, smiling, "it only remains to take Willis into our confidence now and hold a family council upon the situation."

"I know all about it," nonchalantly remarked Willis, the last member of the family to appear on the scene.

Willis Peyton was small of stature, being twin brother to Pink, but an alert, bright appearing young fellow, with no whit of his brother's abstracted habit of mind, apparently. He had overheard the latter part of the conversation.

"Pink, here, can't keep anything from me, her beloved twin brother, you know," he rattled on, "and always asks my advice in affairs of the heart—her own or another's. I think I have been most judicious in getting your messages delivered to Miss Mary without her suspecting it, and if she ever marries you you'll owe me a debt of gratitude."

"Thanks, Willis," answered Boyd dryly. "And how about the lady?"

"Oh, she'll owe me nothing. Don't for the world tell her I had any hand in it. I don't wish to lose her regard on any account."

"Well, my son, have not you spoken to Mary?" interrupted his mother.

"No, mother, not yet."

"You have been most infernally—I beg your pardon, my love, but it's true—slow about it," said the colonel decisively, "but you must do it this very day."

"I know, of course, that she must know that I—that I—er—but I—your father," he went on lamely, "I did not like to take advantage of her being alone in Boston. I was the only one of her people there, you know and I thought it was proper to ask Judge Annan."

"Ask nobody, sir, but the lady herself, sir," snorted the colonel. "Bless me! Young men of today haven't any spirit at all!"

"Do you wish that rule to be carried out when somebody comes here for Pink?" asked Willis quickly.

"I reckon nobody is coming around after me at present, or at any time," interrupted Pink pertly, with a toss of her head.

"Well, if they know a good thing when they see it, they will," responded Willis. "Don't you worry, Pinkie, dear, I'll look out for you and steer you through the troubled waters of your love affairs, if you will trust yourself to me. You'll be all right. Meanwhile—"

"Meanwhile," said Boyd, "I am going down to see Miss Mary as soon as breakfast is over."

"The idea of waiting until breakfast is over before you go to see your sweet heart!" exclaimed the provoking Willis, with exaggerated disgust. "Breakfast before love! That's modern chivalry!"

"It isn't that, youngster," said Boyd, catching him by his shoulders with a gesture strikingly like his father's; "you'll know when you're older that it isn't respectable to call on young ladies at such an hour."

"Oh, well, for that matter, being in love is not respectable anyway," answered Willis contentedly.

"Boys, boys!" said their mother, half laughing, wholly in earnest, "a man is never so worthy of respect as when he is in love—and remains in love. That's why I have such a high esteem for your father here."

"Or course, of course," said the colonel, swelling visibly at the compliment, "but here's Dinah, and breakfast is ready. Come on, Lucy. Love and breakfast I always found to harmonize admirably in my case—both charming and both necessary. Come, children."

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Probably Charles was making a desperate effort to get away.

Joe Tucker of Rochester was given a job as an R. F. D. man but he tuckered out after only four days of the work. His bondsmen have now to be on to his job until they can tuck him on to somebody who is not so easily discouraged in the line of duty.

Mr. Cole of Cambridge lives not far from Mr. Wooden and a few days since the Wooden house was badly injured by fire before the neighbors subdued the flames. The was no Cole fire, however, at that time.—Adrian Press.

Probably that kind of Cole Wooden burn any way.

Carlton has several cases of small pox and in consequence the merchants there have several cases of goods that the people don't come to buy because they are afraid to venture into the town. This makes the merchants out of patience because none of the patients are out but all are in strict quarantine and there's no danger.

Oakland county has thirty-eight divorce cases on the February circuit court calendar and nearly all of them are uncontested, which rather indicates that a good many of the parties may be willing to make a further trial of the trials of matrimony. No use going to Utah to live, as it's much easier financially to take care of 'em in succession instead of simultaneously.

