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HERE'S A GOOD DRIVER AND FINE MATCHED TEAM.



Mrs. J. D. Chapman of near Northville and her Fine Matched Pair of Hays. This is probably one of the best pair of Driving Horses in this section of the county and they are certainly Beauties when hitched to a carriage. Mrs. Chapman is an expert horsewoman and handles the lively steppers like a horseman.

## MORE FISH HATCHERIES

U. S. GOVERNMENT MAY HAVE THREE NEW ONES.

Large Appropriations Will Be Asked of Congress.

The committee on merchant marine and fisheries have reported favorably on a bill for the establishment of fish hatcheries in several states. It contains a provision authorizing the secretary of commerce and labor to purchase the fish hatchery of the state of Michigan at Sault Ste Marie, for \$12,000. It also provides for another fish hatchery and fish culture station at Charlevoix to cost \$10,000.

A third provision is made providing for a fish hatchery in Michigan, the site of which is to be selected by the secretary of commerce and labor. For this \$20,000 is appropriated.

It is said the site selected may be on Belle Isle in which case the use of the state hatchery on Joe Campan avenue at Detroit will be dispensed with.

Word comes from Washington to the effect that in case this is all brought about, Michigan will have three superintendents of U. S. fish stations—one for Northville and Detroit, one for Alpena and the Soo and one for Charlevoix. Another plan proposed is for a superintendent at both Northville and Detroit.

Michigan congressmen, who have looked the matter up, claim it will cost no more to operate four or five hatcheries with three superintendents than if just a foreman was in charge of each and that Michigan's great fish industry will warrant congress in making liberal appropriations along this line.

### Death of Mrs. Anna S. Cobb.

Mrs. Anna S. Cobb died at her home in Elsie, Jan. 28, aged seventy-five years.

Mrs. Cobb will be known to many of the older residents of Northville as Anna Siskels as part of her early life was spent in this place.

She was a highly cultured lady having followed the occupation of a school teacher for many years.

She was also a devoted Christian and esteemed member of the Baptist church since her early childhood.

One result of her untiring energy, is a diary faithfully kept for more than forty years, even to the day before her death. This record of events was to her a work of pride and often proved valuable reference to people of the community. Mrs. Cobb was the last of eight children, a devoted wife and mother and one to command admiration and respect in all her ways.

The funeral services were held at her late home Wednesday, Jan. 30.

### Lincoln Club Banquet.

The Lincoln Club Banquet will be held in Pontiac, February 12, and promises to be one of the best. William Alden Smith and ex-congressman Whelan are expected to be present. The sale of tickets exceeds that of previous years.

## STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Will Be Held at Farmington Mar. 5th and 6th.

The Michigan State Horticultural society which was mentioned in last week's issue, will be held in the Farmington town hall, beginning Tuesday, March fifth at nine o'clock a m and closing Wednesday afternoon. On Tuesday afternoon Prof. L. R. Taft of the M. A. C. will address the people on the "San Jose Scale and Other Important Things" Wednesday afternoon Prof. S. W. Fletcher of the M. A. C. will give a talk on the "The Cost of Production in Fruit Growing". Tuesday evening Gov. Warner will give a short address. The program will be interspersed with vocal and instrumental music.

## LOTS OF COUNTY AUDITORS.

There's Four Republicans in the Race at Present.

There is not the least doubt there will be any suffering in Wayne county this year because of a scarcity of county auditor candidates. To date there are at least four republicans in the field and no doubt the entries are not yet all in.

John Harter, ex-Ald. Bleil, Charlie Buhner and Henry Dickerson are now in the republican field and Deputy Sheriff Cunningham is after the Democratic end of it. At present Harter and Bleil are making a big effort to obtain early pledges and the claim is made they are getting there too.

## Baptist Church Notes.

[By a Member.]

There will be preaching Sunday morning and evening by the pastor.

The ladies of the church are going to serve supper in Chadwick's hall Friday, Feb. 22.

The subject for the B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening will be "The First of the Patriarchs." The leader will be Mrs. Brock.

There was a good turn out at the B. Y. P. U. business meeting Wednesday evening. They are planning for a social in the near future.

There was a very good attendance at the Missionary meeting Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Northrop's. The two papers read were very interesting. Light refreshments were served.

## Notice of Annual Meeting.

Please take notice that the common stockholders of the Stimpson Scale & Manufacturing Co. will hold their annual meeting at the office of the company, Northville, Mich., Tuesday, February 12, 1907, for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the meeting. W. F. STIMPSON. 26w2

## Allen, the Stove Men.

Am located in Northville and am prepared to do all kinds of repairing: Stoves, lawn mowers, clothes wringers and sewing machines. Castings for All Stoves 10c per lb. in stove. Phone residence, 943.

G. P. ALLEN.

## TEN MEN SERVE ON WOOD JURY

ONE WENT TO SLEEP AND OTHER WENT SICK.

But Northville Litigants Still-Fight On.

The wood scrap between Frank Shafer and Robert B. McKahan, of Northville, which has been on exhibition in the circuit court several days, will now be fought to a finish with ten jurors instead of twelve, a very unusual thing. Early in the trial one of the jurors went to sleep. He was excused Wednesday another juror, Chamberlain, was taken ill and on the showing of a physician that he will probably be laid up several weeks, the attorneys finally agreed to go ahead with the ten men left.

McKahan accused Shafer of stealing a few cords of stovewood and took the matter into the justice court here and lost. Now Shafer is suing McKahan for damages alleging malicious prosecution. Judge Murphy's court room, looked like a wood yard Wednesday. The chances indicate that the wood will cost both parties \$100 a cord, more or less, before they get through with the fight, which is a bitter one.

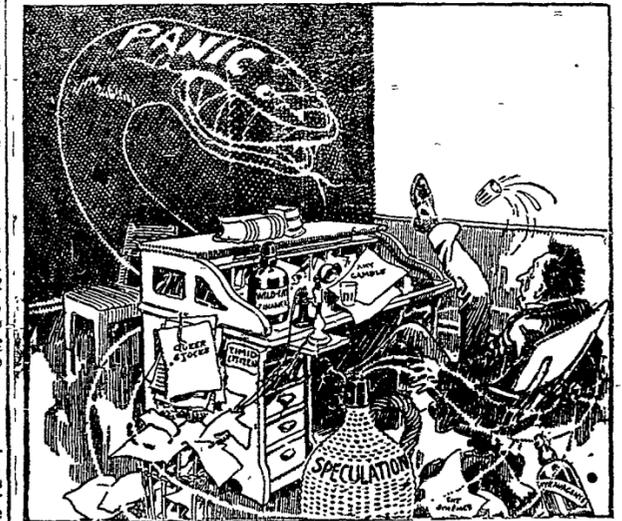
About everybody in Northville has been in the witness box for one side or the other.

## Masonic Ball

A grand ball will be given this evening in Princess Rink under the auspices of the Masonic orders and Order Eastern Star. Finzel's orchestra of Detroit has been engaged to furnish the music. This promises to be a very swell affair and every one interested is looking forward to having a good time. Grand march at 8:30 o'clock.

Baby won't suffer five minutes with croup if you apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. It acts like magic.

PUT THE CORK IN THE DEMIJOHN AND YOU WON'T "SEE THINGS."



—Bradley in Chicago News.

## Methodist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor.]

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Lester Cook next Tuesday.

There will be preaching in this church at the usual hour next Sunday morning by a prominent minister of the Detroit conference. In the evening Rev. Seth Reed of Chelsea will speak in the interests of the Methodist Old Peoples' Home of that place. All are invited to these services.

## Presbyterian Church Notes.

[By the Pastor.]

The pastor will preach next Sunday morning as usual. In the evening he will give the first of a series of sermons on "Lessons from Proverbs."

The ladies' Praise service last Sunday evening was well attended considering the bad weather and the absence of the expected speaker. The offering amounted to nearly \$20.

The Ladies' Missionary society will hold their next quarterly tea at the home of Mrs. E. A. Merritt on Tuesday afternoon and evening. Gentlemen are invited to tea at six o'clock. This is the last one of the year and hope that all pledges will be promptly paid.

At the meeting of the Ladies' Aid society at the manse Wednesday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mrs. W. Stark Vice President—Mrs. W. G. Yerkes Secretary—Mrs. Frances Horton Treasurer—Mrs. E. B. Thompson

## Cogitations.

Misfortunes never come singly. To wit, taxes and Christmas.

