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LAST SUMMONS CAME SATURDAY

TWO NORTHVILLE RESIDENTS
CALLED FROM EARTH.

Mrs. Charles A. Sessions and Mrs.
George B. Sinclair.

Again has the shadow of death hovered over our village, and again it becomes the sad duty of the Record to tell of hearts and homes darkened by the passing of dear ones across the dark river. On Saturday, May 9th, the last summons came to two of the esteemed residents of this place, Mrs. Charles Sessions and Mrs. George Sinclair, both being called from earth on the same day.

MRS. SINCLAIR.

Saturday morning Mrs. George B. Sinclair died very suddenly of heart failure at her home on High street. She had been in somewhat delicate health for some time, having never fully recovered from a severe attack of grip nearly three months ago, but was apparently as well as usual until a few moments before her death. She was 50 years of age and was married 25 years ago at Springfield N. Y., to George B. Sinclair. They lived at New Hudson nine years and came to this village fifteen years ago. She was highly respected by all who knew her, and leaves many friends here, to sympathize with the husband in his loss. The funeral services were held at the home Tuesday forenoon, conducted by Rev. W. S. Jerome of the Presbyterian church and the interment was at New Hudson.

MRS. HUBBARD.

Kittie C. Hubbard was born at Port Kent, Essex county, N. Y., July 10, 1850, coming to Michigan and to Wayne county in July, 1870. She was married to Charles A. Sessions in 1874, and had lived in Northville ten years. She died in Ann Arbor May 9, 1903.

Although all hope of Mrs. Sessions' recovery had been abandoned for some time, yet the end news of her death came with a shock to her friends, as is always the case, even when expected, and cast a shadow of sorrow over the whole community. It was at first hoped that her removal to Ann Arbor a few weeks ago might result in a change for the better, but the best medical skill obtainable there was exercised in vain and last evening, after many months of suffering, on Saturday evening she was brought home at six o'clock Sunday morning.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence. The services were very largely attended and the discourse by Rev. W. S. Jerome was beautiful and appropriate. The abundance and beauty of the flowers brought by loving friends and surrounding and almost covering the beautiful white couch casket in which she lay as if asleep, showed in some degree the high esteem in which Mrs. Sessions was held. She was a universal favorite, her bright, cheerful, kindly nature making all who knew her warm friends. She was one of the few of whom it can truthfully be said that no word of censure has ever been heard among those who had known her either long or briefly. The casket was borne to Rural Hill cemetery by the hands of those who had long been associated with her in social life, and members of Orient chapter O. E. S., in which she was a valued member, acted as escort. Deepest sympathy is felt for those to whom she was most dear and dear who are thus bereft of one so worthy of all love and respect, and especially for the husband and the aged mother.

WAYNE GETS \$63,596.40.

Apportionment of Primary School Interest Money.

The apportionment of primary school interest money will be made this week. The apportionment among the counties of the state, Wayne county excepted, is \$442,527.02. Wayne county gets \$3,595.40.

The township of Plymouth has 577 school-aged children and gets \$346.20, while Northville with one less youngster gets \$345.20.

THE RISING SUN OF WALL STREET.



—New York Herald.

NORTHROP-WELCH.

Pretty but Unostentatious Wedding
Tuesday Evening.

On Tuesday evening, May 12th, a very quiet though extremely pretty wedding occurred at the Northrop home west of town, when Miss Eliza Welch became the wife of Mr. Floyd Northrop. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. O. M. Thrasher of the Baptist church, and only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends were present. The bride was very charming in a pretty gown of white broadcloth and carried white roses. Dainty refreshments were served after the ceremony. Among the beautiful and useful gifts was a handsome dining room suite from a New York friend. Mr. and Mrs. Northrop, who are to reside at the farm, will be at home to their friends after June first. Both are well known and popular young people and commence their married life with the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

A Spring Snake Story.

Northville may not have a serpent but reputable people of this place sometimes see serpents, and not always imaginary ones either. Charles Judson and Dan Lafferty found themselves up against the real thing one day last week while in the woods drawing logs. They came across a lusty six foot blue racer, which they succeeded in dispatching without much trouble, and knowing that these snakes are always to be found in pairs, they afterward took some pains to look around for the other member of the family. They found it after a time and Mr. Judson, seizing a club, at once made a vigorous pass at the "racer." He had, however, selected an unreliable weapon which broke in two as he struck. Instead of trying to get out of the way, the big snake unexpectedly raised its head several feet, in the air and made a sudden and determined rush for its now unarmed assailant. What would have happened had Mr. Judson been alone is of course merely conjecture; but Mr. Lafferty sprang to the rescue and struck the angry snake down before it could reach Judson. Between them they then managed to kill the reptile, but their experience for a few seconds was considerably exciting as may be imagined, and they are not recorded as having banted blue racers since.

April Crop Report

Secretary of State Warner's crop report says that farm laborers throughout the state are scarce and that the average wages for such are about \$21 per month. The total number of bushels of wheat marketed during April is 209,269. The report says that the freezing weather during the last few days of April seriously injured strawberries, certain varieties of plums, peaches and cherries.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our earnest gratitude to all the dear friends who have done for us so many kind deeds in our time of bereavement. CHARLES SESSIONS, MRS. HUBBARD.

PURE FOOD CO.

FOR NORTHVILLE

ARGO MILLS WILL GO INTO THE NEW DEAL.

The New Company is Organized for \$100,000.

The Puritan Health Food Co., Ltd., has been organized by prominent Detroiters, Gillespie & Collins, the owners of the well known "Argo Mills" of Northville, and several prominent gentlemen of Tiffin, O. The company has organized for \$100,000 with \$37,500 paid in. The Argo plant will be constructed to twice its present size of buildings, with grain elevator attached. The capacity of the health food department will be 200 barrels of hygienic whole wheat flour per day. The grinding and putting upon upon the market of a hygienic whole wheat flour, bean flour and non-perishable cereals and nut foods, are the objects of the company. The plans for the remodeling of the present buildings to accommodate the business of the company are in the hands of Messrs. Donaldson & Meier of Detroit. Work upon the buildings and the placing of the new machinery which is necessary for the purpose of the company will be begun next week. It is the intention of those who have organized this company to conduct its business as nearly as possible on the co-operative plan, which they feel is the only sure road to success in these days.

The curtain shade building will also be purchased, or leased, shortly and the plan of purchasing all kinds of farm produce and live stock will be made a specialty in connection with the other business noted above.

WILL QUIT POLITICS.

Tip Atwood Told a Fellow Townsman of His Plan.

One of Railroad Commissioner Tip Atwood's Caro neighbors, who was in Detroit recently, said Atwood told him that when his own and Gov. Bliss' term expires in December, 1904, he was going to retire from politics. He added:

"Atwood had no reason to tell me this if he didn't mean it. He explained that he is going to devote his energies to the shoe factory he is promoting in Caro. Atwood is pretty comfortably fixed financially. For a long time he had a law practice that paid him \$5,000 a year or over, but he hasn't practised much since he became Bliss' manager. He used to have a bad for buying farms. Whenever he had a few thousand dollars idle he would put it into a farm. But he has gotten over it and is now selling his farms. Less than a year ago he sold farm lands at one time that brought him some \$30,000 in cash. I believe he is honest when he says he intends to quit politics. Nevertheless he is apparently so fascinated with the game that he may change his mind. If he does you can bank on it that he will be plugging for Fred Warner's nomination for governor.—Detroit Evening News.

BAIRD'S BILL IS PASSED

SENATE AGREES ON PRIMARY
ELECTION MEASURE.

PROVIDES ONLY FOR CITY, VIL-
LAGE AND TOWNSHIP TICKETS.

BILL MAY BE REJECTED BY THE
LOWER HOUSE.

Lansing, Mich., May 13.—After a debate of nearly four hours the senate passed the Baird primary election bill, with one or two very insignificant amendments, by a vote of 27 to 5. This is the same bill which Representative Galbraith offered in the house and which was voted down by 79 to 13. It provides only for the direct nomination of city, village and township tickets. Representative Colby says the house will throw the Baird bill in the air and a conference committee will be appointed from both houses.

So many representatives deserted the house during the debate that a resolution was sent over from the lower branch asking that the absentees be returned. The galleries and the visitors' chairs on the floor were full for the first time this season during the transaction of business.

Senator Glasgow easily won the honors in the oratorical contest, presenting the case of the conservative, modest reformer in clean, lucid, finished style. Senator Simons did not equal his last week's effort. Kelly's sophistry was as clear as ever, but he offered no new arguments against primary elections and no new arrangement of the old argument. Like Smith and Woodman, he detracted from the force of his rhetoric by a vehement, virulent attack on the press for fostering the reform movement.

A conservative estimate of the situation makes it look as though the senate would concede no more than optional arrangement for nominating county tickets, and the direct nomination of candidates for the legislature.

All the thirty-two senators were in their seats when the debate began.

When the senate went into committee of the whole Senator Westover was called to the chair.

Secretary Chilson proceeded with the reading of the Baird substitute.

Goodell's Amendment.

Senator Goodell at once offered this amendment:

"Hereafter all candidates to be voted for by the people, except delegates to the national conventions for nomination of president and vice-president of the United States, and except candidates for office of attorney general, state treasurer, auditor general, commissioner of the state land office, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction, members of the state board of education, officers in villages, township and school districts, shall be nominated at primary elections held in accordance with the provisions of this act. This act shall not apply to special elections to fill vacancies in office."

Senator Glasgow at once took the floor. He spoke for the Baird substitute but intimated that he would be willing to go much further, provided state conventions were retained. His closing remarks were significant. "It may be possible that we should include under the direct voting system candidates for the legislature in order to stamp with sincerity any action we may take."

Fine K. of P. Parade.

Saginaw, Mich., May 13.—Michigan Grand Lodge K. of P. is in session in this city. Tuesday was devoted to parades and prize drills. The parade of the afternoon was a fine one. Companies D from Grand Rapids, Owosso, Traverse City, Lansing, Muskegon, Alma, Lapeer and other places being in line. The main streets are gaily decorated. Grand Rapids company won first in the drill, with Lansing second. Muskegon was given a prize for an exhibition drill. Last evening a parade of the dramatic order Knights of Ku Klux Klan was the feature. A class of seventy-five were initiated at Arbeiter hall. The work being followed by a banquet.

Teamsters Win.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 13.—The striking teamsters won the first union victory in this city when the Columbian Transfer company, the largest employer, gave in and signed the union agreement calling for increased pay and recognition of the union. The Gelock Transfer company and the milling companies followed and about 200 drivers returned to work. One hundred teamsters are still out. There is no change of the strike of the carpenters, steamfitters and building laborers, involving upwards of 500 men.

Mangled Under a Train.

Kalamazoo, Mich., May 13.—J. F. Schmidt, manager of the Riverview coating mills, under construction and almost ready to begin work, was struck by a westbound Michigan Central train and instantly killed. The body was horribly mangled. Schmidt was walking on the track and did not seem to notice the warning whistle sounded by the engineer. When the brakes were applied it was too late, and the unfortunate man was struck without having made an effort to get out of the way.

