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A RACE COURSE

YERKES FLATS TO BE PURCHASED FOR PURPOSE.

Athletic Association Being Formed to Raise Money.

An association is being formed and money is being subscribed for the purpose of purchasing the Yerkes flats and laying out the same into an athletic park and a half mile race course.

Subscriptions are being liberally taken for the project and there seems to be little doubt but what the required amount will be forthcoming.

The promoters believe a good race track and athletic grounds will be a good thing for Northville besides providing a nice place for popular enjoyment.

Methodist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

The solo by Mrs. Chas. Bowen of Detroit Sunday morning was very fine and much appreciated by those present.

The Ladies' aid will hold their birthday party at Mrs. W. H. Ambler's next Tuesday afternoon September 3rd members please take notice.

Services as usual both morning and evening. Rev. Dr. Sweet of Detroit will occupy the pulpit in the morning and the pastor will preach in the evening.

Eighty-one Years Old.



LEONARD CHARTER

On Wednesday of this week Leonard Charter celebrated his eighty-first birthday. He was a member of Co. G. 14th Mich. Vol. Inf. and marched with "Sherman to the Sea." He can dance a jig with the agility of a boy of sixteen. May he live to be a hundred.

JOHN PALMER'S FUNERAL

Largely Attended Sunday Afternoon from Late Home.

The funeral of John Palmer, whose sudden death occurred last Thursday night, was held from the home Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. S. F. Dimmock officiating and the remains taken to Novi cemetery for burial.

The deceased was 57 years old and had been a resident of Northville nearly all his life. He leaves a widow, two daughters, Jennie and Mrs. Elmer VanLeuvan, of Detroit and a sister, Mrs. George Kingsley, of Ovid.

FRANK STEPHENS. MARRIED WEDNESDAY

WEDS A CHARMING GODRICH, ONTARIO LADY.

Will Make Northville Their Future Home.

At the bride's home at Godrich, Canada, on Wednesday of this week occurred the marriage of Mr. Frank Stephens, only son of Rev. W. G. Stephens of the Northville Methodist church, to Miss Harriett Lillian Harris.

Miss Harris is youngest daughter of Mrs. George Harris, one of the oldest and wealthiest families of Godrich. She is a charming young lady and will receive a warm welcome among the young people of this place.

Frank Stephens is well known in musical circles in this part of the state and is at present one of the faculty of the Michigan conservatory of music of Detroit. He is a skilled pianist and player of the pipe organ and a highly respected young man. The young couple after a brief wedding trip to Niagara Falls will return to what will be their future home in Northville.

Baptist Church Notes.

(By a Member.)

The Ladies' Aid, birthday party will be held the second week in Sept. Particulars next week.

The regular monthly business meeting of the B. Y. P. U. will be held at J. N. VanDyne's next Wednesday evening.

There will be services as usual next Sunday. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Promise of Rest;" evening subject, "The Lost Opportunity."

The Baptist ladies have a quilt all finished and would like to dispose of it as soon as possible. Orders for quilts can be left at the parsonage or with Mrs. Fred Tousey.

THE STATE FAIR IS YOUR FAIR.

The Michigan State Fair is a state institution. It is owned by and conducted for the good of all the people in Michigan. The money earned is used to meet the expense in conducting same and the balance is used to improve and beautify the grounds, build new buildings and when property is made better the people of Michigan profit by it.

Those behind this great fair are not connected with it for personal gain, as but few are paid for time actually spent, say nothing of the personal sacrifice made in diverting their time and best thought from their business to make a success of the State Fair. It is the duty of every loyal citizen to help make the Michigan State Fair the greatest in the United States. If you have nothing to exhibit you should attend and see what others are showing. There is no possible place where you could spend a few days to a better advantage than to attend the State Fair, from an educational standpoint. Everything new under the sun will be shown at the fair. The best live stock, poultry, machinery, etc., will be there.

The management hopes to have the support, attendance and kind words of every loyal citizen in Michigan. Nothing compared with the coming fair has ever been shown in Michigan.

GASOLINE ENGINE POWER

The gasoline engine exhibit promises to be the largest and most interesting ever made at any Fair, as most of the leading manufacturers have already applied for space in which to show.

The power question has become a very important one, not only in the cities and villages but on the farm. Thousands of Michigan farmers have given this important problem a careful study, and decided that they could use a gasoline engine on the farm, and save a very great amount of labor and at a very moderate operating expense. The opportunity for investigating the various makes and determining the special advantage of each, should not be overlooked.

Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks for the great kindness shown during our sad bereavement, by the employees of the Globe company, the B. Y. P. U., ladies of the Baptist church and all who have helped in many ways.

MRS. JOHN PALMER,
JENNIE PALMER,
MR. AND MRS. E. A. VANLEUVEN.

BEST HORSE EXHIBIT EVER.

All Breeds and Classes to Be Shown at State Fair.

Judge L. C. Holden, of Sault Ste. Marie, who has the superintendency of the horse department of the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, Aug. 29th to Sept. 6th, is meeting with splendid re-



JUDGE L. C. HOLDEN
WHO IS GETTING A FINE LOT OF ENTRIES FOR HORSE DEPARTMENT

sults in his campaign for a complete exhibition of the different breeds and classes of horses at the coming fair. Among those exhibited which will come in for their share of the great interest usually shown, which have already been secured, will be the roadster and light harness horses, saddle horses, high school and exhibition horses, the famous French and German coach horses, the high-stepping American carriage horse, which is becoming such a general favorite; the heavy draft horses, including Percherons from LaParche, France, the Cheddale from Scotland, the shire of England, Belgium horses and a very large exhibition of shetland ponies. One exhibitor alone will bring fifty handsome ponies from his Indiana stock farm. The rule, the "Asel" will be shown in large numbers.

Judge Holden has already arranged with many importers of European horses to show their classes at the coming fair, and from the present indications the coming exhibition will be way ahead of any ever made in Michigan.

Four-in-hands will give a free exhibition in front of the grand stand each day, and it is also probable that the famous six-in-hand owned by Armour & Co. of Chicago, will also make an exhibition.

A THREE-LEGGED ROOSTER.

Never was there a time when there was so much interest centered on poultry raising as at the present time, and it is because for the money invested and the time and attention required, it is a most profitable business. The farmer, the factory workman, and others regardless of their wealth, are engaging in poultry raising either for profit or as a hobby.

The poultry exhibit at the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, Aug. 29th to Sept. 6th, will be the largest ever shown in the state. Enough entries have already been received to fill every nook and corner of the building assigned exclusively for this department. Every kind of poultry will be exhibited, also incubators, brooders and poultry supplies. Supt. Daniel Thomas, of Pontiac, who has charge of the Poultry Department, says that one of the attractions of the poultry show this fall will be a freak rooster which has three developed legs, two of which are used for scratching and digging while the third maintains an equilibrium. The bird differs from the ordinary three-legged variety, in that each of the three legs is fully developed.

SPECIAL STATE FAIR DAYS.

The Michigan State Fair at Detroit opens on Thursday, August 29th, and closes Friday, September 6th. The grounds will not be open on Sunday. Saturday, August 31st, has been set aside for "Children's Day;" Monday, September 2nd, is "Labor Day," and will be fittingly observed by the laboring people of Michigan. It is expected that the attendance will be very large on this day, as it is a general holiday for all laboring men. Tuesday is "Fraternal Day," and Wednesday will be known as "Michigan Day." Invitations have been sent to the United States Senators, the Governor and other State Officers and members of the Legislature, inviting them to attend on "Michigan Day." Thursday will be "Detroit Day," at which time it is expected that Mayor Thompson, members of the City Council and City Officers will be present.

Wood for Sale.

Elm and white ash 16 inch long, delivered anywhere in town in cord lots, also some 80-inch turnace wood. Call up Northville Milling Co., when giving orders. Phone 1292. 1tf

Notice.

I will be at the office of the Whipple Lumber Co. in Novi every Wednesday and Saturday until further notice to collect all bills due said company. MABEL WHIPPLE. 2w3



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The CASTLE of LIES

BY ARTHUR HENRY VESSEY

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CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

Madame de Varnier seated herself in the shadow, so that she would not be at once confronted by Helena as she entered. Her jeweled fingers touched her hair lightly; her pose suggested the languid indifference of a woman of the world who awaits the entrance of a caller. Mercy and tenderness and womanly pity were denied this beautiful animal at her birth. Or these divine qualities had been fiercely crushed by fanatic zeal.

I paced to and fro in an agony of rage and pity; and this Medusa followed my every movement with her cruel, mocking smile.

The woman whom I had hoped to save from suffering, yes, the woman I loved, was coming to this chamber of horror. She was coming, radiant with hope. Happiness awaited her, she thought—the caresses of a loved brother, repentant of his momentary folly. And, perhaps, her heart was beating with gratitude to me—to the man who she thought had made this much-wished-for reconciliation possible.

Black despair awaited her in the little oratory yonder. She was to be tortured with a dilemma as cruel as ever racked the heart of woman.

But her decision I could not doubt. I had a proud faith in this lady who had sent me into the lists to fight for her. When first I had seen her on the terrace of the hotel at Lucerne, I seemed ages ago, instead of days—I remembered how her clear gaze had thrilled me. The calm, unwavering look of her gray eyes was truth itself. I had thought, a lie was not possible for her—not even a lie to be spoken by another for her sake.

But with what abhorrence would she regard me! Had I not been drawn in the subtle web of this Circe's net, the dilemma at least would not exist for her. But if the dilemma did not exist, Sir Mortimer's dishonor would still be a terrible reality. After all, the curran did not fall yet. Helena and I were both puppets in the hands of capricious Fortune. It was she who held the balances; or, rather, a just God whose wheels may turn slowly, but sooner or later He sees that justice is done.

I had left the door slightly ajar. It was pushed open with a brusque suddenness that startled the servant must have known the tragedy that awaited the woman he was conducting here. With a Frenchman's love of the dramatic, he ushered her in with pompous ceremony, and stood waiting expectantly. As I closed the door roughly on him, Helena saw me. Madame de Varnier, seated in the shadow, she had not yet seen.

I scanned her face closely. I saw that not hope nor the expectancy of a happy meeting with her brother was her dominant emotion. Eager she was, but it was the eagerness of anxiety, and not of hope. Her quiet assurance came from courage and self-control. Her brother had disappeared mysteriously, Captain Forbes had been the victim of a trick, she had put her faith in one who was almost a stranger to her, and now she had ventured to the chateau alone. Even a man might have hesitated.

But when I stood before her, I was touched to see how she leaned on me, who had twice failed her.

"My brother?" she whispered.

Once before she had wrung from me the bitter truth. Now, as then, a certain courage came from her presence. Her own scorn of weakness and subtlety supported me. I answered her simply, as I knew she would have me answer—the direct, stern truth:

"Your brother is dead, Miss Brett."

There followed a silence so intense that I could hear quite distinctly the river Aare beating against the chateau walls. With the curious irrelevance that comes so often in moments of tense anxiety I thought it strange that Captain Forbes had not given some sign of his presence in his prison during the past half hour. Helena leaned toward me, frowning slightly as if in perplexity.