Imported goods are not always desirable. To wit, the gyp, the gypsy moth and the English Sparrow.

If you would stir up your neighbors' wrath, attack his religion or kick his dog.

A streak of inherent laziness is sometimes mistaken for a call to preach. Cynic.



## BIG Bargains

Do you Grind Your Own Coffee? We have an overstock of Coffee Mills (50 cent values) which we will sell for

13c Each While They Last--13c

We also have a few dozen 8-inch Harness Hooks

5 CENTS EACH--Until Sold--5 CENTS EACH.

SEE EAST DISPLAY WINDOW.

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NORTHVILLE,

MICHIGAN.

COME IN AND GET

## A Nice Stand Free!

We have a Small Lot of "Globe" Baking Powder (in 1-lb Cans) which we will close out at 45c per can, this formerly sold for 50c lb, and give you a Nice Stand FREE.

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C. E. RYDER

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NORTHVILLE.

## Fine Tailoring!

By putting into our line of Woolens, the Choicest Products of the manufacturers' skill, we have received substantial recognition from the public in the shape of our Enormous Quantity of Orders.

Our line contains ALL the Popular Weaves, Colorings and Novelties, as well as the Most Desirable Staples. Give us a Trial Order.

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To the measure I take and do not try to secure your patronage by bluffing, but carry a clean, honest line of Woolens. Call and compare prices with a reliable tailor.

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For Alcoholism or Drunkenness.

Send for Pamphlet and Literature. Literature sent in Plain Envelope.

DR. W. H. YARNALL.

NORTHVILLE, MICH.

## TEA!

My 50 cent Tea which I am selling during this sale for 43c is the very best Japan Tea there is on the market, and my 40 cent Tea for 37c is a good one. My regular 25 cent Coffee for 22c is a bargain at that price.

LOOK THIS OVER.

Lake Shore Pumpkin, per can	7c
Succotash, per can	9c
Lima Beans, per can	9c
Malta Vita	8c
Wheatlet	12c
Cream of Wheat	13c
Mothers Oats	9c
Quaker Oats	9c
Assortment of Lamp Chimneys	4c
Toilet Soap	3c
Durham's Coconut, per package	7c
Egg Noodles	4c
Cereta Wheat Food	8c
Nine O'clock Washing Tea	4c

B. A. WHEELER

TELEPHONE.

NORTHVILLE, MICH.

# NATIONAL MATTERS

## THE RIVER AND HARBOR BILL UP AGAINST A NEW OBSTACLE.

### WASTE MILLIONS A YEAR

Appropriations for the Lakes Will Meet With a New Form of Opposition—The Weighing of Meats.

#### Wants Rivers Improved.

Representative Hepburn made his annual speech against the river and harbor bill. This is probably the twentieth time he has risen to protest against an appropriation for the improvement of the rivers and harbors. He represents an agricultural district and his constituents are not interested in navigation. In all these years his speeches have not had much influence. They have been of the same kind and have been regarded as of a political character.

Now the representative from the river valley counties are beginning to clamor for improvements for their own navigable and semi-navigable waterways. They are not selfishly opposed to what is going for the great lakes, and for the coasts, but they want the Missouri, the Mississippi, the Ohio, and other rivers to be more largely represented in the big appropriation bill. The congressmen interested in this inland transportation are organizing to get their share of the millions and millions which go for these improvements. They are not in sympathy with the speech (and the speeches) of Mr. Hepburn as he is opposed to the principle, but they are out for their share.

Representative Clark voiced their feelings when he said that the representatives of the Mississippi valley soon would be strong enough to measure strength with others interested in river and harbor improvements. The applause which greeted this threat showed that he knew the men on the floor of the house who were in sympathy with him. He followed this with "You treat us right now, and we will treat you right when we boss the job."

The house committee on postoffices and post roads incorporated a provision in the postoffice appropriation bill which, it is said, will save the government \$5,000,000 a year in the amount paid to the railroads for hauling mail matter.

The action was taken after an explanation by Representative Murdock of Kansas, who said the department was using a false "divisor" in that it weighed the mail for seven days and divided the amount by six to ascertain the amount on which to base the compensation of the road.

The provision agreed on requires that weighing shall be done for seven days and the amount divided by seven.

#### The Brownsville Inquiry.

The senate committee on military affairs will begin the hearings, authorized by the Brownsville investigation resolution, for the purpose of getting at the merits of the Brownsville fracas of last summer.

It develops that the hearings at this time may prove very tame, because of the difficulty of finding the needed witnesses. The members of the three discharged companies of negro troops have become widely scattered and the committee is finding great difficulty in locating them.

It is now believed that all the men who were actual participants in the Brownsville shooting affray have got themselves out of reach of process served for the senate, and that the men who will be brought forward to testify will be unable to do much more than tell their own stories in proof of their individual innocence.

#### Treated as Criminals.

The Oklahoma constitutional convention passed the following resolution: "Trusts and monopolies shall be treated as criminals, and be prohibited."

The prohibition question did not come up again as had been expected, Delegate Hughes failing to offer his proposal for the separate submission of local option. It is now conceded that this means state wide prohibition.

#### Canal Laborers.

Signor Gusmini, a contractor of Milan, Italy, left Kingston for Colon on the steamer Eitel Frederick. In interviewed before his departure, Signor Gusmini said he had arranged contracts with 30,000 Italian and Spanish laborers to work in the isthmian canal at reasonable wages, and that he was prepared to land this number of men on the isthmus within six months.

He believes that the undertaking can be completed with the labor at his disposal. His object in visiting the isthmus is to offer to Chief Engineer Stevens the services of his army of contract workmen.

The majority of men have no hesitation in assuming their ideas in politics to be absolutely correct.

One of the largest church conventions ever held in upper Michigan will convene at Iron Mountain next June. It will be that of the Swedish Evangelical Covenant of America. It is anticipated that over 300 regularly accredited delegates will attend, besides several hundred others.

It is probable that a popular vote will be resorted to to settle a controversy in Benton Harbor between pastors of local churches and Col. Fries, manager of the Bell theater, as to whether Sunday night performances shall continue in the opera house. The ministers say their congregations are diminishing.

## THE THAW CASE.

The trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Architect White, began in New York Monday, the principal feature being the unmerciful grilling of Dr. C. C. Wiley, put on the stand as an expert in insanity cases to show that Thaw was insane. District Attorney Jerome led Dr. Wiley through a maze of questions that finally forced the witness to say that any one who kills from jealousy performs an act of insanity. Not satisfied with destroying the value of the witness' testimony for the defense, Mr. Jerome got him completely tangled in medical facts.

Dr. Wiley couldn't tell where the cardiac nerve connected, where the coronary artery is, whether or not the pneumogastric and cardiac nerves are the same or which is which, did not know what the "Romberg test" is, couldn't say whether the cardiac nerve entered the spinal column or the skull cavity, and didn't know what was the coccyx.

He also made him admit that he didn't know the form of insanity which the state of New York defines as excuses for crime.

Stanford White, displaying a pistol, threatened to take the life of Harry K. Thaw, according to the evidence of a witness introduced by the defense Tuesday.

White had called at the Garden theater, where Evelyn Nesbit was playing, on Christmas eve, 1903, and it was after he had been told the young lady had gone away with Thaw that White, after saying, "Oh, that Putsburger," was heard to remark: "I'll find and kill him before daylight."

This testimony was offered by Benjamin Boman, who was the stage door-keeper at the time of the incident. Mr. Jerome conducted a searching cross-examination, but the witness held to his original story in every detail. He answered with an emphatic "No" when the district attorney asked if he had received any compensation from Thaw's attorneys.

Delphin M. Delmas, the California lawyer, assumed active charge of Thaw's defense and Jerome found in him a capable opponent. There were several interesting tilts between the two. Delmas always suavely referring to his adversary as "the learned district attorney."

#### Waging a Hot Campaign.

The campaign to save London from bankruptcy at the hands of the Socialist majority in the county council has now developed into the hottest political struggle in the modern history of the metropolis. The issue is solely the question of the further municipalization of local industries.

The present majority has been in unbroken control since the creation of the council in 1889, and they are so confident of their strength that they have emphasized the campaign this week by adopting an electrification scheme on an even larger scale than was at first planned.

The enterprise as now outlined calls for a capitalization of \$47,000,000, as at first stated, but for the gigantic sum of \$120,000,000, and the plan contemplates the buying up of nearly all existing undertakings. McKinnon Wood, the leader of the Progressive Socialist majority, in the council, in a speech on Thursday, affirmed that his party would make tramways the issue of the campaign and proceeded to argue that they had paid a hand some profit.

