

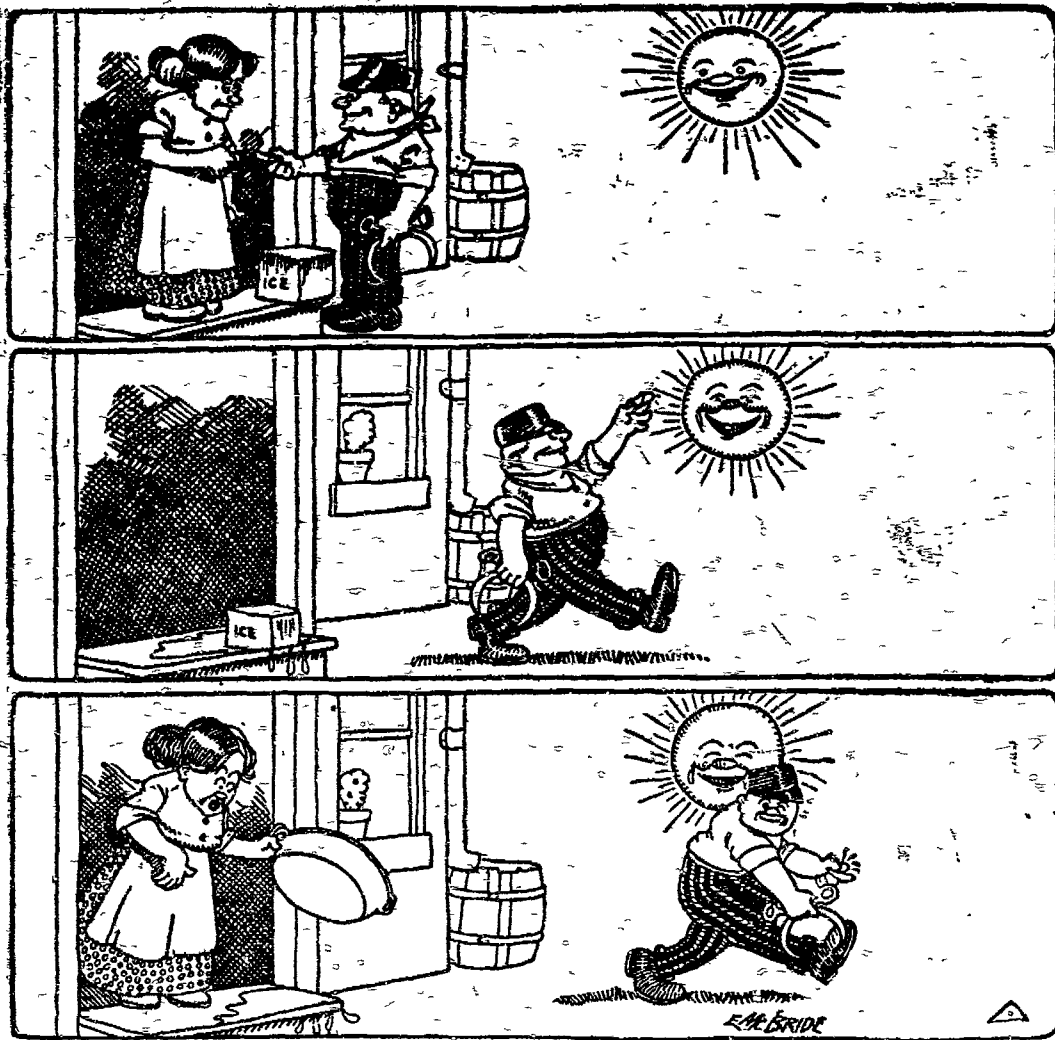
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SATURDAY'S GAME A SAD AFFAIR

THE ELEPHANTS FROM NORTH FARMINGTON WERE TOO BIG.

Just Made June Bugs of Northville Juniors.

The ball game Saturday was a sad affair, from a Northville stand point anyhow, and the big Elephants from the wilds of North Farmington, led by General Manager Franklin Charles Tanner "wallered" over the Northville Juniors as though they were a lot of June Bugs.

Manager Tanner was the busiest wild animal in the bunch. He was on the coaching line, in the diamond, back and front of the pitcher, up in the air and under the benches at all stages of the slaughter and at other times he was having Umpire Brown

explain the intricate points of his decisions.

The score was 19 to 5 in the Elephants favor. Many of the runs were gained off of errors by the Juniors, but they were outclassed anyhow.

Johnson and Dubuar pitched for the local team and Cook for the big fellers. Brown umpired.

Annual Meeting.

The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Northville Loan & Building Association, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting will be held in the Library Rooms in the Village of Northville, Michigan, Friday evening, July 30th, 1909, at 8 o'clock, sharp.

I. E. VanAtta, Sec'y.

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

Ball's studio for photos Northville.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ED. PARMENTER

Held Sunday from Home of Mrs. Carmi Benton.

The funeral services of Mrs. Ed. Parmenter (nee Miss Rose Crocker) were held from the home of her sister, Mrs. Carmi Benton, Sunday afternoon, Rev. N. E. Musser officiating. Interment in Rural Hill cemetery.

Deceased was a former resident of this village but since her marriage to Mr. Parmenter seven years ago she had resided in Detroit.

She had been a sufferer from a complication of diseases for some time and about three months ago was taken to a private hospital at Ann Arbor for treatment where she died July 22.

The many beautiful floral offerings bore evidence of the high esteem in which she was held.

NATIONALITY SOCIAL

Methodist Ladies Preparing for Novel One August 4.

The Social Circle of the Methodist church will give a "Nationality" social at the home of S. D. Meseraull on Randolph street next Wednesday evening, August 4, to which everybody is invited.

There will be all kinds of interesting attractions including a Chinese band and a Jap quartet. Africa will be represented at the watermelon counter, Japan, at the tea booth, the Dutch colony at the cheese stand, which department, while at the Indian wigwag, the pumpkin pie will be on tap and potatoes at the Irish stall and so on through the whole house. Five cents buys what you need at each department and a novel as well as a toothsome supper can be secured for anywhere from ten to twenty-five cents, to say nothing of the fine entertainment.

Those that will do so are requested to wear something representing some nationality, if only an American flag. Everybody welcome.

New Telephones.

The Interstate Telephone Co. installed the following new phones during the past week:

Carsons, Geo.,	56-X
Cook, F. L. Res.,	300-2R
Johnson, Mrs. Margaret,	153-J
Pearson, F. E.,	308-3R
Phillips, Bert	30-L
Stiff, Martin,	177-J

WATER CARNIVAL AT DETROIT AUG. 6

TWO DAYS REGATTA TO WIND UP ELABORATELY AND NOISY.

River Floats and Fire Works to Beat the Band.

The Detroit Board of Commerce is making elaborate preparations for the second annual water carnival, to be held on the Detroit river above the Belle Isle bridge on the night of August 6, in connection with the annual regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, which is to be held this year under the auspices of the Detroit Boat Club, August 6 and 7.

The carnival is promoted essentially to exploit the beauties and the possibilities of the Detroit river and to impress upon the citizens of Detroit and Michigan that it is a river unexcelled anywhere in the world as a source of pleasure, health and profit. The funds for the carnival are raised by liberal private subscriptions, to which the city of Detroit has added a small amount. The carnival last year drew out a crowd of over 100,000 to witness the display and was such a pronounced success that this year the Board of Commerce decided to increase the expenditure, and to increase it annually until the event becomes as famous as the New Orleans Mardi Gras.

Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

For Rent For Sale Lost, Found, Wanted notices inserted under this head for 1 cent per word for first insertion, and 1/2-cent per word for each subsequent insertion

FOR SALE—One of the late John Hirsch's double or single carriages. New and already for running. Inquire of L. W. Hutton. 47w1pt

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Farm of 20 acres, three miles southeast of Belleville. Address, Mrs. C. Monday, Novi, Mich. 52w2p

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LOST—Between Northville and Farmington, small silver hand bag. Finder leave with O. S. Harger, Northville, and receive reward. 52w1

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FOR SALE—The house and lot on Main street, owned by the late Chas. D. Waterman 92 ft. frontage on Main street, 211 ft. deep. The property has been ordered sold by Probate Court to close the estate. Wm. H. Ambler, Executor. 36tf

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List of Northville property for sale: Two houses on Main street; several on Dunlap street; also in Bealton and several in Northside. Prices \$550 up to \$3,500. Also farms and residences in Farmington. Farms in Wayne and Oakland. (Also western land.)

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DR. B. RUTH JEPSON, OSTEOPATHIC Physician of Detroit will visit Northville every Tuesday and Friday. Appointments can be made by mail, or Home phone 145-X at W. P. Johnson's residence. 29mos.3p

DR. RODERICK B. WILSON, OSTEOPATHIC Physician of 212 Stevens Bldg. Detroit, Mich., will visit Northville Monday and Thursday of each week. Appointments can be made by phone or call. Phone, Home 145-X. Office at W. P. Johnson's residence. Office hours—9:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.

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"D" Touches," said Mons. Claude, kindly, "your lady is not yet condemned, but the law must take its usual course in such cases."

The young man addressed clenched his hands frantically. "Your pardon, Mons. Claude," he exclaimed. "I should not allow my emotions to master me, but I know that Marie Foulan is not guilty and it drives me mad to think of my innocent love confined in a felon's cell and branded by such a hideous accusation. But you are right, I must take courage and play the part of a man. I, at least, have not lost faith in her."

He bowed low to the chief and M. Martine, head surgeon of the prefecture, and left the office. Mons. Claude turned to his colleague.

"I am glad you were present at this interview," he said. "I was on the point of asking your opinion regarding this young woman who is now in the Mazas prison awaiting trial. Although not usually influenced by external appearances, yet in this case I confess I am loth to believe the suspected person guilty. I have seldom seen such a lovely girl, but it is not her youth and beauty alone that prejudices me in her favor."

"The most brilliantly colored and handsome serpents are frequently the most deadly, and beauty in man or womanhood does not always guarantee the possession of high moral sense by the owner," remarked the surgeon. "What evidence have you against the prisoner? I am not acquainted with the details of the crime."

