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## CONVENTION IS ENDED

King's Daughters' Annual Closed Saturday.

ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL IN STATE'S HISTORY.

Mrs. John Rexford Re-elected State Secretary.

The seventh annual convention of the Michigan King's Daughters has come and gone, leaving a host of pleasant memories with the people of Northville, and no doubt with the guests also. If not, it certainly is not the fault of the pretty little "city among the hills" which was the hostess of this gathering of a beautiful order.

The last meeting of what was unanimously pronounced one of the most successful sessions of the Michigan branch of the order, convened at 9:30 on Saturday morning, opened



Mrs. John Rexford, State Secretary of the Michigan Branch of the Order of King's Daughters.

ing with a memorial service led by Mrs. J. Waterbury of Ypsilanti.

The following report showed that Mrs. Rexford, who charmed every one by her gracious, graceful manner as a presiding officer, was unanimously re-elected as state secretary, and Miss Elizabeth Margaret Held as corresponding secretary, an outgoing office which she had filled with marked ability.

Northville was honored by having one of her "daughters" elected to the state executive board which stands as follows: Mrs. Laura Thomas, Ann Arbor; Mrs. R. M. Steele, St. Johns; Mrs. Mary Bristol, Northville; Miss Mabel Houghton, Jackson; and Mrs. Emily McDonald, Port Huron.

No invitation was definitely accepted for the next convention, the matter being finally left with the executive board for future decision. Northville circle showed its appreciation of the visitors by assuring them that they might come here again next year if they wished.

The entire session was replete with interesting things, interesting not only to the members of the order but to those who love good works. There were many beautiful stories of self-sacrifice and earnest labor for the spiritual as well as the physical uplifting of the poor and afflicted.



Delegates to the Seventh Annual State Convention of King's Daughters Held in Northville three days last week. —Photo by Hueston

which are worthy of inscription in the record of the world's most noble philanthropy, and which the Record would be glad to give its readers in detail were it possible to do so.

The closing moments were given to a consecration service by Miss Louise Hopkins of Lansing, which was one of the most beautiful of the many choice things which the convention gave to its participants. Miss Hopkins illustrated her impressive words by means of a cross, and brought out in a most convincing manner the fact that crosses are crosses only as we make them so.

Among the many things in connection with Northville's part in the convention that seemed to be particularly pleasing to the visitors, was the abundance of decorations in honor of the meeting, the carriage ride given the delegates around the village and to the Fish Commission station which was made an important feature of Friday afternoon's program, and the handsome souvenir official programs, which were publicly pronounced the most beautiful ones yet produced at any of their state conventions.

The visiting King's Daughters were also much impressed with the unusual enthusiasm with which the citizens of the town so untiringly worked with the members of the circle to make the meeting such a signal success. As of course it could not have been without the loyal support of the non-members of the order, Northville people have always almost unanimously rallied to the support of any and every thing undertaken by the King's Daughters, and this, their greatest undertaking yet, was no exception to the rule.

Among these circles of bright, earnest women who took part in the convention, some who will be particularly remembered by those who listened to or conversed with them, were charming Mrs. Whitney with her fluent, graceful, enthusiastic advocacy of her chosen work, Mrs. Rexford winning all hearts by her sweet cordial dignity, Mrs. Thomas with her quaint and sparkling wit, and Mrs. Murfin with executive ability in every movement, all of whom were necessarily brought prominently before the audience throughout the session because of the positions occupied by them in the state work.

### Resolutions.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the convention:

The committee on resolutions beg respectfully submit the following: Resolved, That the seventh annual convention of The King's Daughters

and Sons in Michigan render grateful thanks to the Heavenly Father for His mercy and love in sparing us to meet together at this time, and for the beautiful weather, which has helped to make our meeting so decidedly a success.

Resolved, That we extend to the clergy of Northville our heartfelt thanks for their interest in our devotional services and for their words of encouragement.

Resolved, That we extend to the trustees of the Methodist church our sincere thanks for the use of the beautiful edifice and to the circle of Northville for the floral decorations and the emblematic colors of our order which have made our place of

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## WILL JOHNSON'S BARNS BURNED

HOT FIRE MONDAY MORNING SOUTH OF TOWN.

Loss \$3,000, Partially Covered by Insurance.

All of Will Johnson's farm barns south of town were destroyed by fire, with contents, Monday morning. The loss will reach upwards of \$3,000 and is partially covered by insurance in one of the Farmers' Mutual companies.

The origin of the fire is unknown, no one having been near the buildings that morning with any kind of a light.

### Annual Presbyterian Banquet.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual banquet in Princess Rink next Friday evening, Nov. 6th. The menu will include rolls, coffee, scalloped oysters, cold chicken, creamed potatoes, jelly, pickles and cake. There will be a fine program, at least four good speakers from abroad having been secured. Tickets will be 75 cents and will be sold by the young ladies of the division and at central places in town. The number will be limited to 200. It will be remembered that last year many could not obtain seats, though offering extra prices. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

### Something New for the Children

The Upside Down colored Pictures now running in the Detroit Free Press Colored Supplement every Sunday have proven a great success. The "Brownies in the Philippines" and "Duster Brown," funny features, have always been popular. Taken as a whole, the Colored Supplement of the Detroit Free Press has no equal. The Sunday Free Press is the greatest newspaper published in Michigan and should be taken in every home. Order it for next Sunday. If you give it a trial you will always want it.

### Who Is Ott?

Melvin Ott, claiming Northville as his home, rented a rig of an Adrian liveryman on the 20th, claiming he was an eye-glass agent. He was arrested Friday at Lima, Ohio, trying to sell the rig, and lodged in jail at Adrian Saturday. —Evening News, October 26.

### Auction Sale.

The household goods belonging to Wm. Knapp will be sold at auction at the residence on Randolph street at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Also road wagon, plows, etc. Everything goes. See bills.

## BETTER HIGHWAYS

Secretary of State Warner Favors Government Aid.

SAYS RURAL CARRIERS ARE POORLY PAID.

Thinks They Should Receive at Least \$300 More

Secretary of State Fred M. Warner, candidate for the republic in nomination for governor of Michigan, believes that greater activity should be shown by the officials of this state to bring about the improvement of roads. He makes an appeal for betterment of highways through the aid of the national government, and adds an appeal for better pay for the rural delivery carriers, who have to use the roads. To this end he will appeal to all the Michigan congressmen and senators to use their influence to bring about a national system of road improvement and to secure for the rural carriers at least as much money as is given the city carriers for horses, which the country carriers have to supply themselves. Mr. Warner says:

"I think the good roads question is one of the most important to be considered by the people of this state. When the present system has proved to be a failure, the changes should be made at once, which should result in much better roads with no additional expense to taxpayers."

"The laws on the several states which have already adopted the good roads system should be carefully gone over and from the results there obtained we should prompt the national government should extend aid to all the states that take this question up. The highways of our country are as important as the waterways. Many more of our people would be benefited and they are entitled to such assistance."

"Better roads would be a great advantage to the free rural delivery system. On account of the efficient work of our Michigan congressmen, at present we have over 1,000 rural carriers, who cover daily 25,000 miles of road, serving in the neighborhood of 500,000 people. Good roads would be a great benefit to this army of carriers, who today are among the poorest paid men of Uncle Sam's employ. City carriers are paid from \$800 to \$1,000 a year and they are allowed \$300 extra for keeping horses, rigs, etc. The rural carriers are at least entitled to this \$300 extra, for they not only do not have paved streets to drive upon, but they are generally compelled to have two horses to do their work."

"We should all insist that our congressmen urge this matter. I have no doubt the Michigan delegation would be only too glad to take this matter up and, I trust, with good result."

"I have talked with a number of the rural carriers about this and they all feel that they are badly used in the matter of pay. All they receive is \$600 a year and by the time they pay for the care of two horses out of this they have very little left. They hang onto their jobs simply because they hope for better things in the future." —Detroit Free Press, Oct. 19th.

Senator Burrows states he favors Sec'y Warner's idea of more pay for rural carriers and will do all he can to bring it about.

