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PROMINENT PHYSICIAN FOR AUDR. GENERAL

DR. J. B. BRADLEY OF EATON RAPIDS THE MAN.

Was Twice Made Mayor of His Home City

Probably for the first time has the republican party of Michigan honored one of the leading physicians of the state with the nomination for a high state office. Dr. J. B. Bradley, who was recently nominated for the responsible office of auditor general by the republican convention in Detroit, is one of the best known and skilled physicians of Eaton county. He is an affable gentleman to meet, a man particularly well fitted for the office, a man of excellent business judgment and one who will be an honor to the office and to the state.

Dr. Bradley was born on a farm in Shiawassee county in 1858 and moved to Eaton Rapids in 1881. He graduated with high honor from Rush



DR. J. B. BRADLEY
of Eaton Rapids, republican nominee
for Auditor General

Medical college of Illinois in 1881 and has practiced his profession in Eaton Rapids since that time. He has long been regarded as one of the leading physicians of the county and has twice held a position on the county board of pension examiners. He was twice elected as mayor of that city and executed the duties of the office to the satisfaction of his constituents. He has been prominent in the councils of his party in the city and county for a number of years and has been chairman of the republican county committee for the last four years. Dr. Bradley is a public-spirited and always interested in whatever concerns the public welfare and progress of his state. The republican party could not have made a better choice for its candidate for auditor general.

PERSISTENCY IN ADVERTISING.

Many of our local dealers in the various commodities needed to the householder—naturally—“flown” on the practice of our citizens in sending to Chicago and New York or going to Detroit for goods which they could, it is alleged, purchase just as cheaply right here at home. But a very little reflection must convince anyone that the solution of the problem lies in the fact that the big city firms are the most persistent and lavish advertisers imaginable and that long experience has shown them that the way to sell goods is to keep prices and descriptions constantly before the public, and to keep everlastingly at it, as they do. There is nothing like telling people all the time and more too what you have to sell and why it would be to their advantage to buy from you. The present is pre-eminently an age of advertising, and he who doesn't keep up with the procession must inevitably get left

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Teachers' examinations for Wayne county will be held at the Wayne County Building, Supervisor's Room, on the following dates:

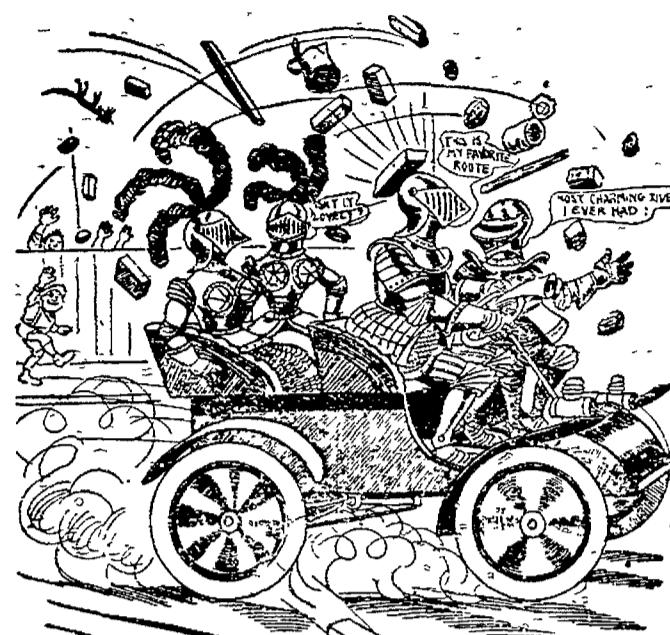
Second Thursday of August.

Third Thursday of October.

Applicants who announce their intention to attend will receive special information.

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School Com'r.

SEASONABLE COSTUMES FOR AUTOMOBILISTS.



Jeanne d'Arc styles for ladies and Chivalier Bayard fashions for gentlemen.
—Brooklyn Eagle.

MORE COUNTY TREASURERS.

At least two more republican candidates for county treasurer have joined up during the last week or so. One is Eugene Nichol, at present bookkeeper and accountant in the treasurer's office, and a man named Robertson. With a dozen candidates from the city in the field, some popular young republicans from the country ought to be able to go in and capture the nomination in a walk.

KERN BABBITT FOR GOV. PEABODY

DOESN'T MEAN HE HAS TURNED REPUBLICAN.

APPROVES THE REPUBLICAN GOVERNOR'S ACTION ON MINERS' TROUBLE.

Because he approves the action of Governor Peabody (Republican) of Colorado in the miners' trouble and in consequence will support him for re-election, Kern Babbitt, one of Colorado's leading Democrats and a former Northville boy, has not necessarily turned republican as rumored about Northville last week. Mr. Babbitt believes Gov. Peabody is taking the right stand in this trouble and he will do all in his power to aid his reelection, but beyond that it is taken for granted that Mr. Babbitt will be just as good a democrat as he ever was.

TEA MOON EXPERIENCE.

"No, my boy," said the old gentleman, "I shall not make you my look-keeper, although you are to have a place in my office. As a look-keeper you are just a little too expert for me; for I learned what you can do with figures by studying the expense accounts you sent me while at college."

WATER OF THE MEDITERRANEAN.

Most of the Mediterranean is over mile deep, but its surface were lowered only eight hundred feet it would be separated from the Atlantic at the Strait of Gibraltar, and divided into two seas by a land connection between Sicily and the African coast of Tunis.

