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NOMINEES OF VILLAGE TICKET

WORKINGMEN'S CAUCUS SELECTIONS SEEM SATISFACTORY.

But Little Interest Manifested in Village Affairs.

At the Workingmen's caucus last week W. H. Gorton was nominated as one of the trustees but declined the honor and Stuart Montgomery has been selected to fill that place. The ticket in full is as follows:

President—B. A. Northrop
Trustees—Dean F. Griswold,
Stuart Montgomery, Chas. H. Sweet
Clerk—Thomas E. Murdock
Treasurer—Ernest Miller
Assessor—Chas. A. Sessions

The Citizens' was held last week Friday night as follows:

President—C. A. Dolph
Trustees—Chas. Children, W. H. Cattermole, Wm. Phillips
Clerk and Treasurer—Workingmen's ticket endorsed

Committee—E. K. Starkweather, Chas. Blackburn, F. N. Perrin
C. A. Dolph declined to run and Frank Dolph has been substituted

However, there is some talk of withdrawing the entire Citizens' ticket and just leave the Workingmen's ticket in the field alone.

Clark—Clark Wedding.

Mr. Jesse W. Clark and Miss Ida M. Clark surprised their friends Saturday night by quietly getting married. Rev. N. E. Mueser performed the ceremony at 8 o'clock at Mr. Clark's home on Main street which he had just completed and furnished. Only a few immediate relatives were present at the ceremony.

Both are well known and popular Northville people and they will start out with the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

Mr. Clark is township highway commissioner, the first to hold that office under the new highway law and he has made very much of a success at his work.

The bride had been the efficient cashier and bookkeeper in the Record office for a dozen years past. She is a prominent worker in the Baptist church society and also in the W. R. C.

BIG FAT ORDER.

Stimpson Scale Works Buried with Orders.

The business of the Stimpson Scale company is just booming these days, and orders are coming in so thick that it keeps Mr. Stimpson and his assistants on the jump just about night and day. This week the firm has received a \$5,000 order for their electric coffee mill.

Fire Dept. Again Called Out.

The fire department was called out about nine o'clock Sunday night by a blaze which started in the upper rooms of Geo. Smitherman's house on north-center street. The rooms are occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bashore who were away from home at the time but returned just as the fire was beginning to spread. It is thought to have originated in the wood box behind the stove, but no one seems to know just how.

Prompt action on the part of the department saved the house.

Monday's Primaries.

A fair sized vote was cast at the primaries here Monday, the bustle being on the Republican candidates for county auditor. Two hundred votes were cast. Oakman received 138 and Lodge 34.

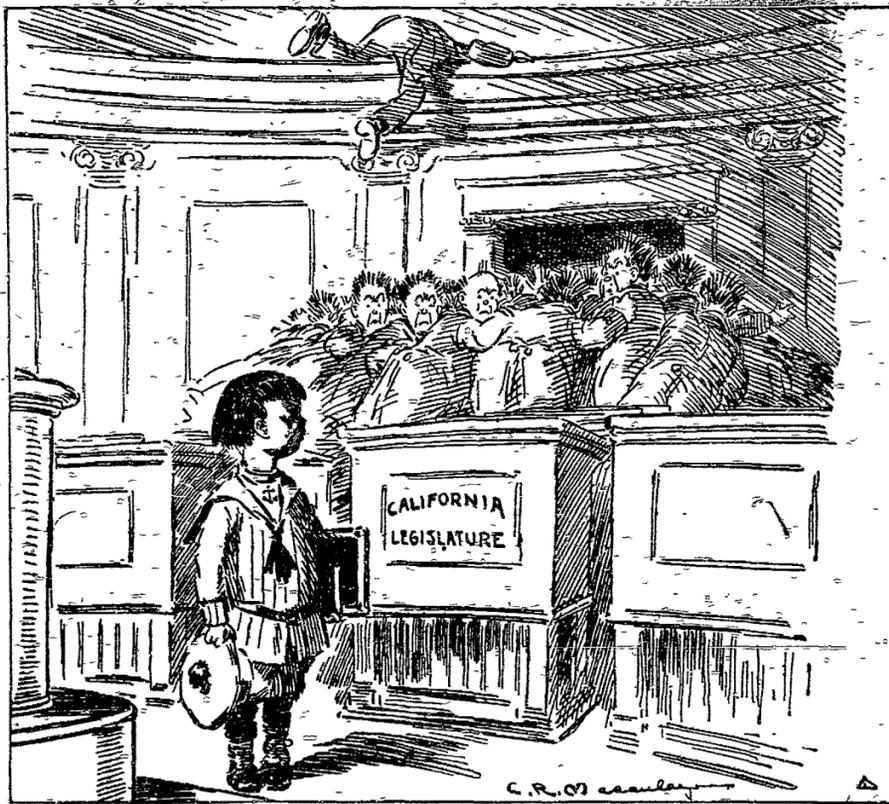
Only about half a dozen votes were cast on the Democrat and Prohibition end of the stunt.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank all for their expressions of kindness during the illness and death of my wife; to those who sang and those who sent flowers and especially the King's Daughters for their kind sympathy and assistance. J. W. DAVIS.

Many times a few cents spent for a Record Want Ad will bring as many dollars in return.

THE YELLOW PERIL.



Methodist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

Communion service Sunday morning and reception of members. Everyone should make a special effort to be present.

When did we have a better session of Sunday school than last Sunday? Number present, 151; interest and enthusiasm at high tide; collection thoroughly creditable. Better be present next Sunday.

At the business meeting of the Epworth League Tuesday evening, considerable business of importance was transacted. New hymn books for the League devotional meetings were ordered, which should add to the interest of these occasions.

Baptist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

The cottage prayer meeting will be announced from the pulpit.

The Sunday school has on hand 100 new song books to be used Sunday for the first time.

There will be communion service Sunday and the hand of Christian fellowship joined to new members.

The B. Y. P. U. topic for Sunday evening is "Life Lessons from the Psalms," a consecration meeting. Leader, Mrs. Maude Harmon.

A large audience witnessed the baptismal service Sunday evening when Mrs. Bloom, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Roads, Miss Z. I. Davis and LeRoy Ottman were baptized.

The pastor will speak Sunday morning on the text, "No Man Careth for my Soul." In the evening "The Closed Door and the Awaiting Savior." At this service we will also be favored with a solo by Freddie Walters, the child soloist.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

The Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. Morell Simmons on Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Missionary society will meet with Mrs. A. E. Stanley next Wednesday afternoon.

All were glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Orr Webster in their old places in church and Sunday school.

The offering for Foreign Missions last Sunday amounted to over \$40. There will be an opportunity to add to it next Sunday.

Our Intermediate Christian Endeavor society now meets on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Young people from twelve to eighteen are cordially invited.

The next sermon in the series on the various Christian churches will be on "The Presbyterians." The course seems to be growing in interest and attendance.

The Ladies' Aid society held a largely attended meeting with Mrs. Morell Simmons on Wednesday afternoon. Plans were adopted for future work. Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Teagan being chosen chairmen of the three divisions.

Good in All Things.

There is, and always will be, good in all things which the public has taken up and found worth while to discuss. Medicine has its place, Surgery its place and Osteopathy its place. Each and every science has been given to the world to help those who are unable to help themselves. We as Osteopathic Physicians do our best to place you on your feet a healthier man or woman and capable of looking on life in a brighter, more helpful light.

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If your case demands medical or surgical treatment, I prefer you to go to that profession, but if they have failed to give you the relief desired, or are unable to handle your case, then I say by all means try Osteopathy. Thousands have been cured and it also is a great preventative of disease.

"Osteopathy asks no one to believe what has not been fully demonstrated and proved. It stands upon the merits of its works accomplished."

We do not believe in advertising, so I beg you to consider this merely a discussion to help enlighten those who need help and have not been able to find it.

If you need Osteopathy it is here to help you. It shall be my pleasure to give you any enlightenment on this subject that you may desire.

DR. BEEBE RUTH JEPSON,
Osteopathic Physician.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the W. C. T. U., King's Daughters, neighbors and friends who sent flowers and showed us such kindness during Mrs. Robert's illness.

MR. AND MRS. F. H. ROBERTS.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby express our gratitude to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during our sad bereavement; also to those who sent flowers.

GEO. RAYSON,
MRS. R. G. PURVIS.

Daily Thought.

"Neatness in moderation is a virtue, but when it is carried to excess it shows littleness of mind. Good taste rejects nicety; it treats little things as little things, and is not hurt by them."—Fenelon.

Fire at Meseraull's Last Night.

John Kenyon discovered the roof of Mr. Meseraull's house on Randolph street to be on fire as he was walking down Dunlap street about eight o'clock last night. John had the rare good judgment to form a hook-and-ladder brigade of himself and with the aid of a pail of water and the ladder he had the blaze out before the arrival of the fire company. The fire caught from the sheet iron chimney. The only damage is a big hole in the roof.

Notice.

W. L. Tinham has purchased the interest of C. A. Sessions in the firm of Sessions & Tinham Boot & Shoes and will carry on the business at the old stand. All accounts are payable to Mr. Sessions or at the store.

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration for the Village of Northville, County of Wayne, Michigan, will meet in Murdock Bros' drug store, in the Village of Northville, in said county and state, on Saturday, March 6th, 1909, from 9:00 o'clock a. m. to 5:00 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of registering the electors of said village.

THOMAS E. MURDOCK,
Village Clerk.

Dated, Northville, Mich., Feb. 18, '09.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual election for the Village of Northville, Wayne county, Michigan, will be held in the village hall, Northville, Monday, March 8th, 1909, at which time there are to be elected a president, three trustees, a village clerk, a village treasurer and an assessor.

The polls of said election will be opened at 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may be, and will be continued open until 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon, unless the Board shall in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12:00 o'clock, noon, for one hour.

THOMAS E. MURDOCK,
Village Clerk.

Dated, Northville, Mich., Feb. 20, '09.

Farmers Attention!