"The evidence is of a purely circumstantial nature," replied the chief, "but the proofs furnished by M. Serge, the Lynx, were of such damning strength that the arrest of Mlle. Foulan was unavoidable. Briefly, the tale runs as follows:

"For many years Antony Thourret, an aged recluse, lived alone in a house at Ordval, a little town on the banks of the Seine, not far from Paris. He was reputed to be wealthy, but held little communication with his neighbors, and with one exception none of them had ever crossed the threshold of his home. That exception was Marie Foulan, a girl of 18, who lived in Ordval with her parents, respectable people in fairly comfortable circumstances. Marie's beauty as a child attracted the attention of the misanthropical Thourret, who frequently, during his walks abroad, singled out Marie from among her playmates and bestowed upon her little gifts, which excited considerable surprise among the neighbors because of the unlooked for source from whence they came. Also, to Marie he granted the privilege vouchsafed to no other, of entering his house, where popular rumor credited him with keeping his treasures. Marie's parents offered no objection to the harmless old fellow making a pet of her, probably believing that, as Thourret, so far as known, possessed no other relatives he might perchance leave a fortune to their only child.

"As she grew into womanhood Thourret's partiality for her society showed no signs of lessening, and she was generally looked upon as his prospective heiress. That this belief was well founded was evidenced by the discovery of a will among the effects of the deceased on the morning of November 9, when Thourret was found murdered in his house. Thourret's body was discovered by an old woman who was accustomed to call at the house every morning for the purpose of delivering him a pitcher of milk. Thourret always answered the bell in person, as he kept no servants on the premises. But on this particular morning her summons remained unanswered, although she rang repeatedly. On looking closer at the door she saw that it was not fastened tightly, as usual, and it yielded to a push from her hand. She stood on the threshold calling her customer by name, but there was no response. As was perhaps natural, she resolved to gratify her feminine curiosity and seized this opportunity of entering the mysterious habitation to which she had never before gained admittance. Thus led by fate she passed into a front room on the ground floor, where Thourret's body, with the throat cut from ear to ear, met her horrified gaze. He was lying prone on the floor at the foot of an empty chair, from which he had apparently fallen when attacked. She gave the alarm and the Ordval authorities, having taken possession of the premises, telegraphed to me.

"I sent M. Serge to the scene of the tragedy immediately. His attention was at once attracted by the numerous traces left in the house by two blood-stained slippers. They were undoubtedly the footmarks of a woman—and of a woman with very small feet. A strong-box in the room stood with its doors wide open, the key of which, with several others attached, was hanging from the lock. There were several bundles of papers undisturbed in the safe, but whatever riches it may have contained were missing. Marie Foulan, as the murdered man's only intimate acquaintance, was naturally the first person visited by the Lynx in search of information as to his daily habits. He found her seemingly overcome with sorrow for the demise of her old friend. The loss of her prospective fortune did not appear to weigh as heavily upon her spirits as did the fact of Thourret's untimely end, and Serge declares that her grief was apparently so genuine and unaffected that he was moved to console with her by promising speedy vengeance upon the author of the crime.

"She stated that she had last seen Thourret alive on the preceding Mon-

The Achievements of Monsieur Claude

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day when she had called at his home. As far as she knew he lived at peace with all mankind, and robbery appeared to have been the sole motive for the deed. From the beginning Serge felt convinced that one person alone, and that person a woman, had assailed Thourret. Also, judging from the nature of the wound inflicted, she must have been a person of exceptional strength and vigor, to wield her weapon with such deadly effect. A chance remark dropped by one of Thourret's neighbors started the Lynx upon a new and utterly unlooked-for scent. This was that Mlle. Foulan must have been the last person in Ordval to converse with the murdered man, as she had visited him on the eve of the tragedy. Now Thourret's body was discovered on Friday morning, and, according to this statement, Mlle. Foulan must have seen him on Thursday afternoon. Yet she had positively named Monday as the day on which she last saw her friend alive.

"Thinking it possible that the girl had made a mistake in her assertion Serge interviewed her again, but was astonished to find that she adhered rigidly to her former statement. Much puzzled he sought the gossiping neighbor, a man named Hennequin, who swore that while passing the Thourret residence about six o'clock on the Thursday evening in question, in company with his cousin, Marc Billot, they saw Mlle. Foulan emerge from the house, closing the door gently behind her. It was dusk, but there was sufficient light for them to recognize her and Hennequin further stated that he bade her good evening and that she bowed in return to his salutation. Billot corroborated this testimony, which carried considerable weight, coming as it did from two of Ordval's most respectable citizens, both of whom were acquainted with Mlle. Foulan. Yet in the face of their assertions the girl persisted in her denial and waxed indignant when subjected to a cross-examination by the detective.

"The Lynx," his suspicions now thoroughly aroused, insisted upon making a search of the Foulan home, which resulted in the discovery in an attic of a broad bladed, sharp knife a petticoat, skirt and slippers, the latter articles being identified as the property of Mlle. Foulan. All were spotted with crimson stains, and the lost link in the chain of evidence was rendered complete when the slippers were found to fit exactly into the red footprints that marked the assassin's trail. Serge no longer hesitated in placing the suspect under arrest, and she was taken to Paris and lodged in jail, accused of wilful and deliberate murder.

"Well," said M. Martine, as the chief paused and looked at him inquiringly, "I can see no reason for the faintest possible doubt of the prisoner's guilt. Probably a fit of homicidal mania aroused by a desire to possess Thourret's wealth accounts for the affair. Also a desire to hasten her marriage with her lover may have had considerable influence upon her."

M. Claude shook his head. "It is not conceivable," he said, "that anything short of pure insanity could account for such an action on the prisoner's part. Emile Touché occupies a position of trust in a Paris bank which yields him a handsome income, quite large enough to enable a young married pair to live in comparative luxury. And as to the wish for a hasty marriage, Mlle. Foulan was to have wedded her lover in two weeks from the date of the murder. There were absolutely no obstacles in the way of their union. Again, I can hardly believe that this young girl, slenderly built and not possessing anything more than the average strength of persons of her age and sex, could have inflicted the terrible gash in the throat through which Thourret's life blood ebbed away. Not only was the windpipe but the jugular vein completely cut through, and death must have been almost instantaneous. Serge holds that the fatal slash was administered from behind while the victim was sitting in the chair. Why, then, the head was actually half severed from the body! It should be plain to one of your surgical experience that tremendous strength must have nerved the arm wielding the blade."

"True," asserted the surgeon; "but I have witnessed some astounding manifestations of physical strength on the part of intensely nervous subjects when wound up to an hysterical pitch of mental excitement. This is especially the case with females, delicate though their organisms may be. And as far as insanity goes, the degrees of mental disturbances are so variously and curiously graded that, in my opinion, really normal persons are the exception rather than the rule."

The chief smiled. "You are hardly complimentary to the vast majority of your fellow creatures, doctor," he said. "But I am not competent to encounter you upon professional ground, so we will not enter into an argument upon the sanity of the human race in general. At present I am concerned only with the case of Mlle. Foulan and, if you have no other engagement, I wish you would accompany me to her cell in the Mazas prison. It may interest you to know that if she is the assassin the question of how she disposed of her

ill-gotten gains remains unsolved. M. Thourret's safe undoubtedly contained a small fortune in banknotes or gold of which no trace can be found. Unless she has a confederate who has taken charge of the money, the spot where it is hidden seems destined to remain unknown. And as the treasure would have come to her eventually, a fact of which she was well aware, it appears strange that she should risk life and liberty for the purpose of benefiting somebody else."

Arriving at the prison, the chief and his companion proceeded to the cell occupied by Mlle. Foulan. His first glance at the young girl convinced M. Martine that the head of the prefecture had not exaggerated. Marie Foulan was a creature of such ethereal, sylph-like beauty that, Martine, hardened man of the world as he was, could scarcely repress the cry of involuntary admiration that rose to his lips. His brusque, professional manner changed at once into an air of respectful courtesy that brought a faint smile to the lips of the observant chief, who, for his part, addressed the girl with almost paternal fondness. For the space of half an hour M. Claude and the surgeon spoke with the fair prisoner, whose modest, low-voiced replies, delivered in tones of musical sweetness, added to the favorable impression already created in the minds of her inquisitors. When at last they left the jail the usually self-contained Martine turned to the chief and remarked with unwonted impetuosity:

"I am a convert to your belief, M. Claude. That innocent child has

"You have my permission," said the chief. "But I was not aware that you had ever practiced the hypnotic art, Doctor."

"Such an admission might provoke the hostile criticism of my medical contemporaries," returned Martine with a smile. "But I will not deny having studied the science with considerable success, and up to the present time I have never met with a person whose will proved stronger than mine in a test of supremacy."

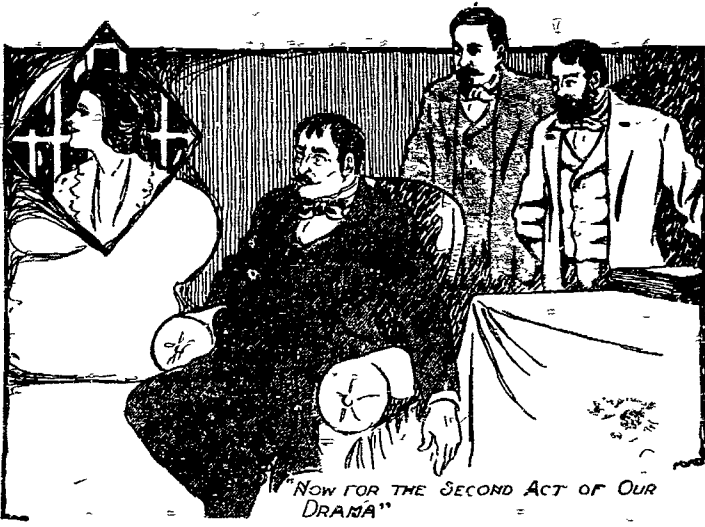
"I am willing to accept your assertion without demanding proof, as far as I am personally concerned," laughed the chief. "As regards this unfortunate girl, I give you leave to visit her and experiment when you please and will issue an order to that effect."

As a result of the foregoing conversation, M. Martine entered the chief's office on the following afternoon with a look of triumph shining in his resolute eyes.

"I have solved the mystery, M. Claude," he said, exultantly, as he threw himself into a chair. "Thanks to your faith in me there is laid bare the heart of as foul a conspiracy as ever blackened the annals of crime."

"She is innocent, then?" queried the chief.