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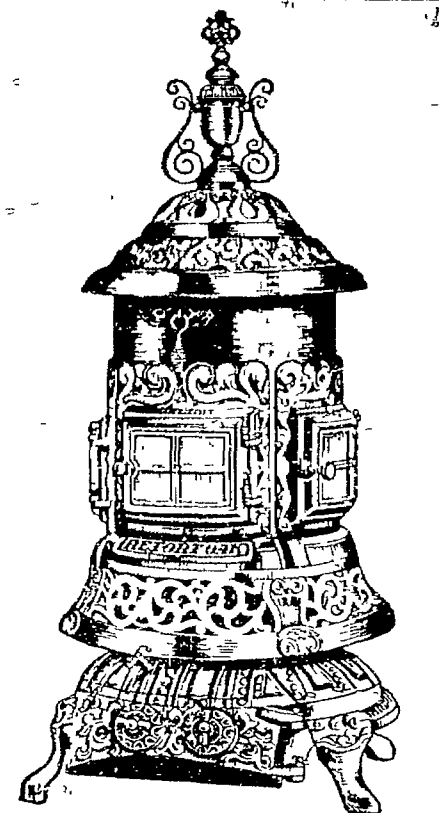
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18 lbs H & F Sugar for	\$1.00
8 bars Swift's Pride Soap for	25c
2 cans Peas for	25c
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Compound Lard, per lb	9c
V Crackers, per lb	7c
Ginger Snaps, per lb	6c
Try our 23c Coffee	23c

B. A. WHEELER,

NORTHVILLE, MICH.

TELEPHONE.





# Life

Renewed. Left Side  
Badly Affected.

Liable to Paralytic  
Stroke.

Dr. Miles' Nerve Gave  
Me New Life.

"This is to certify that I have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve, which has done wonders for me. Six years ago, I had nervous prostration and again three years ago, at which time I began taking it for six months and have taken an occasional dose during the last two years. I am practically a new man and feel that I have been given a new lease of life. I used to have very bad attacks of stomach trouble but since using the Nerve I can eat most anything. I was, with impunity, I was examined in Omaha by a noted German doctor three years ago. He told me I was liable to a paralytic stroke any moment that my whole left side was badly affected. That was just before I began taking Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve. My work for two years and a half has been very trying on my nerves. I am a presiding elder, traveling my districts at the rate of ten thousand miles a year, preaching on an average of five times a week. Besides my business meetings, and the multitudinous cares of my work in general, I have to Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve. I have been gaining in flesh despite this hard work until now I weigh a hundred and ninety six pounds, nearly twenty pounds more than I all my life. I preach Nerve wherever I go to those afflicted with nervous, or stomach trouble."—Rev. M. D. Myers, Presiding Elder, Free Methodist Church, Corvallis, Ia.

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

## Just What He Needed.

"No," said the fair proprietor of the refrigerator heart, "I cannot be your wife, but I'll be a sister to you." "Thanks, awfully," rejoined the youth who was left at the post. "If there is one thing I need more than another it is an elderly sister to look after me and prevent me from making a fool of myself—Chicago News.

## Better Late Than Never.

In no country in the world are courtships so abnormally long as in Bohemia, where engagements commonly last from fifteen to twenty years, in fact, there recently died at the age of 99 an old man who had been courted for seventy-five years, and who was married on his deathbed.

## Never Ask Advice.

When you have a cough or cold don't ask what is good for it and get some medicine, with little or no merit and perhaps dangerous. Ask for Dr. Miles' Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, it cures coughs and colds quickly. Murdock Bros.

## Moody Defeats Miles.

Gen. Miles and Secretary Moody were each suggested as the godfather of a new public square named at Salem, Mass., but as the latter was born in the town the selectmen decided to name the new breathing place "Moody square."

## California Oranges for Japan.

A commercial agent of the Japanese government is in California to make an experiment in shipping California oranges to Japan.

## Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For twelve years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years. If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder, or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by Geo. O. Hueston. Only 50 cents.

## Time Allowance.

"What time did that young man leave last night, Jane?" "About 11 o'clock, papa." "It seemed later than that." "It might have been a little later but it wasn't his fault. You see I gave him a liberal time allowance."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

# Bad Coughs

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could find no relief until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Only one-fourth of the bottle cured me."

L. Hawn, Newington, Ont.

Neglected colds always lead to something serious. They run into chronic bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma, or consumption. Don't wait, but take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral just as soon as your cough begins. A few doses will cure you then.

Three sizes: 25c, 50c, \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, do it. If he says, "If you tell me not to take it, then don't take it," know, I will take it with him. We are willing.

J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

# SOME TAX PROBLEMS

DETROIT'S WAYNE COUNTY SUPERVISORS TURN A TRICK.

ASSESSING AND EQUALIZING 3 PER CENT IN LENAWEE.

FLINT SUPERVISORS CHARGE CONSPIRACY.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 28.—The battle of the taxes is over and the township of the city on the gory field with the knife broken off at the hilt. The city members of the board of county supervisors put the country fellows to the test and the manner of the doing is more than interesting. By seeping the powerful inside townships with a red-hot iron in their assessed valuations to the amount of \$5,000,000, a vote of 34 to 16 was gained for the report of the equalization committee equalizing the state and county taxes between city and country at a ratio of 15 to 25.

The board yesterday established these finalities. The inside city townships were relieved of slices of their assessed valuations to the amount of \$5,000,000. A horizontal cut of 15 per cent was made on the tax commissioner's aggregate valuation of county property at \$345,741,887, leaving the officially recognized valuation of Wayne county, \$302,886,944.

A tax levy of \$343,730 for county purposes was ordered spread. This with the state tax of \$753,373, makes a total state and county levy of \$1,097,103.

Detroit is called upon to pay 75 per cent of the state and county tax, the other 25 per cent coming from the country districts.

Adrian, Mich., Oct. 29.—Application was made Wednesday in the Lenawee circuit court by B. J. Garlinhouse for a writ of mandamus to compel the board of supervisors to equalize assessing districts and apportion state and county tax upon the assessed values as fixed by the tax commissioners.

Prosecuting Attorney Joslyn and ex-Senator Helme gave the answer of the board of supervisors and Judge Harry Lockwood of the Monroe circuit dismissed the petition, holding that the board of supervisors has authority to equalize, that the functions of assessing and equalizing are separate and distinct, that the assessing powers of the tax commission do not conflict with the equalizing functions of the board of supervisors and that the latter's powers are not abridged or modified.

Flint, Mich., Oct. 29.—The board of supervisors Wednesday morning equalized the real estate in the county at \$19,632,426, making the value of real and personal property \$26,188,814. All towns were given a deduction of from 6 to 8 per cent on the assessed valuation of the real estate, but the city's assessment stands as made. The city supervisors charged conspiracy and tried to have the city reduced, but by a vote of 18 to 6 they were turned down. Legal action may be taken if possible as threatened by one of the city representatives.

## Sold Cloveseared and Eloped.

Miles, Mich., Oct. 29.—George Feltz, a wealthy farmer, is searching for Charles Miller, a neighbor's son, aged 22, who eloped with Feltz's 15-year-old daughter, to whom he has been paying clandestine attentions for some time. With a view to providing for his future household, young Miller is said to have stolen about \$40 worth of clovearseared, which he marketed in the absence of his father, and Tuesday night the young Lotario hitched a horse to a buggy and, meeting his juvenile lady love at a place previously agreed upon, sped away by the light of the moon.

## Will Sell College Lands

Agricultural College, Mich., Oct. 29.—Among other items recently attended to by the state board of agriculture was the appointment of a committee to arrange a plan for the disposal of certain college lands in Oscoda county. The lands comprise about 3,000 acres and were originally set aside as a forestry reserve but they consist of relatively small tracts in two townships and are so intermingled with private holdings that their value for forestry purposes has decreased, so that it is now deemed advisable to dispose of them.

## Joins Dowrie's Band.

Flint, Mich., Oct. 29.—Mrs. M. E. Stockwell, who owns and operates an extensive fruit farm near Frankfort, and who is the divorced wife of Joseph W. Stockwell, formerly court stenographer here, and now serving eight years as a result of his blackmailing schemes, has disposed of her land interests and joined the Dowries in Zion City, Ill.

## Four Trainmen Killed In Wreck.

Charlotte, Mich., Oct. 29.—Four men were killed and two hurt Wednesday when a freight train on the Southern railroad ran into a new switch near Bessmer City, N. C. Those killed were Engineer T. J. Pettus of Charlotte, Marion McComb of Gastonia, and J. B. Higgins and John Thompson, negro firemen.

## LOVE SENTIMENT GONE.

Adams-Baker Case Gets Down Dollars and Cents.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 29.—Sentimental interest in the Adams-Baker breach of promise case is ended and Wednesday's proceedings pertained to the dollars and cents end of the affair.