Right in the field with a lot of early cabbage and tomato plants. Be sure to send in your orders early.

WM. WESLEY
30w4 Bealtown Greenhouse.

Homage to Brawn.

The triumphs of the scholar the public regards as individual; the prowess of the athlete is popularly held to establish the name and fame of his college. Of course, this is unreasonable, for the reputation of a university as an institution of learning should depend upon the liberal education she gives to those within her gates. But it is quite true that, despite the excellent reasons why it should not do so, the public continues to pay homage to brawn rather than brain, in so far as the undergraduate is concerned.

Linoleum

Relieves your housekeeper of the tiresome labors of scrubbing those rough or greasy floors. After taking invoice of our stock of Linoleums, we find we have on hand over 500 yards of the Celebrated "Cook's Linoleum." We buy our stock direct from the factory, which insures to us and to our customers the GENUINE and best quality of materials at ordinary prices. Would be pleased to exhibit to you our dozen or more designs to be found in our show room on first floor (over Misses McHugh's Millinery Store). All patterns 2-yards wide.

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Try some of our Grained Woodoleum for Borders for Rugs, 1-yard width.

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LEADING MATTERS OF LEGISLATION

MR. NEWKIRK'S TART COMMENTS ON WORK DONE STUNG SOME.

LABEL EGGS AND SAUSAGE

Survey of Things Done and Proposed Bills With Which the Legislators Have to Struggle.

(Special Correspondence.) Lansing, Mich., March 3, 1909

Smiling under the comments of Representative Newkirk, of Washington, last Friday, on the dilatoriness with which the work has been pushed through, the house last night attempted a defense of itself...

Hours For "Booze" Parlors.

It is proposed to amend the Ormsbee liquor bill to provide that the saloons shall remain open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 9 o'clock at night...

To Reduce Phone Rates.

Rep. J. M. Haviland, of St. Clair county, having become wise to the fact that the new constitution gives the legislature power to fix telephone rates...

Add to the Commissioner's Duties.

The latest reorganization measure introduced by Rep. Campbell to increase the salaries of the railroad commission to \$5,000 and put them in charge of the telephone and telegraph companies...

Labeled Sausage.

Representative Ogg has introduced a bill requiring all commercial sausage placed on sale to be plainly labeled stating any adulterating ingredient which it may contain...

The Forestry Bill.

The anxiously awaited forestry bill has been introduced by Rep. Morris, of Emmet county, chairman of the public lands committee...

Farmers Are Strong Factor.

The farmers' club that was at first looked on as unimportant is proving a factor that has to be reckoned with in the legislature...

Label the Eggs.

Senator Snell, of Detroit, has introduced a bill in the senate making it necessary for dealers to label all cold storage eggs, poultry and game...

Provides Better Burial.

Senator Taylor has introduced a bill which, if it becomes a law, will provide a better burial for indigent old soldiers...

For Business Managers.

Senator Newton has introduced a bill permitting school boards to engage a business manager to look after buildings under construction...

MEN AND THINGS TALKED ABOUT

TWO LADS FIND A REVOLVER AND ONE IS SHOT DEAD.

STATE BUDGET IS LARGE.

Forest Reserve is Increased—Matters of Note of More Than a Passing Interest.

Clifford Kellogg, 12 years old, was accidentally shot and killed by his younger brother, Clayton, aged 10, late Tuesday afternoon...

Ten Million Budget.

Gov. Warner, Speaker Campbell and the members of the house ways and means committee held a session at the home of the governor Wednesday to discuss state appropriations...

The Forest Reserve.

Land Commissioner Huntley Russell Tuesday received a proclamation from President Roosevelt, setting aside timber lands in Michigan for a state forest reserve...

Armstrong's Evidence.

The report is made that Allen N. Armstrong, the deposed warden of the state prison, may figure as a witness before the grand jury...

Mr. Burt's Denunciation.

The so-called mass meeting at the Auditorium in Saginaw has been the subject of unfavorable criticism and a number of prominent persons who were persuaded to attend the meeting...

Ann Peter Started.

"Peter you are a good citizen I hate to do this, but I've got to sentence you. Here, take these commitment papers and go over to Lora. You are to serve six months."

Had Their Laugh First.

Rep. Chas. W. Austin of Detroit, whom the Red Book gives as a conductor, is chairman of the committee on agriculture...

Amending Tax-Rolls.

Senator Fox has introduced a bill to amend the tax laws so that assessors can place property on the rolls after the board of review has completed its work...

STATE-NEWS BRIEFS.

Owing to the large quantity of salt on hand, the Port Huron Salt Co. has been forced to temporarily decrease its forces.

Judge Knappen, regent of the U. of M., refuses to mention the names of any candidates for the presidency of the college.

Emma Carpenter, the Port Austin girl who mysteriously disappeared from her home some weeks ago, has been located in Detroit.

T. J. Nixon, a Coldwater constable, has received \$1 as a conscience balm from a man who stole a 25-cent tin pen from him 20 years ago.

The general fund of the state exchequer has been reduced again until it is about \$2,000. Tax money soon will relieve the situation.

Mancelona is excited over the discovery of an apparently deep oil well where farmers had been digging. There is talk of forming a \$50,000 company.

Charles Emlogg, a Lake township farmer, was killed by a Pere Marquette passenger train near Stevensville. His wife and daughter found the body beside the track.

Alleging local option as the cause of the Capital Brewing Co. has filed notice of dissolution with the secretary of state. The company had planned to hold in Lansing in the spring.

Blind women will organize a Dorcas society to support orphan children. A speech by Mrs. Theodore M. Euler, president of the Dorcas society, of Oshtemo, was the determining factor.

Dick Comstock, a 17-year-old Jackson boy, has been sentenced to pay a \$10 fine or spend five days in jail for contempt of court. He refused to tell where he obtained some liquor recently.

The infant child of Mrs. L. J. White, of Menominee, knocked a vial of carbolic acid from her hand and the fluid splashed over the child causing burns which will result in the little one's death.

Mrs. Anna Sanberg, of Port Huron, whose husband disappeared seven years ago and who sued the Macco-bees for his \$1,000 insurance, has been given a verdict of \$100.00 against the order.

A "wet" and "dry" war is being waged at the Ann Arbor university. About 40 students are preparing to stamp the count in the interests of local option, and a hard struggle is looked for.

Harold Beal Williams, aged 21, a nephew of Regent Beal, of the U. of M., has been removed to his home in Ann Arbor, suffering from an attack of mental derangement brought about by overstudy.

Because he says that his wife is needed at home to care for their child, Alonzo Baker, of Oshtemo, has secured her release from jail, though she was confined on a charge preferred by himself.

Levis P. Coumans, nominated by the Democratic state convention for regent of the U. of M., has sent a letter to John T. Winship, of Saginaw, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, declining the honor.

Called home by the news that his mother had sustained a stroke of apoplexy, F. A. Clemence, of Calmar, Cal., arrived in Battle Creek just one hour after his father had died from heart disease. The mother is still alive.

Miss Ione Riker, a stenographer of Lansing has been notified that she is one of several heirs to a fortune of \$15,000 left by her mother's great uncle. If the reports are true Miss Riker's share will amount to \$5,000.00.

Buckshot "Den" McPhail, the 104-year-old Muskegon river hermit, who had been unheard of all winter, came out of his hut on Muskegon river bottom with the morning of March, all doubts as to his whereabouts thus being removed.

The will of Miss Emily V. Mason, sister of the first governor of Michigan, has been filed for probate in Baltimore. The will disposes of an estate valued at \$15,000, which is divided among relatives and close friends of Miss Mason.

Joseph Pippinell, a pioneer resident of Shiawassee county, is dying as a result of blood poisoning. While husking corn in his barn recently, Pippinell scratched his hand on a nail, corn stink got into the wound and now his arm and body are terribly swollen. He has a wife and three children.

Isaac Boverman, aged 75, of Shelby a church member of long standing, was sentenced at Hart to 90 days in the Oceana county jail for attacking a 10-year-old girl. The court took into consideration the fact that Boverman had lived a lifetime without committing a single offense and showed him leniency.

Convict LeBeau, sentenced from Monroe November 5, 1907, to Jackson prison for larceny, made a vicious attack Wednesday on Keeper Ernest Birney, striking him to the ground and jumping upon him. Birney, who had to be taken to the hospital, had angered the prisoner by reporting him for infraction of rules.

The reports from the regular and display stations of the weather bureau indicate that there is less ice in the great lakes than was reported last season. The western end of Lake Superior is covered with a field extending over about 20 miles. Small fields are reported over the central and eastern portions. The ice is Whitefish bay is solid. Solid ice is also reported the entire length of St. Mary's bay.

Solicitor of Ann Arbor's residents arrested over the Stevens bill prohibiting fortune-telling and soothsaying, believing that possibly it makes the practicing of astrology a felony. Prof. Hussey, instructor in stargazing at the U. of M., says he has no fear that the legislators have struck a blow at science.

Little Tommy Doyle and his sister Frances, of Grand Rapids, found what they supposed was coal dust in a leather flask in the basement of their home. They poured it into a stove and it exploded, as it was gunpowder. Little Tommy was so badly injured he will die.

STANDARD OIL ESCAPES BIG FINE

NUMBER OF COUNTS LIMITED TO THIRTY-SIX MAKES SMALL PENALTY.

MILLIONS SHRINK SOME.

The Ruling Made by Judge Anderson Will Limit the Fine to Seven Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars.

Federal Judge Anderson definitely limited the number of offenses for which the Standard Oil Co. is liable to 36 when he sustained a motion to that effect by Attorney John S. Miller for the defendant.

Attorney Miller first moved that the court rule that the government be required to select on which of the 1,462 counts of the indictment charging the acceptance of rebates from the Aton railroad it proposed to make its case. The court overruled this motion.

Miller then moved that the court limit the number of offenses to 36 and ordered the government not to introduce any testimony designed to prove more than that number. This motion was sustained.