"Innocent in thought and intention, at all events," responded the surgeon. "My faith, M. Claude, but there is one villain that must not escape the avenging arm of the law, the prime mover in this fiendish business. His name is Arnauld de Melun and he lives in the very town where this ghastly crime took place. I found Mlle. Foulan to be even an easier subject than



Now for the second act of our drama

never, of her own volition, committed this hideous crime!"

"Of her own volition?" repeated the chief. "You think, then—"

"That she is but the unconscious instrument of a more powerful, malignant will," interposed the surgeon. "There are certain natures, M. Claude, peculiarly susceptible to suggestive influence, and from my professional observation of Mlle. Foulan I feel justified in placing her in that category. She certainly is not insane; although of a highly nervous, finely strung temperament, which might easily become deranged under the pressure of hostile conditions. Her mind is of a receptive, plastic quality and apt to respond readily to preconceived impressions of thought waves directed thereon by a sort of telepathy that has been known to produce weird results. Have you ever considered the subject of hypnotism?"

"Not to any great extent," replied the chief. "I have always been inclined to view hypnotism as the deceiving mummery of designing quacks, rather than a legitimate science."

"You err in so doing," said Martine earnestly. "Believe me, in the hands of an unscrupulous person gifted with tremendous will power hypnotism can be put to most astonishing uses. Also, properly applied it can be productive of much good. True, its pretended practice by absurd charlatans has brought the science into disrepute, but nevertheless many leading physicians of the age are considering it seriously as an aid to the art of healing. And it is hard to say just what its limitations are if used with criminal intent."

"So," queried the chief gravely, "you believe that Mlle. Foulan has fallen a victim to some hypnotist who found in her an easy subject for the exercise of his power?"

"Exactly," assented the surgeon; "and with your permission I would like to try an experiment which may bring about an explanation of this mysterious crime. If this girl has acted as the unconscious agent of a wily assassin no recollection of the deed is active in her mind during its normal condition. A hypnotic subject cannot remember actions performed while under the spell of the master mind. But in some cases it is possible, by plunging them anew into the hypnotic state, to bring back the memory of what transpired during a former cataleptic period. It is precisely as though the door of one little brain cell remains closed, jealously guarding its memory records until unlocked by a secret key. I purpose finding the key in the case of Mlle. Foulan."

I had anticipated I did not warn her of my intended experiment, as I desired the hypnotic trance to come on without any suspicion on her part. The subject's mind is clearer and capable of receiving impressions quicker when not predisposed either for or against the will of the operator."

"After a few moments of commonplace conversation I succeeded in concentrating the gaze of her pupils upon mine, then putting forth all my will power I saw her eyes gradually assume the wide staring appearance peculiar both to sleep-walkers and people in a hypnotic state. The rest was simple enough. While under the cataleptic spell she told me in answer to my interrogations how she met this de Melun while walking one day on the highway leading into Ordval. He pretended to be ill and begged her to assist him as far as his home, which was close at hand. Thus she took the first fatal step which established this man's power over her. From that time she was more or less under his influence, although in her normal condition she was utterly unaware of having met the scoundrel again after their first encounter. The killing of Thourret was accomplished by her in obedience to de Melun's suggestion, and she conveyed 200,000 francs in bank notes to his house. As I suspected, her strength during one of these hypnotic seizures is increased to an abnormal extent. At a command from me she lifted the heavy iron bed in her room cell with seeming ease, although ordinarily she would scarcely be able to move it."

"Excellently done, Doctor," exclaimed the chief, for once startled out of his habitual composure. "The rest of the task is mine and I shall leave for Ordval at once."

"But not alone," interposed Martine. "It may be necessary to fight this fiend with his own weapons in order to wring a confession from him. I will accompany you, M. Claude."

"I accept your offer of assistance gratefully," responded the chief. "After starting the chase it is but fitting that you should be in at the death."

Within the boundaries of the burg of Ordval, but standing alone on the highway fully a kilometer from any other habitation, stood the country house wherein resided Arnauld de Melun. The sun was setting when the chief and M. Martine approached the door of the mansion. M. Claude laid his hand on the bell, when the clang of the garden gate smote upon their ears and they turned quickly with one accord. The figure of a tall man was visible approaching along the walk.

As he drew near Martine nudged his companion and whispered:

"Fortune favors us, M. Claude; 'tis the very man himself. I recognize him from Mlle. Foulan's description."

Arnauld de Melun was a man of about 50, well preserved, and spare but sinewy in build. His nose was prominent, sharply curved like the beak of some predatory bird, and from under a thatch of thick red hair his steel-blue eyes flashed suspiciously as M. Claude stepped forward and accosted him.

"I presume that I have the pleasure of addressing Mons. de Melun," said the chief courteously.

"That is my name," replied the man coldly. "What is your business with me?"

"We can discuss that better inside," rejoined the chief. "Believe me, it is of vital importance, Monsieur."

"I am not in the habit of entertaining strange visitors," repeated de Melun, with a scowl. "Either state your errand here or keep it to yourselves."

"Nay, nay, Monsieur," returned M. Claude, tranquilly. "Since you refuse my personal request I must demand admittance in the name of the law. We are of the Paris prefecture, my friend."

De Melun glared like a wild animal suddenly brought to bay and his right hand stole towards his coat pocket. The next instant he uttered a howl of anguish for the chief's iron grip had descended upon his wrist and twisted it forcibly.

Martine plucked an ugly looking revolver from the pocket of their captive and thrust it into his own.

"Now, will you open the door, or must I coerce you further?" demanded M. Claude.

Sullenly, with his free hand, de Melun produced a key which he fitted into the lock; the door swung open and the party entered the hall. The prisoner led the way into a large sitting room and M. Claude, having locked the door, released his captive.

"It is growing dark, M. de Melun," he said, "and we would fain see each other's faces clearly. Let us have some light."

De Melun kindled the flame of a large lamp that stood on the table and sunk into a chair.

"Now that you have forced your way into my house, perhaps you will favor me with an explanation," he said with a show of bravado.

"Certainly," replied the chief. "We are here to arrest you for the murder of M. Antony Thourret."

De Melun made no rejoinder, but bent his piercing gaze full upon the countenance of the speaker. M. Claude, meeting the steely glare of those glittering orbs, felt a peculiar sensation of languor creep over his frame, which required all the concentrated strength of his vigorous will to oppose. The silence was shattered by the harsh, metallic tones of Martine's voice.

"Look at me, de Melun," he commanded, imperiously.

At the unexpected interruption de Melun started to his feet and turned to behold the surgeon erect and facing him. M. Claude, released from the spell of his antagonist's soul-subduing gaze, heaved a sigh of relief and then gasped again as he saw the surgeon's attitude. M. Martine, with one hand outstretched, stood staring fixedly at de Melun's eyes that, answering the challenge, seemed to emit brilliant flashes of electric flame. In the heavy silence that ensued the breathing of the combatants in this strange duel was distinctly audible and their bosoms rose and fell in labored gasps as though under the stimulus of terrific effort. For a few seconds they stood motionless and then M. Claude saw tiny beads of sweat beginning to glisten on de Melun's forehead. Suddenly the light died out of his eyes, they became dull and opaque, and with a choking sigh he collapsed weakly into the chair behind him. Martine, approaching with the stride of a conqueror, passed his hand lightly over his opponent's damp forehead. De Melun sat as though carved in stone, apparently oblivious of his surroundings. Martine turned triumphantly to the chief.

"Now for the second act of our drama," he said.

"We need only pens, paper and ink," M. Claude.

The chief glanced around the room and espied the required articles on a small desk near the door. He placed them on the table by de Melun's elbow and Martine again approached his conquered subject.

"Take that pen, he ordered, "and write out a history of the means by which you forced Mlle. Foulan to assassinate Antony Thourret. Write nothing but the truth."

A shudder passed through de Melun's frame and his face contracted in a spasm of agony. He hesitated, approached his hand to the pen, and drew it back convulsively.

"Write!" rang out the stern voice of his persecutor; and under Martine's compelling gaze the man writhed for an instant and seizing the pen applied it to the paper. For several minutes he wrote with feverish haste and then, pausing, glanced over the sheet and scrawled his signature at the bot-

tom. Martine took the paper from his unresisting grasp as de Melun relapsed into the cataleptic state, and handed it to the chief, who read the contents aloud.

"This is to certify that I, Arnauld de Melun, citizen of France, residing in Ordval, did on the afternoon of November 8, 1864, exercise upon Mlle. Foulan certain powers of hypnotism which rendered her subservient to my will. While in this condition and acting upon the suggestion I implanted in her mind Mlle. Foulan attacked, with a knife furnished by me, one Antony Thourret of Ordval in the latter's home. Having slain him she abstracted 200,000 francs in banknotes from his strong-box, which she delivered to me. I then caused her to return home and conceal the weapon and her blood-stained garments in an attic chamber of M. Foulan's home. At the expiration of that time I withdrew my control from the subject's mind, leaving her absolutely ignorant of what had occurred. The stolen 200,000 francs are now in a steel box in my bedroom on the second floor, west wing of this house. Given under my hand and seal in my residence at Ordval, November 20, 1864. Arnauld de Melun."

"And now," said Martine, when the chief had concluded, "awake, de Melun, to the knowledge of your fate!"

He made several passes with his hands before de Melun's rigid features, gazing steadily at him meanwhile. Gradually the strained expression left the subject's eyes, and as comprehension crept back slowly into their depths he frowned savagely.

"What means this?" he demanded. "Have I been dreaming? By what right—?" He stopped at the sight of Martine's sarcastic smile.

"You have not been dreaming," said the surgeon slowly, "but, on the contrary, entertaining your guests vastly. You are after all, I fear, hardly an adept in the hypnotic science, although with time you might perchance improve. But your span of life is limited and you will not be allowed much leisure for future study. The confession of murder you have just signed, now in the possession of M. Claude, chief of the prefecture, is tolerably sure to act as your passport to another world. The scaffold awaits you at no very distant date, Monsieur de Melun."

De Melun glanced at the paper in the chief's hand and sprang erect with a cry of fury. "You have won the trick," he cried defiantly, "but will not live to profit by it."

