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WARNER ELECTED

HAS CARRIED STATE BY SAFE MAJORITY.

U. P., Detroit and Rural Districts Did It

Indications now are that Governor Warner is re-elected by a majority from 8,000 to 10,000. Nearly all the big cities, excepting Detroit, in lower peninsula gave a majority for his opponent, while the village and rural districts as a rule stood by the Governor.

The country part of Wayne county gave the governor a majority of sixteen hundred while the city did even a few better.

A Slight Misunderstanding.

The Record is requested to correct an error in regard to the improvements on the library property, which misapprehension must have arisen from the fact that the president and another of the trustees of the L. L. A. are also members of the Civic Improvement committee of the Woman's club. The work had been in contemplation by the library trustees for several years but as is well known there have been many expenses to meet and it has not been financially possible until now to undertake more. As the constitution of the association does not permit the board of trustees to delegate any of the responsibility of caring for the property it was necessary for the execution of the plans and the disbursements of the association's funds to be kept in the hands of the board, although the trustees are indebted to the C. I. committee for valuable suggestions, as well as offers of what financial aid the latter could command, but which was needed more in other directions as all realized. However, with the generous assistance given by the village council, both in money and advice, the ladies of the library board have been able to carry their plans to a conclusion on which both the institution and the village are to be congratulated.

Member L. L. A.

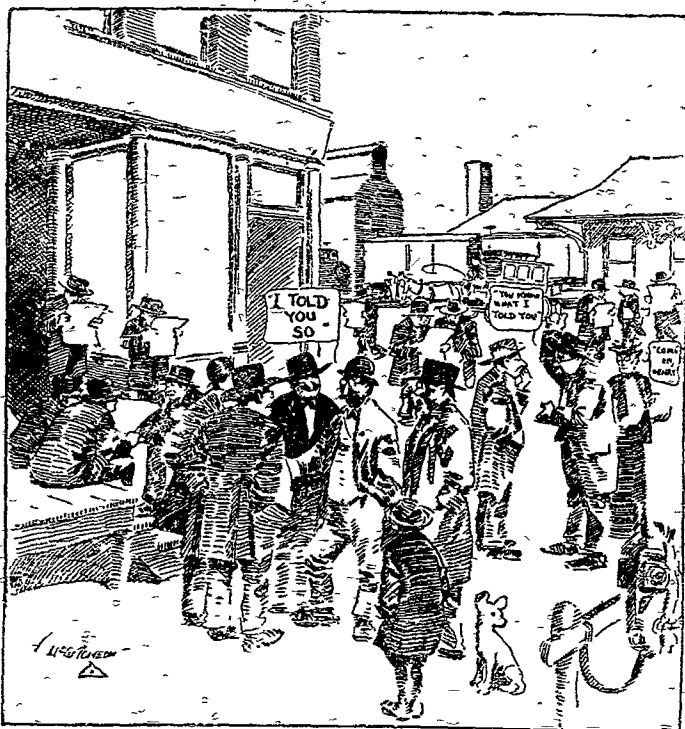
Lively Fire in Bealtown.

A defective chimney in the attic of Robert Neelands' house in Bealtown caused a two hundred dollar fire Wednesday afternoon. The fire department quickly responded to the Home Telephone company's fire alarm signals and the blaze was soon extinguished. The firemen had a busy time of it however for the day was cold and the water froze on their clothes, hampering them in their work to a considerable extent. Without the aid of the department the whole house would have "gone up in smoke" and probably an accident joining one or two.

Most of the furniture downstairs was taken to the neighbors, but the bedding and clothing upstairs was more or less damaged by water.

As a result of the shock incident to the fire, Mrs. Neelands is quite ill again.

"I TOLD YOU SO CLUB"



A BIG VOTE

CAST TUESDAY

WARNER CUT BY JUST FIFTY BRADLEY REPUBLICANS.

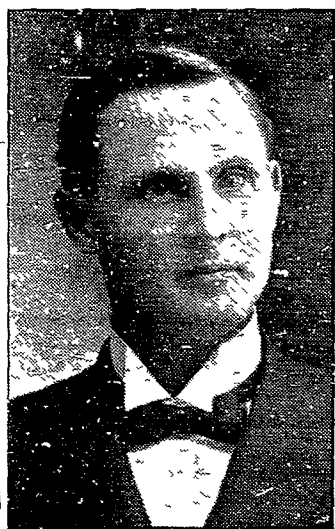
Five Hundred and Thirty-Six Votes Were Cast.

Election passed off here Tuesday in the usual quiet manner. There was some hustling to get out a big vote and in response 536 people exercised their right of franchise. The Taft electors received a majority of 295. Warner pulled in 135 majority, the fifty Bradley republicans evidently voted for him.

Judge Durfee led the county ticket by 331 majority, with Otto Stoll next with a majority of 313. The new constitution received a boost of about 100 majority here.

The voting machine was used and the count was finished in ten minutes after the polls closed.

REV. N. E. MUSSER.



The pastor of the Northville Baptist Church, who is now conducting a series of Evangelical sermons.

NEW PHONE MANAGER.

M. A. Porter Goes on Special Work for Home Co.

Chauncey Rauch of Plymouth was made manager of the Northville Home company phone exchange this week and M. A. Porter has been appointed special representative for the company with headquarters in Northville, though his work will take him out in the state the most of the time. At the present time he is establishing exchanges at River Rouge, Ecorse, Wyandotte, Trenton, Grosse Ile and Rockwood.

Mr. Porter gets a snug increase in salary and will have work just to his liking.

Mr. Rauch is a well known Plymouth business man and will look after the management of both the exchange here and at Plymouth.

LITTLE CHANGE

D. P. & N. ELECTRIC

Leaves Northville Six o'clock and Every Two Hours.

Since the recent change in the time table on the Plymouth and Wayne division of the Detroit United Lines there has been some little confusion regarding the leaving time from Northville. This confusion has been swept away by an order issued Monday of this week to the train crews.

The cars will leave the end of the line, at the hotel square, at 6 a. m. and every two hours to 6 p. m. and the waiting room at the "Y" five minutes later; then 7:30 p. m. and every two hours to 11:30 p. m. and the waiting room two minutes later. A desire has been expressed for a later through car than 6 p. m. so the company is planning in a new time table to be issued shortly for this purpose to put a through car on at 8 p. m. instead of the present 7:30 p. m. trip which is to Wayne changing cars there for Detroit. This will give an additional through car from Detroit. A later announcement will be made in the Record giving the definite date of change.

Lanning—Low.

Mr. Robert Lanning and Miss Iva Low were quietly married at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Smith, at St. Clair last Thursday and left immediately for Northville. They went to housekeeping at once in part of Mrs. Sara Lapham's house on Northside.

The groom has always lived in Northville and his many friends extend congratulations.

Card of Thanks.

We feel very grateful and wish to thank the many kind friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness, also for the many beautiful floral offerings during the recent loss of our dear wife and mother.

W. A. WOOD AND FAMILY.

MRS. MARY YERKES

PASSED AWAY

TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT HER HOME ON BASE LINE

Oldest Member of the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Mary Yerkes, widow of the late Joseph D. Yerkes, and mother of Mrs. Ella Mead and Attorney C. C. Yerkes of this place, passed away at her home on the base line Tuesday afternoon, aged eighty five years.

She was married to Mr. Yerkes at the age of seventeen years and has lived nearly always on the base line just east of this village. She was the mother of a large family of children, Mrs. Mead and Mr. Yerkes being the only survivors. She also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Wm. Yerkes, Mrs. Henry White and Mrs. Gertrude Swift.

Mrs. Yerkes was a staunch Presbyterian being the oldest member of the church here.

She possessed that sweet unassuming way that won the friendship of all with whom she came in contact and her death will be keenly felt by all.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the house, Rev. Wm. S. Jerome officiating.

Howard and Harry Fitzgerald of the Flint Journal are grandchildren of deceased.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

(By the pastor.)

The sermon next Sunday evening will be on "Lessons of the Elections."

The Ladies' Missionary society will hold their next meeting and quarterly tea at Mrs. E. H. Lapham's on Wednesday afternoon of next week. Gentlemen are invited to tea at 5:30.

Methodist Church Notes.

(By the pastor.)

The Berean class of our Sabbath school shipped five barrels of clothing to the fire sufferers up north.

The annual chicken pie dinner in the church next Tuesday evening from 5 o'clock until all are served. Adults, 25 cents; children under ten, 15 cents.

The Ladies' Aid will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. F. H. Woodworth next Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, instead of Tuesday. A good attendance is desired.

Baptist Church Notes.

(By the pastor.)

The B. Y. P. U. as usual. Topic: "Commanding Our Society."

As the political campaign is now over, why not now have a religious campaign.

The cottage prayer meeting will be held next Tuesday evening at "Grandma" Allen's West street. You are invited.

The usual services in the Baptist church next Sunday. The theme in the morning is: "The Church that Helps Her Preacher Preach."

Rev. N. E. Musser, who has had much experience in evangelical work, is now giving a series of sermons Sunday evenings on vital gospel subjects. The topic for Sunday evening is: "Have You Settled Your Account with God?" Come out and hear him.

Card of Thanks.

Robert Neelands and family wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their kind assistance at the time of the fire Wednesday, and also the ladies who cared for the clothing.

Is This True?

A large proportion of the stories in demand at "select" libraries are the reverse of creditable to our views on women. But it is only fair to add that many of the most pronounced of these are written by women. Men seldom write this unwholesome fiction, nor do they read it with avidity. The study of illicit passion appeals most to certain feminine temperaments. I am afraid that cannot be denied.—Arthur Wallace, in "The Crown."

For Sale.

If you have anything for sale try a ner in the Record Want column.



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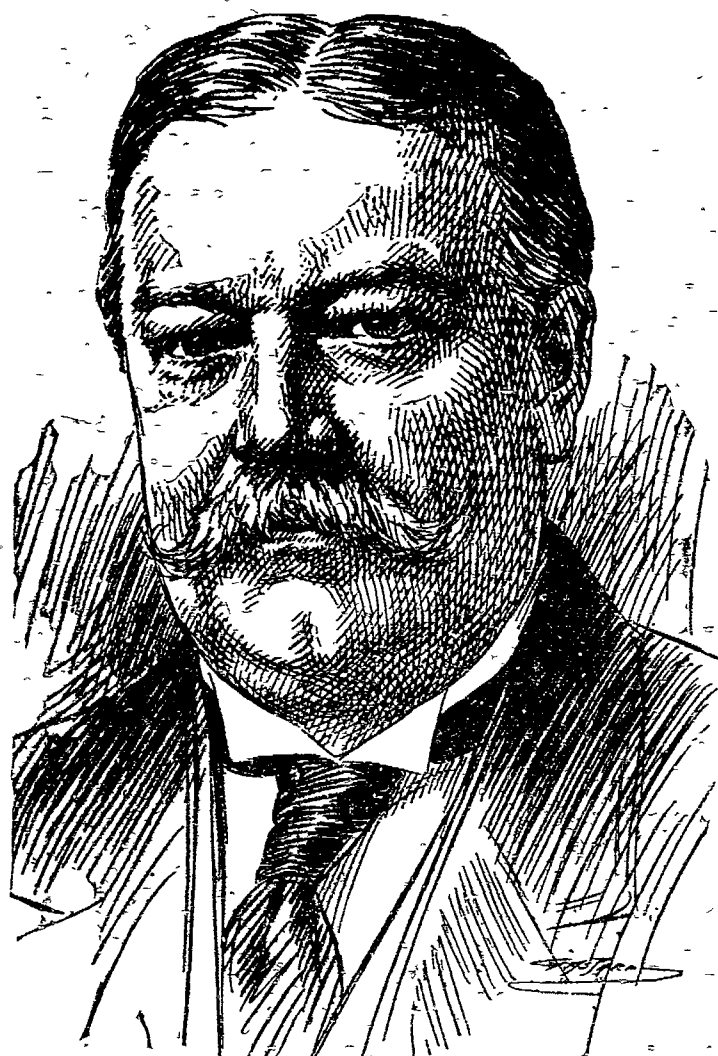
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TAFT AND SHERMAN

The Later Returns of The Election Are of Interest. Showing Clearly That Taft's Majority is Large and Decisive.