TRAVELING IN INDIA.

Every one who goes to India to travel or live at hotel sees Mr. W. E. Curtis must have a personal servant, a rascal who performs the duties of rascal waiter and errand boy, and whatever else may be required of him. This is a fixed custom of the country, to resist which brings endless trouble to the traveler.

THE POOR LITTLE DOG.

"You had better have Hannah, the cook, feed that lap dog of yours something besides breakfast food and cream," growled Mr. Flatington to his wife. "I found him on top of the dresser this morning gnawing up my bone collar buttons." — Cleveland Leader.

WHEN INTERMENTS WERE PERMITTED.

The following curious rule appears under paragraph 65 of the municipal regulations governing burials at Giesen Hesse: "Interments are only permitted after death has taken place. In all other cases a certificate signed by the mayor is required."

LOAN ASSOCIATION'S ANNUAL MEETING

YEAR OLD STOCK PAID EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST.

IT IS A PAYING INVESTMENT FOR WAGE EARNERS

The sixteenth annual meeting of the Northville Loan and Building Association was held last Friday evening in the library and the affairs of the association were found to be in most satisfactory shape.

The building resulted in the election of the following officers:

President, J. A. DeBain, vice president, J. R. Simonds, secretary, F. L. VanAtta, attorney, C. C. Verker. In addition to those holding over the directors are B. A. Wheeler, reelected, E. M. Starkweather and C. C. Verker.

Secretary VanAtta's annual report showed the association to be in a prosperous condition and that stock one year old had earned a profit of 8 per cent last year.

Membership in this association has proved a profitable investment for those who make weekly deposits as well as those who borrow to pay for their homes.

Upon a payment of \$1.75 each week a person can borrow \$99 to pay for a home—first, about what the average person pays for house rent—and at the end of ten years the stock matures and the indebtedness is all wiped out and the home is paid for.

As a savings investment it partakes of special inducements to the wage earner and in turn pays him an average rate of interest of more than eight per cent if payments are made weekly until maturity—usually ten years. A payment of 25 cents per week at the end of 10 years brings in \$200 or a sum drawn before that time the depositor receives his deposit and also interest at the rate of 6 per cent.

GIRL SWALLOWED STONES FOR FUN.

Holly Mich., Aug. 3.—Carrie Grover, aged 17, died suddenly yesterday at postmortem examination revealed 31 stones in her stomach. Some of them were as large as robins' eggs. She had been swallowing the stones for several days, thinking it fun.

DOGS KILL MANY SHEEP.

Holly Mich., Aug. 3.—Sheep killing dogs are raising havoc among the farmers in this part of the state. One Ortonia farmer had thirty sheep killed in one night and numerous other instances where smaller numbers have been killed are reported.

INCREASED USE OF ASPHALT.

Asphalt was first used for street pavements in Paris in 1838, and since then the demand for this purpose has warranted an annual production throughout the world of 450,000 to 500,000 metric tons of asphalt and bituminous rock.

DINNER HOUR WORRIES PARISIANS.

The Parisians are considering whether they ought to postpone the dinner hour still further from 9 to 10 o'clock or give up dinner altogether in favor of a substantial 5 o'clock tea and an after-theater supper.

WILL NOMINATE SWEET.

Democrats Likely to Choose Him to Run for Governor.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 3.—Everything points to the nomination of Mayor E. F. Sweet of Grand Rapids for governor at the state convention today.

The Stearns adherents claim he will be the nominee but the claim is not borne out by figures at hand. Stearns will enter the convention with the solid backing of Wayne county, and a divided delegation from Kent. As near as could be learned he is sure of about 300 of the 815 delegates. Mayor Sweet, on the other hand, will have a majority on the first ballot unless some other candidate comes into the field, and this is not thought likely.

The campaign conference last night turned out to be a reception to Mayor Sweet.

Judge John Miner of Detroit will be temporary chairman of the convention. Edwin Henderson of Detroit will present the name of Justus S. Stearns to the convention, but who will present the name of Mayor Sweet will be decided by the Democratic state convention later.

The anti-Warren mass meeting last night was attended by about 500 persons, mostly disaffected Republicans and was addressed by several speakers all of whom favored Stearns' candidacy for governor.

The mass meeting advertised as a session of protest against machine and boss usurpation was pulled off according to schedule last night in the auditorium of the Majestic theater. The result was the adoption of resolutions asking the Democratic state convention to nominate Justus S. Stearns for governor and pledging him the independent primary reform. Republican vote in the coming campaign. A committee will also be appointed to provide a permanent organization for the purpose of calling an independent convention later to nominate an independent ticket. The convention will be announced later.

This last meeting was attended by about 500 people.

FIVE MINERS SUCCOATED.

ANAPALING ACCIDENT IN GOLD MINE AT CANADIAN SOO.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 3.—A serious accident at the Shallowbank gold mine, Webbwood, on the Soo branch of the C. P. R. R., east of here, resulted in the suffocation of five men.

The dead Peter Endt, Little Current, John Walton, John Difiby, Webbwood, Peter Grant, Marquette, an unknown man.

Full particulars of the accident have not yet reached the Soo, but it is understood that it was the result of the men entering the shaft too soon after a blast, the result being that they were suffocated before the fumes dispersed.

