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NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

BILL TO PUT BACK THE SPARROW BOUNTY.

The Railroad Commissioner Wants to Expand a Little.

The newspapers who criticize the \$3,000 expense of the junket trip to the upper peninsula state institutions forget that such visits usually save the state about one hundred thousand dollars when it comes to appropriations. Another thing that is also lost sight of is that this same expense is incurred every year and it amounts to the same thing whether committees go in a bunch or each committee goes alone, and they only receive pay for visiting the institution to which they are appointed. If committees do their duty, the money is well invested.

A bill has been introduced by Mr. Neal reducing the military tax levy from five cents to three cents. Inasmuch as the Dicks U. S. law now takes care of the state encampments it is figured that this reduction would save the taxpayers over fifty thousand dollars a year without in any way crippling the military service.

The Wayne county school commissioner is the poorest paid officer in the county and no other official does more work. The commissioner has 314 schools to look after, to say nothing about examinations and much other routine work. The fact that it is a county office is probably the reason of the low salary of \$1,500. If it came from the city it would long ago have been raised.

A bill has passed the house putting the township and village boards of health expenses up to the board of supervisors of each county and only necessary expenses need be allowed. Heretofore it is claimed that doctors on contagious diseases have worked great grafts on the various towns and municipalities.

Railroad Commissioner Atwood is desirous of bringing all telegraph and telephone companies, as well as street railway lines under the control of his office. A bill for the purpose, relating to the street lines, has already been introduced as drafted by himself. Senator Brown, the Tuscola man who has succeeded to Atwood's seat, has introduced a bill to create a telegraph and telephone commission. The plan is said to be to make the railroad commissioner the commissioner of telegraph and telephone and street railways.

A bill has been introduced which would appropriate a lot of money for the purpose of building a new home for epileptics. The bill is not likely to pass, but if it does Rep. Neal will endeavor to tack on an amendment providing that the site shall be in Wayne county.

A bill to reinstate the bounty on sparrows has made its appearance and meets with quite a bit of favor thus far.

Mum, Is the Word.

To tell the truth when it ought not to be told is often the meanest thing a newspaper or a person can do. It is easily possible for a truth to do more harm than a lie. We believe the worst habit of the worst newspapers is hunting up and printing truths that are not called for by any public interest, and the effect of whose publication is to bring shame and sometimes ruin upon individuals or families. Men and women have been driven to suicide by having their early mistakes or misfortunes served up in sensational newspapers for no other purpose than to make racy reading. Some of the most detested social pests are persons who plume themselves on their love of truth. Between the man or woman who will tell a white lie to shield another and the one who, in season and out of season, insists on telling "the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth," commend us to the former.

"Cereal Coffee" can be had for 10c per package at the following grocery stores: R. H. Purdy, R. A. Wheeler. Each package contains a premium ticket.

WHAT HOME SCIENCE MAY DO FOR SOCIETY WOMEN.



—Chicago Record-Herald.

Shaw-West Wedding at Novi.

A very pleasant social event occurred Wednesday evening, Feb. 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton West in Novi township; the occasion being the marriage of their daughter Irma, to Mr. Clifford Shaw. Rev. L. D. Boynton of Wixom officiated, using the ring ceremony. Little Merry and Carrie West acted as flower girls and preceded the bridal party, scattering flowers along their path as they entered the parlor to the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by the bride's cousin, Miss Alice Laphman, of Plymouth.

The bride was attended by Miss Blanche Dunham of Northville and Mr. Ralph Mosher of Detroit acted as best man. The bride was attired in cream French poplin embroidered with blue and cream peau de soie and carried bridal roses. Miss Dunham wore a white muslin de sole and carried plak tea roses. The rooms were decorated in white and green. An especial feature in the parlor was a bank of flowers and foliage under a canopy of white with a decorated horse-shoe suspended from the center.

After the ceremony and congratulations Miss Estella Angell and Burlington Jones ushered the guests into the dining room where a superb supper was served to about eighty guests, the bridal party occupying a table decorated with tea roses. Suspended from above were festoons of white ribbon tied in large bows at each corner of the table. The happy pair received many costly and beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw are well known and very highly esteemed by a large circle of friends who sincerely wish them a most happy future.

Guests were present from Detroit, Dearborn, Plymouth, Orchard Lake, Farmington, Northville, Brighton and Wallied Lake.

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration of the Village of Northville, Wayne county, Michigan, will meet in the office of the clerk (Murdock's Drug Store) on Saturday, March 7, 1903, from 9-00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m. for the purpose of completing the registration of electors of said village.

THOS. E. MURDOCK, CLERK.
Dated Northville, Feb. 21, 1903.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual election for the Village of Northville, Wayne county, Michigan, will be held in the Village hall in said Village on Monday, March 9, 1903, from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. where the electors shall vote for a President, three Trustees, Clerk, Treasurer and Assessor for said Village for full terms.

THOS. E. MURDOCK, CLERK.
Dated Northville, Feb. 21, 1903.

Ladies, Please Skip This.

After carefully thinking the matter over we have decided that it is our duty to publish the following selection for the benefit of our male subscribers, but as it should not be read by ladies we insert it wrong side up, so that there may be no possibility of giving offense:

If there's anything worse a woman,
If she had to stand on her head,
We new she'd get at it somehow,
There lines she's already read.
Now, I'll weight her feet to a fair thing,
If she had to stand on her head,
But I'll put it on any how,
If something she ought not to know,
If there's anything worse a woman,
—Stolen.

BENTON FOR COUNTY AUDITOR

HIS FRIENDS WILL BOOM HIM IN 1904.

He's a Hustler and Will Make a Great Canvasser.

Friends of Cass R. Benton of Northville are grooming him for the county auditorship which will be made vacant a year from next fall by the expiration of the term of T. H. Christian. Benton's sponsors admit that it is just a trifle early to consider the matter, but declare that the early bird gets the worm. Auditor Christian has his eagle eye fixed on the same worm, and intimates that he will be birdie on the spot when the proper time comes. It is said there is some significance attached to the early announcement of Benton's candidacy, for John Nash, defeated candidate for poor commissioner, is talking for Benton. Senator Goodell who backed Nash for the poor commissionership is also talking for Benton. The auditorship which will be vacant a year from next fall is conceded to some resident of Wayne county outside of this city, but in the meantime more interest will be manifested in the contest between Auditor Lou Burt and J. J. Haarer for the place which will shortly be made vacant by the expiration of Burt's term.—Detroit Free Press.

Supervisor Benton is certainly a hustler and he will make a canvasser that will astonish even the natives of Detroit when the time comes.

Card of Thanks.

With heartfelt gratitude we wish to return our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the sad hour of our affliction.

MR. AND MRS. H. J. MOONEY AND FAMILY.

VILLAGE ELECTION AGAIN AT HAND

ELECTORS MUST SOON CHOOSE OFFICERS.

Plenty of Good Men and True to Select From.

As announced elsewhere in this issue the time for the annual village caucuses is at hand and a portion of our citizens must soon get together with greater or less unanimity, enthusiasm, and all the rest of the required ingredients and name some other citizens to perform the by no means light task of administering the municipal affairs of this commonwealth.

There is no lack of good material out of which to make presidents, clerks and aldermen, but those positions are not wildly sought after, and as they do a great deal of work and responsibility without a proportionate amount of honors and emoluments, as is the case in all similar situations.

There will, as usual, be two tickets in the field, and also, as usual, the electors will no doubt make their selections from both. Praise is heard on all sides for the ability and competency with which the present council has discharged its duties in the face of the serious handicap of previously prevailing unavoidable conditions, and could its members be persuaded to accept a wholesale renomination no doubt they could keep right on in their good work. However, it is understood that some of them have no ambition to so continue and in fact positively refuse to allow their names to run, so some others must perforce take up the business of the corporation in their stead.

It is currently believed that Clerk Murdock and Treasurer Pomeroy will again be prevailed on to go on the tickets, and although nothing very definite is asserted in regard to presidential and aldermanic possibilities names frequently mentioned are those of C. L. Dunsar, E. H. Lapham, T. G. Richardson, B. A. Wheeler, A. S. Parsons and others, any of whom would, if nominated and elected, make able and efficient officers. In any event the Record wishes success to Northville's next president and his cabinet whoever they may be.

Selling the Editor.

It seems to be the prevailing style here that if anyone has a "self" or joke to "get off" he first tries it on the editor.

The other-day a man with a face on him like an interrogation point, asked us why this town was called Northville. We answered at length that it was so named because it was the north village of the county. "No," said he, as he knocked us down and trod on us, "it is called Northville because that is its name."

Another guy asked us did we know Sallie, and when we said, "Sallie who?" he answered "Saleratus."

Buy your coal of M. S. Ambley, Northville.

THE SOUTHERNERS.

THE readers of the Record are perhaps more fortunate than they are aware of in having their present privilege of what is practically an advance perusal of Cyrus Townsend Brady's intensely interesting story "THE SOUTHERNERS," now running as a serial in this paper. Mr. Brady is perhaps best known by his books, "Woven With the Ship," "Hohenzollern" and "The Quiberon Touch," all of which have "taken" immensely with the public. "THE SOUTHERNERS," one of the best of the many good stories of the civil war, is to begin its appearance as a serial in the May number of one of the leading American Magazines, and will probably not be published in book form until next fall, and thus the people who read the Record are given a literary treat that is yet to come for a whole lot less fortunate folks. In this story Mr. Brady has fully sustained the reputation he has won by his previous work, and all who appreciate such an unusual opportunity should lose no time in availing themselves of this one.

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PRODUCING BEET SUGAR.

F. R. Hathaway Gives Important Statistics to Farmers.

Oyosso, Mich., Feb. 25.—The eighth annual roundup of the Michigan Farmers' institutes, under control of the state board of agriculture, in co-operation with the Shiawassee County Institute society, began here Tuesday.

Hon. A. L. Chandler of Corunna presided at the morning session and gave a sensible introductory talk, devoid of frills. He warned the farmers that they must apply the ideas they get with good, hard work, or the institute will be valueless.

Some interesting figures on the beet sugar industry were given by F. R. Hathaway, treasurer and general manager of the Alma Sugar company. He says it costs \$600,000 to build a plant to cut 600 tons of beets daily. Each ton of beets nets 200 pounds of sugar.

Professor John Craig of Cornell university addressed the convention in the afternoon on the care of the apple orchard. He pleaded for the orchard which is often neglected. The record printer necessarily creates a favorable impression for you and for what you offer, and becomes a factor in selling your goods. Then who pays the printer? Your customer.

Michigan Patents

Washington, Feb. 25.—Michigan patents were allowed Tuesday as follows: James R. Burgess, Port Huron, pneumatic conveyor; Charles E. Dugan, Detroit, shield or protector for trunks; etc.

