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NEWS FROM THE

STATE CAPITOL

LARGE APPROPRIATIONS ASKED FOR AS USUAL.

Petitioners for Expending Money Should Go Careful.

The bill to prevent the board of managers of the Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids from converting any part of the pensions of the women inmates for state purposes is not meeting with the favor anticipated. It appears from the statements of the board, the members of which are all old veterans, that the bill was introduced to "knock" on some of the board as much as anything else. The argument by the board is that women drawing pensions of \$12 per month are filling up the home to the exclusion of just as deserving soldiers' widows and orphans who are not drawing a cent of pension aid and are thus forced to apply to the poor house. It is claimed that the taking of all the pensions of the women except \$5 per month works no hardship at all but discourages those people who draw pensions of \$12 a month from entering the home to the exclusion of, as we have said, those who are less fortunate. G. A. R. Posts who have been sending petitions to the legislature for the repeal of the bill referred to should investigate this matter before asking their representatives and senators to urge its passage.

The various G. A. R. posts of the state are petitioning the legislature to pass a bill appropriating \$250,000 for the purpose of erecting a large monument at Lansing in memory of the soldiers of the war of the rebellion and the late Cuban war. The appropriations before the committee on ways and means for consideration amounts to about eight million and fifty thousand dollars for the two years and it is hoped the total amount can be limited down to about three million for each year.

Another large appropriation bill before the ways and means committee is \$250,000 for an addition to the state capital and another is for \$40,000 for a governors' mansion. The St. Louis exposition bill will be introduced at \$70,000 and the new building for epileptics will cost nearly half a million if it is passed. Twenty thousand dollars is wanted by the military department to compile and publish in book form the records of the soldiers of the rebellion and late war with Spain but of what value it will be to the soldiers has not yet been fully explained. It might be a good idea for tax-payers to send in petitions against the passage of a few bills.

It is a funny thing that all the petitions received are in favor of the passage of appropriation bills, or creating commissions, licensing boards, etc., all of which are aimed at the pocket book of the tax-payer and yet none are received protesting against anything of that kind. After the legislature adjourns then the people will kick about the big appropriations that have been made. Not many people realize that it costs less to run the state of Michigan than it does the city of Detroit and yet it is a fact. The appropriations for the state two years ago was about \$1,250,000 for each year while the city of Detroit will use over \$4,000,000 each year.

Horse Commits Suicide.

The Wabash Railway, in a damage suit instituted by J. M. Sauvnette to recover the value of a horse which met his death on the Wabash tracks, sets up the novel defence that the horse committed suicide. Perhaps the animal had been reading the advertisements of the Wabash and got it into his head that is the direct route to heaven.

Clover Seed For Sale.

Prime June clover seed for sale. Inquiry of J. D. Hazen, Nov. 29w3p

How Traffic Wears Away Steel. A quarter of a ton of steel is worn off the rails on the London & North western railway daily.

WE CAN'T HELP BEING SORRY FOR THE NEW UMPIRE.



MISS ESSIE SHOTWELL

Died Wednesday Morning in a Detroit Hospital.

Miss Essie Shotwell, who had been very ill for some time at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Coleburn, was taken to St. Mary's hospital, Detroit, Monday by her physician, Dr. J. M. Burgess, as it was found that there was no hope of her recovery except by a severe operation. This was performed Tuesday, but the young girl could not rally from the shock and passed away at one o'clock Wednesday morning.

Miss Shotwell had lived in Northville for several years and her death was a great shock to her many friends here. She was the secretary of the Methodist Sunday-school and the efficiency of her work in that capacity is spoken of in the highest terms.

The funeral services will be held at Wayne at 2:30 this afternoon and those attending from here will go on a special car at 1:15. The choir and the pall bearers will go from Northville and Rev. J. M. Shank of this place will conduct the service.

A memorial service will be held in the Methodist church Sunday morning. The vacant secretary's chair will be draped in white and floral offerings will be appropriately placed.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Wayne Co. Log Rolling Association Did So Tuesday.

The Wayne County Woodmen Association met at the Hotel Brunswick in Detroit Tuesday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Mr. Angell, Detroit.
Vice President—A. W. Olde, Northville.

Secretary—Jas. Murdock, Wayne.
Treasurer—T. M. Campbell, Detroit.

The retiring president, Dr. F. Carrothers was given a hearty vote of thanks for his untiring and efficient work in making the annual gatherings of the organization the great success they have been during his three years' administration. The picnic this coming summer will probably be held about August 1st and will include a trip to Sugar Island or St. Clair Flats. The affairs of the association are in a very gratifying condition.

Old-Time Stocks in England.

A recent wish expressed by a magistrate at Stratford, England, that certain prisoners could be punished by confinement in the stocks recalls the fact that some of those instruments of punishment still exist in that country. There is one at Havering-atte-Bower, not many miles from Stratford, and another is to be found on the village green of Aldbury. Near the church at Brant Petham is a rather notable example. The upright post was used as a whipping post and still retains the iron by which the culprit was secured while receiving his castigation. Sturry, near Canterbury, has also preserved its stocks.

VILLAGE OFFICERS

AGAIN CHOSEN

CITIZEN'S TICKET WON OUT EXCEPT ON ASSESSOR.

Less Than Three Hundred Voters Used the "Abbott."

Monday's election was a very quiet affair and an extremely light vote was cast, only 280 of the enfranchised citizens of our village exercising their right of suffrage via the Abbott machine, which was used again this year with entire satisfaction. The entire citizens' ticket was elected with the exception of the assessorship which was won by the nominee of the Workingmen, W. J. Lanning, Jr., who demonstrated his ability as a "runner" with unmistakable emphasis. The new assessor is said by those who are posted to be an excellent judge of valuations, and he will no doubt make an exceptionally good incumbent of the office. The renomination and reelection of the rest of the officials is ample endorsement of the manner in which they have served the village and renders comment unnecessary.

The following is the official report of the vote cast for the various nominees:

President—	
R. M. Johnson.....	177
W. J. Lanning, Sr.....	107-70
Treasurer—	
S. W. Knapp.....	170
W. H. Cattermole.....	114-56
A. H. Kohler.....	135
R. R. McKahan.....	52-101
F. N. Perrin.....	180
O. S. Harger.....	95-95
Clerk—	
Thomas E. Murdock.....	211-211
Treasurer—	
Ralph Pomeroy.....	179
E. H. Lapham.....	103-76
Assessor—	
C. A. Sessions.....	128
W. J. Lanning, Jr.....	156-28

Auction Sales.

George Gibson, administrator of the estate of the late Hiram C. Benton, will have an auction sale of horses, cattle, hogs, hay, grain, farming tools, etc., on the premises one mile south of Northville next Wednesday, March 18th, commencing at twelve o'clock.

M. D. Perkins will have a sale 1 1/2 miles east of town on the Base line Saturday, March 21, of Cattle, horses, hogs, poultry, farming tools, wagons and buggies, hay, grain, potatoes, stoves and many other articles are on the list. The sale commences at ten o'clock and lunch will be served at noon.

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.

BABY ACTRESS PRAISED.

Little June Pelton to Appear in Buffalo Soon.

Those who had the pleasure of seeing Little June Marguerite Pelton, then of Plymouth on the stage at an entertainment here a few months ago in Princess rink will not be surprised at the warm praise given the wee maiden's talents in the following article from the Buffalo Review, which was accompanied in that paper by a picture of the tiny actress:

Five years of age is young to begin a professional career upon the stage, but that is the age and intention of little Miss June Marguerite Pelton, who has come to Buffalo from Detroit to perfect herself in dancing and music. No prettier little maid ever tripped before the footlights and few if any have ever sung more sweetly or danced more gracefully. Her repertoire contains a number of pretty songs which she sings with much spirit and a number of comic ones which she renders with all the stage art of an experienced actress. Her dances are remarkable. The little lady also plays the piano in a manner to make many older girls ashamed of their efforts. And through it all she is not one bit spoiled, but is one of the sweetest, roly-poly youngsters one could wish to meet. Although she has not yet appeared as a professional performer it is expected that she soon will do so, and she has already appeared several times at pretentious amateur performances. At her home in Detroit she was a conspicuous number on the program of the Elk's Minstrels and an effort will be made to induce her to appear for a song and dance at the entertainment soon to be given by the Elks of Buffalo.