"Dead, did you say? Not dead!"

I repeated the words, unconsciously. I spoke a little louder. The scene seemed unreal, theatrical. Again the irrelevant thought intruded, how, when a boy, I used to wonder if all the things that had hitherto happened in my life—all my existence—were not one long dream; a dream from which I should awake presently, to find myself living a life utterly different.

"It seems, sir," she faltered, "that your mission is always to bring bad tidings. It was only the other day you told me that the man who loved me had died. Now it is to tell me that the brother I loved so much is dead."

She smiled pitifully, a childishly twisted smile that expressed her suffering more than any tears. No reproaches could have been made as did that pathetic smile. I turned abruptly to Madame de Varnier, whom she had not yet seen. My rage and pity overcame my reason. I might have appealed to a heathen idol sitting in grotesque majesty in its temple of gloom with as little effect.

"You are a woman. You must have a woman's heart, you must feel some

tenderness for others in their grief. You have told me that your life has been one of suffering; then have mercy for this girl who is suffering. You will not torture her further. You will leave to her the only comfort that remains for her, the proud memory of a brother who served his country with honor."

"It is for you to do that, monsieur." She spoke with assumed indifference, fingering the cross that hung from her neck.

"Mr. Haddon," said Helena proudly, "you will make no appeal to Madame de Varnier to spare me from suffering. Where is my brother? I suppose that there is no one here who will deny me my right to see him?"

The two women faced each other. "Death is sometimes not the worst calamity that may befall one, madam."

At these ominous words Helena turned to me with a gesture of pain. Her courage faltered, though she fought for her control before the woman whom she hated so bitterly.

"Death is not the worst calamity?" She repeated the words slowly, as if seeking their hidden meaning. "Ah, this infamous woman, who dragged down my brother to disgrace when he lived, will not spare even his memory. She threatens to make his shame even more public than it is."

"Your champion has it in his power



"Your Brother Is Dead, Miss Brett."

to prevent that," suggested Madame de Varnier softly.

Helena turned on her with horror. "It is incredible that you should make traffic of a man's love."

"To me the love of a man like Sir Mortimer Brett would have been a glory, not a disgrace," returned the adventuress calmly. "But there was no love between Sir Mortimer Brett and myself in the sense you mean. Whatever feeling your brother had for me was controlled. Yes, and I tempted him. In that regard his honor is stained."

Motionless, each looked into the other's eyes.

"And yet you said there is a calamity worse than death?" Helena questioned, torn between hope and fear.

"And I say it again. Dishonor is worse than death."

Helena turned to me, dazed and appealing, a trembling hand drawn slowly across her forehead.

"You are silent. What do those extraordinary words mean?"

I hesitated.

"It is said—this woman says—but it is false. Do not believe her," I cried desperately at length.

"He has not the courage to tell the truth," cried Madame de Varnier, walking slowly toward Helena, who shrank back. "Your brother is known to be guilty of taking bribes."

"You are right not to believe that," Mr. Haddon, she said scornfully, and sighed her relief.

"There are proofs to convince the most skeptical even you," insisted her tormentor with savage emphasis.

"What you say is impossible. Where is my brother, Mr. Haddon?"

I pointed silently to the oratory. Helena turned to go thither, but Madame de Varnier barred her entrance.

"Ah, you are afraid!" she cried, standing at the door of the oratory with extended arms. "You dare not face the truth. Listen, madam; the proofs of your brother's guilt are not imaginary. They exist in his own writing. Not one signature which may be forged; there are whole pages. You listen now; you will tremble before I have finished. At present there is no one who has seen these proofs except myself. But dare to doubt me, to ignore these proofs, and they shall be for the whole world to read. Do you hear? I say for the whole world; and Russia would give me any sum I chose to ask for those papers. Do you hate me so much, and scorn me so bitterly, that you prefer to see your brother's name held up as a byword for Europe's contempt? You disdain to think it possible that my charge be true. Then what have you to fear? There is no one who can more surely identify your brother's writing than yourself. Which will you choose? It is for you to say. Will you consent to see these papers now, or am I to sell them to the embassies of Russia or Austria?"

The two women measured each other in a long silence. I watched the duel from the open window where I stood. Madame de Varnier's threat was a terrible one. It was the fierce pleading of a desperate and unscrupulous adventuress striving frantically to move the lofty trust of a sister in a brother's feckless and honor. I had faith in the courage and nobility of soul of Helena. I believed that she would face shame and unhappiness with calm resolution. But I could not wonder that Madame de Varnier's menace made her hesitate.

The slow seconds passed, and still they faced each other in silence. That long silence seemed to me ominous. I suffered with Helena in the anguish of her decision.

To yield would be to doubt. But if she refused to yield, to doubt. And if this woman spoke the truth, and made good her threat—For herself she would endure everything rather than

ample of Mr. Haddon in attempting to destroy them?"

"My word of honor!" cried Helena with bitterness. "Would you believe that if you think my brother guilty of dishonor?"

"I should believe it," answered Madame de Varnier.

"Then I give it to you."

She walked to the room with a firm step, passing me where I stood.

"Be brave," I whispered. "Be on your guard. Refuse to believe that your brother is guilty, no matter what specious proofs this woman may show you. It is simply impossible that he be guilty."

"Why do you say that?" Her eyes were very wistful.

"Because," I looked at her steadily, "I know how impossible it would be for the sister."

"Your faith strengthens mine." She entered the room, passing by Madame de Varnier at the threshold.

"Au revoir, M. Coward!" the woman cried tauntingly, and the key turned in the door.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

"Coward!"

I heard a clock in the village strike the hour. It was six. The chateau walls cast a long shadow on the opposite bank of the river. The mountains in the far distance were purple and red in the evening light. The long day was coming swiftly to an end; and the night was mysterious with its promise of despair.

This tower of the three rooms! Two of these rooms held their tragedies. What if the third room had its tragedy likewise!

I struck sharply the door of that room in which Madame de Varnier had said that Captain Forbes was imprisoned. I listened; there was no answer. I called the name of the king's messenger aloud; still there was no answer. Soon the moon would rise, and its cold rays might fall on the lifeless body of Forbes; for if all were well, why should there be this ominous quiet?

The suspense was unendurable. I listened at the door of the room that concealed the two women. I heard the murmur of voices. That reassured me so far as Helena's safety was concerned; but it made me absolutely certain that Captain Forbes must have heard my voice if he were living, and in that room.

And when the two women came out? I shrank from that coming with dread. I had told Helena to be brave, to ignore the evidence of her own sight. But I had been shaken in my own belief as to Sir Mortimer's innocence. Surely her faith would be the greater than mine, but the evidence seemed so overwhelmingly against Sir Mortimer. If Sir Mortimer's letters and notes were genuine. At any rate the woman I loved must hold a bitter cup to her blanched lips, it must be emptied to the very dregs. Her suffering was inevitable, whether she believed her brother innocent or guilty.

I could not doubt that she would refuse to purchase the silence of Madame de Varnier at the cost of further dishonor, even though I were chiefly to bear that myself. But if she demanded that "Was I strong enough to resist her tears?" I must be my reason told me of the folly of Madame de Varnier's plan. But if I yielded weakly presently, and the ruse actually succeeded, I knew that the hypocrisy of the act would become more and more dreadful to Helena with the coming years. No, if in that supreme ecstasy of her agony she should entreat me, I must still refuse. I must decide for her, even though she thought my own cowardice responsible for that refusal.

Coward! How that word beat a devil's tattoo on my excited brain. It had been the keynote to all my suffering, and to all my joy. Willoughby had died uttering it, Helena had echoed it in thought, and Madame de Varnier had spoken it again and again in her fierce contempt during the past hour. Yes, it was the keynote of my suffering and my joy. It was the motif that obtruded again and again in the stormy music of these past hours. It was a baneful talisman, a watchword. Its letters seemed to have almost a magic potency. It was a countercharm that opened for me the gates of paradise and hell.

A talisman! A watchword! A countercharm! Suddenly I saw the word COWARD written in flaming letters. They revolved furiously. They danced before my vision.

This was sheer madness—this impossible conjecture. I reasoned the unreasoning impulse to hope against hope. But the forlorn, desperate possibility fought obstinately for recognition. It held me with all the damning power of a hallucination.

And then suddenly it became a conviction. It was no longer an impossible hope, not even an intuition. It became an absolute belief, a certainty. And this was the reason for my belief.

Whenever Madame de Varnier had mentioned the safe she had called me coward.

COWARD!

That was the combination of the safe.

At last a door opened. Helena made her way toward me with uncertain steps, her hands held out before her, as one groping in the dark. Her splendid fearlessness was gone. She looked at me with the wild eyes of a wounded animal vainly seeking a way of escape. As she reached my side her hands were still held out as if for protection. I grasped them firmly but I did not speak.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

A kiss on the lips is worth two on the hand.

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

Lansing.—Prof. Bogue of the Agricultural college died from a severe attack of appendicitis. He had been sick for a week and complications set in, which caused him to fall steadily till the end came. Prof. Bogue graduated from Ohio State university in 1894. From 1896 to 1900 he was professor of botany and entomology at Oklahoma Agricultural college. In 1900 he came to Michigan Agricultural college as professor of forestry. He labored to improve the course in forestry offered by the college and succeeded in making the forestry course at Michigan Agricultural college equalled by no other college of its kind in the United States. He leaves a widow and one child. In accordance with a wish expressed just before he died, the body will be taken to Orwell, O., for burial.

Storms Disturb Encampment.

Another of those wind and rain storms that seem to have become a regular feature of the annual encampments of the Michigan National guard descended on camp McGurran Monday afternoon. For several hours it rained steadily and at times so vigorously that it was difficult to see across the parade ground. Nearly the whole of the brigade was out on the pest problem when the first of the cloudburst occurred and it was a very bedraggled body of officers and men that waded back to camp. About the only consoling feature of the day's doings was that the wind was considered enough not to blow down many tents, so the soldiers were able on their return from the maneuvers to mitigate war horrors to the extent of donning dry clothing. It has been suggested that if future encampments are to be marked by the same sort of weather as this year's tour of duty, rubber boots and umbrellas be made part of the uniform. The weather man's unnecessary liberality with his dampness made it necessary to postpone the Thielmann and military order of foreign wars—pistol matches. Dr. F. W. Schumway, secretary of the state board of health, inspected the camp and pronounced the sanitary arrangements excellent. He concurred in some recommendations made by Lieut. Col. Henkel, chief surgeon, for betterment along certain lines, particularly in the water supply. Owing to the inclemency of the weather, Gov. Warner did not come to camp, but was met by Cols. Stewart, Morgan and Watson in his personal aides and escorted to the Stearns hotel in Ludington, where accommodations had been reserved for him. The governor was guest of honor at a reception given by the citizens of Ludington in the evening and this reception was followed by a military ball at the Stearns. Both reception and ball were largely attended by officers of the National guard and civilians.

Town Policed by Soldiers.