This makes definite Judge Anderson's opinion of last week and makes it impossible for the government, even if it proves every one of the 36 alleged offenses, to assess a fine of more than \$720,000 against the Standard.

Poor Old Castro.

Should Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, attempt to return to the country, he will face the possibility of arrest by the government the moment he disembarks because he has been criminally indicted in the federal court on the charge of having conspired to effect the assassination of Juan Vicente Gomez, the present president.

The report that Castro purposes to embark at Bordeaux March 25 for La Guayra has been received with much interest. It is feared that Castro's presence in Venezuela would result in dangerous demonstrations against him which the police and troops would have difficulty in putting down.

Castro's entire fortune is in Venezuela and it will all be lost to him unless he returns. It is generally believed here that he will now devote his energies to protecting his interests.

General Butchery.

More than 1,000 non-combatants, including many women and children, were killed by the royalists in the recent fighting around Tabriz according to a statement issued by the Persian revolutionary committee.

The atrocities by the royalists were also unchecked, most of the royalists who were taken prisoners being put to death.

The latest definite reports said that the besieging royalists had been badly routed by a relief column, but in the committee's statement today an appeal is made for other revolutionary centers to hasten additional forces to Tabriz.

The committee says that this is to prevent the escape of the royalists and their return to Teheran, against which a sweeping movement is planned in the near future.

To Move the Town.

Citizens of Haubstadt, Gibson county, Indiana, have appointed a committee to purchase a tract of land across the line in Vanderburgh county, and will remove the houses of the town bodily to the new site. Gibson county voted dry last week, and the citizens of Haubstadt are so disgusted with the prohibition of saloons in their town that they want to get into the adjoining county where there is no probability of a temperance wave engulfing them. The town has a population of about 700 and the heads of all the families were represented at the meeting at which it was determined to seek a new site.

Data compiled by the anti-liquor league show that there are now 47 counties in Indiana dry, 25 by vote under the local option law and 22 by remonstrance.

The World's End.

"A collision of an unknown dark planet with the sun will terminate life on the earth," said Prof. Percival Lowell, director of the Lowell observatory at Flagstaff, Ariz., in a lecture before the students of Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

"The event will be prophesied 14 years before the catastrophe occurs," continued the astronomer, "and chaotic confusion will reign in the world preceding the days of the calamity."

The chance of the catastrophe happening in the near future was declared to be very slight by Prof. Lowell, however.

Admiral Sperry Retires.

Rear Admiral Charles S. Sperry has made his formal application to be relieved from duty as commander-in-chief of the Atlantic battleship fleet. Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder has been appointed in his place.

Sperry was tendered the presidency of the naval war office, but declined the position, indicating his preference for subordinate duty there.

The Appropriation Bills.

Now that billion-dollar sessions of congress are the rule, little other than appropriation legislation can be enacted in the short sessions and the one to end this week is no exception to the rule.

STRIKE COMING.

Seem to Be Preparing for a Severe Struggle Again.

The statement of President Truesdale, of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad, in which he makes the charge over his own signature that the bituminous operators control the United Mine Workers and are trying to involve the anthracite operators in a costly labor war, was laughed at when read at the national headquarters of the United Mine Workers in Indianapolis. President Lewis is not at his desk, being at his home in Bridgeport, O., but other officers of the union expressed surprise that Truesdale would start proceedings for a renewal of amicable arrangements with a quarrel. President Lewis will go from Bridgeport to New York city, where he will remain most of the month making arrangements for peace or war in the forthcoming anthracite crisis.

There are indications that for the first time in six years complete secret arrangements are being made for a prolonged anthracite strike. The leaders of the organization are on tiptoe with expectancy and are more secretive than they have been since the days before Mitchell called out the anthracite miners six years ago.

Star Witness Dead.

James T. Tiney, the man whose testimony in behalf of Thornton J. Hains did most to add the sailor-novelist to his trial for complicity in the killing of William E. Annis, and who was expected to be a material witness for the defense in the coming trial of Peter C. Hains, the actual slayer of Annis, as dead, of pneumonia, at his home at Bayside.

WIRELETS.

During the present session of congress 39,000 bills have been introduced, one and one-quarter per cent becoming laws.

The Hawaii house of representatives paid a fitting compliment to President Roosevelt in the closing hours of his administration. The house wants to wipe out race suicide and has passed a bill providing that fathers of six or more children be exempt from poll tax.

Rep. Townsend's bill, providing one day in the week when members may bring up bills without being subject to suppression by the speaker, was passed, 168 to 162. The insurgents, who wanted more than that, told the Michigan man he had "cold feet" but he was happy.

The local option movement is spreading broadcast over Indiana. Four counties have fixed dates for future elections and during this week elections will be held in six counties this week.

Because she failed to carry out the literal terms of the 99-year lease under which she held a piece of downtown New York property belonging to Trinity church, the lease demanding a lump cash payment and one pepper-corn per year, Miss Anna Neilson, woman capitalist, found herself subject to penalty by the court when she tried to transfer the lease. She paid \$1,075 penalty for the missing pepper-corn.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Cattle—Market 25 lower than last week on all grades. Extra dry-fed steers and heifers \$5.50 to \$6.00, medium \$4.50 to \$5.00, light \$4.00 to \$4.50, cows \$3.75 to \$4.25, good fat cows \$3.50 to \$4.00, common cows \$3.00 to \$3.50, choice fat calves \$5.00 to \$5.50, common calves \$4.00 to \$4.50, good hogs \$10.00 to \$11.00, medium hogs \$9.00 to \$10.00, light hogs \$8.00 to \$9.00.

Veal calves—Market \$5.00 to \$6.00, better than last week, best \$5.00, others \$4.00 to \$5.00.

Milk cows and springers—Good steady common dull.

Sheep—Market active, prices lower than last week. Best lambs \$7.25 fair to good lambs \$6.50 to \$7.00, common lambs \$5.75 to \$6.25, fair to good butchers' sheep \$4.50 to \$5.00, culls and common \$3.50 to \$4.00.

Hogs—Market 10c to 15c higher than last week. Best \$10.00, medium \$9.00, light \$8.00, heavy \$7.00, common \$6.00, pigs \$5.00 to \$6.00, light \$4.00 to \$5.00, heavy \$3.00 to \$4.00.

East Buffalo—Cattle—Market steady. Best steers \$6.25 to \$6.50, best 1,200 to 3,000, shipper's choice \$6.00 to \$6.25, best 1,000 to 1,100 \$5.50 to \$6.00, fat cows \$4.75 to \$5.00, good fat heifers \$5.25 to \$5.50, light fat heifers \$4.50 to \$5.00, best hogs \$10.00 to \$11.00, medium hogs \$9.00 to \$10.00, light hogs \$8.00 to \$9.00, heavy \$7.00 to \$8.00, common \$6.00 to \$7.00, pigs \$5.00 to \$6.00, light \$4.00 to \$5.00, heavy \$3.00 to \$4.00.

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Grain, Etc.

Detroit—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.22 1/2, May opened unchanged at \$1.05, 10c bid and advanced to \$1.21 1/2, July opened at \$1.08, advanced to \$1.06 1/2, dropped back to \$1.05, 10c bid, advanced to \$1.07, September opened at \$1.02, advanced to \$1.01 1/2, No. 3 red, \$1.19 1/2, No. 4 white, \$1.12 1/2, No. 5 white, \$1.07 1/2, No. 6 white, \$1.02 1/2, No. 7 white, \$0.97 1/2, No. 8 white, \$0.92 1/2, No. 9 white, \$0.87 1/2, No. 10 white, \$0.82 1/2, No. 11 white, \$0.77 1/2, No. 12 white, \$0.72 1/2, No. 13 white, \$0.67 1/2, No. 14 white, \$0.62 1/2, No. 15 white, \$0.57 1/2, No. 16 white, \$0.52 1/2, No. 17 white, \$0.47 1/2, No. 18 white, \$0.42 1/2, No. 19 white, \$0.37 1/2, No. 20 white, \$0.32 1/2, No. 21 white, \$0.27 1/2, No. 22 white, \$0.22 1/2, No. 23 white, \$0.17 1/2, No. 24 white, \$0.12 1/2, No. 25 white, \$0.07 1/2, No. 26 white, \$0.02 1/2.

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The lives of nearly 20 persons were endangered in a fire which destroyed the Barry county poor house. Six women inmates who were locked in an apartment gave the alarm, which brought about their release, by pounding on a steam pipe which led to the superintendent's room.

The state livestock commission is sending out notices to the effect that the quarantine in townships in Oakland, Wayne and Macomb counties caused by the foot and mouth disease, have not been raised, but, on the contrary, the regulations will be enforced with increased vigor.

Woman's Age. Woman is like the moon—many phases and in all her phases fascinating. She is at her best at three ages, according to your personal taste. If you prefer the beautiful woman, she is at her best between the ages of 20 and 35. If your taste is for the woman of sentiment, she is at her pre-eminence between the ages of 30 and 45. If you worship intellect, she is supreme between 40 and 60. If you want all of these qualities, seek out a goddess, for goddesses have no age.—David Belasco.

The Quality of Courage. There are as many different kinds of courage as there are of cavalry horses. There are as many different kinds of cavalry horses as there are cavalry horses of any kind whatever. Almost any man will be a hero given the right circumstances. Almost any man will flunk if Fate springs the psychic combination on him. What I mean to say is that potentially every man has his hero, we're all cowards.—Edward Marshall, in Metropolitan Magazine.

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Finally the worm turned. 'D'y'e expect to get a second Horce Greeley fer five plunkers a week?' he demanded sarcastically. 'If you do you are barking up the wrong sapling. I can't set type or sling ink with Ben Franklin for five Horce Greeley, not on my present recompense, but you make the salary six simoleans, cash down every Saturday night, and I'll pitch in and set the journalistic pinwheels a-buzzing in Punkville and vicinity, even if I have to stay up seven nights a week to do it.