PRESIDENT GIVES THEM LIBERTY.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 3.—Edmund and David H. Johnson, the two famous confectioners who were convicted in the United States courts at Detroit Dec. 22, 1898, have been released from the house of correction. The brothers were last served in the year but President Roosevelt had the sentence commuted to seven years. As they have already served this length of time they are now free. The Johnson brothers were members of one of the cleverest gangs of confectioners that ever operated in this country. The plates captured at the time the men were arrested were for making the Winona and Hancock soaps and they were so neatly packed that there were few banks in Michigan and adjoining states that did not accept them.

ANGELL SAYS RUSSIANS ARE RIGHT.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 3.—President Angell of the University gave a lecture last night before the junior school students upon the points of international law involved in the war between Russia and Japan. He contends that the Russians were justified in seizing British vessels in the Red sea as they had on board arms consigned to Hong Kong and the Russians had good reasons for suspecting that the ammunition would be shipped at that port and taken to Japan. It is the opinion of President Angell that more than one European power is more than passive interested in the struggle and that each side has heavy backing.

APPLY FOR THEIR OLD JOBS.

Kansas City, Aug. 3.—Many packing house strikers applied for their old positions Tuesday and most of them were re-employed. The packers appear to be fairly growing stronger. The managers of the Armour and Fowler plants say that they have about the same number of men at work as when the strike was declared.

WARM WEATHER AT HAND.

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Not merely do they relieve, but they also absolutely cure, because by persevering in their use, you do away with the cause.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are guaranteed that first package will benefit or your money back. Never send in bulk. "I am thankful for the good Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills have done for me. But since the way I have had spells of severe throbbing headache, caused or increased in six years ago, I began taking Anti-Pain Pills, the only pills that give me relief. Since then I have not had one hard attack. Because I take a Pill and it overcomes the difficulty." —GEO. SAUNDERS, Greensburg, Ind.

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Lack of Sunshine. London children become pale, anaemic and feeble, not in midsummer, but in February and March owing to the long continued exclusion of sunshine by the fog.

Age of an Ostrich. Thirty years is the average age of an ostrich and the total weight of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

Group instantly followed Dr. Thomas Leitch's Oil. Perfectly safe. Never fails. At my drug store.

Favored by Empress Eugenie. The Empress has just expressed her first thoughts in favor of engraved cards, though many people of quality used cards printed from copper plate long before the famous favorite of the Emperor became fashionably popular.

Lady Bank Clerks in France. In France the lady bank clerks have come to stay. The Great French war, a French court of justice point out the first bank to employ women. There are now in that great institution 1,000 lady clerks.

DeWitt Is the Name. When you go to buy DeWitt's Silver look for the name DeWitt on every box. The pure, unadulterated Witch Hazel is used in making DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, boils, sores and piles. The popularity of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve due to its many uses, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine has the name L. C. DeWitt & Co. on it. Sold by all druggists.

Street Clocks Must Be Correct. The City of London has made a rule that all street clocks must correspond with Greenwich time, or the permits for them will be canceled.

Too Many Brains a Constraint. Too many brains are liable to bring effects which are worse than those which it from the use of too few.

CASTORIA. Bear the Kind You Have Always Bought. *Chat H. Fletcher*

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DEMS PASS UP STEARNS

NOMINATE FERRIS OF BIG RAPIDS FOR GOVERNOR INSTEAD.

OLD LINE DEMOCRATS WOULDNT ACCEPT LUDINGTON MAN.

VERITABLE RIOT TOOK PLACE IN CONVENTION HALL.

THE TICKET.

Governor— Woodbridge N. Ferris, Big Rapids.

Lieutenant-Governor— Hiram B. Hudson, Marcellina.

Secretary of State— Hiram T. Balch, Kalamazoo.

State Treasurer— Edwin R. Smith, Clinton County.

Auditor-General— George A. Curry, Ironwood.

Dept. of Public Instruction— John E. Mealey, Plymouth.

Land Commissioner— Henry McCarty, Newaygo.

Member Board of Education— H. Kirk White, Owosso.

Presidential Electors-at-Large— Thomas F. Carroll, Grand Rapids; Gilbert M. Stark, Saginaw.

Attorney-General— F. J. Gaffney, Milwaukee County.

Judges of Supreme Court— After C. Adair, Grand Rapids; Clinton Roberts, Flint; Thomas A. Boyle, Ann Arbor.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 4—Woodbridge N. Ferris of Big Rapids, principal of the Ferris Institute, has been nominated for governor by the Democratic state convention, he receiving 412 votes, to 32 for James S. Stearns of Ludington.

It came at the end of a roll call in which Ferris backed by the old line Democrats was lined up against James S. Stearns backed mainly by Wayne and Kent counties. The excitement was intense for three hours.

The delegates were continually on their feet in a veritable riot. The chairman of the convention adjourned for order. His gavel was used to break the shouts and roar of the excited representatives. It was all quiet again the younger men who led of Stearns.

All was quiet by noon and an adjournment which ended by a narrow margin, but the roll call was scoured on the two candidates before the convention adjourned, county after county, hand in hand under the Ferris banner. The majority more than offset the delegates waiting for Stearns in Wayne county at the foot of the roll. The result of that roll was never announced.

Sweet Was Bideracked.

The Sweet for Mayor Edwin F. Sweet of this city was not heard from inside the convention hall. This was bideracked early in the morning, the strollers seeking to desire some other man with whom to buck the Stearns adherents. This Stearns boom proved to be the feature and the sensation of the convention. It elicited an earnest appeal from old time Democrats from all over the state to exhort the delegates to stand by their party. At the same time it was vigorously supported by delegates from all sections of the state. The argument which worked against him fatally was that he was not a Democrat.