School Notes.

[By the Superintendent.]

Miss Alice Wallin acted as teacher in room 4 during the absence of her sister last Monday.

Many little people who have been kept at home on account of whooping cough and colds are again taking up their school work.

Members of the school feel keenly the sadness that comes to them in the death of Miss Essie Shotwell, and extend to those most closely related their sincere sympathy.

The fourth grade pupils are pleased to become owners of that charming book "Little Women" purchased by money they had left from their musical. They still have a nest egg in their treasury with which they hope to purchase "Little Men."

Multiplying down contests are enjoyed by pupils of the lower grades. The following members of the fourth grade have mastered the multiplication table so they cannot be "downed." Earl Armstrong, Paul Parmenter, Ed Lyon, Floyd Evans, Emma Oldenburg, Hazel Perkins, Scott Dunham, Roy Gray, Harold Turner, Georgia Galbraith and Cleo Phillips.

The musical to be held in the rink next Wednesday evening, March 18, for the seniors' benefit promises to be a treat to all who will give their aid to the cause by attending. Among the interesting features will be vocal solos by the Misses Buchner, Richardson and Calkins, violin solos by Mrs. Merritt and Miss Wallin and selections by the Clef club and orchestra. In addition they will be assisted by Milton Cook, a leading bass singer of Ypsilanti, and Master Leroy Braisted, boy soprano of St. Luke's Episcopal church choir of Ypsilanti. Price of admission is 15 and 20 cents.

A recent letter from President Angell of the University states, that our high school will continue to remain on their approved list for a period of two years. For the benefit of those who may not understand just what the above relation to the University stands for we might explain, that the University faculty sends out one of its members, upon invitation, to inspect certain high schools, and, if the quality of work done by these schools, courses of study, grade of teachers, etc., are satisfactory the schools are placed on the approved list for a period of one, two, or three years. Students who graduate during this period of approval, and whose work is of such a quality that the Superintendent can recommend them to the University may be allowed to enter without an examination.

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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
fifth day of March, in the year
one thousand nine hundred and thirty
six, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate,
in the matter of the estate of EDWARD S.
HORTON, deceased. On reading and filing
the petition of Charles R. Horton praying
that administration of said estate may be
granted to him or some other suitable
person. It is ordered that the seventh
day of April next, at ten o'clock in
the forenoon, at said Court Room be ap-
pointed for hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered, that a copy
of this order be published three succes-
sive weeks previous to said time of hear-
ing, in the Northville Record, a news-
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solicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting
elsewhere, drop a line to that effect to the
Record Item Box in the postoffice.]

M. A. Porter is visiting his parents
in Blissfield.

Miss Edith Minehart spent Sunday
with friends in Detroit.

A. B. Kern of Reading visited his
daughter here last week.

Will Yerkes of Pontiac was in
town the first of the week.

A. McDermott of Farmington was
a visitor in town Tuesday.

F. S. Harmon started Wednesday
night on his southern journey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dart spent
Sunday with friends in Canada.

Miss Mabel Burgess returned Wed-
nesday from her Bay City visit.

Mrs. Maria Lapham has returned
from her winter's stay in Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harmon have
gone to Detroit for an indefinite
stay.

Robert Cameron of Port Huron
has been a Northville visitor this
week.

Miss Sadie VanLeuvan of Milford
is visiting at Chas. Judson's this
week.

Mrs. F. E. Magill of Novi is spend-
ing a week or so with Mrs. J. D.
Yerkes.

Ed. Pelton of Detroit was in at-
tendance at the L. O. T. M. hop
Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Benton have
returned from a visit with friends in
Mead, Michigan.

Postmasters Hall of Plymouth
and Loss of Wayne were Northville
visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Steers returned last
Friday after a visit of several months
in New York state.

George Willis has gone to Kent
City to take charge of a cheese fac-
tory for A. L. Power.

Dr. and Mrs. Holcomb of Novi
were visitors at Orient Chapter, O.
E. S., last Friday evening.

Miss Bertha VanZile came home
from Ypsilanti college Friday suffer-
ing from an attack of grip.

Mrs. Will Ely and Mrs. Fred Burch
visited friends in Plymouth one day
the latter part of last week.

Mrs. A. K. Carpenter and Mrs. C.
C. Chadwick were guests at an O. E.
S. banquet at Sand Hill last night.

Miss Clara Rathbun of Detroit,
who was the guest of her aunt, Mrs.
J. B. Cook, last week, has returned
home.

Misses Mae and Daisy Ralls and
brother, Bruce, of Detroit were
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Friday
and Saturday.

Mrs. F. W. Clapp's departure from
Northville for her home in New York
state is much regretted by her many
Northville friends.

Mrs. W. O. Allen, Mrs. Jane Conner
and Mrs. John Sumner of Plymouth
were guests of Mrs. Claude Burgess
last week Thursday.

Mrs. Orr Webster left yesterday
morning to join her husband at
Charlevoix, where she expects to
remain until he returns in May.

Boston Club Claims Honor.
The Boston club, which claims to
have founded the Republican party,
and to be the oldest dining club in
the country, recently held its 2,000th
meeting.

MORE RIOTS.
Disturbances of strikers are not
nearly as grave as an individual dis-
order of the system. Overwork, loss
of sleep, nervous tension will be fol-
lowed by utter collapse, unless a re-
liable remedy is immediately employ-
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cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys
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expels Malaria germs. Only 50c, and
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The "Faz" of the Turks.
Until a few years ago Faz, the cap-
ital of Morocco, where the sultan has
been besieged lately by the pretender
to his throne, had practically a mono-
poly in the manufacture of the Turk-
ish national head dress named after
it—the "faz"—as it was supposed that
the peculiar dull crimson color of the
tasseled skull cap could be obtained
only by using the dye made from a
certain berry largely grown in the
neighborhood of the city. The berry
is also much used in the dyeing of mor-
occo leather. Now, however, France
and Turkey, and to a certain extent
Austria, actively compete with Faz for
what is still a very lucrative trade.

Art Levels Barriers.
A Lancashire newsboy has obtained
the diploma of lieutenant of the Royal
Academy of Music.

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if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's
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Population is Centralized.
Practically half the population of
Wales is to be found in Glamorgan-
shire.

LOU BURT'S CANDIDACY.

County Auditor Will Be Nominated
March 17.

The election of County Auditor at
the coming April election and the
fact that the selection of a candidate
is to be made by means of a primary
election law, is a matter for all Re-
publicans in the various townships of
Wayne County to bear carefully in
mind. The importance of the spring
election is not held in so high regard,
as a rule, as when a general or state
election is held in the fall.

The nomination of County Auditor
Burt should appeal to the active
support of the republicans in Wayne
County, because of the loyal and
steadfast service he has rendered the
people in the past. The voters gen-
erally who desire a capable, vigorous
and courteous public official will
recognize the claim of Auditor Burt
for recognition and their support.



LOU BURT

The County Auditor who is candi-
date for re-nomination at next
week's primaries.

Time was when the County's busi-
ness was not transacted to the full
satisfaction of the people. That
was before the present system was
in vogue. Since Auditor Burt has
been a member of the Board, millions
of dollars have been expended in the
business transactions of the County,
and this without the slightest fric-
tion or breath of scandal either on
commission or omission. County
Auditor Burt has truly come to be
regarded as the wheelhorse in the
management of the County's affairs,
and in the public eye of the business
man of today he stands as a man
who is deserving of continuance in
the position he has so ably filled.

The primaries will be held for the
nomination of County officers March
17th which is next week Tuesday.

Avenue Theatre, Detroit.