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MR. PRATT. By Joseph C. Lincoln. Author of 'CAPTAIN PARTNERS OF THE TIDE'. Copyright 1907 A. S. Barnes and Company. Illustrations by T. D. Melville.

SYNOPSIS. Mr. Solomon Pratt began a comical narration of his adventures in the West. He introduced well-to-do Nathan Scudder of his town, and Edward Van Brunt and Martin Hartley, two rich New Yorkers seeking rest because of their father's lavish expenditure of money. Pratt's first impression was connected with the fact that Van Brunt, it was learned, was the successful suitor for the hand of Miss Agnes Page, who gave Hartley an adventure at Fourth of July celebration at Eastwich. Hartley rescued a boy, known as 'Reddy', from under a horse's feet and the orphan proved to be one of Miss Page's charges, whom she had taken to the country for an outing. Out sailing later, Van Brunt, Pratt and Hartley were wrecked in a small boat. Van Brunt landed safely and a search for the other two revealed an island upon which they were found. Van Brunt rented it from Scudder and called it Ozone Island. In charge of a company of New York poor children, Miss Talford and Miss Page visited Ozone Island. In another storm Van Brunt and Hartley narrowly escaped being wrecked, having aboard chickens, pigs, etc., with which they were so situated. Van Brunt, a country girl, was engaged as a cook and Van Brunt and Hartley paid a visit to her father, Eureka, diagnosed Hartley's case as one of love for Agnes. At a lawn fête, Van Brunt shocked the church community by falling in a quilt for the church's benefit. Hartley invented a plan to make Washington Sparrow work. In putting the plan into effect Hartley incurred wrath of Miss Page, who then appealed to Van Brunt, Sparrow to escape the treatment pronounced himself well and went to work.

CHAPTER XVII.—Continued. Along about noon the tool-shed—the late lamented Washy's boarding house—blew down with a bang. Then the Dora Bassett broke loose from her moorings and drove into the cove head first. She was bound to bang herself to flinders unless somebody got to her quick, so out I went into the storm. I did think maybe the Heavens would offer to turn to and help, but they were pitching half dollars at a crack in the floor and was too busy to think of anything else.

I had a sweet time plowing through the sand against that wind and rain, and when I got to the cove my job was cut out for me. The sloop was hard and fast aground on the flat and the tide was coming in. She couldn't stay where she was, so I worked for two hours up to my waist in ice water, and more a-pouring on to me from the clouds, getting her off and made fast. The Twins did help me long towards the last part of it. That is to say, they set in an upstairs back window and pounded on the glass and made signs—superintending, as usual. I wish they could have heard some of the language I hove back at 'em. Then they'd have realized how grateful I was.

I got supper without changing my wet clothes, and when I woke up next morning I decided without an argument that something else had happened. I was took with the galloping rheumatiz—my old trouble—and couldn't move, scarcely, without howling same as a dog with his tail shut in a door. The fire was out—the old chimney had unloaded half of its top rigging in to the wind—the storm was bad as ever, and there I was laid up on the corn husks. The Heavens was worried. Breakfast was somewhere 'round the next corner.

'Too bad, old man,' says Hartley. 'What can we do?' 'Do?' I answers, between yells. 'I don't care what you do. Only don't bother me. Ow! O-o-o! my shoulder!' 'But what'll we do for eatables?' ask Van Brunt. 'I hiked them fellers first rate and they knew it. But now they made me mad.' 'Do?' says I. 'Do? Why, scratch for your living, same's I've had to do all my days! Work, consarn you! work!'

I said considerable many other things. 'Twas a sort of jerky talk—I had to stop every minute to attend to my shoulder—but there was meat in it. They heard some plain truth that nothing but rheumatiz could have fetched out of me. I didn't skip nothing—leastways I tried not to. I hope it done 'em good; it seemed to help me a heap.

They went to work, but they was way down in the primer class so far as that branch of learning was concerned. I could hear things falling around in the kitchen and a million matches, more or less, a-scratching, and I judged that Hartley was trying to build a fire. And under my window there was the dickens of a thumping and a most astonishing number of cuss words, so I gathered that Van was chopping wood.

I managed to hobble downstairs about half past ten, but I was in plenty of time for breakfast. I was feeling too mean to have any appetite—which was a mercy, and I'm thankful for it. We had smoked mush, Wall street style, and fried eggs with cinders, and one cup of coffee for three. But that cup was strong enough—owing to Hartley's letting it bile for two hours—so nobody wanted any more.

The Twins was pretty well wore out by this time, so neither of them would wash dishes. They chucked 'em into the kitchen sink and left them there. Then they put in three or four hours looking out of the window and swearing at the weather. I stayed in the armchair by the fireplace and did little or nothing but groan and rub al-

'Let it go,' says Van. Hartley didn't speak. 'Now, see here,' I says, decided. 'I've got the rheumatiz and I don't want to get any more cold. You fellows have pretended to think something of me. If you don't want my remains on your hands, and a funeral to pay for, you'll chop that wood.'

Martin got down from the window seat, moving stiff and lame. 'You're right, Sol,' says he. 'We are ungrateful beasts. I'll chop that wood.'

'Hold on, old man,' breaks in his chum. 'You sha'n't be the only game sport—I'll match you for the job.'

So they matched cents and Van Brunt got stuck. He yanked on his hat and coat and went out, banging the door. Hartley tackled the cook-stove again. 'Twas time to be thinking of supper, if we was going to have any.'

Van was gone a long time and he come in soaked with sweat and rain and broke up generally. The wood looked like it had been chewed. I callate they don't do much chopping in the Street.

He slatted himself into a chair, wet clothes and all. Then he commenced to cuss the island and everything that grew or moved on it.

'What we ever came to this lonesome fag end of creation for, any way,' says he, 'is—'

'What?' I hollers. 'I don't understand you. You can't mean—what place are you talking about?'

'This place. This sand-scoured, blown out heap of desolation. Ozone, Horsefoot Bar island, or whatever you call it.'

'Well!' says I. 'Are you crazy? Mr. Van Brunt, I've heard you yourself say that this island was all that's lovely.'

'Oh, shut up!' he snaps. 'Jolliest old ark you ever saw. I went on, quoting from memory. 'Air to breathe, veranda to set on, ozone

'The Natural Life Be D—d,' Says Edward Van Brunt. day's newspaper and went to reading Hartley poked at the stove a spell and then went to the closet and got a cigar. Van looked up and saw him.

'Hand me one of those,' says he, motioning towards the cigar.

'There isn't any more. This was the last one in the box.'

'The devil it is! And you take it? Well, by George!'

'Now, see here. I saw you take four this forenoon, and this is only my second. Don't be a prize pig.'

The stove ashes got into his mouth and nose just then, so he had a fit of sneezing. When 'twas over he slammed the poker into the corner and went to the window.

'Where's that idiot Scudder?' he asks. 'You mean Nature's Nobleman?' says I, smooth and calm. 'Oh, he won't show up for a day or so. Sea's too high to risk his dory. Dories cost money.'

'Tea Lead?' breaks in Hartley. 'Have you been buying Tea Lead?' 'Yes I have. I'm carry a pretty good load of it, too, worse luck. Scudder has been bringing my letters and telegrams, and now that he doesn't come, why—'

'Wait a minute! Has Scudder been looking out for your wires and orders?'

'Yes, he has. Oh, I've played you mean and low enough, Martin. Might as well make a clean breast of it, though it will probably smash our friendship. I've paid Scudder three dollars a day to attend to things and say nothing to you. It's—'

Hartley didn't seem to hear nothing but the last sentence. Now he in interrupted. 'Three dollars!' he says, low. 'Three dollars! Why, the confounded grafter's been charging me five!'

And there it was! The cat out of the bag and both Heavenly Twins tarred with the same brush. That's what Kate's secrets and the talks behind the barn, and all, had meant Van Brunt had been bucking the Tea Lead deal ever since he read the Post that day, and Martin had begun after his row with Agnes. And both of 'em bribing Nate Scudder to keep his mouth shut.

First they was provoked and mad at themselves and each other. Then they got to laughing.

'Whew!' says Van, wiping his forehead; 'you and I came here to rest and break off from business worry. And I've worried more in the last month than I have before, since my big deal. It's hard to teach old dogs new tricks, isn't it, Martin?'

'You're dead right, old chap,' says Hartley. 'They was going to turn in soon after this, but when they went upstairs they found the rain had leaked in through the ell roof and their feather beds was sopping wet. Down they come again, mad clean through and calling Marcelus' heirloom everything but a nice place.

'You'd better set down and rest yourselves a spell,' says I. 'I'll do you good. I'm sorry I ain't been able to help you more to day, but there's one thing I can do, I can help you do what you call improve your minds. I'll read you some out of that Natural Life-book. Hand it to me, will you?'

Van jumped to the book. But he didn't hand it to me. Not much! He drew back his arm and banged that book into the fireplace so hard that I thought 'twould knock the bricks out at the back.

'Well!' says I, my mouth opening like a clam shell. 'Well! The Natural Life!'

'The Natural Life be d—d!' says Edward Van Brunt. And Martin Hartley says 'Amen.'

CHAPTER XVII. Across the Bay. 'Martin, says Van Brunt, 'I guess it's the only safe way I'll go out on the next train.'

We was at the dinner table when he said it. 'Twas one o'clock of the day after the Natural Life sermon went up in smoke. The weather was still pretty mean the sky being all clouded over and the sea running high. But it had stopped raining and the gale seemed to be petering out. I was a whole lot better and was able to turn out and work.

I had my hands full that morning, too. All three of us was close to starvation, after 24 hours of short rations, and it took some time to get us filled up. Then I had the pig and hens to see to. The poor critters' lives had been more Natural even than ours—they hadn't had nothing to eat. The pig was in particular trouble. The rain had turned his pen into a sort of lake and he was playing Robinson Crusoe on a seaweed island in the middle of it. The way he grunted for joy when I looked over the fence was human—yes, sir, human.