Before they could grasp the meaning of his words he drew a small glass tube hermetically sealed, containing a brown liquid, from his breast and dashed it violently upon the table, where it was shattered into crystal fragments. A pungent odor arose and de Melun fell forward upon his face with a strangling cry. The chief, who had taken a single stride toward the prisoner, felt a choking sensation in his nostrils, he reeled and would have fallen had not Martine caught his arm. Together they staggered to the casement and the surgeon shattered the glass with a blow. A cold gush of air revived them and the feeling of faintness passed, but Martine did not rest until he had demolished every pane in both windows and a strong wind was swirling through the apartment.

"Our prisoner!" ejaculated the chief when he had regained the power of speech.

"He is dead," responded Martine, "and we may be thankful that we did not share his doom. That phial contained hydrocyanic acid, the most deadly drug in existence, the inhalation of which stops the heart action and causes instant death. Small as the quantity was, there was enough to kill half a dozen men in a confined space. I guessed what it was at once, and had only time to avert my face from the poisonous fumes and drag you out of danger. But the breeze has rendered it harmless now."

They retraced their steps to where de Melun's body lay stark and still. M. Claude smiled in gratified fashion. "Faith, my dear Martine," he said, coolly, "this simplifies matters beautifully. Instead of a tedious trial, this scoundrel's death writes a sudden finis to the tragedy of M. Thourret. As to that unfortunate Mlle. Foulan, I shall seek the emperor at once and obtain a pardon for her on the strength of the confession of de Melun. Will she ever chance to recollect the truth, think you?"

"No, and there is no reason why she should ever learn it," replied the surgeon. "Her lover will attend to that. The facts in the murder of M. Thourret are in safe keeping and justice will not deem it necessary to wreak vengeance upon the head of an innocent assassin."

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Unequally Compensated. Compensation for injury in the middle ages was in its infancy. The volume of the accounts of the lord high treasurer of Scotland just published tells incidentally of payments made to sufferers in the siege of Glasgow in 1544. To a carter who lost his horse \$25 was paid, but \$10.56 sufficed for a woman whose husband was killed, a like sum being given to the owners of two broken drums.

Queer New York Industry. Probably the most singular sign in New York is that in the window of a house in Madison street, which reads: "Children Prepared for Christening and Children's Names Suggested." A "copper" who was asked about it said that many people in that vicinity were unable to prepare their little ones for the rite, and some of the people were either too ignorant or too busy to think of names for the newly born.

Said. "He's a high brow, ain't he?" "High brow? Say, his brow's got as high as an cat and is starting to go down behind!"

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WORTHVILLE, MICH., JULY 30, '09.

Kelley Too Has a Record.

Judge Montgomery says he will not make a general campaign for governor but will stand upon his seventeen years public record as Judge. With all due respect to the learned Judge his record has been no better than any other man who has served upon the bench so far as we know. He has done his duty as he saw it for which he has drawn a salary of \$7,000 per year. Lieutenant Governor P. H. Kelley says he will endeavor to meet every voter in the state before the next primary election if it is possible and Mr. Kelley has met about all of them in previous years. Besides all this Mr. Kelley also has a public record that is by no means to be sneezed at. He has served two terms as member of the State Board of Education; one term as Superintendent of Public Instruction and two terms as Lieutenant Governor. His services in those offices we believe have been just as great, just as loyal, just as valuable and just as creditable as has that of Judge Montgomery even if the salary has been much less. Mr. Kelley has never claimed to have done anything but his duty, but like Judge Montgomery he has done that duty well. Lieutenant Governor Kelley is a poor man, comparatively speaking, but that is nothing to his discredit. As governor of this great state he will do the office credit. From a bare-footed lad of eight years over in Berrien county, thrown upon his own resources, he worked his way through the district schools, through the public schools, the State Normal school and finally the great University of Michigan at Ann Arbor where he graduated in 1900. "No money? Well under a primary system where the vote of the humblest citizen counts the same as that of the big millionaire or the big corporation or trust manager, it is not necessary for a candidate to have barrels of money to deal out to the ward heaters and machine politicians for the "delivery of the goods," as in the olden days. Today they select the candidates for governor, and the fact that a candidate has no money will not make him one whit less unworthy in the estimation of the common people.

Old Paintings Found in Berlin. In Saarbrücken some workmen who were tearing down an old house found a number of valuable historical paintings. They were found in a secret inclosure of an old wall, which was not revealed until the entire structure had been destroyed by blasting. The pictures represent two important historical events—the destruction of the old Saarbrücken bridge by the Swedes in 1634, and the burning of the neighboring castle in 1794. Both are an important contribution to the story of the times, and are also supposed to be of no mean artistic value.

Giggling is Exempt. Now the chewing gum trust has re-organized to get a firmer grip on the jaws of our girls, but, thank heaven, no concern has proved strong enough so far to control the country's rippling giggles.—Houston Post.

Knows He is Victorious. Cupid grins when a woman bosses around the man she loves.—Manchester Union.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any drug store.

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.)

C. B. Bristol visited his parents in Dearborn Sunday.

Miss Cecil Johnston is visiting relatives in Sherwood.

Fred Sutton spent Sunday with his mother at Cass lake.

Geo. DuFrane is spending a couple of weeks at St. Clair Flats.

Miss Ina Smithman was home from Detroit from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Millard and two children are spending the week at Belle ville.

Arthur Brucke of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Geo. Smithman.

Mrs. Ida Hendryx and Mrs. Walt Leonard spent Sunday with Flint relatives.

Mrs. Robert Ainsley of Detroit was the guest of Mrs. C. A. McCullough over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Robertson went to Milan Saturday for a few days' visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White and daughter visited the former's brother near Howell Sunday.

Mrs. Lou VanValkenburg and two sons are spending the week with her grandfather in Fenton.

Miss Geraldine Miller of Detroit is spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton.

Dr. and Mrs. Welz of Detroit are guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. J. S. Haddock, and family.

Mrs. Susie Woolley, who has been attending summer school at Ypsilanti, has returned home.

Mrs. Newkirk of Detroit was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Cattermole, over Sunday.

Rowland McGuire of Flint has been visiting his cousins, Edward and Ray Bogart, the past week.

Mrs. A. B. McCullough is entertaining her sister, Mrs. B. R. Welsh, of Lyons, Ohio, for a few weeks.

Mrs. C. B. Bristol and Mrs. Geo. Stanley were guests at the Stark cottage at Walled Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Sigler and little daughter, Vivian, of South Lyon are visiting her father, Frank Brown.

Mrs. Geo. Stanley and little daughter, Dorothy, are spending a few weeks with friends at Port Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harger of Detroit were over Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harger.

The Misses Minnie Gyde and Ethel Smithman of Plymouth spent Monday with the former's sister, Mrs. W. A. Ely.

Mrs. Walt Leonard of Detroit is spending an indefinite time with relatives and friends in Northville and vicinity.

Ward Bower was here from Washington this week on his way to Toledo to the annual fish and shelleries meeting.

Mrs. Louis Hutton and little daughter, Geraldine, of Detroit spent the fore part of the week with Northville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bent of Chicago and Sayres Harger and wife of Farmington were guests of O. S. Harger and family Monday.

Miss Ella Wilcox returned the latter part of last week from Groesbeek, where she has been spending the past few weeks.

Miss Gladys Johnson of Rochester, N. Y., did not return home with her parents, but is spending the summer with relatives here.

Mrs. W. L. Bishop and son, Martie, leave tomorrow for a visit with her parents in Gero. Mr. Bishop will also go for over Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Arnot and daughter, Rachel, are visiting relatives at Lexington. Mr. Arnot expects to go over the last of the week for a short visit.

The Misses Fincher returned to their home in Milan Saturday accompanied by Miss May Woodmansee, who will make an indefinite visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leadbeater, Miss Pearl Whitehead and Little Cherry Allan of Detroit were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lanning.

L. L. Ball makes photos Northville.

Use "Hindoo Spray." It lays the dust and destroys flies, bugs, germs, etc. For sale by J. H. Steers.

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Mrs. T. S. Ball spent Tuesday at Bois Blanc.

Miss Hazel Judson of Detroit is the guest of Northville friends.

Mrs. Florence Alexander spent last week with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. E. J. Willis of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Miller.

Mrs. Harriett Wilson of Detroit is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Simmons.

Frank Neal of Detroit spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. F. B. Reynolds.

Miss Holloway of South Lyon is spending the week with Miss Nellie Thompson.

Miss Ruth Chadwick was home from summer school at Ypsilanti over Sunday.

Miss Alice Woodworth of Detroit is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Seelye.

Harold Moon of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting his uncle, Chas. Whipple, and family this week.

Miss Maree Stark visited at the home of Miss Mary Daly in Dearborn a few days last week.

Miss Ada Pickell left Wednesday for a three months' visit with her sister in Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. H. W. Bunce of Detroit spent a couple of days last week with her niece, Mrs. Geo. Stimpson.

Mrs. Pauline Vradenburg is visiting friends in Ionia, Jackson and other places for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Barnhart of Grand Rapids are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. John Tinham.

E. H. Lapham and wife were guests at the Porter cottage at Walled Lake Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reynolds and three children spent Sunday with the former's brother, L. B. Reynolds, and family.

Miss Ruth Barley of Saginaw was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Barley, the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norton, Mrs. Trump and Miss Cooper of Detroit were guests of Henry Pickell and family Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Capell, Mrs. Archie Capell and Miss Myrtle Ward are visiting friends in Eaton Rapids for a couple of weeks.

F. J. Slater of New York City will join his family here tomorrow for a visit at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Rose Little.

Mrs. Wm. Brady of Detroit and Mrs. Fred Holcomb of Clarkston spent Monday with their cousin and nephew, Andrew Garfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howland and daughter, Clarabelle, of Flint will spend Saturday and Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Rose Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hake of Pontiac were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hake. Their little daughters, Lola and Viola, are remaining for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Andrew Houk, Mrs. Ralph Willis and Fred Fenn went to Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday. Mr. Fenn returned Monday and the others remained for a week's visit with relatives.

J. W. Perkins, foreman of the Record Printing office, visited friends in Durand and Flushing from Friday until Tuesday. He was accompanied home by his wife and children who have been spending a couple of weeks there.

Visitors to the Burrows poultry and fruit farm the latter part of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Edson, D. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jaynes and baby, Mabel Ellen, all of Detroit.

"Hindoo Spray" is the right thing for spraying floors before sweeping. For sale by J. H. Steers.

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Miss Theo. Mosher is visiting Highland friends this week.