Next week's show at the Avenue
Theatre will be the best that has
been offered there this season. Every
act on the program will be a recog-
nized headliner. Perhaps foremost
will be the beautiful lyric novelty
entitled "The Seminary Girls." An
elaborate scene is used to present the
musical numbers and pajama dances
of the pretty Seminary girls. Cush-
man, Holcomb and Curtis in a
very funny act entitled "A Winter
Session," the marvelous Rio brothers,
aerial gymnasts; Paul Barnes and
company in "Wanted An Aunt" and
other big acts are announced.

Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

The presentation in this city of the
sensational comedy-drama "On the
Stroke of Twelve" will take place at
the Whitney Opera House week com-
mencing March 10th. It is a vigor-
ous interesting play and follows the
fortunes of young Jack Rutledge and
his friend George Balbridge, from the
time they are trapped by the
villain through the aid of a forged
check until they make a sensational
escape from prison and hunt down
the plotters. There are fifteen speak-
ing parts in the play and the sup-
porting company has been selected
with great care.

Lyceum Theater—Detroit.

In presenting "The Volunteer Or-
ganist" to its patrons the manage-
ment of the Lyceum has shown
good judgment in the matter of
what will, in most probability, please
its patrons. This play is indeed a
novelty in construction, and any
thing in the dramatic line of a
similar nature has yet to be offered.
It successfully appeals to all classes
of patrons of the drama and what is
more essential, it pleases them and
makes a desirable thing for both
company and theatre. The popu-
larity attained by the song of the
same title was tremendous, but it
may be said that in the dramatic
form its admirers are universal. It
will be seen here all next week.

MASTER OF THE RAPIER.

Professor Pavese, Who is to Become
the President's Instructor.

Professor Generoso Pavese, the Ital-
ian master at arms who is to instruct
President Roosevelt in the science of
fencing, is an accomplished swordsman
and has won many honors with the
rapier in his native Italy. In this coun-
try, too, he has proved his skill with
the rapier in several contests and
holds the championship with that
weapon.

The professor at present is the pro-
prietor of a gymnasium in Baltimore,
much frequented by the swell set of



PROFESSOR GENEROSO PAVESE.

that city, who desire that grace and
poise that come only from the practice
of the exercise of fencing.

President Roosevelt is already quite
expert in the singlestick, bayonet and
broadsword exercise and has also used
the old time foils, but thinks he can
get better exercise out of the rapier
and the new foils. This sentiment was
confirmed by Professor Pavese, on the
occasion of a recent interview with the
president. He contended that the rap-
ier was the best possible exercise; that
it not only exercises the muscles and
furnishes mental recreation, but also
proves refreshing to the eyes. So the
professor has been engaged to pilot the
president in his new undertaking.

The professor is slated at the pros-
pect of becoming the teacher of the
president of the United States. In Italy
and throughout Europe the crowned
heads and the members of the royal
families are experts with the rapier.

Another point in favor of the rapier,
according to Professor Pavese, is that
there is no danger of injury from the
rapier and that the president need have
no fear of carrying about the marks of
conflict if his adversary gets in on him,
as happened recently in his bout of
singlesticks with General Wood. There
is little likelihood of being hurt with
the rapier, as the weapon is very flexi-
ble.

The professor wears many medals of
his prowess with the sword and is
soon to try conclusions with a would
be champion. He has no fear of the
outcome, having every confidence in his
own skill. However, when he has pol-
ished off his opponent he will prepare
for his distinguished pupil. It is un-
derstood that the lessons will not begin
until after the adjournment of con-
gress.

NEVADA'S NEW SENATOR.

Newlands, Who Succeeds Jones, is
Rated as a Millionaire.

Francis G. Newlands, who has been
elected to succeed John P. Jones as
United States senator from Nevada, is
at present a representative in the
house.

Senator Elect Newlands is a native
of Mississippi and is a Yale graduate.
He studied law and was admitted to
the bar of the District of Columbia.
He married the daughter of Senator



FRANCIS G. NEWLANDS

Sharon, the mining king of Nevada,
and became a citizen of that state in
1888.

Newlands became interested in the
silver agitation and for a long time
was vice chairman of the national sil-
ver committee. He was elected to the
Fifty-third congress and has ever since
been re-elected.

He is largely interested in real es-
tate and street railroads in the District
of Columbia and is very rich. He is
now classed as a Democrat and will act
with that party in the senate. Mr.
Newlands is in his fifty-fifth year.

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and Baltimore & Ohio rail-
roads have condemned 1,500 box cars,
at as lightweight or light ca-
rds. The condemned cars will be
sold and the iron sold as scrap.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment
of interest on a certain mortgage made by
Clarence M. Lusk to the Northville State
Savings Bank, dated July 5th, 1932, and
recorded in the office of the Register of
Deeds of Wayne County, Michigan, on July
7th, 1932, in Liber 455 of Mortgages on
page 164, and said interest having remained
due and unpaid for the space of thirty days,
the said mortgage hereby exercises its
option granted by said mortgage and de-
clares the principal sum of said mortgage,
together with all arrears of interest, to
be due and payable immediately. There is
now claimed to be due and payable on said
mortgage and no proceedings in law or
equity having been taken to recover the
same or any part thereof, notice is hereby
given that by virtue of the power of sale
in said mortgage contained, and of the
statutes of the State of Michigan, the under-
signed will sell at public auction to the
highest bidder, on Monday the 8th day of
June, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon, local time
at the west door of the City Hall in the City
of Detroit, in which building the circuit
court for said County is held, the premises
described in said mortgage, or sufficient
thereof, to satisfy said indebtedness, costs
and expenses of sale, including an attorney's
fee as provided for in said mortgage and
allowed by law. Said premises being situate
in the Village of Northville, Wayne County,
Michigan, and described as: Commencing
at a point in the center of the highway eight
(8) rods north of the northwest corner of a
lot of land conveyed by Matthew Greer and
Elizabeth B. Greer his wife to Francis R.
Beal by deed recorded in Liber 211 of Deeds
on page 428, running thence north 33° east
ten (10) rods, thence north parallel with
said highway three (3) rods and five links,
thence west parallel with the Base Line ten
(10) rods to the center of the highway,
thence southerly along the center of the
highway four (4) rods to the place of be-
ginning.
Dated, March 13, 1933
THE NORTHVILLE
STATE SAVINGS BANK,
Mortgagee

C. C. YERKES,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—In the mat-
ter of the estate of WILLIAM P. YERKES,
deceased. We, the undersigned, having been
appointed by the Probate Court of the
County of Wayne, State of Michigan, com-
missioners to receive, examine and adjust all
claims and demands of all persons against
said deceased, do hereby give notice that we
will meet at the banking office of J. S. Lap-
ham & Co. in the village of Northville in said
County, on Monday, the 6th day of April
A. D. 1933, and on Thursday, the 20th
day of August A. D. 1933, at nine o'clock
a. m. of each of said days, for the purpose
of examining and allowing said claims,
and that six months from the 20th day of
February A. D. 1933, were allowed by
said court for creditors to present their
claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated, March 5, 1933.
CASSIUS R. BENTON,
EDWARD H. LAPHAM,
Commissioners

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—In the mat-
ter of the estate of JAMES GILMORE
deceased. We, the undersigned, having been
appointed by the Probate Court in the
County of Wayne, State of Michigan, com-
missioners to receive, examine and adjust all
claims and demands of all persons against
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
25th day of March A. D. 1933, and on Thurs-
day, the sixth day of August, A. D. 1933, at
ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, for the
purpose of examining and allowing said
claims, and that six months from the 6th
day of February A. D. 1933, were allowed
by said court for creditors to present their
claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated, February 14th, 1933.
WM. H. AMBLER,
LEWIS W. HUTTON,
Commissioners

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of JAMES GILMORE
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Suits of Blue Cheviots, suits of the newest mixed fabrics—every one perfect, sizes 7 to 17 years, neat double breasted jackets, knee trousers, any boy would be proud to wear one and yet \$5 buys this goodness.

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NORTHVILLE, MICH.

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Country Farms in Townships of Northville, Novi, Commerce, Farmington and Southfield; also Northville Village residence property situated on Main, Durand, 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 term of years.