THE VOTERS OF MICHIGAN GIVE WARNER ANOTHER TERM WITH A COMFORTABLE MAJORITY OF THE LEGISLATURE.



WILLIAM H. TAFT

William Howard Taft has been elected president of the United States by a majority of electoral votes which seems likely to be only increased by the corrections and changes yet to come. From present indications the electoral vote will be Taft, 301, Bryan, 182.

The story told by the post election figures is full of surprises for both sides. In the Republican column his safe pluralities are the Dakotas, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, New York and Wyoming, all of which the Bryan lead confidently expected to win. On the other hand, the Bryan list shows Nebraska and Maryland, both of which the Republicans believed safe, while the later figures indicate that the Democrats also carried Colorado.

A Surprise.

Taft carried New York city by 15,000, a great surprise, as it is usually counted on for a Democratic majority.

Taft's plurality in New York state is 189,334, exceeding by 14,000 Roosevelt's big majority of 1904.

The Republican lead in the national congress is unquestionably retained and perhaps somewhat added to. The house will have a Republican majority variously estimated at from 35 to 65. The senate will retain its present majority, and of the 31 new senators to be chosen the greater number will be elected by Republican legislatures.

In New York state, Gov. Hughes, while running almost 150,000 votes behind Taft, has approximately plurality above Lieut. Gov. Chanler of 76,000. In Illinois Gov. Deneen is likewise re-elected.

A Strange Feature.

One of the strange features about the results of the election is the number of northern states which chose Democratic governors while still giving their electoral votes to Taft. In Ohio, Judson Harmon, formerly a member of the cabinet under Cleveland, is elected over Gov. Harris, although Taft carried the state by about 50,000. In Indiana, James E. Watson, the Republican nominee and an influential member of the Cannon regime in congress, is beaten by Thos. R. Marshall, a Democrat heretofore not prominent in politics. In Minnesota, Gov. Johnson is elected for a third term, while practically everything else went Republican. West Virginia is probably for Taft, while the election of Bennett, Democrat, as governor is conceded. The same situation exists in Montana. Nebraska elects a Democratic governor.

The governorship of Missouri appears to have been won by Attorney General Hadley, Republican. In this state Senator "Gunshoe" Bill Stone has apparently a heavy lead over Gov. Folk for the United States senate.

Indiana Divides.

The present is the first time since the time of Grant that Indiana's electoral and state tickets have been carried by opposite parties. Grant received the Hoosier electoral vote, while Thos. A. Hendricks was elected governor at the same time. Tuesday's vote gives Taft 15,000 plurality and Marshall, for governor, 8,000. The result is accredited to local issues, of which the temperance or local option question was by far the most important. The election of Marshall is only

to be construed as an expression of dissatisfaction with the county option anti-saloon legislation forced through the legislature at the recent special session by Gov. Hanly. The Democrats gain one congressman possibly two.

Surprising Changes.

The Ohio legislature is to select a successor to Senator Foraker next year and partial returns received would indicate that the body will be closely divided, if it is not Democratic. The Democrats gain two congressmen in this state. The Taft majority is 70,000.

Greatly to the surprise of the leaders, Bryan has carried practically everything in sight in his own state of Nebraska. A normal Republican majority of 20,000 has been reversed to give Bryan 10,000 plurality. Gov. Sheldon, Republican, is defeated for re-election, and the Commonwealth, for the first time in the history of his career as a presidential candidate, carried his precinct city, county and state.

Republican pluralities in many states were slashed mercilessly in the national contests. Illinois cut its Roosevelt plurality of 205,000 down to 170,000 for Taft. Iowa, which gave Roosevelt 158,000, gave Taft but 40,000. Missouri wiped out a Republican presidential majority of 75,000.

Independent Vote.

The Hearst Independence party vote was almost insignificant, taking the country over. In New York city his men polled 28,000 votes.

"The east elected the president, as usual," declare the Democratic campaign leaders, and support the claim by pointing out that a chief source of Bryan's strength was in the middle west, while New England, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania stacked up the heavy Taft electoral votes, the far west dividing its strength.

President Congratulates.

At midnight President Roosevelt telegraphed Mr. Taft: "I need hardly say how heartily I congratulate you, and the country even more."

To Gov. Hughes the president said: "Accept my heartiest congratulations to you and for the state."

At the same time he telegraphed to Chairman Hitchcock as follows: "Accept my heartiest congratulations upon the great result which you have done so much to bring about."

And to Representative Loudenslang, treasurer of the Republican congressional committee: "Accept my heartiest congratulations."

After Views.

The Democrats at national headquarters and also state headquarters in the Hoffman house, were perfectly aware, shortly after dusk Tuesday that Taft had carried New York state by a rousing plurality. Very few at Democratic national headquarters cared to say anything about a possible rejuvenation of the Democratic party in the nation and in the states north of the Mason and Dixon line and west of the Missouri river, at this time.

The party, in the estimation of the campaigners, has received a blow from which it may not quickly recover.

The House.

At 1 a m Wednesday it looked as if the Republicans would have a majority

of about 70 in the next house. There will be many familiar faces in the new congress, including Speaker Cannon and his chief lieutenants, Messrs. Payne, Dalzell, Tawney, Burton, of Ohio; McCall, of Massachusetts; and Bartholdt, of Missouri. There was especially vigorous opposition to Messrs. Cannon, Tawney and Dalzell, but they are all reported as victorious.

On the Democratic side Champ Clark and De Armond, of Missouri; Clayton, of Alabama; Rainey, of Illinois; Ollie James, of Kentucky; Randall, of Louisiana; and Harrison and Fitzgerald, of New York, are all certainly returned.

How States Voted.

Massachusetts has been carried by Taft by about 100,000. Mr. Bryan carried the city of Boston by twelve votes. For governor, Draper is successful by 70,000.

In Connecticut Mr. Taft's plurality is 25,000, it is estimated, somewhat less than Roosevelt's four years ago.

The returns from Rhode Island indicate that it has gone for Taft by 10,000.

New Hampshire plurality for Mr. Taft will be in the neighborhood of 20,000.

Maine has declared for Mr. Taft by 35,000, approximately what Mr. Roosevelt received.

New Jersey surprised even the Republican prognosticators, and is in the Taft column by upwards of 30,000, a figure considerably in excess of Mr. Roosevelt's plurality in 1904.

Mr. Bryan carried the solid south, the reports indicating that the negroes in some of the states, Georgia, for instance, voted for him in large numbers.

In the middle west Mr. Bryan did not make the running his managers expected. Illinois gives Mr. Taft a plurality of at least 75,000 and Gov. Deneen wins over Adlai Stevenson by an estimated plurality of 30,000. Mr. Taft carried the city of Chicago by 40,000.

In Indiana the reports at 7 o'clock this morning indicate that Taft has carried the state by the narrowest of pluralities, 3,000, it is estimated. Thos. R. Marshall, the Democratic candidate for governor, is elected over James E. Watson. In Marion county, where Indianapolis is located, which gave Mr. Roosevelt 12,000 four years ago, Mr. Taft beat Mr. Bryan by 12 votes.

Ohio, according to returns up to 1 o'clock, has gone for Taft by a safe plurality, but the race for the governorship is close. Judson Harmon, Democratic candidate, was claiming his election at midnight over Gov. Harris.

Michigan rolled up the usual Republican plurality. It is enrolled in the Taft column by probably 125,000.

Minnesota provided another old-time Republican landslide plurality, about 100,000, according to returns up to this hour. Johnson is re-elected.

Missouri furnished one of the tightest contests anywhere in the country. Bryan is successful in that state by less than 5,000, according to the early returns.

Nebraska is claimed by the Republicans by 15,000, although the Democrats insist that the result is still in doubt.

Colorado's plurality for Mr. Taft will equal what it gave Mr. Roosevelt four years ago. Generally in the Pacific coast states the Republican pluralities are imposing, although in most cases a little below the Roosevelt figures.

Iowa went Republican by about 40,000. Kansas leaned to Mr. Taft by 20,000. Idaho is Republican by a small plurality. Nevada is Democratic by perhaps 2,000.

In Kentucky, where the fight was hot, there was a Democratic gain over four years ago. Mr. Bryan has carried the state by an estimated plurality of 10,000.

Oklahoma gave Mr. Bryan a sizeable plurality.

The latest returns from Pennsylvania indicate a Republican plurality on the national ticket of 250,000.

Delaware is for Taft by perhaps 2,500.

Hopeful Mr. Bryan.

W. J. Bryan received at his home "fairview," the returns which early told him that for the third time he had been defeated in the greatest ambition of his life.

Confident of victory to the very last, he was not prepared to believe that his cause was lost until the pluralities of his Republican opponent piled up such proportions as to leave no room for doubt. When the early returns came in he made particular inquiries regarding the state of New York and found much encouragement in that state over the Democratic vote of 1904, but as the figures continued to be received he relied on Greater New York to offset the heavy Taft vote above the Harlem river.

Even in that he was bitterly disappointed and he soon realized that the state was hopelessly gone and with it his prospects of being elected.

According to the predictions of his managers he was led to believe that he would be elected without the aid of the Empire state, and he turned his inquiries toward Ohio and Indiana. The heavy Democratic gain in the thirteenth Ohio district was a source of interest and to him indicated that the prophecies that Ohio would go Democratic would be fulfilled.

The Electoral Vote.

Based upon returns received up to midnight, the vote of the electoral college for president will be as follows:

	Taft.
California	10
Connecticut	7
Delaware	3
Idaho	3
Illinois	27
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
Kansas	10
Maine	6
Maryland	8
Massachusetts	16
Michigan	14
Minnesota	11
Montana	3
Nebraska	8
New Hampshire	4
New Jersey	12
New York	39

North Dakota	4
Ohio	23
Oregon	4
Pennsylvania	34
Rhode Island	4
South Dakota	4
Utah	4
Vermont	4
Washington	5
West Virginia	7
Wisconsin	13
Total	314

Alabama	11
Arkansas	9
Colorado	5
Florida	5
Georgia	13
Kentucky	13
Louisiana	9
Mississippi	10
Missouri	18
Montana	3
Nevada	3
North Carolina	12
Oklahoma	7
South Carolina	7
Tennessee	12
Texas	18
Virginia	12
Total	169

In 1896 McKinley received 271 electoral votes and Bryan 149.

In 1906 McKinley received 292 electoral votes and Bryan 115.

In 1904 Roosevelt had 336 electoral votes and Parker 140.