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Seven

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"I was a perfectly healthy young man up to February 1866. When my regiment was in Camp Randall I was taken sick with the measles and I did not enjoy good health up to the time I used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and Tonic in 1866. Doctors have told me it came from inactivity of the liver, but I have had all kinds of ailments, such as headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, hay fever, asthma, and chronic diarrhoea; have all taken their turn with me. Thanks to the Nervine and Tonic I am completely restored to health. I have also used Dr. Miles' Asthma Pills with good results and I think that the Dr. Miles Remedies are perfect."—Rev. Hiram Bender, Sparta, Wis.

"I want to say a few good words for Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. I have been troubled very much with insomnia since I made the change to the new paper and on account of this I tried various remedies without relief. I was finally induced by a wholesale druggist, a personal friend of mine, to try Nervine. I can assure you it has done me a lot of good. I do not and I never have to go to bed but occasionally when I find I am not asleep I take it up as always keep a supply on hand. It has never failed to give me the desired relief."—A. Huesgen, Publisher "Daily Free-Press," Milwaukee, Wis.

All druggists sell and guarantee first-class Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

The Art of Conversation.

"Tell me," pleaded the artless maid, "wherein lies the secret of the art of conversation. The sage assumed the attitude he was wont to assume when in the act of imparting wisdom and said: 'My child, listen.' 'I am listening,' breathlessly the answered. 'Well, my child,' he rejoined, 'that is all there is in the art of conversing agreeably.'"—New York Herald.

Mr. Joseph Pomerville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richardson, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and in a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these Tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25 cents per box by Geo. C. Hueston.

Crowded English City.

Over 8,000 persons in Carlisle, or fully one-sixth of the population, live in one and two-roomed tenements.

Insects Cause Heavy Loss. The annual loss of fruit by insects is put by the United States entomologist at \$500,000,000.

A LITTLE EARLY RISER

now and then at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Riser are the famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectively, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if their use is continued for a few days, there will be no return of the complaint. Sold by all druggists.

Lacking in Finish.

"Let me impress upon you, children," said the young man from Brooklyn, who was addressing the Sunday school, "the importance of storing your minds with wisdom, which may be defined as the capacity for making a right use of knowledge, and, in fact, presupposes the acquisition of knowledge. Thereby you will not only enter into the possession of what is best in life, but rejoice the hearts of your parents, who are anxious above all things that their children shall become noble and useful members of society. Solomon expresses this idea rather crudely, it is true, but forcibly, when he says, 'A wise son maketh a glad father.'"—C. W. T., in Chicago Tribune.

Lost Hair

"My hair came out by the handful, and the gray hairs began to creep in. I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor, and it stopped the hair from coming out and restored the color."—Mrs. M. D. Gray, No. Salem, Mass.

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If your druggist cannot supply you, send one dollar and we will send you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address: J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

SUBSTITUTE IS REJECTED

HOUSE FAILED TO CONCUR IN SENATE'S PRIMARY BILL.

ONLY THREE REPRESENTATIVES VOTED IN FAVOR.

TWO STRONG COMMITTEES WILL TRY TO COMPROMISE.

Lansing, Mich., May 14.—The joint conference committee on the primary bill talked behind closed doors for an hour and a half last night without approaching any conclusion. The discussion was quite informal and of a preliminary character. The next sitting of the committee will be on Tuesday, May 15, when the conferees hope to reach some decision.

Events have moved fast in the primary reform movement in the legislature in the last twenty-four hours. Two stonewall committees have been appointed by each house to confer on differences and try to reach a compromise. Senators Baird, Smith and Jones are just as obdurate in their opposition to the wishes of the primary reformers as Representatives Colby, Wade and H. E. Powell are zealous and determined to secure a genuine primary reform bill. The house committee will undoubtedly be prepared to make concessions. It is doubtful if they will concede enough to suit the senate committee without a protracted wrangle.

Colby's Opinion.

"If the house has the backbone to stick for anywhere from thirty to sixty days we will get some kind of a good bill," says Colby, "but we won't stand for a mongrel proposition such as they have in Minnesota, which does not mean anything, and which would bring primary election reform into disrepute."

The present tone of the house, was unmistakable Wednesday morning when the Baird substitute for the Colby-Powell-Stone bill, passed by the senate Tuesday, came over from the upper house. Just three representatives voted to concur in the substitute—Galbraith, Herkimer and Higgins—with eighty-two representatives voting "nay."

There was no oratory and the formality of giving the senate a chance to recede from its position was dispensed with as a useless waste of time.

Some senators still vow that the next Republican candidate for governor will not be nominated by direct vote. It is possible that an attempt may be made in the house to introduce something with a bill introduced last week by Representative Hixday of Oneota under an old title. This bill reforms the convention system by the election of delegates direct to state conventions, one delegate to be elected from each delegate district—the delegate districts to be laid out by the county officers under direction of the secretary of state, each district in a county to contain 500 Republican voters. This bill also provides for party registration.

Senator Baird's friends felt indignant to think that, though chairman of the senate elections committee, he was to be left off the conference committee, as was the original intention. It was fixed up by Baird being appointed one of the conferees.

Michigan Inventors.

Washington, May 14.—Michigan patents. Lewis Aspinwall, Jackson, corn husker; Jacob F. Beckhiesinger, Saginaw, filing case; George H. Chapel, Howell, eye-glasses; Charles L. Pitch, Grand Rapids, contact device for trousers; John F. Harrigan, Detroit, journal bearing; Mary E. Higgins, Port Huron, child's bonnet; Alfred B. Hill, Ireland, metal working tool; Peter D. Horton, Albion, bubble-blower; Harry H. Jones, Detroit, pie-rolling machine; Fred J. Kelly, Lansing, weeder; Frank Macey, Grand Rapids, sectional furniture; John R. Morrison, Potosi, leach pitcher; Frederick Olson, Calumet, due scraper; Charles Puddefoot, Detroit, can forming and seaming machine; Isaac M. Warner, Union City, wire fence stretcher.

Michigan Pensioners.

Washington, May 14.—Michigan pensioners were granted Wednesday as follows: Increase—J. J. Cable, Dowagiac, \$10; R. P. Davis, Flint, \$17; J. D. Chisler, Assyria, \$32; G. H. Brooks, Hastings, \$50; Charles Chapman, Station, \$24; Noah Custer, Stanwood, \$10; William H. Mead, South Haven, \$10; John Jones, Jr., Genesee, \$10; Amasa Mampman, Howell, \$12; F. P. Seymour, Beaver, \$12; Calvin Rich, Coleman, \$10; Michael McDonnell, Scottville, \$8; H. A. Lord, California, \$17; John H. Porter, Sturgis, \$25; Artis Remeo, \$12; Samuel Davis, Smyrna, \$17. Widows—Cordella Clinton, Custer, \$3; Louisa Tyler, Covert, \$12; Fannie R. Belknap, Vassar, \$12.

Pythian Grand Lodge Officers.

Saginaw, Mich., May 14.—The following officers were elected last evening by the Pythian grand lodge, now in session here: Grand chancellor, Robert G. Steele; St. Johns; grand vice-chancellor, W. E. Hampton, Charlevoix; grand prelate, C. A. Palmer, Manistee; grand keeper of records and seals, Miles S. Curtis, Battle Creek; grand master of exchequer, Sylvester Greusel, Hastings; grand master at arms, P. L. Abbot, Kalamazoo; grand inner guard, Sam G. Carleton, Sault Ste. Marie; grand outer guard, A. G. Currie, Owosso; supreme representatives, A. W. Bennett, George M. Lusk and Leo A. Carr.

Wanted \$7 Ton For Ice.

Lansing, Mich., May 14.—The Lansing Ice & Coal Co., which may be designated as the ice trust, for it is the only concern handling ice here, submitted a bid to the state board of auditors, asking \$7 a ton for ice that the state has formerly had for \$1. The bid was rejected.

DETROIT'S HONORED GUESTS.

Lord and Lady Minto Given a Hearty Reception.

Detroit, Mich., May 14.—The strongest trait in human nature knits in bonds of brotherhood the municipalities of Detroit and Windsor Wednesday afternoon, when those who love to do reality to those in high places united in making a success of the dual reception to Lord and Lady Minto, the popular viceroy of Canada and wife. Thousands of citizens of both countries basked in the gracious smiles of reflected royalty and in the rivalry to do the viceroyal party homage the mayor and aldermen and social agents of Detroit fairly outdid the efforts of the Windsor ones.

The viceroyal party landed on Uncle Sam's territory shortly after 6 o'clock, when the crowds of people were just leaving work. An unexpected large concourse of citizens lined the streets and waited eagerly for the distinguished visitors. Colonel Hester's handsome and roomy yacht Vita brought them across the river. Mayor Maybury, with the members of the committee representing the common council, the legislature and local society, were on board to receive the guests and welcome them to Detroit. Mayor Drake, Colonel Bartlett, Dr. Reaume and R. F. Sutherland of the Windsor party accompanied the visitors.

A reception followed at the Russell house, whither the party was conducted, escorted by Fort Wayne soldiers. The distinguished party included Lord and Lady Minto, earl and countess, respectively, in the British peerage; their daughter, Lady Aileen Elliott; Major Maude and Captain Graham, aides-de-camp, and a number of secret service men. Lord Minto is a tall, though handsome Englishman, with iron gray mustache. Lady Minto is fairly handsome, vivacious and self-contained.

VOTE AT SPRING ELECTION.

State Canvassers Announce Results of Their Findings.

Lansing, Mich., May 14.—The state board of canvassers have completed the canvass of votes at the spring election and gave out the following as the result:

Regents of the University—Loyal E. Knappen, 214,500; plurality, 90,333. Peter White, 215,032; plurality, 90,865. Wellington R. Burt, 124,197; White, 128,884; John T. Ward, 14,666; Jefferson D. Lealand, 14,245; John D. Hunt, 6,380; William L. Beneset, 6,234; Vernon F. King, 3,758; Henry Ulbricht, 3,774; total, including scattering, 725,655.

Justice of the Supreme Court.—Frank A. Hooker, 215,825; plurality, 88,243. James H. Pound, 127,582; Winnet H. D. Fox, 14,611; Herbert A. Dodge, 6,402; Peter Friessens, Jr., 3,951; total, including scattering, 368,375.

The constitutional amendments relative to circuit courts was carried by a majority of 21,670, and that relative to boards of county auditors by 24,253.

Death Resulted From Quarrel.

Coleman, Mich., May 14.—Three farmers, Matt Zentz and son and H. Moore got into a dispute north of Coleman over starting some bush fires. What followed is only known to the Zentzes. The elder Zentz claims Moore threw him into a ditch and Zentz's son hit Moore on the head with a club. Zentz and his son were frightened at what they had done and came to Coleman and got Deputy Sheriff Swigart, who went to the scene with Dr. High. They found Moore lying in the road unconscious. He was brought here, but never recovered consciousness, dying shortly after. Zentz and Moore were considered good farmers, and neither of a quarrelsome nature. The Zentzes will no doubt be charged with murder.

Weds For Charity's Sake.

Bay City, Mich., May 14.—Mrs. Mary Francis of Tobico, a full-blooded Indian of 68 years, giving her tribal name as Sah-zah-ne-no-quah, called at the county clerk's office and said she desired to take out a license to marry James George, also of Tobico. She represented him to be 71 years of age, and said he is so old and sick that she desires to take care of him in his old age. George, she said, had never known what marital happiness was, always having been a bachelor. He owns a small farm and they think they can get along all right.

Whitcaps in Sanilac County.