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None Better in the United States.
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PARSON'S GROCERY HOUSE.

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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never fails to restore gray hair to its youthful color. Cures scalp diseases and itching. 50c and \$1.00 at Druggists.

What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date.

Oats—35c. Shelled corn—50c.
Corn in ear—25c. Baled hay per ton—\$10
Baled straw per ton—\$5.
Cattle—\$3.75 to \$4.00.
Lamb—\$4.50 to \$5.75.
Hogs live—\$6.50.
Beef hogs—5c per lb.
Veal calves live—\$6.50
Dressed hogs—\$8.25.
Hens—15c. Butcher—21c and 22c.
Poultry live—
Turkeys, young and plump—12c
Geese, young and plump—8c.
Ducks, young and plump—11c
Spring chickens—10c.
Eggs—8c.

NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Mrs. Clarkson is able to be out again.

Martin Cork had a partial paralytic stroke Tuesday.

Look in the school notes for announcement of the Seniors' musical.

Mrs. J. B. Cook has been having a relapse with grip, but is again better.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. VanAtta have a little daughter, born Wednesday, March 11th.

Ward Bower of the U. S. Fish commission station here has been promoted to the car and messenger service.

The last of the O. E. S. series of progressive padro parties is to be held this evening, March 13, at the Masonic temple.

The seniors promise a fine musical entertainment at the rink next Wednesday evening, March 18, for 15 and 20 cents.

Mrs. O. M. Thrasher entertained a small party of ladies at tea Tuesday afternoon in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. Church.

A Sioux City man with the name of Pfaf had just been wedded. When he gets mad at his wife all he'll have to do is to pronounce his name in her face.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Little for a mothers' meeting Tuesday, March 17, at three o'clock. Young mothers are urged to be present. All welcome.

Rev. and Mrs. Jerome have both been confined to the house nearly all the week with grip. Mr. Jerome hopes to be able to conduct church services as usual Sunday.

New books catalogued last week at the library were "The Pit," "Lady Rose's Daughter," "Ben—King's Verse" and "The Colonel's Opera Cloak."

John Joslin is now stationed at Winslow, Arizona, having been given a good position on the main line of the Santa Fe system. He is only about 1900 miles from Northville.

Mrs. Magill returned Saturday from Hiram Holmes' west of town, where she had been assisting in the care of their children through a severe attack of whooping cough. All are now convalescent.

The progressive supper given by the B. Y. P. U. in the rink Wednesday was excellent and well patronized. Everybody was surprised to find how dyspeptically fast he or she could dispose of a meal and without more than ordinary haste either.

About a dozen of her lady friends perpetrated a genuine surprise on Mrs. A. R. Angell Saturday evening taking with them the wherewithal for a dainty supper. They received a hospitable welcome and enjoyed an extremely pleasant evening at finish.

Ed. Starkweather entertained about 100 of his gentlemen friends at pedro Wednesday evening at his farm home. It is needless to say that the affair was a success socially and gastronomically and every other way. A. C. Balden captured the first prize at cards and J. H. Steers the consolation.

Call at W. L. Becker's for Butterick fashion plates.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

Mrs. Roxanna Smith is quite seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Elliott are the parents of a new son.

Mrs. Mary Nichols is able to be out again after a severe siege of grip.

Mrs. T. G. Richardson has been on the sick list this week with the prevailing malady.

A St. Patrick's party will be given in Princess rink Tuesday evening March 17, by Opera House orchestra.

Virgil McNitt, a former employe of the Record, is now filling the position of city editor of the Evening News of Conneaut, Ohio.

The U. S. Fish Commission car which was here last week left Thursday night with 500,000 brook trout fry from the Northville hatchery.

A lot of spring cleaning has been done on our principal streets this week and the result is very noticeable and improving to the general appearance of things.

T. J. Perkins & Co. have moved into their new quarters in the store lately vacated by Fry Bros., which had been thoroughly renovated and rearranged for their occupancy.

The Junior Basket Ball team at Ann Arbor, of which Miss Grace Yerkes of this place is captain, came out victorious against the seniors in the first open game of the season played in Barbours gymnasium last week.

Arthur Cook, who has been taking a special dairy course in the Agricultural college at Lansing, has been chosen from a large class by Colonel Lilley of Coopersville to superintend his large creamery plant at that place.

The fourth annual ball of the Maccabee societies in the rink last Friday evening was pronounced "the best ever," and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large company in attendance. The music was extra fine and the supper all that could be desired. About eighty couples were present.

The Northville W. R. C. celebrated its eleventh anniversary Wednesday evening. The regular meeting was followed by a very pleasant social time in which refreshments and fitness played a prominent part. The Corps has a large and efficient membership and the ladies are noted for always managing to have a specially jolly time when they all get together.

As is usual at this time of year, the advance agents of the robin family are attracting much attention and comment. Some of the Record's exchanges are so jubilant over the arrival of the "harbingers of spring" that they even spelled 'em with two b's. The poor birdies will probably wish before March is over that they hadn't managed to be here at all.

Monroe Thornton has disposed of his milk route to his son, Will, who takes all except the ice cream business which Mr. Thornton will retain and will continue to supply his customers as before. "Roe" has dispensed the lactical fluid to Northville people for ten years, and during that time has traveled over 200,000 miles, handling from thirty to sixty gallons of milk daily according to the time of year, his route covering about sixteen miles a day. Practically all this traveling has been done by one horse, "Old Kit," who is still well and hearty.

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

Puts roses in her saucy cheeks. Makes her eyes grow bright with fun. Makes months seem like weeks; That's what Rocky Mountain Tea has done.

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Letters for the following persons are advertised at the postoffice this week.

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Lin Brant
Miss Annie Bowman
Mrs. Allen Bowman
Mr. Ernest Cully
Mr. W. P. Holmes
Mr. Geo. Johnson
Mrs. Lizzie Knaze
Mr. John Klumph
Mr. John K. Lan
Mrs. S. Le Gray
Mrs. Liza Slater
Miss Mary Thecky
W. P. Thompson
Mr. F. M. Tharger
"Box 645"

S. E. Cranson is recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Edgar Fuller has been appointed to the position of laborer in the fish hatchery at this place.

The Woman's club meets this afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. A. Wheeler.

Pedestrians have greatly appreciated the cleaning off of the cross walks during the muddy weather. The act was encouraged.

W. Pitt Johnson writes that in Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he is located the weather is so mild that on February 3rd he saw a lady riding past on horseback with no hat on and wearing a summer waist.

The Missouri newspaper that mentioned the fact that a prominent citizen was near death's door and that the doctor thought he could pull him through, no doubt meant well, regardless of what the doctor may have thought about it.

Henry Fry has become assistant to President Harmon of the American Bell & Foundry Co., and during Mr. Harmon's absence in the south in search of rest he will have charge of the office. Henry has resigned his position in the railroad offices in Detroit.

C. T. Rogers and sons commenced work Wednesday on a new condensing plant on the north side of the base line just east of the Pere Marquette railroad crossing. Jesse Clark has the contract for putting in the foundations of the building which is to cost when completed about \$4,500.

The following conversation between a Northville butcher and his delivery man sounded somewhat startling to a Record reporter the other day, but after all 'twas only an incident of a busy day in the meat market. "Now we'll have to get a move on. You just trim up Charley Gardner's chops and put Doc Henry's tongue in that basket. And—hello! Frank Perrin's left his liver on the counter. Take that with you, and take Porter's feet out of pickle and deliver them right away." "All right, sir; just as soon as I saw Milo Johnson's leg off and crack the preacher's ribs" And he did it all, no doubt.

Woman Deserted Little Boy.

Menominee, Mich., March 12.—A little boy, apparently about five years old, was left at the restaurant of Miss McGillis at Powers, a small village north of Menominee, Tuesday by two stylishly dressed women. The child is still there and the police are looking for the women.

Now He Is Crazy.

Mendon, Mich., March 12.—The case of Oscar Newasky, the young Polish farmer who was bitten by the winter bug, is still puzzling the doctors. Newasky remained in a semi-conscious state for two days and then became a raving maniac from blood poison, the hair from his head and body falling out.