JAMES S. SHERMAN

MICHIGAN.

The State Goes For Taft—Race For Governor.

Taft has carried Michigan by an overwhelming plurality, which will probably reach 100,000. Republicans claimed the state by even more than that, some leaders saying that Roosevelt's majority of 227,000 four years ago would nearly be reached.

The entire Michigan Republican delegation to congress is probably elected. In the Fifth district, Edwin F. Sweet gave G. J. Diekmann a run, but the Democratic candidate was likely defeated, although complete returns were not at hand at midnight.

In all of the cities Hemans ran ahead of his ticket and in most of them he was given large pluralities over Warner. In Saginaw fifteen out of twenty precincts gave Hemans 4,819 and Warner 2,451, while the same precincts gave Taft 4,329 and Bryan 3,160.

Late reports Wednesday indicated the election of Warner for governor by 5,000 to 10,000. Mr. Hemans said: "I certainly believe I am elected. The returns are just about what I expected."

Neither surprising or disappointing I expect to carry Wayne county, from which the returns are not in yet. I have a good show in Menominee, and I shall get some votes in the upper peninsula."

"I see no reason for being discouraged," said Gov. Warner. "As nearly as I can understand, I am running about 5,000 or 6,000 ahead of Hemans outside of Wayne and Menominee. I am waiting to hear from those counties. I learned from the primaries not to believe myself defeated because of the first returns."

The legislature is Republican in both branches by good majorities.

Senators Elected.

The following candidates for the state senate, all Republicans, were chosen.

Sixth Dist.—W. R. Taylor, R. Seventh Dist.—Charles White, R. Eighth Dist.—E. N. Bates, R. Ninth Dist.—A. C. Kingman, R. Tenth Dist.—L. Whitney Watkins, R.

Eleventh Dist.—James E. Water, R. Twelfth Dist.—Frank J. Newton, R. Thirteenth Dist.—Francis J. Shields, R.

Fourteenth Dist.—Arthur J. Tuttle, R. Fifteenth Dist.—Loren J. Dickenson, R.

Sixteenth Dist.—Carl E. Mapes, R. Seventeenth Dist.—Horace T. Barnaby, R.

Eighteenth Dist.—W. H. Bradley, R. Nineteenth Dist.—Fred B. Kline, R. Twentieth Dist.—W. H. Aiken, R. Twenty-first Dist.—E. G. Fox, R. Twenty-second Dist.—J. H. Whitney, R.

Twenty-third Dist.—T. H. Boldt, R. Twenty-fourth Dist.—W. A. Collins, R. Twenty-fifth Dist.—W. A. Collins, R. Twenty-sixth Dist.—Earl Fairbanks, R.

Twenty-seventh Dist.—Fred C. Wetmore, R. Twenty-eighth Dist.—Eugene Foster, R.

Twenty-ninth Dist.—Otto Fowle, R. Thirtieth Dist.—W. H. Moriarty, R. Thirty-first Dist.—C. Smith, R. Thirty-second Dist.—C. Smith, R.

The New Constitution.

While returns from the state on the vote for the new constitution were very meager at midnight, it appeared as if the vote was overwhelmingly in favor of its adoption.

A few places that had reported on the question, all gave big majorities in favor of its adoption.

MUSKEGON IS MYSTIFIED

THE APPEARANCE OF A WOMAN—SUPPOSED TO BE DEAD—CAUSES IT.

IMPRISONED BY HUSBAND

Bought From Her Mother and Taken To The Woods by Purchaser—The Story Told is a Sad One.

Muskegon officers are investigating the reported appearance at Thompsonville, a small village near here, of Mrs. Orlin Davidson, aged 28 years, who, it is claimed, is now at the home of her widowed mother. The woman, it is said, has not been seen in years and friends believed her dead. The entire country is stirred up over the affair.

It is claimed by residents of Blue Lake township that Mrs. Davidson had up to a few days ago been kept imprisoned from the world by her husband in a little hut in the woods in that vicinity. They claim that she was bought from her mother 14 years ago by Davidson, then a full-grown man, and taken into the woods. The couple, it is said, had one child, which died a few weeks ago. The mother desired to give it a burial and have relatives attend, but this Davidson, Montague residents assert, refused, and the infant child was laid away with only the parents present, the burial work being executed by the father.

This angered the mother, they declare, and she determined to escape. The story goes that she did escape and is now in Thompsonville.

The reports first came to the ears of Coroner George G. Mooz, of Montague, and he immediately informed the sheriff's office of the conditions in the Davidson home. The name of the mother, who is said to live at Thompsonville, is not known and the reports cannot as yet be substantiated.

Investigate Forestry Conditions. Wesley Bradford, first assistant, United States forestry service, and A. A. Winne, an expert in lumber and lumber, both from Washington, have been in Lansing and procured data that will enable them to investigate forestry conditions in Michigan, including the value of state lands and forest fires. One of the documents from which they took copious notes was the report of the special forestry commission appointed by Gov. Warner, which report stirred up a sensation in connection with the state land office when it was published. The investigators from Washington left for the upper peninsula, planning to go over that field before snow flies and to work back through the lower peninsula.

Shot His Brother.

Eno Hill, 14, was shot and instantly killed Saturday by his brother Samuel, 12, at Spur 454, on the Soo line, while shooting at a squirrel. The bullet struck him below the eye. The boys were after squirrels and birds on opposite sides of a clump of bushes and logs and could not see each other. Their parents are prostrated. Sheriff Lipset made an investigation and decided that an inquest is not necessary, as the affair was purely accidental.

Man Decapitated.

Losing his balance in attempting to remove a splinter from a log and falling against a rapidly revolving saw, Irving T. Barrett, of Grand Rapids, was decapitated in his father's saw mill, two miles west of Ewen, in the upper peninsula. He was 26 years old. In addition to the father and mother, the young man is survived by one sister, Mrs. Edward J. Hart, of Grand Rapids.

MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

George G. Grimes, editor and proprietor of the Adrian Press, died Tuesday of Bright's disease.

Henrietta Kempen, aged 3, of Kalamazoo, was burned to death in her home while playing with matches.

C. W. McConnell, of Kalamazoo, and his wife passed through Lansing Tuesday night on a tramp to Detroit, to look for work.

The Hubbell postoffice seven miles from Calumet, was burglarized, the safe blown open, the registered mail rifled and \$500 taken.

Nellie Tiemeyer, of Grand Rapids, who was shot twice by August Saner, is now out of danger although the bullets punctured the intestines in seven places.

A Haslin was seriously if not fatally injured while blasting stumps on his farm near Norway. His body was badly cut up and bruised. Physicians hold slight hopes for his recovery.

Residents of the south side, Grand Rapids, have presented a petition 20 feet long to the council, complaining of the "intensely annoying" locomotive whistles and asking that some action be taken to abate the nuisance.

The supreme court has set aside the change of venue to Kalamazoo county, granted by the circuit court to Frank Lyle and L. W. Gage, the bankers accused of conspiracy to embezzle, and they will be tried in Cass county during the November term of the circuit court.

Ann Arbor city council finally has decided to settle for \$3,000 with 25 persons whose property was damaged seven years ago by the flooding of Allen's creek. The cases have gone to the supreme court twice and were decided adversely to the city both times.

Prosecuting Attorney John W. Powers has issued an order to Grand Rapids confectionery and bakery store proprietors ordering them to close on Sunday. The merchants declare that they will not comply with the order unless drug stores and all other places of business are also ordered to close.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS.

By cash bonuses of \$4,000 and the gift of land worth \$2,000, the Business Men's association has induced two new factories to locate here.

The Saginaw county drain investigation, begun with sensational expectations several months ago, has ended. No corruption was found.

The appendix was removed from Floyd Johnson, of Traverse City, and was found to be 25 times the normal size and gripping other organs.

A new trial has been denied to Jerome E. Nichols, the Battle Creek business man sentenced to Jackson for assaulting 12-year-old Margaret Le Parl.

Robert Colwell, former Port Huron man, who extorted money from a Sarnia man by posing as a detective and accusing the former of murder, got 15 years.

Wilfred Bell, who was killed by falling from a car near Au Sable Saturday, is the third member of the D. & M. train crew to be killed within four months.

The citizens of Gratiot county, through a resolution passed by the board of supervisors, has voted \$200 for the benefit of the northern fire sufferers.

Clyde Sturgis, of Muskegon, a naval apprentice, is near death in the government hospital in San Domingo from scalding accidentally received on a revenue cutter.

Thomas L. Price, aged 70 years, who resides in Goodwell, Newaygo county, has been sent to the county jail for 30 days for beating his wife, who is 68 years old.

The warehouse of E. O. Endress, a well-known commercial fisherman, was burned at Grand Marais Thursday. Fishing paraphernalia valued at \$11,000 was destroyed.

Jacob Butcher, a Marquette cigar manufacturer, has been missing in the woods since Friday. Searching parties found his gun and his cap, the latter being stained with blood.

"Teachers will not receive any larger wages a hundred years from now than they do today," Prof. Taylor told them in a lecture at Ann Arbor. On account of their low pay he advocated old age pensions for them.

Dependent over the death of his wife last June, George Rooney, of Ann Arbor, took laudanum and died. "I had a happy home once, but now it's all over," said Rooney to the physician who tried to save his life.

Jacob Bender, who escaped from the Michigan insane asylum Friday, was found in the woods near Leonard Monday morning. He was suffering greatly from exposure and died a few hours after being taken to the institution.

George S. Groh, administrator of the estate of George H. Groh, has brought suit for \$25,000 against the Ann Arbor railroad because of the death of the latter, an engineer, who was scalded to death Aug. 29 in his locomotive.

Oscar Papst, a young Jamestown township farmer, lost his right hand in a corn husker Saturday. Only the thumb remains, the rest of the hand being taken off up at the wrist. He was brought to the Saginaw general hospital.

A hallowe'en prank may cost G. K. Kirkland, aged 70, of Battle Creek, his life. He was hurrying home early in the evening when he tripped over a rope that boys had stretched across the sidewalk. He fell heavily and was found unconscious.

The state military board has authorized Capt. Beckwith, of Bay City, to purchase a piece of land near Bay City for a rifle range for \$1,800. The range will be 1,200 yards long and 110 yards wide.

James Osborn, of Red Jacket, who has lived in the Lake Superior district ever since 1857, has voted for every Republican candidate for president since Fremont and says that he will cast his fourteenth Republican ballot for Taft on Tuesday.

Three prisoners are free as the result of a fire which destroyed the White Pigeon jail Saturday night. A posse has been hunting for them, but as yet no trace of them has been found. The other prisoners remained and helped fight the fire.

Charles Wilber, aged 20, was killed Sunday morning while out hunting with several companions north of Bay City. Wilber leaned the gun against a stump, and in reaching for it, he bent over the stump and pulled it toward him with the muzzle pointing at his chest.

When her dress caught fire from an open grate, Mrs. Claud W. Buckley, of Battle Creek, paid no heed to it until she had carried her baby daughter at arm's length to safety. Then she put out the fire in her clothing. She was terribly burned and hospital physicians say she may die.

Declaring the co-eds of the university and Prof. Wenley have been placed in a false light by Mrs. Mitchell Keyes' book, "The Road to Damascus," T. A. Major, a pharmanic student from Manistee, has written a book in defense of them. His work, which is nearly completed, contains 38 chapters and will be known as "The Road From Damascus."