Ludington is policed during the encampment by a provost guard of 50 of the boys in blue. It is a safeguard against disorder which brought many favorable comments. Thousands of visitors have poured into the city and among them many unsavory characters. The soldiers have already done good work in repelling crimes and disorder. The reception to Gov. Warner was formal and brilliant. It took the form of a supper and ball at the Stearns hotel. Many ladies were present from the city and elsewhere in the state and all the officers were in dress uniform.

C. P. to Enter Sarnia.

Formal announcement of the entering of the Canadian Pacific railway into Sarnia was made this week when J. S. Sullivan, superintendent of construction, was in Sarnia looking over the Sarnia Bay mill with a view to its purchase as a terminal point for the line which the C. P. R. intends to build there. If the Canadian Pacific railway enters Sarnia it will mean the ultimate extension to Fort Huron.

Is After 1938 Convention.

Gov. Warner has extended an invitation to the American Bar association soon to meet at Portland, Me., to hold its annual meeting in Detroit in August, 1938. The advantages of Detroit as a convention city are fully set forth in a letter sent out from the executive office.

Ingham Wants One.

Ingham county in which the state capital is located, is likely to be unrepresented in the state constitution at convention, Shiawassee county having outvoted Ingham at the primaries on account of the interest taken in the courthouse bonding proposition.

Calhoun to Have Big Fair.

Calhoun county is to have a fair that will be a revelation to the natives in comparison to previous years. The management of the fair is changed entirely, and for the first time in its history the Michigan Central and interurban roads are to run special trains and give special rates. Six baseball games, a deer farm, fire department runs, horse races and balloon ascensions are the features. All of the new buildings have been completed and are painted white. The fair will be called the "White City."

Bugs Destroy Timber.

Bugs have undertaken to finish up the Michigan lumber industry. Lumber men have awakened to the fact that the formerly despised tamarack and hemlock are valuable now since the pine has been cleared away and come more fortunes have been planned. The insects, too, have found that tamarack and hemlock are good. Bugs that feed on the foliage and a beetle that works its way into the wood are doing great damage to the standing timber and an effort is being made by the state authorities and the government to devise some way of stopping the slaughter. Prof. R. H. Pettit, of the Michigan Agricultural college, has returned from a tour of investigation in the northern peninsula. The only known remedy for the beetles are woodpeckers, but the beetles burrow so deeply that the birds cannot get at them.

Cheap Rates Increase Travel.

Owing to the recent rate legislation the people of upper Michigan are traveling to and from Milwaukee and Chicago at materially less cost than at any time heretofore. Two reductions in passenger fares have been made in less than 30 days, the first based on a rate of two and one-half cents, the second on a rate of two cents a mile. Under the new schedule—to note one case in point—the fare from Iron Mountain to Milwaukee is \$4.25. This is a cut from \$5.15 on July 19 and \$6.15 prior to that date. The fare to Chicago is now \$5.95, reduced from \$7.05 on July 19 and \$8.70 prior to that date. Twenty years ago the fare from Iron Mountain to Chicago was more than \$14. There is no question that the cheaper rates will materially stimulate travel.

Boxers Not Bothered.

Boxer difficulties having disappeared for a time at least, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Canright, Battle Creek missionaries at Chentu, West China, have settled down to their work on broader plans than ever. The boxer uprising upset many of their plans as their hospital was partially destroyed, some of their leading helpers murdered, and they escaped death themselves only by hiding in an attic for several days while the murderous Chinese hunted for them. Dr. Canright has charge of a large new hospital at Chentu, 2,600 miles up the Yellow river, where the Canrights have spent 15 years, during which four children have been born. In one day recently Dr. Canright gave treatment to 101 patients.

Inspector Is Economical.

State Oil Inspector Benjamin, who is soon to be succeeded by Frank T. Neal, of Northville, probably holds the record for economical management of the office. His personal expenses for a quarter of a year are generally not to exceed \$15 or \$20. This includes stationery, postage, traveling expenses, express, telephoning, telegraphing, etc. During the last quarter he expended \$3.66 for traveling expenses. With this sum he purchased a railroad ticket to Lansing and return, and expended 50 cents for two lunches while in the city. There was no street car fare, hack or hotel bill for the inspector during the quarter.

Michigan's Internal Revenue.

According to the annual report of the commissioner of internal revenue which has just been made public, there were collected in the state of Michigan from internal revenue receipts during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1937, \$5,334,808.52. Of which amount \$4,531,997.21 was received by Collector David Magnunty in the First district, and \$802,811.31 was collected by Samuel M. Lemon in the Fourth district.

Michigan Companies Incorporate.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state by the following corporations: J. Fellman & Co., Detroit, \$3,000; Tillamook Yellow Fir company, Boyne City, \$1,600,000; Schwarzhild & Sulzberger company, Detroit, \$45,000. The Packard Motor Car company of Warren, O., and Detroit, increased its capital from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000, and the Lee Manufacturing company of Fort Huron, from \$40,000 to \$75,000.

May Land Appointment.

The tip is being passed around here that Judge R. H. Person is likely to land the appointment as the democratic member of the state railroad commission. Gov. Warner probably will announce the appointment within the next two weeks.

Julia Moross Writ Granted.

Justice Hooker, of the supreme court, granted a writ of certiorari in the case brought by Julia V. Moross and others against the board of education of the city of Detroit, which involves the right of the board of education of that city to condemn land for school purposes. The case will be heard at the October term of the supreme court. The condemnation proceedings were instituted in order to secure more ground for the Washington school buildings.

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F. S. NEAL, Publisher.

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NORTHVILLE, MICH., AUG. 30, 1907.

Early Congressional Convention.

The latest queer doings in politics comes from the Saginaw valley where the congressional committee have called a convention to elect delegates to the national convention which will be held about a year from now. No one seems to know just what it means except that it looks like a bill for political favor with Uncle Joe Connor for president in order to get in the reciprocity column when the jolly speaker of the next congress passes out his committee appointments. To a person from a distance it looks a questionable procedure to call district conventions so long in advance of a state or national convention. Still if the people of the Saginaw valley congressional district are satisfied we do not know as it is much the business of other portions of the old peninsular state. However we do know that it wouldn't go down here in the second congressional district, anyhow.

GOOD NEWS FOR EXHIBITORS.

For years the exhibitors at the State Fair have been greatly inconvenienced and delayed because of the insufficient railroad facilities for unloading and reloading their exhibits. The last year the fair was held at Pontiac some of the exhibitors were two days getting away after the fair closed and since the fair was located in Detroit there has also been cause for complaint.

Determined to give the exhibitors no cause to complain this year, the management at a very great expense, has arranged for three additional side tracks, each 800 feet long, making five side tracks with a capacity of 100 cars. The tracks will be so arranged that two will be used exclusively for live stock, two for machinery and one for miscellaneous exhibits. The platforms will be erected with the view of unloading and loading quickly. D. R. Hurst, who has been yardmaster for the Grand Trunk Railroad for a number of years, has been appointed Supt. of Transportation, and will be on the grounds constantly to take care of the wants of the exhibitors.

Passengers arriving in Detroit, via the Grand Trunk Railroad, will be unloaded at the grounds if they desire, as all trains on that road will stop at the grounds during the fair.

PROSPECTS VERY ENCOURAGING.

Never in the history of the Michigan State Fair, which extends over a period of fifty-eight years, were there so many entries made by the time the fair opened as were received this year. Four weeks in advance of the first day. The indications are that in nearly every department the number of entries will be doubled, and the perplexing problem is how to set aside ample space for each. Exhibitors will have to content themselves with less space than one year ago, in order to accommodate the great increase. It was thought that ample provisions had been made for the anticipated increase, by extensions and additions, but even with the largely increased space allotted to each division the management is still devising every possible means to care for all who come.

It has been fully demonstrated that many new buildings will have to be built another year on account of the increased interest shown by exhibitors. They realize that no better opportunity is afforded to show their stock, machinery, fruits, goods, etc., than at the State Fair, where thousands of people go to inspect the various exhibits.

A number of counties in northern Michigan have raised from \$500 to \$1,000 which will be expended in making exhibits of the fruits and farm products which have been raised in that section, with the view of showing those who live in the lower section of the state what excellent opportunities there are in their counties for successful farming.

No Room for Cowards.

The world has no room for cowards. We must all be ready somehow to toll, to suffer, to die. And yours is not the less noble because no drum beats before you when you go out into your daily battlefields, and no crowds shout about your coming when you return from your daily victory or defeat.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

Notices under this head inserted for 15c first issue and 10c per week for each subsequent issue.

LOST—If you have lost something, try a 15 cent line in this column.

FOR SALE—Smith Premier Typewriter, good condition. Cheap. Apply to Record office.

FOR SALE—New milch cows; also Shropshire ram. Geo. Gibson.

FOR SALE—Three foot oval show case for sale cheap. Apply to Record office.

FOR SALE—New Winchester—Repeater shot gun. A dandy. Apply to Roy Darwin, Northville.

FOR SALE—Horse, new harness and buggy. cheap. Will sell collectively or separately. Roy Clark.

FOUND—If you have found anything, a line in this column will find an owner.

WANTED TO RENT—Farm of 80 acres for year commencing March 1st, 1908. Money rent. Address, S. D. Meserault, Rochester, Mich.

WANTED—Good man by the month to drive team steady job and good pay. Inquire at Record office.

FOUND—A piece of money. Owner can have same by applying to Record office, proving property and paying for this notice.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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DR. T. B. HENRY, PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office and residence, 31 Main street. Office hours 8:00 to 9:00 a. m. and 12:00 to 2:30 and 6:00 to 7:30 p. m. Both Phones.

DR. T. H. TURNER, HOMEOPATHIC Physician and Surgeon. Office next door west of Park House on Main street. Office hours 1:00 to 3:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 p. m. Both Telephones.

E. B. CAVELL, VETERINARY SURGEON. Graduate of Ontario College, now has his office in residence, corner of Cadz and Center streets. Calls attended night or day. Both Phones.

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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 postoffice.]

Mrs. Morley has been spending the week in Detroit.

Melvin King spent Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Neelands visited Lansing friends this week.

Vern Judson of Detroit called on Northville friends Saturday.

Miss Emma Alexander of Ann Arbor is visiting Mrs. Kate Yerkes.

Mrs. Hester Perkins spent a couple of days this week in Detroit.

Hon. Cass. Benton and wife are spending the week at straits lake.

Mrs. Susan Gorton has been spending the week with friends in Salem.

Mrs. J. B. Tinham returned Monday from her visit in Grand Rapids.

Miss Anne Jerome spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Julia Bloss of Detroit, visited her cousin, Mrs. Della Harmon, Monday.

Ray Bogart spent last week and part of this with relatives in Pontiac.

Mrs. F. H. Woodworth is visiting relatives in Holly and Fenton this week.

Mrs. Geo. Rayson and Mrs. Rose Little are visiting friends in Detroit this week.

Mrs. A. W. Miller and children visited Detroit relatives part of last week and this.

Russell Barley of Saginaw is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Barley.

Mrs. Katherine Fuller is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Harmon.