Electrified His Audience.

Another feature of the day's work was the address of ex-United States Senator Charles A. Towne. He spoke for two hours in the afternoon and kept his audience in close attention during the entire address. Towne's polished oratory often took flights which kept his audience spellbound.

Two recesses had to be taken during the day in order to wind up the work of the convention. One was taken at noon to permit the committees to frame their reports and another at 7 o'clock after the nomination for governor had been made.

The platform endorses the platform and candidates of the national convention recently held at St. Louis.

It favors the nomination of all candidates for office by direct vote of the people and a constitutional amendment for the election of railroad and tax commissioners by a direct vote of the people and for the election of United States senators by popular vote.

The convention reconvened at 8 o'clock last evening and nominated the balance of the ticket.

Shortly after midnight the convention adjourned in a roar after laying the resolution for the nomination of Edwin F. Henderson of Detroit, for chairman of the state central committee on the table.

Ryan Training For Fitz.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Aug. 4—Tommy Ryan, the middleweight champion, spending the summer on his large fruit farm near this city, has assurances that Fitz will come to terms and fight him at Frisco next fall for the middleweight championship. He has commenced active work in training for the bout. For the past few days Ryan has been taking mineral baths at the springs in this city and he has summoned a special trainer, Henry Schaus, to put him in good condition.

HUTCHINS NOT SCARED.

War on Trading Stamp Won't Stop His Newspaper Scheme.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 4.—The proposed plan of Shelly Hutchins, the pioneer trading stamp man, of issuing and circulating a newspaper free of charge by simply inducing merchants to give it to customers in the same manner as the trading stamp, has stirred Detroit publications to a point where a vigorous war is being waged.

The newspapers have roused several prominent citizens to action, including Prosecuting Attorney Hunt, and pointed out to him the way whereby action may be brought against the trading stamp companies. So far the machinery of the law has been set in motion. The prosecuting attorney's office is at work upon a case and will lose no time in bringing about a prosecution under the state law. Assistant Prosecutors Warner and Bumps have been delegated by Prosecuting Attorney Hunt to handle the matter, and they are now engaged in formulating themselves for the important case.

It is not disclosed against whom action will first be brought. But in spite of all this apparent, Hutchins' free newspaper promoters are not in the least alarmed. A handsome four-story building located in a more central position of town than any newspaper office has been leased and is in process of being fitted up. It is understood machinery and other newspaper paraphernalia have been purchased and the man has proceeded to a point where some of the top boys already busily engaged there are to be found in "United States Daily."

IN SECOND DEGREE.

Port Huron Jury Finds C. foil Guilty of Murder.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 4—The jury in the Gilfoil murder case here came in at 7 o'clock last evening with a verdict of murder in the second degree after being out nearly four hours.

The prisoner did not appear to be surprised in the least and took the verdict coolly. After a few moments of silence he rose to talk and as he was being led from the courtroom he announced that he was the greatest man there. His mother started when the last was reached and it is feared that she may faint. She has been present continually ever since the trial began.

State Guards Go Into Camp.

Ludington, Mich., Aug. 4—The annual state encampment of the Michigan National Guard is to be held on the shores of Lake Michigan a mile or so from Ludington. It will commence today. The entire forty companies have orders to be in camp not later than 10 o'clock Thursday night. The brigade will break camp and start for home Saturday morning. Aug. 13. The first regiment which comprises the eight Detroit companies and the Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Port Huron and Monroe companies, started from Detroit for camp at 6 o'clock this morning under command of C. J. Harragh. Two companies of the First regulars from Port Huron commanded by Captain Swaine will participate in the maneuvers. Gov. Bliss will be in camp for several days.

"Heat Devils" After Dowie.

Muskegon, Mich., Aug. 4—Alexander Bowie, the prophet with 150 of his followers have arrived at his new home, the Zion City, at White lake. The Zion City band of thirty-two pieces accompanied the leader of the Christian Campbell church and while awaiting the last march through the business section playing Dowie hymns. In conversation Dowie stated that the heat devils in Chicago drove him to seek shelter.

Turned Nineteen Convicts Loose.

Ionia, Mich., Aug. 4—The supreme court decision in regard to the indeterminate sentence law made lively work for a couple of days at the reformatory. Nineteen convicts have been released in addition to the regular exodus. Nine will get the benefit of the decision during August and about eighty men altogether will be released sooner than expected.

One of Biddle Boys Weds.

Milan, Mich., Aug. 4—Thomas Biddle, a brother of the Biddle brothers, who made such a sensational escape from the Pittsburgh, Pa., prison and were afterwards mortally wounded by officers, went to Windsor, Ont., July 4 and was married to Miss Dollie Wheeler. Both parties reside here, where young Biddle is in business.

Committed Suicide in Hospital.

Saginaw, Mich., Aug. 4—Charles A. Richardson, aged 50, of 205 William street, committed suicide here by cutting his throat at the Saginaw general hospital during the absence of his nurse. He was there for treatment for asthma. The nurse was absent from the room about ten minutes. An inquest has been ordered.

These Will Stay in Prison.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 4—Pardons have been denied the following: Joseph Antonio Deporter, sent from Kent county for rape; Elias Taylor and William Benjamin, of Montcalm county, rape; Charles W. Hewitt, Hillsdale horse stealing; William Diamond, Allegan rape.