A Raving Maniac.

Morenci, Mich., Feb. 25.—Harvey Keller, a young mechanic here, has become insane and threatened the lives of his wife and children Monday night.

They Lost Their Lives.

Feb. 25.—Several deaths were made the assistance of eight people windows of a corner of State.

Convicts.

Convicts in those maintained 2 year.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

State Solons Have Been Giving the Subject a Great Deal of Attention.

BILLS ARE NOW IN THE SENATE

Close of the Fifty-Day Limit for the Introduction of Measures—Time-Honored Bills.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 24.—The legislators have been giving considerable attention to primary bills during the past few days and will give them more attention later in the present week. In the senate the primary election bill for Kent county—and the Wayne county bill will be disposed of this week—has been made the special order for March 12, while the house has set aside Thursday afternoon of this week for a general hearing before the elections committee.

End of the Fifty-Day Limit.

The fifty day limit for the introduction of bills will expire tomorrow, and the indications are that nothing in this line will be neglected. More bills have now been introduced than at this time two years ago, and the supply appears to be exhaustless. Pretty much every subject ever heard of is covered by the measures now in, and as a majority of the bills introduced will be slaughtered, the bill hereafter is sure to receive a substantial acquisition by the time final adjournment is reached.

Licenses for Pawnbrokers.

Those who own of Michigan who find it necessary or convenient to arrange with their uncle for an occasional loan will be interested in Senator Goodell's bill regulating the business of pawnbrokers in cities. It provides that all pawnbrokers must be licensed by the mayor of the city and give a bond in the sum of \$10,000, the fee for the license being \$1 per year.

Relates to Negotiable Instruments.

A bill prepared by the American Bar Association and designed to secure uniformity in the laws relating to negotiable instruments is once more before the Michigan legislature. This bill has been passed by the legislatures of several states and is the object of the bar association is to have it placed on the statute books of all the states.

Amendments to Tax Law.

The state tax commission's experience of the past five years has persuaded the commissioners that a number of amendments to the existing tax law are desirable. For this reason the commissioners have had introduced in the senate about a dozen bills embodying the changes proposed. One provides for equalizing assessments by putting them on a cash basis, another wholly exempts household furniture from taxation, a third makes it unnecessary for taxpayers to include real estate in their sworn statements to assessors.

Appropriation for University.

The proposed war on the law providing a one-fourth mill tax for the support of the university has been inaugurated, but in a different form than was anticipated. Representative Randall, who led the fight in previous sessions, has offered a bill giving the university a fixed appropriation of \$300,000 per year, whereas under the one fourth mill tax its revenue last year was about \$400,000.

Roll of Supreme Court.

The members of the state bar association are more than ever impressed

with the idea that there is imperative necessity for relieving the supreme court in order that litigation may be expedited and the rights of litigants thereby fully protected. The court is a hardworking body, but it is now about 100 cases behind and many cases have not yet been heard. At the instance of the lawyers of the state, Rep. Wade has introduced two joint resolutions bearing upon this subject. One of these proposes a constitutional amendment increasing the number of justices from five to eight, and the other seeks to amend the constitution so as to revive the old project of establishing an intermediate court with final jurisdiction in certain classes of cases, thus relieving the supreme court of about one-third of the cases it is now required to hear and determine.

Time-Honored Bills.

The time-honored bills designed to require telegraph and express companies to exchange business and to establish uniform rates which these companies shall charge have again made their appearance. Their introducers hope to be able to scrape the moss off these measures and inject into them sufficient ginger to enable them to skate through the two houses and become laws. Instances are cited where each of the classes of companies named charge nearly twice as much for sending a package or message from points in the upper peninsula to Lansing as they do for sending a like package or message from Lansing to the same points above the straits, while interchange of business is refused.

Another important measure which has gone unheeded so far as the enactment of new laws is concerned through many administrations which has once more made its bow, seeks to require sleeping car companies to pay something like an adequate rate of taxation in Michigan. Under the present system the state treasury is enriched from this source by something like \$10 per annum. Senator Van Akin of Monroe will endeavor to correct this inequality this year but he may not succeed.

The past week has brought out two more measures which contemplate the creation of new state boards. One of these bills provides for the appointment by the governor of a board of examiners of statutory engineers. The board is to consist of a chief examiner and two assistants who are to receive salaries of \$2,500 and \$1,500 respectively. The other bill provides for the appointment of a state architect and superintendent of public buildings or construction. Thus far the legislators have not evinced any marked disposition to increase the number of state boards.

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JAMES V. BARRY.

WHITE HOUSE GAYETY

WASHINGTON'S gay young set, led by Miss Alice Roosevelt, has followed the merriest pace this winter that society at the national capital has ever experienced. As a result of the continual round of dances and dinners many of the older ladies have been compelled to call a halt. So the advent of the Lenten season has been hailed as a welcome relief.

The winter of 1903 in Washington has been notable for the number and

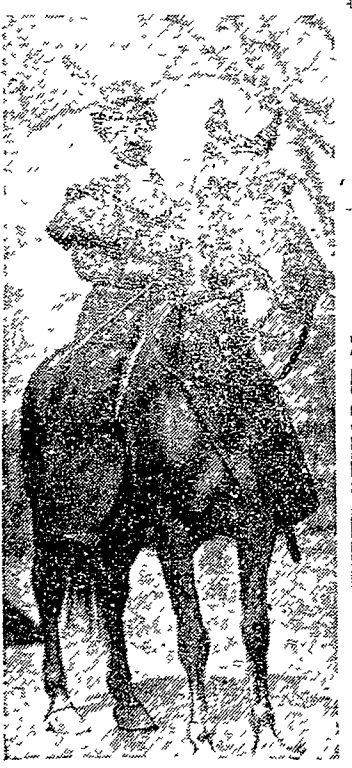


MISS HILDEGARDE MCKENNA.

beauty of its buds, with the president's fair young daughter foremost in the ranks. Set, as it were, on a pedestal before the world, Miss Roosevelt has had an arduous duty to perform and has not fallen short of what was expected of her. Indeed it is much to her credit that, young and inexperienced as she is, she has most graciously filled her role as leader of the young set.

The social pathway of the debutante is by no means one of ease, especially when, as has been the case this winter, there has been an unusual round of gayety. To be a favorite the fair debutante must not only look pretty and smile sweetly, but must be versed in the arts of worldly wisdom and even be able on occasion to discuss politics. Since her introduction to society last winter at the large ball that was given to her and the first to be held in the White House in a decade Miss Roosevelt has been budding into attractive young womanhood, and as she gains in health she has developed in beauty.

Last year her gowns were such as are suitable to debutantes simple and dainty mousselines. This year she seems to have graduated from the simple frock to the more elaborate toilet of the society belle, and gauzes, heavy



MISS MASON OF CHICAGO

ly pailletted in silver, and velvets seem to suit her lithe and graceful figure. One of Miss Roosevelt's greatest charms is her vivacity. She is also very quick at repartee, and it goes without saying that she is one of the most sought after young women in society at the capital.

Among the most prominent of the season's buds is Miss Pansy Bloomer, one of Miss Roosevelt's most intimate friends. Both are accomplished horsewomen and greatly interested in all things athletic. Another of the fair coterie is Miss Anne Ewing Cockrell, daughter of the senator from Missouri. Miss Cockrell has spent several years abroad in the completion of her education and, like her older sister, Marion, who was married a few days ago to Edson Gallaudet, is very fair to look upon.

Others on the list of this winter's

Great Year For Buds at the Capital—Older Ladies Succumb to Social Pressure

output are Miss Du Boies of the army and navy circle, also a friend of Miss Alice; Miss Mason, daughter of Senator Mason of Illinois, and Miss Calderon, daughter of the Peruvian minister. The recent debut of the latter was marked by a tea at the legation, thus establishing a precedent among Spanish speaking countries, since it was the first to follow the American custom of bringing out a debutante, and Miss Calderon made her bow to society just as any American girl would have done.

Miss Crosby is quite a belle in the navy set, and the list is further swelled by Miss Carolyn Huff, Miss Diane Morgan Hill, Miss Caroline Postel-Watte, Miss Annie McCauley and Miss Florence Field, stepdaughter of Thomas Nelson Page.

Miss Hildegard McKenna, one of the recent debutantes of the supreme court circle, is the third daughter of Associate Justice McKenna. She is one of the belles of the capital, a striking type, with chestnut brown hair and blue eyes and a fair skin. She is pliant and vivacious, and, although pleasure loving and greatly sought after in society, like her sisters she turns to the more serious subjects of life and is a devout church member and prominent in many of the leading charities under the auspices of the Roman Catholic church.

Still another is Miss Rebekah Page Knox, daughter of the attorney general. Like her mother, Miss Knox holds an enviable place in popularity at Washington. She is petite and dark and one of the most beautifully gowned young women of the official circle. Though indifferent to the attractions of general society she is extremely fond of sociabilities in her own immediate

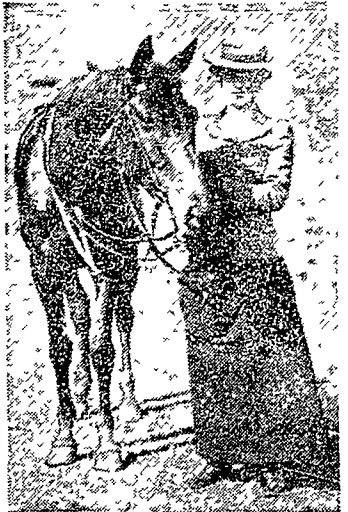


MISS DU BOIES

circle. Miss Knox inherits her mother's affability and gracious manner, that have made her justly popular, and also her father's strictness. She spends much of her time with her old friends in Pittsburg and contemplated a trip around the world this winter, which had to be abandoned on account of delicate health.

But while the young folks have enjoyed themselves the past winter the older people have been tired out. Mrs. Roosevelt has fallen a victim to the excessive social demands placed upon the first lady of the land by official precedent and her own desire to make the White House the most hospitable in the national capital. She is under orders to rest and cancel her immediate social engagements.

Though none of the other ladies of the cabinet circle has yet had to give up her participation in the official functions of the season, several have been very much fatigued by the great length of the state receptions at the White House. It seems not improbable that they will profit by the experience



MISS PANSY BLOOMER.

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Purely Personal.

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

Allison Stillson was a Salem visitor Sunday.

Dr. Elliott of Gaylord has been in town for a few days.

Mrs. Augusta Mufdock is spending a few weeks in Detroit.

Miss Eleanor Rasch was home from Detroit over Sunday.

John Wait of Novi was a guest at A. G. Harmon's Saturday.

Perry Lamb of Novi called on Northville friends Monday.