Arthur Phillips left Wednesday for Big Rapids to take a special course in pharmacy.

Mrs. J. F. Boell returned Sunday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Port Huron.

Mrs. Lillian Ambler and little son, Carol have arrived home from Buffalo where they have been visiting relatives the past two weeks.

Miss Harriett Newkirk returned to her home in Detroit the latter part of last week after a pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Cattermole.

Miss Pearl Little, for the past two years a faithful employee of the Record office left Monday noon for Brooklyn, N. Y. to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Frank Slater. Her many friends wish her a pleasant time.

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Regulates the bowels, promotes easy natural movements, cures constipation—Doan's Regulators. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

Mrs. A. W. Olde is visiting friends at Mt. Clemens.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaton visited friends in Detroit Tuesday.

C. C. Chadwick, wife and family spent Friday a Put-in-day.

Mrs. A. K. Dolph took in the excursion to Lansing Monday.

Mrs. N. C. Schrader spent Monday with her parents in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Thadd Knapp returned to Arlington, N. J., Wednesday.

Mrs. J. M. Dixon spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. D. Ross at Sylvan lake.

Ray Haddock has been spending the past week with relatives in Detroit.

Fred Oldenburg and family attended a German Picnic at Clarendville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Detroit were guest of E. C. Murdock and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Perkins are enjoying a week's visit with Cleveland, Ohio, friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Cogswell and two sons of Montreal are visiting Northville friends this week.

L. D. Stage arrived home last Friday from his summer visit at Pinckney and vicinity.

Ruth and Francis Chadwick are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Beal at Jackson.

Mrs. Newton Colt and children returned Sunday from a week's visit with friends in Detroit.

Miss Genevieve Collins of Detroit is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Cattermole.

Mrs. H. F. Brown of Detroit is visiting her brother, L. A. Babbitt, and other friends in town.

Miss Ethel Shafer returned yesterday from Holly, where she spent the past week with relatives.

Misses Helen Dole and Lucy Ferrington of Ypsilanti visited Northville friends Saturday.

Mrs. J. N. Elliott and Helen returned from their visit in Pennsylvania the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Wm. Ballard and sons, Millner and John of Ann Arbor are spending the week with friends in town.

Mrs. W. H. Cattermole and daughter, Ruth, visited relatives in Wayne the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Seely of Pontiac visited their son, Mark, and family the latter part of last week.

Miss Grace Smith, Harry Peters and Mr. Jamison of Wayne were guests of Miss Minnie Ditch Sunday.

C. M. Joslin returned Tuesday evening from Mt. Vernon, Ohio, where he had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tubbs and daughter, Marion, are visiting relatives in Romeo a few days this week.

Mrs. Clara Wilkins and daughter, Maude, and Burley Wesley of Detroit spent part of the week with friends here.

Mrs. G. O. Newkirk and son, George, of Detroit spent Friday and Saturday with W. H. Cattermole and family.

The Misses Edith and Ethel Scott and Mabel Burgess go to Brighton today to attend the wedding of their cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. DesAnteis and sons, Eugene and Leo, of Detroit spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Charter.

The Misses Myrtle and Ethel Woodworth of Howell are visiting their uncle, F. H. Woodworth, and family.

Mrs. John Lockwood, who has been spending the past ten days with friends in Farmington, returned home Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Dimmock returned Friday evening from Cleveland where they had been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mrs. W. L. Tinham, Mrs. E. R. Perrin and Miss Nellie Little are in Detroit at the wholesale millinery house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kingsley of Ovid were here over Sunday to attend the funeral of the latter's brother, Mr. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller and son of Detroit have been spending a few days with Mrs. Miller's brother, J. W. Perkins and family.

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Mrs. A. C. Harmon accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Fuller, of Novi visited friends in Redford yesterday.

Mrs. Florence McGraw and daughter of Lincoln, Ill., are visiting H. C. and Charles Calkins, and their families.

Mrs. W. G. Edwards and four children of Milford are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roberts.

Miss Grace Yerkes leaves tomorrow for Mt. Pleasant where she has accepted a position as teacher in the schools.

Mrs. Susie Wooley has returned from Mackinaw where she has been spending the summer with her brother.

The Misses Hattie and Ursula Hartsough of Plymouth visited their cousin, Mrs. James Chase, last week Thursday.

Bessie Ward, who has been spending the past two weeks with Marce Stark, left for her home in Owosso Wednesday.

Prof. Cobb, wife and daughter, Lucile, of Lansing spent Sunday with the former's brother, Erlin Cobb, and family.

Mr. Simmons of Lansing, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. A. K. Dolph, the past two weeks, returned home Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Brady and granddaughter of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Garfield.

The Misses Orah Hayes and Ruth Vadenburg have been spending the past week with Mrs. Kurth at her cottage on the Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson and two children of South Lyon, spent last of the week with Nelson Bagart and C. E. Ryder and family.

Miss Alice Wallin has gone to Madisonville, a suburb of Cincinnati, where she has a fine position as a teacher of domestic science.

G. B. Moore who has been living with his daughter in Plymouth, has returned to Northville and has rooms with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Griewold were the guests of the Moss and Sulton families who are camping at Walled Lake on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. C. L. Cook and two little sons of Detroit, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Killmer, of Shepherd, spent yesterday with Mrs. Lester Cook.

George Shafer of Holly visited his parental home from Saturday until Monday. His wife and little daughter returned home with him.

Mrs. Balch and children returned to their home in Morenci yesterday after a pleasant visit with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Gillis.

The wife and daughter of Judge E. K. Emery of Buffalo, N. Y., spent Tuesday with their cousins, Mrs. E. Y. Holcomb, Mrs. O. N. Rarnhart and Mrs. S. G. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connel and Mrs. Harvey Connel and son of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perrin of Detroit were guests of F. N. Perrin and family Sunday.

Mildred Harger of Detroit, who is staying at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harger, entertained her cousin Helen Whipple of Farmington, part of the week.

Rev. H. S. Jenkinson, wife and daughters of Chicago, Ill., were guests of J. M. Simmons and family Saturday. Mrs. Jenkinson and daughters remained for a few days.

Those who attended the Stephens-Harris wedding at Godrich, Ont., Wednesday were Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Stephens of this place and their daughter, Mrs. Jackson, of Pinckney.

Miss Lydella Murdock returned last week from two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Booth, in Ann Arbor and is spending this week with her grandmother Blackburn in Detroit.

James Clemmer, mother and sister have returned to their homes in the west, Miss Greer will return Monday to Spokane, Wash. They were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Clemmer last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Northrop, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Murdock and daughter and T. E. Murdock, wife and children spent a couple of days last week at "The Fresh Air Club House" at Walled Lake.

Mrs. Charles Mitchell and son, Axford, of Detroit spent Wednesday with Mrs. Charles Sessions. Mrs. Mitchell was a former resident of Missouri, Montana, Mrs. Sessions' old home and the way those women visited is a caution.

The Best Laxative for Children. Parents should see to it that their children have one natural easy movement of the bowels each day. Do not do the child with salts or griping pills, as they are too powerful in effect, and literally tear their little insides to pieces, leaving the bowels weakened and less able to act naturally than before.

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NORTHVILLE STATE SAVINGS BANK

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF the Northville State Savings Bank at Northville, Wayne county, Michigan, at the close of business, August 22, 1907, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	139,682 16
Bonds, mortgages and securities	115,329 87
Overdrafts	163 64
Banking house	7,400 00
Furniture and fixtures	3,500 00
Other real estate	3,100 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	42,045 20
U. S. and National Bank Currency	1,922 00
Gold coin	10,000 00
Silver coin	420 00
Nichols and cents	416 00
Checks and other cash items	125 00
Total	\$324,103 88

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus fund	3,000 00
Undivided profits, net	5,066 62
Commercial deposits	52,071 01
Savings deposits	128,773 70
Savings Certificates	119,198 50
Total	\$324,103 88

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

County of Wayne.

I, L. A. Babbitt, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires July 4, 1909.

DARWIN B. NORTHROP

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We just want to say that this store will make special preparations for those who intend to do trading during the "State Fair." Splendid stocks of new fall goods have been hurried forward for each department and the latest and best styles in every line of wearing apparel will be displayed at very attractive prices. Remember, this is the complete outfitting store, and that you can buy everything needed for personal wear or home furnishing—do all your trading under one roof.

State Fair Tickets Given Free With All \$7.00 Purchases and We Also Have Them on Sale at 40 Cents Each.

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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

School begins Monday, Sept. 3. I. N. Starkweather is on the sick list.

John Hirsch's house on Main street is being wired for electric lights.

Regular convocation of Northville Commandery, No. 39, next Tuesday evening, Sept. 3.

Frank Shafer has moved from the VanZile farm into the C. L. Brigham house in Beantown.

The Northville Juniors played the Kovi team Saturday, Northville winning in a score of 7 to 6.

Miss Hazel Judson of Detroit, a former Northville girl, has been engaged to teach school at Elm.

Charlie Northrop, son of D. B. Northrop of this place, is ill with typhoid fever at Harper hospital.

The stores here, with the exception of one or two, will be closed next Monday in observance of Labor Day.

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be postponed until Sept. 9, on account of the regular meeting coming on Labor Day.

Howard Arnot and wife will move next week into the house on Rogers street recently vacated by Arthur Grant and family.

Mrs. C. D. Pinkerton and daughter Emma and Mrs. Katherine Strong have moved into their new home on Dunlap street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brock have taken Harold Parks, a lad sixteen years old, to live with them and assist them in the store.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gutherat have returned from Harbor Springs and have purchased the Ed. Howard place on Church street.

Miss Hazel Palmer has been engaged to teach the school recently taught by Miss Lora Bristol. She will begin next Monday.

Miss Lottie White, who has been night operator at the Independent telephone office, has resigned her position and Mrs. Bert Taft has been engaged to take her place.

The King's Daughters will hold their meeting next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A good attendance is desired as this is the first meeting after vacation.

W. H. Cottermole and family attended a birthday surprise on Mrs. C's mother, Mrs. Collins, at Wayne Sunday. After dinner had been served a photograph of the group was taken.

Salem people are looking forward to a big time next Monday as it is their "Home Coming" day, and if you want to spend Labor Day in a pleasant way, just go over there and they will see that you have a good time.

For instructions on piano see Miss Ethel Blakley, 31 Yerkes Ave. 2w3p

The store occupied by E. A. Merritt, is receiving a fresh coat of paint.

Frank Perrin has just completed a new cement horse barn in the rear of his livery.

James Davis celebrated his 76th birthday and Asa Randolph his 78th birthday Aug. 29.

Special convocation of Union Chapter, No. 55, R. A. M., will be held on Wednesday evening, Sept. 4.

Mrs. J. J. Hornberger entertained a number of ladies at a twelve o'clock luncheon yesterday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Watson, of Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harger entertained a number of little girls Wednesday afternoon in honor of their little granddaughter, Mildred Harger, it being her birthday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will give a birthday party Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 3, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Ambler. Members are expected to invite their guests. Light refreshments will be served and a general good time is anticipated.