#### Japan War Scare.

Declaring that Japan is seeking a pretext to begin war with the United States, Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson insisted in an interview that he had personally seen an ultimatum sent by the Japanese government to Washington, in which this country is directed to take back into the public schools the children barred by California "for take the consequences." This ultimatum, he said, has been delivered by Japan's ambassador to Secretary Root.

After a talk with the president, Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, said: "This war scare is all bosh. I'd like to go to war with Senator Perkins for talking the way he did. There is no more chance of our going to war with Japan over this little school question," said the senator, "than there is of fighting China, Russia or Great Britain."

#### After the Czar.

A plot evidently directed against the czar came to light Saturday through orders issued to the secret police to use every effort to identify the purchaser of a uniform of his majesty's own Cossacks escort which was captured during a recent raid.

Detectives have been directed to visit every tailor in St. Petersburg and the searches may be extended to the provinces. The use of regulation uniforms is a favorite device of the terrorist. It was employed in the attempt against the life of Premier Stolypin and in the assassination of Military Prosecutor Pavlov.

#### Socialist Vote Increased.

It is now possible to analyze the recent vote so as to arrive at its true significance and it will be seen that Emperor William can derive no comfort from the expression of popular opinion at the polls. The Social Democrats, although they love heartily in seats in the reichstag, have increased their total vote from 2,010,000 in 1903 to 2,351,000 this year and their vote heads the list. Every party increased its vote.

Last Friday Henry Remer, aged 11, of Saginaw, swallowed a small piece of tin and when doctors were preparing for an operation he was seized with a violent coughing spell and up came the tin.

Augusta has but one street lamp. It is an electric arc light supplied by the Commonwealth Power Co. It was strung up for 30 days as an advertisement. When it is lighted many of the citizens stand about, gaze and remark at its brilliancy. It is now maintained by public subscription, showing that local pride and progressiveness are growing.

# SIDE LIGHTS ON MICHIGAN

## ELECTION OF UNITED STATES SENATORS BY DIRECT VOTE.

### GOVERNOR SAYS IT'S TIME

The Work of the Legislature as Viewed by the Chief Executive and the Opposition.

#### Elections and Work.

Gov. Wainwright has declared in favor of election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. He said: "The time is ripe for some legislation that will make political contests of every kind cleaner and one important step in that direction would be to provide for the nomination of United States senators by the primary system upon the plan similar and upon the same day that candidates for governor, lieutenant governor and congressmen are nominated. There are, I believe, twelve states where such a provision exists. In these I believe United States senators will be selected by the people themselves.

"It has been stated that the work of the legislature has not advanced as far as is usual at this time. It should be remembered that during the first four or five weeks of any session not much important work is accomplished. I believe there is an opportunity at this session for good, wholesome legislation and there is a very general belief that the legislature will fully meet the expectations of the people in this regard.

"I have certainly no desire to dictate the course which shall be pursued and will only state that I shall be glad to co-operate in every way possible with the members of both houses in bringing about results which will promote the best interests of our state. I sincerely believe, too, that the more important matters in which the people are generally interested should be brought up early and not left until local legislation is all cared for."

#### Leola Kelley's Murderer.

"Guilty of murder in the first degree." This verdict, delivered before a packed courtroom Saturday afternoon, brought the climax to a day filled with impressive scenes. It was some time before Joseph Ehrlich, Jr., the convicted murderer of Leola Kelley, of Adrian, found his voice to answer to the question of the court: "Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon you?"

"I have not," he finally replied in a low tone.

"The sentence of this court is that you be imprisoned at Jackson in solitary confinement at hard labor for life."

The prisoner received the sentence apparently unmoved.

Trembling with fear, his eyes riveted on the immense crowd which followed, Ehrlich was led to the jail across the street from the courthouse. The jury was out only half an hour. Two ballots were taken, the first resulting 11 to 1 for a verdict of first degree murder.

#### Not Guilty.

"Not guilty," was the verdict of the jury in the illegal Grange store conspiracy case in which M. V. B. McAlpine, Edward Horen, A. P. Holmes and Dante Webster were defendants. The jury was out eight hours, returning the verdict at 1:30 Saturday morning. The charge against the four men was that they conspired to defraud the store out of several thousand dollars.

Judge Searl, in his charge, instructed the jury to, if possible, find a verdict of guilty or not guilty and avoid a disagreement, owing to the heavy expense of the trial to the county.

The prosecution, which was conducted by Charles B. Ward, former assistant prosecuting attorney of Grand Rapids, who prosecuted the "Grand Rapids bottle water deal" cases, was weakened by the confession of Henry A. Dibble, its leading witness, who turned state's evidence, that he was a perjurer.

#### Tax Non-Resident Fishermen.

Rep. Charles E. Ward, of Shiawassee, believes it would be a good scheme for Michigan to require non-resident fishermen to pay a license-fee for permission to angle in the lakes and streams of the state. He has just returned from a visit to the several fish hatcheries of the state.

"It costs about \$40,000 a year to operate those hatcheries," said Mr. Ward, "and I do not think any reason can be advanced as to why fishermen coming here from other states should not bear a portion of the expense the people of the state are put to in order to keep the streams and lakes stocked with fish. There is really more reason why a fisherman should pay a license than a hunter. We may do something along that line during the session."

Kent county Pomona Grange has approved the juvenile court bill now before the legislature. They also ask the Kent delegation to use all methods to secure the submission of the proposed legislative amendment allowing the people the right of referendum, initiative and recall.

As Miss Ellen Major, of Ann Arbor, was returning home after a drive, the horse becoming impatient at the delay, ran away and dragged the young lady for some distance. Her shoulder was dislocated, two fingers and one rib broken.

"It is a very dangerous practice for parents to purposely expose their children to measles," said Secretary Shumway, of the state board of health. "Death from measles is chiefly among children under five years of age. Complications such as broncho-pneumonia, tuberculosis and bronchitis sometimes develop. It is wanton brutality to expose children needlessly

## Jokers in the Bill.

Before the senate had completed the trimming of the Indian appropriation bill the measure looked like a fugitive tattered and torn. Objectionable provisions in the bill included the order that tribal funds of several tribes should be distributed among members, instead of the usual order that the income on these funds should be distributed.

Then there was a remarkable provision under which the secretary of the interior was authorized to grant, in his discretion, permits to people or corporations to enter upon Indian reservations, construct canals and ditches for irrigation of power works, build dams, erect electric wires to convey power, cut timber, etc.

These provisions were regarded as doubtful propriety, in some cases, if being alleged that the lobbyists would secure fees of millions if the proposals became law.

One senator after another objected to these various provisions on the ground that they were general legislation engrafted on an appropriation measure. Some of them were struck out on a point of order; others were passed over for consideration later.

#### Packers Quit.

Certificates were filed in Little Rock Monday with the secretary of state showing the withdrawal from Arkansas of the Hammond Packing Co. and Morris & Co., of Chicago.

Judgment was recently entered against the Hammond Packing Co. for \$10,000, because of an alleged violation of the Arkansas anti-trust law and suits are now pending against Morris & Co. and four other firms on the same charge.

## THE MARKETS.

Detroit—There was a heavy run of cattle, and grades of such cows were no lower, but were very scarce. We quote: Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$5, steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$4.50@5.00; do, 800 to 1,000, \$4.40; steers and heifers, fat, 500 to 700, \$3.25@3.75; choice fat cows, \$3.50@4.00; good fat cows, \$3.25@3.50; choice heavy bulls, \$3.50@3.75; fair to good hogs, \$3.50@3.75; stock bulls, \$2.50@3.00; fair feeding steers, \$3.00 to 1,000, \$3.75@4.00; fair stockers, \$3.00 to 700, \$3.50@3.75; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@3.75; stock cows, \$3.00 to \$3.50; common milkers, \$1.80@2.00; veal calves, \$1.50@1.75; but at a decline about 25c per hundred from the opening prices a week ago. Best grades, \$7@7.50; others, \$4@6.50.

Sheep—Market for sheep strong and lambs weak. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$6.50@7.00; pigs, \$7.00@7.50; light to good hogs, \$6.50@7.00; roughs, \$5.50@6.00; stage one, \$4.00@4.50; common to prime steers, \$4@7.00; cows, \$2.75@3.50; heifers, \$2.50@3.50; bulls, \$3.00@4.50; calves, \$2.75@3.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.00.