An effort was made by the defense to make it appear that Baker is not worth nearly as much as is generally believed. Witnesses were produced to show that the value of the estate left by Baker's grandfather and, in turn, he has an interest, was but \$80,000 of \$70,000, instead of a quarter of a million. One witness for the defense showed that Baker's salary as railroad clerk was only \$49 a month.

Both sides rested last night and arguments will be heard today. It is expected the case will go to the jury late this afternoon.

## May Merge With Methodists.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 29.—The general conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America took place Wednesday looking toward the merging of that church with the Free Methodist church. A committee of five members was appointed to confer with a similar committee from the Free Methodist church and to report at the next meeting. The matter was brought before the conference by a delegate from the Free Methodist church. The conference passed a resolution which requests all voting members of the church to vote the ticket of the prohibition party. It does not provide, however, that voting the other tickets would deprive a person from membership. Resolutions commending president Roosevelt's stand on the Miller case and denouncing the possibility of the seating of a proponent of the United States senate were also passed.

## May Clear Mottville Mystery.

Lafayette, Ind., Oct. 29.—After eight years of mystery the dynamiting of Dr. Sreedland's office at Mottville, Mich., in 1895, is likely to be cleared up. Mrs. Mae Gramer caused the arrest of her former husband, David Early, on a peace warrant, and declared in a police trial that he had placed a stick of dynamite on her doorstep. At the trial she swore he had used the explosive before and that it was he who wrecked the Sreedland office and nearly killed a waiting patient, William Thompson, who was tried for that affair, was acquitted on an alibi, sworn to by Early himself who was not suspected. Early was bound over and the matter will be investigated.

## Pay the State Troops.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 29.—The state military board met here Wednesday and approved the pay rolls of the Keweenaw detachment. The roll in the state was about \$42,000. This is some \$25,000 less than the cost of a brigade detachment in the state, the saving being principally in transportation. Each private will receive \$14.17 from the state in addition to the \$5.20 paid him by the general government. A nominee will be selected for the location of the new company to take the place of the Iron Mountain company, which was mustered out some time ago.

## Echo of Student Riot.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 29.—The examination of Ray Baker, the student arrested for clubbing George Leibel, the poleman, during the student rush on Oct. 9, was started Wednesday. The only important witness against Baker was Patrolman Collins, who swore that he saw Baker raise a club and strike anybody, nor did he see anybody struck. He acknowledged having had a club, but said that it was to be put on the bonfire. The examination was adjourned until Saturday morning.

## Proposition For the Miners.

Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 29.—Separate propositions will be submitted by the miners and operators at a joint meeting Friday morning, which is expected to settle the question of what constitutes a proper dump. This has caused more or less friction for some time and five west side mines will remain closed until the matter is disposed of.

## Wounded by His Brother.

Bessmer, Mich., Oct. 29.—Frank Petersen, aged 5 years, was seriously wounded by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of his older brother, Conrad. The ball entered the boy's back following down his right leg to his foot, which was badly lacerated.

## Choice Lumber Burned Up.

Menominee, Mich., Oct. 29.—A spark from a mill set fire to immense lumber piles here, and before the flames could be subdued 4,000,000 feet of choice lumber had gone up in smoke. It belonged to different companies and was worth \$100,000.

## Picked Farmers' Pockets.

Adrian, Mich., Oct. 29.—Frank Moore, giving his residence as Detroit, who was accused of picking farmers' pockets at the Wabash station, on a recent circus day, was convicted and sentenced to two and five years intermediate at Ionia.

## Took Too Much Risk.

Hillsdale, Mich., Oct. 29.—Frank Bryan of this city was struck by the train going west at the Union street crossing and badly injured. He was attempting to cross the track, although the gates were shut. His skull was fractured and his recovery is doubtful.

# SALSBURY'S CONVICTION

AFFIRMED BY SUPREME COURT IN UNANIMOUS OPINION.

LOWER COURT IS UPHELD IN EVERY PARTICULAR.

WILL BE SENTENCED AFTER HIS RELEASE IN DETROIT.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 29.—In a unanimous opinion, written by Chief Justice Hooker, the supreme court has affirmed the conviction of L. K. Salisbury, the former city attorney of Grand Rapids, who was convicted of receiving a bribe, and who will next week complete a sentence of two years in the Detroit house of correction, under a sentence imposed by the federal court on his plea of guilty of a charge growing out of his connection with the Grand Rapids water deal.

The opinion is very long, covering twenty-five printed pages. The questions discussed by the court are as follows: The validity of the indictment; the effect of the prosecutor's relating to the alleged attempt to bribe a witness during the trial; failure to prove the charge; error alleged upon the charge; questions arising upon rulings relating to the introduction of evidence; and the remarks of counsel. Numerous questions as to the validity of the indictment were raised and all were thoroughly discussed by the court concluding that the indictment was valid.

## Investigation Made.

It will be recalled that during the progress of the trial the prosecuting attorney declared that he had evidence in his possession of an attempt to bribe a witness for the people with a view to falsifying his testimony, or suppressing it altogether. Against the protest of the defense an investigation was entered upon, the trial being temporarily suspended.

The question which the supreme court considered in connection with this investigation was whether the course taken was improper in that the rights of Salisbury were not sufficiently guarded, whereby he suffered in jury. The court says in effect that the court acted properly, and that doubtless the court would have made the order to confine the jury earlier had counsel asked it, and he had considered it necessary.

The charge of the court is declared to be full and clear and to have carefully guarded the rights of defendant. Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 29.—The decision of the supreme court affirming the conviction of former City Attorney L. K. Salisbury for bribery caused no great surprise here, but is giving rise to some speculation as to what Salisbury will do.

He is now serving a two-year sentence in the Detroit house of correction for being a party to issue of a fraudulent certificate of deposit. His term will expire next Thursday and immediately upon his return here a motion will be made for his sentence. The question now is whether he will make a clean breast of the whole crooked deal, giving the names of all who had a hand in it and the part that each played, or face the music for sentence under his conviction. It is believed if he would confess and appear in court against the others the court would deal leniently with him.

## Church Against Unions.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 28.—The general conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, in session here, passed resolutions Tuesday, stating that the church was not in favor of labor unions because they were secret societies. The resolutions also state that the church is against the use of the boycott and the calling out of men by unions when they are working on contract. The church took a more definite stand on the matter of admission of the negro to the church by reaffirming the old discipline, saying that he shall not be barred from membership, and adding a note to the effect that this shall not be construed to mean social equality. The action was taken at the request of Rev. Eber Teter, president of the conference, and its missionary secretary.

## Hon. Arthur M. Clark Dead.

Lexington, Mich., Oct. 28.—Hon. Arthur M. Clark, past grand master of the grand lodge of Michigan, F. & A. M., and for twenty-five years grand lecturer of the same body, passed away Tuesday morning. Mr. Clark was born Aug. 4, 1833, in Landaff, Grafton county, New Hampshire. He came to Lexington in 1854. He was one of the regents of the University of Michigan, being elected in 1893 by 8,000 majority on the Democratic ticket. He was United States consul to Sarria during the second administration of President Cleveland.

## Grange In Session.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 28.—The executive committee of the State Grange is holding a session preliminary to the annual meeting of the state body some six weeks hence. Master Horton said that one of the actions of the State Grange at its coming meeting would be to take a strong stand in favor of a primary election law to apply to the entire state, the grange being a pioneer in this reform.

## "Thought He Needed Something."

Prof. R. H. Chittenden, director of the Sheffield Scientific School and professor of Physiological Chemistry at Yale, has been very much interested lately in the theory that people eat more food than is necessary, and would be not only healthier but also more accomplished the same amount of work or exercise if they ate less. He has been going so far as to try the experiment on himself.

While summering at a fishing resort in Maine he ordered for his usual simple breakfast a cup of coffee.

The waitress looked puzzled but brought the coffee, asking if that was all. Upon his replying in the affirmative, she suggested sympathetically: "Don't you want a doughnut?"—New York Times.

## Hetty Green Is Shrewd.

Mrs. Hetty Green never lives long at the same address. This is chiefly because she fears to be annoyed by "cranks" who want her to invest in hare-brained schemes. When she moves she keeps her netting place secret from even her closest friends.

Poly's Honey and Tar cures colds, coughs and prevents pneumonia. It keeps the substitutes. Murdock Bros.