The cement wall has been built this week on the lot where C. C. Yerkes' law office formerly stood and the corner store, now occupied by Mr. Steers, will be moved thereon the first of the week. It is expected that work on the new bank building will begin immediately.

Mrs. Frank Coates has accepted a position as forelady over the millinery and ladies' furnishing rooms in a large department store in Fremont, Ind. It she likes the work and remains, Mr. Coates will go there where he has been offered a position in the same store.

One of the attractions at the Salem "Home Coming" Monday will be a gun shoot between five members of the South Lyon Gun Club and five members of the Northville Gun Club. Those going from here are George Stanley, Dr. Henry, A. C. Balden, N. C. Schrader and Jake Kimmel. A prize will be given.

Owing to the new school house not being quite completed, school will not begin until Monday, Sept. 3. The new building is one of the finest ever seen in a place the size of Northville. The rooms are finished in hardwood, oiled, and new cement walks have been laid all around and the whole thing presents a fine appearance.

The funeral of Mrs. James Clemmer was held from the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Greer, Friday afternoon and interment made in Rural Hill cemetery. The remains were accompanied here by the husband, James Clemmer of Seattle, Wash., his mother, Mrs. Clemmer, and her daughter, Mrs. Myers of Toledo, Ill., and Miss May Greer of Spokane, Wash., sister of the deceased.

The secretary of the Industrial Savings Society, which is advertised in another column, is Austin N. Kimmis, who is known to a large number of our readers. For five years previous to assuming his present position, Mr. Kimmis was the State official having supervision of all companies of this nature doing business in Michigan. That experience should prove very valuable to the company with which he is now associated. The other directors of the company have long been prominent in Detroit's financial circles. Their connection with the Industrial Society is a guaranty of its reliability.

"Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me a long time. The cure was permanent."—Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me.

'Nother ball game Saturday Pontiac vs. Northville.

The two Northville banks are publishing very flattering reports this week.

Mrs. George Wilkes, who has been quite ill, is better and able to be up around the house.

The Northville Juniors defeated the Methodist church base ball team Saturday in a score of 17 to 5.

Christian Science service Sunday morning at ten o'clock and Wednesday at seven p. m. at 59 Center street.

Louis Cook, who has been confined to his bed the past seven weeks, was able to sit up yesterday for the first.

A family gathering was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. E. Clarkson. Relatives were present from New York City, Detroit and this vicinity. A sumptuous dinner was served and a good time had by all.

While crossing the street in front of the Park House Friday evening, Mrs. Charles Elliott was knocked down by Perrin's express horse, and although she was not seriously hurt, she was considerably bruised. She was taken home in the bus and is getting along nicely.

Additional Personal.

Mrs. C. G. Blackburn of Detroit visited relatives in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Earle of Detroit spent the last of the week with Nelson Bogart and family.

Henry French left Saturday for a two weeks' visit with friends in Sidney, N. J.

Mrs. C. J. Ball and Miss Bertha Fendt are spending a few days in Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. C. A. Bowen who has been visiting at the Ball-Neal home, returned home Tuesday.

Irene Dixon has returned from a two months' visit with friends at Sylvan Lake and Pontiac.

L. C. Mead and Thomas Calhoun attended the reunion of the 22nd Mich. Vol. Inf. at Ypsilanti yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Murdock and Mrs. T. E. Murdock and children attended the Yost family picnic at Bois Blanc Monday.

John Neelands arrived home Tuesday evening from Spearfish, South Dakota. He expects to attend the U. of M. this fall.

The Misses Hazel and Hilda Furman and Edna Erwin of Wixom visited Mrs. Chas. Seaton and other friends in town yesterday.

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The Michigan State Fair is becoming famous throughout the country on account of the excellent exhibition given each year. At the coming fair August 29th to September 6th, inclusive, all buildings will be beautifully decorated with flags of all nations and American colors. All stock barns and exhibition buildings will be crowded with exhibits.

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Train will leave Northville at 9:33 a. m. Rate: \$25. See posters or ask ticket agents for particulars.

Flint, Saginaw and Bay City, Sept. 8.

Train will leave Northville at 9:42 a. m. Rate: Flint \$1.00; Saginaw and Bay City \$1.50. See posters or ask ticket agents for particulars.

Low Rates to New York.

Account of G. A. R. National Encampment at Saratoga Springs, New York, tickets will be sold at low rates for the round trip. Tickets good going on September 6, 7 and 8, with return limit October 6th, 1907. Ask agents for details of points which may be covered on this trip and cost of tickets.

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The Northville Market corrected up to date. Wheat, red—\$7c. Wheat, white—\$8c. Oats, New—4 1/2c. Oats, Old—4 1/2c. Corn in ear—22 1/2c. Shelled corn—6 1/2c. Baled hay per ton—\$15 00. Eggs live—\$6.00. Cattle—\$4 50. Lambs—\$6.00. Beef hides—7c per lb. Veal calves live—\$6.00. Eggs—18c. Butter—24c. Poultry live: Turkeys, young and plump—15c. Geese, young and plump—10c. Ducks, young and plump—9c. Hens—10c. Broilers—12c.

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THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

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CHAPTER XXII.—Continued.

She swung the lantern at arm's length back and forth so that its rays at every forward motion struck my face like a blow.

"It isn't exactly pleasant in this cavern. Unless you wish to turn me over to the lord high executioner, I will bid you good night."

"But the infamy of this—of coming in here to spy upon me—to help my enemy—the man who is seeking plunder—doesn't seem to trouble you."

"No. Not a particle!" she replied quietly, and then, with an impudent frown, "Oh, no!" she held up the lantern to look at the wick. "I'm really disappointed to find that you were a little ahead of me, Squire Glenarm. I didn't give you credit for so much perseverance. But if you have the notes—"

"The notes!" He told you there were notes, did he? The coward sent you here to find them, after his other tools failed him?"

She laughed that low laugh of hers that was like the bubble of a spring.

"Of course no one would dare do what the great Squire Glenarm says," she said wistfully.

"You can't know what your perfidy means to me," I said. "That night at the Armstrongs, I thrilled at the sight of you. As you came down the stairway I thought of you as my good angel and I belonged to you, all my life, the better future that I wished to make for your sake."

"Please don't!" she exclaimed sorrowfully, the mirth all gone. I felt that my words had touched her, that there were regret and repentance in her tone and in the gesture with which she turned from me.

She hurried down the passage toward the chapel, swinging the lantern at her side, and I followed, still mystified, and angered by her composure. She even turned, with pretty courtesy, to hold the light for me at the crypt steps—a service that I accepted perforce and with joyous acquiescence in the irony of it.

"You seem to know a good deal about this place, and I suppose I can't object to your familiarizing yourself with your own property. And the notes—I'll give myself the pleasure of handing them to you to-morrow. You can cancel them and give them to Mr. Pickering—a fitting pledge between you!"

I thrust my hands into my pockets to give an impression of ease I did not possess.

"Yes," she remarked in a practical tone, "\$320,000 dollars is no mean sum of money. Mr. Pickering will undoubtedly be delighted to have his debts canceled."

"In exchange for a life of devotion," I sneered. "So you knew the sum—the exact amount of these notes. He hasn't served you well. He should have told you that we found them to-day."

"You are not nice are you, Squire Glenarm, when you are cross?" But Mr. Pickering wasn't kind not to tell me. Why, I might catch a dreadful cold down here!"

She was like Olivia now. I felt the utter futility of attempting to reason with a woman who could become a child at will. She walked up the steps and out into the church vestibule. Then before the outer door she spoke with decision.

"We part here, if you please! And I have not the slightest intention of trying to explain my errand into that passage. You have jumped to your own conclusion, which will have to serve you. I advise you not to think very much about it,—to the exclusion of more important business.—Squire Glenarm!"

She lifted the lantern to turn out its light, and it made a glory of her face, but she paused and held it toward me.

"Pardon me! You will need this to fight you home!"

"But you must not cross the park alone!"

"Good night! Please be sure to close the door to the passage when you go down. You are a dreadfully heedless person, Squire Glenarm."

She flung open the outer chapel door and ran along the path toward St. Agatha's. I watched her in the starlight until a bend in the path hid her swift-moving figure.

Down through the passage I hastened, her lantern lighting my way. At the door of Bewilderment I closed the opening, setting up the line of wall as we had left it in the afternoon, and then I went back to the library, freshened the fire and brooded before it until Bates came to relieve me at dawn.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Besieged.

It was nine o'clock. We had swallowed some breakfast, though I believe no one had manifested an appetite, and we were cheering ourselves with the latest talk possible. Stoddard, who had been to the chapel for his usual

seven o'clock service, was deep in the pocket Greek testament he always carried.

Bates ran in to report a summons at the outer wall, and Larry and I went together to answer it, sending Bates to keep watch toward the lake.

Our friend, the sheriff, with a deputy, was outside in a buggy. He stood up and talked to us over the wall.

"You gents understand that I'm only doing my duty. It's an unpleasant business, but the court orders me to eject all trespassers on the premises, and I've got to do it."

"The law is being used by an infamous scoundrel to protect himself. I don't intend to give in. We can hold out here for three months, if necessary, and I advise you to keep away and not get as a tool for a man like Pickering."

"The sheriff listened respectfully, resting his arms on top of the wall.

"You ought to understand, Mr. Glenarm, that I ain't the court; I'm the sheriff, and it's not for me to pass on these questions. I've got my orders and I've got to enforce 'em, and I hope you will not make it necessary for me to use violence. The judge said to me, 'We deplore violence in such cases.' Those were his honor's very words."

"You may give his honor my compliments and tell him that we are sorry not to see things his way, but there are points involved in this business that he doesn't know anything about, and we, unfortunately, have no time to lay them before him."

The sheriff's seeming satisfaction with his position on the wall and his disposition to parley had begun to arouse my suspicions, and Larry several times exclaimed impatiently at the absurdity of discussing my affairs with a person whom he insisted on

called the caretaker smoothly. "We've got the law behind us."

"That must be why you're coming in the back way," I replied.

The thickest man whom Larry had identified as the English detective now came closer and addressed me in a high key.

"You're harboring a bad man, Mr. Glenarm. You'd better give him up. I've got my papers and the American law supports me. You'll get yourself into trouble if you protect that man. You may not understand, sir, that he's a very dangerous character."

"Thanks, Davidson!" called Larry. "You'd better keep out of this. You now Em a bad man with the shillalah!"

"That you are, you blackguard!" yelled the officer, so spitefully that we all laughed.

I drew back to the boat-house.

"They are not going to kill anybody if they can help it," remarked Stoddard, "any more than we are. Even deputy sheriffs are not turned loose to do murder, and the Wabana county court wouldn't, if it hadn't been imposed on by Pickering, lend itself to a game like this. And this business here is only a private affair between Pickering and the sheriff."

"Now we're in for it," yelled Larry; and the 12 men, in close order, came running across the ice toward the shore.

"Open order, and fall back slowly toward the house," I commanded. And we deployed from the boat-house, while the attacking party still clung together—a strategic error on their side, as Larry assured us.