Scudder hove in sight about ten and the Heavens fairly fell on his neck when he stepped out of the dory. But they wasn't so happy when he'd spun his yarn. It seemed that the gale had blown down the telegraph poles and tangled up the wires and no messages could get through either way, and wa'n't likely to for two or three days.

'Twas that that upset the Twins. The Tea Lead market might be tied up in a knot, for what they knew, and their 'friends' in the Street might be robbing 'em right and left. I picked up from their talk that now was the most ticklish time, something about 'passing a dividend,' or the like of that. So that's what they argued about at the dinner table; and it was decided that Van should go to New York right off and pick up what might be left after their cums and the rest of the forty thieves had got through shaking the contribution box.

'I'll leave at once,' Van says; 'and be in town to-morrow morning. If all goes well I'll be back here next day. Meanwhile, you, Martin, can be arranging matters with Scudder.'

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Theories Do Not Always Work.

The Free Press is informed that the accounts of the State Oil Department are audited and allowed by the Board of State Auditors under the general accounting laws of the state of Michigan and not by the State Inspector.

Frank Freddy of Adrian.

Frank Freddy, postmaster at Adrian and one of the best known and most popular hustling business men of that city, died late last week Thursday night.

Insist on Yellow Flour.

Charles Christodoro an expert on flour and grains, sounds the keynote of the new situation brought about by the bleached flour decision when he says in a communication to the editor commenting on the bleached flour decision: "The housewife will now insist on yellow tinted or creamy flour, and will learn to realize that a natural flour very white can in no manner compare with the creamy or yellow flour in so far as gutens and muscle building values are concerned."

Consider the Difference.

Statisticians inform us that the cost of living has increased 250 per cent during the last 100 years. Still, it will have to be admitted that living is worth a good deal more than it was 100 years ago.

NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

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

J. B. Kimmel of Hillman is in town calling on old friends.

Miss Amy Edwards of Milan is visiting Mr and Mrs. Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Selger of Detroit were guests of J. W. Davis Sunday.

Mr. Virgen of Pontiac spent Friday with J. M. Dixon and family.

Will Heathfield of Detroit was a Sunday caller at the Robt. McCully home.

Theo Hakes of Detroit spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Electa Hakes.

Mrs. A. G. McIntyre of Milan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Fletchman.

Mrs. Alice Stewart of Pontiac was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Lewis, Sunday.

Carl Simpson of Milan spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Geo Simpson.

Mrs. Mary Daft of Crosswell is spending the month with her son, J. A. Dart, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheaton of Plymouth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Grant Sunday.

Pearl Palmer of Ypsilanti spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr and Mrs. N. I. Coff.

Byron Shepson of Interlaken, N. Y. visited his cousin, F. S. Neal, a couple days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leadbeater of Detroit were over Sunday guests of Northville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Gibson of Detroit are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Scott.

Mrs. E. J. Willis of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Miller, and other Northville relatives.

After a two weeks' visit with Milan friends, Miss Flora Woodman see returned home Tuesday.

Miss Mary Williams of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Lillian Ambler.

Walter Wacker and Miss Lona Russell of Detroit were guests of L. L. Ball and wife over Sunday.

Mrs. W. Y. Murdoch of Ypsilanti is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. P. B. Barley, and other relatives.

Mr and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Detroit were guests of the latter's brother, N. I. Coff, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Geo Barber and little son, Charles, of Mead's Mills were guests of Mrs. Carrie Mosher one day last week.

Misses Daisy and Minnie Richmond of Pontiac were Sunday guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. Robt. McCully.

Mrs. D. P. Ingles of St. Clair and Miss McElroy of Detroit were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Craft.

Miss May Bond of Farmington was the guest of Mrs. Tremper and daughter, Grace, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Alwilda Heathfield of Bellefonte, Pa., is spending the week with Viola McCully. She is on her way to Wild Rose, Wis.

Miss Bessie Housington returned to her home in Detroit Friday, after a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. T. B. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smitherman of Commerce spent a few days of last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Green.

Mrs. Gussie McDonald and niece, Louie Yoxen, of Detroit spent the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Will Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cameron, Mr and Mrs. Milt Burrows and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Johnson spent Sunday with friends in Plymouth.

Mrs. R. G. Purvis, who was called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Rayson, returned to her home in Buffalo, N. Y., Tuesday.

Rev. W. T. Jacques of Detroit, while on his way from Bay City Monday, stopped off and ate dinner with E. H. Lapham and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron of Detroit were over Sunday guests of Northville relatives. Mrs. Cameron was formerly Miss Lona Garfield.

B. A. Northrop is visiting relatives in Lansing this week. Some one saw Beach as he was boarding the car and said "he didn't look sick, but he had the grip."

Robert Greenwood of the Wabash railway and J. A. Russell of the Missouri Pacific were in town Tuesday and made the Record office a pleasant call. Both are the hustling passenger agents for their respective roads.

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School Notes.

[By a Pupil.]

The Fourth grade is learning "Paul Revere's Ride."

The Sixth grade has places in bud in their window box.

Hugh Smith of the Sixth grade has left school temporarily.

The Second grade has a pussy willow calendar for March.

Leona Rathbun of the Second grade has moved to Brighton.

Aiva and Velma Saville of the First grade are ill with chicken-pox.

The Seventh grade pupils are working on relief maps of Australia this week.

The Fifth grade calendar is "a bird of a one," being decorated with birds.

Bertie Mosherman of the Fifth grade received "A" in spelling last month.

Averil Miles and Murie Stilson are new pupils in the First grade and Kindergarten.

The Sixth grade pupils drew several black and white sketches of landscapes this week.

The Fifth grade pupils are interested in the hatching of several fish eggs which they have in their room.

Mabel Burch of the Seventh grade, who has been absent on account of a broken nose, is back in school again.

Edgar, Frank, Nellie and Charlie Freydl are new pupils in the Kindergarten, First, Second and Fifth grades.

Don't forget the Junior Musical in the High school room this (Friday) afternoon at two o'clock. Admission ten cents.

Little Freddy Neil of the Kindergarten, who has been absent some time on account of a broken leg, has re entered school.

Miss Mae Coldren taught the Third grade Monday but Mrs. Woolley was back Tuesday and is "laboring under difficulties."

Why She Was Changed.

A little girl in Knoxville, Tenn., asked the family whether they had not noticed recently that she had had a different and a very sweet expression.

They said: "Perhaps so, but what would be the reason?" She replied: "Well, thoughts of Jesus, and then the new way I do my hair."—Delinctor.

Her Indoor Vegetable Garden.

The West Philadelphia woman who was the envy of her neighbors last summer by virtue of her vegetable garden in her small back yard, which kept her table well supplied for a month, has again stepped into the limelight.

This clever woman has succeeded in raising several kinds of vegetables in flower pots of earth inside her house. Already she has raised several stalks of asparagus from roots, and her family is enjoying the luxury of green asparagus, while their friends and neighbors are eating canned goods.

Raspberries, too, have grown indoors for this amateur trucker, and now, made ambitious by her successes, this woman is going to plant some lima beans and peas. The care of her indoor vegetable garden is not wearing, for the West Philadelphia woman, to gain time, has simply cut down her usual list of potted plants and devoted her time to more practical growing things.—Philadelphia Record.

Sicily's Wheat and Fruits.

Sicily was the "granary of Rome" in former days. Wheat grows to an enormous height, and the ears seldom contain less than 60 grains. The rice is the finest on earth. I buy it at ten cents a pound to make that famous dish—"riso e buttero e formaggio."

No other rice answers the purpose. The most beautiful crops of Germany and France, of England and Austria-Hungary, present to the Sicilian the image of sterility. A Sicilian watermelon is a dream. It was the original nectar of the gods. No Georgia rattlesnake variety is in its class.

Indian figs and aloes are wonderful, the former serving as food for the poor. The pomegranate reaches its highest perfection along the southern coast, and is shipped to all parts of the world under the name of "punica," in honor of the Punic war, it was brought from Carthage into Italy by the Romans.—New York Press.

NORTHVILLE

Annual Village Report

Annual Report of the Finances of the Village of Northville for the Fiscal Year Ending February 27, 1909.

Treasurer's Report.

Table with columns: Receipts, Disbursements, Balance on hand, etc. Total receipts: \$17,520.33. Total disbursements: \$17,520.33. Balance on hand March 1, 1909: \$941.69.

Clerk's Report.

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It is said that a person who would take this prescription regularly, a dose or two daily, or even a few times a week, would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce, indeed, and when you need it, you want it badly.

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The City in Brief.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Fata Feb. 27, a son.

Miss Ethel Neelanda is the proud possessor of a new piano.

G. H. Baker was numbered among the sick the first of the week.

Mofroe Kelley has been quite ill with neuralgia the past week.

Miss Cora Rothruft attended the funeral of her grandmother at Belleville Tuesday.

Stanley Wheeler and wife now occupy the Cattermole house on east Main street.

Mrs. M. A. White, who has been ill with grip, is better and able to be up around the house.

Mrs. W. S. Jerome and daughter, Anne entertained a few ladies at luncheon Tuesday noon.

Edessa, the little year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daggett, has been quite ill the past week.

Mr. Shultz has moved his family into the Frank Taylor house on Yerkes avenue in Bealton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hinkley were called to Belleville Sunday by the sudden death of the latter's mother.

Regular meeting of Union Chapter No. 55 R. A. M., Wednesday evening, Mar. 10. Work on Royal Arch degree.

N. C. Schrader and family now occupy the house on Main street recently vacated by Dr. T. H. Turner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Leadbeater have moved onto the H. M. White farm, west of town, which they purchased last fall.

The Northville Woman's club will go to Plymouth this (Friday) afternoon as guests of the Plymouth Ladies' Literary club.

Wm. Gorton, Northville's popular clothier, is now nicely located in his new quarters on Main street and all ready to do business.

C. H. Holbrook and family, who recently occupied the W. H. Cattermole house on Main street, have returned to Kalkaska.

Mrs. Beulah Thompson left this week for Wixom where she has purchased a house and lot and where she will make her home.