The employees of Walt Bros. at Pontiac don't have to wait all their days for a good time. While the sleighing was still intact the firm took everybody in its employ on a sleigh ride to Rochester with dinner at the best hotel there as an interlude between going and returning. The way it pleased those clerks to be thus given a good time will have weight with them in their future service.

A lot of Birmingham L. O. T. M.'s went to Pontiac the other evening to spring a surprise on their sisters of the hive there, but the "Lady Bees" were the surprisees as they chose the wrong evening and hilariously hazed in on the Pontiac Elks who were using the hall that night and were about to turn the goat into the arena. The swarm of visitors was welcomed with honeyed words, however, and no stinging remarks were made in regard to the cell they had perpetrated on themselves so there was nothing to make the Bees wax wroth.

Last week's Wyandotte Herald contained a story written by J. A. Charles Husted the twelve and one half year old son of Rev. J. F. Husted of that place. The boy claims a distant relationship to Mark Twain. The story is exceedingly and extremely creditable for a child of that age but all the same the Herald has no doubt gotten itself into all sorts of hot water by its encouragement of the youthful writer, as about 999 parents of other infant prodigies whose talent lies mostly in their imaginations and the fond partiality of their relatives will straightway overwhelm the Herald man with remarkable effusions "equal or superior" to the one published.

The Adrian Press has a "spring poet" even this early in the season. Here are a couple of samples out of the half column entitled "Signs of Spring" last week's Press sprung on its inoffensive readers:

"There is a new game known as Finch,

For amusement 'twill do at a pinch. Half a dollar will buy it.

"Get busy" and try it. To learn how to play is a cinch.

[Get Finch cards at the Press office.]

There's a warm kind of fuel called wood.

We'd enjoy its kind warmth if we could.

Get out on the road And bring us a load.

You'd get the glad hand if you should.

[This is no joke.]

## WIRELESS FOR NAVY

THE NEW SYSTEM ADOPTED FOR USE ON OUR WARSHIPS.

The De Forest Method and How It Differs From That of Marconi—Work of Young American Inventor Who Is a Graduate of Yale.

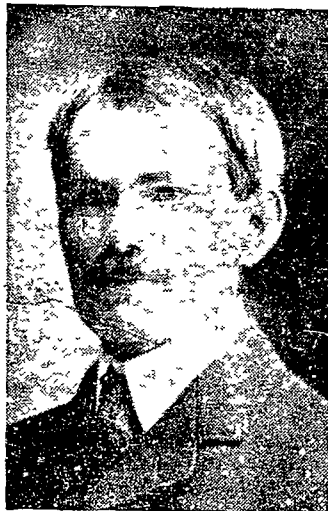
Marconi's system of wireless telegraphy has a rival in an American system which has been adopted by the United States navy after tests which were satisfactory to the department. The new system is the invention of a young American, Dr. Lee De Forest, a graduate of Yale university of the class of 1896.

The De Forest system, like all of the wireless systems of telegraphy, is based on the Hertzian wave theory. The vital difference between the Marconi and the De Forest systems involves the coherer, a glass tube filled with metal filings which is used by practically all the systems except the De Forest. The De Forest device is equipped with a substitute for the coherer, and this method is called the responder. The inventor claims the substitution gives his instrument a great advantage and that in this respect his method is superior.

Dr. De Forest says the disadvantages of the coherer are the necessity of a mechanical decohering device, the complication of apparatus, uncertainty of action and "time lag," by reason of which the speed of word transmission is limited to the capacity of the receiving instruments and on account of which great care must be taken by the sending operator not to exceed in speed the ability of the receiving instrument to record his messages. Fifteen words per minute is the maximum speed of the coherer system, according to Dr. De Forest.

The inventor of the new system says the "responder" is absolutely automatic in its action obviating the necessity of coherers, decoherers and induction coils. It affords absolute precision and accuracy in operation, simplicity of construction, and in rapidity of word transmission is only limited to the skill of the operator.