Sanilac Center, Mich., May 14.—Because Mrs. Hake's husband believed the relationship of his wife and an alleged uncle who has been visiting her were improper, and because the people believed him, a posse of fifty of his neighbors visited the house and escorted the man into the country, where they left him with an injunction not to return. The irate husband would not forgive the woman, and she was given twenty-four hours to follow him.

Drowned Before Parents' Eyes.

Algonac, Mich., May 14.—Stewart Reed, aged 11 years, fell from the dock at Point du Chene Wednesday and was drowned. The lad was visiting with his parents at the home of Mrs. Snell, and arrived here a few days ago from their home in Cleveland. His parents witnessed the accident and rushed to his assistance, but were unable to do anything, as the lad sank before they could reach him.

Floater Picked Up at Algonac.

Algonac, Mich., May 14.—The body of an unknown man, perhaps 40 years old and weighing 175 pounds, was picked up at Algonac. It was clad in a dark serge coat and vest, corduroy trousers, black and white shirt, cotton drawers and No. 3 shoes with rubber heels. A miniature propeller screw, evidently a watch charm, was found in a vest pocket.

Drank Wood Alcohol.

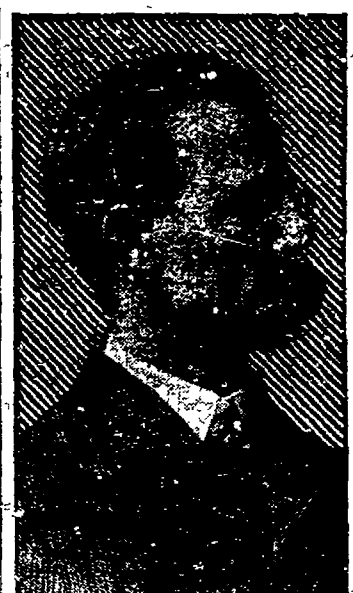
Kalamazoo, Mich., May 14.—Fred Ticker, city health inspector for many years, committed suicide last night by taking wood alcohol. He had been taking the poison for two days past and last night, after swallowing nearly a pint, died.

POET OF THE SOUTHLAND.

Clarence M. Ousley, Author of "Our Brothers in Black."

Clarence M. Ousley, poet and editor, whose recent poem, "Our Brothers in Black," dealt with the negro question in the south and attracted widespread attention, has held a high place in the newspaper world of Texas for many years.

Mr. Ousley is a native of Georgia and for a poet and dreamer has had a hard, workaday life. In his youth he toiled on a farm, absorbing the democracy of the country folk, and all his sympathies have taken that direction. Something of this local environment



CLARENCE M. OUSLEY

and coloring is reflected in his poems "Fishing in the Withincocche" and "The Farmer's Will."

Because of his delicate health Ousley was educated at the A. and M. college, Alabama, where the military features provided exercise. Here he received a classical training. He intended to be a lawyer, but changed his mind and struck out for Texas and taught school. Tiring of this, he began newspaper work as a reporter finally becoming editor of the Farm and Ranch.

Two years later Mr. Ousley was made managing editor of the Galveston News. In 1893, striking out for himself, he purchased the Galveston Tribune, an evening paper, and under his management that paper became one of the most profitable and influential afternoon dailies in the state.

After building up the Tribune Mr. Ousley accepted the managing editorship of the Houston Post, though still holding his proprietary interest in the Tribune. In the larger field covered by the Post Mr. Ousley has established an enviable reputation among newspaper workers and managers.

Although having few hours of leisure, Mr. Ousley has given to the world some charming verse. He is at his best, perhaps, in his songs of simple things. Among his well known poems are "Adam and Eve," in which he gives a beautiful description of the garden of Eden. Another poem that is full of homely sentiment is "The Old Man." "The Little Branch Road," "Smoke in His Eyes" and "A Hundred Millions" are poems that denote the thinker and dreamer.

There are many moods in Ousley's verse. He is at times Homer, at others he pitches his key to the tune with which Eugene Field won human hearts. But in every phase he portrays the beautiful, the good and the true. He is unmarried.

BISHOP OF BUFFALO.

Right Rev. Charles H. Colton the New Head of the Diocese.

Right Rev. Charles H. Colton, who has just been named bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Buffalo to succeed Bishop Quigley, raised to the archbishopric of Chicago, is the present chancellor of the archdiocese of New York and rector of St. Stephen's church, New York city.

The new bishop of Buffalo is a native of New York city and spent all



RIGHT REV. CHARLES H. COLTON

his life in the priesthood in St. Stephen's parish, of which the late Dr. McGlynn, the single tax advocate, was at one time pastor. Father Colton was ordained priest in 1876.

The diocese of Buffalo includes Erie, Niagara, Orleans, Chautauque, Wyoming and Cattaraugus counties, an area of 6,000 miles. In this territory there are 171,000, with 243 priests and 120 churches. Bishop Colton is fifty-five years old.

Morgan Would Not Talk.

Pierpont Morgan was besieged by a group of newspaper men in Washington one day last week. They wanted to get his opinions on some of the problems confronting Wall street. "Gentlemen," said the multi-millionaire, "your business is to get news and print it; mine is to do things if I can. Now suppose you give me the news in advance regarding things I may try to do. You would be the winners and I the loser, and you would think me a dunce for letting you win. Good day, gentlemen."

Spread of Mormonism.

The Rev. John K. Nutting, head of the Utah Gospel mission, told the Presbyterian Ministers' Association in New York several days ago that if Mormonism increased at the rate it has the last twelve years in another decade they will control the west of the United States, from Canada to Mexico.

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Ohio, only two or three doors from the house where the Reichlin tragedy occurred.

Mrs. Carry Pope of Detroit visited Mrs. L. A. Clark Wednesday.

Schuyler Colfax, ex-mayor of South Bend, Ind., was a recent visitor at Dr. Ball's.

Mr. J. C. Brackenbury, who with his wife has been visiting his sister, Mrs. L. A. Clark, this week, have returned to Lapeer.

Mrs. F. E. Magill of Novi was in town a day or two this week on her way to Jackson to accept an excellent position as day nurse.

N. H. Caverly of Pinckney was in Northville several days last week. Nat. still runs the hotel at that place and is doing a nice business.

Mr. Remington, Mr. Leonard and Mr. King of Detroit, and A. S. Matteson of Glenwood were Sunday guests of Hon. S. J. Lawrence and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr Webster of Northville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richmond of west Huron street Sunday.—Fontaine Press.

Dr. and Mrs. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Tonak and Mrs. Hoffman all of Detroit spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarkson.

Rev. Dr. Frank Felt, a returned missionary from India, was the guest of Supt. and Mrs. Martin last week. Dr. and Mrs. Felt have spent nine years in that eastern country and expect to return in the fall.

School Notes.

[By the Superintendent.]

Eight grade colors are cream and lavender and class motto, "Green but Ripening."

Last Friday afternoon Dr. Felt, who has spent nine years as a missionary in Central India, gave the high school an interesting talk on the customs and habits of the Indians.

Everything indicates that the opera house will be crowded for this evening when the "Bells of Blackville" will appear for the benefit of the Junior class.

Beautiful bouquets adorn the teachers' desks and spring hats bedeck the walkways.

The school will observe Memorial Day by holding appropriate exercises in the Methodist church Friday afternoon, May 19th.

Last Wednesday members of the eighth grade captured Supt. Martin, bedecked him with their class colors and made him an honorary member of that famous and illustrious grade. Long live the "Green but Ripening" class.

Last Monday morning Miss Alice Wallin sang a "Candle Song" and Fiddle and I for the fourth grade pupils and in return they sang a "Candle Song" and the "Fireman."

The grade was invited into the high school room, where the older pupils could also enjoy the singing. Twenty applause greeted the singers, and Miss Wallin was finally induced to repeat at least the last stanza of "Fiddle and I."

"Uncle John," the gentleman who lives in a little hut in the south part of the village, and who was born and brought up in slavery, is held in high esteem by the children of the school, especially the little ones.

Last Friday afternoon he was made the victim of a surprise party, when the first grade pupils and teacher called at his home. Each child had thoughtfully brought along some delicacy for his table. Finally he was induced to come out and take a seat where he could be seen by the little folks and receive their presents.

In return for their pleasant surprise he told them how he had been sold at different times and how some cruel masters used to whip their slaves. He is suffering greatly from rheumatism and feels that he is greatly in the way in leaving each child shook his hand, as he repeated over and over, "Thank you, thank you, God bless you." We trust the children will always cherish his friendship and treat him kindly as we know they will.

Notice to Taxpayers.

The Board of Review for the Village of Northville will meet at the store of B. A. Wheeler in said Village on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 19 and 20, 1933, at 9:00 o'clock a. m. of each of said days for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll for said Village. Taxpayers desiring themselves aggrieved may be heard at that time.

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Journalism in Italy.
In 1899 (the last year for which figures are available) 318 new journals were founded in Italy, of which 162 had ceased to exist before the end of the year, while 250 older journals also collapsed in that year.

IL TROVATORE AND TANNHAUSER

Grand Opera in English—Takes Detroit by Storm.

The season of grand opera in English that opened at the Detroit last Monday will probably be all too brief to enjoy the brilliant performances. The program for the second week offers a still more enticing repertory in Verdi's, always loved "Il Trovatore" and Wagner's grand opera of sonorous melodies, "Tannhauser." The first novelty will be the grand sacred concert Sunday night. Rossini's magnificent composition of "Stabat Mater" will be the feature of the evening.

In addition to this there will be a complete vocal and instrumental classic program by the entire company. The "Stabat Mater" will be the first of two sacred concerts, the next one being "St. Cecilia" on the second Sunday night.

On Monday night the most tuneful and best liked of all Verdi's operas will be sung. "Il Trovatore" will be repeated on Thursday and Saturday nights and at the Wednesday matinee. With the exception of the part of the Count Di Luna in which Messrs. Goff and Carrier will be heard the cast will be practically the same at all performances. Miss Norwood will be the beautiful Leonora, Miss Ivel will have the brilliant contralto role of Azucena and Miss Ramey will be the Inez. Mr. Sheehan will be the Manrico, Mr. Boyle the Ferrando, Mr. Coombs taking the part at the Wednesday matinee and Saturday night, and Mr. Fulton will be the Ruiz.

In Wagner's "Tannhauser," opera goers will have their only opportunity during the season to hear one of the greatest compositions of the German master. Manager Savage's Wagnerian cast this season has been favorably compared with the best to be heard anywhere. The fine acting Gherardi will be the minstrel knight in the title role at all performances while stately Gertrude Kenney will have her sweetly tuned and bell like soprano as the Saintly Elizabeth. She has displayed an exceptional talent for interpreting the classic Wagnerian roles. Messrs. Goff and Carrier will be heard twice as Wolfram. Miss Ramey will be the beautiful Genoa and Miss Althright, the Shepherd Boy. Messrs. Fulton Coombs, Evans and Thompson will be the four assistant minstrels while the dignified role of Landgraf will be in the capable hands of the popular basso, Francis Boyle. "Tannhauser" will be repeated on Wednesday and Friday nights and at the Saturday matinee.

Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

A new play called "The James Boys in Misadventure" comes to the Whitney Theatre May 17th for a week's engagement. There have been other plays which have presented the James Boys during their action, but this version was made from the original book and real happenings. The main scenes and incidents are wonderfully interesting and effective and a romantic love tale ripples through the play as well. There is plenty of good comedy that brightens things generally. Matinees daily except on Wednesday.