Charles Blair of Flint is spending a few weeks with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harmon visited relatives in Detroit Wednesday.

Mrs. Van Aken of Redford was the guest of Mrs. C. M. Joslin last Friday.

Mrs. Elmer VanLeuven has been spending a few days in Detroit this week.

Mrs. J. F. Dunham and sister, Mrs. J. D. Hazen, spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Mrs. Urban Gude of South Lyon has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Wm. Ely.

Mrs. S. H. Nicholson left yesterday for a week's visit with her daughter in Allouan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dart are entertaining the former's two sisters this week.

Mrs. D. E. Cole is in Pontiac assisting in the care of her mother, who is sick.

John McCully was called to Canada this week on account of the illness of his mother.

Charles E. Burgess of Grand Rapids visited Northville friends the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith of Lyon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Northrop Tuesday.

Miss Jerry Simpson of Plymouth was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Naylor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers and children of Novi visited in Northville from Saturday until Monday.

Alpheus Angell and family attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Irma West, in West Novi last week.

Mrs. E. J. Vradenburg and Mrs. Albert Vradenburg spent part of last week visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss Blanche Dunham acted as bridesmaid at the marriage of her friend Miss West in West Novi last week.

W. H. Ambler, J. C. Danham and their families attended the Shaw-West wedding at West Novi last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Church, recently from Reno, Nevada, are spending a few weeks with their daughter, Miss O. M. Thasher.

Mrs. Kate Yerkes was called to Detroit Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her sister's husband, Mr. Hollingshead.

George Nollar Sr., of Salem who has recently returned from an extended stay with his sons in Montana, was in town yesterday.

William Lawrence is home from his work in the Auditor General's office in Lansing on account of an attack of the prevailing epidemic.

Mrs. Chas. Yerkes has returned from St. Johns, where she had been called by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Bristol, who is better at this writing.

Miss Anna Chapin of Novi was the guest of Mrs. Cloud McClelland Monday and Tuesday on her way home from a visit at Grand Blanc, Owosso and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McVear visited part of the week among Novi friends, accompanied by Mr. McVear's sister, Mrs. Forsythe of Canada, who is their guest for a few weeks.

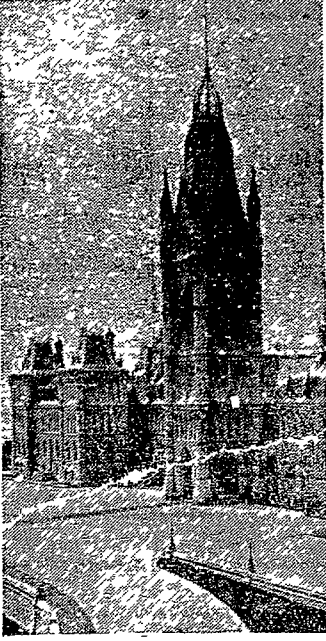
Trying to Agree. Manistee, Mich., Feb. 25.—A meeting between the representatives of the Lake Carriers' association and the International Longshoremen's union is being held in this city to agree, if possible, on a rate of payment for loading timber cargoes on Lakes Michigan and Eron the coming season.

CANADA'S PARLIAMENT.

Why the Coming Session Promises to Be Unusually Warm.

With the opening of the annual session of the parliament of the Dominion of Canada the first week in March will be inaugurated what is felt will prove the most important session of that body that has been held in several years.

From all indications the session will be unusually long. The redistribution bill will be the most important government measure introduced. Under the British North American act the representation of the several provinces of the Dominion is



PARLIAMENT BUILDING OTTAWA

placed on a proportionate basis Quebec is always to have sixty-five members in the house of commons, and the other provinces receive a number bearing the same relation to their individual population as sixty-five bears to the population of Quebec.

According to the census of 1901, the maritime provinces have declined relatively in population, while Manitoba, British Columbia and the Northwest Territories have largely increased. Consequently it is proposed to give the west several additional members and to reduce the representation of the maritime provinces.

This has raised a storm of protest from the latter provinces, which demand that, rather than reduce the number of their representatives, it would be preferable to amend the British North American act by increasing the representation of Quebec.

This will hardly be done, however, and the question will doubtless provoke a great deal of heated discussion. It is likely that in the end the maritime provinces will lose some of their representation.

Railroad matters will occupy a large proportion of the time of parliament. The project of the Grand Trunk for a transcontinental line will be fully discussed when the company's request for assistance comes up. There is a growing sentiment in Canada against granting either cash or land subsidies to railroads.

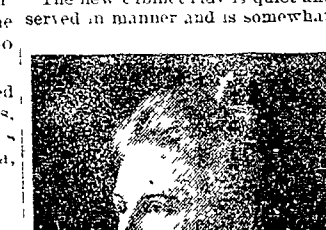
It is not certain that the government will initiate any great change in the tariff. The tendency in this matter is rather to lower than raise rates. The Conservative opposition however is strongly demanding increases in the tariff which will effectively meet the existing United States tariff. Indeed from present indications our friends across the border will make things lively in Ottawa during the coming spring and summer.

THE NEW CABINET LADY. Mrs. Cortelyou, wife of the Secretary of Commerce.

Mrs. George B. Cortelyou, wife of the secretary of commerce, the newest addition to the cabinet is well known in Washington, having resided there since her husband entered the public service. For the past five years she has been in close contact with the other notables who make up official society.

The new cabinet lady is quiet and reserved in manner and is somewhat domestic in her tastes. Her maiden name was the M. Hinds, and she is a daughter of Dr. John Hinds, president of the uptown (N. Y.) institute.

From the mother of four children, three boys and a baby girl, and has not been much in society this winter because of an outbreak of measles in the family. Secretary and Mrs. Cortelyou have a pleasant home on Capitol Hill.



MRS. GEORGE B. CORTELYOU.

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. Henry, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

May Change His Mind, Eh? A man about to be married should never take himself off into a corner and ask himself Why—Attensor Globe.

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. P. L. Corcher, of Manly, 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 Murray Bros."

Cold English Homes. An American woman in London writes: "I have said that I am at a loss to know whether the lack of heat in English homes and business buildings is caused by hardness or stinginess. I used to think it the latter till I found numerous delightful English friends objected to my own heated home. Actually some of them 'cut me every winter so far as calling on me is concerned, because they say my rooms are too 'stuffy' and 'hot.'"

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and State of Ohio, 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.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sold before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1902. A. W. GIBSON, Notary Public.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best. Regular meeting of common council was held Monday evening, February 2, 1903. Present: President Johnson, Trustees Perrin Stanley, Phillips Harmon.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid: Record Printing, \$ 4.30; S. Montgomery, 2.75; E. N. Perrin, .90; Northville Tel Co, 1.00; B. Wilkinson, .40; Wm. Phillips, .67.11; Republic Oil Co, 4.00; Gas Appliance Co, 55.55; Kenneth Anderson & Co, 20.82; Century Glass Co, 7.91; Freight, 2.98; Elec. Supply & Engineer Co, 117.14; Aaron Taft, 13.25; Wm. Phillips, 4.10; Jas. Shaw et al, 3.95; Bell Tel Co, 1.80.

On motion council adjourned. T. E. MURDOCK, Clerk. Special meeting of common council was held Friday evening, February 13, 1903. Present: President Johnson, Trustees Kohler, Stanley, Phillips Knapp, Perrin and Harmon.

Trustees Phillips and Stanley were appointed as board of registration, Trustees Knapp, Kohler and Harmon as commissioners of election, and Trustees Phillips and Stanley as inspectors of election. Council adjourned. T. E. MURDOCK, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of JAMES GILMORD deceased. We the undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the said deceased do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of Wm. H. Ambler in Northville in said county, on Wednesday the 27th day of March A. D. 1903 and on Thursday the sixth day of August, A. D. 1903 at ten o'clock a. m. in each of said days for the purpose of receiving and allowing and paying claims and debts of the said deceased and that six months from the 6th day of February A. D. 1903, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated February 13th 1903.

WM. H. AMBLER, LEWIS W. HUTTON, Commissioners.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville. 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 thirteenth 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 MATILDA BARY HART deceased. On reading and filing the petition of George Barnhart praying that a administration of said estate may be granted to Charles E. Morice or some other suitable person. It is ordered that the seventeenth day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing in the Northville Record a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

EDGAR O. DURFEE, (A true copy.) Judge of Probate. HENRY S. HULBERT, Register.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville. 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 THURSTY M. CUMMINGS, a mentally incompetent person. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Charles W. Valentine, guardian of said incompetent, praying that he may be licensed to borrow money by way of mortgage on the real estate of said incompetent for the purpose of paying her debts and for her support and maintenance. It is ordered that the tenth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition and that the next day of said ward and all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court at said time and place to show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian to mortgage real estate so prayed for in said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

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Choice of all the Jackets, Long Coats and Monte Carlos in the Big Store—regularly worth up to \$35—sale price \$10.

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LADIES' SUITS. Choice of One Hundred in a large assortment of blouse effects—regularly worth up to \$12.50—sale price \$10.00. Choice of One Hundred in blks and all colors—satin lined and dress effects—worth up to \$15—sale price \$10.50. Choice of One Hundred Fifty Fine Suits, in all the latest styles and materials; regularly worth up to \$20—sale price \$10.

A Big Lot of Silk and Waists at 50c. LADIES' SKIRTS. Walking Skirts, assorted in blks and all colors, values up to \$4—sale price \$1.98. Walking and Dress Skirts in blks and colors, \$5 values—sale price \$2.98. Walking and Dress Skirts, immense assortment of styles and colorings, values \$7.50 and \$10—sale price \$5.00. A lot of Fine Silk Skirts—worth \$12.50—sale price \$7.50.

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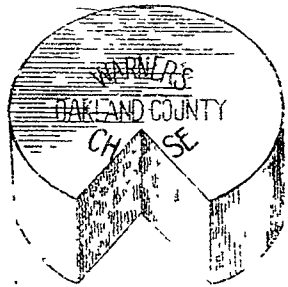
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Country Farms in Townships of Northville, Novi, Commerce, Farmington and Southfield; also Northville Village residence property situated on Main, Dunlap, Center, Grace, Walnut, Cady and Yerkes streets. Some good residence property in exchange for small farm. Also good farm of 120 acres in Farmington for rent for a term of years.

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What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date.

Oats—55c.
Corn in ear—25c. Shelled corn—30c.
Balod hay per ton—\$10.
Wheat 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—\$7.75.
Eggs—13c. Butter—10c and 20c.
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. J. B. Cook is ill with grip.
Mrs. Henry Priest has been very sick this week.
Andrew Rasch who has been sick is now out again.
Mrs. Bert Wood has been on the sick list for some time.
Fred Fry has resumed his work in Detroit after two or three weeks of illness.