Dr. De Forest believes his system solves the problem of the future commercial success of wireless telegraphy. Under ordinary conditions a speed of forty words a minute can be easily



DR. LEE DE FOREST

maintained. In the Marconi system a rather awkward lever forms the sender, while the De Forest mechanism is fitted with Morse keys.

It was while Dr. De Forest was a student at the Sheffield school at Yale that he made his discovery of the "responder." While there the degree of Ph. D. was conferred upon him for special scientific researches into the subject of Hertzian wave phenomena. His work at Yale was supplemented at the Armour Institute of Technology, Chicago, in whose laboratories the efforts of the inventor were favored to the problem. The invention is the product of years of work and experiment along original lines.

Stations are being constructed by the De Forest company at Cape Hatteras and Block Island, 300 miles apart. From these two stations coasting steamers will be kept constantly in touch with the land. Besides these the company already has stations at Key West, Havana, San Juan, St. Thomas, V. I., Nassau, Bahamas, and Vera Cruz, Mexico. A line of stations will also be established between New York and Chicago.

Dr. De Forest says that despite the difference between his system and Marconi's the messages of both are intercepted easily. The remedy for this obstacle is said to be a synthetic system, and this improvement is being tried by both inventors. Dr. De Forest is not chary in his praise of Marconi. He said recently:

"Of course Marconi will go down in history as the inventor of wireless telegraphy. It is the same principle as in the case of the telephone. Elisha Gray really invented the system, but Alexander Graham Bell introduced the telephone into use. We have been theorists and experimenters, and although our invention may have been as advanced as that of the Italian, he gave his work to the world first. Marconi is entitled to every honor and every emolument that may come to him, for he is a genius and has shown astounding energy."

## Was Deluded.

Mrs. Muggins—How long had you known your husband before you married him?

Mrs. Buzzins—I didn't know him at all. I only thought I did.—Philadelphia Record.

## FRESH FROM FEZ.

The sultan of Morocco tells the world to stand aside: Says to give him room to travel, wants the road extremely wide: Says he thinks he'll do some fighting, and he wants to swing his arm With a keen and airy stabber to the tune of war's alarm. But the world keeps on a-moving, spite of all the sultan says, For the sultan has the habit of conversing through his fez.

There are rebels all about him, and they've chased him here and there. Till he hasn't time nor chance nor thought nor breath enough to swear, And he's telling how he'll bottle 'em till he strikes the final ditch. But there are so many ditches that he can't say which is which. That is why the world is wagging with no heed to what he says. For the sultan's in a corner and is talking through his fez.

There's a moral in the sultan (it's about the only one, And it may be palliation for these verses and their puns— This, We ought to do our fighting when we get into the fray And reserve our conversation till the battle goes our way. For the world keeps swinging onward, deaf to all the sultan says. Knowing of his reputation for conversing through his fez.

—Chicago Tribune.

## A Claim in a Cold Spot.



Miss Frost—He said he laid claim to my heart.

Miss Thaw—What did you say?

Miss Frost—I told him it was a good deal like staking out a claim in the Klondike.—New York Times.

## A Saver of Coal.

"That young Tompkins, who is attentive to our Kate, is a fine fellow."

"I thought you said you didn't like his looks."

"Maybe I did, but I like his manners. You know the furnace went out last night while he was here, and I stepped into the parlor and asked him if it was too cold for him. And he said that if anything he liked it a little colder. There's the man to encourage for a steady caller."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## The Hotel of 2003.

Clerk—Michael, are you about through moving those trunks?

Porter—Yes, sir, in a few minutes.

"Well, when you've finished, stretch the life net over the front pavement. Mrs. Hibbald has just telephoned from the top floor that her husband has fallen out of the window."—Smart Set.

## Worried Anyhow.

"Percy, my boy, I'm worried to death about something."

"What in the world are you worried about, old chap?"

"That's the trouble. For the life of me, I can't remember."—Life.