In his monthly report, Warden Armstrong, of the state prison, states that the October receipts from the binding twine plant at the prison were \$30,934. He also says that the manufacture of binding twine in the prison enabled farmers to purchase it at a price two cents per pound less than it had been before in the last 15 years.

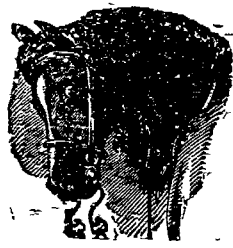
During the communion services in the First Baptist church, Bay City, Sunday, Rev. M. A. Graybiel told his congregation that while he did not presume to advise them, he himself, although a Republican, intended to vote for Lawton T. Hemans for governor. He said that he considered Hemans the better man for the office.

A man entered the residence of County School Commissioner B. S. Tefft, of Saginaw, in broad daylight, while the family were away from home, Sunday, and carried off a valuable violin and a quantity of jewelry. Neighbors saw the man leaving the house with the violin case, but thought nothing of the matter until the robbery was reported.

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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Merritt & Co. are selling Christmas goods.
Mrs. S. J. Lawrence has been ill in bed the past week.
G. W. & F. Dolph have something to say about glasses.
Mrs. L. W. Simmons was ill with rheumatism last week.
Mrs. Hirsch's sale was a success; everything being disposed of.
Satorvsky & Son are having a reduction sale in underwear.
Mrs. J. W. Turner is able to walk around the room but is still very weak.
The "500" club met with Mrs. Robertson Tuesday night and had a most delightful time.
The W. C. T. U. is holding a convention in the Methodist church today. Everybody is invited.
Miss Hazel Bovee and a few of her friends engaged in various Halloween games at her home Saturday evening.
The regular monthly meeting of the trustees of the Library occurs tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.
The funeral of Mrs. Webster-Wood was held from her late home Saturday afternoon and was largely attended.
T. J. Perkins is advertising his eleventh annual fall sale by large sized bills printed at the Record office this week.
Special Communication of Northville Lodge, No. 186, F. & A. M., will be held Monday evening, Nov. 9, for work in the E. A. degree.
Mrs. W. S. Jerome entertained the Kenjockey club of Detroit on Monday afternoon. Eleven ladies enjoyed a very pleasant "In Door Meet."
Mrs. Ezekiel Dingman, who has been in Farmington the past few months taking osteopath treatment for rheumatism, was home for a few days the latter part of last week.
The Citizen's Telephone company, under the direction of Manager Thompson gave election returns all night in the Rink Tuesday evening. Prompt and accurate returns were given to a goodly sized crowd.
Louis Cook left Monday for Detroit where he has accepted a position as clerk in Beck & Grin's grocery store. For more than a year Louis has been laid up with rheumatism and it is only within the past few weeks that he has been able to work.
The Wayne High school foot ball team will play a game with the Northville High school team this (Friday) afternoon. On account of the Athletic grounds undergoing repairs this game will be played on Chas. Yerkes' farm on Northside.
If the boys who took away Mrs. Estella Harrington's front steps would bring them back and put them in place, they would be doing something worthy of note. It is a shame to treat a widow, and an invalid at that, in such a way. Boys, how would you like to have your mother treated like that?
Hester and Marion Power entertained their Sabbath school class at a Halloween party Saturday from 3 o'clock until 7 and if there are any tricks they did not try they would like to know it and they will be sure to try them next year. Mrs. Power served supper in genuine Halloween style, too, and that put a finishing touch on everything.
Those who had the pleasure last winter of hearing Mrs. Chaffee Workman, principal of the Noble school of elocution, Detroit, will be glad to enjoy her inimitable impersonations when she appears here again Nov. 17 for the Library association. Also the many loyal friends of the library will be glad to thus assist the library board in paying for the fine improvements recently made on the property.
The usual Halloween pranks were played Saturday night, such as carrying away door steps, wagons, signs, porch chairs etc. The boys were a little mixed though when they placed the "street sprinkler" in front of the Baptist church instead of the Methodist or Presbyterian church, as the two last named believe in "sprinkling." Considerable damage was reported done to property in various places.
The "500" club gave Mrs. Angie Hueston a "ghostly" surprise Saturday night and after she recovered from her "fright" she joined the crowd and made friendly calls on several of their neighbors. On their return home two of their number sneaked in ahead of them and gave them a shower bath from an upstairs window. They finally settled down to several games of cards after which refreshments were served.
Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves the itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

L. L. Ball is still dealing in photographs. Read his ad.

Wm. Gorton is making a specialty of gent's and boys' furnishings.

Frank Fry has sold his house and lot on Cady street to a Mr. Russell.
D. P. Yerkes is gaining slowly and is able to sit up an hour at a time.

Taylor-Woolfenden has special bargains in silks and linens this week.

Mrs. C. D. Pinkerton, who has been ill with a severe cold, is able to be out again.

Geo. Taylor and family have moved onto the I. N. Starkweather farm west of town.

Fred Roßbacher and family have moved into the Waterman house on Randolph street.

Miss Cecil Johnson entertained twelve friends at a Halloween party Saturday evening.

The local W. C. T. U. and Sunshine society each sent two boxes of clothing to the fire sufferers recently.

Mrs. Horace Green, who has been ill with spinal trouble for some time, is improving slowly.

Ed Seagrist is the new manager of the Star Theatre and is making a hustle for a larger patronage.

Miss Nannie Benton has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to walk up town Monday.

The L. O. T. M. M. will hold a box social in Chadwick's hall Tuesday evening, Nov. 10. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Wm S. Jerome addressed the Ladies' Missionary society of the Birmingham Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Aline Smith entertained a couple of friends from Wayne and a few of her classmates Saturday night in Halloween style.

Mrs. John Hirsch entertained friends at supper from Greenfield, Southfield, Redford, Plymouth and Salem last Saturday.

Don't forget the 5 o'clock chicken pie dinner in the Methodist church next Tuesday evening. Adults 25c; children under ten 15c.

Mrs. Huldah Simmons has rented rooms in Mrs. F. H. Woodworth's house on the corner of Dunlap and Wing streets, where she will remain for the winter.

Mrs. Estella Harrington, who has been taking treatment at Ann Arbor the past few weeks, returned home Wednesday night, considerably improved in health.

Twelve of Miss Irene Dixon's friends enjoyed a chestnut hunt and marshmallow roast at her home Saturday evening. Halloween games were also played.

The Home Phone Company ran a special wire into the Record office and returns were received with much interest, though up to midnight they were chilly on the state ticket. Towards morning they braced up considerably.

Mrs. Alex Simon's birthday occurred Thursday, Oct. 29, and several of her Detroit friends suddenly appeared on the scene to help her celebrate the occasion. She was the recipient of a number of presents. The day was a very enjoyable one and the guests wished their hostess many returns.

A Halloween party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cook Friday evening by Mrs. Cook and Mrs. S. D. Meserault in honor of their sons, Louis and Glenn. There were ghost marches, fortune telling and games of all kinds, after which flinch was indulged in for a time. A dainty supper was served to which all did ample justice.

As Ray Haddock was going home to supper Saturday night, he saw a crowd of boys around A. W. Olde's house doing considerable mischief. He started after them and caught one fellow who thought it was Mr. Olde and he says: "Please Mr. Olde let me go. I didn't do it. I'll be good." Ray saw he was pretty well scared, so let him go. This is the second time Ray has distinguished himself as a protector against house-breakers and "such."

Several from here have gone up north to slaughter partridge, quail, deer and anything else that comes in front of their guns. A. W. Olde, Frank Lewis, Ed. Lockwood and Frank Hills have gone to Munising; A. C. Balden is at Fox River; Geo. Hueston, C. A. Sessions, Glenn Richardson, of this place, Chas. Dear of Novi, Fred Fry of Detroit and Mr. Gutberck of Lansing will stop at McKinley, Ed. Wood and Chas. Bloom are at Big Rock and Geo. Stanley is in the Upper Peninsula with a party of Detroit friends.

Allen, the Stove Man.
Am located in Northville and am prepared to do all kinds of repairing: Stoves, lawn mowers, clothes wringers and sewing machines. Castings for all stoves 12c per lb. in stove. Second hand gasoline stoves for sale. Phone residence, 128 x.

G. P. ALLEN.

Letters for the following persons are advertised at the postoffice this week:

Mrs. Fred Madgwick
W. C. Barbour & Co.

Fred L. Cook & Co., of Farmington is telling you about sporting goods this week.

Watch out for the King's Daughters' entertainment in the Opera house in the near future.

The Record Printing Plant is being equipped by Carpenter & Huff with one of the new Bell Furnaces.

Congressman Townsend is re-elected by a majority of probably 10,000 of which Wayne county gave him 2,400.

In one day this week, while in an up-town office, President Harmon of the Bell Foundry Co. received four telephone orders for Great Bell Furnaces.

The Star Theatre has been putting on some extra attractions this week. Saturday night a baritone singer from Detroit will be present as an additional feature.

Grand Gold Medal contest tonight in the Methodist church. Seven contestants each having already won a silver and gold medal. Mrs. Frances E. Preston of Detroit, a well known professional reader, will also favor the audience while the judges are making their decision. Good music. Admission 15c and 25c.

Northville seldom has fires that people do not keep posted as to the signals. The going on the engine house rung Wednesday for a minute or two before anyone caught on to the fact that the one long and one short signal meant a fire in Beal town. It might be well to tack a signal card up on the engine house and other central points in the village.

Charity Begins at Home.
In regard to the duties of the clubwoman to her own family a writer in a current periodical says: "The husband and home have the first claim on a wife's individual attention. It is a consideration of the proper meeting of domestic demands that she receives her board, lodging and such other emoluments as are her portion. For apart from sentimental considerations, marriage is a business arrangement on a cash basis, and a woman is no more justified in delegating her obligations to a hireling who can't not possibly be a qualified substitute, than she would be in undertaking a commercial position on a salary and then turning over a part of her important work to the office boy while collecting the pay for full service."

Tipping Barred.
A well known New York hostelry has inaugurated an anti-gratuity policy at least the current season. The servants of the place are full and satisfactory in their services from and are neither permitted to do they expect to be kind from guests.

His Busy Day.
Gen Winfield Scott, on August 20, 1847, gained five victories in a day while marching to the City of Mexico. —Toledo News Bee

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Of all that dirty work of polishing your stove with stove polish if it is going to burn off the first time you use your stove? If you would give your stove one coat of STOVINK (no polishing necessary) it will stay black for one month even if your stove gets red hot every day. Will not burn or rub off; is not explosive. A child can apply it. 25 cents.

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Two Thousand Yards of COLORED TAFFETAS in a selection of very desirable street and evening shades. The quality is one we have sold in our regular stock at 75c and 85c.

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LINEN DEPARTMENT—
Special Reductions for This Week.

68-inch Heavy Silver Bleach Damask, reduced from \$1 to 85 cents.
72-inch Irish Bleached Damask, reduced from \$1.15 to 95c.
5 x 8 Bleached Napkins, reduced from \$1.85 to \$1.60.
22-inch Fine Irish Bleached Napkins, reduced from \$3.75 to \$3.
18 x 26 All Linen Hemstitched Towels, reduced from 20c to 17c.
26 x 40 Fine Huck Towels, reduced from 35c to 29c.
Full-sized Satin Quilts, plain, reduced from \$2.25 to \$1.88.
Full-sized Satin Quilts, fringed, reduced from \$2.75 to \$2.25.