## It Also Approaches Gluttony.

There is health and satisfaction in a steak and its staple fixings, or a meal of fish fresh from the sea with a dash of something on the side; but the menu which runs from cocktails at 7:30 in the evening to black coffee at 10 p. m. is a den of sin and a snare.

## Be Good—It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that "Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: "My good friend, cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold by all druggists.

## Proves Their Common Sense.

A writer in the Bookman has made the damning indictment against the illustrators of several popular novels that they failed to read the stories they illustrated. This goes to prove that the average illustrator is more sensible than most people think.—Detroit Free Press.

Dr. Knappe's Balm of Glycerin exists since Murdock Bros. Bitters cure it promptly, permanently. Regulate and tone the stomach.

## Fewer Children.

The best calculation that can be made shows that the average number of children to the white native family a century ago in the United States was more than six, in 1830 it had fallen to less than five, in 1850 to less than four, in 1870 to less than three, in 1900, among the "upper classes" in Boston to less than two.

## "Watch the Kidneys."

"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Mermet's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys. Murdock Bros.

## Coffee Jelly.

A hot cup of coffee is undoubtedly a powerful stimulant enabling both mental and physical fatigue to be borne. But coffee disagrees with many persons, disturbing their stomachs by interference with digestion. For this class the London Lancet suggests the use of coffee jelly, which is equally pleasant. It assuages thirst and neutralizes excessive acidity of the stomach.

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## NORTHVILLE.

### Puerly Personal.

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

Mrs. Sexton visited at Windsor last week.

Mrs. Wm. Gardner visited in Detroit a part of the week.

Mrs. E. C. Hinkley has been visiting at Belleville this week.

Ed S. Brooks of Detroit was in town a few days this week.

Mrs. L. E. Holcomb is visiting her son Raymond at Ann Arbor.

Miss Arlanta Wolf visited Plymouth last Tuesday night.

John Joslin was the guest of Edgington Jones at Novi the last of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark and two daughters visited their son, Bertie, in Detroit last Friday.

Mrs. Nellie Gardner Hewitt of Maple Rapids was the guest of Northville friends from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hake and little daughters, Lola and Viola, of Pontiac visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer recently.

Mrs. C. M. Joslin and Mrs. A. C. Harmon were guests of Mrs. A. J. McCall at Milford Tuesday and Wednesday, attending the G. A. R. campfire Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. L. Brooks, Mrs. W. H. Hutton, Mrs. W. H. Ambler, Mrs. George Rayson and Miss Olive Shepard attended the W. R. C. District convention at Ypsilanti yesterday.

Mrs. H. W. Clarke of Tonawanda, N. Y., was called home Monday by a report that her children had been playing with those at a neighbors who had come down with diphtheria.

Will Becker, George Stanley, Fred Burch and Wil Tatham of this place, Fred Burch and Dewey Berdan of Plymouth and Bert Panches of Toledo have gone up to Sage lake after partridge.

Byron Thompson visited his brother Robert at South Lyon last week and assisted in the pulping of sugar beets. Byron says Rob. will have 150 tons of the sugar stuff which will amount to \$600 from a six acre patch of ground.

Miss Belle Covert left yesterday for Owosso, where she expects to reside for the present. Northville people in general, as well as Miss Covert's pupils, keenly regret the necessity for her departure, while realizing that she is in serious need of rest. In her thirteen years' service as a teacher here her charming personality and excellent qualities have made her a universal favorite and she will be very greatly missed.

### STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.

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

Miss Mabel Whipple is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. S. E. Cranston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Macomber visited in Plymouth last Sunday.

Mrs. Row visited last week in Detroit with her sister, Mrs. Hodgkins.

Miss Avis Greene is spending a few days with friends in Romeo and Detroit.

Miss Lida McRobert Trufant of Mt. Clemens has been a recent visitor at L. E. McRobert's.

Mrs. Florence Babbitt of Ypsilanti was the guest of Mrs. Mary Ambler a day or two last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pollon of Chesaning are visiting at the home of J. W. Perkins this week.

Miss Cristine Milne of Evanston, Ill., visited her sister at Mrs. W. H. Yerkes a part of last week.

Will and Fred Brewer of Wayne visited their sister, Mrs. F. R. Francisco, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George Barber, Jr., and son Clifford have been spending a few days with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. Watson of Cleveland visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Hornberger, a part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Yerkes and daughter of Pontiac were at their parent's home here over Sunday.

Miss Mary L. Ambler was a guest at the annual inspection of Fairbanks Corps, W. R. C., in Detroit this week.

Ernest White of the U. of M. visited his brother, Will White, and sister, Mrs. Lester Stage, Saturday and Sunday.

"Ralph Discreus" of Boston has returned home after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Clark.

A. W. Olde, Jake Kimmel, Dr. Henry, Aggip, Balden, Ed Wood and Len Kimmel leave on Tuesday for Oscoda county, where they will establish a deer hunting camp. Northville will be represented by three hunting parties this year and doubtless we shall all be burdened with "saddles and tales" on their arrival home again.

# CONVENTION IS ENDED

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meeting so attractive.

Resolved, That our grateful acknowledgments are due to those who have so kindly assisted with the music, and especially to Mrs. Lanny for her solo.

Resolved, That we express our appreciation of the attention accorded us by the citizens of Northville in welcoming us to their homes, and village as shown by the warm words of welcome of the Hon. J. S. Reid in presenting the beautiful floral key to our beloved State secretary, Mr. J. C. Reiford.

Resolved, That the honor done our order by decoration in the places of business and in the hall where the duties of the Baptist church served meals, and also to Dr. Johnson and the council of Northville for the delightful ride to the fish hatchery where we were courteously received and shown around by the superintendent, Mr. F. N. Clark.

Resolved, That our thanks are due the entertainment committee for the very comprehensive manner in which they have arranged for the comfort and pleasure of this convention, and to the circle of Northville for the artistic program and badges furnished.

Resolved, That we express our grateful acknowledgments to the Cable Piano company, who gave the use of this beautiful instrument to the King's Daughters.

Resolved, That we express our appreciation of the honor conferred upon our Michigan branch by the central council in choosing as a member of that body our beloved Mrs. B. C. Whitney who brought to us greetings of love and cheer from them.

Resolved, That we extend to our state secretary, Mrs. J. C. Reiford, our sincere thanks for the efficient work which she has been doing during the past year, and that we assure her of our hearty co-operation and support in the future.

Resolved, That we assure our recording secretary, Miss Reid, of our appreciation of her work in discharging the arduous duties pertaining to her office.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to the executive board for their untiring efforts in promoting the work of the order.

Resolved, That we extend to Mr. J. C. Reiford and Mr. B. C. Whitney our hearty thanks for the interest in our order which they have so substantially shown.

Resolved, That the thanks of this convention be expressed to the press of this city for their able and comprehensive reports of our proceedings.

Resolved, That the sympathies of this convention be extended to Miss Florence Green of Ann Arbor, the regularly elected delegate from the Unitarian Circle, whose father, Professor Green, dean of the engineering department of our university, died on Saturday last.

Resolved, That the sympathies of this convention be conveyed to Mrs. D. Miller of the Opportunity Circle, Detroit, one of the most faithful workers at the last conference, and who

now lies on a bed of sickness in Harper's hospital, Detroit.

MISS JANET MCKENZIE, MRS. SHAW, MRS. WARSABO, Committee

**American Medical Students.**  
The number of medical students in the United States for the last college year was 27,615. Of this number 24,930 were at the regular schools; 1,498 at the homeopathic, 848 at the eclectic, and 339 at the physio-medical and nondescript schools. Germany with more than two-thirds the population of the United States, has less than a third as many students of medicine.

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S. J. Quinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke him his ho. c. his trouble was arrested and how he entirely cured. They regular anted to cure. 25 cents at Geo. O. Hueston's Drug Store.

**An Insupportable Objection.**  
Mark Twain tells of a man who, when he came home drunk, explained to his wife that his condition was due to the fact that he had mixed his drinks. "John," his wife advised, "when you have drunk all the whiskey you want you ought to ask for sarsaparilla." "Yes," retorted her husband, "but when I have drunk all the whiskey I want I can't say sarsaparilla."

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"The Way of the Transgressor" which is announced to appear at the Whitney all next week is a stirring story of life in America, in which the curtain falls on every act with an intensely interesting dramatic climax. The four Landseer dogs which were educated and developed by William T. Stephens are also with this company and they will play parts with a dash and brilliancy that will astonish every one who sees them.