Lyceum Theatre—Detroit.

At the Lyceum during the week of May 17th the Pike Theater company will present for the first time here at popular prices Sol Smith Russell's famous play, "A Bachelor's Romance," which Miss Martha Morton wrote for that quaint comedian and has been offered heretofore only by him. The Pike Theater company has produced this comedy drama in several cities, always with the greatest success. It is a play of the heart, clean and wholesome, bright with good comedy and quaint with many situations. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

The solo by Miss Alice Walline was much enjoyed Sunday morning.

Avenue Theatre, Detroit.

Visitors to Detroit next week who have a little time to spare either in the afternoon or evening will find the Avenue Theatre a delightful place to spend the surplus time. The principal attraction will be the Grand Opera Trio, consisting of Miss Edith Decker, Signor Xanton and Signor Abramoff. They will sing Gounod's master-piece, the famous prison scene from Faust. This is the most pretentious singing organization ever in vaudeville. A fine bill will surround the Grand Opera Trio, including Fred Macarte's dog and monkey circus to amuse the children; Garlin and Brown, German comedians; Klein, Ott Brothers and Nickerson, musical specialists; Sisters DeVan, marvelous aerial performers; The Allisons in an uproariously funny sketch, and Harry Lester, monologist.

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LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Situation is Critical.—The situation at Tetuan, Morocco, is critical. The sultan is sending 3,000 reinforcements to that port. They are expected to reach there May 22.

Lived 110 Years.—Peter Stanley is dead in Upper Sandusky, O., aged 110 years, after an illness of seven weeks' duration. He is survived by a widow of 105 years, to whom he had been married eighty-five years. He was the oldest man in Ohio.

More Minneapolis Scandal.—Wm. H. Johnson of Minneapolis, superintendent of the poor during the Ames administration, was found guilty by a jury of the misappropriation of \$150 of city funds. The maximum sentence is five years in the penitentiary.

Terrible Strike Rots.—Owing to a great strike of dock laborers at Valparaiso, Chile, all business has been suspended there. Riotous strikers have destroyed street cars and have committed other excesses, several persons have been killed and great excitement prevails.

TEN YEARS IN BED.

J. A. Gray, J. P. Oakley, Ind. writes: "For ten years I was confined to my bed with disease of my kidneys. It was so severe that I could not move part of the time. I consulted the very best medical skill available, but could get no relief until Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me. It has been a Godsend to me." Murdock Bros.

The Yankee Still Inventing.
The report of the commissioner of patents for 1902 shows a total of 49,490 applications for patents, including designs, and that 27,776 patents, including designs were issued.

Ages of Paris Brides.
Of 121,825 Parisian brides of the last decade, 27,891 were under 20 years old; 61,370 were between 20 and 30; 22,881 between 30 and 40; 7,316 between 40 and 50; 2,289 between 50 and 60, while 578 were over 60.



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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

F. S. Harmon is slowly convalescing.

M. A. Porter is contemplating the purchase of an automobile.

Chas. Filkins is putting electric lights in his residence this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. VanLanven moved to Mt. Clemens last week.

George B. Sinclair will hereafter live at New Hudson with his brother.

Northville lodge I. O. O. F. will confer the 10th degree Monday evening, May 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Budd are the parents of a new son, born Sunday, May 10.

Judge Levanov of Detroit is to deliver the Memorial Day oration here this year.

Several new cement cross walks are among the spring improvements on our streets.

Lowell Hutton is now an electrician in the employ of the Seidler, Miner, Electrical Co. of Detroit.

Wm. Kirk and family have moved from Mrs. Mary Miller's house to Ed. Fuller's place on the Plymouth road.

Houses for rent are getting more and more scarce in this village every day and rents are rising in consequence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry German announce the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude May, to H. Herbert Renshaw of Detroit.—Detroit Tribune.

FOUND—In Wayne, package containing money. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. Address D. L. Cady, Mason, Ingham Co., Mich.

R. E. Barton is now on the road to recovery at Harper hospital. A piece of bone had to be removed from the wound in his head and since the operation he has commenced improving nicely.

Scherer & Cattermole have commenced the construction of their new two story brick building on Center street. The old shop will be moved back and the new 30 foot extension placed at the front.

It begins to appear from various indications that Northville's expected "boom" is right at hand, notwithstanding the pessimists who persist in disbelieving everything favorable and hunting industriously for discouragements.

Northville is rapidly coming to the front in the sale of market horses, as \$700 worth of horse flesh left this town last week. Harley Johnson and Joe Miller each sold one for \$225 to Flint parties and P. E. White one for \$250 to Bay City parties.

Maad—Last night Jack told me that he wouldn't marry the best girl living, unless—what—unless she took Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible fellow. 35 cents. Murdock Bros.

Miss Mildred Watkins who has been very ill is now better.

Miss Olive Shepard has been quite seriously ill, but is now somewhat better.

Union chapter R. A. M. will confer the Mark degree Wednesday evening, May 20.

Mrs. William Gould of Ionia, formerly of this place, died on Wednesday of this week.

The W. O. T. U. will meet in their hall Tuesday, May 19, at 3:00 p. m. Subject, "School of Methods." Every body welcome.

A new cement walk is being laid on both sides of the Coleman block by Contractor Kimmel of Northville.—Plymouth Mail.

Elmer Adams had the misfortune to have one of his finger nails torn off by contact with the machinery at the Dubuay factory one day last week.

Special conclave of Northville commandery No. 39 K. T. Tuesday evening, May 19. Full drill. Every Sir Knight is earnestly requested to be present.

Lost—Monday evening, May 11th, between A. S. Hill's on Cady street and Opera House, a necklace of gold beads. Finder please leave at Record office. Reward.

Miss Ada E. Moore and Harry A. King of Northville were married Saturday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore, by Rev. Dr. C. T. Allen.—Ypsilanti Times.

When all sorts of pure food products come to be manufactured right here in Northville, our village ought to be a more healthful abiding place than ever. In spite of the fact that there are ten physicians residing in town.

Special meeting of Mystic Lodge No. 109 K. P. Tuesday evening, May 19. Wayne lodge of Detroit and Farmington lodge are expected. The former will work Third Rank, after which a banquet will be served. A full attendance is desired.

Northville is rapidly assuming its normal condition as "one of the prettiest villages in Michigan" with its profusion of trees and shrubbery in their luxuriance of the newly donned beauty of spring, and its abundance of neatly clipped grassy lawns.

Very neat commencement programs have been printed by the Record for the graduating exercises of the North school, of which Willard Stark is the principal. Mr. Stark closes his work at North this spring and will take up his residence in Northville.

The Adrian Press was 31 years old last week, seemingly old enough to know better than "this here." Last Sunday evening the pastor of a Northville church preached a sermon on "The man who had a bad name." Probably referred to Mr. Panning, the Anti-Slavery lecturer.

Miss Florence Rogers was taken suddenly ill last week with brain trouble, and it was found necessary to remove her to a hospital for treatment. Miss Rogers' gentle, kindly nature has won her many friends here, who express deep regret at the affliction, and hope that she may soon recover her health.

The "Belles of Blackville" at the Opera House this evening promise an extremely "taking" entertainment and that the people of Northville think so is evidenced by the way the seats have been selling. It looks as if nearly everybody in town were going to be there to see the fun and help the Juniors.

The play at the Opera House last Monday evening by the Milford Dramatic club under the auspices of the St. Mary's Catholic society gave excellent satisfaction to those in attendance and those who were not there missed a good entertainment. A good sized audience was present although the house was not crowded. The parts were well carried out and much excellent dramatic talent was manifested. The receipts were about \$30 and the profits will be placed in the building fund of the society.

J. D. Terrill, a former Northville man, now chief law clerk in the controller's office at Washington, has received the following letter from Secretary Root relative to his report as auditor of accounts for the expenses of completing the military government of Cuba: "I am in receipt of your supplementary and final report, dated April 18, 1903, as auditor for Cuba, in which, having completed the duties thereof, you relinquish the office. To you, and through you to those who co-operated with and assisted you in establishing and maintaining an honest and efficient fiscal system for the island of Cuba, my thanks are due and cordially extended." Mr. Terrill is a brother of Frank G. Terrill of Salem.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.—Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cents.

L. W. Hutton celebrated the twenty-third birthday of his old family horse on May 6th by selling the animal to a Detroit man. Mr. Hutton had owned the horse since its birth.

GENUINE EXCURSIONS.

Metropolitan Pleasure for Every body.

Nearly everyone living in this community will doubtless want to visit Detroit Wednesday—May 27th, when the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Great Consolidated Shows, comprising double circus, double menageries, double museums, double hippodromes, will appear here. The menageries contain the greatest number of rare wild beasts ever seen in one collection. In the circus there are 300 star performers, and in addition to all the standard circus acts there are a score or more sensational features. All lines of travel will offer especially low rates of fare and provide all the necessary accommodations for the throngs who wish to go to see them. The agent of these lines of travel will furnish all necessary information as to the time of trains and rates of fare. There is no doubt that is that these excursion arrangements will enable people who live here to see identically the same show as seen by those who live in the metropolitan cities.

A PRISONERS' PAPER.

Journalism as Exemplified at Marquette Prison.

The Record is in receipt of No. 7, Vol. 1, of "Progress," a bright little monthly paper edited and printed by the inmates of the branch prison at Marquette. No names are given of the members of the staff or contributors, but a list of the officials of the institution appears. There are some original articles which bear the stamp of unmistakable talent, some extremely cute little verses by "The Printer," "The Pressman" and "The Devil" and some pithy editorial comments, besides extracts from various papers, including one or two from other prison journals.

The leading articles are an able commentary on the recent action of the board of control of the Stillwater Prison in Minnesota in regard to pardons and indeterminate sentences, one entitled "Wanted: An Organization to Aid Friendless Prisoners at the time of Their Release," and others on "Political Grafters," "Militarism" and other topics of the day. Among the books are the following:

"One of our local seuths has been throwing out mysterious hints that the killing off of these poor Poles down in Detroit by the G. & R. R. is part of a deep laid plan to keep Frank Andrews in Prison."

"Sheriff! please take notice. The Red Hot Sports' base ball team, camping at Russell's Lake Shore Retreat are in need of a first class pitcher. This right sort of man can enter into an engagement either for the season or up to the age of decrepitude—according to the agreement he may come to with some judge and jury. The local management guarantees free board, clothing and housing and a general strenuous looking after—so he may not get lost in the woods. A steady job between games is also assured. The sheriff, who will rope in and deliver the 'wanted' article will receive the customary fees and mileage, as well as the gratitude of the local public."

Altogether, the paper is an extremely creditable example of journalism, but in spite of the cheerful and sensible view of the situation evidently taken, there is something to the writer of this article at least—indiscreetly pathetic about it, all things considered.

Card of Thanks.

Sincere thanks are extended to all those who have so kindly given assistance and sympathy in time of sorrow. GEORGE B. SINGLAI.

King Leopold Sued.—The report that the Countess Lonyay has brought suit against her father, King Leopold, has been confirmed. The countess claims that her share of the estate of her mother, the late Queen Marie Henriette, should be \$3,409,000 instead of the \$120,000 offered by King Leopold.