One lot of Fine Linen Openwork Japanese Boylie—
6 inch, regular price 15c, for 10c
9 inch, regular price 18c, for 12 1/2c
12 inch, regular price 25c, for 15c

THE OSTERMOOR MATTRESS LEADS THE WORLD.

Don't fail to read the full-page "ad" in the November number of the Ladies' Home Journal.

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"Come take a Photograph of My Old Kentucky Home" and as "Any old place that I hang my hat is Home, Sweet Home to me." I went and took a Photo for him and gave one to "Annie Laurie" who lives "On the Banks of the Wabash."

A PHOTOGRAPH

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There is only a short time before Xmas and some one will give you a Photo and expect one in return. So be prepared and have the work done where you know it will receive prompt and careful manipulation by one who positively Guarantees Satisfaction.

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Superb in Quality

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Is absolutely reliable; made to give the very best service that could possibly be expected for the money, and in Style and Fit it gives a distinctive, well dressed appearance to the wearer which has heretofore been obtained only in the very highest priced garments.

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Nat Anderson, Greenwood, S. C., says: "Kidney trouble began about five years ago with dull backache, which got so severe in time that I could not get around. The kidney secretions became badly disordered, and at times there was almost a complete stop of the flow. I was exhausted again and again and treated to no avail, and kept getting worse. I have to praise Doan's Kidney Pills for my final relief and cure. Since using them I have gained in strength and flesh and have no sign of kidney trouble."

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Bill Doolittle's System a Good One, But Not Attractive.

"Dyin' and smoking hurts y'u?" asks Hi Biddle, a Yankee lawyer, in Willie Brook's story, "The Solar Machine," in Harper's.

"It probably doesn't do me any good," I said; "but I'd have trouble quitting it."

"No, y'u wouldn't. Smoke this." He took from his vest pocket the fellow to the stogie in his mouth and tossed it across the table to me. "Ever hear how Bill Doolittle lived on ten cents a week?"

I confessed that Bill's economies had never been brought to my attention.

"Wal," said Biddle, "he took dinner with a friend on Sunday, an' ate enough to last 'im till Wednesday. Then he bought ten cents' worth o' tripe, an' he hated tripe so like thunder that it lasted 'im the rest o' the week. These seegars work a good deal like that tripe. You take to smokin' 'em, an' y'u won't want more'n one or two a day."

The Doctor's Fee.

The average man will give a lawyer \$300 to \$500, together with a lifetime's praise, to keep him out of the penitentiary for from two to ten years, and at the same time he will raise a phosphorescent glow and a kick that can be heard around the world if a doctor charges him \$50 to \$100 to keep him out of hell for a lifetime. We are the only people under God's eternal tent to-day who keep open shop 24 hours each day and 365 days in each year. We are also the only laborers to keep on working for people who do not pay. I can carry my part of charity with as good a grace as most men. I can go through rain snow or mud and do my best, provided the case is one of worthy need, but to reward continually downright rascality, willful drunkenness and wanton laziness is getting out of my line—Texas State Journal of Medicine.

A Quicer Harvest.

It was little Ethel's first visit to church, and the sermon had for its text, "As ye sow so shall ye reap." But on her return home she could not remember it, and in consequence was chided by her mother for being stupid.

A fortnight later a seamstress came to the house to do a day's work. After watching her for awhile fashion old-style garments into those that were the vogue, Ethel suddenly exclaimed: "O mamma, I know now what the preacher said. It was 'What you sew in the winter you shall rip in the summer.'"

Greek Architecture.

It is astonishing that students of Greek literature and Greek thought should not be definitely trained in the knowledge of Greek architecture. He who knows only the literary expression of ancient Greece, great as that is, knows but one-half of the achievements of the supreme Caucasian mind.—The Builder.

PUZZLE SOLVED.

Coffee at Bottom of Trouble.

"It takes some people a long time to find out that coffee is hurting them."

But when once the fact is clear, most people try to keep away from the thing which is followed by ever increasing detriment to the heart, stomach and nerves.

"Until two years ago I was a heavy coffee drinker," writes an Ill. stockman, "and had been all my life. I am now 56 years old."

About three years ago I began to have nervous spells and could not sleep nights, was bothered by indigestion, bloating, and gas on stomach affected my heart.

"I spent lots of money doctoring—one doctor told me I had chronic catarrh of the stomach; another that I had heart disease and was liable to die at any time. They all dieted me until I was nearly starved but I seemed to get worse instead of better."

"Having heard of the good Postum had done for nervous people, I discarded coffee altogether and began to use Postum regularly. I soon got better, and now, after nearly two years, I can truthfully say I am sound and well."

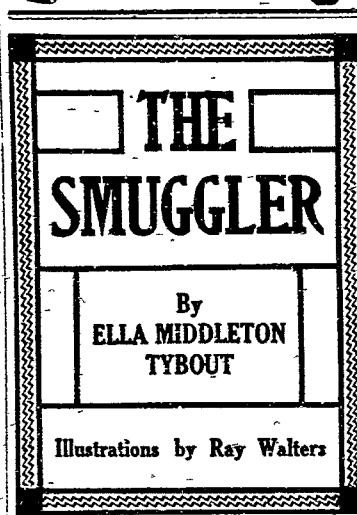
"I sleep well at night, do not have the nervous spells and am not bothered with indigestion or palpitation. I weigh 32 pounds more than when I began Postum, and am better every way than I ever was while drinking coffee. I can't say too much in praise of Postum, as I'm sure it saved my life."

"There's a reason."

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SERIAL STORY



THE SMUGGLER

By ELLA MIDDLETON TYBOUT

Illustrations by Ray Walters

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls—Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in searching it. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of them was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. The party was told of the search for smugglers in the vicinity of the cottage.

CHAPTER IV.

A few days later I paid a visit to Mrs. Graham. We could see her cottage from the path which led to the village, and every time I passed it I had an uncomfortable feeling that she was lonely and perhaps ill, and that I ought to be neighborly. So at last I went.

It was a most unimpressive little clapboard house, evidently built for the sole purpose of affording a shelter, for certainly no time or thought had been wasted on verandas or other unnecessary, though agreeable, accessories. As I stood on the narrow front steps, waiting for my knock to be answered, I shivered instinctively and wondered if, after all, her summer would prove very beneficial.

Mrs. Graham herself opened the door, with an exclamation of pleasure. "This is very nice," she said, "and you are especially welcome this morning, for sometimes one's thoughts are but indifferent society, are they not?"

"Well," I remarked, as I seated myself on the chair she indicated, "so we are really neighbors, after all! Are you settled yet, and do you like your new home? We are quite in love with ours."

"Settled!" she said, with a slight shrug. "Well, yes, I suppose so. But don't call it home, please—four bare walls, two windows, and a door. Is that home?"

"But," I suggested, "why not look through the window at the ocean?"

"Ah, the ocean!" she interrupted. "How I hate it! Always rolling, always changing, so deceitful, with its treacherous laughing water, and so cruel! I dislike salt air anywhere, and this seems to me the most obnoxious I ever breathed. I do not see how I am going to live through this summer."

I listened in silent astonishment, and Mrs. Graham paused with a short laugh.

"Pray excuse me," she said; "you see, I'm from the south, and I love the warmth, the flowers, and the many, many trees. My child is there, too. You could not expect me to leave him in Virginia and be happy in Canada, could you?"

"Why not bring him to Canada also?"

"Oh, no, no!" she said, with unnecessary vehemence. "He is better there—far better. See, this is his picture. Do you wonder I am rebellious at the separation? My mother writes that he is quite well and happy, and no longer frets for me. Think of that! He is already learning to do without me."

"He is like his father," I said, studying the laughing little face.

"Very like," she replied; "very, very like. Do you think," she continued slowly, "that the rearing of a child determines us after life? I mean, do you believe in environment or heredity?"

I looked from the picture in my hand to the tense face of the mother. "I do not know," I faltered. "You see, I have never thought about it."

"Of course you have not!" she exclaimed. "Why should you? And how silly in me to get started on my hobby so soon! I am apt to think every one is as much interested in children as I am, but I suppose that is the way with all mothers. A childless woman loses both the greatest pleasure and the greatest pain in life, and I do not know whether to pity or envy her."

There was a movement in the room above, and she held out her hand for the picture.

"I will put it away," she said, hurriedly; "and let us talk of something else. Mr. Graham thinks I allow the boy to absorb me to the exclusion of everything else, and perhaps he is right."

Mrs. Graham was coming downstairs now. I listened to the descent of his shuffling feet, and speculated idly whether he breakfasted every morning

at 11. He was evidently surprised to see me, and, I thought, not over-pleased, although there was no lack of cordiality in his greeting.

"So you caught me napping!" he remarked. "The fact is, I'm a lazy sinner at the best of times—eh, Juliet? I'm extra late to-day, though, but as I only eat a bit of fruit with my roll and coffee, Mrs. Graham says it is no matter if our slavery does growl."

"You don't look as though you lived on rolls and coffee," I remarked, by way of keeping up the conversation.

"Oh, I make it up at lunch and dinner. I assure you. Isn't this a jolly little box?"

He gazed about the bare room with as much pleasure as though it contained the luxuries of a palace, and continued cheerfully:

"Just look out of the window—how's that for a view?—And then the air we breathe night and day! Pure ozone—none of your strained, adulterated products, I can tell you!—Already Mrs. Graham is like a different creature."

I glanced curiously at Mrs. Graham, but she refused to meet my eye.

"I have just been saying, Harry," she remarked, "how different this air is from the south, and how invigorating I find it."

I smothered a surprised ejaculation, and rose to go. Surely my new friend was rather bewildering.

"Oh, I say," exclaimed Mr. Graham, "just wait a moment till I drink my coffee and I'll walk along with you. I'm going to the village for the mail."

As the postoffice was my ultimate destination also, I resumed my chair, and Mrs. Graham and I carried on a desultory conversation until he returned: hat in hand, and announced himself ready.

"You will come and see me often, will you not?" she said, holding my hand for a moment. "And you will not mind if I do not always return your visits? I do not go out very much."

"Nonsense!" returned her husband. "Rousing is just what you need. She shouldn't be such a recluse, should she?"

He put the question in a laughing voice, but it was evident he was really annoyed, so I started for the door, fearing I might unwittingly introduce another unwelcome subject if I lingered any longer.

I glanced furtively at Mr. Graham as we walked along, and more than

once found him inspecting me in like manner. The third time I caught his eye he laughed good-naturedly.

"Both taking stock," he remarked, with calm nonchalance, "and both caught in the act. Well, do I pass muster?"

"I hope I have not been rude," I returned, a little vexed at his tone of easy familiarity, but he only laughed again, and began to talk about the climate and the country, showing a knowledge of the coast which surprised me.

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"Oh, no," he returned, "I'm an old stager. The fact is, I spent several summers here when I was a young chap, and I'm very keen about it indeed. The sea regularly calls to me, and I'm never quite happy away from it."

"And Mrs. Graham?"

"Well, she's learning. I can't induce her to get into a boat, though—more's the pity."

"You are fond of sailing?"

"Very fond. When I get out in my catboat I have no idea of the flight of time."

I had a sudden vision of his wife's figure waiting on the little dock. Doubtless she was destined to pass many anxious, expectant hours before the end of the summer.