## Lycium Theatre—Detroit.

"Princess Chic" comes to the Lycium for a week's engagement beginning Nov. 1 in the evening. Over and over has it been contended that a genuinely good theatrical production is independent of its cast's personnel, but this fact was again strikingly illustrated when a change in the cast placed Vera Michelena in the prima donna role of "The Princess Chic." Miss Michelena made her first appearance at Denver as the Princess and the Denver papers were unanimous in their enthusiasm over her work.

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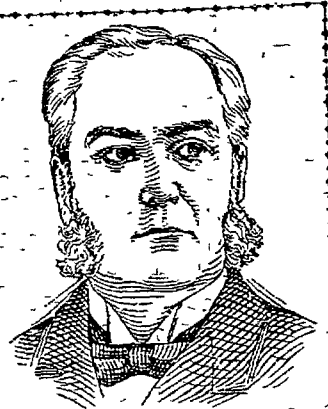
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The melancholy days are surely come now.

R. H. Purdy has been seriously ill for some time.

George Baker is erecting his new power windmill.

Mrs. John Pinkerton is recovering from her attack of typhoid fever.

D. S. Miller and family are moving to Mason, where Mr. Miller has been employed for some time past.

The Detroit United cars now run clear through the big mountain of a gravel pit northeast of the railroad depot.

F. A. Miller has raised his market up a peg or two and will try to induce the water to keep out of the cellar.

Everybody has thoroughly enjoyed the glorious Indian days the weather department has been furnishing us this week.

Supervisor Benton says he would not swear to the correctness of any tax roll that is changed by the tax commission.

Frank Moore has moved to the old Lowden place on west Main street, which he recently purchased of Charles Bloom.

The heavy frosts have at last destroyed the flowers and most of the foliage approaching the "severe and yellow leaf stage."

Miss Williams of Plymouth, a former teacher here, has been secured to fill the vacancy in the eighth grade caused by Miss Covert's resignation.

FOUND—An iron crowbar on the road near the electric lighting plant. Owner can have it by calling at 45 Yerkes street and paying for this advertisement.

N. H. Garner of Mt. Clemens has purchased the residence of Mr. Thomas on Mill street, formerly owned by J. R. Nash, and expects to take possession immediately.

A box social for the benefit of the German Lutheran church will be given at the home of August Meisner one and one-half miles east of town next Monday night, Nov. 30. Everybody invited.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Clarkson was held from the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon. Rev. W. S. Jerome officiating. Deceased was for many years a worthy member of that society.

The Record Printing has recently been equipped with two of the celebrated Retort Oak heaters. These stoves make coke out of soft coal and are nearly as clean in their burning as a hard coal stove.

Under the new equalization the country portion of Wayne county will have to pay 25 per cent of the county taxes instead of 103 per cent as formerly. Northville's share will be \$7,572 and Plymouth's \$6,730.

There is much complaint against the cane seat chairs which the Detroit United put in commission last fall. One slipper that passengers have to hang on for dear life with both hands and even then it is some conclusion slide. A little carpeting would be a vast improvement.

Employees of the U. S. Fish commission here have gone to the following places to "superintend the annual full take of eggs for hatching purposes": A. T. Stewart, Beaver Island; E. S. Fuller and Geo. Cushman, Grass Island; E. K. Burham, Escanaba; Wm. Safford and B. O. Webster remain at the Northville end of the line.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Thompson celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday last. It was a very enjoyable affair and twenty-eight guests were present from Detroit, Wixom, South Lyon, Ann Arbor, Farmington and Northville. Mr. and Mrs. T. were presented with a number of very nice presents as a reminder of the occasion.

Harry Dole and "Jack" Barber had a friendly pugilistic "set to" on the street Wednesday night to determine which was the better man, but as the encounter was conducted strictly according to the Marquis of Queensbury rules the boys were not interfered with and when they had decided the question to their apparent satisfaction quietly wended their way homeward.

A clergyman in a neighboring town is said to own a portable bath tub, which he failed on a recent occasion to take with him on a visit. When he returned he found the hired girl had used the beloved tub. Calling her into his study he said kindly but firmly: "Mary, I do not so much mind your using my tub, but what I object to is that you should do behind my back what you would not do before my face."

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Dr. Fred B. Carruthers leaves next Tuesday for a two weeks' hunt in the north. Mrs. Carruthers will visit in South Lyon during the time.

County School Commissioner Yost of Trenton was in town yesterday on his tour of school inspection in this part of the county. Mr. Yost is devoting his entire time to the school matters and is doing most excellent work.

### SURPRISED BRO. NASH.

Masons Presented Him With Farewell Tokens.

Editor Record: With your permission I would like to give a few more of the details of the masonic reception in honor of Bro. James P. Nash Oct. 21st:

When it was ascertained that "Uncle Jim" was soon to leave for California the brethren decided to give him a farewell reception and express their appreciation of his long and faithful services and devotion to the order. Accordingly he was invited to the lodge room, where he was heartily welcomed by nearly one hundred brethren and Sir Knights. The many expressions of appreciation and cordial handshakes suffused Bro. Jim's face with smiles and nearly dislocated his shoulder. After the banquet the meeting was called to order by Past Master W. F. Gurr, who stated its object and spoke feelingly of the esteem in which Bro. Nash is held by the whole fraternity. Responses were made by Worshipful Master Dean F. Griswold, Past Eminent Commanders E. K. Simonds and F. N. Clark, Bro. B. A. Northrop, M. A. Porter, C. C. Chadwick, L. W. Hutton, Rev. J. M. Shank, Dr. F. Carruthers and others.

Then followed the greatest surprise of the evening: Eminent Commander C. M. Joslin in behalf of the Northville commandery then pinned upon Mr. Nash's breast a beautiful Knight Templar charm set with brilliant stones requesting him to wear it in memory of his absent Northville fraters and as a token of their love and esteem. And Will H. Hutton in behalf of the blue lodge and chapter presented him with a beautiful gold-headed ebony cane and followed with an appropriate address acknowledging his zeal and fidelity, assuring him of their love and esteem and finally commending him to the keeping of the celestial lodge on high. C. M. J.

### Methodist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor)

The Northville Methodist will appear next Sunday.

The League meeting next Sunday evening will be held by W. H. Hutton.

The pastor is to attend the District Epworth League convention at Pontiac Friday and Saturday of this week.

The subject of the sermon next Sunday morning will be, "God a Mystery and No God a Greater Mystery," evening, "A Woman, that's all." The Junior Leagueurs give a Picnic at the church parlors next Wednesday evening, Nov. 4. Admission 10 cents. It will be a very "pleasur" affair. A good time. Come.

The Ladies' Aid promises something to all who have the courage to persevere through the halls of mystery to the finish at Mrs. Kern's on Halloween, Saturday evening. Come and laugh and grow young again.

"Twist ye, twine ye! even so Mingle shades of joy and woe, Hope and fear and peace and strife, In the thread of human life."

### Baptist Church Notes.

(By a Member)

Rev. Sidney Dummock of Harbor Beach will be with us a week from Sunday, Nov. 8.

The B. Y. P. U. leader Sunday evening will be Roy Clark. As that will be the first Sunday in the new month it is the time to pray the dues.

Arthur B. Stanley of Detroit will again occupy the pulpit next Sunday, both morning and evening. Mr. Stanley gave two excellent sermons last Sunday and it is hoped there will be a good turn out Sunday.

There will be a meeting of the Aid and Missionary societies at Mrs. G. S. VanZile's Wednesday evening, Nov. 4th, for the purpose of electing officers in each society for the coming year. All the ladies of the church are requested to be present.

The monthly business meeting of the B. Y. P. U. will be held at the home of Roy Clark next Tuesday evening and all interested in the work of the society are invited to attend. A social time will follow the transaction of business and light refreshments will be served. A program is also being prepared.

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### Presbyterian Church Notes.

(By the Pastor)

Among the speakers at the banquet next week will be Rev. J. M. Barkley, D. D., Rev. H. T. Miller, D. D., and Rev. A. H. Barr of Detroit.

Mrs. Latherly, who is a member of the first division of the Ladies' Aid society, has relieved the ladies of the necessity of soliciting the ladies by offering to donate the entire supply for the banquet next week.