N. E. Bogart is moving into town this week. He will occupy the Mrs. Beulah Thompson place on north Center street which he purchased a few weeks ago.

Geo. Smitherman was confined to the bed the fore part of the week by injuries received from a fall while carrying a ladder from the barn the night of the fire.

The L. O. T. M. M. ladies have purchased the 100 or more folding chairs of Schrader Bros. and will have them for rent hereafter instead of Mr. Schrader.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanSickle and Mr. and Mrs. James Dunham one day the latter part of last week.

Mr. Darby of Gobblesville has been engaged by W. H. Cattermole as harness maker in his shop here. Mr. Grant will have charge of the store and part of the outside work.

Stewart Montgomery now holds the ribbons over one of the finest teams of matched blacks seen in Northville in some time. He expects to drive them on Schrader's funeral car.

While visiting her brother in Pontiac Sunday, Mrs. Susie Woolley fell on the icy pavement and broke her left wrist. She returned home Monday and resumed her work in school Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McFarland were recently given a pleasant surprise by a number of their friends it being the occasion of their eighteenth wedding anniversary. Progressive pedro, music and refreshments were among the enjoyments of the evening.

Mrs. Bruno Freydl and children arrived here the first of the week from Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Mr. Freydl will follow later with their household goods and store furnishings. Northville people will be glad to see them back in their old home town again.

Jesse Clark, unbeknown to his friends, hid himself to Detroit Saturday and procured a marriage license, but by the time he returned the secret had leaked out and several of his K. P. friends congregated at his house in the evening and gave him an "old fashioned serenade" with tin cans, horns, etc. Jesse invited the boys in and treated them to cigars. Everybody had a good time.

I am prepared to do all kinds of one horse work. Ind. Phone 85 J. W. B. PREDMORE.

Mrs. Horace Jackson, 33 Cady street wishes to announce to the public that she will be papering; also sell paper of all kinds. 30w2

Mrs. Will Lanning is ill with grip. Chas. Huff is critically ill at the home of his parents in Detroit.

Wilbur Waterman and family have moved onto their farm north of Wixom.

The annual report of the village clerk and village treasurer appears in this issue.

Mrs. F. N. Clark, who has been ill the past two weeks, is better and able to be out again.

The Woodmen gave another of their old-time dancing parties in Chadwick's hall last evening.

N. A. Clapp attended the State Horticultural meeting at Lapeer Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Geo. Johnson has moved his jewelry store from the State Savings bank building to Mr. Gorton's store on Main street.

Earl Lauray is the happiest man in town all on account of the arrival of a daughter at his home Wednesday, March 23.

The statement in last week's Record that Mrs. Blery would occupy rooms in Mrs. Prdmore's house, was an error.

Ed. Perrin returned from Flint yesterday. He has accepted a position in Washington and leaves for that place today.

W. L. Tinham, of the firm of Sessions & Tinham, has purchased Mr. Sessions' interest and will have full charge of the business hereafter.

Special Communication of Northville Lodge No. 188 F. & A. M. will occur Monday evening, Mar. 28, at 7 o'clock sharp for work in the E. A. degree.

W. E. Ambler has leased the corner store of State Savings bank just vacated by Mr. Gorton and will occupy it with a candy, ice cream and cigar store.

The Lady Maccabees delightfully entertained about one hundred gentlemen and lady members of the order at cards and lunch in Chadwick's hall Tuesday evening.

In our rural edition today the inaugural doings at Washington are shown as they were arranged for but a blizzard prearranged by the weather bureau took precedence.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Simmons entertained the "400" club at a six-thirty o'clock dinner Wednesday evening. Her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Iddell, of Milford superintended the whole affair.

Thomas Swan, who is quite well known in Northville, is at the head of the Standard Top & Equipment Co. of Cleveland. They are extensive manufacturers of automobile tops. Swan was carriage trimmer here for John Hirsch for some time.

The employees of the Record printing plant perpetrated a very pleasant surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Clark Tuesday night. They brought along a huge lunch basket and served a nice little ten o'clock dinner. The bride was presented with a set of knives and spoons. John T. Swift of this city (Fall River) clerk of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries committee of the National Congress, has been selected as one of the floor committee for the inaugural ball at Washington next Thursday night.—Fall River (Mass.) News

Auction Sale

On Thursday, Mar 11, at one o'clock sharp, on the premises known as the Wixom Hotel, 2 miles west of Farmington, I will sell at public auction my little effects of a lifetime's saving of souvenirs and all small articles too numerous to mention, including two sets of new wagon wheels, 1 1/2 inch tires ready for use; some poultry.—Plymouth Rocks. Terms of sale: \$5.00 and under, cash, over \$5.00, six months time. A. H. Phelps, auctioneer.

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District of Columbia. The District of Columbia comprises an area of 69,245 square miles. The government consists of two civilian commissioners appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate, and one army engineer officer, detailed by the secretary of war, the three constituting the board of commissioners for three years.

DOING THEIR DUTY. Scores of Northville Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys. To filter the blood is the kidney's duty. When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick. Backache and many kidney ills follow.

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What They Are Paying. The Northville Market, corrected up to date. Wheat, red—1 1/5 Wheat, white—1 1/4 Oats, New—50c Oats, Old—50c Corn in ear—30c Shelled corn—60c Baled hay per ton—\$15.00 Hogs dressed—\$8.00 Cattle—\$4.75 Lambs—\$5.00 Beef hides—8c per lb. Feal calves live—1.00 Eggs—18c Butter—23c. Poultry live: Turkeys, young and plump—13c. Geese, young and plump—10c. Ducks, young and plump—8c. Meats—6c.

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SERIAL STORY

THE SMUGGLER

By ELLA MIDDLETON TYBOUT

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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 innocent stranger, who finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. The young women met a 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. Two men called. They proved to be John Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Plans for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced. The young women on board ship, Elise, alone, explored the cellar overhearing a conversation between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, jealousy being the cause. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the safe's care by Lady Edith. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boarding. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool. Mrs. Graham, sick from Elise of her husband's care for another woman Gordon Bennett and Blake returned with Mr. Graham's body. He had been murdered. Lord Wilfrid gave Lady Edith confidence to Elise that Blake and Bennett were thieves. Lady Edith led her to where they were trying to break in. The girls were awakened late at night by a noise in the cottage. They found Blake and Bennett awaiting them. Elise told them they told the girls was Neil Simms, a notorious crook and Lord Wilfrid a smuggler wanted for murder. They rushed to help Blake. They proved to be a government officer.

CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

At last it came. A stealthy step, a subdued rustle of skirts, a whispered word of caution, and we were aware that some one had entered the dining room and stood so near the sheltering portiere that it moved slightly. We could hear a low voice command some one to go to the foot of the stairs and listen for movements above. Then silence again, and a whisper from Mary Anne that everything was quiet.

A faint light appeared through the opening of the portiere and, peering it still further, we saw two figures. One a man, on his knees at the door of the safe, while the other, a woman, held the lantern. Her back was toward us, but we knew only one person with that wealth of golden hair, slim, graceful figure, and those dazzling white shoulders enhanced by the low-cut black gown. Elizabeth's fingers closed tightly on my arm, and I knew she, too, had recognized Lady Edith Campbell.

"I should regret to use force," he repeated. "The box, if you please."

"Stop!"—said Gabrielle quickly. "Lady Edith, may I take the box? Thank you. Surely it is a simple matter for you to satisfy this man. Let us open it and prove him wrong once for all, and then neither you nor I need ever see him again."

She unwrapped the first layer of paper, then paused uncertainly.

"Tell me they are yours," she said in a queer, choked voice—"your mother's pearls—and I will believe you. Only look at me and tell me so."

The great brown eyes looked into Gabrielle's clear hazel ones steadily for a minute perhaps, then faltered; the long lashes drooped upon her cheek; and she turned aside, speechless—self-confessed a thief.

Gabrielle, with a sigh which was almost a sob, handed the box to Mr. Blake. He bowed gravely, removed the cover, and Mrs. Bundy's famous emeralds glittered in their bed of jeweler's cotton. As long as I live I shall hate emeralds, for they can but recall that most painful scene, bringing vividly before me the averted face, and bent golden head, of our once loved friend.

"Surely," said Gordon Bennett, "there is no use in prolonging this scene."

"None whatever," agreed Mr. Blake, making a sign to the officers who held the man. I even now think of as Lord Wilfrid.

"I arrest you," said the officer, "for the murder of Harry Graham."

Something flashed in the light, and we heard a sharp click, accompanied by a suppressed scream from Mary Anne.

"Not that!" she cried. "Oh, good Lord! not that! Don't put the handcuffs on him."

"Be quiet," her son said. "Don't you see the game is up?"

She did not heed him, but stood before the officers with raised hand and a certain dignity of carriage which commanded attention in spite of her gingham apron and round red face.

"Are," she said, "the murder of Mr. Graham done it—'e struck the blow—but why? Ask the woman beside 'im 'er with the soft hands and the yellow air. Ask 'er why he done it. Am I she 'is wife? Am't 'e lived and breathed and worked fur 'er ever since the evil day 'e first seen 'e—the day 'e come to me and told me 'e was going to take up a trade and live honest and respectable? Wot did she do fur 'im? She smiled on 'im and she coaxed 'im, with 'er sweet voice and pretty ways, she said she couldn't live w/out 'im and more, too. And she told 'im 'ow rich she was,

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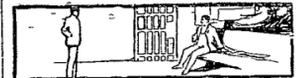
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and 'ow easy she made 'er money—takin' whatever she laid 'er hands on, and smugglin' jools and sich across the border to 'er friends in the states. Wot did she marry 'im fur? She didn't love him—"

The man made a sudden motion, but the officer laid a restraining hand upon his arm, and Mary Anne continued, pouring out the words in a steady stream which admitted of no interruption.