Wireless System For British Ships.—It is announced that the British admiralty has decided to immediately install the wireless system of telegraphy on all the vessels of the North American and West Indian squadron. The apparatus for the cruiser Tribune has arrived at Kingston, Jamaica.

Murphy Weakened.

Philadelphia, May 13.—William Murphy, for many years a messenger in the employ of the United States Express company, who was arrested on Saturday last charged with the larceny of \$20,000, which had been entrusted to his care to convey from Zottville, Pa. to this city, was given a hearing and held in \$2,500 bail for trial. Detectives, upon information furnished by Murphy, recovered \$19,555 of the stolen money.

Baptist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor.]

It was a pleasure to note the improvement in the choir last Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Shank gave a very interesting talk before the B. Y. P. U. last Sunday evening.

Next Sunday morning and evening the pastor will exchange with Rev. J. R. Bonner of Salem.

The B. Y. P. U. will give an Experience social at Jas. VanDyne's on Cady street next Wednesday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served. Certainly you will be there with the rest of the crowd.

On Tuesday evening, June 2, there will be a popular and intensely interesting entertainment in the church. Remember the date. Particulars later. Be on the lookout for window-hangers down town.

Methodist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor.]

Fifty-five at prayer meeting last Thursday evening.

The Northville Bible club reports 4,000 credits for north side and 3,470 for south side, a total of 7,500.

The Ladies Aid society are arranging a Piquette entertainment for Friday evening, June 12. A unique affair is promised.

East Sunday two little girls walked seven miles to get to our Sunday-school—the Musolf sisters. Christianity doesn't lack for heroism yet.

Next Tuesday evening is the time to see the film "The Land of the Pickaninny and Crocodile" through the eyes of one who enjoyed a sojourn in that sunny, happy clime immensely. All for 10 cents and children with parents free. Given under the auspices of the Epworth League.

Next Sunday morning's service is devoted to Old Folks' Day. A large company is being invited. Carriages will be provided for all who need them. Rev. E. Clump, a superannuated M. E. preacher, member of this conference, has lately removed to Northville. He is nearly 90 years of age and has preached more than half a century. He is in feeble health but has promised to be present if strong enough. The sermon will be about a young man, only 110 years old. The evening service will be occupied entirely by a program of Epworth League members. It is an anniversary service. Printed program will be furnished the congregation. The day will begin by a sunrise prayer meeting from 6 to 7 o'clock, conducted by the Epworth League. All are invited to this service.

What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market on Friday, May 15.

Corn—13c
Oats—12c
Rye—11c
Barley—10c
Wheat—14c
Flour—25c
Sugar—12c
Coffee—15c
Tea—10c
Lard—10c
Butter—12c
Eggs—15c
Hens—10c

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FOR RENT—House, No. 48 Randolph street. Apply to D. J. Duggan, 3411.

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EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

Grand Rapids, Sunday, May 17.

Train will leave Plymouth at 8:15 a. m. Rate \$2.25. See poster, or ask agents for particulars.

Saginaw and Bay City, Sunday, May 17th.

Train will leave Northville at 8:42 a. m. Rate and \$1.50. See posters, or ask agents for particulars.

Detroit, Sunday, May 24.

Train will leave Northville at 9:35 a. m. Rate, 25 cents. See posters, or ask agents for particulars.

Summer Vacation Trips.

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Chautauqua blend Coffee, can't be beaten, lb.....	28c
Tea, per lb.....	40c and 50c
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Lard, snow drift.....	10c
Butter, per lb.....	22c
Bananas, fine, per doz.....	20c
Oranges, per doz.....	30c, 40c
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NEIGHBORHOOD

Novi News.

Mrs. W. West is quite ill at this writing.
Jay Seelye is sick with German measles.
Mrs. Gertrude Nicholson spent Friday in Detroit.
Mrs. Dan Wilkinson and son spent Sunday here.
Miss Rosa Hicks of Sand Hill spent Sunday here.
Mrs. Washburn of Hillsdale is visiting Mrs. Shaw.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Murdoch May 7th, a boy.
Mamie Millard of North Farmington spent Sunday here.
Mrs. Alice Flint was a Detroit visitor last Friday and Saturday.
Ray Ford of Northville visited at Mrs. John Parmenter's Sunday.
Rev. Vradenburg is spending a few weeks at his home in New York.
Mr. and Mrs. Moco of Detroit were visitors at George Skene's Sunday.
Miss Ione Murdock entertained a friend from Northville over Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. West entertained friends from Detroit Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stark of Northville called at W. D. Stark's Sunday.
Miss Edith Bassett of the M. N. C. spent Saturday and Sunday at home.
Mrs. V. O. Cudworth and Mrs. Olive Hammond spent Monday in Pontiac.
Milton Burrows and wife of Northville spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Parmenter.
Miss Clara Becker entertained a few friends Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Grace Court.
Mrs. George Bassett is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, at Ypsilanti.
Mr. Clark's brother-in-law, a returned missionary from Italy, preached in the M. E. church Sunday.
H. R. Holmes of Northville and G. L. Holmes of Detroit visited their sister, Mrs. Samuel Bassett, this week.
Mrs. Magill has had her house and barn repainted and her place always one of the prettiest around Novi, now looks nicer than ever.
The third annual commencement and junior exercises of the Novi school will be held in the Baptist church Friday evening, May 22.
Mrs. Beryl is in receipt of a letter from her son, Chandler, who is in Colorado. He states in his letter that he has joined the navy and will soon leave for that work.
The Cheerful Workers met with Mrs. Harry Bogart Saturday afternoon. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Pres., Cora Banks; Vice Pres., Lulu Becker; Secretary, Sarah Lamb; treasurer, Clara Becker.
The Novi correspondent of the Northville Record says: "The pathmaster of Novi and the highway commissioners fixed a piece of road, and then went over it with a load and got stuck." Some people are always stuck on their own work, you know. The road over which they rode was evidently in a bad fix. Perhaps they should have rowed over the road when they rode over it.—Adrian Press.

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Walled Lake News.

Mrs. Chas. Merithew is spending a few days in Detroit.
Miss Inez Crawford of Milford spent Sunday with Jean Johns.
Miss Mary Benecoter of Detroit is visiting Miss Belle Smith.
Mrs. Hiram Alger has returned from her visit at Fenton.
Bert and Paul Clark of Washington spent Sunday with their parents.
Mrs. John Ryel entertained her aunt from Farmington last week.
Sant Smith of Chebaning visited his cousin Oliver Cronk Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gage attended the funeral of Wm. Blackwood at South Lyon Monday.
Harry Moyer who has been spending his vacation at the home of his brother D. B. Moyer has returned to Chicago.
Mrs. Gertrude Erwin has returned to Ypsilanti. Miss Frank Scott of Flint is staying with her sister Mabel and Mrs. McKenney.
Miss Liuna Smith who has been attending the Normal at Ypsilanti has been obliged to come home on account of poor health.
Last Tuesday Wm. Mairs hitched his fine new engine to the district road scraper and greatly benefitted the streets in the village and near vicinity.
Mr. VanTassel went to Battle Creek last week and was there married. They returned to Mr. VanTassel's home Tuesday. May theirs be a long and happy life!
The Missionary sermon by Dr. Felt from India last Sunday morning was enjoyed by all who attended. At the close \$15 was subscribed for Missions. The talk in the evening was illustrated by Indian curios and was very interesting and instructive.
The father in law of Rev. Mr. Clark, Mr. Watling, now resides with him. He is now 83 years old and since coming here has enjoyed the distinction of being the champion checker player of the town, but last week he won a field of oats broad east.
Our little village seems like a factory town these days as we hear the siren whistle of Frank Weston's engine morning noon and night. Quite a business is being done at the saw mill near the depot sawing mill stuff for Blackwood and Sprague.

Farmington News.

Miss Corrine Collins of Detroit was at home over Sunday.
Theodore Grace of Detroit was a Farmington visitor Saturday.
L. E. Philbrick and L. D. Owen were Pontiac visitors last week.
Mrs. W. L. Warner has recovered from the grip and is able to be out again.
W. S. Warner and wife of North Farmington were village callers Saturday.
Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Helliker of North Farmington were Saturday callers in town.
The Farmers' club will hold their next meeting at the home of Richard Wolfe May 20th.
Mark Wixom and wife of Southfield were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Philbrick.
Mr. Lovett, wife and children of Detroit were entertained Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. B. Lapham.
Misses Grace E. Tremper and Jesse Sowle were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Beach.
John Delling and wife of Southfield were entertained Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thoraas.
D. A. Durfee and family of Detroit were entertained Sunday at the home of Mrs. Durfee's parents, Jas. P. Allen and wife.
The Grange meeting which was to have been held last Saturday at the home of Harry Lewis and wife was postponed for one week.
Baptism to four candidates was administered Sunday by Rev. Rev. F. A. Armstrong in the Methodist church. Wallace Mills and wife Mrs. Lena Hendry and Miss Anna May.
Hawaii's Mixed Population.
Hawaii's population is one of the most mixed on earth. Of its 150,000 people, 60,000 are Japanese, 30,000 Chinese and another 15,000 foreigners from Europe and America.
When you want a pleasant physical try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Geo. C. Hueston.

Salem News.

Sylvester Atchison is on the sick list.
Mrs. Dora Martin is on the sick list.
Supervisor John Munn has completed his assessment of this township.
Henry Doane lost a valuable cow from the effects of milk fever this week.
Kenneth Rich has the champion trotter now unless we are mistaken.
Jacob Bullock of Fenton Ministers' home visited relatives here over Sunday.
Chas. Rider and two sons of Northville visited at the home of his parents Sunday.
Miss Rebecca Packard is entertaining her brother, George Clarity, also a niece from Owosso.
Miss Nettie Martin spent Wednesday in Northville with her cousin Mrs. Jane Hinman.
Miss Etta Drake, who has been at work in Detroit, visited her uncle, Philo Chubb, over Sunday.
Rev. Butler, pastor of the Congregational church of this township, was in Northville Monday.
Miss Ethel Chubb of Fenton is a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philo Chubb, for a few weeks.
Matt Fabenor was quite seriously ill the fore part of the week with hemorrhage of the stomach, but is better at this writing.
Wm. E. Manning, whose serious condition was mentioned some time ago, has so far recovered as to be able to walk out of doors.
Pastor Butler of the Congregational church began last Sunday evening the first of a series of talks on popular sacred hymn writers, the choir also singing selections by the author chosen as subject for each evening.
Mrs. Bonner's Sunday-school class of young ladies and young men will give an ice cream social at the Baptist parsonage tonight. Every one welcome. Proceeds—well they have been heard talking a new bell for the church.
A party including Fred Atchison and wife, Myron Atchison and wife, Dr. Atchison and wife of Ann Arbor, George Vanatta and daughter of South Lyon and Mrs. George Whitman returned Saturday from a week's trip through Sumner county, Kansas. Fred and Dr. Atchison were well pleased with the results that they invested in a half section of land while there. Much of the pleasure of the trip was due to Fred Herrick who had the party in charge and had been over the road before.

WONDERFUL WORK

Lots Like It Being Done Right Here in Northville.