Mr. Graham put our letters in his pocket with his own, for safe keeping, and we turned our faces homeward.

On the outskirts of the village we met Lady Edith Campbell, sauntering along under her white parasol, the personification of dainty womanhood. She stopped to speak to me, and I was about to introduce my companion when, to my surprise, she held out her hand cordially.

"Why, Mr. Graham?" she exclaimed. "What are you doing in this remote corner of the world, and do you mean to cut your old friends?"

"I was so astonished, Lady Edith, that I doubted the evidence of my eyes. What brings you here, may I ask?"

Well, and I am touring for his health. I'll tell you about it later. How very charming!—We all crossed from England together this spring."

she explained for my benefit, "and we got to know each other very well, as people do on shipboard. Where is Mrs. Graham, and may I not go and see her this morning?"

Mr. Graham hesitated perceptibly but I settled the question by holding out my hands for the letters and announcing that I meant to take a short cut to the cottage, and would see them again soon.

As usual, the girls were on the veranda, and I dropped the mail in Elizabeth's lap and flung myself exhaustedly into the hammock.

"I don't like paying visits," I remarked, "and I just hate taking walks with other people's husbands."

"Oh, I don't know," replied Gabrielle. "I rather like married men—they are so safe. They never suspect you of designs on them if you are pleasant, you know, and—"

"Why," interrupted Elizabeth, who had been turning over the mail, "what's this? What have you been buying, Elise? I'm going to look at it."

She held in her hand a small tissue-paper package about the size of an ordinary note envelope, and before I could disclaim any responsibility for it she had opened it and was examining the contents.

"Oh!" she exclaimed, "look at this." And, nothing loath, we joined her on the steps and looked also. The little package contained a small piece of blue ribbon, and carefully fastened to it was a ring of yellow hair. Such pretty hair it was, too! It might have come from the head of a little child, it was so soft and curled so daintily. In the sunshine it glittered like spun gold.

Elizabeth put her finger under the shining ringlet and looked at me doubtfully.

"Where did you get it?" she inquired, "and what are you going to do with it?"

"I never saw it before," I replied, thoroughly puzzled.

Gabrielle lifted the ribbon, which was attached at the top to a piece of white note paper, evidently for the purpose of holding it straight.

"There is writing on it," she announced, and we literally put our heads together to decipher the words closely written in pencil.

"I need you," read Elizabeth. "Do not delay."

"There is more," I continued; "listen."

"And another voice is calling. Oh, it cometh from the sea. With an undertone of danger. But there's work for you and me."

"What does it mean?" questioned Gabrielle. "Elise, you brought it here; you must know."

"Indeed I don't! I got the mail and—"

I paused as a sudden light dawned upon me.

"It's his," I exclaimed lucidly; and went on to explain that Mr. Graham had given me our mail very hurriedly, as Lady Edith was waiting for him, and doubtless the little package had slipped in between two letters.

Elizabeth was folding the tissue paper carefully about the piece of ribbon.

"It is his, of course," she said, "and we must return it. But, oh, dear! how I wish I had not opened it!"

"What I want to know," remarked Gabrielle, who was of a very inquiring disposition, "is this: Why does Mr. Graham carry a piece of yellow hair around in his pocket, when his wife's hair is almost black?"

"I wish I had not opened it," repeated Elizabeth, who was really troubled. "How shall I ever explain doing it? And to whom shall we return it?"

We discussed the question long and anxiously, and finally determined to inclose the package in an envelope addressed to Mr. Graham, and send it to the cottage by Mary Anne, with a verbal message that he had given it to us by mistake.

"And," concluded Gabrielle, "we won't ask any questions as to whose hair it falls into, although I should like to know all about it."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

GOOD FORTUNE CAME TOO LATE.

Lifelong Unfortunate Killed Himself at Moment of Luck's Turn.

A French provincial newspaper tells a story of the irony of fate. The hero was a notary's clerk, named Lemerrier, who had a remarkable series of reverses of fortune.

He seems to have been a hoodoo, for something was bound to go wrong with every firm he joined in the capacity of clerk or cashier. Always ill paid and wretchedly unhappy, the youth was in turn a gardener, a porter, a carter and anything else that enabled him to buy bread, till after 15 years of a hand-to-mouth struggle he returned to his native village of Breval, near Mantes, and was taken in by a charitable person. In vain he sought for work, and he contracted some unavoidable small debts.

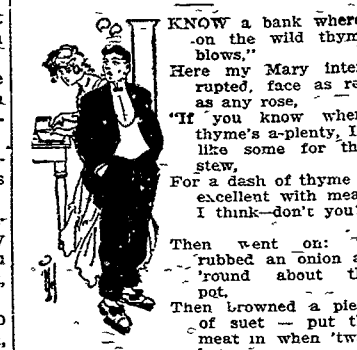
The other morning an imperative knocking at the door announced the emissaries of the law. The wretched Lemerrier barricaded himself in and then hanged himself. When a locksmith had broken open the door Lemerrier was dead. The intruder had not come to arrest him, but to announce that a distant relative had left him a legacy of \$5,000.

A Toast.

To those who passed me on the highway and gave greeting, and whom I shall never meet again; to the possible friends who came my way, and whose eyes lingered as they fell on mine—may they ever be eager with youth and strength with fellowship; may they never miss a welcome nor want a comrade!—Anna Strunsky.

The Kitchen Cabinet

"THE WILD THYME."



KNOW a bank where on the wild thyme blows," Here my Mary interrupted, face as red as any rose.

"If you know where thyme's a plenty, I'd like some for this stew. For a dash of thyme is excellent with meat. I think—don't you?"

Then went on: "I rubbed an onion all round about the pot. Then I browned a piece of suet—put the meat in when 'twas hot."

And added parsley and a clove, I like a But if you know where wild thyme blows I think it would be nice."

Now my dear wife's not poetic—she'd tell me it was silly. To interrupt her cooking with quoting Avon's Willie:

So I explained: "The 'Wild Thyme,' that is on the 'bank,' my honey, is just a term in finance, for, Mary, 'Thyme is Money.'"

Place Cards. These have come to be a necessity at every formal luncheon or dinner nowadays. And, indeed, the style has its practical, sensible side. It saves the confusion consequent upon seating the guests, and there is not the danger of mistaking them—a danger which has spoiled many a good dinner. Home-made cards are prettier and in better taste than those found in the stores, and have the advantage of showing the individual taste of the hostess. A good idea is to get a likeness of the guests and place it in a flower. A small kodak picture is easily obtained of one's friends, and these, half-hidden in roses, make an attractive and interesting decoration.

Some Short Recipes.

For breakfast fill a pan with alternating layers of bacon and cold boiled sweet potatoes. Bake until the meat is crisp.

Dainty sandwiches are made of chopped ham into which has been put a little grated lemon peeling. Spread on white bread buttered.

Sweet potato croquettes are made in the same way as potato balls, except that they are fried in deep fat. Served with any kind of pork they are delicious.

In place of pouring vinegar over cold boiled beets, try lemon juice. It is more delicate and wholesome.

THE GOOD MAN'S LUNCH.

THE MATTERS not how close I count The dollars and the cents, I manage so that my good man Won't know the difference.

Instead of fine roast beef, I make Croquettes of cheap cuts boiled. (They keep quite fresh if they are kept in paper slightly oiled.)

From Sunday's dinner I can save A wing or chicken leg And before frost makes them too dear, I add a lard-boiled egg.

The man whose dinner every day, Is cold must have, you see, A slice of pie, doughnuts or cake To add variety.

So I don't hear from my good man The same "hard fare" war. Because ahead, with care, I plan To fill his dinner pail.

Bridget's Beatitudes. Blessed is the chunk of beef suet wrapped in cheese cloth with which to grease the griddle, it avoids the smell of burning fat.

Blessed is the teaspoon of vanilla added to the boiled chocolate. If the chocolate or cocoa be of inferior grade, this is especially valuable.

Blessed are the pieces of stale bread rolled fine and kept in a mason jar for use in dressing "warmed-overs." Mashed potatoes, bits of creamed fish, macaroni—any left-over dish looks better for a sprinkling of crumbs, a few bits of butter, and browning in the oven.

Blessed is the tapioca cooked with fruit. Prepare by boiling one-half cup tapioca in a quart of water, and afterwards baking with alternate layers of fruit—fresh or canned.

German Sweetbreads. Cut the sweetbreads into dice and boil them in a sauce made of a tablespoon flour and one of butter, moistened with the water in which the meat was first parboiled. Cook together until thick; add a few drops lemon-juice, and just before serving, stir in a well-beaten egg, adding a little water to prevent curdling.

Variety in omelet is afforded by the addition of cheese, pepper, mushrooms, chopped meats, etc., to the eggs before the last "folding." This is a good way to dispose of the left-overs from dinner.

Pimento Sandwiches. Mix chopped pimentos and Dutch cheese—equal parts. Season with salt and if too dry use a bit of the liquid from the pimentos.

A variety to this is furnished by cutting the olives in round slices, instead of chopping. Spread on the bread which has been previously covered with a layer of cheese.

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LAME BACK PRESCRIPTION

The increased use of whiskey for lame back rheumatism is causing considerable discussion among the medical fraternity. It is an almost infallible cure when mixed with certain other ingredients and taken properly. The following formula is effective: "To one-half pint of good whiskey add one ounce of Toris Compound and one ounce Syrup Sarsaparilla Compound. Take in tablespoonful doses before each meal and before retiring."

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BUSINESS MANAGER FOR CHURCH

Cleveland Institution Plans to Try a New System.

The Epworth Memorial Methodist church in Cleveland has decided to try a new system of church management. A business manager has been appointed who will give his entire time and attention to the finances of the church. As executive secretary, he will collect the benevolences, dues of members, subscriptions, etc., and pay all expenses. He will serve as secretary of the standing committees of the church and keep a record of their business—transmission to the official board. This, it is expected, will leave the pastor free to give attention to the larger plans of the work and to his pulpit and pastoral duties. Epworth Memorial has the largest membership of all the Protestant churches in the city. It has an extensive charity work and handles over \$35,000 in contributions every year. Dr. G. K. Morris, district superintendent, strongly commends the innovation. "To my mind," he says, "it is the ideal of church government. I expect to see the plan adopted in many other cities."

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A Cure for Poison Ivy.

Before the skin blisters scrub the affected parts with a brush and soap and water. Then apply a saturated solution of sugar of lead in 50 per cent. of alcohol. The alcohol must contain some water. Pure alcohol would not dissolve the sugar of lead. This relieves the burning of the poison ivy, and it is supposed that the alcohol dissolves the poison and the sugar of lead neutralizes it.—Suburban Life.

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Revelations of the Breakfast Table.
To girls about to marry one would tender the advice that they study their intended victim at breakfast. If he is feeding like forty, reject him as the direct descendant of Cere's herd of swine. If he is melancholy, beware of the abrupt curves of his temperament. If he be boisterous and facetious, remember that an empty drum gives the greatest reverberation, and a chatterbox at 8 a. m. is as tiresome as Chanticleer at 3 o'clock in the morning. By their breakfasts you shall know them.—Saturday Review.

Big South African Industry.
Next to mining, the greatest industry of South Africa is sugar growing. The amount of money invested in this is \$7,300,000. The production of the present year is estimated at 40,000 tons, with a valuation of about \$63 a ton.