"She wanted somebody to do 'er dirty work, that's why she married 'im, and tired enough of 'im she got, but all the gold key she gave, 'im an 'e cuff button which I thought I'd see, when I seen it in 'er 'ands, Miss Elise. Was there a stormy night she didn't send 'im out on the ocean, w/ a boat-load fur the other side, can't not a bit whether 'e ever come back or not? Did she care fur anything but 'erself?"

"Don't I know 'ow fur years, ever since she fust seen 'im, she's made that pore dead man work fur 'er? An honest man 'e was too, at first, with a wife and child, but wot did she care? 'E was crazy about 'er, and once I heard 'im say 'e'd feller 'er to purgatory and wuss, and 'e left 'is wife and child whenever she called 'im, which she did w/ a lock 'o' air and some fool verse. She liked 'im, too—liked 'is fine figger and 'ansome face, and when he come around she 'ad smiles and to spare, with nothing left fur Willy but black looks and sharp words. Oh, I know!"

"Will some one stop the woman?" said Mr. Blake helplessly, but Mary Anne had more to say, and went close to her daughter in law, addressing her directly.

"When you sent fur 'im this summer," she said, "and 'e come as usual, you didn't like it because he brought 'is wife—pore, pale, homely little thing—so you was extra sweet to 'im, 'is wife when you met in the boat-house, and he sailed you out on the sea, you

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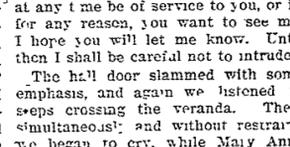
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Three Lines of Procedure Which May Be Followed—By G. F. Freeman, Kansas Agricultural College.

After a careful study of the characters of many individual plants, certain ones will be selected as worthy of future tests and further propagation. Three lines of procedure are offered:

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"In the breeding of alfalfas the seed from various sources is sown in selection rows, each row representing a single source of South Dakota accession number. The rows are three feet apart and each plant occupies one foot of row. One hundred or more plants are grown in each row. From the selection rows the best appearing individuals from the best original sources are selected and marked by numbered stakes. The seed from these plants is saved separately and sown the next season in centimeter or pedigree rows. The plants in these rows are grown the same as in the selection rows. The difference between the selection and pedigree rows is simply in the source of the seed; selection rows are from single regional sources, while pedigree rows are from single plants selected from selection rows or from older pedi-

regards the value of a promising mother plant is as to how many of, and to what degree, its promising characters are transmitted to its offspring. Now these facts cannot be learned from the plants arising from cuttings, since each of these is but a separated part of the original plant and would therefore bear all of its characters. In order, therefore, to test the hereditary characters of a plant, and these are the only ones worth while in the originating of improved races of plants, it is necessary that they be propagated from close-pollinated seed. It requires at least two generations from close-pollinated seed to fully determine the hereditary potency of a mother plant, the fact as to whether or not it was itself a hybrid, and the extent to which its offspring will be variable. Moreover, according to the already recognized laws of heredity, plants which have bred true for two generations from close-pollinated seed may be considered as fixed to that type. Until, therefore, we are sure of the purity and the hereditary ability to transmit characters of economic value of a selected plant, it must be propagated from seed and not allowed to be contaminated by foreign pollen.

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Freddie's Impression.

This little boy attending Sunday school for the first time was greatly impressed by the teacher and the larger boys of the class. On returning home his mother questioned him in regard to what was said and what he must learn for his next lesson. The child in a frank way, replied: "Oh, mamma, it was all about God and love and a lady named Eve, and how she gave an apple to a man called Adam, who never gave her a bite." The mother, to lead him on, said: "Who was Eve?" "Why, mamma, she was Mrs. Eve Adam, a friend of God's, who kept house in a garden."

Down the Old Road.

The big autumn moon rolled up above the frosty pines. "You like to go out driving?" he said after a long silence. "Yes," she answered, nestling closer to him. "And you always like to go with a young man who knows how to handle the ribbons?" "Well, er—sometimes I like to go with a young man who knows how to drop them." And after that the old horse jogged along unguided.

Too Risky.

"Do you approve of the plan of teaching pupils to box?" "Not unconditionally," replied the country pedagogue, remembering his husky 19-year-olds. "Might be all right, though, if you'd authorize the teachers to carry guns."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

NEW IDEA Helped Wis. Couple.

It doesn't pay to stick too closely to old notions of things. New ideas often lead to better health, success and happiness.

A Wis. couple examined an idea new to them and stepped up several rounds on the health ladder. The husband writes:

"Several years ago we suffered from coffee drinking, were sleepless, nervous, sallow, weak and irritable. My wife and I both loved coffee and thought it was a bracer." (delusion.) "Finally, after years of suffering, we read of Postum and the harmfulness of coffee, and believing that to grow we should give some attention to new ideas, we decided to test Postum.

"When we made it right we liked it and were relieved of ills caused by coffee. Our friends noticed the change—fresher skin, steadier nerves, better temper, etc.

"These changes were not sudden, but relief increased as we continued to drink and enjoy Postum, and we lost the desire for coffee.

"Many of our friends did not like Postum at first, because they did not make it right. But when they boiled Postum according to directions on pkg., until it was dark and rich, they liked it better than coffee and were benefited by the change." "There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Well-Being" in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

ANNUAL VILLAGE REPORT

Table listing various village departments and their financial reports, including items like 'Peoples State Bank', 'Union Trust Co.', 'Fire Department', and 'Electric Light Fund'.

Table listing individuals and their financial contributions or reports, including names like 'Geo. Thomas', 'Ray Holcomb', 'John Negus', and 'Wm. Phillips'.

MADE HER FEEL FOOLISH. Ill-Bred Woman Deserved Little Sympathy in Her Mortification. In an eastern city, an ill-bred woman used to boast that her husband owned a bank...

WESTERN CANADA'S SPLENDID CROP YIELD FOR 1908. AMERICANS PROFITED LARGELY AND SEND BACK SATISFACTORY REPORTS. The census branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Canada, has completed its returns of the showing of Western Canada's grain yield for 1908...

Kemp's Balsam. A 25c. Bottle of Kemp's Balsam. Contains 40 DOSES. Best Cough Cure. Gabbage Seed 60 cts. GALL STONES. For Lame Back. An aching back is instantly relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment.

W.L. DOUGLAS \$3.00 SHOES \$3.50. KNOWN SINCE 1836 AS RELIABLE PLANTEN'S C & C OR BLACK CAPSULES. SALZER'S GREAT BEARDLESS BARLEY. SALZER'S BILLION DOLLAR GRASS AND TEOSINTE. PURE CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEED. JOHN A. SALZER & SONS. FOR PINK EYE DISTEMPER CATARRHAL FEVER AND ALL NOSE AND THROAT DISEASES. HAMLINS WIZARD OIL GREAT FOR PAIN.

ADVERSE TO CHANGE

ARABS CLING CLOSELY TO CUSTOMS OF THE PAST. Norman Duncan Describes Interview with Leader Which Well Reveals Attitude of the People of the Desert.

LIVE AND LEARN. Farmer Meddergrass—Waal, by clover! I knew them Chinese lived on t'other side o' th' airth but hang me if I knew they had a through route!

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Added a Saving Clause. A good old deacon in Connecticut was very pious and very fond of clams.

A Cure For Colds and Grip. These is inconveniences, suffering and danger in a cold, and the wonder is that people will take so few precautions against colds.

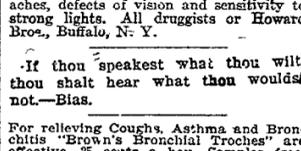
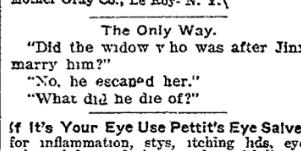
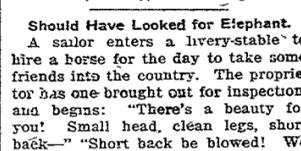
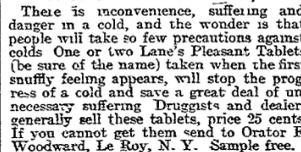
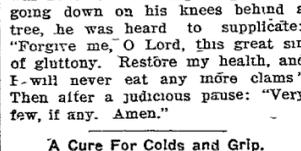
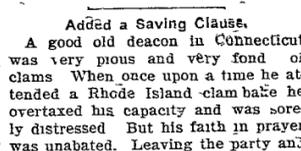
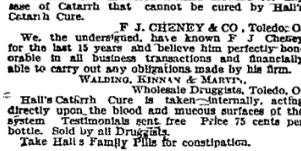
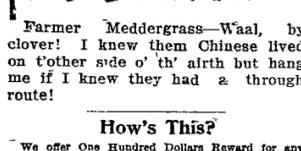
Should Have Looked for Elephant. A sailor enters a livery-stable to hire a horse for the day to take some friends into the country.

There Has Recently Been Placed In all the drug stores an aromatic, pleasant herb cure for woman's ills, called Mother Gray's AGUE-REGULATOR.

The Only Way. "Did the widow y ho was after Jinx marry him?" "No, he escaped her."

If It's Your Eye Use Pettit's Eye Salve. For inflammation, styes, itching lids, eye aches, defects of vision and sensitivity for strong lights.

Faith is obedience, not confidence. Macdonald.



NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

WIXOM NEWS.

Henry Perry and wife were Detroit visitors a part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mowry are confined to the house with grip.

Bruce McKnight of Walled Lake was taking pictures in Wixom Tuesday.

Miss Grace Stevens of Highland is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Frank Madison was in New Hudson two days this week, loading hay and potatoes.

Mrs. H. E. Richardson visited her sister, Mrs. Carl Parker, at New Hudson Monday.

Mrs. A. F. Spaulding and Miss Mabel Wright visited Mrs. Floyd Taylor Saturday.

The L. T. L. services were well attended last Sunday evening and a fine program was given.

The Southwest Commerce Pedro club met with Mr and Mrs W. M. Chambers last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Taylor of Milford were guests at the Madison home last week Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. J. G. Madison and little Dorothy visited her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Taylor, near Milford a part of last week.

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SALEM NEWS.