"Stay together, lads. Don't separate. You'll get lost if you do," he yelled derisively to the enemy.

Stoddard bade him keep still, and we soon had our hands full with a



"Move If You Dare, and I'll Plug You with Your Own Gun."

calling a constable, to the sheriff's evident annoyance.

"You, sir,—we've got our eye on you, and you'd better come along peaceable. Laurence Donovan, the descriptions fits you to a 't."

"You could buy a nice farm with that reward, couldn't you?" began Larry, but at that moment Bates ran toward us calling loudly.

"They're coming across the lake, sir," he reported and instantly the sheriff's head disappeared, and as we ran toward the house we heard his horse pounding down the road toward St. Agatha's.

"The law be damned. They don't intend to come in here by the front door as a matter of law," said Larry. Pickering's merely using the sheriff to give respectability to his maneuvers."

It was no time for a discussion of motives. We ran across the meadow past the water tower and down to the boat-house. Far out on the lake we saw half a dozen men approaching the Glenarm grounds. They advanced steadily over the light snow that lay upon the ice, one man slightly in advance and evidently the leader.

"It's Morgan," exclaimed Bates. And there's Ferguson."

Larry chuckled and snipped his thigh.

"Observe that stocky little devil just behind the leader. He's my friend from Scotland Yard. Lads' this is really an international affair."

Bates, go back to the house and call at any sign of attack," I ordered. The sheriff's loose somewhere."

"And Pickering is directing his forces from afar," remarked Stoddard. "I count ten men in Morgan's line," said Larry, and the sheriff and his deputy make two more. That's 12, not counting Pickering, that we know of on the other side."

"Warn them away before they get much nearer," suggested Stoddard. "We don't want to hurt people if we can help it,"—and at this I went to the end of the pier. Morgan and his men were now quite near, and there was no mistaking their intentions. Most of them carried guns, the others revolvers and long ice hooks.

"Morgan," I called, holding up my hands for a truce. "We wish you no harm, but if you enter these grounds you do so at your peril."

They had paused at a word from Morgan and listened sullenly.

"We're all sworn deputy sheriffs,"

preliminary skirmish Davidson, the detective, seemed disgusted at Morgan's tactics, openly abused the caretaker, and ran ahead of his column, revolver in hand, bearing down upon Larry, who held out center.

The Englishman's haste was his undoing. A light fall of snow a few days before had gathered in the little hollows of the wood deceptively.

The detective plunged into one of these and fell sprawling on all fours—a calamity that caused his comrades to pause uneasily. Larry was upon his enemy in a flash, wrenched his pistol away and pulled the man to his feet.

"At Davidson. There's many a slip. Move, if you dare, and I'll plug you with your own gun," and he stood behind the man, using him as a shield while Morgan and the rest of the army hung near the boat house uncertainly.

"It's the strategic intellect we've captured, general," observed Larry to me. "You see the American invaders were depending on British brains."

Morgan now acted on the hint we had furnished him and sent his men out as skirmishers. The loss of the detective had undoubtedly staggered the caretaker, and we were slowly retreating toward the house, Larry with one hand on the collar of his prisoner and the other grasping the revolver, with which he poked the man frequently in the ribs. We slowly continued our retreat, fearing a rush, which would have disposed of us easily enough if Morgan's company had shown any fighting spirit. Stoddard's presence rather amazed and intimidated them, I think, and I saw that the invaders kept away from his end of the line. We were now far apart, stumbling over the snow-covered earth and calling to one another now and then that we might not become too widely separated. Davidson did not relish his capture by the man he had followed across the ocean, and he attempted once to roar a command to Morgan.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Benjaminites are Few.

About 94 per cent of otherwise normal people use the right hand in preference to the left; six per cent are left-handed, and it is a curious fact that one-third of the six per cent are ambidextrous.—Portland (Ore.) Journal.

METHOD IN HIS SOLICITUDE.

Willie's Deep Interest in Playmate's Health Explained.

This story is well in keeping with the spirit of the age, says the New York Tribune. A Bronx man tells it about his little boy. The neighbor's young hopeful was very ill, and Willie and the other youngsters in the block had been asked not to make any noise in the streets. The neighbor's bell rang one day and she opened it to find Willie standing bashfully on her front steps.

"How is he to-day?" he inquired in a shy whisper.

"He's better, thank you, dear, and what a thoughtful child—you are to come and ask."

Willie stood a moment on one foot and then burst forth again, "I'm awful sorry Jimmy's sick."

The mother was profoundly touched. She could find no further words to say, but simply kissed him. Made still bolder by the caress, Willie began to back down the steps, repeating at intervals his sorrow for his playmate's illness. At the bottom step he halted and looked up, "If Jimmy should die," he asked, "kin I have his drum?"

FOR SELFISH ENDS.

The Efforts Being Made by the American Medical Association.

The Political activity of the American Medical Association has become so pronounced as to cause comment in political circles especially as the avowed purpose of the Doctors of the "Regular" or Allopathic school, of which the Association is chiefly composed, is to secure the passage of such laws as will not only prevent the sale of so-called "Patent" medicines, but will restrict the practice of medicine and healing to the "schools" now recognized. This in many states would prevent the growing practice of Osteopathy, and in nearly every state would prevent the healers of the Christian Science and mental science belief from practicing those sciences in which the faith of so many intelligent people is so firmly rooted.

The American Medical Association has a "Committee on Legislation," and the committee has correspondents in practically every township—some 10,000 correspondents in all. This committee at the last session of the American Medical Association held in June of this year expressed a hope that a larger number of physicians than heretofore will offer themselves as candidates for Congress at the first opportunity. In its annual report this Committee said: "To meet the growing demands of the movement, however, particularly if the work of active participation in State legislation is undertaken, a larger clerical force must be employed."

This is almost the first time in the history of the United States that any organized class has frankly avowed the purpose of capturing legislatures and dominating legislation in their own selfish interests.

The American Medical Association has about 65,000 members of whom 27,000 are "fully constituted members" and the rest are members because of their affiliation with state or local societies. The Association owns real estate in Chicago valued at \$111,781.91 and its total assets are \$291,567.89. Its liabilities, at the time of the annual report which was made at the June meeting, amounted to only \$21,906. The excess of assets over liabilities is increasing at the rate of about \$30,000 a year, and the purpose of the organization is to dominate the field of medicine, and by crushing all competitors by securing the passage of prohibitive legislation, compel all of the people of the United States to pay a doctor's fee every time the most simple remedy is needed.

Patron Saint of Lawyers.

This story is told at the expense of Francis H. T. Maxwell, a well-known lawyer. The members of the Taunton, Mass. Bar association thought they ought to have a patron saint, but after much wrangling they could not hit upon any particular saint.

Finally a committee, of which Mr. Maxwell was a member, was appointed to make a selection. They made a trip to New York, and there visited a gallery where most of the saints were carved in marble. It was decided to leave the selection to Mr. Maxwell, and after making the rounds he placed his hand on one in a group of two.

"This one will do," he said. He had his hand on the devil, whom St. Michael was driving before him.

Puzzled.

The bard from the city had sold sufficient verses to spend a week in a rural boarding house. Waving off the swarms of June bugs and mosquitoes, the bard sat penning his lines by the yellow light of a kerosene lamp.

"How I love this madrigal!" he mused to himself.

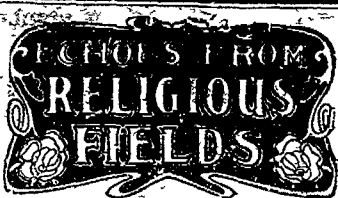
The horny-handed farmer, who sat greasing his boots, looked up in surprise.

"Gracious!" he drawled. "Where is she?"

"Who?" asked the astonished bard. "Why, the gal you just said you loved."

Nature's Gift Wasted.

A Scotchman who recently took the street car trip on the gorge route, the New York side of Niagara river, was much disgusted with the hawkers of views and "Teddy bears," who make the afternoon hideous and do their best to spoil nature's grandeur. As he alighted from the car he looked angrily at the shouting vendors and then at the Whirlpool rapids. "What's the use of having a big river like that," he asked, "if you don't drown those fellows in it?"



CHRISTIAN WORKER HONORED.

Head of the Ragged School Union, of London, Knighted.



When some strenuous worker in the field of philanthropy is suddenly "commanded" to visit the king of England, in order to receive royal recognition of the worth of self-sacrificing effort for humanity, all the nation awakes to pay homage to the person thus honored. The latest instance of this kind is the knighting of Mr. John Kirk, who recently completed 49 years' unceasing endeavor to ameliorate the lot of the unfortunate slum children of London.

King Edward conferred on Mr. Kirk the rank and title of Knighthood, so that he will henceforth be known as Sir John Kirk, while his wife will be Lady Kirk. This titular rank is not hereditary.

Mr. Kirk has become famous as the secretary of the Ragged School Union. After years of marvelous devotion, honors are now crowding upon him. At the London Mansion House he has been presented by the Marquis of Northampton with a portrait of himself, painted by William Rainey, together with other handsome gifts subscribed for throughout the United Kingdom. The Lord Mayor of London, Sir William Treloar, arranged a special gathering of distinguished men to meet the man who has won such widespread esteem.

Sir William Treloar is himself a philanthropist in the same field in which Mr. Kirk has labored. He is known and loved as the "Crippled Children's Lord Mayor," on account of his munificent gifts through long years for the benefit of the most forlorn class of city juveniles. Surely, remarks the Christian Herald, this deserves to be called "The Golden Era for Childhood." Education and philanthropy combine to give opportunities to childhood unthought of till now.

CHINA MOVING.

Evidences of the Empire's Coming to the Light.

The officials of the Chinese empire are surely seeking light from the missionaries. As an evidence of this fact, recently the governors or treasurers of five provinces, representing a population of 100,000,000 people, ordered 3,800 copies of the "Chinese Recorder," which is one of the papers edited by the missionaries in Shanghai. The literati are rapidly coming to the conclusion that western education is superior to that of their own country. Naturally they associate western learning and Christianity, because the missionary enterprise has always been allied with the western educational propaganda. Last week in the city of Calgi, the two highest Chinese officials in the city, in the presence of a large staff of literary men, urged the representatives of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions to send more missionaries there.

That Christianity is making rapid progress in China is evidenced by the following statistics:

	Christians.
1897	0
1901	1
1904	3
1905	8
1906	350
1907	1,000
1908	2,000
1909	3,000
1910	4,000
1911	5,000
1912	6,000
1913	7,000
1914	8,000
1915	9,000
1916	10,000
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2001	95,000
2002	96,000
2003	97,000
2004	98,000
2005	99,000
2006	100,000

Industrial Y. M. C. A. The first Industrial Y. M. C. A. on the Pacific coast has been organized at Roslyn, a coal mining town of 5,000 people in Washington. The Northwest Improvement company (a subsidiary company of the Northern Pacific Railway company), gives largely to its support, and over 300 men have pledged membership.