Northville people are surprised at the work being done by "The Little Conqueror." Public expression on the subject brings the matter frequently before the people. At first there were many doubts, and why not? So many claims of a similar nature have been made with little or no backing, except the word of some stranger residing in a far-away place. This evidence was accepted for lack of better—not necessary to accept it any longer. All sufferers from any kidney ill can find plenty of local endorsement for a remedy that will cure them. Surely the wonderful work of Doan's Kidney Pills right here at home is proof sufficient to satisfy any skeptic. Read the expression of one citizen on the subject.
Mrs. J. Palmer of Cady street, husband employed in the Lumber Yard, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills were used in my family some time ago for backache and other symptoms of kidney trouble and they proved to be all that is claimed for them, for in a short time the annoying backache was a thing of the past and the other symptoms of either excited or weakened kidneys disappeared. I am pleased to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. They are a wonderful medicine and one that everybody should know about."
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Cure for Drunkenness.

The French Gen. Passerieu suggests that the soldiers who give way to drink should be treated as persons suffering from illness, and that they should be segregated and treated by the regimental doctors.

THE X-RAYS.

Recent experiments by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-rays establish it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by all druggists.

Small Breed of Sheep.

British sheep are not much larger than a fair-sized hare.

Gift Page News.

Mrs. F. Garchow visited her sister Wednesday.
F. Garchow spent Sunday afternoon with H. Myer.
John Teagun visited his brother Will in Detroit Sunday.
Guy Simmons spent Sunday evening with Miss Pearl Lambert.
Mrs. Fred Lapham of Detroit visited her brother, F. Bradley, Sunday.
Misses Eva Wolfe and Bertha Cox spent Tuesday evening with Maybelle and Eva Bradley.
Byron Hudson and wife of Novi visited the latter's parents, R. Wolfe and wife, Thursday evening.

Livonia News.

Mrs. O. Minkley entertained her brother from Detroit Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Asa Lyon visited the latter's parents here last week.
Mrs. Joe McEachran is receiving a visit from her cousin, Miss Rachel Grace.
Four pupils from our school took the eighth grade examination at Elm last week.
Mrs. Will Sump is suffering with rheumatism. Miss Eva Smith is caring for her.
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McEachran and son visited Mrs. Will Smith last Sunday.
Eight or ten of Wayne Chilson's friends from the city came out last Sunday and spent the day with him and his wife.
The Livonia Center school will give an entertainment in the town hall May 22nd. All are cordially invited. Admission free.

Wixom News.

Amelia Witt spent Sunday at Kensington.
J. L. Sibley of Pontiac was in Wixom Tuesday.
A. J. Lambert of Ovid was a Wixom visitor Sunday.
Fred Condon visited his parents at Ypsilanti over Sunday.
Aile Madison has been quite sick with the prevailing epidemic.
Mrs. Eugene Furman and daughters were in Northville Saturday.
L. C. Ferrigo of Detroit was the guest of Wixom relatives over Sunday.
Mrs. S. N. Parker returned home Monday from a three weeks' stay at Lansing.
Mrs. E. J. Hubbard and Mrs. J. G. Madison were Northville visitors Saturday.
Grace Stevens is spending a few days with her uncle, M. E. Merithew, near Commerce.
Clarence Budd of Milford was in Wixom Monday repairing wells for S. Parker and A. Stowe.
Mrs. Chas. Sauton of Northville visited her mother, Mrs. Electa Furman, a part of this week.
Mrs. Chas. Sifers and son Dewey of New Hudson were guests of Rob. Shelton and family last Friday.
The quarantine has been removed and all the people who were shut in seem delighted to be out again.
Mrs. Major and daughter Grace of Milford spent last Saturday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Chas. Price.

Thumb Nail Identification.

A definite and authenticated case of thumb nail identification is reported from Paris, where a man charged with the murder of a dentist has given himself up because the authorities found that the imprint of a bloody thumb in the room where the murder was committed coincided with the mark made by his thumb. Of course the finger was already listed as a surety and the police were in possession of an imprint of his thumb.

"WATCH THE KIDNEYS."

"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys. Murdoch Bros.

Fast Travel in Automobile.

A new speed record of 27 seconds for the kilometer was made by the Hon. C. S. Rolls in Nottinghamshire, England. A 72-horsepower Morris racer was used and the rate at which it traveled was equal to 83 miles an hour.

MADE YOUNG AGAIN.

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Characteristic Enterprise.

With the usual speed of their old town,undry Philadelphians who were swindled by Whittaker Wright a generation ago when he was running a get-rich quick establishment in that city have begun an action against him now that he has been nabbed in New York for extradition to Great Britain, where he operates his scheme on a bigger scale.

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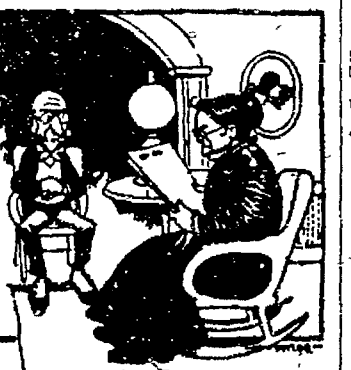
Wear—Yeast, here ain't nobody can appreciate a fine dough more'n me.
Wrag—Dat so?
Wear—Yep; specially when he's on de right side of de fence.—New York Journal.

Love of Nature.



The Boarder—By Jove, I think sunset is the prettiest sight in the land!
The Hired Man—So do I, podner. Ther's ther reg'lar time fer to quit workin', by Jove!—Chicago News.

His Point of View.



Mrs. Peck—Here's an account of a man who had three wives, Henry. Now, what do you suppose they'll do with him?
Mr. Peck—Try him for lunacy, m'dear, I should think.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Vegetable Talk.



Mrs. Carrot—Willie resembles his father, does he not?
Mrs. Cabbage—Oh, yes, every one says he has a head like his pa's.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Mixer.



"Haven't I seen you somewhere before, my boy?"
"Shouldn't wonder, lady. I circulates around in all kinds of society."—New York Journal.

Figure of Speech.



The Dude—Your dog is trying to bite me. You must not allow him to run at large.
Bad Boy—Why, you don't call yourself large, do yer, boss?—Chicago News.

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A FARMER STRAIGHTENED OUT.

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

Coal Used by the World.

It is calculated by an engineer that 630,000,000 tons of coal are used annually throughout the world. Of this amount 148,000,000 are burned in the United States. Great Britain comes in second with an annual consumption of 140,000,000.

Give the children Rocky Mountain Tea, this month, makes them strong, makes them eat, sleep and grow. Good for the whole family. A spring tonic that makes sick people well 35 cents.

Island Makes a Voyage.

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CHAPTER XXXII.

THE FLEET GETS UNDER WAY.

"SIX bells in the midwatch, sir," said the marine orderly, tapping deferentially at the door of the admiral's sleeping room, while the accompaniment of his shrill whistles the boat-swain and his mates were piping, "Up all hammocks!"

"I am awake, orderly. What sort of a morning is it?"

"It's been cloudy and squally, but it looks fair to be clear now, sir."

"How's the wind?"

"Light from the south-west, sir."

"Good! Send Mr. Watson and Mr. Peyton to me. I would like to see them in my cabin as soon as I am dressed. Is Captain Drayton up?"

"Yes, sir."

"Give him my compliments and ask him to come here, too, say in about half an hour, all."

The admiral, who had risen at the first tap on the door, was soon dressed. He buckled on his sword, which had been given him by an old friend and which was his almost constant companion. He invariably wore it when on duty. Just as he completed his preparations, which included a long and fervent petition to Almighty God for the success of the dangerous undertaking he was about to commence, Drayton, followed by the two lieutenants and Dr. Palmer, the fleet surgeon, came down into the dimly lighted cabin.

"Good morning, admiral."

"Good morning, Captain Drayton. Good morning, gentlemen. The tide will be at full flood in a few hours and we'll carry out the programme. You may call all hands and get the ships lashed together, sir."

"Very good, sir."

"And, Watson, you will signal the fleet to couple up and prepare for action."

"Aye, aye, sir."

"The wind is sou'westerly, so the orderly reports, Drayton?"

"Yes, sir; rather light now, but it gives promise of growing heavier."

"It's lucky for us that the wind blows that way, for it will carry the smoke over Morgan and make it difficult for them to see us."

"And not obscure our view of them, either, sir?"

"Certainly not. The quaker who couldn't hit a mark that bulks up like Fort Morgan had better go and be a haymaker!"

"Admiral, you won't fail to call upon me for any service in case the enemy don't give the medical corps work to do?" asked Dr. Palmer.

"My dear Palmer, I expect to call upon you and every man for the best that is in him this day. But don't fear that you won't have plenty to do in your line. We'll not get through scathless by any means, more's the pity."

"But in case we don't get through at all, sir?" asked the surgeon.

"I do not contemplate such a possibility, sir. We shall get through; we must, we will. Come in," called the admiral, in answer to another knock.

"Ah, Mr. Hegnbotham, what is it?" he asked a young officer who presented himself.

"Mr. Kimberly made me report that the Metacombet is coming alongside, sir."

"Quick work. What time is it?"

"Eight bells, sir," answered the youngster, and at the instant the millow compasses rang out forward.

"So it is. How's the weather now?"

"Fine, sir, and the wind is freshening," continued the young man eagerly.

"Very good, indeed; and are the other ships at work?"

"All that we can see, sir."

"Very well, Mr. Hegnbotham; you can go on deck, sir."

"Admiral," said Drayton, as the ensign saluted and ran up through the hatchway, "I shall go on deck and oversee the lashing if you have nothing further for me to do."

"Do so, Drayton, I'll see you presently."

"And I'll go below to the sick bay," said Palmer.

"Very well, you'll both join me in a cup of coffee, and my steward will knock up a bit of breakfast for us before we get under way. Now, Mr. Peyton, I want to speak to you a few moments about the harbor. I wish to get a clearer idea of the situation myself, sir. In case anything happens to the pilot or you, which God forbid, I might have to carry the Hartford in myself, you know."

For some time the two officers pored over the chart in the dim light, and after the admiral had thoroughly mastered all its details—indeed, much previous study had made him thoroughly familiar with it—Peyton returned to his duties on deck, whither the admiral presently followed him.

The morale of the flagship and of the fleet in general was simply superb. The men laughed and joked with each other as they went about their appointed duties. They were completely oblivious to any danger to themselves or their ships in the approaching battle. And a doubt of their success never entered their minds. The admiral had carried them through many a scrape, and he would get them through this one somehow. The old Hartford and her men had been in too many battles to fail now. They would get battered, but they would not be defeated.

put in the end, never fear. The gun was not mounted, the ship did not float, that could sink that Hartford with Farragut aboard.

Shortly before three bells in the morning watch, or half after five, the admiral, accompanied by Drayton and Palmer, went below to his cabin for a light breakfast. As the three men stood in the dark cabin, lighted by a few candles—for, although the sun was just about rising, it was not yet light enough below decks to see by—the admiral, sipping a cup of tea, a favorite beverage of his, remarked abruptly:

"Drayton, I am sure that I have made a serious mistake in giving way to the representations of you fellows and allowing the Brooklyn to go in first. It's not right. That's the place of the commander in chief—in the lead."

"Now, admiral," said Drayton, remonstrating affectionately, "you know we settled all that last night, and you gave way to our unanimous judgment. The Brooklyn has four chase guns and an apparatus for picking up torpedoes. I feel sure we are right, and I beg of you not to think of changing the order now."