Hogs—Choice heavy shipping, \$6.97 1/2@7.00; light butchers, \$6.92 1/2@7.00; light to good hogs, \$6.75@7.00; choice light to good butchers, \$6.50@7.00; pigs, \$7.00@7.50; light to good hogs, \$6.50@7.00; roughs, \$5.50@6.00; stage one, \$4.00@4.50; common to prime steers, \$4@7.00; cows, \$2.75@3.50; heifers, \$2.50@3.50; bulls, \$3.00@4.50; calves, \$2.75@3.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.00.

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# THE DELUGE

By DAVID GRAHAM PHILLIPS, Author of "The Cost," etc.

CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

The appearance of the man who opened the door for Anita and the suggested that our ring had roused him from a bed where he had deposited himself without bothering to take off his clothes. At the sound of my voice, Ball peered out of his private smoking-room, at the far end of the hall. He started forward; then, seeing how I was accompanied, stopped with mouth ajar. He had on a ragged smoking-jacket, a pair of shapeless old slippers, his ordinary business waistcoat and trousers. He was wearing neither tie nor collar, and a short, black pipe was between his fingers. We had evidently caught the household stripped of "lugs," and sank in the down-to-the-heel slovenliness which is called "comfort." Joe was crimson with confusion, and was using his free hand to stroke, alternately, his shiny bald head and his heavy-browed mustache. He got himself together sufficiently, after a few seconds, to disappear into his den. When he came out again, pipe and ragged jacket were gone, and he rushed for us in a gorgeous velvet jacket with dark red facings, and a showy pair of slippers.

"Glad to see you, Mr. Blacklock!" In his own home he always addressed every man as "Mister," just as "Mrs. B." always called him "Mister Ball." He called her "Mrs. Ball" before company. "Come right into the front parlor," Billy, turn on the electric lights.

Anita had been standing with her head down. She now looked round with shame and terror in those excessive blue-gray eyes of hers, her delicate nostrils were quivering. I hastened to introduce Ball to her per impulse to fly passed, her life-long training in doing the conventional thing asserted itself. She lowered her head again, murmured an indistinct acknowledgment of Joe's greeting.

"My wife is at home," said I. If she was at home in the evening, the door was also, and both were always there, unless they were at some other place—except on Sunday night, when they dined at Sherry's, because many respectable people did it. They had no friends, and few acquaintances. In their humbler and happy days they had had many friends, but had lost them when they moved away from Brooklyn and went to live, like uneasy, out-of-place visitors, in their grand house pretending to be what they longed to be, longing to be what they pretended to be and as discontented as they deserved.

"Oh, yes, Mrs. B.'s at home," Joe answered. "I guess she and Alva were about to go to bed." Alva was their one child. She had been christened Malvina, after Joe's mother, but when the Balls "blossomed out" they renamed her Alva, which they somehow had got the impression was "smarter."

At Joe's blundering confession that the females of the family were in no condition to receive, Anita said to me in a low voice: "Let us go."

I pretended not to hear. "Rout 'em out," said I to Joe. "Then, take my electric and bring the nearest parson. There's going to be a wedding right here." And I looked round the long salon, with everything draped for the summer departure. Joe whisked the cover off one chair, his man took off another. "I'll have the womenfolk down in two minutes," he cried. Then to the man: "Get a move on you, Billy. Stir 'em up in the kitchen. Do the best you can about supper—and do a lot of champagne on the ice. That's the main thing at a wedding."

Anita had seated herself listlessly in one of the uncovered chairs. The wrap slipped back from her shoulders and—how proud I was of her! Joe gazed, took advantage of her not looking up to slap me on the back and to jerk his head in enthusiastic approval. Then he, too, disappeared.

A few minutes of silence, and there was a rustling on the stairs. She started up, trembling, looked round, as if seeking some way to escape or some place to hide. Joe was in the doorway holding aside one of the curtains. There entered in a beribboned and beboned tea-gown, a pretty, if rather ordinary, woman of forty, with a petulant baby face. She was trying to look reserved and severe. She hardly glanced at me before fastening sharp, suspicious eyes on Anita.

"Mrs. Ball," said I, "this is Miss Ellersly."

"Miss Ellersly!" she exclaimed, her face changing. And she advanced and took both Anita's hands. "Mr. Ball is so stupid," she went on, with that amusingly affected accent which is the "Sunday clothes" of speech.

"I didn't catch the name, my dear," Joe stammered.

"Be off," said I, aside, to him. "Get the nearest preacher and hustle him out with his tools."

I had one eye on Anita all the time, and I saw her gaze follow Joe as he hurried out, and her expression made my heart ache. I heard him saying

oram them with odds and ends about art and politics and the "latest literature, heavy and light." On Tuesdays and Fridays she had an "indigent gentlewoman," whatever that may be, come to her to teach her how to converse and otherwise conduct herself according to the "standards of polite society." Joe used to give imitations of those conversation lessons that raised roars of laughter round the poker table, the louder because so many of the other men had wives with the same ambitions and the same methods of attending them.

Mrs. Ball came back to the subject of Anita.

"I am glad you are going to settle with such a charming family. She comes of such a charming family. I have never happened to meet any of them. We are in the West Side set, you know, while they move in the East Side set, and New York is so large that one almost never meets any one outside one's own set." This smooth snobbishness, said in the affected "society" tone, was as out of place in her as rouge and hair-dye in a wholesome, honest old grandmother.

I began to pace the floor. "Can it be," I fretted aloud, "that Joe's racing-round looking for an Episcopalian preacher, when there was a Methodist at hand?"

"I'm sure he wouldn't bring anything but a Church of England priest," Mrs. Ball assured me loftily. "Why, Miss Ellersly, wouldn't think she was married, if she hadn't a priest of her own church?"

My temper got the bit in its teeth. I stopped before her, and fixed her with an eye that must have had some fire in it. "I'm not marrying a fool, Mrs. Ball," said I. "You mustn't judge her by her bringing up—by her family. Children have a way of bringing themselves up, in spite of damn-fool parents."

She weakened so promptly that I was ashamed of myself. My only apology for getting out of patience with her is that I had seen her sel-

slashings in the coat over her bosom; and on her head was a hat to match. I looked at her feet—the slippers had been replaced by boots. "Aid they're just right for her," said Alva, who was following my glance, "though I'm not so tall as she."

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"But the house will be shut up," said she, "and every one will be in bed. It's nearly midnight. Besides, they might not—" She came to a full stop.

"We are going home," I repeated. "To the Willoughbys?"

She gave me a look that was meant to scorch—and it did. But I showed at the surface no sign of how I was wincing and sprinking.

She drew farther into her corner, and out of its darkness came, in a low voice: "How I hate you!" like the whisper of a bullet.

I kept silent until I had control of myself. Then, as if talking of a matter that had been finally and amicably settled, I began: "The apartment isn't exactly ready for us, but Joe's just about now telephoning my man that we are coming, and telephoning your people to send your maid down there."

"I wish to go to my uncle's," she repeated.

"My wife will go with me," said I quietly and gently. "I am considerate of her, not of her unwise impulses."

A long pause, then from her, in icy calmness: "I am in your power just now. But I warn you that, if you do not take me to my uncle's you will wish you had never seen me."

"I've wished that many times already," said I sadly. "I've wished it from the bottom of my heart this whole evening, when step by step fate has been forcing me on to do things that are even more hateful to me than to you. For they not only make me hate myself, but make you hate me, too." I laid my hand on her arm and held it there, though she tried to draw away. "Anita," I said, "I would do anything for you—live for you, die for you. But there's that something inside me—you've felt it; and when it says 'must,' I can't disobey—you know I can't. And, though you might break my heart, you could not break that will. It's as much my master as it is yours."

"We shall see—to-morrow," she said.

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"Well, you couldn't expect them to. You see, they haven't had any inferiors very long."—Cleveland Leader.



THE WEDDING

like her voice. I had not counted on this. I had been assuming that Anita would not be out of my sight until we were married. It was on the tip of my tongue to interlope when she looked at me—for permission to go. "Don't keep her too long," said I to Alva, and they were gone.

"How far off is the nearest church?" I cut in.

"Only two blocks—that is, the Methodist church," she replied. "But I know Mr. Ball will bring an Episcopalian."