The last of the series of O. E. S. card parties will be given at the Masonic Temple March 13th.
Ralph Willis has purchased a house on Griswold avenue and will move there with his family later on.

Mrs. Will Stark and Mrs. Archie Morris entertained a party of ladies at twelve o'clock luncheon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Slight have moved into the rooms in the Kellogg block, recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. L. Langdon.

Next week Saturday, March 7th, is the date for the regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Ladies' Library association.

It is currently reported that the Pere Marquette company is about to build a branch line to Port Huron and will take in Pontiac by the way.

Mrs. Marvin Bogart, formerly of this place, mother of Nelson Bogart lies at the point of death with cancer at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alta McGulre, in Pontiac.

The grip microbe is still on the war path in Northville, and new victims are being added to the enemy's list every day. Nearly every family has one or more sick people.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCully have all been on the list of grip victims this week. Mr. McCully has had the additional misfortune of a very bad carbuncle on his neck.

The Maccabee party in Princess rink Friday evening, March 6th, is not to be a full dress affair as reported. People are going to dress just as they choose, and if there are any "full" ones they will be after supper.

A Northville woman assured her husband that she never told a lie and never would. He told her he did not doubt it, but hereafter he would cut a notch in the piano every time he knew she deceived him. "No you won't!" she cried. "I'm not going to have my piano all ruined!"
The many Northville friends of Mrs. Wm. Nevison of Muskegon will be glad to know that she has so far recovered from the very critical operation she was obliged to undergo in Ann Arbor, that she expects to be taken home next week. It was thought for some days that she could not recover.

It is to be sincerely hoped that the fast departing winter will not find it necessary to give the unfortunate inhabitants of the "temperate" zone any more such farewell "bliffs" as struck the country last week. An irreverent Northville woman was heard to remark that such weather was enough to make people want to be bad so they could see how it seemed to have some prospect of getting thoroughly warmed through some time.

Ask your groceryman for "Cereal Coffee," manufactured in Pontiac, and take no substitute, price only 10c. 29wip.

Mrs. George Slight has been quite seriously ill.

Mrs. M. S. Nichols is quite seriously ill with grip.

Arthur Power entertained a few friends Monday.

Miss Anna Jerome has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Ethel Garfield was given a very pleasant surprise last Saturday by a party of her young friends.

The Opera House orchestra will furnish the music at another of their pleasant dances in the rink this evening.

"The Making of an American" by Jacob Riis, "Temporal Power" by Marie Corelli and "Job Hutton" are new books this week at the library.

D. E. Cole had the misfortune to lose one of his team of beautiful big gray draft horses Saturday. The animal was only sick about ten minutes.

John Joslin has been transferred from Silsbee, Texas, to Antlers, Indian Territory, the climate of the former place proving too "strenuous" for one unaccustomed to it.

The talk on "Health and Physical Culture" at the library last Friday by Mrs. Hoeger of Detroit was very instructive and enjoyable. A number of the Plymouth club women were present.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend the Dicker Party and Mystery Luncheon given by Mrs. Thrasher's Sunday-school class at the Baptist parsonage this evening. Admission ten cents.

George and Martha Washington were very stately and courteous to their guests at the chicken pie supper in the rink Saturday evening, and colonial maidens were too numerous and pretty to mention. Even the cherry tree was in evidence, although the hatchet was not.

All signs fail in Michigan—if connected with the weather. The day before the late unpleasantness in the way of low temperature began, a flock of crows was seen flying northward over Northville and the circumstance was commented on as a sure indication of warm weather for this locality.

The ladies of the "Surprise Club" and "Base Line Pedro Club" were entertained last week by Mrs. Chadwick and Mrs. Power at the house of Mrs. Power. A shout of amusement was given at lunch time when each lady was served with a tin dinner pail containing the typical school lunch. The prizes were tin pails filled with candy.

"Don't send yer paper to me enny more," writes one of our old subscribers "for in one of yer papers you had a whole column about a man named Roosevelt havin a sore on his leg. Now you know doggoned well that for the pas 2 weeks I've had a bile on both legs and a carbuncle on the back of the neck and you never said a word about hit."

A practical woman remarks that the most interesting things in the newspapers to her are the advertising columns. "Long ago," said she, "I quit buying of those who did not advertise. It always seems to me that the merchant who advertises invites me to trade with him; while the one who does not advertise impresses me with the idea that he doesn't care enough for my trade to ask for it. Then, too, I have found that the merchant who advertises has fresher goods, for the reason, I suppose, he sells more."

Baby sleeps and grows while mama rest if Rocky Mountain Tea is given. It's the greatest baby medicine ever offered loving mothers. 35 cents. Murdock Bros.

Fred Wheeler and family are recovering from a severe attack of grip.

Miss Blanché Dunham's school closes this week for a four weeks' vacation.

Dr. F. B. Carruthers drew the shoes at the Palace Shoe House last Saturday evening.

E. J. Cox & Company offer some rare bargains during their going out of business sale. See ad on page 8.

The Woman's Club meets next week Friday afternoon, March 6th, with Mrs. Jerome. Today's meeting is at Mrs. Shank's.

W. E. Ambler has nearly recovered from his severe attack of grip. Mrs. Ambler's father, Mr. Buck, has also been seriously sick.

R. R. McKahan and wife and Mrs. McKahan's mother, who lives with them, are all recovering from a severe siege of grip.

WOODMAN ATTENTION—You are requested to be present at the next regular meeting which occurs Thursday evening, March 5th. Work will be the order of the evening. V. C.

On Saturday at 1.30 p. m. at the Library room, there will be a meeting for the Physical Culture class. Mrs. E. Lisle Hoeger will be present and hope to meet all who are interested in the work.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. C. R. Sonds' next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. The second Red Letter Day of the year will be observed. A welcome is extended to anyone desiring to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thornton entertained the Base-line Pedro club with other invited guests at their pleasant farm home north of the village last Tuesday evening. All voted their royal entertainers.

C. E. Ryder of Salem and A. R. VanAken of this place have rented the building now occupied by N. Nevison and will open a grocery store there in the near future. Mr. Nevison will move his restaurant and bakery next week to the Kellogg block, in the store recently occupied by J. F. Perry & Co.

Divorce Cost Him a Job.
Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 25.—Professor Bernard Sturm of the University school of music has been dismissed owing to the ill favor of the divorce proceedings in which he has become involved. Professor F. W. Keisley for the faculty committee, says Sturm's connection with the school has been severed and that his successor will be announced in a few days.

Frozen to Death.
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Feb. 25.—Harry Pierce was found dead near Strong's siding and Hill's camp. He was last seen Sunday near Strong's, badly intoxicated, and it is supposed he lost his way and, becoming weary, lay down exhausted and froze to death.

Criminal Operation Killed Her.
Mendon, Mich., Feb. 25.—The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the death of Sylvia Winget, a 15-year-old girl of Fort Wayne, Ind., was due to an attempted abortion by some unknown party.

Michigan Postmasters.
Washington, Feb. 25.—Michigan postmasters were appointed Tuesday as follows: Cash, Sanilac county, J. Lynch, vice E. A. Backhouse, resigned; Utica Macomb county, Stuart Beatty, vice Fred H. Clark, resigned.

Finnish Governors Dismissed.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 25.—The czar has dismissed four Finnish governors for opposing the policy of Russia. The remaining three provinces of Finland will in future have Russian governors.

Auction Sales.
D. W. Barber will have an auction sale of live stock, farm implements, etc., on Thursday, March 5, beginning at twelve o'clock, on the Bert Markham farm one and one-half miles south and one-half mile west of Northville. J. L. Brooks auctioneer.

N. A. Clapp having sold his farm will have an auction sale of horses, cattle, hogs, farming tools and other articles at his farm six miles north-west of Northville on Tuesday, March 10, commencing at 10 o'clock.

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.
28th W. H. YERKES, Northville

Clover Seed For Sale.
Prime June clover seed for sale. Inquire of J. D. Hazen, Novi. 29w3p

Next week we will start another Shoe club. Ladies can join as well as gentlemen.
PALACE SHOP, 29w1e.

A Card.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 30-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
Geo. C. Hynes

Presbyterian Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]
The sermon next Sunday evening will be on "The Modern View of Future Punishment."

The offering in Sunday-school next Sunday will be for Home Missions and a special program will be rendered.

All the ladies who were given parts for "The Temple of Fame," which was to have been given last year by one of the divisions of the Aid society, are requested to return manuscript at once to Mrs. Jerome.

Baptist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

The Lord's Supper will be observed next Sunday morning immediately after the preaching service.

Don't forget the Dicker Party and Mystery Luncheon at the parsonage tonight. Ten cents admits to the whole bunch of fun and refreshments.

"With Christ in Failure" will be the sermon theme for next Sunday morning, and "How a Young Man May Become Strong" will be the evening subject.

The monthly business meeting of the B. Y. P. U. will be held at Mrs. Stanley's next Monday evening, because of the ordination services in Plymouth on Tuesday.

A meeting of the board of trustees will be held at the parsonage Monday afternoon at two o'clock. It is hoped each member of the board will see the importance of being present.

The B. Y. P. U. topics for the month of March are taken from the sermon on the Mount, the one for next Sunday evening being "What Christ Teaches About Blessedness." You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Methodist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

The pastor has made 377 calls this conference year.

The Northville Methodist appears next Sunday morning.

The second term of the Northville Bible Reading club has 3,384 credits, of which the south side has 2,021 and the north side 1,363.

Probationers will be received upon probation and those having church letters will be received into church membership next Sunday morning.

When this paper appears an election will have been held the night previous (Thursday) at the church parlors in which some laymen will have been elected to the annual conference to be held in Flint next September.

The Mid Year Festival undertaking appears to meet with favor all around. Favorable responses are coming in rapidly. It will greatly aid the committee if all the return cards could be sent in this week. The eloquent Dr. Elliott will meet with an inspiring audience on Mid-Year night. Success and victory make a joyous banquet. Keep March 26th in mind.

The new century opens a new era in history. Great men together with great nations have been impossible in the past. A great man in a nation made the citizens subject to himself, or a great nation might be only by individuals losing their personality. But in these days—especially in America—the time is come for great nations of great men. The theme for next Sunday morning will be "Great Men and Great Nations," and for the evening, "My Travels in Northville for one Afternoon."

The stewards have signed contracts for the Bavarian Tableaux & Concert Co. to reproduce the Passion Play by moving pictures at the M. E. church Saturday evening, March 14th. This will be a rare treat to the citizens of Northville and vicinity. This is the sacred drama of Oberammergau, Bavaria. Thousands of persons appear, moving, like upon a mammoth screen, revealing the Holy City, the New Born King, the Life of Christ, his passion, resurrection and ascension. Tickets 10 and 25 cents. One hour and a half entertainment of the most thrilling and sacred interest.