I AM A MOTHER



How many American women in lonely homes to-day long for this blessing to come into their lives, and to be able to utter these words, but because of some organic derangement this happiness is denied them. Every woman interested in this subject should know that preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by the use of **LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND**. Mrs. Maggie Gilmer, of West Union, S. C., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I was greatly run-down in health from a weakness peculiar to my sex, when Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. It not only restored me to perfect health, but to my delight I am a mother."

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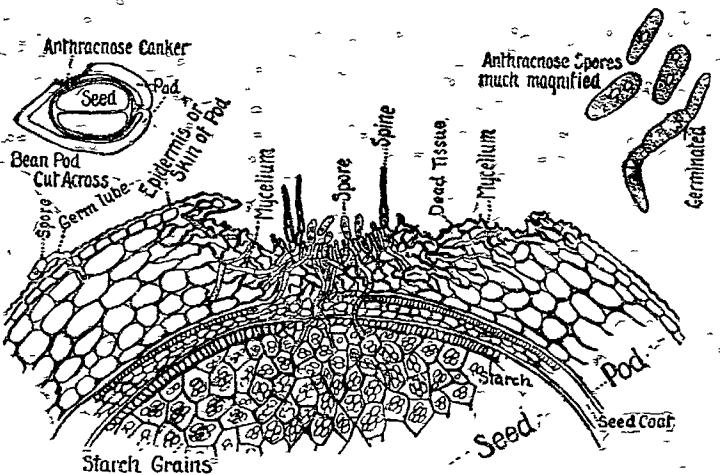
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BEAN ANTHRACNOSE AND ITS CONTROL

Clean Seed Obtained by Pod Selection Should Be Aim of Grower—H. H. Whetzel, Plant Pathology.

The bean anthracnose is known to growers under a number of different names, depending largely upon the locality. Perhaps the most common one applied to this malady is "rust." However, as a matter of fact the disease is not rust at all, though the spots do have a reddish yellow color in their stages. There is a true rust of beans, which is rarely met with in ordinary fields. Pod-spot is a name which is frequently applied to the disease, as it appears in the pods. Blight is also commonly used, but incorrectly so, as we have a true bacterial blight of beans, which is not only very common, but frequently quite destructive. The general characters of these three commonest diseases of beans are set forth in bulletin 229, and accompanied with figures. Whatever name may be locally given to the anthracnose, it is still one and the same disease that most bean growers have in mind. The disease is readily recognized by the appearance which it gives to the infected pods, and it is here that the trouble is usually first recognized. Our illustration shows the two familiar appearance of this stage of the disease. The spots or cankers are black with reddish or yellowish margins. Most growers are also familiar with the appearance of the disease on the seed itself, especially on the white beans where it makes rusty red spots of different sizes, sometimes involving nearly the entire seed, though ordinarily only producing a slight discoloration.

clear the discussion of the disease. Study the picture carefully before reading the following account. "It is from the attack of the disease on the pods that the most direct and apparent damage to the crop results. During the time of blossoming and previous, the fungus has been spreading and becoming established on the stems and leaves, and it now attacks the young succulent pods. With their tender growing tissue full of water and food materials, these pods offer the best conditions for the growth and development of the parasite. Spores from the spots on the leaves and stems fall on the pods, where, in the presence of moisture and the high summer temperature, they germinate, forming a little sprout or germ-tube, which penetrates the tender skin of the pod and, branching in the juicy tissues, gives rise to an anthracnose canker. These first appear as little brown or rusty spots, which enlarge and darken until nearly or quite black. The dead tissue dries and settles, causing a little pit or sunken place in the pod. In the center of the spot the spores of the fungus are now produced in great abundance. They ooze out and pile up, forming little pink masses easily seen with the naked eye. These masses of spores are held together by a kind of glue or mucilage which, when dry, sticks them tightly to the pod. When a drop of rain or dew falls on the spot, the mucilage is at once dissolved, and



Showing the relation of the anthracnose fungus to the tissues of the bean. To the left above is a diagram of a section across a bean pod through an anthracnose canker. The large drawing below is a much enlarged view of a portion of this same section. It is largely diagrammatic. It shows how the mycelial threads of the fungus may penetrate the seed coat and enter the starchy tissue of the seed, there to remain dormant until the following season. On the left of the large drawing is shown a spore germinating and penetrating the epidermis. This germ tube branches, spreads through the tissues of the pod, and so gives rise to a new spot or canker. To the right above is shown a magnified view of some of the spores of the anthracnose fungus. One has germinated. (Original.)



Anthracnose Spots or Cankers on the Pods. The Fungus in These Cankers Penetrates Through the Pod Into the Bean.

ation on one side. The disease enters the seed by way of the pod, the fungus penetrating from the outside into the young and tender seed. When the diseased seeds are planted in the soil, and first come through the ground they are sure to show the small black cankers on the cotyledons or seed leaves and a little later on the stems. Growers seldom recognize the disease on the seedlings as that with which they are familiar on the pods and beans. Many of them have observed the blackened stubs of badly diseased seedlings, and have thought the injury due to insects of some kind. Where badly diseased seed is planted the loss from diseased seedlings is at times quite heavy.

"The disease may and usually does occur on all parts of the plant except the roots. It is caused by a fungus known to botanists as *Collectotrichum lindemuthianum* which lives as a parasite in the tissues of the bean. This fungus is a plant, as much as a plant as the bean on which it lives. It has a thread-like mycelium that grows into the tissue of the bean to obtain food for its growth and development and it produces spores that serve the purpose of seeds by which it spreads to healthy beans and so reproduces itself. In fighting the anthracnose fungus, we are fighting a parasitic weed, in its habits not greatly unlike the dodder which often destroys alfalfa."

"The fungus itself is too minute to be seen by the unaided eye. This makes an understanding of its nature and ways of life rather difficult, but the picture of the parasite as shown in our illustration will help to make

the spores are set free in the water. At this time any disturbance of the bean plants will scatter these spores in the flying drops of water. In this way they reach healthy plants near by. This explains why beans should not be cultivated or handled in the early morning while the dew is still on them or directly after a shower. The spores of the anthracnose fungus are scattered only when they are wet. This will also explain why a warm rainy season is so favorable to the development of the fungus. The spores require moisture in which to be distributed and in which to germinate. A relatively high temperature is also most favorable to the disease. The spores are produced in limited numbers in the pods on the pod. Considering the manner in which the fungus finds its way into the seed, it seems evident that if no spots are to be found on the pods, none of the seed within will be diseased. That is to say, healthy pods contain healthy seed.

Several investigators have reported remarkable results from spraying with Bordeaux mixture. After three seasons' observations in large bean fields where the most up-to-date machinery is used, machinery particularly adapted for the bean crop, the writer is forced to the opinion that spraying with Bordeaux mixture is, to say the very least, unprofitable.

Strain Will Tell.—The egg-producing ability of a hen depends on the ability that has been born in her. In some fowls the reproductive organs have not been developed and these birds lay few or no eggs.

NEW DISTRICTS AND NEW RAILWAYS

WESTERN CANADA AFFORDS BETTER CONDITIONS THAN EVER FOR SETTLEMENT.

To the Editor:—Sir:—Doubtless many of your readers will be pleased to have some word from the grain fields of Western Canada, where such a large number of Americans have made their homes during the past few years. It is pleasing to be able to report that generally the wheat yield has been good; it will average about 20 bushels to the acre. There will be many cases where the yield will go 35 bushels to the acre, and others where 50 bushels to the acre has been recorded. The oat and barley crop has been splendid. The prices of all grains will bring to the farmers a magnificent return for their labor. An instance has been brought to my notice of a farmer in the Placer Creek (Southern Alberta) district—where winter wheat is grown—who made a net profit of \$19.55 per acre, or little less than the selling price of his land. 30, 40, and 50 bushel yields are recorded there. The beauty about the lands in Western Canada is that they are so well adapted to grain-raising, while the luxuriant grasses that grow everywhere in abundance make the best possible feed for fattening cattle or for those used for dairying purposes.

The new homestead regulations which went into force September, 1908, attracted thousands of new settlers. It is now possible to secure 160 acres in addition to the 160 acres as a free grant, by paying \$3.00 an acre for it. Particulars as to how to do this and as to the railway rates can be secured from the Canadian Government Agents.

"The development throughout Western Canada during the next ten years will probably exceed that of any other country in the world's history," is not the statement of an optimistic Canadian from the banks of the Saskatchewan, but of Mr. Leslie M. Shaw of New York, ex-Secretary of the United States Treasury under the late President McKinley and President Roosevelt, and considered one of the ablest financiers of the United States. "Our railway companies sold a good deal of their land at from three to five dollars an acre; and now the owners are selling the same land at from fifty to seventy-five dollars, and buying more up in Canada at from ten to fifteen."

The editor of the Monticello (Iowa) Express made a trip through Western Canada last August, and was greatly impressed. He says: "One cannot cross Western Canada to the mountains without being impressed with its immensity of territory and its future prospects. Where I expected to find frontier villages there were substantially built cities and towns with every modern convenience. It was formerly supposed that the climate was too severe for it to be thought of as an agricultural country, but its wheat-raising possibilities have been amply tested. We drew from Ontario many of our best farmers and most progressive citizens. Now the Americans are emigrating in greater numbers to Western Canada. Seventy-five per cent. of the settlers in that good country located southeast of Moose Jaw and Regina are Americans. Canada is well pleased with them and is ready to welcome thousands more."

NOTHING LASTS IN THIS WORLD.



The Girl—Oh, Jimmy, how I wish this could go on forever.
Jimmy—Well, I'm afraid it won't. I've an idea that barb wire fence ahead of us 'll stop us.

Need of Joy in One's Work.
Joy in one's work is the consummate tool, without which the work may be done indeed, but without which the work will always be done slowly, clumsily, and without its finest perfections.—Phillips Brooks.

When a girl turns a fellow down he feels like a fool, but he may live to realize that she would have made a bigger fool of him by accepting him.

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Allen's Foot-Paste for corns and bunions, hot, sweaty, callous, itching feet. 25c all Druggists.

You don't have to go to a rink to see a lot of cheap skates.

Put new shoes on the youngster. Look at them in a week. They're usually battered, scraped, almost shapeless. Get a pair of Buster Brown Shoes. Scuffing, scraping, kicking doesn't mar them—they thrive on knocks. They wear. **BUSTER BROWN Blue Ribbon SHOES** For youngsters, \$1.50 to \$2.50. White House Shoes for grown-ups. Ask your dealer for them. **THE BROWN SHOE CO., Makers** ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.

Disgruntled Dad.
"I see," said the Wall Street man, "that you are engaged again."
"I am," admitted the son and heir.
"Just when violets and theater tickets are due for their fall rise. Why must you always fall in love on a bull market?"—Kansas City Journal.

Conquering One's Self.
Every sin thou slayest, the spirit of that sin passes into thee, transformed into strength; every passion subdued by a higher impulse is so much character.—Robertson.

A Cure.
The sinner walked along the rocky road, his bare feet torn and bleeding from bruises and wounds. He met a stranger.
"Friend," he exclaimed, "I have sinned and done wrong, I must patiently suffer the most extreme agony to save myself from eternal damnation. Can you tell me some supreme test of repentance?"
"Certainly," answered the other, with an air of experience. "Go to a boarding house and live there for a year."