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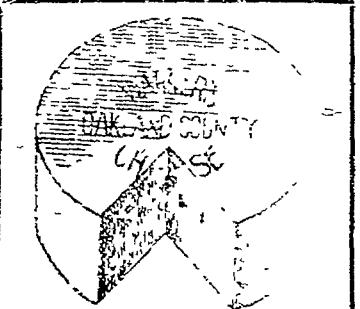
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## NORTHVILLE.

### The City in Brief.

Who likes to rake leaves?

The deer hunters will leave next week. William Pinkerton is very much better.

A C. Harmon has been on the sick list this week.

Ross Hall is able to be out around again after his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Latherly are moving back to Detroit for the winter.

Mrs. Minnie Common has been having a severe attack of grip and tonsillitis.

Dr. Ambler's diphtheria patients at Farmington junction are now on the road to recovery.

Mrs. S. E. Cranson entertains a party of ladies at a Halloween card party tomorrow night.

Scherer & Cattermole expect to open their new bowling alley to the public about Nov. 15th.

The Methodists are preparing for a time at their Halloween social at Mrs. Kern's tomorrow night.

Supervisor Benton has been made chairman of the subcommittee as well as the equalization committee.

The football game Northville vs. Plymouth which was advertised for Tuesday afternoon failed to materialize.

Supt. Brooks of the Detroit United will consider the proposition of a waiting room in the village for their passengers.

R. E. Barton & company have opened up their gent's furnishing store in the Woodman building on Center street.

Will Thornton has so far recovered after his long illness to be able to ride out, and is receiving congratulations on all sides.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Allen on Randolph street next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

A. W. Ely expects to be in town until about Nov. 15, when he will have completed the removal of his machinery to Claremont, Va.

Lost—On the streets Saturday, large brooch with child's face on it. Finder please leave at the Record or post-office for Mrs. L. L. Brooks.

The library association has been obliged to have additional shelf room for books and some new cases have been placed in the building this week.

The work on the improvements at the U. S. Fish Commission station is progressing finely and is expected to be completed by the middle of next month.

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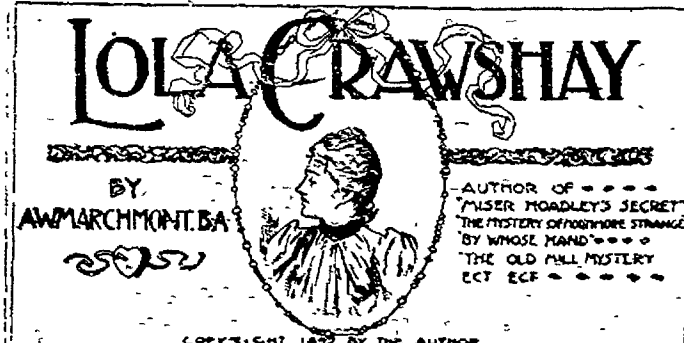
### What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date.

Wheat—Within 4 cents of Detroit Daily Markets.  
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Veal calves live—\$3.50.  
Pigs—22c. Butter—17c and 18c.  
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Turkeys, young and plump—10c.  
Geese, young and plump—8c.  
Ducks, young and plump—8c.  
Chicken—16c.





PROLOGUE I.  
ON THE DEVIL'S ROCK.

"So you're in earnest, are you, and really mean it this time?"

"Every syllable of every word." The reply was uttered with the crisp, clear ring of determination, and Lola Turrian as she spoke looked her husband in the face with set decision in every line of her young, beautiful face. The husband, a slim, fair, good looking man, sneered provokingly as he returned her gaze. He shrugged his shoulders as he answered readily and rapidly, though with a slight foreign accent:

"Upon my word, you really are very beautiful, Lola. I'm not a bit surprised that other men fall in love with you. On my soul, I should—if you weren't my wife already, of course." He ended with a laugh that might have marked any phase of feeling, but there was a threat veiled in the light tone of the question which followed, "And what then?"

"I care not what then," was the answer, spoken with angry emphasis. "I know what you mean, and I care nothing. You mean that you will add infirmity to your other characters and try to send my father to the gallery. The same chivalry which let me live on me urges you to whip me with a fear for my father's safety. Would to heaven I had dared you at the first and never put this cursed fever on my life." She was playing nervously with her wedding ring as she spoke.

Her husband eyed her curiously without letting any sign of annoyance at her words appear and replied with the air of one who is merely balancing the pros and cons of a given course:

"I wonder if I did make a mistake with you when I stopped you going on the boards. A speech like that to the gods ought to draw many pounds a week to any house. You want a trifle more gesture. If you're going to say it again, either hold up the 'fetter and flange' it in my face or dash it on the ground. The gallery likes gesture. Don't forget. But you'd better not rehearse here because the rock is not very wide, and if you chuck much of your jewelry about some of it's pretty sure to roll down into the gorge, and what goes over there won't come up again. But there! What's the need for me to doubt your powers of acting? Haven't I seen you land a dozen men on—aye, and to the very verge—only for us to use 'em up in the end. You're a born actress, Lola, with limitations and in a certain line."

"I'll act no longer, then," returned the girl; for she was little more. "You go your way. I'll go mine."

"And your father can go his, eh? Poor old chap. You're very hard on him, Lola, very hard indeed. To send him to the gallery, in that way, and at his age too!"

His cold, sneering indifference goaded her almost beyond the point of endurance, but she fought down her rage.

"I have come out here to tell you that this kind of life must end."

"And a devilish uncomfortable place you've chosen," he said, interrupting her and laughing. "Here we are on a lonely crag, with these villainous fir trees on one side and a sheer dip right down to the bottom of the ravine on the other and a sky that looks as though nothing short of a miracle could stop it sending down buckets of rain inside five minutes. I wish you'd be a bit thoughtful. If you want to do an uncomfortable thing, you might at least choose a comfortable place to do it in. Look here! Let us go to some hotel and have it all out there quietly over a bottle of wine."

"I know what you mean by all this. You think to snare me out of my present mood. I mean to speak here and now. I came here on purpose."

"What! Here up on this infernally bleak Devil's rock, smack right in the middle of the Schwarzwald? What rubbish, Lola! Do be consistent. Why, when the train started this morning we had not an inkling that we should be brought to a standstill at this roadside station, with three hours to wait for the next train, so you couldn't have come on purpose, as any fool can see."

"When I knew we had to stop so long, I resolved to bring you here to say what I had to say."

"All right," was the answer, and the husband glanced round as if resigning himself to an uncomfortable experience. "Devilish dramatic surroundings and devilish dangerous, too," he muttered, glancing over the side of the rock into the abyss that yawned below, some 200 or 300 feet down. "Might be devilish convenient, too, if you wanted to get rid of an uncomfortable friend. Well, wife, go on," he said, sitting down on a point of the rock and looking round to shrug his shoulders again and smile. "You've brought me to the dismal depth of a Swiss wood in order to thrill me with a terrible tale of defiance. Very well; thrill away."

He seemed determined to make light of the interview and to mock his companion's indignation and emotion. But he watched her all the time, despite his assumed indifference, with lynx-eyed vigilance.

"I repeat, this life shall end," she said, after a moment's pause, burning with quick, vehement, emotional utterance. "Shall end, do you hear? I will not decay no more—your slave—your fool. I will no longer lure me in the meshes of the net your cruel

hands spread for their ruin. You and I shall part. Do you hear, part, now and for always. I will be no wife of yours for the future, and if I can avoid it, so help me heaven, I'll never look on your hateful face again."

The man listened in silence, and when she ceased waited before answering, looking at her with his head a little on one side and his eyes half closed.

"All right. Goodby," he said at length, turning away to whistle.

"What, not gone yet?" he added after a pause in a tone of surprise. "Pray don't stop on my account. Any show of politeness between us would be such a superfluity of foolish pretense." And he resumed his whistling.

Presently he stopped and, getting up, went close to her and spoke in a different tone, seriously and directly:

"Look here, Lola! Don't make a fool of yourself. You can't leave me. You know that well enough. My silence is as necessary to you as your beauty is to me. There's never any other bond between us and never will be probably, but you can't break it. And you must own that I've done well for you. You live on the best of the land; you're never staid at any but the best hotels; you spend what you like on dress; you're any amount of lovers. What husband could do more than that?"

"The wife made no reply in words, but her eyes lighted with anger.