"Oh, very well," said the admiral, unconvinced. "I don't doubt that I will get to the front somehow. Meanwhile, have it your own way."

"We have no fear of your not getting to the front, admiral," said Drayton, smiling. "It isn't that. You know the fort and the gunboats and the ram will all concentrate upon the Hartford, thinking to crush or sink you and then have the rest of us at their mercy."

"And they'll make a mistake there. They may sink me, but they will find a dozen captives left, each one good enough to lead a fleet. Wasn't it Nelson who said at Aboukir that he had the good fortune to command a band of brothers? Well, if he hadn't said that before, I would say it now. I tell you what it is, Drayton, I have been an officer of the navy for fifty years. I have seen and known all the great captains of 1812 and have met most of the great officers of the old world navy, and I never saw or came in contact with a better set of fellows than those of mine are. They are the peers of any men who ever faced a sea or fought a ship. You know I get melancholy when I think of them sometimes. The age of sails is going. It is almost gone. The ships of the

future will be like that black monster Old Buck has under him and over him. Your naval officer after awhile will be an engineer, a mechanic, anything but a sailor. I am old fashioned, I suppose, but I cling to mast and yard, to rope and canvas. Give me the wooden deck, the wooden keel beneath my feet. I feel lonesome and uneasy with nothing but iron between me and Davy Jones. This is the last effort of the wooden fleet, I think. Well, we'll make it a good one."

"Signals from all the ships indicate that everything is ready, sir," said Watson, coming in and saluting.

"Ah, very good. I knew, of course, that they would be, but it is a relief to find things are all right. There is nothing I so much dread as a signal at the last moment that some ship of my fleet upon which I depended has gone wrong. Are the monitors ready, Watson?"

"Yes, sir, all ready."

"Well, that relieves me more. I haven't a bit of faith in those iron pots. They are always breaking down or doing the unexpected."

"They are good rammers, though, admiral," said Palmer.

"Yes, that they are, and I expect them to do a great deal of it this morning. Well, Drayton, I suppose we may as well get under way," said the admiral quietly, going on deck, whither the others followed him at once.

As the shrill whistles and calls of the boat-swain rang through the fleet the cables were slipped to the buoys, the engines started, the screws began

to revolve, and the ships gathered way in the water.

And this was the quiet manner in which one of the greatest naval battles of modern times was begun.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

"AFTER YOU, PILOT!"

THE day broke brilliantly clear and fair as the Brooklyn and the Metacombet got under way at 5:35, followed five minutes later by the Hartford and the Metacombet and in succession by all the ships which were to attempt the passage. The couples of ships were about a cable's length apart at the start. The fleet moved slowly, for the admiral's orders had been for low steam and slow speed, and started for the bar off the main ship channel. At the same time the smaller gunboats headed up to the northeast with the intention of engaging the fort from its south side, so that, if possible, they could keep down its fire upon the main fleet.

The national colors, the largest sized fighting ensigns, flew from every mast-head, except from the mizzen of the Hartford, where the blue flag of the admiral, with its two white stars, fluttered in the breeze. The black smoke came on in grim, threatening silence, the only spots of color about them being the red and blue of the flags, already lighting and gleaming in the rising sunlight.

A few minutes after 6 o'clock the Brooklyn and the Hartford crossed the bar and were fairly in the channel. Volumes of black smoke pouring from the smokestacks of the squat, ugly monitors lumbering from the cove behind Sand Island, far ahead of them indicated that these formidable fighting machines were ready for action. At half after 6 the monitors were well in the channel, heading up to the fort, distant from them about two miles. At 6:43 the head of the fleet came abreast Sand Island light, three miles from the fort. There was a delay here of some ten minutes to enable the fleet to close up within short supporting distance, and at 6:55 the order to advance once more was given.

The vessels were ranging well up by this time in a bow and quarter line; that is, with the van ship, the Brooklyn, a little off the port bow of the next in line, the Hartford, with the Metacombet a little on the starboard quarter of the flagship, and so on, in order that the chase guns of all the ships might bear on the fort and there would be no danger of one ship firing into another.

Meanwhile at 6:47 the actual battle had begun. Two long lines of light bursting into balloons of flame shot smoke leaped from the huge muzzles of the fifteen inch guns of the Tennessee, and the shells were seen to burst over Fort Morgan. The roar of the discharge, startling the stillness of the summer morn, carried far down the slowly advancing line, and was heard even in the holds of the ships, by the surgeons in the cockpits, the gunners' mates of the powder divisions, the engineers at the engines and the men in the hot depths of the firerooms. Instantly through the fleet, as if in answer to a signal, might be heard the rattle of the drums calling the men to quarters, the last final preparation for action.

The monitors, which had been reeling ahead, were almost abreast the fort now. The ships, which had moved faster, were close at hand. At six minutes after 7 o'clock the watchers on the Hartford saw a puff of smoke rise from the parapet of the fort, followed a few minutes after by the roar of a heavy gun. In another moment the fort was covered with smoke, out of which jets of flame darted, and shell began to scream down toward the ships. At the same time from the lee of the fort the black Tennessee came showing her nose athwart the channel, just where the opening had been left for the passage of the blockade runners.

Following her were three saucy gunboats—the Morgan, the Gaines and the Selma. They took position in line across the channel in excellent position for raking the ships coming up the channel toward the fort.

Craven, in the Tennessee, caught sight of the Tennessee. Disdaining the heavy fire of the fort, of which he was now abreast, which was concentrated upon him for the time being, he loaded his fifteen inch guns with steel shot and the heaviest charge of powder then permitted and made up his mind to grapple with the ironclad.

Meanwhile the other three monitors came close to it as they could get, were firing furiously upon the fort. At seven minutes after 7 the Brooklyn opened fire with her chase guns. Four minutes later the Hartford joined in the battle with hers, none of the broadsides guns as yet bearing.

The ships were well up now and coming along grandly in spite of the fire from the fort, which was growing sharper and more severe as the gunners got the range. At twenty minutes after 7 the Brooklyn rules on the Tennessee and the riddled thirty-twos on the gunboats added their voices to the hellish clamor. The line had become lengthened out a little by this time, and the leading ships slowed down once more to let the rear vessels close up again.

At 7:35 the Brooklyn was fairly abreast of the fort. Her heavy broadsides now bore square upon it, and the guns, loaded with grape, shrapnel and shell, the fuses cut short, the range not more than 300 yards, poured in broadside after broadside in rapid succession, which was returned with splendid spirit by the garrison, especially by the water battery, making the northwest curtain between the channel batteries. A few moments after the Hartford, now close aboard the Brooklyn, also got the fort abeam under her gun, and by mighty broadsides almost cleared the batteries.

The Confederates could not maintain their stations at the barbette range in such a rain of shot as that. They were forced to seek shelter between the broadsides, and their own fire abated perceptibly, but now the leading ships were within easy range of the guns of the Tennessee and the gunboats dead ahead. The Union fleet made a splendid target, and the fire of Buchanan's gunboats, for the most part effectively handled and well delivered, was fearfully effective. Except for a few light chase guns the ships could make no reply. The fire of the gunboats was much more destructive than that of the fort at this juncture.

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Craven, following the admiral with accurate eyes, noticed his extraordinary position and, realizing that even a slight wound might cause him to lose his balance and fall to the deck, sent a quartermaster, Knowles, up the rigging with a line, directing him to pass it around the admiral and secure it to the strouds, so that if he were wounded he would have some support which would prevent him from receiving a fall to the deck, a dangerous distance below him or maybe going overboard. When the man explained his errand, the admiral permitted him to take a couple of turns with the light of the rope around his body and make the ends fast to the rigging.

The action had now become general. The garrison of the fort, driven to shelter by each broadside, again and again gallantly returned to their batteries and reopened fire. Everything seemed to be going nicely for the fleet when an event occurred which completely upset the admiral's plans and daunted some of the stoutest hearts in his command, for the monitor Tennessee struck the line of torpedoes, one of them exploded beneath her forefoot, the bow of the ironclad lifted, plunged forward, and she went down with stern in the air in a few seconds. A few men escaped from the turret and were seen struggling wildly in the water.

Craven and the pilot met at the foot of the ladder leading to the top of the turret, the only means of escape for either of them. There was room for one and but one on that ladder. The

ship was fairly dropping into the depths under their feet. What happened? Without a moment of hesitation Craven drew back, motioning the other forward. "After you, pilot," he said grandly and with exquisite politeness. As the pilot sprang forward the ship sank beneath them and Craven went down with the ship. To be a gentleman all the time and to go down with his ship—these are characteristics of the American sailor.

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Holly is in the hole for \$1,500 in the attempt to get an artesian well. The diggers have already put the intended well down 200 feet without success in striking water. The taxpayers consider it a terrible bore.

"Inspiring the young man's fancy lightly turns to thought" of love. Among last week's Oakland county marriage licenses was one in which the age of the bridegroom was given as 70. The bride was much younger, being 64.

The Orion Review calls somebody who went from that place to Detroit to live a "Petroliorite." The Review evidently hankers for the notoriety of a slander suit or it would venture on applying such epithets as that to people.

Pontiacers are having a sight of trouble over a new site for their new court house, but so far there is no solution of the problem in sight. To cite the opinions of good lawyers, the land on which the present building stands is forfeited if not used for a court house site, and as they want to build the new one somewhere else that circumstance is decidedly in the way.

Joseph Bauman, who has figured so prominently in police circles in Detroit of late, was formerly a Farmington farmer's "hired man," and a watch and a gun which he appropriated there have been recovered by the owner. Poor Joseph! he was born with a bad name and now he has made it a damn sight worse. There's another instance of the fatal power of heredity.

In order to stop folk from taking the ladders, buckets and tools from the engine house at Fowlerville the building has been locked, and the key placed outside in a box with a glass front so that in case of a fire anybody who gets there first can smash the glass and get the key. Of course no one would ever think of breaking that glass unless there was a fire, even if he were just dying to steal something.

There are cars of peaches well stolen from an Orion cellar last week, and others are hunting for the thieves but no one has peached on them yet. It will be likely to jar them considerably if any one can but anybody who would steal that many peaches fast after the annual declaration that the peach buds are all killed ought not to be preserved from the clutches of the law, even by the proprietor of the pit.

Miss Jane Reed, a sophomore at Ann Arbor let three diamond rings worth \$300 or the window in the bath room at her lodging place. Half an hour later she thought of them and went back for them. They weren't there, of course. Others were notified and they went to work on the case with such vigor that in a day or two the rings were found hanging to the door knob of the owner's room. Should Miss Jane read all the papers say about her she will get tired and want them to ring off.

THE WASTES OF THE BODY. Every seven days the blood, muscles and bones of a man of average size loses two pounds of worn-out tissue. This waste cannot be replenished and the health and strength kept up without perfect digestion. When the stomach and digestive organs fail to perform their functions, the strength sets down, health gives way, and disease sets up. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten in the kind of blood that rebuilds the tissues and protects the health and strength of the mind and body. Kodol cures indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. It is an ideal spring tonic sold by all druggists.

SANKEY'S BLINDNESS.

How the Famous Singing Evangelist Lost the Use of His Eyes.

When worn out with over thirty years of religious labor Ira D. Sankey, the most famous of all singing evangelists, was stricken blind at his home in Brooklyn a short time ago it was not generally known that Dwight L. Moody's co-worker had been the largest individual contributor to the Northfield schools founded by Mr. Moody.