Mrs. T. H. Turner left this week for a visit with friends at Tonawanda, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Briggs of Detroit visited the latter's aunt, Miss E. Gibson, Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Gardner is receiving a visit from her sister, Mrs. Benson, of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Robert Chamberlain and daughter of Milford were guests of Mrs. A. Harmon Friday.

The Misses Vera, Harriett and Merle VanAken of Detroit are guests of Northville relatives for a week or two.

Mrs. Lydia Hubbard and daughter, Iva, who had been spending a few weeks with relatives in Midland and Edenville, returned home Saturday evening.

Postmaster John Crawford and wife of Milford were guests of R. R. McKahan and family a couple of days this week.

Mrs. L. W. Simmons and Mrs. B. A. Northrop of this place and Mrs. Erling of Lansing spent Tuesday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Liddell, at Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McKinney of Pontiac and Mrs. Gus Newman and daughter, Lillie, of Orchard Lake were entertained at the home of O. S. Harger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phillips and daughter, Cleo, have been spending the past week at Long lake near Fenton.

R. H. McKahan returned Friday from his visit with his son in Wisconsin. He was accompanied by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Claude McKahan, and her little daughter, who will spend a week or two here.

Supt. Frank N. Clark, Foreman Will Thayer and B. G. Filkins, Fish Culturists, S. E. Cranson, Clyde Van Atta and Ward Cook attended the three days' meeting of the American Society of Fish and Fisheries at Toledo this week.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank those who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement, also for flowers, those who furnished music and to Rev. N. E. Mueser.

EDWARD PARMENTER, MRS. CROCKER AND FAMILY.

L. L. Ball photographer Northville.

Unlucky Days.

There has been a belief in unlucky days as far back as there is any record. The belief has been, and probably now is, universal. The Saxon calendar allow 24 evil days in 355. Calendar drawn up in the reign of Henry VI. of England reckon 32. There are only two in June, the seventh and the fifteenth. John Aubrey has much to say about unlucky days in his Miscellanies.

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RECEIPTS.

Stock Payments \$6,459.63

Interest on Loans 1,434.84

Premiums on Loans 843.98

Fines 36.29

Mtge. Loans Repaid 3,425.00

Stock Loans Repaid 650.00

Bills Payable 1,150.00

Taxes, Insurance and Rec. Fees 56.41

Transfer and Membership Fees 8.08

Pass Book Fees 2.75

\$13,566.98

On Hand July 1, 1908 512.16

\$14,079.14

DISBURSEMENTS.

Stock Payments Withdrawn \$5,327.77

Interest on Same 831.77

Mtge. Loans 5,750.00

Stock Loans 150.00

Bills Payable 1,150.00

Interest on Same 8.30

Books and Supplies 9.00

Taxes, Insurance and Rec. Fees 44.74

Expenses for Salaries 180.00

Expenses for Other Purposes 37.50

\$13,489.08

On Hand July 1, 1909 590.06

\$14,079.14

RESOURCES.

Mtge. Loans \$23,750.00

Stock Loans 590.00

Cash 590.00

Books and Supplies 9.00

Taxes, Insurance and Rec. Fees 47.23

\$24,606.23

LIABILITIES.

Stock Payments \$19,703.53

Undivided Profits 4,126.34

Reserve Fund 776.42

\$24,606.29

AGE AND VALUE OF SHARES.

Share No. Date of Issue. Shares in Force. Shares Loaned Upon. Weeks in Force. Amount Paid Per Share. Profit Per Share. Total Per Share. Present Value Per Share.

38 April 7, 1900 4 0 4-2 \$ 60.25 \$ 1.661 \$ 61.91 \$ 85.44

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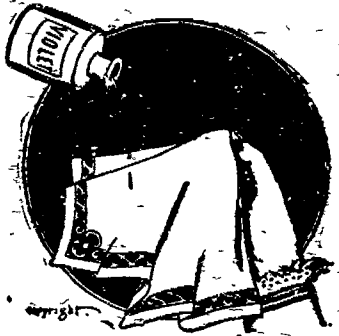
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Northville to Farmington and Detroit—Also to Orchard Lake and Pontiac.

Cars leave Northville for Farmington and Detroit at 5:30 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:30 p. m. for Orchard Lake and Pontiac at 6:30 a. m. and hourly until 11:30 p. m. and also 12:30 a. m. for Farmington.

Cars leave Detroit for Farmington and Northville at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11 p. m. First car on Sunday's one hour later.

Northville to Plymouth, Wayne and Detroit.

Through cars leave Northville for Detroit at 5:30 a. m. and hourly to 9:30 p. m. and to Wayne only at 11:30 p. m. Cars leave Detroit for Northville at 5:45 a. m. (from Michigan ave. barns only), also at 6:30 a. m. and hourly to 7:30 p. m. also 9 p. m. and 11 p. m.

Leave Wayne for Northville at 6:30 a. m. and hourly to 8:30 p. m.; also 10:10 p. m. and midnight.

Cars leave Plymouth for Northville at 6:05 a. m. (except Sunday), 7:10 a. m. and hourly to 9:10; 10:43 p. m. and 12:05 a. m.

West bound cars to Jackson connect at Wayne. Cars for Saline connect at Ypsilanti.

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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

A special meeting of Orient Chapter O. E. S. this Friday evening. Work. Call the Record office, phone 200 both lines. If you have news to give out.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hinkley and Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Rickle are camping at Union lake.

Mrs. Burns Freeman was called to Ypsilanti last week by the death of her mother.

Ernie Miller and family are now nicely settled in their new house on West street.

Mrs. Wm. Taft and family have been spending the past two weeks at Walled lake.

People are asking when the new bridge over the Rouge at the Globe factory is to be completed.

Mrs. Fred VanSickle and daughter, Leah, and Miss Una Gunsoolly are enjoying camp life at Walled lake this week.

Mr. Snyder has added a shoe shining department to his shoe repair shop in the opera house building. This will be a great convenience.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collier, 748 Tillman avenue Detroit, July 24, a daughter. Mrs. Collier is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown of this place.

A young "groceryman" arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oldenburg Friday evening, July 23, and will probably stay until he is twenty-one at least.

Mrs. Jessie Power is camping at Lake Angelus with her sister, Mrs. E. N. Hines, and family of Detroit. She expects to be gone until the latter part of August.

Gov. Warner has appointed Dr. M. R. Grainger of Plymouth as veterinarian of the M. N. G., with orders to report at the state encampment at Ludington August 9.

There will be a special Communication of Northville Lodge No. 185, F. & A. M. Monday evening, Aug. 2, for work in the third degree. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Melvina Carpenter, who had been in Ann Arbor the past few weeks for the removal of cataracts from her eyes, returned home last week and is able to see quite well.

Fred Penn attended the Rural Mail Carriers convention at Grand Rapids Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. M. R. Seeley acted as substitute on route No. 2 in his absence.

A slight blaze started on the steps of the D. U. R. freight house Tuesday just after dinner, but was discovered and extinguished in time to prevent a serious fire. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Tuesday's hot sun was just a little too much for A. K. Carpenter and while working back of his barn in the afternoon he was overcome by the heat and took a severe fall from the effects of which he is scarcely yet recovered.

The 1909 volume of public acts will be ready for issue soon after August 1 and will contain 940 pages, which is 300 more pages than in the public acts of 1907. In fact, it will be one of the bulkiest volumes ever compiled by the secretary of state.

Some "Joy Riders" borrowed Jared Lapham's new auto while he had it hitched in front of the Pasadena apartments in Detroit last week. It was found some hours later by the police department not much the worse for the borrow.

A number of our boys have been seized with the Western fever lately and last Wednesday Eugene DeAute and Curties Beebe went to Chicago, and intend going farther West in the fall. Roy Ambler left Wednesday, and Carl Hogle left yesterday for Bozeman, Mont.

State Highway Commissioner T. A. Ely is sending out cards to all highway commissioners where there are applications in for state roads, which contains a list of questions. All applications over two years old will be cut off the records and a new application will have to be made.

The usual week-end rowdiness was dispensed with Saturday night by the combined efforts of Marshall Taft, Night-watch Calhoun and Constable Green. They were all on the lookout, and the would-be scrappers were given a riot-act talk and they contented themselves by just indulging in a chewing match. Law and order should prevail and continue to prevail no matter what the effort or what the cost.

"Hindoo Spray" is fine for cleaning and polishing furniture. For sale by J. H. Steers.

L. L. Ball photographer Northville.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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

Louis Brusseau
C. H. Martin
Elmer White

Wm. Marvin had been quite poorly the past week.

Lewis Cook has been confined to the bed the past week.

Mrs. I. N. Starkweather is quite ill. Mrs. Nauman is caring for her.

The Mark Ambler house on west Cady street is receiving a coat of paint.

Mrs. J. W. Turner has been numbered among the sick for a few days this week.

Mrs. W. B. Predmore has been seriously ill the past week but is a little better today.

The Northville Elks will play the Pontiac Elks a game of ball Thursday, Aug. 5, at Pontiac.

N. A. Clapp has sold three and one-half tons of state binder twine to farmers of this section this season.

Cell McCullough's dog committed suicide by jumping in front of Frank Harmon's auto one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen have moved to Detroit where Mr. Allen is employed in an automobile factory.

The Michigan State Telephone company ball team of Detroit will play the big Colt team here Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Stark is assisting in the postoffice for a month during the annual vacations of the chief and chief deputy.

A much needed rain broke the long drought Wednesday night and Thursday and was greatly appreciated by everybody.

Mrs. G. W. Hills, who has been ill at New Hudson, was brought home Sunday night. She is a little better but not able to get out.

John Tinsam has a filly by Son of Patron, purchased at the Starkweather stock farm, which has shown an eighth mile speed of 20% seconds the first time tried out.

Who collects the dog tax in this town? It is safe to say that at least one-half the dogs in town escapes taxes, and Northville township never had so many worthless curs in the town as at present.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Richardson and family went to Holly Tuesday to attend the funeral of the former's brother, C. R. Richardson, whose death occurred Sunday. The deceased was a prominent business man of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gilbert are encamped at the Porter cottage, Walled lake. Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Johnson accompanied them, but were called home yesterday morning by the serious illness of Mrs. J.'s mother, Mrs. I. N. Starkweather.