Gleanings of Gotham

Life in the Great Metropolis
Mirrored for Our Readers

New Velvet Carpets for Mrs. Sage



NEW YORK.—Mrs. Russell Sage has new velvet carpets in her home, 632 Fifth avenue, sort, rich and beautiful, with deep, thick pile into which the foot sinks.

"I am glad," said a woman who has known Mrs. Sage for years, that she could have these velvet carpets before she died. In all the years of her married life down at the house at 506 Fifth avenue, she had nothing except an ancient Brussels carpet on her parlor floor. It was one she had when she first went to keeping house and had those great, set medallions in it that they used to use for carpet patterns 40 years ago. The nap was worn off all over it, so that the brown warp showed through.

"When it finally got so bad that it was impossible to use it longer, making was put down in the parlor, as it long had been in the rest of the house. She always used the old horse-hair furniture she had when she was married, such as one saw in country parlors 40 years ago and there were

great cracks in the parlor walls of the home at Forty-second street which went for years without fixing.

"Mrs. Sage suffered from mortification at such things, just as much as any other woman would, and I'm glad she is able to have the velvet carpets for a few years before she dies. But they came too late to give her much pleasure. After they had all been put down and the furniture was in place, she walked through the house observing and admiring and then sat down and cried. She said not a word in explanation, but it was easy to understand. She was thinking of all the staid years when she might have enjoyed such things, and now she has them when she is too old to care very much.

"There scarcely is a day that Mrs. Sage does not weep," continued this old friend of hers. "She simply sits and cries at the intolerable burden of having \$65,000,000 on her shoulders, at the burden of distributing that huge fortune in the way that will do the most good. She is 80 years old and has a New England conscience. She wants to do just the right thing with it all, and it requires an amount of thought and study and imposes a feeling of responsibility that is hard on an old woman who only wants a quiet corner to spend her few remaining years in."



Sloan's Liniment is the best remedy for sprains and bruises. It quiets the pain at once, and can be applied to the tenderest part without hurting because it doesn't need to be rubbed—all you have to do is to lay it on lightly. It is a powerful preparation and penetrates instantly—relieves any inflammation and congestion, and reduces the swelling.

Sloan's Liniment

is an excellent antiseptic and germ killer—heals cuts, burns, wounds and contusions, and will draw the poison from sting of poisonous insects.

Price, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00.
Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Boston, Mass., U.S.A.
Sloan's book on horses, cattle, sheep and poultry sent free.

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16 ounces to the package—other starches only 12 ounces—same price and "DEFIANCE" IS SUPERIOR QUALITY.

Raw Furs Wanted
We pay express charges and guarantee satisfaction or prompt return. Send us trial shipment. Will pay shipments separately if requested.
MILTON SCHREIBER & CO., Raw Furs
28-30 East 12th Street, NEW YORK CITY.

Readers of this paper desiring to buy anything advertised in its columns should insist upon having what they ask for, refusing all substitutes or imitations.

DEFIANCE STARCH never attacks the iron.

A BALD-HEADED WOMAN

Shorn of Her Crown of Beauty Loses in Love and Marriage.

Hair is certainly most necessary to woman. Who could love and marry a baldheaded woman? What charms could one array to offset such a disfigurement?

A woman's goal is usually love and marriage. Her crowning glory is her hair. The loss of her hair mars her beauty, happiness and success. Yet, right here in Northville there are women who are neglecting or injuring their hair to such an extent that it is only a matter of time when it will be utterly ruined. Many women destroy the beauty of their hair through thoughtlessness or ignorance of certain facts. They use curling irons, over-heat, or to excess, which destroys the natural oil of the hair, causing it to split, break and come out. They do not shampoo their hair often enough, or too often. They use soaps or preparations which contain ingredients positively harmful to the scalp and hair.

As a result of such treatment dandruff is created, the hair loosens, loses color, falls out and baldness commences, unless proper and prompt precautions are taken in time. Then again, microbes and certain diseases bring about unhealthy scalp and hair conditions.

Almost anyone may rid themselves of dandruff and diseased scalp and hair if they will but use the right remedy. We have that remedy, and we will positively guarantee that it will either cure dandruff and baldness or it will not cost the user anything.

That's a pretty broad statement, but we will back it and prove it with our own money. Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is the remedy that will grow hair and overcome all scalp and hair troubles. It will grow hair even on bald heads; unless all life in the hair roots has been extinguished, the follicles closed, and the scalp is glazed and shiny. It gets its name from the fact that it grew hair in 93 out of 100 cases, where it received a thoroughly hard, impartial and practical test.

We want you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk. You surely cannot lose anything by doing so, while you have everything to gain. You had better think this over, and then come in and see us about this offer. You will be well repaid for your visit to our store. A. E. Stanley & Co., Northville, Mich.

DETROIT

United Railway.

TIME TABLE.

Cars Run on Central Standard Time. Effective October 1, 1908.

Northville to Farmington and Detroit—Also to Orchard Lake and Pontiac.

Cars leave Northville for Farmington and Detroit at 6:30 a. m., and every hour thereafter until 10:30 p. m. for Orchard Lake and Pontiac at 6:30 a. m. and hourly until 11:30 p. m., and also 12:30 a. m. for Farmington.

Cars leave Detroit for Farmington and Northville at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11 p. m. for Orchard Lake and Pontiac at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:00 p. m.

Northville to Plymouth Wayne and Detroit.

Cars leave Northville for Detroit at 6 a. m. and every two hours to 6 p. m. and to Wayne only at 11:30 a. m. and 6 p. m.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

WALLED LAKE NEWS.

Miss Lute Hoyt has been visiting friends in Northville.

D. B. Moyer is spending a few days with his family here.

Rev. L. B. DuPuis spent several days in Flint last week.

Little Hazel Copek is recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. H. J. Hoyt of Muskegon is visiting relatives here.

Miss Bessie Johns has returned from visiting friends at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. VanTassel visited friends at Commerce Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Dickerson and Mrs. Clark Jones were Milford visitors Friday.

Mrs. Ray Clark of Detroit is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Chapman.

The Walled Lake base ball team played with the Novi team Saturday afternoon at Novi.

Wm. Pennell has returned from visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Holmes, in Detroit.

Mrs. Gertrude Clement of Pontiac has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Howard.

Grant Stitt of Chicago is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. Sarah Evans, who is still very ill.

Ben Church, Harley Bleking and the Misses Helen Krel and Esther McCoy were Milford visitors Saturday.

M. N. Green and Mrs. T. H. McCoy attended the Orchard Lake Farmers club at the home of Will Walls Saturday.

Quantities of potatoes and apples are being drawn to the depot now. Potatoes are a much better crop here than the farmers expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ryder of Northville, who have been visiting Mrs. Ryder's sister, Mrs. S. M. Gage, have gone to South Lyon for a short visit.

Doan's Regulax cure constipation, tone the stomach, stimulates the liver, promote digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

NOVI NEWS.

Miss Dewey attended the Teachers' convention in Saginaw last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Taylor spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Detroit.

Mrs. Leach entertained her old schoolmate, Mrs. Brittenber, of Jackson last week.

Miss Lulu Danison visited her sister, Mrs. Maize, at Walled Lake Saturday and Sunday.

W. H. Ambler and wife of Northville and J. M. Gibson and family of Wixom spent Sunday at the Brown home.

The Cheerful Workers cleared \$8.20 serving meals on Election day. They deserve much credit for their excellent dinner.

Miss Cora Banks gave a very interesting report Sunday night of the Baptist State convention held in Lansing Oct. 1924.

Mrs. John Miller, who has been confined to the house for the past five weeks with rheumatism, is able to do her own work.

Geo. Sutton had the misfortune to have two fingers badly smashed while putting a barrel of cider in his cellar one day this week.

The monthly Covenant meeting of the Baptist church will be held Saturday afternoon. Important business must come up at this time. Every member is requested to come.

Mrs. P. J. Taylor attended the New Century Farmers' club fair at the home of James Walls, Orchard Lake, Saturday. There were 220 present. There was an excellent display of vegetables, live stock, fancy work, etc. Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. T. H. McCoy acted as judges.

A "picnic" dinner was served. Every body had a good time.

Miss Mabel Harding gave a Halloween party Monday night. Three of the neighbors were visited by spooks to the number of sixteen. The parsonage was certainly a dangerous place for a timid person to approach.

Never before has Novi been the scene of a more pleasing social event than on Wednesday evening, Oct. 21, it being a reception for Rev. and Mrs. L. B. DuPuis, pastor of Methodist church. A large number of the county candidates and their friends from Pontiac were present. The church and church parlors were most elaborately decorated in many colored autumn leaves, the larger branches being arranged overhead presenting the appearance of the woods. A delicious supper was served to nearly 200 guests.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

Mrs. Louise Murphy is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. E. C. Grace is suffering with one of those delightful colds.

Mrs. Agnes Buno has resigned her position as clerk in Cook & Co's store.

Harry Weaver is erecting a new casket room at the front entrance to his barn.

Regular meeting of Farmington Chapter, O. E. S., Friday evening, Nov. 13.

The Halloween social was a complete success and about \$12.00 was added to the treasury.

Will McDermott has sold off all of his personal property and expects to go to Pontiac to work.

Miss Blanche Botsford of Detroit was the guest of her cousin, Miss Edessa Warner, from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hutton of Beach Park, Ohio, have been visiting the formers, parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutton.

Will Way and Lou Thayer spent the first of the week hunting ducks. They expected to get eleven a piece. Hope they did.

Miss Mamie Hutton returned to her school in Ypsilanti Sunday night after spending the latter part of the week with her parents.

Miss Lillian Phelps gave a Halloween party to several of her young friends Saturday evening. Some were dressed in very unique costumes.

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The Farmington Cemetery Improvement association will hold an all day meeting in the town hall on Tuesday, Nov. 10. Dinner will be served at noon for 25 cents per plate. The afternoon will be spent socially and supper will be served from 5 o'clock until all have eaten for 15 cents after which a program will be given. Everybody is invited and those who have not yet joined the association will have an opportunity of doing so.

LIVONIA NEWS.

Some 260 votes were cast at the election Tuesday.

Chas Colby and wife of Northville visited at the Center Tuesday.

Harry Green of Detroit is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Brown.

Mrs. Sarah Garfield and Mrs. Emmet Irwin of Northville visited friends at the Center Tuesday.

GILT EDGE NEWS.

R. Kahri spent Tuesday at Salem.

Will Harlan is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. F. E. Bradley spent Sunday with W. F. Lapham and family at Royal Oak.

Miss Maude Foster of Detroit was the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. King, over Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Maass of Farmington spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. Wagonjack.

WIXOM NEWS.

Edith Stevens is visiting her father and sister at Highland.

Mrs. H. E. Richardson was a Northville visitor Monday.

D. W. Fuller and Geo. Aspenleiter were in Northville Monday.

Isabel Hautebergue left for Pontiac Monday evening to work.

Jas Gibson and family visited at Seymour Brown's, Novi, Sunday.

F. A. Taylor and W. H. Perry spent Sunday with friends in Detroit.

W. T. Danton and wife of Farmington visited relatives here over Sunday.

J. Irwin and daughter have moved into the house recently vacated by Mrs. Mary Stevens.

Miss Wixom entertained a dozen young ladies at a Halloween party last Friday evening.

Mrs. Salem Stowe, Sr., and daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. J. Stowe, and children returned to Canada Saturday after spending a week with