WILLIAM H. VAN REYEN.

Former Surgeon General of Navy, Who Is Head of Red Cross Society. The American Red Cross society at its recent meeting in Washington chose as its new head Dr. William Knickerbocker Van Reypen, former surgeon general of the United States navy and a lifelong student of the question of relieving suffering caused by war. At the international medical congress in Moscow, in 1897 an address that re-

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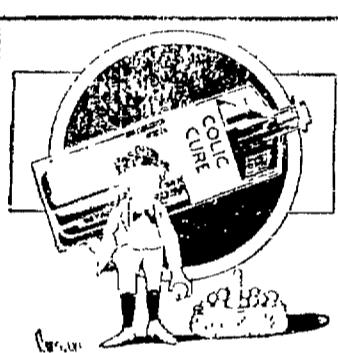
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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Mrs. Wm. Blair continues to improve in health, but very slowly.

Delicious wild blackberries are now on the market here, picked in the woods and fields of this vicinity.

Mrs. James Cork has received word that her sister, Mrs. Charles Bungee, is very ill at her home in Grand Rapids.

All friends of the library are invited to attend the Military Ball party in the library building this Friday evening.

A base ball team from here went to Salem Saturday afternoon, the Salemites winning by the close margin of 8 to 7.

Mrs. Dymond of East Aurora, N.Y., who has been visiting for several weeks at the home of her niece, Mrs. N. A. Clapp, has been quite seriously ill for a few days.

The annual picnic of the Northville Woman's Club occurs next Monday afternoon on the adjoining lawns at the homes of Madames Emma Johnson, Jennie Johnson and Elizabeth Weller.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Ladies' Library Association occurs tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Members of the board please take notice.

Thomas E. Murdock and Beach Northrop attended the democratic state convention as delegates from Northville and City Attorney C. C. Verles and his assistant Elmer E. Hymer represented Novi.

One Northville lady was so interested in the Blue Ribbon races last week that by force of habit she even went out to the track on Saturday, and not until she found the gates all closed up did she wake up to the fact that even horse races do not like the brook, "go on forever."

The L. T. will meet with Mr. and Mrs. James Dunham Tuesday evening, August 9, to celebrate a "Red Letter Day," birthday of Miss Anna Gorden, world's secretary of the Loyal Temperance Legion. Special program. Members urged to be present. Friends invited.

Geo. Galbraith of Northville will not play "thumbs up" with his right hand hereafter. Last Friday he was using a jointing machine at the furniture joint there, and the knife injured his right thumb at the first joint and he and the physician had a joint session at once.—Adrian Press

Mrs. C. H. Jennings, Boston—"Our babies (twins) were sick. Had several doctors, but no results. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made them strong and robust." 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. Murdock Bros

Dr. F. B. Ambler was taken seriously sick yesterday.

Mrs. Andrew Rauch has been the victim of a bad felon for the past week.

Talk about political machines, what's the matter with Dan Campbell's?

Mrs. Carolyn McPhail of Wilmington, Ohio, with her son Donald is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carrington.

While S. W. Knapp was out of his store Tuesday some one tapped the money drawer for about eight dollars.

Liveryman, Perrin furnished five saddle horses for use at the state military encampment at Ludington this week and is there in charge of his charges.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have a some trade bakes set tomorrow in the store recently vacated by Vanaken & Rydel. They will also serve ice cream.

Mrs. F. J. Perkins had a rather unusual treat on August 1st in the shape of sago at last year supplies sent her from Limerick by her mother. The treat was in perfect condition and flavor.

A special communication of Northville Lodge F. & A. M. will be held Monday evening, Aug. 8, to decide and arrange for inviting Chatham Lodge to visit us. A full attendance is desired. By Order of W. M.

The ladies of the Methodist church are to have a bazaar party on Mrs. C. J. Ball's lawn next Wednesday afternoon from two to six o'clock, to which everybody is cordially invited. A musical program will be given.

A large audience listened to the Chinese sage who spoke in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. He is a grandson of the first Chinese man ever converted to Christianity and is a pupil at the Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, O.

The A. G. B. club met Thursday afternoon, July 28th, at the home of Mrs. Leonard Connelly to celebrate her birthday. A sumptuous supper was served and a photo was taken of the happy group, whose ages ranged from twenty-eight to eighty-six years.

Two of the members of the Northville L. L. A. furnished papers for the state convention of that organization. "Methods of Work for Young People," Miss M. E. Hathaway and "Benefits of the L. L. A." by Mrs. Mary E. Smock. The papers go to the benefit exchange.

A very pleasant and largely attended picnic was held at Mrs. Amanda Burgess' Saturday afternoon by the Baptist people in honor of the hostess' eighth birthday. Among the older guests were Mrs. Conner, who is 80, Mrs. Allen, 70, Mrs. Bluman, 68, Mrs. Laplant, 59, and George Clark, 77.

One of the prettiest base ball games that has been played here was the one last Friday afternoon between South Lyon and Northville, the latter finally winning by a score of 9 to 4. Don Verkes of Milford umpired the game which was well attended as well as interesting, and free from the various unpleasant incidents and wranglings which too often occur.