"Why, I thought you were a devoted Presbyterian," said I, recalling how in their Brooklyn days she used to insist on Joe's going twice every Sunday to sleep through long sermons.

She looked uncomfortable. "I was reared Presbyterian," she explained confusedly, "but you know how it is in New York. And when we came to live here, we got out of the habit of church-going. And all Alva's little friends were Episcopalians. So I drifted toward that church. I find the service so satisfying—so elegant. And—one sees there the people one sees socially."

"How is your culture class?" I inquired, deliberately malicious, in my impatience and nervousness. "And do you still take conversation lessons?"

She was furiously annoyed. "Oh, those old jokes of Joe's," she said, affecting disdainful amusement.

In fact, they were anything but jokes. On Mondays and Thursdays she used to attend a class for women who, like herself, wished to be "up-to-date on culture and all that sort of thing." They hired a teacher to

dom in the last few years, had forgotten how matter-of-surface her affectation and snobbery were, and how little they interfered with her being a good mother and a good wife, up to the limits of her brain capacity.

"I'm sure, Mr. Blacklock," she said plaintively, "I only wished to say what was pleasant and nice about your fiancée. I know she's a lovely girl. I've often admired her at the opera. She goes a great deal in Mrs. Langdon's box, and Mrs. Langdon and I are together on the board of managers of the Magdalene Home, and also on the board of the Hospital for Unfortunate Gentlefolk." And so on, and on.

I walked up and down among those wrapped-up, ghostly chairs and tables and cabinets and statues many times before Joe arrived with the minister—and he was a Methodist, McCabe by name. You should have seen Mrs. Ball's look as he advanced his portly form and round face with its shaven upper lip into the drawing-room. She tried to be cordial, but she couldn't—her mind was on Anita, and the horror that would fill her when she discovered that she was to be married by a preacher of a sect unknown to fashionable circles.

"All I ask of you," said I to him, "is that you cut it as short as possible. Miss Ellersly is tired and nervous." This while we were shaking hands after Joe's introduction.

Alva and she were coming down the stairway. I was amazed at sight of her. Her evening dress had given place to a pretty blue street suit with a short skirt—white showing at her wrists, at her neck and through

slashing in the coat over her bosom; and on her head was a hat to match. I looked at her feet—the slippers had been replaced by boots. "Aid they're just right for her," said Alva, who was following my glance, "though I'm not so tall as she."

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"But the house will be shut up," said she, "and every one will be in bed. It's nearly midnight. Besides, they might not—" She came to a full stop.

"We are going home," I repeated. "To the Willoughbys?"

She gave me a look that was meant to scorch—and it did. But I showed at the surface no sign of how I was wincing and sprinking.

She drew farther into her corner, and out of its darkness came, in a low voice: "How I hate you!" like the whisper of a bullet.

I kept silent until I had control of myself. Then, as if talking of a matter that had been finally and amicably settled, I began: "The apartment isn't exactly ready for us, but Joe's just about now telephoning my man that we are coming, and telephoning your people to send your maid down there."

"I wish to go to my uncle's," she repeated.

"My wife will go with me," said I quietly and gently. "I am considerate of her, not of her unwise impulses."

A long pause, then from her, in icy calmness: "I am in your power just now. But I warn you that, if you do not take me to my uncle's you will wish you had never seen me."

"I've wished that many times already," said I sadly. "I've wished it from the bottom of my heart this whole evening, when step by step fate has been forcing me on to do things that are even more hateful to me than to you. For they not only make me hate myself, but make you hate me, too." I laid my hand on her arm and held it there, though she tried to draw away. "Anita," I said, "I would do anything for you—live for you, die for you. But there's that something inside me—you've felt it; and when it says 'must,' I can't disobey—you know I can't. And, though you might break my heart, you could not break that will. It's as much my master as it is yours."

"We shall see—to-morrow," she said.

(To be Continued.)

"Not Used to 'Em."

"Those Nwritch people don't know how to treat inferiors."

"Well, you couldn't expect them to. You see, they haven't had any inferiors very long."—Cleveland Leader.

Abraham Lincoln.

That these shall not have died in vain, he prayed,  
Who gave their lives that Liberty and Law  
Should be the nation's heritage. He saw  
With deep, prophetic eyes, yet undismayed,  
The work remaining, though "these dead" had made  
Their lives a freewill offering without flaw.  
From his great utterance men turned with awe  
Blended with mightier longings, unafraid,  
For nobler service, whate'er its mead.  
Its mead, we know, for many thousands still  
Was death on battlefield, or prison pen.  
For him, the great, sad leader, was decreed  
A martyr's death, that so he should fulfill  
His work as leader, as a man of men.

SUSAN E. DICKINSON

## Saw the Assassination of President Lincoln

Diary of Dr. Charles S. Taft, Recently Discovered in New York, Is a Remarkable Souvenir of the Great Tragedy of April 14, 1865.

A remarkable souvenir of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln recently came to light in New York. It is the pocket diary of Dr. Charles S. Taft, who formerly resided at No. 273 West Twenty-second street. In his time Dr. Taft was an eminent physician and attended many notables, among them Governor O. P. Morton, of Indiana. But no experience in his life equaled the one he records in his note-book.

He was present at Ford's Theatre that fatal night and witnessed all of the tragedy which ended in the death of Lincoln. He was one of the first physicians to reach the wounded president's side, was present at his death, and helped to perform the autopsy. Dr. Taft's personal account of these occurrences is embodied in his notes, which evidently were never intended for publication.

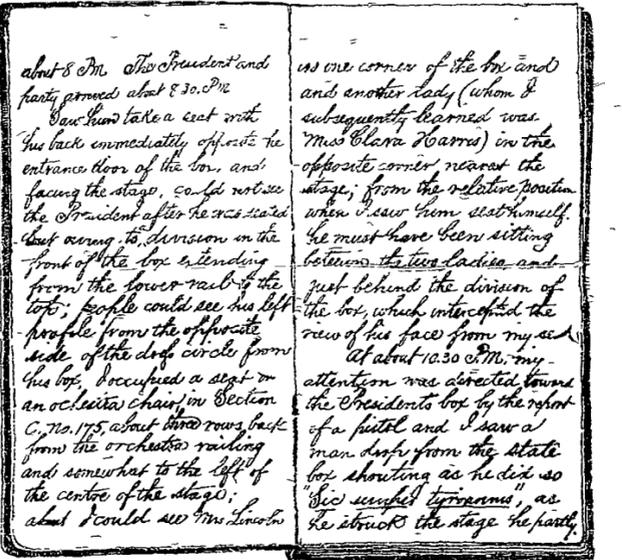
The diary was found in a pile of miscellaneous scraps in the balcony room of the Salvation Army Industrial Home, at No. 523 West Thirtieth street.

The army home has fifteen wagons, each having its own territory. These make daily trips throughout the city collecting waste material of all kinds which householders are glad to get rid of. The wagons discharge their loads every evening at the warehouses of the Industrial Home.

In one corner of the box and another lady, whom I subsequently learned was Miss Clara Harris, in the opposite corner nearest the stage. From the relative position when I saw him seat himself, he must have been sitting between the two ladies and just behind the division of the box which intercepted the view of his face from my seat.

At about 10:30 p. m. my attention was directed toward the president's box by the report of a pistol, and I saw a man drop from the state box, shouting as he did so, "See 'em get 'em!" As he struck the stage he partly fell, sinking down until his knees nearly touched the floor; he sprang to an erect position in an instant, brandished a large knife which he held in his right hand for about the space of three seconds, then darted across the stage with the knife held above his head and disappeared. A few moments of great confusion then followed, many persons jumping upon the stage and some passing out in the direction the man who had leaped from the state box had taken.

I was endeavoring to pacify my wife, who wished to leave the place, when I heard the first shout for a surgeon, this was the first intimation I had that any one had been wounded. I sprang upon the stage calling out



Two Pages of Dr. Taft's Diary.

The standard biographies of Lincoln and the newspapers of 1865 make brief mention of Dr. Taft as being present at the president's death and the autopsy. There can be no doubt of the genuineness of the notes. The house on Twenty-second street formerly occupied by Dr. Taft, is now a boarding house, and the doctor's name is unknown to the present occupant. Some of the older residents in the neighborhood, however, remember him, but indistinctly.

Dr. Taft begins his memoranda of the great tragedy in these words: "Notes of the circumstances attending the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, president of the United States, on the evening of April 14, 1865, as witnessed by me; also the medical notes of my attendance on the president up to the time of his death and of the post-mortem examination five hours after death."