"So long as you don't go too far with any of them, I never say a word, and the fact that while they are making love to you I am making money out of them ought to give a zest to the business which you should appreciate. Don't be a fool. Of course you want your hysteria in some form or another—all women do—but don't let 'em lead you over the Rubicon. This German pig that we're stalling now may be the last we need trouble about. He's rich enough to yield any amount of gold, and if I know love in a far fool's face when I see it he's a mad on you and he'll give half his wealth if only you give me the chance to handle it."

"Stop!" cried the woman hotly. "May I not if ever I move a finger to help you again. If you want to rob me, go and do it like other thieves. Be at least a man and don't skulk behind my petticoat. I'll never speak to that German again, I swear!"

The man turned a shade paler now and let his lip. Then he swore under his fair mustache and his voice was no longer stony when he spoke. He began to fear that she was in earnest and thus made him angry.

"I will make you do what I wish," he said, and he laid his hand on her wrist.

She shook it off with a toss of contempt.

"Rah! Do you think I am afraid of you?" she cried. "Do you think I have ever done what you wished because I feared anything you could do to me? You poor, cowering fool. I'm no more afraid of you than of a rat!" And she laughed derisively.

At this all the color left his face with rage. He gripped her wrist firmly and held it with a threatening blow. He said in a voice hushed with anger, "Unsay that at once or your father shall rot in jail!"

"You coward!" she cried, and, stung by the words and the gesture into a paroxysm of rage, she raised the light umbrella she was carrying and struck him with all her force across the face while wrenching her wrist from his grasp.

He was standing, close to the edge of the steep rock, with his back to it, and

the girl stamped upon the man's shins, straining fingers.

in his surprise and dismay at the blow he stumbled hastily back, and, losing his footing, slipped over the edge. As he fell he managed to catch with one hand at the ledge of the rock and remained hanging by one hand over the dark, deadly abyss.

For an instant he hung thus, looking up at her, his face salt white and wet with fear and rage, while he made frantic efforts to get a hold with his other hand.

Before he could do this, however, the girl, mad with the rage he had stirred in her, raised her foot and stamped her heel with all her force upon the man's white, strained fingers.

He uttered a loud, sharp cry of pain, and, unable to retain his hold, disappeared over the face of the rock.

It happened so suddenly that the young wife stood gazing at the place where he had fallen like one dazed with horror.

But it was only for an instant. Then she drew herself up and raised her head as if with an instinct of defiance.

She waited some time and listened. Then she bent forward and called to him, "Pierre, Pierre!" and she was pleased when no answer came.

Lying down at full length, she tried to look down into the gorge, but a slightly projecting breast of the cliff prevented her from seeing to the bottom. Finding that, she moved away and went to another spot and tried to get a glimpse of the place into which he had fallen.

She thought she could see him lying flat down below, but the light was thickening with the growing storm, and she was not certain.

But she made no effort to get help, and, when she had waited until the time came for her to leave, in order to catch the train at the station she walked away quickly.

She was glad and her heart was beating with an infinite pleasure that the man who had gloomed and ruled and saddened her young life was dead.

He had been too hard a taskmaster for her not to be thrilled with a sense of pleasure at the thought of freedom.

PROLOGUE II.  
FREE AT LAST.

A fortnight after the incident on the Devil's rock Lola Turrian and her father sat in close consultation in the old man's bedroom in a hotel in Neuchâtel.

The old man was sitting up on his bed, propped by pillows, and his wrinkled, parchment colored skin looked yellow and dingy against the snow white bedclothes. His voice was quavering and thin, but his black, beady eyes shone with a light that seemed all the stronger and stranger by contrast with the weakness of his withered body.

"It's good news, Lola—real good news. I hope the brute is really dead!" The hate with which he spoke of the dead man lent unwonted energy to his voice, while his lean, crooked fingers gripped the bedclothes with a gesture suggestive of his feeling.

"I wish I'd been with you, girl, to have made sure. Jumps like those can tumble over cliffs, and yet the devil finds a soft place somewhere for them to fall. If I'd been there, he added grimly, "I'd have had him, fished by those who'd have made sure he was dead."

"He is dead, father, never fear. I tell you I went back and staid at the hotel close to the place for ten days, making cautious inquiries everywhere. If he had escaped, I must have heard of it."

The old man was silent a moment, muttering and mumbling and shaking his head.

"But you don't know it, Lola. You haven't found his carcase."

"Well, he is dead to me at any rate. Our paths shall never cross by accident again. He never held me at all, as you know, save for my fear for you. I am not afraid of such a thing as that."

She tossed her head with a gesture of contempt.

"Mark my words, we shall never hear of him again," she added. "I shall not, child," said the old man. "That's why I sent for you."

The girl rose impulsively at this, and taking her father's hand kissed it and then kissed his face and smoothed some of the white locks which had strayed down from under his skullcap over his forehead.

He suffered rather than enjoyed the caress and shook his head with a half petulant movement of surprise.

"You ought to be glad. I'm going to die at last, Lola," he continued. "I've been an unconscionable time over it, but that fool of a Dr. Lubin says I can't last now more than a week or a fortnight more, and if I do I can't get out of bed. What the deuce is the good of living. I should like to know, caged up in a hole like this, and in bed, and not able to have a scrap of decent food or a drop of wine, nothing but a cup of nasty stuff that might be pig swill for all I know? If that's the case, the sooner I go after Pierre the better. I only wish I could let you know that he's there safe bound. We shan't be far apart over there, I expect," he added, with a smile that made his wrinkled features inexpressibly ugly.

Lola said nothing.

"I hope you don't think I'm going to make a fool of myself about dying," he said querulously, noticing her manner. "You wouldn't have me turn white livered and send for a pack of priests and pretend to wipe out all the record of a full life well lived and well enjoyed with the cant of half an hour! Pah! But there! That'll do about myself. I'm thinking more about you. What will you do?"

"I have made no plans yet, father. I have only thought so far that you and I would be much happier together now."

"Then it's nice you did think that, that's all. Your face and form are good enough to win you half a kingdom if you only use them properly, and your pick—well, it's as stanch as mine. You'll go far if you choose. Only mind don't try to go too fast."

"I don't want to talk of myself."

"I don't care what you want," was the testy reply. "I do, and I mean to. Listen. Drop the name of that infernal scoundrel and act as though that part of your life had never been lived. Play the beautiful ingenue. Be my daughter, Lola Crawshaw, once more, and as soon as I'm dead do what those cursed relatives of mine would never let me do—go back to England. They'd have stopped my allowance if I'd gone back, but when they see you in the garb of the mourning orphan—probably dressed for the part, mind—they'll take you in as surely as you will them. I've written a let-

ter for you to the only one among 'em who ever showed she had a heart, old Mrs. Villiers, and if you play your cards as my child ought to you'll make her home yours and her infirmities be the means of starting your campaign. She's so decidedly dull and religious that the world will cash her infirmities at sight to any amount just as banks will Rothschild's checks. I've thought all this out, expecting that you'd probably run away from that brute as soon as I was in my coffin, and I've written down here a list of all your eligible relatives, with such hints as occurred to me of the best means of get-

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## Suburban News.

Carleton is—or ought to be—either a very beautiful or else an unattractive place. According to the former there isn't a single doctor in town any more. They read a good deal.

Providence people are getting ready for winter over in Farmington town. Some of the salt pork have been stolen from some of the cellars down that way lately.

A large house is being built by the P. M. track at Willow—Wayne News Let it.

Must be an automobile track if it can build roads. We should think it would be a good idea to have a track for the people who live in the Northville.

Public houses of the Northville are getting ready for winter. The houses are getting ready for winter. The houses are getting ready for winter.

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## GRAUSTARK

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## CHAPTER XXVII.

ON THE BALCONY AGAIN. THREE persons in the royal castle of Graustark, worn by the dread and anxiety of weeks, fatigued by the sleepless nights just past, slumbered through the long afternoon with the motionless, death-like sleep of the utterly fagged. Yet in her darkened bedchamber dreamed with smiling lips of a tall soldier and a throne on which cobwebs multiplied. Grenfall Lorry saw in his dreams a slim soldier with troubled face and averted, timid eyes, standing guard over him with a brave, stiff back and chin painfully uplifted. Captain Quinnox dreamed not for his mind was tranquil in the assurance that he had been forgiven by the princess.

While Lorry slept in the room set apart for him anguish roamed the park with a happy face, slender young lady into whose ears he poured the history of a certain treason from the tender beginning to the distracting end, and she smiled and trembled with delight, closing not her ears against the sound of his voice nor her heart to the love that craved admission. They were not dreaming.