## He Did Indeed.

Rodrick—Where in the world did Darwin get the theory that our ancestors were simians? Adam was a man. Van Albert—Yes, but when he ate that apple he made a monkey of himself.—Denver News.

## His Income.

"What is your husband's income now?" inquired her mother.

"Well," replied the long suffering wife, "it's usually anywhere between 1 and 4 o'clock in the morning."—Philadelphia Press.

## Enough Said.

Josh—I think the judge ought to be re-elected.

Spils—Sure! He sent two of them automobile fellers to jail.—Puck.

## The Unkindest Cut.

Jimmie—You can tick me all you want to, ma, but I wish you'd take sis away. I don't want her to gloat over it.

## Not Wholly Satisfactory.



Friend—Is Bill's standing good at college?

Farmer Cornhusk—Not exactly what I'd call good. The feller kinder sags at the knees an' leans forward an' sorter waggles. 'Tain't what I call peart or graceful.—Chicago News.

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In the past decade the Methodists in Ireland have increased 11.27 per cent, their number now being 62,000. The Roman Catholics have declined 8.7 per cent and the Church of Ireland 3.2 per cent.

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causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach, and wards off and overcomes disease. J. E. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Christman, Tex., says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by use of Kodol I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me, and after taking four bottles I am fully restored to my usual strength, weight and health."—Murdock Bros.

**Mexican Government Buys Road.**  
The Mexican government has purchased the major part of the recent issue of Inter-oceanic railroad company's bonds thus obtaining the controlling interest in the road.

**True to Unfortunate Husband.**  
The wife of Charles L. Grice, a prominent railroad man of Missouri who was recently declared insane, has set apart \$30,000 in bonds and stocks, the income of which is to be devoted to his support.

## Dislocated Her Shoulder.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm of Fergus Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep which she had not done for several days. The son was so much pleased with the relief it gave his mother that he has since recommended it to many others. For sale by Geo. C. Hueston.

## May Erect Chinese Hospital.

The Chinese of New York are planning to erect a hospital in the Chinatown of that city, where their sick may be treated by physicians of their own race. This hospital, if it is established, is to be conducted on the Oriental plan, and will be a distinct oddity in this country.

State of Ohio vs. Toledo Lucas County ss—Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the regular partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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## "Baby" of Family Reunion.

There was a notable family reunion at Welland, Ont., recently at which the six children of the late Jacob Pound assembled to celebrate the birthday of "the baby of the family," who has attained the age of 80 years.

**Says Germany Covets Denmark.**  
Prof. Freeman, United States consul at Copenhagen, has just arrived at his home in Madison, Wis. He says he believes that Germany will ultimately absorb Denmark, as the Kaiser covets that country.

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**Want Treatises on Fish Poison.**  
In view of the frequent deaths following the eating of some kinds of raw smoked fish, the Academy of St. Petersburg offers 7,500 rubles in prizes for the best treatises on fish poison.

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The father of a youth who was killed in a football game is prowling the country with a shotgun looking for members of the opposing team. If this sort of crankiness is to be tolerated there is great danger that a noble pastime may fall into disuse.

**A NIGHT ALARM.**  
Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. E. L. Corber, of Manumungo, Ky., writes: "My three-year-old girl had a severe case of croup, the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Murdock Bros.

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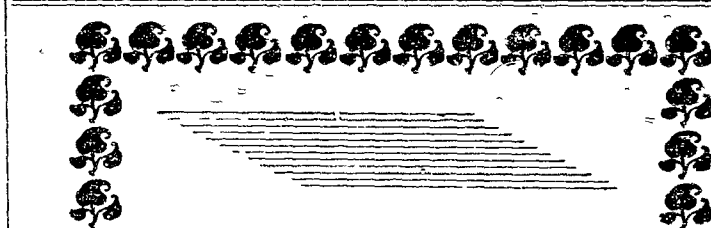
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