"The notes were written April 15, 1865, at the earliest possible moment after my attendance upon the president and the post-mortem examination."

"Attended Ford's Theatre," he writes. "Friday evening, April 14, with my wife; arrived at the theatre about eight p. m. The president and party arrived about 8:30 p. m. Saw him take a seat with his back immediately opposite the entrance door of the box, and facing the stage, could not see the president after he was seated, owing to a division in the front of the box extending from the lower rail to the top, people could see his left profile from the opposite side of the dress circle from his box. I occupied a seat in an orchestra chair in section C, No. 175, about three rows back from the orchestra railing, and somewhat to the left of the center of

that I was a surgeon, when I was seized by several men and lifted up to the state box. When I entered the president was lying upon the floor surrounded by a number of men, who were about lifting him to remove him. Some were advising his removal home; this measure I opposed, stating that I was an army surgeon and wished him to be removed to the nearest house.

"As we passed down the stairs I inquired if there was any other surgeon present, and a gentleman who was near me, supporting the head, stated that he was a surgeon; when we reached the street some persons on the porch of a house opposite called to us to come over there. We carried the president over and proceeded with him to a room at the end of the passage, where he was laid upon a bed.

"I called for brandy and after a few minutes had elapsed a quantity of brandy was brought, which I diluted and gave the president a teaspoonful of. He swallowed it, but with much difficulty. I afterward gave another teaspoonful, which caused so much strangulation that I gave no more, except after the arrival of Dr. Stone, when, at his suggestion, I put half a teaspoonful between his lips, but it was not swallowed, and nothing more was ever put between his lips.

"I remained with the president until he died, engaged during a greater part of the night in supporting his head so that the wound should not press upon the pillow and the flow of blood be obstructed."

Charles S. Taft, M.D.  
"Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. A."

The Northville Record

F. S. NEAL, Publisher. An Independent Newspaper Published every Friday morning by The Record Printing Co., Northville, Michigan, and entered at the Northville Post-office as Second-Class matter.

U. S. Senator by Direct Vote. If the wishes of the republicans of Michigan could at this time be learned it would undoubtedly be found that a large majority of them desired the selection of their party nominee for United States senator to be made hereafter through direct vote of all the enrolled voters of the party rather than by legislative caucus.

Don't Need More Circuit Judges. The suggestion that is usually heard from at the opening of a legislative session, that some circuit court judges are quite busy and that it may be necessary to create new circuits and provide for additional judges, has arrived on time.

Inspection of Private Banks. The recommendation which has been made by Governor Warner, that the private banks of Michigan should be placed under state supervision, is one which promises to protect the interests of many people of small means whose savings are at stake.

Is a Protectionist. It will be quite satisfactory to the people of Michigan and more especially to the members of the party of which he is a typical representative, to have it promptly announced by Senator William Alden Smith at the opening of his career as a United States senator that he is a protectionist of the McKinley type.

Wasps Stop for Sirup. Messrs. Barratt, an English firm hit upon an ingenious device to keep wasps away from an exhibition of confectionery they are holding.

CASTORIA. The Kidney You Have Always Bought.

Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

WANTED—House and lot to buy or rent. A. P. Scott, Northville R. No. 2. 27w1y. WANTED—A young man who wants to learn the barber business. Call at once. J. G. Alexander, barber shop. 27t1

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. DR. T. B. HENRY, PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office and residence 31 Main street. Office hours 8:00 to 10:30 a. m. and 1:00 to 3:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 p. m. Phone 401.

NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal. [Contributions to this column are earnestly solicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting elsewhere, drop a line to that effect in the Record (Item Box in the post-office). Roy Chappell is visiting friends in Milford. Mrs. Foley is visiting at George Hinman's.

School Notes.

[By a Pupil.] Francis Wilkinson of the Eighth grade is very ill. The Second grade are getting ready for St. Valentine's day. Mary Chadwick of the Second grade is ill with jaundice.

LIVONIA NEWS.

John Stringer is much improved at present. Joseph McEachran was in Detroit Saturday. Will Pankow of Detroit was here over Sunday.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of BELLE PARMENTER, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of Wm H. Ambler in Northville in said county, on Wednesday the 17th day of April A. D. 1907, and on Wednesday the 17th day of July A. D. 1907, at two o'clock p. m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 17th day of January A. D. 1907, we are allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated January 17th, 1907. MERVIN BOYCE, ELMER F. DEKAY, Commissioners.

A CAROLINA LEGISLATOR.

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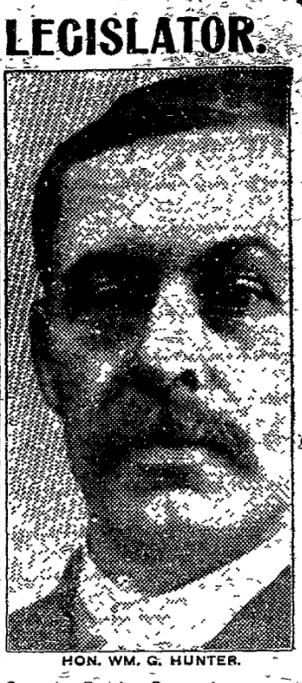
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Parents should know that their children have one natural, easy movement of the bowels each day. If they are too painful in effect, and usually near their little insides to pieces, leaving the bowels weakened and less able to act naturally than before.

Oldest Engineer Dead.

John Waterworth, the oldest engineer in the world, has just died at Preston, England, at the age of 85. He drove an engine 2,000,000 miles in his 37 years of service without a single accident.

The Best Return.

After all, it isn't the way we live nor the work we do that matters, but the ideal we put into it. 'Is there any work too sordid, too prosaic to yield a return of beauty?'—Ellen Glasgow.

Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the village council was held Monday evening, Feb. 4. Present: President Harmon, Trustees Richardson, Carpenter, Northrop, Yerkes. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following bills were allowed and ordered paid: Northville Telephone Co. \$ 4 00 S. Montgomery 2-20 Bactermole & Part 4-00 Record Printing 14-00 Parmenter & Son 29-69 Fire Department 11-75 Carpenter & Huff 11-35 E. A. Shafer 12-00 C. C. Teal Co. 22-91 Stimpson Sewer & Mfg Co. 14-00 H. D. Edwards & Co. 14-53 Muzzy Lyon Co. 50-00 Henry L. Walker Co. 78-00 Wagner Elec. Mfg Co. 47-01 Central Boiler Works 43-00 Fred Wilkinson 43-00 H. B. VanAken 35-00 H. Priest 1-25 H. Pickell 8-00 S. Wilkinson 66-98 Beardlee Chandler Mfg Co 6-77 A. Harvey Sons Mfg Co 50-86 Fort Wayne Elec. Works 51-58 Western Elec. Co 1-78 Freight 182-76 T. E. Murdock, light, etc. 3-88 J. H. Steers 19-57 Jean Cooper 75-00 John Negus 1-13 Aaron Taffit 2-00 Council adjourned, THOMAS E. MURDOCK, Village Clerk.



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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Rev. W. G. Stephens is improving slowly these days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Houghton, Feb. 5, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ware Friday, Feb. 1, a boy.

Mrs. C. M. Joslin is able to be out again after a week's illness.

Mrs. Charles Sessions and Mrs. W. H. Ambler are recovering from severe colds.

Andrew Harmon returned to his work Wednesday after a ten days' tussle with the grip.

Regular convocation of Union Chapter No. 55, R. A. M., will be held next Wednesday evening, Feb. 13.

Seymour Seeley and family, living west of town, will soon move into the house now occupied by J. & F. Boell and wife.

The installation of the W. R. C. officers will take place on Wednesday evening, Feb. 13. The corps requests that members bear in mind the date.

Regis, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stimpson, was moved to the hospital Saturday to undergo an operation. His many friends wish him success.

Clarence Clark, Floyd Northrop and C. L. Dubuar have been elected as delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in Detroit today.

Word has been received from Seville, Ohio, that Mrs. W. H. Yerkes is recovering rapidly and is able to sit up about two hours a day. Miss Milne is still with her.

Christian Science service Sunday morning at ten o'clock and Wednesday at seven p. m. at 59 Center street. Subject for Sunday: "Soul". All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Charles Dubuar, Mrs. Ed. Thompson, Mrs. Will Hutton, Mrs. Marvin Sloan and Mrs. Frank Clark will be the guests of the Detroit Reylew club next Monday.