"Cereal Coffee."
A new cereal drink has just arrived in town. It has the reputation of being the best substitute for coffee, possessing a flavor much like that of coffee, and is very satisfying. It contains none of the harmful properties of tea or coffee. It is a pure cereal, unadulterated. Those who have tried their samples of "Cereal Coffee" say that it is the finest article of its kind they have ever tried. It is worthy of your patronage.

WANTED—30 cord beech and maple for sale. Inquire of J. D. Hazen, Novi. 29w3p



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The best is none too good...
your stock of us and get the A. S. Huff of Northville, Mich., local representative have a with him.

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delivers to customers...
Pure Sterilized Milk...
Sweet and Sour Cream...
All Kinds of Ice Cream...

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Northville, Michigan and Suburbs
Northville, Mich., corner Wing and
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D. T. B. HENRY, his horses
Surgeon, Office at
street, Office hours
1:00 to 3:00 and
401.
D. F. Case a Vernon visitor
Preservation
and Bridge by and Mrs. Kent are

On Young Peo de's meeting in
Baptist church Sunday evening
30.
Mrs. H. H. Jones and Miss Irma
visited Mrs. Elmer West east
last Friday.
J. Stark of Newburg visited
some of her brother, Charles
last week.

cheese factory will open
the coming season with
per as cheesemaker
Orsuth, a former Novi
of Harrow, Ont. was
Wednesday to Miss Helen
large place.
be a "night-cap" social
this Friday evening
of the Grissold
Anna Madison, teach

Mrs. George Dandison en-
the West Novi Fedto club
night. About fifty were
and they made themselves
the small hours Mrs
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of the honors, while Mrs
ard and Fred Shirtiliff had
tholations.

in Pontiac Wednesday.
Mr. Grant Putnam of this
Miss Rosetta Graham of
any pol days in Detroit and other
sites and at home after
deets and arm residence east
pose of a
of friends join in
factory or long and happy life
people were in session all day
Some of the home of George Parks
sugar indu at town was burned
Halhaway, s and with all its contents
ager of the Eng. night. Mrs Parks
says it cost cut 500
of beet time, an the fire
DU was headway before
that they were
household goods.
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AND
Gilbert Nichols has returned home
from Owosso, St. Johns and Cornum
where he has been visiting
A Masquerade social will be given
at the town hall this Friday evening
for the benefit of the piano fund
The Helping Hand society will
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Mrs J. G. Francis on Main street
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Tremper, and daughter Grace from
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county Pioneer society at Pontiac
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The entertainment given Friday
evening at the town hall by the
Western Lodge Minstrels of Detroit
was pronounced the best thing that
has been in Farmington for a long
time. They were royal entertainers
from start to finish. The attendance
was good and the proceeds were \$22
Our sister village Northville is after
all the good things so she had better
get the Picanniny Band to come
and give the people an evening of
pleasure
Power of Birds.
What tremendous power an eagle
exerts when carrying away a lamb
that weighs, say sixty pounds or over!
If you take the weight of the bird al-
together, 76 pounds, then it appears
that an eagle can develop more than
two horse-power, and must put a
strain of over 1,100 pounds on the
muscles of the wings.

Wixom News.

Mrs. J. L. Stoley was a Pontiac
visitor Saturday.
Chas. Wright and wife were Milford
visitors Tuesday.
Phil Parker was a Pontiac visitor
one day last week.
Robert Chamberlain was in Detroit
the first of the week.
Mrs. Mary Stevens visited South
Lyon relatives Monday.
W. T. Danton of Pontiac was
among Wixom friends this week.
Mrs. Reynolds of Milford visited
her mother Mrs. Beatty Sunday.
Frank Gigler and Nellie Grant of
Plymouth were in Wixom Sunday.
Mrs. Rena Shirtiliff of Dear Lake
visited at Wm Merithew's this week.
S. Goodell of South Lyon was the
guest of Wm. Merithew Tuesday
night.
Rev. L. D. Boynton was called to
Davisburg Saturday by the death of
a relative.
Mrs. Wm. Wilder of Clio spent a
few days this week with her sons
Chas. and Irving Wright.

Frank Madison and Ora Hopkins
attended a pedro party at George
Dandison's near Novi last Friday
night.
Dr. Holcomb of Novi removed a
tape worm about twenty-five feet
long from five year old Lawrence
Lester last Saturday.
Mrs. Julia Bloss of Detroit who
has been visiting relatives here left
Wednesday morning for Pontiac to
visit her sister Mrs. Ada Danton
We are sorry to hear that Mrs.
Marvin Bogart is very low with no
hope for her recovery. She is with
her daughter Mrs. McGuire at Pon-
tiac.
The P. M. R. has discharged the
men on the section here and length-
ened the Novi section to one mile
north of this place, so Wixom has no
section gang now.

Farmington News.

Rev. M. S. Gray is back from his
Canadian trip.
Little Viola Owen is now having
the chicken pox.
E. C. Grace is still confined to the
house with the grip.
Clint McGee is at home for a short
visit with his mother.
Mrs. C. M. Doherty has returned
from her visit at Jackson.
Melvin Hunt is now learning to be
a motorman on the electric road.
L. G. Pierson who has been quite
sick with the grip is now able to get
out some.

Carl Sheldon who has been in the
Detroit sanitarium is at home with
his parents
The Methodist donation will be
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Energy all gone? Headache?
Stomach out of order? Simply a
case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood
Bitters will make a new man or
woman of you.

Fishes Thrown Up by Volcanoes.
The vomiting of fishes from vol-
canoes is no experience and it
seems more art.
M. J. G.
the in-
often
truthfully say it is the best prepa-
ration of the kind I know of. The chil-
dren like to take it and it has no inju-
rious after effect" For sale by Geo. C.
Southern ticket agent or write Geo.
Henry, G. P. A. Detroit, Mich.

Livonia News.

C. F. Smith was a Northville vis-
itor Monday
George Flint is selling paper in
these parts nowadays.
Mrs. Frank Peck and Harry called
on Newburg friends Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe McEachran and
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Grace were
Farmington visitors Sunday.
About thirty of Paul Helms friends
gave him a very pleasant surprise
Monday night, it being his thirty-
sixth birthday. Card playing was
indulged in and refreshments were
served

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Walled Lake News.

J. W. Severance was a Pontiac
visitor Saturday.
Jennie Gilchrist is spending the
week in South Lyon
Ray Clark of Wixom called on
friends here Saturday.
Mrs. J. D. Church returned from
her Linden visit Saturday night.
Lillian Crumb of Detroit spent
Sunday and Monday with friends
here.
Rev. Mr. Larnard of Pennsylvania
preached in the M. E. church Sunday
morning.
Jay Dodge, who is teaching at
Grosse Point, visited his parents
here the first of the week

Mrs. George Humphrey spent Sat-
urday in Pontiac, returning with
her husband that evening
Hattie Tuttle of Detroit came here
Thursday to remain for a time, but
was called home Friday by tele-
phone, her brother, Herbert, having
met with a serious accident.

THE EASY PILL.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers do not
gripe nor weaken the system. They
cure biliousness, jaundice, constipa-
tion and inactive livers, by arousing
the secretions, moving the bowels gen-
tly, yet effectually, and giving such
tone and strength to the glands of the
stomach, liver and bowels that the
cause of the trouble is removed en-
tirely. These famous little pills exert
a decided tonic effect upon the or-
gans involved and their use is con-
tinued for a few days there will be no
return of the trouble. Murdock Bros.

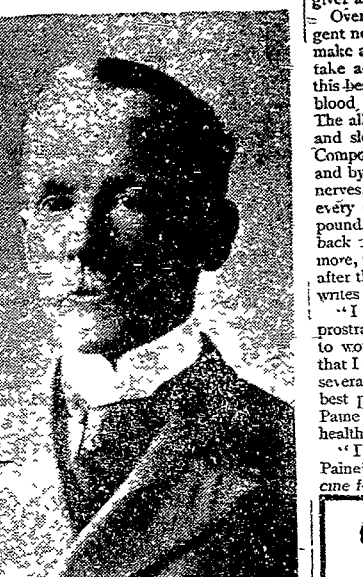
Philanthropist's Peculiar Will.
A Bruges, Belgium, philanthropist
has just made an original will. He
has left the town \$20,000, which is to
be divided in the following manner:
The sum is to be divided into
seven parts, that being the number
of parishes in Bruges. Each of these
portions must be again subdivided
into sums of \$200 for which the poor
on the books of the charitable society
are to draw lots. The amount is to be
spent in setting the winners up in a
small business or trade

Escaped an Awful Fate.
Mr. H. Haggins, of Melbourne, Fla.,
writes, "My doctor told me I had Con-
sumption and nothing could be done
for me. I was given up to die. The
offer of a free trial bottle of Dr.
King's New Discovery for Consump-
tion induced me to try it. Results
were startling. I am now on the road
to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's
New Discovery. It surely saved my
life." This great cure is guaranteed
for all throat and lung diseases by
Geo. C. Hueston Druggist. Price 50c
and \$1.00 Trial Bottles free

Schley to Tour the West.
General Schley, accompanied by
Mrs. A. K. McClure of Phila-
delphia to make an extended tour
of the west going as far west as
California, where the en-
joyment will be spent

BARON-VON STERNBURG.

Kaiser's Representative Was Born
and Bred an Englishman.
Baron Speck von Sternburg, who
came to this country to conduct the
German emperor's share in the Vene-
zuelan negotiations, is the first repre-
sentative of Germany at Washington
to have an American wife. Under an
old German rule any diplomat who
married a foreigner was excluded from
service in his wife's country. When
Prince von Hohenlohe was chancellor
of the empire, he modified this rule.
Baroness von Sternburg, who accom-
panied her husband to this country, is
the daughter of Charles Langham, a
wealthy mine owner of Idaho, and a
niece of Arthur Langham of Louisville.
Her health failed, and she was sent
to Europe in the hope of recuperating.



BARON SPECK VON STERNBURG
On the steamship she met Baron von
Sternburg, and an attachment sprang
up which culminated in their marriage
in London in December, 1900.

Baron von Sternburg was born in
Leeds, England, where his father was
engaged in business. The elder von
Sternburg had become a naturalized
British subject and had married an
Englishwoman. The future diplomat
was therefore brought up as an Eng-
lish boy and never saw Germany until
he was old enough to be sent to school.
His adoption of Germany as his coun-
try came about by his falling heir to
the leadership of his family and their
estates through the death of all the in-
tervening heirs

His first connection with the diplo-
matic service was in 1890, when he
came to this country as military at-
tache of the German legation. Subse-
quently he was sent to Peking, where
he acted as charge d'affaires during the
China Japan war. In 1897 he returned
to the United States as first secretary
of the German embassy. Three years
ago the baron was appointed consul
general of Germany at Calcutta, a po-
sition he held until he came here on
his present mission.