After dinner that evening Lorry led the princess out into the moonlight night. The November breezes were soft and balmy and the shadows deep.

"Let us leave the park to Dagmar and her hero to the soldiers and the musicians," said Lorry. "There is a broad path here, with the tenderest of moonlight. Do you remember a night like this a month or more ago? I could again stand where we stood on the night of the moonlight, and the moonlight would be the same, but not as we saw it then with the moonlight."

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"Against her will, against her judgment, sir."

"Then the worst has come to pass," groaned the old count. Neither spoke for some time. They were near the foot of the staircase when Halfont paused and grasped Lorry's arm. Heedlessly they looked into each other's eyes.

"I admire you more than any man I have ever known," said the count huskily. "You are the soul of honor, of courage, of manliness. But you cannot become the husband of a princess of Graustark. I need not tell you that, however. You surely must understand."

"I do understand," said Lorry dimly. "I am not a prince, as you are saying over and over again to yourself. In my land you will find the poor man climbing to the highest pinnacle side by side with the rich man. The woman I love is a princess. Until death destroys this power to love and to hope I must say to you that I shall not consider the Princess Yevie beyond my reach. Frankly, I cannot, sir."

The count heard him through, unconscious admiration mingling with the sadness in his eyes.

"There are some obstacles that bravery and perseverance cannot overcome, my friend," he said slowly. "One of them is fate."

"As fate is not governed by law or custom, I have the best reason in the world to hope," said Lorry, yet modestly.

"I would indeed, sir, that you were a prince of the realm," fervently cried the count. Lorry was struck by the fact that he repeated, word for word, the wish Gaspon had uttered some hours before.

By this time they were joined by the others, whereupon Grenfall hurried eagerly to the balcony, conscious of being half an hour early, but glad of the chance afforded for reflection and solitude. As he came up from below, as they did on that night a few weeks ago, bringing the laughter and song of happy hearts, Lorry saw that the moonlight was the same, but not as we saw it then with the moonlight.

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sweetheart," said Lorry, betraying his reflections. "You denied the whole world in those four words. They were worth dying for."

"How could I help it? You must not forget that you had just leaped into the lion's den defenseless because you loved me. Could I deny you then? Until that moment I had been the princess's adorer. In a second's time you swept away every safeguard, every barrier, and I surprised as only a woman can. But it really sounded shocking, didn't it? So theatrical!"

"Don't look so distressed about it, dear. You couldn't help it, remember," he said approvingly.

"Ach, I dread tomorrow's ordeal!" she said, and he felt the arm that touched his own tremble. "What will they say? What will they do?"

"Tomorrow will tell. It means a great deal to both of us. If they will not submit, what then?"

"What then, what then?" she murmured faintly.

Across the parade, coming from the direction of the fountain, Harry Anguish and Dagmar were slowly walking. They were very close together, and his head was bent until it almost touched hers. As they drew nearer the dreamy watchers on the balcony recognized them.

"They are very happy," said Lorry, knowing that she was also watching the strollers.

"They are so sure of each other," she replied sadly.

## CHAPTER XXVIII.

THE MAID OF GRAUSTARK. EXPECTANCY, concern, the dread of uncertainty marked the countenances of Graustark's ministers and her chief men as they sat in the council chamber on the day following, awaiting the appearance of their princess, at whose call they were unexpectedly assembled.

A realized an emergency. Not one in that assembly but had heard the voice, soulful sentence from the throne. Not one but wished in secret as Gaspon and Halfont had wished in open speech.

When the princess entered with the prince minister they narrowly scanned the face so dear to them. After the prince she stepped to the balcony, looking down at the crowd of soldiers and the crowd of soldiers.

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The prince minister stepped to the balcony, looking down at the crowd of soldiers and the crowd of soldiers.

am gone. I want my own to follow me on the throne of Graustark."

Then followed a long, animated discussion, growing brighter and more hopeful as the speakers' willing hearts warmed to the proposition. Lorry was a favorite, but he could not be their prince. Hereditary law prohibited. Many times the princess and her wise men met and overcame obstacles, huge at first, minimized in the end, all because they loved her and she loved them. The departure from traditional custom, as suggested by the princess, coupled with the threat to abdicate, was the weightiest yet the most delicate question that had ever come before the chief men of Graustark.

For the first time in the history of the country, a woman was sovereign; for the first time there had been no direct male heir to the throne. With the death of old Prince Ganlock the masculine side of the illustrious family ended. No matter whom his daughter took for a husband, the line was broken. Why not the bold, progressive, rich American? argued some. Count Caspar held out until all were against him, giving way finally in a burst of oratory which ended in tears and sobs and which made the sense of the gathering unanimous.

The Princess Yevie won the day, so far as her own position was concerned, but there was Lorry to be considered.

"Mr. Lorry knows that I called you together in consultation, but he does not know that I would have given up my crown for him. I dared not tell him that. He knows only that I was to ask your advice on the question of marriage, and that alone. I fear he will object to the plan we have agreed upon," she went on. "He is sensitive, and it is possible he will not like the idea of putting our marriage to the popular vote of the people."

"I insist, however, that the people be considered in the matter," said Gaspon. "In three months' time the whole nation can say whether it sanctions the revision of our laws of heredity."

"I have no hesitancy in saying that Graustark already adores this brave American," said Halfont warmly. "He has won her affection. I will vouch for it that the whole nation will rise and cry 'Long live the princess! Long live the princess! Long live the princess!'"

"Gala! Gala!" said Stizky, the grand marshal, addressing a young man who was hurrying down the platform of the Edelweis railway station toward the special train which was pulling impatiently.

"Hello Stizky! Is it you? I'm glad to see you again. Yes, we are going back to the land of the alps and stripes." The speaker was Mr. Anguish.

"You'll have fine company as far as Vienna too. Do you ever see such a celebration's day to have here today? You'll think the whole world was lifted up in the little visit her royal highness is going to pay to Vienna. Tomorrow if de whole city, soldiers and all, and down to the streets off. Look at the crowd! By glory, I don't know we can pull de train out of de station. 'Quainted wid any of de royal crew?'"

"Slightly," answered Anguish, smiling. "He was watching a train figure in a father and son as it approached drawing apart from the throng. It was Mrs. Harry Van Brugh Anguish."

"Say you must cut some fine old people. But don't be like all American, though, the little grand wait on. 'The princess married an American and dey say he got to put de crown away where de ladies won't get at it in' like her over to fly in Washington for six months. Is it a son time?"

"That's right, Stizky. She's going back with us, and then were coming back with her."

"Why don't he keep her over here when he gets her dere? What's de use—what's de use?"

"Well, she's still the Princess of Graustark, you know, Stizky. She can't live always in America."

"Got to be here to hold her job, eh?"

"Inevitable, but correct. Now, look sharp! Where de we find our—ah!" His wife was with him, and he forgot Stizky.

The guard turned to watch the procession—a file of soldiers, a cavalry troop, carriages and then the carriage with spirited horses and gay accoutrements. It stopped with a jangle, and a man and woman descended.

"The princess!" cried Stizky. "Long live the princess!" cried the crowd. "God save our Yevie!"

Stizky started as if shot, staring at the tall man who approached with the smiling Sovereign of Graustark. "Well," he gasped, "what d'you think o' dat?"

The train that was to carry them out of the east into the west puffed and moaned, the bell clanged, the people cheered, and they were off. Hours later, as the car whirled through the Hungarian plain, Yevie, looking from her window, said in that exquisite English which was her very own.

"Ah, the world, the dear world. I am so sorry for queens!"

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"They are very happy," said Lorry.

"Yes, you make me feel that I am weak and helpless and that you can say to me 'Come and Go' and I must obey. Isn't it odd that I who have never known submissiveness should so suddenly find myself civilized?" she asked smiling faintly.

"Shall I tell you why you are afraid of me?"

"You will say it is because I am forgetting to be a princess."

"No it is because you no longer look upon me as you did in other days. Yesterday you were the princess and looked down upon the impossible suitor; today you are the girl and look up at me as I look down upon the impossible suitor."

"You are afraid of me because I am no longer a dream, but a reality. Am I not right, Yevie?"

She looked out over the hazy, moonlit park.

"Yesterday I might have disputed all you say; today I can deny nothing."

Leaning upon the railing, they fell into a silent study of the parade ground and its strollers. Their thoughts were not of the walkers and chatters, nor of the music, nor of the night. They were of the day to come.

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