Rep. Cass Benton returned Saturday night from his U. P. junket trip and is very favorably impressed with the great industries of that region. Cass says the U. P. fellows are great entertainers.

Mrs. Long, who is a sister of Mrs. Eugene Palmer underwent an operation Sunday. Dr. T. B. Henry did the operating and the patient is doing nicely. A trained nurse from Detroit is in attendance.

The Universalist meetings which have been held the past week in the Library hall have not been well attended. Rev. Olivia Carpenter Woodman is a very able speaker and those who did attend enjoyed hearing her.

W. A. Ely, who has made an excellent supervisor for a year past, announces he will not be a candidate this year. Will says his business interests demands all his time and attention and he will be glad to pass the honor part of it along to some other good man.

It looks like a good thing for the state to sell the Michigan fish hatchery at the "Soo" to the U. S. government, but what in the world the state wants to build another one for in the Upper Peninsula is inconceivable. Perhaps the state wants to go into the building and selling business of fish hatcheries.

Mrs. Parson, Green, Turner, Dubuar, Hutton and Miss Mary Power attended a meeting of the Farmington Ladies' Literary club at the home of Mrs. C. W. Wilber Saturday. Mrs. Boyington of Detroit was present and read a paper on the English Novel, which was greatly enjoyed by all. Hot chocolate and wafers were served.

Recently, a Franklin bachelor bought a pair of socks in this village and found attached to one a paper with these words: "I am a young lady of twenty and would like to correspond with a view to matrimony." The name and address were given. The bachelor wrote and in a few days got this reply: "Mamma was married twenty years ago. Evidently the merchant of whom you bought those socks did not advertise or he would have sold them long ago. My mother handed me your letter and said possibly I might suit. I am eighteen."—Birmingham Eccentric.

Notice.

B. Cohen's Entire Stock at Public Auction. Sale commences Monday, Feb. 11th, 1907 and will continue three days in each week, Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Sale begins at 10 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7 p. m. Private sale every day. W. B. Flanagan, auctioneer. Also: "Valuable presents given away free."

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If I Can Live.

If I Can Live To make some pale face brighter, and to give A second luster to some tear-dimmed eye, Or 'e'n impart One throb of comfort to an aching heart, Or cheer some way-worn soul in passing by, I'll give you my best.

If I can lead A strong hand to the fallen, or defend The right against a single envious strain, My life, though bare Perhaps of much that seemeth, dear and fair To us of earth, will not have been in vain.

The purest joy, Most near to heaven, far from earth's alloy, Is bidding cloud give way to sun and shine. And 'twill be well If on that day of days the angels tell Of me. "He did his best for one of Thine."

Postmaster Johnson is down with the grip.

Mrs. Andrew Hook is suffering with neuralgia.

Mrs. Bert Wood is numbered among the sick.

Frances Yerkes is quite sick with stomach trouble.

F. S. Harmon was on the sick list the first of the week.

Thomas Gleason has had a slight attack of quinsy this week.

A. S. Parsons is slowly recovering from an attack of the grip.

Miss Jones, teacher in the sixth grade, is ill with rheumatism.

The Baptist ladies will serve supper in Chadwick's hall, Feb. 22.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Stevens Friday, Feb. 1, a daughter.

Mrs. T. G. Richardson is able to get out some after her recent severe illness.

C. L. Cook has a position as book-keeper with Hammond & Standish of Detroit.

Mr and Mrs. F. V. Coates have moved into the rooms over the Record office.

Mrs. Clinton Lyke had the misfortune to fall last Sunday and break her ankle.

Several from here attended "The College Widow" at the Detroit Opera House last week.

Mrs. George Smithman entertained a few of her lady friends at dinner Wednesday.

Regular convocation of Mystic Lodge No. 100 K. of P. Tuesday evening, Feb. 12 Work 2nd Rank.

Tinham's orchestra, with the assistance of Detroit musicians, play at a hall at Whitmore Lake Friday evening.

It is nearing the time for village election and a great mistake will be made if the present corps of officers are not all re-elected.

William Souvie has sold his blacksmith shop on west Main street to Jarvis Palmer, who will take possession immediately.

The Clover Leaf Whist club and their substitutes went to Detroit Wednesday afternoon to see "Busy Izzie's Vacation" at the Lyceum theater.

The Jolly Euchre Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. E. Ambler Monday evening. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. A. K. Carpenter.

Bessie Brooks, Olive Dixon, Gladys Cobb and Alene Smith went to see Macbeth at the Detroit Opera House Monday night and were chaperoned by Miss Grace Yerkes.

Mrs. J. R. Trufant returned home Wednesday from Ann Arbor where she underwent a serious operation about three weeks ago. She is getting along very nicely.

The Record has just printed several hundred large bills announcing the tenth annual Mid-winter Clearance and Great Notion Sale of T. J. Perkins & Co which begins Wednesday, February 13 and lasts ten days.

The Misses McHugh, proprietors of the corner millinery store the past two seasons, have purchased the millinery stock of Mrs. F. V. Coates and will move into the store occupied by the latter, sometime during the next week.

The ice harvest is now on. W. E. Ambler and R. K. McKahan have been putting in full time the past week filling their ice houses and employ a good many men. It is hopeful this cold weather continues until they get the required amount.

Mrs. C. D. Pinkerton of this place received a letter Monday night from her son, John, and family of Duluth, Minn., in which they state that the thermometer registers anywhere from eleven to thirty-two degrees below zero and the snow is four and one-half feet deep on the level. They are all well and happy notwithstanding the cold weather.

C. A. Gardner, manager of the Opera House, has just had a new advertising drop curtain painted for the stage. In the center is a very pretty scene surrounded by advertisements from the different merchants artistically arranged. The work was done by the Detroit Scenery Co., they doing the work at their studio in Detroit and bringing the curtain here and placing it in the Opera house.

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UNCOOKED MEAT IS VERY DANGEROUS

Fearful Suffering Caused by Eggs of Parasite Which it may contain—Statement by a Priest.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 7.—Probably the most unusual feature of the excitement that has been created by L. T. Cooper's visit to this city is the removal of parasites or tape-worms by his preparations.

During the early part of Cooper's stay in Cincinnati individuals who were taking "New Discovery," as it is called, brought either to himself or to physicians throughout the city immense parasites that had left the system after using the medicine.

Many of these people were frightened, and cases of this sort became so numerous that Cooper finally made the following statement for publication:

"In every city I visit these things are brought to me within a few days after my medicine is sold in the city. They are what is known as the tape-worm, and grow to an enormous size."

"Few indeed realize how prevalent these creatures are. I think I have been the first to demonstrate what a large factor they are in the poor health of this generation. I believe that fully one-half of the chronic stomach trouble so universal is caused by these parasites."

"Individuals may have them for years and not be aware of the reason for the continued ill-health but attribute it to many different diseases, when in reality one of these creatures is robbing them of their vitality."

"These parasites are taken into the system in uncooked food or raw meat, in the form of an egg, which hatches almost immediately. People suffering from them experience a feeling of lassitude and are extremely nervous. The action of the 'New Discovery' seems to be fatal to these great worms, and in most cases a few doses of the medicine drives the creatures from the system. I will have hundreds of them brought to me before I leave the city."

"This gruesome prophecy has been

amply verified, for not only hundreds but thousands of Cincinnati people have been relieved of some of these fearful parasites since taking Cooper's preparation, and the entire city has been aroused by the fact.

Some of these parasites are of such enormous size as to startle the imagination. The statement of Father John Baptist Arnolds, one of the best known and best beloved priests in this section of the country verifies this. His statement, among others given to a reporter, was as follows:

"For years I suffered from what I thought was a general run down condition of the system caused by stomach trouble. I felt extremely tired all the time, and it was a great effort to attend to my duties. I would wake up in the morning feeling as worn out as when I went to bed. If I stood for any length of time I would have pain in the lower part of my back and would have to sit down."

"I was very nervous and depressed in spirits, and was troubled with dizzy spells. I would see spots before my eyes when I stood over and raised up quickly. I had a very irregular appetite, and would have palpitation of the heart after ascending the stairs."

"The talk about Cooper's preparations was so universal that I decided to try some, although I do not take patent medicines as a rule. I took four doses of the 'New Discovery' as it is called, and a tape-worm about ninety feet in length left my system."

"I am very thankful for this great relief, and now I know what has been the cause of all my sufferings."