Baron von Sternburg is an intimate
personal friend of President Roosevelt
and in the days before the Spanish
war, when both held other official po-
sitions in Washington, they were fre-
quently together in hunting and tramp
ing expeditions

Golden Image of Ikon.
How It Will Figure at the Wedding
of Mlle. Desplanques.
A pretty feature of the forthcoming
wedding at the Russian embassy,
Washington, of Mlle. Irene Des-
planques, a member of the Russian am-
bassador's household and M. Alexan-
der Pavlov, Russian minister to Korea
will be the presence of a royal page
clad in white satin bearing upon a silk-
en cushion the golden image, the
"ikon," which is in every room of a
Russian home

M. Alexanr Pavlov.
M. Pavlov who has just arrived at
the national capital brought with him
his wedding gift, a magnificent collar
of diamonds which clasps in front with
this time

World's Best Medicine.

PAIN'S CELERY COMPOUND
Has Made People Well When
Every Other Remedy
Has Failed.

Paine's Celery Compound cures disease.
It has saved the lives of thousands of sufferers.
It has made the weak strong, vigorous, and
happy.
Paine's Celery Compound purifies the blood
and builds up the nervous system as nothing
else can do; it is pre-eminently the great life
giver and health maker.
Overworked and tired women stand in ur-
gent need of this health giving prescription to
make and keep them well. All women should
take advantage of the remarkable power of
this best of medicine for restoring vigor to the
blood and strength to the nervous system.
The all-important thing for nervous, run down,
and sleepless women is that Paine's Celery
Compound fortifies the whole physical system,
and by correcting digestion and regulating the
nerves, it insures sound, refreshing sleep. In
every case of sickness Paine's Celery Com-
pound completely and permanently brings
back health. Mrs. Mary M. Myers, Balti-
more, Ohio, saved by Paine's Celery Compound
after the failures of able physicians, gratefully
writes as follows:
"I suffered for eight years with nervous
prostration and the general debility common
to women, and had such pains in my back
that I could not get around the house. I used
several remedies and consulted several of the
best physicians without obtaining any relief.
Paine's Celery Compound restored me to
health.
"I also want to say to all mothers that
Paine's Celery Compound is a splendid medi-
cine for their children."



DIAMOND DYES
They Make Old Clothes
Look New.
Direction Book and 45
cent samples free.
DIAMOND DYES,
Burlington, Vt.

Auction Sales in Washington.
Auctions are a great fad just now
with the society people of Washing-
ton. A sale of antiquities or of the
furnishings of the home of some well-
known person is certain to bring a
great crowd of the influential of the
capital to the salesrooms.

MYSTERIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE.
One was pale and sallow and the
other fresh and rosy. Whence the
difference? She who is blushing
with health uses Dr. King's New Life
Pills to maintain it. By gently arous-
ing the lazy organs they compel good
digestion and head off constipation.
Try them. Only 25c. at Geo. C. Hues-
ton Druggist

Novel Road-Making.
A new road for transport by auto-
mobile is being constructed in the
Congo Free State, and at present it
extends 450 kilometres. The method
pursued is simple enough. All that
is done is to drive a herd of forty
elephants three or four times over the
track marked out by surveyors. They
level down obstructions as efficiently
as a steam roller

Consumption

Salt pork is a famous old-
fashioned remedy for con-
sumption. "Eat plenty of
pork," was the advice to the
consumptive 50 and 100
years ago.
Salt pork is good if a man
can stomach it. The idea
behind it is that fat is the
food the consumptive needs
most.
Scott's Emulsion is the mod-
ern method of feeding fat to
the consumptive. Pork is too
rough for sensitive stomachs.
Scott's Emulsion is the most
refined of fats, especially
prepared for easy digestion.
Feeding him fat in this
way, which is often the only
way, is half the battle, but
Scott's Emulsion does more
than that. There is some-
thing about the combination
of cod liver oil and hypophos-
phites in Scott's Emulsion
that puts new life into the
weak parts and has a special
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The SOUTHERNERS

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CHAPTER VI.

PEYTON stood looking at the pair in dazed surprise. The news, so startling, which his companions received with such demonstrations of joy, was appalling to him. He did not know what to make of it. Mary Annan had noticed his silence, but she made no comment on it, and, indeed, Darrow gave them no time for reflection, for as he recovered himself a little he continued his story excitedly.

"The whole town is in a ferment. Are they going to do anything?" asked the girl.

"I think so. Telegrams were coming from Montgomery in a perfect stream when I left. I suppose there will be a parade or salute or something of that sort."

"Well, let us ride back at once," said the girl. "I am so excited I can hardly breathe. I would not miss it for anything. Isn't it splendid? Jerry," she continued, turning to the groom, "my horse."

As the negro, who had watched the scene with unmoved gravity, little comprehending its ultimate meaning to him and his race, led forward the horse, both young men sprang to assist her to mount. She looked from one outstretched hand to the other and, turning to Peyton, put her little foot in his palm. He flashed a look of gratitude toward her as he lifted her into the saddle, but his joy was not allowed free course, for, with an instinct of kindness which is sometimes mistaken for coquetry, she turned to Darrow, whose face was flushed with disappointment, and said, "I came with Mr. Peyton. You know," which simple remark did a great deal to dim the brightness of Peyton's satisfaction and diminish the poignancy of Darrow's regret.

Both men sprang to their saddles then and both instinctively made for the right side of the girl, and at that moment it looked as if there would be a collision; but Darrow recovered himself quickly and reined in his horse.

"The place of honor is yours, Boyd. You are Miss Mary's escort; this morning, so go ahead. Besides, you are a stranger, too. I surrender the privilege."

"That's handsome of you, old fellow," returned his friend, smiling, as Darrow wheeled to the left side of Mary Annan.

"If you have finished your discussion, gentlemen," she said, smiling in spite of herself with pleasure at the jealous little rivalry, "let us ride on. I cannot wait to be there."

She shook the reins over the horse's neck, touched him lightly with the whip she carried, and he broke into a long, swinging gallop, an example, of course, followed by the other two. They fairly raced along the road at a pace which made connected conversation impossible. They covered the distance very rapidly without break, or stop until they reached the outskirts of the town. As they turned into Emmanuel street Mary Annan reined in her panting horse and cantered slowly down the street.

"My," she said, with cheerful gladness, "that was a splendid dash! I do not believe we were more than half an hour doing the distance. Your gray looks tired, Mr. Darrow."

"Yes," said Darrow, patting his horse. "You see, he has had a double run."

"Shall we be in time?"

"Oh, I think so," answered Darrow. "Hark! What's that? It's the band."

"Come," said the girl impatiently, urging her horse into a gallop again. "Let's hurry on."

"I think we can intercept them on Government street if we keep straight on," said Darrow as he and Peyton followed her example.

"What will it be, do you think?" she cried.

"Oh, a parade or a salute, perhaps both."

In a short time they reached the junction of Emmanuel and Government streets. The broad, splendid road, lined with magnificent old houses embowered in trees, was filled with people. Some squares away to the left came the band of music, followed by marching bodies of gayly uniformed men. The sunlight sparkling on steel bayonets told the trio that they were soldiers. They were accompanied, as usual, by throngs of people, the street was rapidly filling up, and boys and girls, black and white, capered along in time to the music.

"What's that they are playing?" asked Peyton curiously.

"It's a new song," answered Mary. "Listen to the Mocking Bird! It's called. I will sing it for you the next time you are at the house."

"Yes, we have all enjoyed hearing you sing it, Miss Mary," put in Darrow deftly, quite nullifying the pleasure Peyton had taken in the promise.

Darrow was a magnificent horseman. He seemed a part of his steed. No centaur could have ridden more superbly. Six feet high, splendidly proportioned, he made a grand picture sitting his great gray horse. No one could be in greater contrast to Peyton than he. His eyes were blue, his hair sunny, his complexion florid, an unusual but not impossible type for a

southern. Physically he was the incarnation of force and strength, both tempered by southern courtesy and refinement. He was the personification of headlong recklessness and valor. Fear was absolutely left out of his personality. No one had ever seen him blench or quail or tremble. Gay, joyous, debonaire, he was a man to win the heart of almost any woman and to awaken the admiration of men as well.

Yet there was something lacking about him. In the hidden depths of his nature, in which a man shows what he is fundamentally, he was not quite so admirable. A touch of soul was wanting in him. The spiritual side of his nature had suffered at the expense of the material. In that particular he was also of a type antipodal to Peyton, for Peyton's physical nature had suffered at the expense of the spiritual. The one needed sorrow and trouble and love—are they synonyms?—to refine him; the other required work and danger and disappointment and love—are they synonyms, too?—to blunt him, as it were, and make him practical and practicable in this worldly world. A crisis would make or unmake each man.

Singularly enough, the girl who sat between the two men, gleaning from one to the other, as she marked them both during the dash on the Shiloh road, was to furnish the element which should perfect and supply the lack in the character of the two who loved her so. It must not be concluded that either man entirely lacked the qualities with which the other was so abundantly endowed, not at all, and perhaps the difference between them seemed greater when attention was called to it than it really was, but the two tendencies existed.

There is something of the poet in every lover. In Mary's presence the spiritual was burgeoning in Darrow's heart. And there is something else which, for lack of a better term, may be described as the material in every



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lover's purpose. There is something vital and active in every great passion—else it is not great—and this was moving in Peyton's mind.

The girl comprehended the case of her two lovers but dimly. As she sat between them she inclined now to the right, now to the left, and knew not whether she would finally tend

The two men had been friends from boyhood. The frank, impulsive nature of the larger man, who was also the older, had fitted in with the quieter, more restrained habit of the younger. They had been to each other as body and soul. They made an ideal combination therefore. One planned, the other executed. Not altogether is the statement true again; but, broadly speaking, it was Peyton's subtle mind and Darrow's powerful personality that worked together. Oftentimes Peyton's ideas were utterly unpractical, equally often Darrow's insight was entirely lacking yet together they supplemented each other. In a great emergency, if any had ever arisen, the combination would have been ideal and success certain. There never had been a cloud upon their friendship. The only thing that breaks friendships like that between man and man is woman. They had been too young and too much separated in their later life for that factor to have thrust itself upon their affections, but now it was quite apparent that the inevitable had at last arrived.