Aged Couple to Wed.

Lapeer, Mich., March 12.—The Lapeer county clerk has just issued a marriage license on application of Lucinda Withey, a widow in Imlay City who swears she was 88 last birthday, and knows no reason why she should not be united in marriage to Joshua Cline, aged 92, living at Capac.

Keelplate to Cruiser Laid.

New York, March 12.—The first keelplate of the battleship Connecticut, the first large battleship ever constructed in a government navy yard, was laid Tuesday in the navy yard in Brooklyn. There were no ceremonies in connection with the laying of the plate.

G. A. R. Encampment June 9-11.

Lansing, Mich., March 12.—The council of administration of the Michigan Grand Army of the Republic met here Wednesday and selected June 9, 10 and 11 as the time for the annual state encampment, to be held in Muskegon.

Jackson Soaked For \$2,750.

Jackson, Mich., March 12.—A jury has awarded \$2,750 to Thomas Harden, who sued the city for \$10,000 damages on account of injuries received from a fall on a defective sidewalk. The city may appeal.

Rat Killer.

Prof. Koch of Germany has discovered a successful method for the destruction of rats with frequent holds of ships. An experiment has been conducted on board the Bulgaria at Hamburg. The rats were placed in cages in the hold. An apparatus was then used to fill the hold of the ship with a gaseous substance. When this was concluded the cages were brought on deck, and all the rats were found to be dead. The new system will in future be used in the German navy and on the big German steamship lines.

Baptist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor.]

Monday afternoon the Woman's Mission circle met with Mrs. Thrasher to prepare some work for Miss Ergenzinger's school in Detroit.

Next Sunday morning the pastor's theme will be "With Christ Along the By-Ways" and in the evening the last sermon of the series to young men will be delivered, the subject being "The Fountain of Youth."

Methodist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor.]

The Superintendent has a surprise in store for the Sunday-school next Sunday.

An extra edition of the Northville Methodist is published every Sunday for a time.

The Northville Bible club has 7,573 credits, of which North side has 4,010 and South side 3,563.

Bert Wilkinson leads the League next Sunday evening. Subject, "The Young Christian's pleasures."

The return cards for the Mid Year Festival are coming still. One card properly filled out with every thing save the name of the sender came in last week. The committee is anxious to get the name for soon they will begin sending out tickets. Any others who may not have mailed the cards can aid the committee to hasten this distribution if they will mail them quickly. The Mid Year round up promises success with pleasing assurance. Over \$100 of the \$278 necessary has already been realized. A great day that.

It takes two and one fourth miles of film—lacking only the small fraction of one twenty-fifth mile—to present the Passion Play as it will be seen in the Methodist church tomorrow evening. The Bavarian actors will be seen in all the activities and movements just as they act out this sacred drama and without the time and expense of travel to that distant land. And it will bring far more distant scenes and times to the eye. Jerusalem and the cross will come across 19 centuries to meet us. Admission 25c and 10c. Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Come early to get your choice of seats. Tickets on sale at Carpenter & Huff Bros.

Makes mother eat, makes father eat, makes grandma eat, makes grandpa eat, makes the children eat. Rocky Mountain Tea does it. A spring tonic, 35 cents. Murdock Bros.

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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What the Evening News says: Ald. Haarer deserves the support of every citizen regardless of political affiliations and his defeat would be a public calamity.

Jacob J. Haarer has a most enviable record as a clean, upright, representative of the people.—Free Press.

Once in a while a man in public office shakes off partisan prejudice and stands for the people against the machine. Ald. Haarer is such a man.—Tribune.

Ald. Haarer of the Tenth Ward, has made a brilliant record for himself as a trusted public official.—Abend Post.



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GOING NORTH—Leaves Wayne at 7:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 12:15 a. m. Conner's store, Plymouth, every hour from 5:40 a. m. until 10:30 p. m. P. M. Depot, Plymouth, 5:57 a. m. until 10:57 p. m. Last car for Northville leaves Wayne at 10:15 p. m.

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The SOUTHERNERS

By Cyrus Townsend Brady

Author of "We've With the Ship," "The Quiberon Touch," Etc.

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Entertainments of every sort were more or less given up. The papers were filled with announcements of the new military organizations, in which the privilege of enlistment was eagerly sought. Uniforms were seen everywhere upon the streets, and the music of life and drum stirred the martial ardor of the citizens. In the midst of all the excitement came the election of deputies to the conventions which were held in Alabama and adjoining states with the avowed object of following South Carolina's action in carrying the several states out of the Union. Although vigorous protests were made by some eminent men, like Alexander H. Stephens of Georgia, the result in every case was a foregone conclusion.

The question of slavery—which, while it was obscured by the question of secession, was really the basic consideration, since it was slavery which brought about the desire for secession—was almost as fiercely debated, but with not nearly so much unanimity as on that subject. And it was a pity that this diversity of opinion was not realized in the north. Here again Judge Annan differed from many of his neighbors. He, in common with such men as Henry A. Wise, the governor of Virginia, deplored the existence of slavery, and with others had been quietly working for some time looking toward its abolition. They had come to regard slavery as a curse and blot upon the fair name of the south, as well as a menace to any industrial supremacy, rather than a divinely ordained institution, a blessing. Left to themselves, these men would have brought about a gradual abolition of slavery upon equitable grounds which would have been acceptable to the whole nation.

The moral consciousness of the south, generally speaking, was entirely at rest on the question however. The slaveholding statesmen were as sincere and as thoroughly convinced that they were right as the most violent abolitionist was to the contrary, and to convince them otherwise would require time, tact and patience, forces which have often before moved a world. Such an industrial system as slavery could not be uprooted suddenly without so seriously disturbing existing economic conditions as to produce revolution. The efforts of the southern abolitionists—who would naturally resent the term—were in the present excitement fruitless. They found themselves hopelessly outclassed, and were compelled to sink the question of slavery in a choice between their state and the United States. Then choice in most instances was inevitable.

Attacked, therefore, by family friends and sweetheart, Peyton actually gradually persuaded himself that it was not his duty to remain in the United States service. He had been born in Alabama. All his family, his friends, the woman he hoped to make his wife, lived there. All his affections, his dreams, his hopes, were centered there. If war came—and he was at last convinced against his will that it would come, and the conviction came in the end because he was one of the few southern men who knew the quality of the north, which most of his countrymen, publicly, at least, denied—he would be compelled to fight against those he loved and who loved him. Living in a seaboard town, it was quite possible that he might some day be compelled to turn the guns of a warship upon this very city, upon his own people, upon his home. An awful thought that, a terrible argument.

But there was another powerful incentive. The very moment that he announced his determination to continue in the United States service and his refusal to resign he would be a man marked for hatred and contempt.

Should he follow in the footsteps of his fathers, honor and preferment awaited him. His military and naval training would be of great value to the south. To the north he would be only one of a number of enterprising young officers.

In short, nearly everything urged him to a decision in conformity with the wishes of his people, and the arguments that were brought to bear upon him were so powerful that they nearly decided him—nearly, but not quite. And again it was on his lips to make that decision, yet something

held him back. He stood and pale under the stress and strain of the outward and inward conflict, his mind, his conscience and the woman. He had time for no day dream now. Under the iron pressure in the terrible struggle which tore the very depths of his being he began to lose some of the indifference, the hesitation, the timidity which had characterized him in the presence of the world. He began to stiffen and to strengthen.

Watching him painfully were those who loved him, his father, his mother, his brother and sister, aye, his sweetheart, Mary Annan, for she too began to come within the category. Although she neither knew it nor admitted it, it needed but a touch apparently to reveal to her and to him the depths of affection which she was beginning to entertain for him. That mighty struggle going on within his breast, which she dimly realized from the outward mani-

festations of it in the change of his character, brought them nearer together. She watched him with perhaps the same feeling of awe with which women of old, otherwise dainty and refined, and not devoid of the gentle sympathy we love because we lack it, watched the gladiators in the Roman arena.