To Give Health Talks. Every week for three months the Y. M. C. A. at Scranton, Pa., has arranged to give the employees of the big shops a practical health talk at noon. Leading physicians have told men how to live a healthy life. These talks have been conducted by the physical director, C. R. H. Jackson.

"Gypsy" Smith to Come Again. "Gypsy" Smith, the famous evangelist from London, now touring this country, has met with such great success of late in his missions, that he has accepted an invitation to come to the United States again, probably in two years, and conduct another evangelistic campaign.

Scattering the Good Seed. The report showing work of the American Tract society during its eighty-second year shows that during that period 30,000,024 copies of its periodicals have been issued.

Celebrate 450th Anniversary. The 450th anniversary of the Moravian church was recently celebrated. The church in this country has about 16,000 members.

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By DR. JOHN

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About a year and a half ago I rested in a detective camera, and although I made the purchase with many doubts, I candidly confess today that it has served me well. I look at it almost with reverence; it has not won me fame, but it has made my fortune.

And this is how it came about: I was attending medical lectures, and had a short railroad journey to and from the city every day. My train away in the morning, coming from down north, was often late, so I sometimes took my camera with me and amused myself while waiting by photographing many an unsuspecting victim on the depot platform. One week in particular, I had unusually good success, and I found when I came to develop my plates that I had three fine negatives, so after I had printed my proofs, I carried them triumphantly down to the parlor to show "the girls," as the two misses, my sisters, were usually called.

One of my pictures was the likeness of a young lady. I think it was one of the prettiest faces I have ever seen; nor was I alone in my admiration. All agreed that she was charming, such beautiful features, such a sweet expression, such an intelligent face.

Picture No. 2 was the round, chubby face of a little, ragged urchin, whom I occasionally saw around the depot.

Picture No. 3 we all pronounced the homeliest girl we had ever seen. I photographed her for that very reason, because she looked so placidly, contentedly ugly, resigned to her fate. We named the pictures "Beauty" and "The Beast." It was a shame, was it not, for who would not be handsome if it were possible?

My sisters loved to tease, and it was long before I heard the last of those pictures, it was a long time before I felt the last of them. I could not get that sweet face out of my mind. I watched day after day on the train, eagerly hoping for another glimpse of it, but I was again and again disappointed. Why should I care so much for a stranger, whom I had never met? I was thoroughly provoked with myself, yet I was obstinately determined that I must and would see her again. To judge whether my likeness was true? But the boy or "The Beast" would have done as well for that.

About that time a friend, Fred Barnes, came to spend a night with me, and of course I showed him my pictures. He merely glanced at that favorite face and threw it aside. I could have shaken him. He took more interest in the homely one, and when he said that he did not think she was ugly, we made all manner of fun of him.

"If you call that good-looking," I remarked, "I truly pity an ugly woman."

Well, the term of lectures came to an end, examinations and the crowning ume, when I found myself a doctor of medicine. All these important events, so much to fill my head and hands, and yet they had not crowded out that old nagging memory. Every day I used to get out that picture and gaze at it. I hate sentimental youth, and could have kicked myself every time I did it, and yet I kept right on. Was fate driving me? I was not to begin my regular professional work until autumn. It was arranged that I was to spend a week with my friend, Fred Barnes, and then join a party going to the mountains.

Late one afternoon I reached Fred's home. The family were assembled to greet me, his mother, and Great-Well. I did not swear, but I never came so near it in my life as I did then—it was "The Beast," his sister. If the floor had opened I would have willingly been swallowed up; if I could have rushed out of the house, but no, I must stay and face them all.

I felt as if I had forfeited all right to my friend's hospitality by my outrageous talk, when he saw the pictures I wildly wondered whether the mother and the girl herself knew. I tried to hope that it was possible that even Fred had not recognized the likeness. But no, the little camera had been too true for that, and there it stood out there in the hall with my valise, truly a detective marking me as the criminal.

Well, I lived through it; one could hardly help living and being pappy in so charming a place as that home, no matter what his past misdeeds might be. And since I had to live, and had to stay, all I could do to make amends was to be as polite to them all as I could, and make myself as agreeable as possible. I did not see how they could be so kind to me. I had not been in the house a week, before I felt as if I had known them all my life, and I was truly sorry when the time came for us to start on our mountain trip. There were ten of us in the party, a gentleman and a lady who lived next door, two of our college friends, Mrs. and Miss Barnes, Fred and myself.

Four of us had cameras, and we were expected to do great things in the picture line, especially so, as one of our friends was an artist. He did beautiful work with his pencil and brush, and was also almost a professional photographer, so we hoped to learn much from him both in regard

to finding the picturesque in nature, arranging our groups, etc., and also about executing the work.

The young ladies had promised their services if figures were wanted in our landscapes, so altogether, we anticipated having a profitable as well as a most enjoyable time.

I was no lady's man, and would have been better pleased not to have so many in my party, still whether I liked or not, I was determined to do all in my power for Miss Barnes, to make amends.

Of course I never could find out whether she was aware of how I had talked about her, but I knew, and that was enough. She had mentioned a friend who lived near my home, thus explaining what had brought her to our town, and in range of my camera.

When we reached our journey's end everything exceeded our expectations. The place was grand, and the prospect for the next two months delightful.

Nor were we disappointed; it proved a glorious summer, the happiest of my life, childhood days excepted, when I was unconsciously happy.

But we were not without our troubles. Two days after our arrival, Mrs. Barnes was taken seriously ill. The physician of the nearest village was away, so I was alone responsible. My first patient! The symptoms were at first alarming, and I was much worried. Miss Barnes proved an excellent nurse, and I am willing to give her more than half the glory of the cure. Perhaps the others did not know how anxious we were. It seemed to amuse them greatly that I made six or eight professional calls a day, and the better my patient grew the oftener I went, they said.

Fred scolded because I would not go on some of the long excursions and let him stay with his mother and sister; but I preferred to be close at hand.

Besides, when it became known that I was a physician, I had numerous calls for professional work from the people around, and I was becoming



Without the Rest of the Party.

alarmed, lest I should have to give up much of my pleasure and devote myself to practice, so I was much relieved when the village doctor returned, ready to look after his patients.

When Mrs. Barnes had sufficiently recovered for us to leave her, Miss Barnes and I had to make up for lost time. The others had been to so many charming spots that we must see, and where they did not care to go again, so we visited them without the rest of the party.

Long rides and long tramps together, and shorter walks in the moonlight evenings, the most entrancing of all.

Those delightful two months came to a close only too soon. I cannot tell all that happened—do not want to, if I could.

I was almost home, tired but well satisfied; I had accomplished much that summer, more than I ever dreamed of doing when I started. They knew it at home, so the moment I opened the front door those two sisters of mine rushed into the hall.

"Oh, do let us see her!" "Haven't you got a likeness?" "Why did you not tell us more in your letter?"

"You might have let us help choose our new sister."

They would not even give me a chance to take off my dust; so I took from my pocket one of Sarony's best pictures, cabinet size, and laid it on the parlor table. They fairly screamed:

"It's The Beast." "It's The Beast." They have not forgiven me yet, but they will, they will.

When worried the king of Portugal resorted to the art of painting, and he recently exhibited in Paris a pastel of a Moorish warrior. He spends much time in sketching marine views and coast scenes. At the last Paris exposition a picture bearing the name of Dom Carlos II. was awarded a silver medal.

THIRST WAS FIRST I THOUGHT.

Familiar Sound Cause of Young Man's Bad Break.

John C. Risley of Detroit, at the New-York convention of the International Society of Hotel and Restaurant Employees—a convention notable for its condemnation of the tipping system—said to a reporter:

"The public thinks that we waiters get rich off our tips. The public is very ignorant in this matter. When I think of its dense ignorance I am reminded of a political meeting I attended last April. There was a chap at this meeting who knew nothing of parliamentary procedure, and, besides that, he was half full. Well, in the course of the meeting there was a lot of excitement and shouting. It grew worse and worse. The chairman, in the end, had to hammer on the table and yell:

"Order! Order!" "Beer for me," said the ignorant young man."

VERY BAD FORM OF ECZEMA.

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Stopped "Seeing Things." Enthusiastic Nature Lover (to Reformed Tramp)—Ah, my friend, how well you must know the face of nature, and know it in all its moods. Have you ever seen the sun sinking in such a glare of glory that it swallows up the whole horizon with its passionate fire? Have you seen the mist gliding like a specter down the shrinking hillside, or the pale moon struggling to shake off the grip of the ragged storm cloud?

Reformed Tramp—No, sir; not since I signed the pledge.

An Inherited Tendency. A Cleveland society woman gave a party to nine friends of her young son, aged six. To add to the pleasure of the occasion she had the ice frozen in the form of a hen and ten chickens. Each child was allowed to select his chicken as it was served. Finally she came to the son of a prominent politician.

"Which chicken will you have, Bertie?" she asked.

"If you please, Mrs. H. I think I'll take the mamma hen," was the polite reply.—Lippincott's.

Impudence of Hoi Polloi. A noted English artist was standing at the edge of the road, waiting for his horse, and he was dressed in his usual peculiar style—mustard colored riding suit, vivid waistcoat and bright red tie. A man, who had evidently been reveling, happened to lurch round the corner of the street. He stared at the famous artist for a minute in silence, then he touched his cap and asked in a tone of deep commiseration, "Beg pardon, guv'nor, was you in mourning for anybody?"

No Peace Conference. "Are you going to strike, ma?" asked the little boy, as he tremblingly gazed upon the uplifted single. "That's just what I'm going to do." "Can't we arbitrate, ma, before you strike?" "I am just going to arbitrate," she said as the shingle descended and raged a cloud of dust from the seat of a pair of pantaloons—"I am just going to arbitrate, my son, and this shingle is the board of arbitration."

BAD DREAMS

Frequently Due to Coffee Drinking.

One of the common symptoms of coffee poisoning is the bad dreams that spoil what should be restful sleep. A man who found the reason says:

"Formerly I was a slave to coffee. I was like a morphia fiend, could not sleep at night, would roll and toss in my bed and when I did get to sleep was disturbed by dreams and haggard looks. I could not attend to business. My writing looked like bird tracks, I had sour belchings from the stomach, indigestion, heartburn and palpitation of the heart, constipation, irregularity of the kidneys, etc.

"Indeed, I began to feel I had all the troubles that human flesh could suffer, but when a friend advised me to leave off coffee I felt as if he had insulted me. I could not bear the idea, it had such a hold on me and I refused to believe it the cause.

"But it turned out that no advice was ever given at a more needed time for I finally consented to try Postum and with the going of coffee and the coming of Postum all my troubles have gone and health has returned. I eat and sleep well now, nerves steadied down and I write a fair hand (as you can see), can attend to business again and rejoice that I am free from the monster coffee."

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WHAT THE WOMEN WORE.

Of Course the Story Teller Didn't Really Mean Just That.

A gentleman recently returned from that quiet little Maryland resort, Ocean City, has a tale to tell of conditions that are really sensational. And the worst of it was that he did not know they were sensational at all. He was out calling the other evening, and the conversation started with the shirtwaist man, who, the returned wanderer said, was to be found in great quantities at the summer resort. Then he told about the habit everybody down there had contracted of going without hats. This is the way he told it to an interested company:

"You see everybody down there going about just the same. The men never wear coats; they go about in just their shirts and trousers, and the women are just like them."