There is apparent need of a cement gutter the length of the east side of Center street from Main to Dunlap. This street is the main place for hitching horses and for the cleanliness of the village the cement gutter is very essential so that the dirt and filth can be frequently washed out.

Preparations are going on for a firemen's tournament to be held here August 28. It is expected it will be a big affair and will be held on the Main streets of the village. The local company is already perfecting the arrangements and companies will be here from six or eight neighboring towns.

Mrs. Fred Ward entertained a party of twenty-five young people Monday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Helen's, fifteenth birthday. The house was very prettily decorated in ferns and cut flowers. Light refreshments were served and a most enjoyable time was had. Mrs. Warren Thompson of Detroit and Miss Irene Crawford of Flint were present.

"The King's Own" bible class were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Turner Monday evening. The lawn was prettily decorated with the class colors, red and white, and Japanese lanterns. A short program was given after which sherbet and cake were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. McLean, August 30.

Some people do not seem to understand that automobiles have the same rights to the roads that other wagons have, no more and no less. In addition the law makes it mandatory for carriages or wagons going in the same direction as the auto to turn out and let the auto pass when the driver signals with his horn or bell. If a horse is likely to be frightened, hold up your hand and the auto man will stop his car and assist in getting your horse safely by the machine.

Puffs, Pompadours and Switches made to order. Ladies own hair made up. Mrs. J. S. Austin, Walled Lake, Michigan. Bell phone 172 L2R or leave orders with Mrs. G. A. Tinsam, Northville.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

Dr. R. M. Johnson continues in poor health.

Mrs. Ephraim Brigham of Bealton is quite ill.

Call 200, either phone, if you have visitors at your house.

J. O. Knapp has added to his thoroughbred stock the well known stallion "Marblegrit."

Annual report of the Northville Loan & Building Association on another page in this issue.

A Royal Neighbor lodge was organized here Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Stratton of Port Huron.

Miss Bacon of Detroit is taking Miss Marcia Hoar's place in the Bell telephone office during the latter's vacation.

C. B. Richardson, a well known Holly business man and a brother of T. G. Richardson of this place died in that village Sunday. For some years C. R. was in the shoe business in Detroit.

Today the Record celebrates its fortieth anniversary by occupying, for the first time upon its birthday, its own home—one of the most modern printing establishments, in a village of its size, in the state.

W. H. Ambler was given a neat surprise yesterday afternoon when something like thirty relatives from Northville, Detroit, Ypsilanti and other towns gathered to help him celebrate his sixty-sixth birthday.

About a dozen little folks were entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Miller in honor of their little daughter, Ernestine's, third birthday. They all had just the "splendidest" time ever.

The D. U. R. trolley took a tumble opposite Pefrin's livery yesterday morning and there was continual fire works until the line was propped up in the air by a ladder. Fortunately no one came in contact with the "live wire" and no damage resulted.

Some one littered up Main street for several blocks yesterday afternoon by drawing through a big load of barn yard refuse that rolled off very regularly and very unsightly. The street commissioner should make the teamster clean it up at once.

Density of the Atmosphere. Meteors prove that the air is still dense enough to make these little bodies incandescent through friction at a height of 100 miles, but up to the present man has succeeded in exploring the atmosphere to a height of only 16 miles.

Had Made Fools of Fourteen. When a young girl entered a pawnbroker's shop with 14 rings she was suspected and detained. Inquiries proved that she was the rightful owner and that the rings were souvenirs of 14 fiancés.

With 3 men on bases in Saturday's game, a Northville player touched the wind for three whisks.

Baptist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

The B. Y. P. U. meets promptly at 6:30 p. m. Sunday evening. Subject, "Life Lessons for Me from the Book of the Acts." Leader, Mrs. J. N. VanDyne.

Pastor Mueser will have charge of the service Sunday morning and will speak on the topic "One Thing Thou Lackest." Professor F. S. Goodrich of Albion will speak in the church in the evening. You are cordially invited to attend.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

Prof. F. S. Goodrich of Albion college will speak next Sunday morning.

The topic for the Vesper service Sunday afternoon will be "The Gospel of Rest."

Methodist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.)

The usual services Sunday morning and evening conducted by the pastor.



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Our Certificates of Deposit are payable on demand and bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum for the exact time, providing the deposit is left one month or longer.

3 Per cent interest, from date, paid on Savings Deposits, for the exact time the deposit remains.

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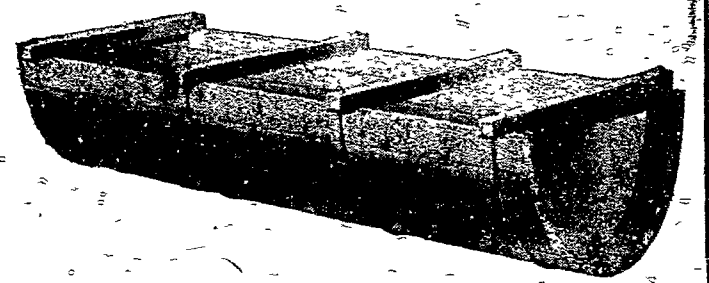
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June 25 Wedding Month. The popularity of June as a wedding month may be traced to the fact that, game and fish being plentiful in summer, it was then that our progenitors naturally turned their thoughts to affairs matrimonial, exactly as a young man of today waits for an increase of salary before plunging into marriage.

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

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What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date.
Wheat, red—1.40 Wheat, white—1.30
Oats, New—50c Oats, Old—55c.
Corn in ear—35c Shelled corn—75c
Baled hay per ton—\$15.00.
Hogs dressed—\$9.00
Cattle—\$5.75
Lamb—\$6.00
Beef hides—8 1/2c per lb.
Veal calves live—\$6.50
Eggs—20c Butter—24c.
Poultry live:
Turkeys, young and plump—13c.
Geese, young and plump—10c.
Ducks, young and plump—8c.
Hens—6c.

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FINEST COFFEE, PURE BUTTER
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Gambling in Green Goods

By JOHN IRVING DAY

Garnering the Gold by a Unique Method, Originated and Practiced by "Doc" Floyd

"H"ERE'S hoping that you get even, alderman," Doc Floyd, raised a goblet of sparkling burgundy, across the brim of which he glanced and smiled at the member of the High Rollers' club who was host at a dinner he was giving in part payment of a bet that there was not a man in the country with \$5,000 who could be beaten out of that amount on the ancient "gold brick" game. The dinner, end of the bet was merely a patry side issue for the big ex-alderman had also wagered \$5,000 and lost that, too.

Doc Floyd had asserted that even in the twentieth century the time-worn "green goods game" could be worked.

"Have you got the nerve to tell me that you can put over the old green goods thing," was the amazed demand of Alderman Mehanty. "I'll bet just one more bundle of \$5,000 and again a dinner for the crowd that it can't be done. Why the biggest sucker in the country would take your flash bank roll away from you if you tried to work that."

"Well, maybe he would," returned Floyd, but I'll just bet you it can be done and will let Cleland do the rough work and I'll just go along to oversee it. I may have to find the man, but I'll let Jack do the trimming."

"And I'll take half of Floyd's end of the bet that they put it over," broke in Col. Powley once more. "Is it a bet?"

"It is. I'm game for another try," replied the alderman.

"How about it Jack? Can we do it?" quired Floyd of a tall, cold eyed, despectic looking person who had sat silent, sipping his wine and puffing a big cigar throughout the bantering conversation.

Jack Cleland merely grunted his assent. He was the one pessimist of the party, but always dependable and a handy man to have in any deal.

A bell clanged, a gate slammed and the conductor and a belated passenger climbed aboard the Twentieth Century Limited train which was leaving the La Salle street station, Chicago for its 38-hour spin to New York. The big engine throbbed and the long train of rolling palaces slid out of the shed without a jerk or tremor, as easily as a trim sail boat propelled by a gentle breeze. At the forward end of the train, the buffet car, a comfortable small club on wheels, already was more than half filled with passengers.

Seated on one side of the car Doc Floyd was contentedly puffing a cigarette while on the opposite side of the aisle, Jack Cleland pulled at a strong cigar, and neither man glanced at or seemed to know of the presence of the other. All was quiet save for the businesslike conversation of two showmen. The vestibule door opened and into the car came Solomon Rosenberg, wise man of the west in which section he had imbued the air of freedom in speech and manner.

Acquaintances are almost as easily made in the smoking car of a train as on shipboard and here was Floyd not 20 miles out of Chicago drinking with a person whose natural propensities for "butting in" with strangers could not be overcome. Within ten minutes after they had met, Solomon Rosenberg was narrating the story of the most recent happenings of his life and riding to a swift and certain fall.

Oh yes Solomon was a wise one. He knew it and was proud of it. Floyd had listened to his talk and wondered the while, whether there was a chance to take some of Solomon's easily gotten wealth and also lower his stock of conceit. He concluded that it might be well worth while to cultivate his new acquaintance. It was at least worth trying, so he ordered another bottle which further mellowed the talkative one, whose tones by this time had disturbed a commercial traveler who sat near him running over columns of figures in his sales book.

The traveling man appeared slightly annoyed as he glanced toward the wine drinkers. Suddenly he seemed to think of something and placing his memoranda in his pocket he turned to Floyd and his companion and asked if they cared to kill the time with a small game and the call came for dinner in the dining car.

"Sure," was the reply of Solomon, answering for Floyd as well as himself. "My friend and I will play if you'll dig up some one else."

A telephatic thought seemed to travel from Floyd to Jack Cleland who was looking at the party from the opposite side of the car. The others also seemed to notice his presence at the same time and it appeared a mere chance that he was invited to make the fourth man in the game.

The play was not resumed after dinner, Cleland saying that he had lost about all he could afford, but the party stuck together and when it came time to retire for the night, Solomon, Floyd and Cleland had all agreed to make their headquarters at the Hotel Astor during their stay in New York and see more of each other. The drummer had told them that his home was in the city but that he hoped to look them up during their stay.

"What's the game, Floyd?" inquired Jack Cleland who had visited his friend's room in the hotel ten minutes after they had reached the big Broadway hotel.

"Well, old top, you know what we are on here for," was the reply. "You've got to sell an order of green goods to some one. You are lucky because I've already found your man for you. It must be some one, so why not our friend Solomon? He's already delivered himself."