To do or not to do, and which was the duty to be done, which to be left undone—for he began to see that, as in every great crisis or question, there were duty calls on both sides of it—that was his problem. Sometimes in her presence he sat in perfect silence for long moments. These periods were not filled with the dreams of old, and when she timidly broke them by asking the subject of his thoughts he would reveal the mighty turmoil by some brief, incisive comment which taught her as nothing else could the fierceness of the struggle. She prayed, as thousands of others in both north and south did in those trying days, that the decision might be for her and hers, and awaited it with a hope which grew stronger every day.

Bob Darrow, too, grew more unhappy. He made little progress in his love affairs, although as far as he could see neither did Peyton. Mary Annan was kind to him, too kind. She distributed her favors between the two men impartially. By a tacit agreement they had avoided clashing and dispute about her. Each convinced as he could to see her alone, but when chance brought them together there was no unseemly rivalry. Darrow's position was unequivocal. He was heart and soul for the south; but, strange to say, he was almost the quietest man of the social circle in which the young men moved. The heaven of love and the effect of the great crisis were developing his nature also. Where he had before given his judgment with a laugh and without thought he became reserved and contemplative. Deliberation appeared in his manner, a little hesitancy or reluctance, which, as it appeared to be accompanied by no less of confidence in any emergency, the girl found very attractive. Indeed, had Peyton been out of the way she certainly would have fallen in love with Darrow. And it might be, before she realized the situation, that something would turn the scales in his favor. So they were all in a state of feverish excitement, and the days passed in alternations of anxiety and elation.

Even little Tempie had a hard time of it for never in her small life had she found her sister so distrustful, so anxious, so quick to reproach a fault, so heedless of her childish ailments and complaints. Christmas came and went without the usual jollity and merry making. It was useless to cry "Peace, peace," when there was so peace, but war, little to urge "good will toward men" when that between the two sections was already a thing of the past. Matters moved rapidly in Alabama and the crisis came on the night of Jan. 3, 1861. This happened to be the birthday of Mary Annan. Her father, the old judge, as a celebration of it gave a dinner party at his home at Annandale late in the afternoon, to which were bidden several of his oldest and most intimate friends as well as a few of the younger people, including Darrow and Peyton and his sister, Miss Pinkie Willis, much to his disgust, was forced to content himself with an invitation to the dancing party which was to follow the dinner.

CHAPTER XI. A DINNER AND A DISCUSSION.

ALTHOUGH dinner was served at Annandale House a little after 3 o'clock in the afternoon, in accordance with the invariable southern custom, the shutters were closed, the blinds were drawn beneath the heavy lambrequins, and the darkened dining room was lighted by numbers of wax candles in old fashioned gilt candelabra, from whose branching arms depended many glass prisms, which twinkled softly in the vibration caused by the serving of the dinner.

The table was loaded with massive plate which had come down from colonial days and even antecedent years in older countries, and it groined with that profusion of vases, chateaux, and other decorative objects of southern hospitality.

On the right hand of her father, as being the guest of honor, to celebrate whose birthday the dinner was given sat his daughter. Her slender neck and shoulders rose from a perfect billow of draperies of exquisite point lace, which covered the airy tulle fabric of her corsage, the ivory tints of her skin making sweet contrast with the dead whiteness of her dress. She had striven to control her rebellious curls, and an attempt had been made to part her hair in the middle and draw it down smoothly around her brows and over her ears, gathering it at the back in a handful of curls in which she had thrust a single belated red rose. But the wave that was in her hair would show itself, and the thick brown locks, resisting control, rippled softly across her temples. She wore no jewels, although her mother's casket in the chamber above was filled with beautiful gems.

Opposite Mary was her friend and companion, Pinkie Peyton. Next to Mary, Boyd Peyton was lucky enough

to find himself, and opposite him, next his sister, sat Darrow. On either side of Mrs. Peyton, at the other end, sat the Hon. Andrew Barry Moore, governor of Alabama, and Colonel Jones Withers, the mayor of Mobile. The governor, who was an old friend of Judge Annan, had come especially from Montgomery, the state capital, to honor his daughter. The rest of the company—which included Colonel Peyton, the Rev. Dr. George Bampney, the factor of Grace church; Dr. Lucien Venosette, a retired physician who owned large cotton plantations up the state, although he lived most of his time in Mobile; Señor Francisco Mendota, a shipowner, an exporter of tobacco and cotton; Mr. Owen Hudson, a leading lawyer of the city and state, and various other friends of consideration, together with their wives—were suitably placed about the table.

Though they were gathered together in festive guise and to do honor to the daughter of the house, the one subject that would obtrude itself was the one paramount in every heart. By universal consent the discussion, which waxed warm and persistent as the meal was dispatched, irresistibly turned upon the predominant question of secession and its concomitant, slavery.

"Gentlemen," said the governor, a large, stout, well built, rubicund, blue eyed man, "you know my sentiments, of course. I telegraphed to the governor of South Carolina when the ordinance was being considered, on my own account, in my own behalf, of course. Tell the Carolina convention to listen to no compromise or delay."

"We endorse everything that you said, governor," said Colonel Peyton quickly.

"The state is with you," added Señor Mendota.

"Our cause is a righteous one, and it will prevail," remarked the Rev. Dr. Bampney.

"Yes, your excellency," said the mayor, a wiry, slender, nervous man, a graduate of West Point, who was to see hard and brilliant service later in the war; "secession will sweep the convention on the 7th if the spirit of our Mobile people is any criterion I do not believe there will be a dozen votes cast against it."

"One of that dozen will be mine," firmly interrupted Judge Annan.

"What, judge?" cried the governor in surprise. "You are not one of Abe Lincoln's men, are you?"

"No, your excellency, by no means, but I do not yet see the necessity for secession. Abraham Lincoln, much as I dislike the man," said the aristocratic, distinguished gentleman, who was one of the very few in the south who gave the president his full Christian name, "and loath as I am to think that the president of the United States is of such common stock and ordinary breeding, has been legally elected in a constitutional way. I do not apprehend any interference with the rights of the south from him."

"But," said Dr. Venosette, "he has stated that the country cannot exist half slave and half free."

"That doesn't make it a fact, doctor," said the judge. "Alabama existed half slave and half free."

"The subjection of the black to the white was so intended, ordained of old," commented the venerable clergyman slipping his wine.

"As to the question of secession," here interposed Mr. Hudson "whatsoever the will of the president might be, he is restrained by our constitutional checks from any overt action."

"True, gentlemen," said the judge, "and, believe me, the liberties of the south are not jeopardized by his election. The action of South Carolina was hasty, unnecessary, impolitic, in the last degree."

This announcement was received in dead silence. There was but one heart that beat responsive to it around that table, young Peyton's. The face of the judge's daughter was filled with pain and shame. The expression on most of the others was surprise. Colonel Peyton with difficulty restrained himself from an explosion.

"What would you advise then, judge?" asked the governor, one of the most determined advocates of secession in the south, "what would you have us do? Submit tamely?"

"Do nothing, sir. Pursue the even tenor of our way. Let any overt action, if there is to be one, come from—shall I say the enemy? I let the north show its hand first. I, for one, should deplore the dissolution of this great Union."

"Judge," said the mayor incisively, "you are right in the last phrase. When South Carolina went out of the Union, it was thereby immediately dissolved."



"If my old friend will permit me, I give you a health!"

"It's a fact accomplished," said the clergyman.

"I fear so. Indeed, indeed, I fear so," said the judge thoughtfully. "But my convictions are as I stated."

"But your course, judge?" asked Colonel Peyton.

"Gentlemen," said Judge Annan, "I trust that my patriotism is above proof. What Alabama does I do. I am a citizen of the United States, but first and foremost I am a citizen of Alabama. If she goes out of the Union, which God forbid, I go with her. If it breaks my heart, I must go with my state."

"Oh, father," whispered his daughter, "I love you for that."

Boyd Peyton's heart sank into the depths once more.