Carriers Brooks and Penn report the following business on their route for July. Brooks delivered three registered letters, 741 letters, 154 postal cards, 2,723 newspapers, 168 circulars and 62 packages. The collections number 1,605. Penn delivered 1 registered letter, 651 letters, 14 postal cards, 2,719 newspapers, 12 circulars and 23 packages. To go over their routes, collect and distribute required 230 hours of time and 1,300 miles of travel.

Some months ago the officers and trustees of the L. L. A. voted to name the library building in honor of the lady to whose public spirited generosity and enterprise Northville is indebted for the inception and establishment of an institution of which the whole village is justly proud. The action of the board was ratified by the association at the annual meeting in June and this week the name, "Mary E. Laplant Library" has been placed across the outside front of the building in neat lettering. M. R. Knowlton doing the work.

While Cashier Babbitt and wife were out with the Bankers' association last week some low-down wretch swiped the suitcase containing Mrs. Babbitt's extra belongings for the various occasions of the trip. It wouldn't naturally be expected that folks who handle so much money would need to resort to such means to get clothes, and maybe they didn't but anyway it's perfectly safe to go out with the newspaper folks. They're strictly honest besides being immune from such misfortunes for obvious reasons—such as not having anything to steal.

WANTED—One lady agent to handle our tea, coffee, etc. Good pay and no money required. Address, 56 Greenwood avenue, Detroit.

Letters for the following persons are advertised at the post office this week:

Mark Rydel
Wateman B. Gould

Mr. Johnson of the Watch Tower and Bible Society of Alleghany, Pa., will occupy the Baptist pulpit Sunday evening, August 7.

The very handsome monogram for the year book of the Northville Woman's club was designed by Edward Calkins during his recent vacation visit here.

The Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary circle will meet next Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 10, at three o'clock in the church. All the ladies of the church are requested to attend.

At the pleasant musicale in the Methodist church Saturday evening Mrs. Fry was assisted by Mrs. Dolph, Mr. Collins, Mrs. VandeCar and Mrs. Teeworth. The pupils taking part were Misses Olga Webster, Alta Robinson, Perleha Kohler, Floyd Evans and Miss Vipus.

Bruno Freydl, our enterprising clothier has purchased the Vander block on the south side of Main street and will enter into possession of the property on September 1st. Mr. Freydl began business here only a few years ago in a modest way, but has rapidly increased it until he has now become one of the leading merchants of the village. His family will occupy the second floor of the block.

C. M. Johnson is being given every eighth birthday the same number of books as the inheritance of a certain elderly old gentleman character most free spirit. Mr. F. has had six or seven sets active and well bound books on his hard-letterly— and like everybody's wife's chest. I with their kind of doubt, comfitters probably wished they were somewhere else—the author of the better.

As will be noticed by reference to another column one of our local pastors seems to intimate that his pastor is dead. First, for himself. If the boy happens to get hold of a copy of this issue of the Record when she returns and reads the church notes—well we can imagine the rest. We have heard of instances and rolling pins entering the doomsday growing out of the provocations.

Fred P. Shumard of Elmwood is the proud possessor of one of the handsomest wagons to be found in Michigan or anywhere else. It has just been completed by Scherer's Automobile of this place, and is as pretty as a grand piano and almost as beautifully finished. It is intended for special use in transporting the products of Fred's eighty acres of orchardland having a carrying capacity of sixty-four bushel barrels.

Methodist Church Notes.

By the Pastor.

Our ladies' bazaar last Saturday was well patronized—everything sold.

Mrs. Fry's musical last Saturday evening was deserving of more than received.

The subject of the sermon next Sunday morning will be "Christ and the Russian Japanese War—World France England and China Yet to be involved."

Mrs. Shank and son, Guy are on a three weeks vacation visiting her mother, Mrs. Kans and taking in the fair at St. Louis carouse. The wife has the vacation and the pastor has a rest.

The public evening service will be renewed next Sunday and the subject will be "A Fast Young Man." The career of a young man formerly from Northville suggests the talk—a short, crisp friendly, straightforward talk.

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Should a Japanese lady be disengaged to receive a caller she generally sends her confidential maid to the door, who, bowing deeply, explains that her mistress is overcome with sorrow at not being able to see the honorable visitor, but she is at that moment engaged in having a bath!

Now, Honest! I overheard this question: "Will any truthful woman pretend that she ever stayed in the house of a friend for a couple of days without being keenly conscious of gross mismanagement on the part of her hostess?"—New York Press.

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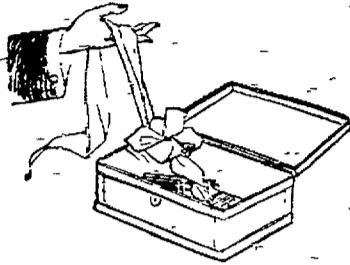
The Filigree Ball

By ANNA KATHARINE GREEN,
Author of "The Mystery of Agatha Webb," "Lost Man's Lane," Etc.

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That this special feature, the most interesting one of all connected with

The telltale ribbon



such sign? I doubt if he even noticed this man's proximity, though he knew him well and had often employed him as his legal adviser. In times gone by he was evidently exerting himself to recall the name which so persistently eluded his memory, putting his hand to his head and showing the utmost confusion.

"I cannot give you one," he finally stammered. "There is a man who

A call for Tallman



could tell, if only I could remember his name?" Suddenly, with a loud cry which escaped him involuntarily, he gave a gurgling laugh, and we heard the name "Tallman" leap from his lips.