It is a fact, however, that Mr. Sankey has never kept for himself a penny of the royalties of the enormous sale of his gospel songs. He did not think it right that he should profit from the melodies he sang in the meetings. He established a trust for the collection of his share of the royalties, and it was all turned over to the schools. These royalties have amounted to over \$500,000.

When Mr. Sankey first met Moody in 1870 he had no thought of becoming an



IRA D. SANKEY

evangelist. His taste rather turned to politics, as did that of his father, who had been a banker and politician in Pennsylvania. Nevertheless Mr. Moody persuaded him and together they began the work which made them both so famous.

Mr. Sankey has been a prodigious worker all his life. No one unfamiliar with the facts can realize the strain of a protracted series of revival meetings. Mr. Sankey was a man of powerful physique, six feet tall, and his constitution was most robust. Not only did he bear the whole burden of the musical part of the service, but he also preached and took an active part in the weekly meetings as Mr. Moody. His present affliction is due to over work.

When Mr. Moody died in 1890 Mr. Sankey tried to take up the burden himself. He preached as well as sang. He continued in evangelist work until a year ago, when illness compelled his retirement. Three months ago Mr. Sankey became blind from glaucoma. An operation relieved him somewhat, and he hopes that his sight may be partly restored. The sight of one eye is gone absolutely. That of the other is nearly so.

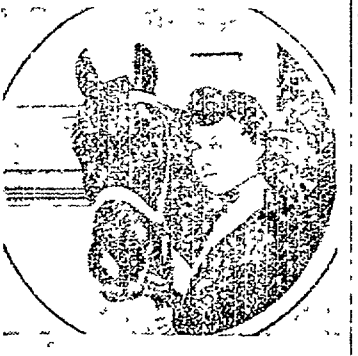
He is very weak and emaciated and is not able to leave his house. Nurses are in constant attendance. A few of his most ardent friends call upon him at his Brooklyn home. His sons and the children come to cheer him, and his wife is devoted to him.

Mr. Sankey is not a fortune teller. He indicated a considerable sum of money from his future, and this he has increased by his own investment. He is moderately rich. Mr. Sankey is sixty-three years old.

A CHUM OF MELBA.

Miss Clarke, Who Won the Friendship of a Famous Singer.

Mme. Melba, the Australian song bird, who has just sailed for Europe from Melbourne, has been the recipient of unusual social and public honors from her admiring countrymen during her winter's sojourn in her native land. Since Mme. Melba arrived in Australia last fall her most constant chum and companion has been Miss Violet



MISS VIOLET CLARKE

Clarke, the only daughter of Sir George Sydneyham Clarke, governor of Victoria, Australia. Miss Clarke accompanied the singer on many of her tours and attended her at social functions.

Miss Clarke is herself a singer of exceptional ability. She has a fine contralto voice and by advice of Mme. Melba will soon visit France to study under Marseilles. Miss Clarke is a fine horsewoman and rides every morning, rain or shine, on her favorite pony, Kruger.

In the Drug Store.

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HOW TO SETTLE THE NEGRO QUESTION

By BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, Principal Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute



IF THE NATION WANTS PROOF OF THE NEED OF SUCH INSTITUTIONS AS TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE, IT IS IN THE BARE STATEMENT OF THE FACT THAT THERE ARE MORE IGNORANT BLACK CHILDREN IN THE SOUTH TODAY THAN IN 1870.

The real and vital problem before this country in reference to my race is not in the failure of the fundamental laws, but in our failure to prepare all the people to fulfill the duties of citizenship presupposed by the fundamental laws. THE SOLUTION OF THIS QUESTION IS NOT IN THE ABUSE OF THE SOUTH BY THE NORTH, NOT IN THE ABUSE OF THE NORTH BY THE SOUTH, NOT IN CONDEMNING THE NEGRO NOR IN THE NEGRO CURSING THE WHITE MAN, NOT IN COLONIZATION, NOT IN EXPATRIATION, NOT IN AMALGAMATION OR EXTERRINATION, BUT IT IS IN HONEST, SYMPATHETIC CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE RACES AND BETWEEN THE NORTH AND THE SOUTH.

In this connection may I add that there have been few greater opportunities in the history of the world for great statesmen and philanthropists to do something that should redeem nearly a third of our country and lift up the ignorant of both races than is presented by conditions now existing at the South?

THE NEGRO, UNLIKE THE INDIAN, THE ORIGINAL MEXICAN OR THE HAWAIIAN, SO FAR FROM DYING OUT WHEN IN CONTACT WITH A DIFFERENT OR STRONGER RACE, HAS CONTINUED TO INCREASE IN NUMBERS AND INFLUENCE.

We seem to be the only race that is able to look the white man in the face, to live by his side and not only exist, but multiply.

So, then, I want to emphasize the truth that whether we are of northern or southern birth, whether we are with or without sympathy for the negro, whether we are black or white, we must face the hard, stubborn fact that whether in bondage or in freedom, whether in ignorance or intelligence, in spite of all predictions and scientific conclusions to the contrary, THE NEGRO HAS CONTINUED YEAR BY YEAR TO INCREASE IN NUMBER UNTIL FROM TWENTY SLAVES THE RACE HAS GROWN INTO 9,000,000 FREE MEN, AND THERE ARE NO SIGNS BASED UPON PROPER EVIDENCE THAT THE SAME RATIO OF INCREASE WILL NOT HOLD GOOD IN THE FUTURE.

WE SHOULD HAVE THE GREATEST NAVY

By Captain RICHMOND P. HOBSON, U. S. N., Retired



WE ought to have naval supremacy among the nations of the world. Eliminating the fact that we have 17,000 miles of seacoast to protect and that we have more people and property on our seashores, lakes and rivers that might be attacked from the sea than in all Europe combined, THERE ARE TWENTY REASONS WHY WE SHOULD HAVE THE GREATEST NAVY IN THE WORLD. The policy of our country stands for many things of great importance to the world at large. Our free institutions, our peaceful nature, our industrial occupation, our policy respecting affairs at home and the part we have assumed in affairs abroad all stand for a new era in the world.

THE OTHER WORLD POWERS REPRESENT AN OLD ERA OF MILITARISM, WARFARE AND INHERITED JEALOUSIES AND ANIMOSITIES THAT OUGHT TO BE ABOLISHED PROGRESSIVELY THROUGHOUT THE EARTH, AND FOR AMERICA TO GIVE HER VOICE WEIGHT, TO HAVE HER INFLUENCE FELT, TO MAKE HER POLICIES EFFECTIVE, SHE MUST HAVE THE NAVY.

Armies cannot help us as they help the nations of Europe. America's standing among the nations of the world will always depend upon her naval strength. I have a programme which I want to see carried out, and I have undertaken the great task of making the people of the United States see the wisdom of it.

I WANT TO SEE CONGRESS APPROPRIATE NEXT YEAR FOR NEW WAR VESSELS THE SUM OF \$50,000,000, WITH AN INCREASE OF \$10,000,000 EACH SUCCEEDING YEAR UNTIL WE HAVE THE NAVY WE NEED.

In twelve years, under such increasing appropriations, we would have naval supremacy among the nations of the world.



"See how good your little sister is, naughty boy!"
"But, ma, she's a little girl, she's not a boy!"—New York Herald.



The Thin One—It was de best hand out yer ever seen—beefsteak an' onions an' chicken an' pie an' cake an' pud-din' an'—
The Fat One—Say, ole man, where did you get it?—San Francisco Examiner.



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Tremont Temple Wants Pastor.

The Tremont Temple church, Boston, recently extended a call to the Rev. Clarence A. Barbour, D. D., of Rochester, N. Y., to its vacant pastorate. It was so nearly unanimous as to be practically so.

FROM A CAT SCRATCH

On the arm, to the worst sort of a burn, sore or boil, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get DeWitt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by all druggists.

Women Win Medical Honors.

The Medical Institute for Women in St. Petersburg recently gave diplomas, after a five-years' course, to 111 students, ninety-three of whom passed their examinations "with distinction."

A SURE THING.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanVleet, of Shepherdsburg, W. Va., says, "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by Geo. C. Huston druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c, \$1.00.

Only Two Veterans Left.

August Emmett Maxwell is one of the only two surviving members of the Confederate Senate. The other is G. G. Vest of Missouri. Judge Maxwell, now about to retire, is a jurist of renown. He was born in September 83 years ago at Etowah, Ga.

A STARTLING TEST.

To save a life Dr. F. G. Merrill of No. 400 Broadway, Pa. made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked by violent hemorrhages caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often used Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles" so I prescribed them. The patient gained soon the first and has not had an attack in 14 months. Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Geo. C. Huston at Geo. C. Huston's.

No Weights for Age.

The crown price of Siam seems to be a philosophical chap. He says that all kinds of religion will be welcome to his country because the fittest will survive. A fair field and no favors, and may the best creed win—that seems to be about his program.

TOO GREAT A RISK

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

"Mr. Dooley's" Success.

Finley Peter Dunne, the celebrated "Mr. Dooley," is said to have been offered \$40,000 a year to write exclusively for certain American publishers. Only a few years ago he worked on a Chicago newspaper for \$12 a week.

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

U. S. Cadets Take Notice.

Up in Oregon the students have a new method of having in Lane county they compelled the initiate to sit with feet and legs in ice cold water for an hour. Both legs had to be amputated.—Galveston News.

Spring laziness, legs ache, back aches, feel tired, no ambition, no appetite, all run down feeling Rocky Mountain Sarsaparilla new life into your body, you feel good all over. 35 cents. Murdock Bros.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of SOPHIA E. LAPHAM, 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 said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the bank of J. S. Lapham & Co. at the Village of Northville, in said county, on Monday, the 15th day of June A. D. 1903; and on Monday, the 9th day of November A. D. 1903 at 9 o'clock a. m. of each of said days for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 8th day of May A. D. 1903, were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated May 14, 1903.

MARTIN A. PORTER,
RALPH B. POMEROY,
Commissioners.

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 7th, 1902, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County, Michigan, on July 7th, 1902, in Liber 457 of Mortgages on page 164, and said interest having remained due and unpaid for the space of thirty days, the said mortgagee hereby exercises its option granted by said mortgage and declares 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 note accompanying the same for principal and interest the sum of three hundred and sixty four and fifty-two one-hundredths dollars, and such further sum will be due and payable as the undersigned will pay for taxes and insurance to protect the interest in the premises described in 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 undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on Monday the 8th day of June, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon local time at the west door of the City Hall in the City of Detroit, in what is called the street of Detroit, to wit: where the street of Detroit crosses the street of Michigan, the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: a certain lot of land situated in the City of Detroit, in the West 14th ward, containing one acre and one-half of land, more or less, bounded on the north by the street of Michigan, on the east by the street of Detroit, on the south by the street of Michigan, and on the west by the street of Detroit, and the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: a certain lot of land situated in the City of Detroit, in the West 14th ward, containing one acre and one-half of land, more or less, bounded on the north by the street of Michigan, on the east by the street of Detroit, on the south by the street of Michigan, and on the west by the street of Detroit, and the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: a certain lot of land situated in the City of Detroit, in the West 14th ward, containing one acre and one-half of land, more or less, bounded on the north by the street of Michigan, on the east by the street of Detroit, on the south by the street of Michigan, and on the west by the street of Detroit.

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