"Gentlemen," said Colonel Peyton, "if my old friend will permit me, I give you a health—the health of a man who subordinates his private convictions, his individual opinions, to the allegiance due to the state in which he was born. God bless her that she has produced such sons, and may all here do likewise!"

As he spoke he shot a meaning glance at his son where he sat next to Mary Annan. The toast was drunk with enthusiasm by every one present except young Peyton, who brushed his lips to his glass after some hesitation with a very moody countenance. In the ordinary course of events, with the termination of the dinner proper the ladies would have retired to the drawing room while the gentlemen lingered over their wine, but the subject under discussion was of such burning consequence to them all that Mrs. Peyton, who had assumed the role of hostess for the occasion, sat still and gave no signal. The conversation that passed around the table between the older men had a body of feminine auditors so intensely interested that it was with difficulty that they kept silent.

"I knew, of course," said the governor, "that we could count upon you, and, indeed, judge, I think you are wrong. I am sure that an attempt will be made to dispossess us of our slaves summarily and to force upon us with out time for preparation the very choice which we now make, or will make shortly."

"An irreconcilable difference of economic systems will inevitably produce an irrepressible conflict, which will not cease until one or the other system triumphs. What Lincoln said is true. The country cannot exist half slave, half free. They will resist secession in the north. The conflict is inevitable," said Hudson, slowly and carefully delivering his weighty words, which made a profound impression upon all by their gravity and accuracy.

"I agree with the governor on the one hand," said Dr. Venosette, a thoughtful old man, beloved by every one in the town because of his kindly, charitable life. "And I agree with my friend the judge and lawyer Hudson on the other. I do not regard slavery, with all deference to you, reverend sir, as a divine institution. As an economic system it seems to me to be extravagant and ill adapted to the needs of a community like ours, although I am a slave owner, as my family has been for generations. I was born a slave and the institution of slavery I first learned to whirl the top and lower the ball with the young Annan. Everything I own on earth is the result of slave labor, the bread that feeds my wife and children is produced by the labor of slaves. They live on my plantations with every feeling of kindness as between master and slave. I love them, they love me. Yet, frankly, I would rather see them free. I should be ready to join and cooperate in any move whatsoever looking to that end. To free them myself out of my land and without general cooperation among other slaveholders would be to plunge them into poverty and disaster, but it has been my hope that some means might be devised whereby slave labor could be supplanted by free labor and property holding in slaves might cease to be in the south. So the 'irreconcilable difference' Mr. Hudson speaks of might be—shall I say harmonized?"

"Gentlemen," said the governor, reading from a newspaper clipping which he took from his pocket, "yesterday in Montgomery at the session of the Alabama conference of the Methodist Church South it was resolved that the conference believed 'African slavery as it exists in the south to be a wise, humane and righteous institution, appointed by God and calculated to promote in the highest possible degree the welfare of the slave; that the election of a sectional president of the United States was evidence of the hostility of the majority of the people to the south, and which in fact if not in form dissolves the compact of union between the states and drives the aggrieved party to assert its independence.' And they said further, 'Our hearts are with the south and should there be need we shall not be found wanting in the hour of danger.'"

"A ringing declaration, that!" said Dr. Bampney, who was an Episcopalian. "From our Methodist brethren I say that men of such such insight ever left the fold of the true church." It was a question of propriety again. Almost all political or even moral questions have a material basis. The northern states, in defiance of the constitution, have denied that slaves are property, have refused to protect slave owners, despite the fugitive slave law. In their title to their slaves, and will refuse," said the lawyer, again clearly stating the case and with his fine legal mind going to the core of the problem in a way that awakened everybody's admiration.

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Suburban News.

Ann Arbor is in a state of municipal bankruptcy, according to the Courier-Register.

Many of our readers have apparently forgotten that the Excelsior has passed into its 23d year and that their subscriptions are unpaid—Excelsior, South Lyon.

That's a long time for a cash-in-advance paper to let subscriptions run, but probably the fact of their being renewed every year has prevented the debts from becoming outlawed.

One of the Record's exchanges edited its readers last week with a quarter-column dissertation on the "signs" indicating whether or no we "are going to have" a hard winter. Most any of us can tell pretty accurately at this date, but there is some significance in the fact that the predictions in the related article in question were decidedly "off."

Rochester 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.—Northville Record. That may be true, but when people want that kind of a fight, they generally are able to pull off—Adrian Press.

Jackson is talking a bit about adopting standing time. The Ann Arbor papers used to declare while bullying Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti councils into adopting a time which few citizens wanted, that Detroit, Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor were the only cities in the state that used local time but now it appears there are others—Ypsilantiian.

Evidently the Ypsilantiian man doesn't like to have his noonday meal at 12.25 or else at 11.22. He probably gets a good deal hungrier at the first way and not hungry enough the latter way.

The value of husbands, like that of other portable property, varies in different localities and according to individual opinions of course, but it is not generally conceded that an habitually drunken one is worth much anywhere. However, a Pontiac woman doesn't look at it that way. She wants a saloon keeper of that city to pay her \$10,000 for hers because while in an irresponsible state from imbibing too freely of the saloonist's stock in trade, said husband laid a railroad train get so close to him that he died.

The Birmingham Eccentric man—one or the other of him—commenting on the fact that it cost a man \$300 for kissing an Owosso girl three times, proceeds to tell all about how much cheaper the osculatory privilege is in Birmingham. After going on at a scandalous rate about its delights, he saves his own conjugal scalp—at least we trust so—by trying to lay claims to any accurate knowledge on to "some of the younger men about town." All the same his vivid description obviously smacks of personal experience.

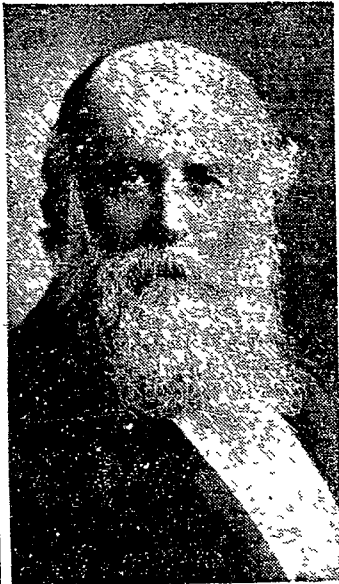
A Detroit man at Metamora met a more acrobatic adventure than he relished the other day, and it is one that none of his friends pants to emulate. He was crossing a bridge thirty feet above a railroad track when a train came along and scared some horses he was leading. In the fracas he was thrown from the bridge and would have fallen to the track below where the cars were passing, had not the rear of his trousers caught on a spike and held him suspended until help came. Good ad for that particular brand of pantaloons.

In the Milford public schools, some of the boys have a habit going up stairs of puffing and panting as though completely tired out. This annoyed one of the lady teachers, and she met a group of boys as they came into the room recently and gave them a calling down. "See here, boys," she said, "you are making altogether too much noise, and when you come into the class room, I want you to leave your puffs and pants down stairs." And she had not found out why the class laughed.

The ...
Dowie CrusadeHow the Modern Elijah
Will Assault New York

JOHN ALEXANDER DOWIE—Elijah II, the Restorer, he calls himself—who has announced his intention of leading a pilgrimage of 3,000 Zionists to the city of New York and turning the spears of the Christian Catholic Church of Zion against the iniquities of the metropolis, has already sent his advance apostles to prepare the way for his coming.

The "restoration host" is now gathering on the shore of Lake Michigan northward from Chicago preparatory to the invasion. The new crusade will be up to date and will travel in special trains. On one side of each coach will be emblazoned the words, "Zion's Restoration Host." The first section of the trains is scheduled to leave Chicago on



JOHN ALEXANDER DOWIE.

Oct. 14, and headquarters of the army will be established at Madison Square Garden and Carnegie Music hall.

Dowie began his work as a faith healer twelve years ago in a little cottage on the south side of Chicago. He developed a power over crowds that gave him the idea that he might enlarge his field with profitable results. He hired the Auditorium, founded a cult, established Zion City, nicknamed himself Elijah II and, according to reports, made \$15,000,000.