The trio met in the lobby of the hotel a few moments later and Solomon insisted on having just one drink before they parted company for the day and then also insisted that they dine together that evening. The only dissipation Cleland would indulge in that evening after dinner was the theater, to which he consented to accompany Floyd and Solomon. After the theater, however, Floyd was indeed the gay man of law away from home for a good time and he put Solomon through such paces as to send him to the heart of that boisterous person.

This journey through the tenderloin was followed by another, Solomon liked the gay life but was beginning to have a pain in his pocketbook, so that when the third evening after his arrival in Gotham, Cleland proposed another game of cards, saying that he wanted revenge for his loss on the train, there was ready consent on the

part of the westerner, who proposed to make some one else pay his expenses if he could. Cleland already had found the drummer's telephone number and invited him to dine and join them in another little friendly game.

Again Solomon won, but his winnings were small. The salesman, also, was allowed to carry away a few dollars for his evening's work. Floyd, however, made a heavy winning and Cleland lost \$2,000, playing with the feverish recklessness that comes to the average loser at cards. The game broke up when the salesman announced that he would have to quit and get a few hours' sleep before appearing at his place of business. Cleland went on to his room with a groan, refusing even to take a "night-cap" drink. Solomon, however, readily accepted Floyd's invitation to take in some of the all-night restaurants.

"I wonder if our friend has left town without saying good-by," remarked Solomon to Doc Floyd two days after the poker game in which Cleland had lost his money to Floyd. He had not appeared since that time.

"I wonder?" replied Floyd. "Let's inquire of the clerk at the desk and see if he's gone." Acting upon this suggestion they learned that Mr. "McClelland," the name under which Cleland was known to them, was still in town, and in fact was in his room at that moment.

"Let's go up and see what ails him,"

proposed Floyd. "Maybe he's not feeling well."

In his room the two callers found Cleland pacing the floor with a worried look on his face. It was anything but a cordial welcome which he gave them.

"Not ill, I hope," said Floyd. "We'd missed you for a couple of days and thought we'd look you up. Haven't cut us out, have you?"

"To tell you the truth, fellows, I haven't felt very cheerful since I made that losing. I'm only a salaried man, you know, and can't really afford to play that kind of a game, even if my salary is a big one. It isn't that I'm worrying about just now, though, for I've got a chance to get more, than even. My conscience will hardly let me do it though, and besides I've got to have more money than I've got to put the deal through."

"Buck up, and tell us about it," broke in Solomon. "And say, kid, don't let your conscience put too much weight on you. Throw it away and get rid of the handicap, but don't do anything to get into jail. I don't mind telling you that there are two or three places in this country right now where I don't want to go for fear the jail doors would open quick to get me. Our friend here is a lawyer. Let him advise you."

"I wonder if I should tell you?" replied Cleland, brightening perceptibly, polished actor that he was.

"Yes, go ahead and out with it," returned Floyd. "You know we lawyers hear some strange stories now and then and can't afford to be too particular as to our clients."

"Well, I'll tell you on one condition," agreed Cleland. "That condition is that you come in on the deal with me. I haven't got enough capital to put it through, anyway. There's no danger in it, and it's a sure way to make a big haul."

Both Floyd and Solomon agreed to come in on any deal where they could

only have about \$7,000 to my name, so I will have to get some one to go in the deal with me. You two can come in for \$5,000 each. Are you on? And wait a minute, you needn't agree right now, but meet me at ten o'clock in the morning and go with me to the Ninthteenth National and see my friend for yourself."

The two agreed to meet Cleland on the morrow and said good-night. "And what do you think of it?" inquired Floyd as they went down on the elevator. "I'm a little afraid of it."

"Well, let's look into it, anyway," returned Solomon. "If there's a chance to pick up some easy money, I want it."

On the following morning they were convinced that the deal was a good one when they went to the Nineteenth National with Cleland, and visiting the safety vault section of the bank, met Danny Roberts as that young man came out of a small compartment in his shirt sleeves with a package of papers in his hands and a pencil behind his ear. Danny looked the part of a busy clerk and they heard him whisper nervously to Cleland that "it was all right." He added that he would be at the appointed place at precisely 12 o'clock.

The appointed place was a small dingy office of a dilapidated building on New street. Cleland explained that it was the office of a friend who dealt in curb stocks and was seldom in, but allowed him free use of the place. The trio were waiting when Danny Roberts, carrying a suit case, entered. He immediately took from the case two packages, exactly alike in appearance and as to outer signs and seals. Quickly cutting one of them open, he disclosed large bundles of money. It took a half hour to count this out and ascertain that there was \$30,000 in the lot. Fifteen thousand dollars in large bills were placed in the hands of Danny, who hurried away. In five minutes the old bills of perfectly good money

were divided into three packages of equal amounts and tied up into neat paper-bound parcels on the roll-top desk.

Just at that moment there was a knock on the locked door of the office and Cleland slammed down the top of the desk and kicked the waste paper underneath before he went to answer the summons.

"It was only a customer looking for my friend," he remarked, as he returned and raised the top of the desk, disclosing the three neatly tied parcels. "You fellows had better take your bundles and separate. We will all meet at the hotel for dinner."

Solomon and Floyd, acting like two conspirators, agreed to take separate conveyances uptown to their hotel and to meet there later and drink to their good luck.

Two hours later, when Floyd had not put in appearance, Solomon began to feel nervous. He was afraid something had happened to Floyd and Cleland, but for another half hour he did not suspicion anything further, and then he suddenly decided to go to his room and investigate his newly acquired wealth.

"Stung!" yelled Solomon when he undid the parcel and found a tightly bound package of tissue paper with a dollar bill on each outer side. "And I never once thought of the old green goods game!"

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WIRELETS.

John W. Herron, father-in-law of President Taft, who suffered a mild stroke of paralysis at Cincinnati, is reported much better.

Missouri wants immigrants to cultivate 11,000,000 acres of unoccupied tillable land in the state. The Missouri immigration commission will establish a bureau on Ellis Island.

The tide of immigration to the United States is waning. A falling off of 23,369, approximately 20 per cent, is noted in alien immigration for the month of June as compared with May. Harry Orchard, murderer of former Gov. Steunenberg, of Idaho, according to his confession, was baptized at the penitentiary. The service was performed by Elder Steward, a Seventh Day Adventist.

Capt. Peter C. Hains, sentenced to a term in Sing Sing for the murder of William B. Annis, is busy inventing a new street cleaning device in prison. His case is soon to come up on appeal in the appellate division.

Charles W. Elliot, president emeritus of Harvard in an address before the Harvard summer school of theology, prophesied the advent of a new religion with no dogma or creed, whose reliance would be placed on the laws of nature.

The first world's shoe and leather fair, now in progress at Cambridge, Mass., was placed in the hands of a receiver by Justice Frank Dodge, of the United States circuit court. The alleged indebtedness of the fair is between \$140,000 and \$150,000.

Work was started on the new cotton weaver shed at Taftville, Ct., which when completed will be one of the largest in the world. It will have room for 6,000 looms. The cost of buildings and machinery will be nearly half a million and employ a thousand hands.

Galveston Repairing Damage.

Galveston on Friday began rebuilding the structures razed in Wednesday's storm. Wires are down, but later reports from the interior show greater damage and loss of life than were sustained in that city. With six known dead on Tarpon fishing pier, the list of supposed 11 victims has been cut down. Five were rescued from the bay alive. The sixth was dead when taken from the water. Fourteen others are missing, and damage to property is estimated at \$750,000. Twenty-three deaths are known to have occurred.

The missing are members of the families of three brothers Abernathy, who left High Island Tuesday for Sabine pass. They traveled by wagon and were to have camped out on the beach Tuesday night. Part of their equipment has been found.

Graphic tales are told by those who were swept from the Tarpon fishing pier, off Galveston, into the gulf and rescued, clinging to bits of wreckage along the beach near Morgan's point.

Ray C. Teetshorn, of Houston, says that it was seven hours after the first real alarm that the pier gave way and a party of 10 was cast into the water.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Cattle—Dry-fed steers, \$5.55 to \$6.50, steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$5.50 to \$6.50, grass steers and heifers, 1,200 to 1,400, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 1,400 to 1,600, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 1,600 to 1,800, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 1,800 to 2,000, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 2,000 to 2,200, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 2,200 to 2,400, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 2,400 to 2,600, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 2,600 to 2,800, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 2,800 to 3,000, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 3,000 to 3,200, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 3,200 to 3,400, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 3,400 to 3,600, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 3,600 to 3,800, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 3,800 to 4,000, \$4.50 to \$5.50, grass steers and heifers, 4,000 to 4,200, \$4.50 to 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Manufacturing Concerns Among the
Heavy Losers—No Lives Lost.

Fires that were costly to important industries of Michigan in that they both destroyed valuable property and stopped all work in the affected institutions, thus throwing several hundred employees out of work temporarily, made Sunday with the nights preceding and following it unapparently memorable. In three cities alone—Traverse City, Ionia and Bay City—the loss will aggregate more than \$125,000 and over 500 men are made idle.

The loss of Handy Bros., Bay City, in the destruction by fire of their sawmill, planing mill and box factory Saturday night will run somewhat above \$75,000. The fire caught from the boiler room and the concern was literally wiped out. The mills and factory will be rebuilt at once, the loss being nearly covered by the insurance. Meantime the employees are idle.

The flames spread to nearby buildings, destroying the Phoenix Brewing Co.'s warehouse and the dwelling of Otto Kruchinski.

Two of the largest buildings of the Marvel Manufacturing Co. plant, opposite the Pere Marquette car shops at Ionia, were destroyed Sunday night by fire, whose origin has not yet been discovered. Finished stock to the value of \$10,000 went with the finishing building and the cabinet department. For a time the entire Marvel plant, as well as the car shops, was threatened, and the flames were only checked after hard work by the city firemen and the Pere Marquette fire brigade. President Thwaite, of the Manufacturing concern, places its loss at \$25,000, practically covered by insurance.

The second factory fire in Traverse City within a week on Sunday morning destroyed two of the main buildings of the Caldwell & Louden Vehicle factory. The buildings were of pine and burned rapidly. They contained the wood working department, paint shop, engine room and storehouse, and the latter was practically filled with finished stock. The loss will be over \$16,000, with \$3,000 insurance. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

It Was Cruel.