The witness had at last remembered whom he had met at the cemetery gate at the hour or near the hour his wife lay dying in the lower part of the city.

The effect was electrical. One of the spectators—some country boor, no doubt—so far forgot himself as to cry out loud enough for all to hear:

"Tallman! Let us have Tallman!"

Of course he met with an instant rebuke, but I did not wait to hear it or to see order restored, for a glance from the coroner had already sent me to the door in search of this new witness.

My destination was the Cosmos club, for Phil Tallman and his habits and haunts were as well known in Washington as the figure of Ulysses on the summit of the capitol dome. When I saw him I did not wonder. Never have I seen a more amiable looking man, or one with a more unobtrusive expression. To my query as to whether he had ever met Mr. Jeffrey or near the entrance of Rock Creek cemetery he replied with an amazed look and the quick response:

"Of course I did. It was the very night that his wife—what's up? You look excited for a detective."

"Come to the morgue and see. This testimony of yours will prove invaluable to Mr. Jeffrey."

The result was an absolute proof that Mr. Jeffrey had been near Soldiers' home as late as 7, which was barely thirteen minutes previous to the time Mrs. Jeffrey's watch was stopped by her fall in the old house on Waver-

CHAPTER XIV

I DO not know why the coroner had so long delayed to call this witness, since what he said was in the way of confirming the last witness' testimony as to his having been at the Moore house on Tuesday evening. Mr. Moore, who was very particular as to dates and days, admitted that the light which he had seen in a certain window of his ancestral home on the evening when he summoned the police was but the repetition of one he had detected there the evening before. It was this repetition which alarmed him and caused him to break through all his usual habits and leave his home at night to notify the police.

The coroner asked me if he had seen Mr. Jeffrey go in on the night in question, if he had ever seen any one go there since the wedding, or even if he had seen any one loitering about the steps or sauntering into the rear yard. But the answer was always no; these same eyes growing more and more emphatic, and the gentleman more and more imperious and dignified as the examination went on. In fact, he was as unassassable a witness as I have ever heard testify before any jury.

Beyond the fact already mentioned of his having observed a light in the opposite house on two evenings in question, he admitted nothing. His life in the little cottage was so engrossing, he had his organ, his dog, why should he look out of the window? Had it not been for his usual habit of letting his dog run the pavements for a quarter of an hour before finally looking up for the night he would not have seen as much as he did.

"Have you any stated hour for doing this?" the coroner now asked.

"Yes, half past 9."

"Was it thus the hour when you saw that light?"

"Yes; both times."

As he had appeared at the station house at a few minutes before 10, he was probably correct in this statement.

He wound up with such a distinct repetition of his former emphatic assertion as to the presence of light in the old house on Tuesday as well as Wednesday evening that Mr. Jeffrey's testimony in so far received a decided confirmation. I looked to see some open recognition of this, when suddenly and with a persistence understood only by the police the coroner recalled Mr. Jeffrey and asked him what proof he had to offer that his visit of Tuesday had not been repeated the next night and that he was not in the building when that fatal trigger was pulled.

At this leading question a lawyer sitting near me edged himself forward as if he hoped for some sign from Mr. Jeffrey which would warrant him in interfering. But Mr. Jeffrey gave no

to find his way to the upstairs room where lie felt positive he would find a candle.

This gave the coroner an opportunity to ask:

"And why did you expect to find a candle there?"

The answer astonished me and, I have no doubt, many others.

"It was the room in which my wife had dressed for the ceremony. It had not been disturbed since that time. My wife had little ways of her own. One was to complete her toilet by using a curling iron on a little lock she wore over her temple. When at home, she heated this curling iron in the gas jet, but there being no gas in the Moore house, I naturally concluded that she had made use of a candle, as the curl had been noticeable under her veil."

He had accounted for one candle in the house. Could he account for the one found in the tumbler or for the one lying crushed and battered on the closet floor?

He could not.

And now we all observed a change of direction in the inquiry. Witnesses were summoned to corroborate Mr. Jeffrey's statements—statements which it seemed to be the coroner's present wish to establish. First came the grocer who had sold Mr. Jeffrey the candles. He acknowledged, much to Jimmy's discomfort, that an hour after Mr. Jeffrey had left the store he had found on the counter the package which that gentleman had forgotten to take. Poor Jimmy had not stayed long enough to hear his story out. The grocer finished his testimony by saying that immediately upon his discovery he had sent two candles to Mr. Jeffrey's house.

This the coroner caused to be emphasized to such an extent that we were all convinced of its importance. But as yet his purpose was not evident save to those who were more in his confidence than myself.

The other witnesses were men from Raucher's, who had acted as waiters at the time of the marriage. One of them testified that immediately on Miss Moore's arrival he had been sent for a candle and a box of matches. The other, that he had carried up to her room a large candelabrum from the drawing room mantel. A pair of curling irons taken from the dressing table of this room was next produced, together with other articles of toilet use which had been allowed to remain there uncared for, though they were of solid silver and of beautiful design.

The next witness was a member of Mr. Jeffrey's own household. This was her name, and her good black face worked nobly as she admitted that the package of candles, which the grocer boy had left on the kitchen table with the rest of the groceries on the morning of that dreadful day when "Julius" lived here, was not to be found when she came to put the things away. She had looked and looked for it, but it was not there.

Further inquiry brought out the fact that but one other member of the household was in the kitchen when these groceries were delivered and that this person gave a great start when the boy shouted out: "The candles there were bought by Mr. Jeffrey" and hurried over to the table and handled the packages, although Chloe did not see her carry any of them away.