With rapid advance the little parade on the street drew nearer to the party on horseback at the corner of Emmanuel street. There had been no time to assemble the general military force of the several companies, so that only the Mobile cadets, the crack organization of the community, were in line as escort to the Light battery. Very handsome the young fellows looked in their gray uniforms faced with black, with their pouped caps—just the uniform of the famous Seventh New York, by

the way. They came tramping gayly down the street, following the band playing the stirring southern march. The shrill fife tilled the refrain almost with the mellifluous madness of the gay bird itself. The people cheered frantically as the cadets swept by, followed by the guns of the battery.

As Captain Sands, who commanded the battalion, caught sight of Mary Annan and her two companions he shouted a sudden command, and instantly the guns of the soldiers dropped from their shoulders into a marching salute, which the girl acknowledged with a graceful bend of the head and a wave of the hand, her face mantling with pleasure at the honor. The company marched under their own flag, and for the first time they paraded through the streets of Mobile without carrying the ensign of the United States. All three spectators noticed the omission.

"See!" cried the girl. "They have discarded the United States flag."

"Yes, by heaven!" said Darrow. "They have given it up at last! There was a little touch of awe in his voice. "At last," he continued. "Well, I am glad of it, for one," he burst out impulsively. "We will have a new flag of our own now."

Peyton said nothing. He only held himself very straight in the saddle and looked sternly ahead. Again there came upon his face that peculiar tightening which gave a touch of grimness to his usual appearance. The woman alone noticed it.

The artillery had followed the example of the cadets and had discarded the United States flag also, but on the flank of the battery rode two markers with guns. There had been no time to substitute any others, and as the markers were necessary for the evolutions of the battery they were perforce carried in the parade. They were little, swarttailed banners, each one, however, bearing the old familiar stars and stripes. As they passed down the street Peyton's right hand instinctively went to his hat. He took it off and, holding his right arm across his breast, laid his hat upon his left shoulder.

CHAPTER VII.

PEYTON SALUTED THE FLAG.

WHAT are you doing, Boyd?" cried Mary Annan, attracted by the movement, turning to him in great surprise. "Saluting the flag of the United States," answered the young man stately.

"What? You don't mean?" interrupted Darrow.

"I mean that I am still an officer of the United States government, and it is my duty to respect the flag," said Peyton decisively.

"He is right," said Darrow impulsively, taking off his own hat in turn. "Maybe it's the last time, but the old flag is still ours. Alabama is not yet out of the Union."

"Not yet," cried Mary Annan, "but it will be, and I but anticipate. I shall not salute it, and I beg you both not to do it either."

"As you will," said Darrow, with careless compliance, covering his head again.

But Peyton, disregarding her words and the angry flush on her face, although it cost him much to do so, stared motionless straight ahead of him and remained uncovered until the gaudious had passed well by him. In spite of herself the girl's heart warmed toward him. That touch of sternness well became him. The unusual resolution which sparkled in his eye, in spite of the tremble on his lips, thrilled her, yet, womanlike, she turned to Darrow.

"Thank you," she said. "You have done what a true son of Alabama should do."

"At your command, Miss Mary," laughed Darrow cheerfully saluting her in turn. "But you see, I am not an officer of the United States." He generously strove to say a good word for poor Peyton.

"No, I am thankful you are not." "But if I had been I should have—" "Do not say any more, Mr. Darrow. You are not, and that's enough," interrupted the girl proudly.

She allowed her displeasure at Peyton's obstinacy—so she characterized it in her mind—to appear in her voice and manner. It cut him to the heart as, with the keenness of appreciation peculiar to him, he realized it. But for the life of him he could not have failed to salute that passing flag; then, no, not even for her. He did not feel happy about his action, however, but he could think of nothing adequate to say. He could not explain further than he had done, and it was with some thing like despair that he turned to his companions at last. Mary Annan was tapping her boot with her whip, an angry flush upon her beautiful face.

Darrow was staring in great embarrassment from her to Peyton in alternation.

"Who is that?" cried Darrow, glad to break the annoying pause at last. He pointed down toward the rear of the procession, which was brought up by a great concourse of men, women and children, blacks as well as whites.

"Why, I declare, it's Tempe!" exclaimed Mary Annan, in vexation and dismay, pointing to where her little sister, yelling like a young Indian, capered down the street after the procession arm in arm with a very small and very black dandy girl. No one would have recognized the demure little girl of the morning. "The idea of it!" continued her sister. "Will you get her at once?"

Both young men moved forward.

"No, Darrow," said Peyton impulsively; "you may stay with Miss Mary. I will get her. She is displeased with me, not with you," he added, as he sprang from his horse and ran after the crowd.

"Don't be too hard on him, Miss Mary," said Darrow; "this is no fault

of his. He has not yet caught our point of view. I think he will be as true as steel when the hour comes."

"He does not need any support in my presence, Mr. Darrow," said Mary, with unkind coldness. "I know he will be as true as steel, too, but I wish he hadn't saluted that flag."

"I did it, too, you remember," he persisted, wishing to help his friend in spite of her rebuff at his first effort.

"Yes, but you stopped when I said no."

"Ah, Miss Mary, you know there is almost nothing I would not stop for you."

She wondered with dismay if he were about to continue the story she had heard all day from the other man.

Meantime Peyton forced his way through the crowd with some difficulty and finally caught Tempe in his arms.

"Lemme go!" she cried shrilly. "I want to go with Peggy!"

"Where do you want to go?" asked Peyton, lifting her up.

"I want to go to see the soldiers about the United States."

"Even the little children," thought Peyton swiftly as he firmly carried Tempe to the rear in spite of her protestations, "are filled with the idea. Good God, what's going to happen? You won't see the soldiers shoot the 'United States' Tempe," he said aloud as he carried her across the street. "Miss Mary wants you. She told me to fetch you to her."

"Do you have to mind Sister Mary, too, Mr. Peyton?" queried the child, looking up at him with interested curiosity slinking in her black eyes.

"Everybody has to mind Miss Mary," gravely.

"Yes, I s'pose so," said Tempe, resigning herself to his will. "Well, you can take me over to her."

Tempe was mounted on the crupper of Peyton's horse, leaving the disconsolate Peggy twisting on alternate legs in the dusty road and howling vociferously over the separation. The three friends rode down toward the wharf where the battery had unlimbered and listened to a salute of 100 guns, which, by the direction of Governor Moore, welcomed the birth of the first state of the new Confederacy.

One wiser than the other two saw in it nothing of joy. He seemed to feel that each joyous shout was another note in the deathknell of the old beloved south, which in the pride of its manhood and the beauty of its womanhood, as well as in the person of its slaves, watched the scene.

It was late in the afternoon when the jubilation was over and the military marched away.

"Won't you come to dinner with us tonight, Mr. Peyton?" said Mary Annan. "You have just come from the north, and father will be so glad to talk with you. You know you were always a favorite of his."

"Thank you very much, Miss Mary, but I have not seen my own people since morning, and this is my first day home. They will be wondering what has become of me. I will be in to see your father very soon, however."

"You, then, Mr. Darrow?"

"You know how I would like it, Miss Mary, but I think I will ride along with Boyd a little. I have not seen him for three years, and we have lots of things to talk about. You know our friendship was a warm one."

"Yes," said Peyton, "it was indeed, and I hope nothing will ever come between us."

"Nothing ever shall," said the other, looking at his friend over Mary Annan's horse and never realizing, what Peyton's quicker mind had taken in, that something had already come between them, something that had come to stay.

CHAPTER VIII. RIVALS, YET FRIENDS.

AS Peyton and Darrow cantered on the road a little silence fell between them, which the older man was the first to break. With characteristic frankness he asked his friend a direct question.

"Boyd," he said, "are you in love with Mary Annan?"

"I am," was the prompt reply.

"Is she in love with you? Forgive me this question, old fellow, but we have never had a secret between us since we have been boys together, and I don't want to begin now. And I am as ready to answer as to ask questions."

"No, I think not—not yet, that is."

In any other man Peyton would have resented such interrogations, but he simply could not be angry with his friend, especially in the face of such open frankness.

"Boyd," said the other impulsively. "I want you to know that if I can help it she never shall be."

"Why do you say that, Darrow?" asked Peyton, in great surprise, yet at once divining the reason.

"I love her myself," resolutely.

"And does she love you?"

"Not yet."

"I repeat your words, Bob," cried Peyton, stopping his horse suddenly. "If I can help it, she never shall."

"Good!" said Darrow, smiling ineffably at the stern face of the other man. "That is as it should be. A fair field and no favor, and may the best man win! Come, Boyd, don't look so glum about it. We have an equal chance. She is promised to neither of us. If anything, you have the advantage. But that's all right. I mean to win her for my wife if I can, and you for yours. What I wanted to say to you is this—you won't let it make any difference in our friendship, will you?"

As he spoke he extended his hand to his friend frankly and generously, almost pleadingly. After a momentary hesitation Peyton accepted the proffered clasp, and the two men shook hands warmly over this strange compact, a compact utterly impossible of fulfillment.

"I won't take any advantage of you," said Darrow magnanimously,

"and you won't take any of me, I know."

"No, certainly not, and I am quite prepared to concede that you are the better of the two, Bob."

"I am not willing to admit that at all, but whether you are the better or not I am going to do my level best in an honorable way to win, Boyd."

"I shall do the same."

"All right. Now we have settled that. Whew! It's a load off my mind, I am sure. You see I want Miss Mary and I want you, too, Peyton. I want her love and I want your affection as well. I want everybody's, and I suppose you feel much the same way."

"Well, I'm not so particular about everybody's," answered the more reserved Peyton; "but I want hers and yours, and we will agree that whoever may win the lady the other man may at least retain the friend."

"That's a bargain. Now, tell me, Peyton; I saw you salute the flag, and 'twas a natural thing for you to do. If I had been alone, I probably would not have done it, but I sort of followed your example. You know I have been accustomed to follow your lead in most things, even to falling in love with Miss Mary, for, as a matter of fact, I suppose you did it first."

"I have loved her ever since she was born," said Peyton quietly.

"Jove!" said the other. "So have I. But what I meant to ask you was how do you stand with reference to this secession question?"

"I am not aware that I am bound to make or give a decision yet."

"No, not immediately perhaps, but you will be very soon. The talk is all secession. Governor Moore is in favor of it. The election of delegates to the convention takes place on the 24th. I was up in Montgomery last week, and the state despises and accepts it overwhelmingly unless in the northern tier of counties. Here it's all one way. It's a foregone conclusion that Alabama will follow South Carolina's lead and go out of the Union. It won't be three weeks before the thing will be done."

"I can't believe it."

"It's true nevertheless. And every son of the old state will have to make a decision one way or the other. Now, what are you going to do?"

"I can't tell yet. I can't believe the contingency will arise."

"But if it does?"

"When it does, I shall have to decide in accordance with my conscience. Could I not still remain an officer of the United States Navy even if Alabama does secede? I love my profession. I am thoroughly satisfied with it. I do not wish to abandon it. Why could I not still keep on as I am?"