A Different Loaf. "Why," exclaimed little Johnny, when he heard his father telling about somebody who was looking after the loaves and fishes, "that's just what mamma says about Uncle Henry!"

"Says about Uncle Henry?" repeated his father, in astonishment. "What do you mean?"

"Why, pa, don't you know," said Johnny, "mamma says Uncle Henry only loafs and fishes."

Horrible Example. "My dear," said Mrs. Strongmild, "I want you to accompany me to the town hall to-morrow evening."

"What for?" queried the meek and lowly other half of the combine.

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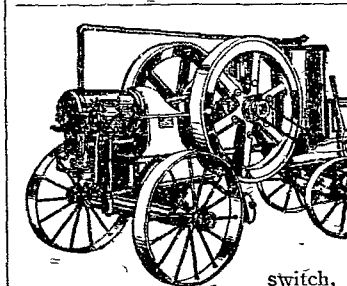
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FARMINGTON NEWS.

T. H. McGee spent a couple of days last week at Saginaw.

Mrs. Clyde Adams and son, Harry, are visiting friends in Buffalo, N. Y.

Clinton McGee is visiting his brother, Rev. Clyde McGee, at Clinton, Wisconsin.

Mrs. L. P. VanValkenburg and son, Ross, of Northville called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Bolton of Guilford, Ont., has been the guest of Mrs. M. T. Crawford the past two weeks.

Mrs. E. L. Ingersoll of La Grange, Ind., has been visiting friends in town the past week.

Mrs. James Wright of Fair Haven, Washington, visited her sister, Mrs. R. Wolfe, the first of the week.

Rev. James McGee and family have returned to their home in Chicago after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Walter Sherman has resigned his position with Mr. O'Leary, and is learning to be a motorman on the street cars.

Don't forget the Ladies' Aid supper at the town hall Saturday evening of this week. The price will be fifteen cents.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League will be held next Monday evening at the parsonage.

The Misses Anna and Marion Thayer returned Monday from the Jamestown exposition. They report a delightful time.

George Hendryx, wife and son, Leo, visited the former's brother, Frank Hendryx and family at Northville Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Carrie Noble, Lulu Grace and Myra Coleman leave Saturday for a trip to Niagara Falls, returning Tuesday morning.

A large crowd was in attendance at the Methodist church Sunday evening to listen to Rev. James

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

McGee. He delivered a very excellent sermon.

Miss Dora Coon of Plymouth is the guest of Miss Dot Turner.

The little two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Durham is very ill. Prof. A. S. Bartlett and wife are entertaining his sister from Sidney this week.

W. H. Smith attended the reunion of the 22nd Mich. Vol. Inf. at Ypsilanti Thursday.

Mrs. H. L. Weaver has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. M. Robert of Northville, the past two weeks.

Willard Warby and wife will move into Clyde Chamberlin's house, formerly the Pierson house, the first of the month.

Mrs. James Conroy and brother, Henry Thomas of Fremont, Ohio, were home Monday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Kirk White, at Redford.

Howard Jackson, who has been working for A. L. Travis this summer, will leave Saturday for his home in Millford. He expects to attend school in Flint this year.

A \$50 base ball game will be played by the Base Line Sluggers and the Farmington team Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. Admission 15 cents for gents and ladies free.

News was received here Monday of the death of Daniel Doyle at his home in Birmingham Saturday. He was a former resident of this place and a charter member of the G. A. R. Post here.

School will begin Tuesday, Sept. 3, with the following corps of teachers: Principal, S. A. Bartlett, assistant principal and drawing teacher, Miss Whitbeck of Plymouth; grammar room and music, Miss Ethel DuBois of Redford, intermediate, Miss Ethel McVean of Pontiac, primary, Miss A. Orbert of Detroit.

Miss Kirk White of Redford died at her home Saturday morning after a long illness of heart trouble. She was the sister of Mrs. William Thomas and John Delling of this place. The funeral was held Monday from the Redford church and the interment in East Farmington cemetery.

GILT EDGE NEWS.

Ivan Dickinson is ill with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Ingersoll is visiting at Ross Northrop's.

Clara Simmons spent Sunday afternoon with Helen Peck.

Floy Kahrl of Northville spent Sunday at her parental home.

Henry Smith spent Sunday afternoon with his parents in Newburg.

Several from here attended the German picnic at Baumann's woods Sunday.

Fred Detrich entertained his two daughters from Detroit over Sunday.

Minard Morris of Aymer, Ont. spent Saturday and Sunday at F. E. Bradley's.

Maybelle Bradley has returned from a six weeks' visit with relatives at St. Thomas, Ont., and other eastern points.

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LIVONIA NEWS.

Harry Peck is on the sick list.

Mrs. Palmer Chilson and daughter were in the city Saturday.

Fred Lee lost a fine four-year-old colt last Sunday morning.

Don Manery of Detroit is visiting his uncle, Joe McEachran.

Miss Mable Smith of Plymouth visited at the Stringer home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Halstead of Novi spent a few days at Palmer Chilson's last week.

Charles Wolfrom has gone on a trip to Jackson and Charlotte for a few days.

John Mow, Sr., is drawing brick from Plymouth to build a large cistern at his barn.

Mrs. Jurden, Mrs. Lee's mother, who has been very poorly the past week, is much better.

Mrs. Thom and daughter, Emily, of Jackson and E. R. Peck of Detroit were over Sunday visitors with the latter's people here.

SALEM NEWS.

Mrs. Brown's mother visited her last week.

Miss Ada Hardin spent Monday in Plymouth.

Fred Jarvis and family have moved to Ypsilanti.

Don't forget the Salem home coming on Labor day.

Rev. Clemon and family spent Monday in Detroit.

Mrs. Fred Rider and family are visiting her mother at Hand Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groth and son Willie, spent Sunday at Silver Lake.

Miss May Clark of Plymouth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Woodruff, of this place.

Mrs. A. A. Wail and family spent a delightful time camping at Silver Lake last week.

The Soldiers' Reunion was a great success. All enjoyed a pleasant time. Forty soldiers were present.

A new well is being dug on the school yard. We hope to see the new pump when school opens next Tuesday.

A large number of Salem people attended the farmers' picnic at Whitmore Lake. All enjoyed a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knébusch and baby of Cleveland spent a few days last week in Salem with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groth.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

WIXOM NEWS.

Miss Grace Stevens spent Sunday at Pearl Beach.

Miss Nellie Grant was a Detroit visitor from Saturday until the middle of this week.

The new cement walk at the school house was completed last week and fills a long felt want.

Mrs. W. T. Danton of Farmington was here last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. H. H. Johns.

Anna and Allie Madison and Grace Stevens are camping at Island Lake, chaperoned by Mrs. J. G. Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin and children of Lingsburg visited Ed. Burgess and family last week and a part of this.

Mrs. J. G. Madison, D. W. Fuller and daughter, Ethel, and John Roberts attended the funeral of John Palmer at Northville Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Grant, who has been at Salem since the death of her daughter, was home Friday for a short time, accompanied by Miss Beattie Giegler. Mrs. Grant expects to spend the winter with her son-in-law.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Prosy Talk After Dinner.

From New York comes a wall of agony. It is the despairing cry of the bored diner; the man who goes to a banquet and has his entire evening spoiled by the stupid speeches which top off the feast. He even threatens to forego this feeling; a terrible threat for a metropolis and an index of the greatness of the evil and its accompanying torture.

Keen Criticism.

An English fishmonger was asked by an autograph hunter if he had any letters from Tennyson. He replied: "No, his son writes 'em. He still keeps on the business; but he ain't a patch on his father."

Spread of Appendicitis.

Appendicitis has made such steady progress in Germany from year to year that medical societies have taken it up for special extended study.

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NOVI NEWS.

Mrs. W. A. Fry of Temple, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. I. Simmons, this week.

Mrs. L. D. Cole of Mt. Pleasant visited at the home of W. I. Simmons last week.

Rev. H. F. Jenkinson, wife and daughters, Edith and Jennie, of Chicago visited W. I. Simmons and family, W. D. Flint and wife and Earl Banks and wife last week and part of this. Mr. Jenkinson was a former pastor of the Presbyterian church of Northville.

HIDDEN DANGERS.

Nature Gives Timely Warnings That No Northville Citizen Can Afford to Ignore.

DANGER SIGNAL NO. 1 comes from the kidney secretions. They will warn you when the kidneys are sick. Well kidneys excrete a clear, amber fluid. Sick kidneys send out a thin, pale and foamy, or a thick, yellow, ill smelling urine, full of sediment and irregular of passage.

DANGER SIGNAL NO. 2 comes from the back. Back pains, dull and heavy, or sharp and acute, tell you of the sick kidneys and warn you of the approach of dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently.

Thomas Bamber, living at Highland Station, Millford, Mich., says: "Several years ago I strained the cords and muscles in my loins by lifting too heavily which affected my kidneys. I suffered from sharp, aching pains across my loins and in the small of my back. My kidneys ached irregularly and in passing the secretions I had a sharp, burning pain. Many times during the night I was forced to arise from the bed, thus disturbing my rest. A friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a box. Relief came almost immediately and soon all the trouble had disappeared. When having slight recurrences of the old trouble, a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills straightens me out. It is a very long time since I have been bothered and know that Doan's Kidney Pills cure permanently."

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Concerning Doctors.

A man may not have much faith in doctors, up to the time when the first baby arrives in his house. After that he regards them with awe.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss: At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Wayne held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit on the twenty-second day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven. Present: Edgar G. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of CALVIN STEVENS, deceased. Ida Stevens, administratrix of said estate having rendered to this court her final administration account. It is ordered, that the twentieth day of September next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Court Room, be appointed for examining and allowing said account. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

EDGAR G. DUFFEE, Judge of Probate.
ERVIN R. PALMER, Probate Clerk.

John & Frank W. Atkinson, Solicitors.
Chancery Sale, File No. 30817.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss: In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, In Chancery. In the matter of the petition of John Ziegler, administrator of the estate of MARY KLINE, deceased, for an order to show cause why the interest of said deceased in certain property should not be sold. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, John Ziegler, administrator of the estate of Mary Kline deceased, by the Hon. Joseph W. Donovan, Circuit Judge for the County of Wayne State of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation and approval by the said Circuit Court for Wayne County, In Chancery, on the 12th day of October, 1907, at two o'clock in the afternoon on the premises in Huron township, Wayne County, Michigan, all the right title and interest of the said Mary Kline, deceased, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The north one-half (1/2) of the north-west one quarter (1/4) of section thirty, (30) town four, (4) south of range nine (9) east township or Huron, Wayne County, Michigan, containing sixty-eight (68) acres, or eighty (80) acres, less twelve (12) acres.

JOHN ZIEGLER, Administrator Mary Kline Estate.
John & Frank W. Atkinson, Solicitors for petitioner.
Dated August 20th, 1907.