"And who was this person?"

"Miss Tuttle."

When the marquis which had hotted this startling turn in the inquiry had subsided the coroner drew a deep breath and, with an uneasy glance at the jury, who, to a man, seemed to wish themselves well out of this job, he dismissed the cook and summoned a fresh witness.

He then made it a topic start:

"Miss Nixon."

Miss Nixon—that was my well-known in Washington, who is well known is that I recollect ever of Mr. Tallman. What could this quaint and characteristic little body try to do with this case of doubtful suicide? A word will explain. She was the person who on the day before I made that loud exclamation when the box containing the ribbon and the pistol had been disclosed to the jury.

As her rusty little figure came forward some nudged and some laughed, possibly because her bonnet was not of this year's style, possibly because her manner was peculiar and as full of oddities as her attire. They did not laugh long, for the little lady's look was appealing, if not distressed. The fact that she was generally known to possess one of the largest bank accounts in the District made any marked show of disrespect toward her a matter of poor judgment, if not of questionable taste.

The box in the coroner's hand prepared us for what was before us. As he opened it and disclosed again the faint white bow which, as I have before said, was of rather a fantastic

The grocer

make, the whole roomful of eager spectators craned forward and were startled enough when he asked:

"Did you ever see a bow like this before?"

Her answer came in the faintest of tones.

"Yes, I have one like it, very like it, so like it that yesterday I could not suppress an exclamation on seeing this one."

"Where did you get the one you have? Who fashioned it, I mean, or cut it for you, if that is what I ought

to say?"

"It was tied for me by—Miss Tuttle. She is a friend of mine or was, and a very good one, and one day while watching me struggling with a piece of ribbon which I wanted made into a bow she took it off my hand and tied knot for which I was very much obliged to her. It was very pretty."

"And like this?"

"Almost exactly, sir."

"Have you it now with you?"

"She had."

"Will you show it to the jury?"

Heaving a sigh which she had much better have suppressed, she opened a little bag she carried at her side and took out a pink satin bow. It had been tied by a deft hand, and more than one pair of eyes fell significantly at sight of it.

Amid silence which was intense two or three other witnesses were called to prove that Miss Tuttle's skill in bow tying was exceptional and was often made use of not only by members of her household, but, as in Miss Nixon's case, by outsiders, the special style shown in the one under consideration being the favorite.

During all this I kept my eyes on Mr. Jeffrey. When finally several persons of both sexes were brought forward to prove that his attentions to Miss Tuttle had been sufficiently marked for an announcement of their engagement to be daily looked for, he let his head fall forward on his breast as if the creeping horror which had seized him was too much for his brain if not for his heart. The final blow was struck when the man whom I had myself seen in Alexandria testified to the contretemps which had occurred in Atlantic City, an additional point being given to it by the repetition of some old conversation, raked up for the purpose, by which effort was made to prove that Miss Tuttle found it hard to forgive injuries even from those nearest and dearest to her. This subject might have been prolonged, but some of the jury objected, and the time being now ripe for the great event of the day the name of the lady herself was called.

After so significant a preamble the mere utterance of Miss Tuttle's name had almost the force of an accusation, but the dignity with which she rose calmed all minds and subdued every expression of feeling. She faltered only when by chance she glanced at the shrinking figure of Francis Jeffrey.

Her name which she uttered without emphasis and yet in a way to arouse attention, sank into all hearts with more or less disturbance.

"Alice Corn Tuttle! How in days gone by, and not so long gone by, at them those three words had aroused the enthusiasm of many a gallant man

and inspired the toast of many a jolly fellow!

They had their charm yet,

the brightness of color, a wide range on paper, a check there was a true index to the unknown head below.

"How are you connected with the deceased Mrs. Jeffrey?"

I and the child of her mother by a former husband. We were half-sisters."

No bitterness in this statement, only acknowledgment of her request and immediately proceeded to ignore it.

"I should be glad to spare you" he said, "but I do not find it possible. You knew that Mr. Jeffrey had a pistol."

"I did."

"That it was kept in their apartment?"

"Yes."

"In the upper drawer of a certain bureau?"

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BY ANNA KATHARINE GREEN.

of it that it came so suddenly, we was so glad, so much more tragic than it had to conceive."

"The poor old old house."

"I do."

"But you can't enter the library."

"No, no, there's still I'll take back to the place who told me of his sister's death."

"We used to hear the voice, to be sure."

"However, we now went on with such a sense of security, 'you made ans' its was all house dark or light when you entered it,' & how did you find?"

"The house was dark, and I got in through the front door which I found open."

You are more courageous than most women! I fear there are few of your sex who could be induced to enter it in broad daylight and under every sufficient protection."

She raised her figure proudly.

"Miss Tuttle, you have heard Chloe say, that you were in the kitchen of Mr. Jeffrey's house when the grocer boy delivered the candies which had been left by your brother? Now on the corner of the stoop where he bought them, is this true?"

"Yes, sir, it is true."

"Did you see those candies?"

"No, sir."

"Would I not see them?"

"No."

"You've went over to the library?"

"Yes, sir, but I did not meddle with the books, I had really a business with them."

"The books were mine, but I sold them to you?"

"Yes, sir, I sold them to you."

"What you did with them?"

"I don't know, sir, I sold them to you."

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