"Because the United States government will endeavor to prevent secession by force."

"Is it possible?"

"It is certain. We in the south have known it ever since Lincoln was elected. They will deny the right of secession and attempt to enforce their refusal, and as sure as there is a God above us you and every southern man will have to say whether he will fight for or against the south, God bless her!"

"This is all new to me, Darrow!" cried Peyton. "It comes upon me as a great surprise. I never imagined such a thing until today. You see, we sailors do not get in touch with popular opinion very closely, and I have but recently returned from a long cruise in foreign waters. Now that you say so, I begin to believe that you may be right. There is a spirit of resistance in the north, of compulsion, too, I think, or there will be."

"I am glad of it," said the other. "I did not think they had spirit to do anything. A nation of sheepkeepers," he went on with lofty scorn. "They will cut a pretty figure down here, won't they? I met a man from Arkansas the other day and he said that if Abe Lincoln's goldiers sat foot upon the sacred soil of Arkansas they would fatten the calves from the Red river to the gulf of Mexico with their carcasses."

Darrow laughed harshly as he told the tale.

"Ugh!" said Peyton, shrinking from the brutality of the remark. "How beastly that is!"

"Yes, isn't it? I wouldn't have said it, of course. I don't indorse it at all, no gentleman could. But it shows the spirit of the people."

"Arkansas isn't Alabama, though."

"It's much the same thing. We'll make it interesting for the north if they'll fight."

(To be continued next week.)

Morally but Not Physically Myopic.

Some people evidently not of the best moral training, have been visiting Henry Bushnell's hennery and helping themselves to Hen's carefully cultivated hens, ducks and even roosters. He has snatched a couple of times in the air to frighten, but now he says from this on they want to keep their coat tails down—Lisbon Comet.

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THE OLD RELIABLE



THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Suburban News.

The Oakland Excelsior was twenty-two years old last week, and is still a climber.

Chas. Hasty has left Wayne to live in Port Huron. Wayne must have been too slow for him.

Plymouth will have an electric lighting system of her own if the voters are able to see it that night at the coming village election.

Wyandotte people are awfully hot because the D. U. R. electric cars are so awfully cold down that way. The situation looks paradoxical but it isn't.

Some portions of Oakland county are suffering from an epidemic of chicken stealing. Chickens are very high but some folks will have 'em if they have to steal 'em.

An Ann Arbor man has invented a new process for separating gold from dirt. But then any old dirt won't do, so we shall not invest anything in the business just yet.

Land contracts have been made for the purpose of prospecting for oil near Rockwood. If any kind of a soil could produce petroleum oil right it seems as if Rockwood.

Mr. Tarr gave a lecture at Blissfield lately on "The coming man." Tarr stuck to his subject, we presume.—Adrian Press.

Probably pitched right into it, "fur and feathers."

"Dancing clubs find satisfaction at the Times office," says the Delray Times. Must be a decidedly frisky place. Can't be there's a brawl room in connection, as the personnel of the editor's family would not seem to suggest such a necessity.

Wyandotte is still engaged in the business of supplying that part of the country with smallpox immunies. The industry bids fair to cost the city a sum that will require at least four figures to express.—"This true, 'tis pit'y, pit'y 'tis, 'tis true."

Rockester was the scene of a cock fight Friday night. Oh! Gentle Rochester! How could you?—Oxford Leader.

But of course it isn't the typical Rochesterites who rooster round and encourage such events any more than it was the best Oxford folks who attended the celebrated affair out that way a few weeks ago.

John Dorlan was kicked in the right cheek by a horse last week. He did not obey the scriptural injunction to turn the other cheek also.—Fenton Independent.

Smitey hard thing to do in any case, but John should certainly have another kick coming when he Independent man intimates that he is a "brother" to the animal that smote him.

The Oxford Leader is to print a souvenir book with "write-ups" and "pleters" of the business men, business places, prominent residents and residences, etc. It doesn't cost anything to be in it and only fifteen cents to buy it, but just wait and listen to the comments of those who don't happen to be mentioned. Somebody is bound to be accidentally or otherwise left out and then the editor gets right into all sorts of hot water.

A Macomb county farmer had a cow killed by the cars a short time ago and wrote to the railroad company asking slight remunerative damages, adding, "Thirty dollars will be considered satisfactory, as the animal killed was but a common cow and by no means the best in my herd." The claim agent of the road promptly answered the letter and enclosed a check for \$100, saying: "It is the first instance since my connection with the claim department of the road that any other than a full-blooded animal of great value has been killed by our line and I enclose \$100 as damages and a reward for your honesty, and I would humbly ask your photo to be framed and placed in my office."

Avenue Theatre, Detroit.

A grandiose show of extraordinary merit is promised at the Avenue Theatre next week. Among the features will be Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Ellis in their uproariously funny one act comedy entitled "Mrs. Hogan's Music Teacher." Roberts, Hayes and Roberts in their latest absurdity, "The Infant," Johnston brothers, telephone-experts, and Tomomoto brothers, marvellous Japanese high wire performers. Visitors to Detroit during next week should not miss this show.

Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

Not only which comes to the Whitney Theater for the week of March 1st is probably the most powerful drama that has been seen in some time. The dialogue is strong and a good cast and elaborate stage settings make the production one worth seeing. There is a pulse quickening scene every moment, and while the play is sensational it is also consistent and of intense interest. The cast includes a list of well known players. Matinees daily except Wednesday.

Lyceum Theater—Detroit.

There is no tonic like good, light, breezy amusement, and in this instance it has been Playwright Edgar Selden's aim to provide a captivating conception for driving away the worries of the careworn world, and he has succeeded admirably in serving up an appetizing entertainment menu in his gay and glittering production of "Peck and his Mother in Law," which is the attraction booked at the Lyceum theatre. It is designated for laugh purposes first, last and all the time, and not a dull moment is there in its performance from start to finish. Matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday.

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Aged Canadian Statesman.

Senator Wark, who is a member of the Canadian parliament and who expects this year to attend to his legislative duties, as he has annually to over half a century, is probably the oldest legislator in the world. He is in his one hundredth year and has been one of the legislators for the province of New Brunswick for upward of sixty years.

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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. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Cariesman 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.

Many Synonyms for Money.

The Buffalo Commercial asserts that money has more synonyms than any word in the English language if slang phrases be included. It presents this partial list: Coin, plunks, piasters, soap, rocks, dust, dough, ducats, dingbats, pewter, needful, stuff, collat, rags, shekels, wad, roll, tin, long green, grease, bones, balsam, chicken feed, rhino, brass, gold, lucre and simoleons.

"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.

Had Famous Ancestor.

Frank Miller direct descendant of John Quincy Adams, and the first male dressmaker in the United States, died in New York the other day.

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Having decided to leave Northville, we are going to slaughter our stock of Hardware at prices regardless of cost. This sale includes everything in our store. Everything goes.

Parties intending to do building are hereby offered an opportunity that will not be had again to buy their hardware material at less than wholesale prices. We advise you to come early and often for we are going to sell everything in our store in 30 days. Remember: Nothing is reserved. We quote only a few prices to show what you may expect when you arrive. In this stock we offer you 6,000 rods of American fence. 200 kegs Nails, all of our steel Ranges, Cook Stoves, Gasoline Stoves, Base Burners, Wood Heaters and Air Tight Stoves, Oil Cloth and Stove Boards; Hay Cars, track and slings; Forks, Spades, Shovels, Rakes and Hoes; Barn Door Rollers, track, etc.; Paints, Oil and Varnish; Glass; Syracuse Plows and Repairs; Granite Ware and Tinware; Cutlery, Shears and Scissors; Milk Cans, Wringers, Bolts, Screws, Pumps, Feed Cookers, Platform Scales (1,000 lbs). Everything goes. Nothing is reserved. Store fixtures and tinner's tools for sale. All accounts must be settled at once. Here are a few of our money saving prices.

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No. 8-45 in	30c	24c	60 gallon	12.00	9.00	6x8	10c	5c
No. 6-35 in	25c	20c	75 gallon	14.50	11.50	8x10	20c	12c
No. 8-32 in	28c	24c				10x12	25c	14c
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1 yd sq Oil Cloth Pattern	90c	65c	Mixed Paint	\$1.50	\$1.30	Nickel Tea Pot, 3-pt	60c	50c
Stove Boards	50c to \$1.25	30c to 75c	White Lead, pr-100 lbs.	\$5.50	4.00	Nickel Tea Pot, 4-pt	75c	60c
10-gal. Milk Cans	\$3.00	\$2.30	Mrs Potts' Sad Irons	\$1.00	65c	Nickel Coffee Pot, 4-pt	65c	50c
Tacks per paper	5c	2 1/2c	Asbestos Sad Irons	\$1.50	\$1.00	Nickel Coffee Pot, 5-pt	\$1.00	65c
Cutlery	25% discount		Wringers	1.50 to \$5	\$1 to \$3.25	6-ft Cross Cut Saw	2.00	\$1.80
			Loaded Shells, box	45c	38c	1 pf cross-cut Saw Hnds	25c	15c
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NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

Genius and Common Sense.
A French lady has written a most interesting account of a visit to Count Tolstoi. She found him under the loving domain of his devoted wife, who made him eat and drink for his bodily good without the slightest regard for his theories of diet. "Men of genius," she remarked to the visitor, "need people of common sense to contradict them occasionally."

The Brooklynite.
Ex-Lieut. Gov. Woodruff at the Lincoln club, Brooklyn, was asked by a quizzing fellow-member if he knew the reason why the inhabitants of their borough were called Brooklynites. "To be sure I do," promptly replied the genial "Tim," with his most expansive smile. "Because—barring election day—night is the only time they are ever there!"—New York Times.

A Wonderful Transformation.
Three years ago a spot near Philadelphia was covered with cornfields; to-day a \$9,000,000 shipyard stands there. Ships are built under a huge glass and iron shed, which allows work to be done in all sorts of weather.

Should Women Work?
Prof. Zimmer of Berlin, has been investigating the cause of insanity among women, and has come to the conclusion that if women are admitted into competition with men the inevitable result will be a tremendous increase of insanity among the women. He finds that the percentage of women teachers who become insane is almost double that of the men teachers.

Cause of His Election.
A legislator of Charrton County, Mo., makes the following unique explanation of his presence in the legislature: "I was born under a tobacco leaf. I grew up between the corn rows, and I've got my share of hardtack and pork. Now, by ginger, I've a thousand acres of the best land in Charrton county, and I thought I would like to get out among the boys some. I guessed I could be elected, and I was."

Monument to Cadets.
A monument to the cadet battalion which fought the battle of New Market, Va., will be unveiled during the commencement exercises of the Virginia Military Institute next June.

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