Lee Stevens is spending a few days with his brother in St. Johns.

Miss Lida Stevens returned home Saturday from her visit in Lansing.

Fred Burnett and family expect to move on a farm near Ypsilanti next week.

Mrs. Geo. Whipple was called to Plainfield Saturday on account of illness in her daughter's family.

Mrs. Lewis Raab and Mrs. Bert Stanbro will give a "miscellaneous shower" for Miss Beesie Clark, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Clark, Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stanbro.

Geo. Roberts was given a pleasant surprise Wednesday by about sixty of his friends at his birthday. They were so royally entertained that a number of them returned the next day and were treated to a birthday dinner.

Feel languid, weak, run-down? Headache? Stomach "off"?—Just a plain case of "lax" liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

WALLED LAKE NEWS.

Alex. Keitch, Sr., is very ill with heart trouble.

A. V. Tamlyn is confined to his house by illness.

Dr. J. D. Compton of Linden spent Sunday with his parents.

Ricard DeGroff has gone to Plymouth for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. C. F. Rosels entertaining Miss Hattie Douglas of Southfield.

Mrs. S. C. Holmes is able to be out again after several weeks' illness.

H. R. Russell spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Royal Oak.

Marie Hosner has been absent from school for several days on account of illness.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Tuttle visited Dr. and Mrs. Haslen at Rochester Monday.

Mr and Mrs. Perry Austin are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Haab, at Northville.

Rev. and Mrs. I. B. DuPuis visited

at the home of Mr. Rowley at Highland Monday.

Mrs. C. McKenney of Ypsilanti is assisting in the care of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Anos Bentley.

Will Hoyt and wife entertained some friends Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Hoyt's birthday.

Blanche Richardson was pleasantly surprised by some of her young friends coming to spend Saturday evening with her.

Mrs. Lemke had the misfortune to slip on the ice and break her arm Mrs. Chas. Ranous met with a similar accident. They are both doing nicely.

Those who have put off getting their ice until now are having much difficulty as the ice near the shore is so rotten that it will scarcely bear a team and loaded wagon.

The neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Richardson surprised them Friday evening by coming to their home as a farewell visit before they move to the Albert Richardson farm.

James M. Hoyt has been spending several days in Detroit at the home of his brother, Dr. B. R. Hoyt, where their brother, Wm., of Muskegon is very ill. Miss Lute Hoyt also went to Detroit Monday.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

GILT EDGE NEWS.

Mrs. B. Girst spent Monday in Detroit.

Lou Girst of Milford spent Sunday at his parental home.

Several have returned to school after two weeks' absence.

Ozell Caughell of St. Thomas, Ont., was the guest of F. E. Bradley the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wagonjack had their infant son christened Sunday. The name given was George Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kincade of Stark called on the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pankow, Sunday evening.

NOVI NEWS.

Mrs. Walter Coates is on the sick list.

Will Flint lost a valuable horse one day this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Atkinson Monday, a son.

Mrs. George Bery spent Wednesday at Northville.

Miss Elsa Woodruff spent part of last week in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Taylor has been confined to the house with a sore throat.

James Munro and wife have been visiting at Carleton the past week.

Miss Andrews entertained Miss Lyla Fuller of Wixom part of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Johnson of Northville are at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Clark, who is ill.

Mrs. Allen and daughter, Ruth, of Northville were guests of Delos Leavenworth and wife this week.

The Baptist Mission circle will meet in the church parlors Mar. 11, for the annual election of officers. A large attendance is desired.

Mrs. John Watts died at her home in this village Wednesday night at the age of 59 years. She had been ill for nine weeks. Besides the husband deceased leaves four daughters and two sons. Funeral 2 o'clock Saturday from the Methodist church.

Rest for Our Intelligence.
Ignorance, considered alone and aside from truth with which it is so sweetly harmonious, is rest for our intelligence; it makes us forget our past evils, dissimulates the present ones, in fine, it is a boon, since it comes to us from nature—Bernardin de Saint-Pierre.

Bald Heads Not Wanted

Baldness is too Generally Considered a Sign of Advanced Age.

A bald headed person does not have an equal chance with one blessed with a healthy head of hair, because baldness is too generally accepted as an indication of age. Many large corporations have established an age limit, and refuse to take men over 35 years of age as new employees.

Almost 65 per cent of bald headed people may regain a good head of healthy hair if they will follow our advice and accept our offer. We have a remedy that we positively guarantee to grow hair on any head, unless the roots of the hair are entirely dead, their follicles closed, and the scalp has become glazed and shiny. We want people to try this remedy at our risk, with the distinct understanding that unless it does exactly what we claim it will, and give satisfaction in every respect, we shall make no charge for the remedy used during the trial.

We know exactly what we are talking about, and with this offer back of our statements no one should scoff, doubt our word or hesitate to put our remedy to an actual test.

We want everyone in Northville who is suffering from any scalp or hair trouble, dandruff, falling hair or baldness to try our Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. We want them to use it regularly—say until three bottles have been used—and if it does not eradicate dandruff, cleanse and refresh the scalp, tighten the hair in its roots, and grow new hair, we will return every cent paid us for the remedy for the mere asking. There is no formality expected, and we exact no obligation from the user whatever.

We are established right here in Northville, and make this offer with a full understanding that our business success entirely depends upon the sort of treatment we accord our customers, and we would not dare make the above offer unless we were positively certain that we could substantiate it in every particular. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. A. E. Stanley & Co., Main street, Northville.

Bookworms.

There is no doubt that all books kept for a long time in libraries and other places become the abode of the germ and microbe.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Cheney & Co. Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

Wm. Daines is numbered among the sick.

Lena Hendryx returned Monday to her home in Detroit.

Miss Emma Detriche of Lansing spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Adam Kuster is able to be out after her long illness.

Fred Bond and family moved to Livonia the first of the week.

Mrs. Henry Yesson of Rochester visited friends in town last Friday.

Perry Wixom will occupy Mrs. Ellen Adams' house after March 1st.

Mrs. Hosner of West Bloomfield spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Voorhies.

S. D. Harger and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with J. C. Harger and family.

Duncan Ward slipped on the ice and fell last Saturday and was quite badly hurt.

Clarence and Ivan Webber of Northville were Sunday visitors at Leon Green's.

Mrs. G. F. Hamlen of Rochester spent a few days last week with Mrs. T. H. McGee.

Mrs. John Thayer entertained her sister, Mrs. Chas. Mosher, of Pontiac a part of last week.

Miss Jennie Stoney of Wademan spent last week with her brother, Fred Stoney and family.

O. L. Heberling of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Heberling.

The U-Go-I-Go Pedro club meet with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Seeley at Northville this (Friday) evening.

Marl Murray of Lansing was enter-

tained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Moore the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards of Owendale, Huron county, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gates.

The graduating class of 1907 consisting of five members went to Northville Saturday to have a photograph of the class.

Mrs. Adeline Wixom and Mrs. Libbie Smith returned Thursday from an extended visit with Chas. Wixom and family of Pontiac.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. David Ross Wednesday afternoon to sew for one of their members.

Mr and Mrs. Archie Strong entertained the following guests during the last week: Mrs. James Strong of Orchard Lake, Miss Mabel Dickie of Yale and Wm. Walls of South Lyon.

Village caucus was held Feb 25th and the following ticket was nominated:

President—T. H. McGee
Clerk—E. L. Lee
Treasurer—C. F. Chamberlin
Assessor—John Thayer
Trustees—Herman Schroeder, H. L. Weaver, Ben Myers

Mrs. Clyde Nichols of Detroit and Mrs. Floyd Nichols of this place gave a linen-shower at the home of the latter Thursday afternoon of last week for Miss Myra Voorhies of Sylvan Lake. The afternoon was spent in playing progressive pedro after which a three course lunch was served.

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J. H. Hill in his address before the American Association of Nurserymen, July, 1904, said—

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In speaking of the potato crop in New York state, Prof. Stewart of the New York Station, says that an accurate estimate of the loss from potato blight amounted to 50 bushels per acre, making a total loss in New York state alone of \$10,000,000 for the season of 1902, all of which he says could have been saved by spraying.

Bulletin No. 68 Main Agricultural Experiment Station, says that including materials and labor the cost of spraying potatoes will not exceed sixty cents per acre.

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AUCTIONEER WILL CONDUCT THE FOLLOWING AUCTIONS

Geo. Lee of Plymouth will sell at auction, cows, horses and farm implements, Mar. 18, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Mr. Oidenburg, Plymouth township, will have an auction sale of stock and farm tools, Mar. 16, at 1 o'clock p. m.

On Wednesday, Mar. 10, Fred A. Barnett will sell horses, cows, pigs and farm tools at auction, on the premises one mile west of Salem at 10 o'clock a. m. Hot lunch at noon.

Charlie Greenlaw of Livonia township will have a big auction sale of farm implements, grain, horses, tools, etc., on the Thos. Patterson farm three miles west and a half mile north of Livonia Center, on Wednesday, Mar. 17, commencing at noon.

Thos. Kane on the Geer farm six miles southwest of Plymouth will have a public auction, with noon lunch, on Thursday, Mar. 11. A lot of mitch cows, horses, hogs, farm implements, tools, etc., are on the list.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM R. KNOWLTON deceased. We the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the Northville State Savings bank in the village of Northville, in said county, on Thursday, the fifteenth day of April, A. D. 1909 and on Thursday, the seventeenth day of June, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1909, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

—LOUIS A. RABBITT,
—THOMAS E. MURDOCK,
Commissioners

Dated February 17th, 1909

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of MABEL ANN WITHERTON deceased. We the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the residence of Stephen Y. Miller, No. 741 1/2 14th avenue, Detroit, in said county, on Thursday the 15th day of April, A. D. 1909 and on Friday the 11th day of June, A. D. 1909 at 10 o'clock a. m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 11th day of February, A. D. 1909 were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, February 11, 1909.

—J. CRAWFORD,
—W. H. BUTTON,
Commissioners

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