This story of Father Arnolds is a fair sample of the experience of a astonishing number of Cincinnati people, and Cooper's preparations are selling here in immense quantities. It is now estimated that he has sold some hundred thousand bottles to date in this city alone, and the sale is still increasing.

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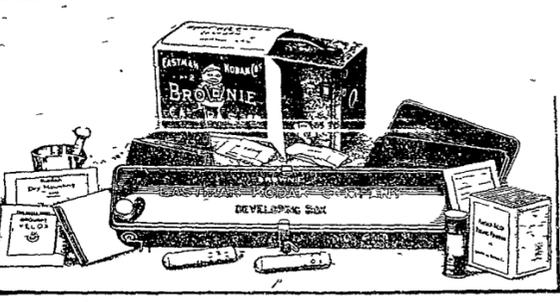
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

GILT EDGE NEWS.

R. Kahrl and family are suffering with the grip. Mrs. Chas. Fendt was a Northville caller Friday afternoon. Mrs. Ross Northrop spent Friday with her parents at Waterford.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

Mrs. L. G. Pierson is still very low. Miss Ida Nelson spent Sunday with relatives in Pontiac. Mrs. Mary Osmus spent Saturday with friends in Northville.

Mrs. Fred Follette of Detroit visited one day in town Tuesday. Harry Rockwell and family are moving to the city this week.

Mrs. Eugene Edwards has been ill the past week with stomach trouble. E. Grace has been confined to the house with the grip the past week.

Dr. Morse of Jackson was the guest of Mrs. Alice Way and family Friday.

Garner Groves is quite ill, threatened with appendicitis. Dr. J. A. Miller is attending him.

Mrs. E. J. Tremper was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. J. Taylor at Novi Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. Moore, who has been ill with bronchitis the past week, is better at this writing.

Miss Emma Sherman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Bullen at Novi.

Miss Dot Daniels spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Milton Bush, near Franklin.

Miss Ethel Tremper of Orchard Lake visited her aunt, Mrs. E. J. Tremper, and family Monday.

Governor Warner went to Lansing Tuesday morning for the first time since his illness of six weeks.

William Crampton has resigned his position with William Grooves and is now working in Northville.

Clifford Allen has been given a position as guard in the Jackson State Prison. He leaves Sunday to begin his work.

Mrs. Wayne Pierson of Detroit spent a few days the latter part of the week at L. G. Pierson's helping to care for the sick.

WIXOM NEWS.

Will Green of Canada is among Wixom friends. Ada Wilson spent Sunday with her sister at Walled Lake. Salem Stowe Sr., of near Windsor is visiting his son here.

Ethel and Lydia Fuller visited in Northville over Sunday. Mrs. H. E. Richardson was a Detroit visitor part of last week.

Mr. Hall and wife of Essex, Ont., are visiting their daughters, Mesdames Splinks and Stowe.

The funeral of Mrs. W. G. Price, who died Friday, Feb. 1st, occurred at her home north of town. Sunday afternoon, Rev. Potter officiating.

Mrs. Arthur Swick spent Saturday in Detroit. H. H. Jones spent Friday and Saturday in Detroit.

Mae McCowan was home from Pontiac over Sunday. Little Mary Soules has been quite sick but is now better.

Born Saturday, Feb. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hammond, a daughter. Let Woodruff has finished his carpenter work in Detroit and has returned home.

A Gilbert was out on the streets one day this week for the first time in about five weeks. A good many sick people now days but no very serious sickness or contagious diseases.

Miss Irma Perry returned home Tuesday from a month's visit at Durand and Vernon. Wm Wilder received a message Monday of the death of his father in northern part of the state.

Mrs. L. O. Banks and daughter attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Price, at Wixom Sunday. The Ladies' Missionary society will meet with Mrs. James Munro in the forenoon, Thursday, Feb. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Scarritt of New Hudson have organized a Gleaner Lodge here with nearly forty members.

Mrs. Lovisa, Bathrick left last Thursday to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Danelson, in Montrose.

Rev. Collias began a series of special meetings Sunday night. He will be assisted by Rev. Musser of Walled Lake.

Morrell Simmons sprung a surprise on his people by bringing his wife from Detroit to visit them on Sunday last, being married some time last year and keeping it quiet until now.

P. J. Taylor and wife, L. K. Bullen and wife, Char's McLaren and wife and Mrs. Olive Hammond and Miss Emma Sherman of Farmington drove out to Carl Perker's near New Hudson Saturday evening and gave them an old fashioned surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson of Wixom were also present. Cards were the principal feature of amusement.

WALLED LAKE NEWS.

Marshal Johnson and daughter, Celia, attended the funeral services of Mrs. Price at Wixom Sunday. A crowd of men were in town Thursday to see the racing on the ice. Herb Sinclair of New Hudson was the winner.

Friday evening, Feb. 15, the school will give a "Shadow" social at the school house. There will be an interesting program and a jolly time is promised.

J. W. Severance is in town. He recently had a narrow escape, as he was in the burning hotel at Bad Axe and escaped from a third story window by jumping to the roof of a shed.

The special services, which have been held in the Baptist church, closed Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. N. E. Musser, has been untiring in his efforts, preaching nearly every evening and visiting and exhorting through the day.

Quite a number have made a start in the Christian life. The fourth number of the Epworth League entertainment course will be given Friday evening, Feb. 8, Mrs. G. F. Rose, director. Miss Gertrude Richardson and Miss Knight of Pontiac; Mabel and Roland Busch of Detroit and Miss Merie Bradley of Commerce will take part in the program—beside some Walled Lake talent.

NOTICE OF LETTING OF DRAIN CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given that we, Frank Fallister, George E. Runyan and Charles Butler, County Drain Commissioners of the Counties of Wayne, Washtenaw and Oakland, respectively, and State of Michigan, will on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1907, at the residence of Fred Sump, in the Township of Lyon, in the aforesaid County of Oakland, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as Sump Drain, located and established in the Township of Northville of Wayne County, Salem of Washtenaw County and Lyon of Oakland County, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:

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Commissioners aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands covered with the Sump Drain Special Assessment District will be announced by us and will be subject to review for one day from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon. The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz: N 20 acres of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 3 of the Township of Northville (T 1 S 2 E 1/2 S 1/2 E) of Wayne County State of Michigan. Also the said Township of Northville at large. N 40 acres of E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 1. N 5 acres of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 1. N 30 acres of E 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 1. N 10 acres of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 1. N 6 acres of E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 2. N 2 acres of W 25 acres of 1. 30 acres of NE 1/4 of Section 2. All in the Township of Salem (T 1 S 2 E 1/2 S 1/2 E) of Washtenaw County State of Michigan. Also the said Township of Salem at large. D 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 36. W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 36. N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 35. S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 36. W 1/2 of NE 1/4 (except N 10 acres) of Section 36. E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 36. All in the Township of Lyon (T 1 N 17 E) of Oakland County, State of Michigan. Also the said Township of Lyon at large. SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 34. W 10 acres of SW 1/4 (except NW 4 acres bounded N by land of Pierce E and S by land of Freeman W by Section line) Section 31. 4 acres in NW corner of SW 1/4 bounded N by land of Pierce, E and S by land of Freeman W by Section line Section 31. All in the Township of Novi (T 1 N 17 E) of Oakland County, State of Michigan. Also the said Township of Novi at large. Now therefore, all unknown and non-resident persons owners and persons interested in the above described lands and any you M. L. Wallin, August Teschke, Harrison Merritt, R. H. Wilson, James Merritt, Carl Brose, Samuel Warby, Charles Stark, Fred Sump, A. W. Kelson, Nelson Freeman, Lester Lakke, H. Pearce, J. Vandewater, Mrs. J. Moore, Frank J. Vowels, Supervisor and John Wood, Highway Commissioner of the Township of Lyon, Oakland County, Wm. Naylor, Supervisor and Geo. Whitman, Highway Commissioner of the Township of Salem, Washtenaw County and William E. Ely Supervisor and H. B. Johnson, Highway Commissioner of the Township of Northville, Wayne County, are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said hearing may be adjourned, we shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said Sump Drain in the manner hereinbefore stated, and also that at such time of letting from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, or at such other time and place as may be determined by special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire. Dated at Detroit, Michigan, this 26th day of January, A. D. 1907. GEO. A. RUNYAN, County Drain Commissioner of Washtenaw County. FRANK FALLISTER, County Drain Commissioner of Wayne County. JAMES S. BUTLER, County Drain Commissioner of Oakland County.

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