Dowie built up a great following. His meetings in the Auditorium on Sunday afternoons attracted such crowds that big overflow meetings had to be held in the streets. In his talks he attacked everybody and everything, particularly the Catholic church, the newspapers, Freemasonry, physicians and druggists.

Dowie calls his following the "Christian Catholic Church of Zion." Zion City, which he established, is forty-two miles north of Chicago. It is completely under his control. No one can own his house entirely. The name "John Alexander Dowie" is over every door. Even the peanut stands bear his name. The temple is in the center of the town, and all streets lead to it. Dowie planned it to hold 30,000 persons, and it was his intention to make Zion City the seat of authority for a religion which was to sweep over the earth.

Dowie's home is a large red brick mansion richly furnished.

His followers are increasing rapidly and are found in every land. Hostile critics admit that they number over 150,000, and it is possible that this is an underestimate. He secured for a time the co-operation of leaders in the American branch of the Salvation Army, and though they have now withdrawn from this movement it is probable that many of the rank and file of the army will remain with him.

Chicago, of course, is familiar with John Alexander Dowie's work, and the country knows something of Zion City. It occupies 6,500 acres in Lake County, Ill., on the shore of Lake Michigan. No town lots were sold, but each follower who built there has a lease for 1,100 years. No liquor is sold there, no tobacco, nor pork, nor oysters, and drugs, medicine and surgery are unknown. The population is variously estimated at from 4,000 to 7,000, and some of the houses cost as much as \$5,000. A dozen railroad trains arrive and depart every day. Such is Zion City No. 1.

The Rev. Dowie is of Scotch birth and is between fifty-five and sixty years of age. He has long white hair and beard. His step is agile, his face rosy, his eyes clear and commanding, and when he speaks he attracts the hearer's interest. His speech is unorthodox and unconventional. When his people do not act to suit him he thunders his denunciations.

The "Restorer" is a man of education and was trained as a Congregational minister. He had his theological schooling at a seminary in Edinburgh, and then went to Sydney, New South Wales. It was in the Edinburgh seminary that he found his faith healing theory. He believed literally in the laying on of hands.

While in Sydney he was arrested several times for holding meetings without a license. In 1878 he left the Congregational church and set up a Free Christian tabernacle in Melbourne. He left Melbourne in 1888, went to San Francisco and two years later landed

in Chicago "to fight the devil on his own ground," as he explained. Since then he has been arrested numberless times, but he never gave up.

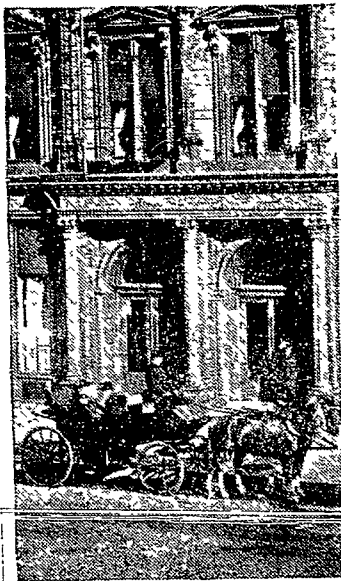
In 1895, he founded the Christian Catholic Church of Zion and announced himself as its head and overseer. He appointed his elders and organized a white robed choir of men and women. He wrote some of the songs and music they sang. He bought the plant and became editor and proprietor of Leaves of Healing. Its columns are filled with his sermons and testimonials of those who have been cured by him. His followers are composed of, in addition to those who are called fanatics, lawyers, business men, writers and artists—people who are skeptical on the Bible as a whole. Every member has to forswear tobacco, drugs, liquor and secret societies. They stipulate to give Dowie 10 per cent of their income.

He founded a Zion college, in which the youth of Zion are instructed. He established a bank, a private institution which lends to members. It gives 4 per cent interest on deposits. He established Zion Home hotel within the shadow of the auditorium where Dowie holds his services. The hotel contains 300 rooms. It is modern in equipment. Dowie patients stop there and are "headed by faith." Prayer meetings are held there daily. A part of the year Dowie and his family live there. He has a summer home at White Lake, Mich. His cottage there cost \$50,000.

Dowie's present plans provide for a two weeks' crusade in New York. With him on his tour of conquest will be all the members of the Zion "restoration host" who have been working in Chicago, and the number will be augmented by others from Zion City. In all there will be about 3,000 persons in the army.

On the arrival in New York there will be a great street parade, the column to march two miles with Dowie at its head. Accompanying the column will be the Zion band. This will play and all the marchers will sing the battle songs of the church. The army will occupy several of the largest hotels and will dine in state in their own private dining rooms, which will be built by the managers of the Madison Square Garden.

The Garden meetings will be conducted in the same manner as those



MR. AND MRS. DOWIE IN CARRIAGE BEFORE ZION HOUSE.

held at the tabernacle at Zion City. The choir to the number of 500 comes in attired in black gowns and white surplices. They all wear mortarboard hats. The elders and their wives are similarly attired and come in with the choir. Behind them, Mrs. Jane, the prophet's wife. Her gown is black, the sleeves are white and flowing, and a mortarboard hat is on her head. After her appears the prophet, Elijah II, and then the audience rises. It remains standing until the prophet goes to the platform.

The choir is in the rear of this platform. The elders and their wives are assembled in front. Jane Dowie has a chair beside the prophet. The choir sings the "Te Deum" and then the prophet rises. He lays aside his mortarboard and the elders lay aside theirs. The prophet extends his hands and his voice fills the edifice as he says: "God be merciful to us and bless us and cause thy face to shine upon us; that thy way may be known upon earth, thy saving health among all nations; for the sake of Jesus. Amen."

Dowie's wife, Jane, is second to him in power in the church, with the official title of overseer. His son, William Gladstone Dowie, a young man of twenty-five, has just completed his education in an eastern college. Many of the Zionites believe he will succeed his father as head of the sect.

There are those in Chicago who believe that the "Restorer" is short of money and expects to reap a golden harvest in New York. "Elijah needs the money," they say, "and New York pays well for every sort of show, from grand opera to circus puffery. Dowie's entertainment will be a drawing, and the prophet will arrest \$100,000 and draw down a couple of millions." But these are scoffers.

Great Sport.



Willie—I'd rather have a automobile myself, but this seems to amuse paw.—New York Evening Journal.

Unanimous.



Customer—I'd like to see something nice in checks.
Tailor—So would I.—Chicago American.

Just a Matter of Taste.



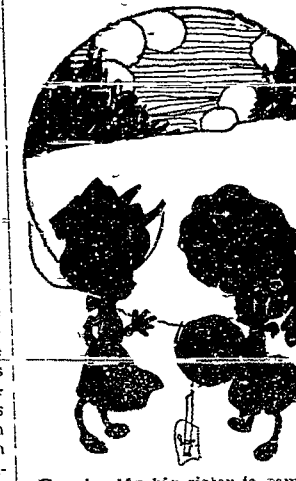
Mr. B. Constant—Don't you know consistency is a jewel?
Miss B. Wilder—Of course, but jewelry is going out of fashion.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Joys of Wealth.



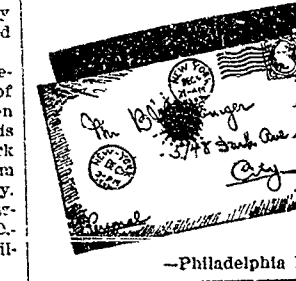
"Say, ma, don't you wisht you was rich, so you could have a solid gold washtub instead of that old tin thing?"—San Francisco Examiner.

Equal Honors.



Fannie—My big sister is coming out this evening.
Kate—Dat's nothing. Me big brudder is comin' out tonight, too. He was up for six months.—New York Times.

A Statu on His Name.



—Philadelphia Ledger.

French School Children on Strike.

An extraordinary strike is reported from Crezieres, near Poitiers, France, the school children of the elementary school having refused to attend their classes unless their head master, M. Call, was dismissed from his position. The children allege that they have been harshly treated by their master. They are supported by their parents, who have petitioned the government to send down an official to inquire into the affair. This the government has agreed to.

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