Mrs. Frank Crandall, of Flint, deserted by her husband a year ago with her four children; unable to find a house to live in at rent she could pay, has been living in a hired tent which was set up on a vacant field. One of the children is now ill, and the woman, handicapped in securing work, was unable to pay her tent rent when it fell due last night.

The owner of the canvas came at 10 o'clock to demand his money, and when it was not forthcoming, deaf to the pleadings of the woman for her sick child, he took down the tent and hauled it away. The little family was left in the field with no covering over what household furniture she possessed.

The police were notified, and took the family to police headquarters, where they were given temporary shelter. They will be cared for by generous citizens until a house can be found.

Mrs. Crandall is a hard-working, honest woman and could pay a reasonable rent if the house could be found. Citizens are indignant at the action of the tent owner, who left the family shelterless.

Hurtled From Train.

With both his legs severed close to his body and his hands badly mangled, John Stein, formerly employed as a deckhand on the passenger steamer City of Mackinac, was found lying near the tracks of the Michigan Central railroad, at Central avenue, Wyandotte, Saturday night, by two men who were passing nearby and heard his cries. He was taken to Emergency hospital, where he died five hours later. Before he expired, Stein told attendants in the hospital that he had been robbed and thrown from a freight train by two companions with whom he had been stealing a ride. He refused to divulge the names of his assailants.

The State Treasury.

The state treasury has just been enriched by \$511,179, the proceeds from the sale of the Michigan buildings at the Jamestown exposition. Wednesday morning \$25,171.40 was paid by the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railroad as back taxes, but this amount will be turned into the primary school fund, which at present contains \$698,000. The general fund contains \$57,000.

The annual reunion of the Calhoun County Veteran Battalion will be held at Battle Creek, August 18. Congressman Washington Gardner will act as toastmaster at the campfire.

Charles H. Mains, a former Battle Creek attorney, who has been serving a 12-year sentence in the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for having killed a man in Alaska, has been transferred to the United States penitentiary hospital at Washington, D. C. Mains is said to be hopelessly insane.

Mrs. Ira C. Breese, of Jackson, has received word that her husband was killed in an automobile accident in Sioux Falls, S. D. Breese was 30 years of age and had gone to Sioux Falls to work at his trade of automobile assembler. Besides the widow, he is survived by one daughter, aged 2.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

The Prescott house at Prescott was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$8,000.

With the possible exception of apples, the Holland fruit crop will be a record-breaker.

The mad dog scare is growing worse in Benton Harbor, and many dogs are killed daily by the police.

Big Rapids is trying to secure the new branch-pottery of the Owen & Cain Co., which is expected to employ men.

While using a telephone during the storm, Mrs. Ira J. Nixon, of Flint, was knocked to the floor unconscious by a bolt of electricity.

The annual convention of the Michigan Hardware Dealers' association will be held in the Auditorium at Saginaw August 11 to 13.

The enrollments at the Normal summer school is now 1,420, or about 400 more than any other session in the history of the institution.

Capt. John Q. Anderson, who headed the Saginaw company in the Spanish war and afterward, is dead from fever contracted in the Cuban service. While her husband is in a Scranton, Pa., jail, arrested while looking for work, the home of Mrs. Mary Shufkowsky in Bay City was burned. She has four small children.

Grand Rapids' business men active in the anti-saloon movement complain that they are being boycotted by "wet" sympathizers, and that unless the ban is raised they will be ruined.

Fire, which resulted from spontaneous combustion in a haymow, destroyed a large barn filled with hay and grain and a team of horses on the Chapin farm, near Schoolcraft.

Mary Bowers, the Jackson woman implicated by Molly Maguire, the noted jail-breaker, was sentenced to 65 days in the Detroit house of correction for being a disorderly character.

Urgent university business is advanced by President J. B. Angell of the U. of M. as a reason for recalling his consent to act as an arbitrator in the M. U. R. electric railway wage fight.

The big new plant of the General Motors Co., at Flint, 339x600 feet, is being rushed to completion, and will be ready for occupancy October 1. About 3,000 men will be employed in the factory.

Sheriff Hurley, of Kent county, has declared war on the automobile speeders and deputies with stop watches will be stationed in all the townships surrounding the city. He promises to make many arrests.

In the death of Levi Rivers, of Cook's Mills, Schoolcraft county, the state of Michigan has lost its oldest citizen. The deceased was 105 years of age. He came to the region more than sixty years ago.

Mrs. Deliah Ann Yapple, mother of Circuit Judge George L. Yapple, of St. Joseph and Branch counties, and a prominent pioneer resident of Mendon, is dead at her home here. Judge Yapple and one daughter survive.

The supreme court has failed to hand down a decision setting aside the Sanilac county local option election because the county clerk failed to sign the supervisors' records in time. The county will remain dry.

F. W. Schroeder, of Traverse City, laughed at a funny story told him by a companion Friday and his jaw was dislocated. It required the efforts of a physician and two strong men to put the jaw back where it belonged.

Mrs. Charles Cotte, of Muskegon, had her right leg and four ribs broken and sustained severe internal injuries, and her mother, Mrs. Joseph La Chappelle, was badly bruised and cut, when they were run down by an automobile.

Seized with cramps while swimming in the river at Menominee, John Winter, who had told that he and several companions had run away from their homes in Chicago, was drowned before bystanders who noticed his distress could reach him.

An auto street sprinkler is one of the latest The Ishpeming city council has ordered one, capacity 600 gallons. It will be equipped with a 30 horse power engine, guaranteed to cover 12 to 14 miles an hour, and to do the work of three wagon sprinklers.

The farm residence of Jonathan Bowen, Melita township, burned to the ground Monday. All of the family were absent picking berries, except Grandmother Bowen, who is over 80. The old lady managed to get out in safety. There was no insurance.

Waukegan, a village of 1,390, on the Gogebic range, is having built a high school costing \$50,000 in place of the one burned last spring. It will be 20x122 feet with 14 school rooms, a domestic science room, manual training room, gymnasium and laboratory.

The northbound Pere Marquette train between Allegan and Holland had a narrow escape from being wrecked when the engineer stopped less than five feet from two big ties which had been placed on the track. There is no clue to the culprits. There were 20 passengers on the train.

Separated 15 years ago when they were adopted from a Saginaw orphanage by different families, the first reunion was held in Flint by Joseph Haslem, of Saginaw county; William Haslem, Lansing; Mrs. Nellie Dorn, Reed City, and Mrs. Haslem Buncie, of Flint. Two other sisters have not been located.

When a runaway team demolished the fence which encloses the city deer park at Traverse City, the lone deer kept there escaped, and Mayor German secured an automobile and gave chase. After a run of nearly a mile the animal was captured, and the mayor drove back to town with the deer occupying the rear seat of the auto.

Busily engaged in conversation, Samuel King and Thomas Vitz drove upon the Michigan Central tracks near the Kalamazoo paper mills without noticing an approaching train. King was instantly killed and his companion received fatal injuries.

MARTIAL LAW IS DECREED IN SPAIN

KING ALFONSO'S THRONE IS
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REVOLT.

WAR WITH MOORS CAUSE

Anarchy, Strikes and Rebellion Are
Causing Much Trouble and Alarm
for the Government.

His throne threatened by revolutionary riots in protest against the war in Africa, where 40,000 Spanish soldiers are battling against Moorish champions of the green standard of the prophet as their Castilian ancestors did centuries ago in Granada, King Alfonso has declared martial law throughout Spain.

It is rumored that the Maura ministry will resign in favor of a military cabinet, as the movement at Barcelona and throughout Catalonia province is regarded as being clearly revolutionary.

The cabinet held a long session and decided that the situation in Catalonia is so grave that it necessitated the proclaiming of martial law at Tarragona and Gerona, in addition to Barcelona. King Alfonso was not present at the meeting, having returned to San Sebastian from Ferrol. Wednesday he hurriedly came to Madrid, summoned by the premier, and the martial law proclamation resulted.

The latest reports from Barcelona show the condition there increasingly grave. The rioters have attacked the convention of the Little Sisters of the Poor. This followed the riotous disorders when the mob assaulted and then burned several of the religious establishments. New disorders are now reported from two other interior points, Alfol and Rioja.

At Tarragona the rioters have burned the trains, set fire to the Tarragona bridge, and dynamited another bridge on the Tarragona railroad.

The strikers attacked the police station at Pueblo Nuevo, and the gendarmes defended it with rifles. The mob burned St. Paul's church, at St. Antoine, and wrecked the parochial schools.

At Genoa the mob has attacked trainloads of soldiers and torn up the tracks.

The notorious anarchists, Cardenal and Herberos, are represented as being the leaders in the rioting in Catalonia. The captain-general and his staff were fired upon as they were riding through the Boulevard Paralelo.

Bands of strikers were dispatched from Barcelona to the surrounding country to destroy the railroad, with the object of preventing the arrival of troops to reinforce the Barcelona garrison. The troops from Valencia were forced to disembark at Vendrell, 17 miles from Tarragona, from where they drove the strikers before them.

The events in Catalonia province have caused some reaction in public opinion favorable to the war.

The conservative newspapers of Madrid protest against the revolution while the country is fighting to maintain its honor on foreign soil, and they appeal to the public to sink political differences and support the government in the vigorous repression of anarchy and sedition at Barcelona.

The zone of popular agitation is spreading beyond the turbulent Catalonians and is affecting the Valentians.

The minister of the interior announces that the government will adopt the most urgent measures of repression, with a view of giving an example to the turbulent element.

Another dispatch received in official quarters states that the custom house has been closed on the frontier near Cerbere, owing to the popular demonstration against the government officers. The rioters continue to tear up the railways and noisily intervene at the points where reserves are being recruited for military service. The chief indignation of the people is directed against the government's policy of rapidly recruiting a large army to cope with the condition confronting Spain in Morocco.

Across the Channel.

The frenzied enthusiasm in France over Bleriot, the aeronaut who accomplished the feat of flying over the English channel in his aeroplane, has been duplicated in Dover and London. Bleriot and his famous little monoplane both reached London Saturday morning, the former to receive the monetary fruits of his achievements in the shape of a check for \$5,000, and the latter to be placed on exhibition to the financial advantage of both a London hospital and the enterprising proprietor of the only American department store in London.

Charbon, a deadly and loathsome disease which afflicts and has killed thousands of valuable animals in Louisiana has attacked human beings, and many men are under treatment. In Leesburg, county-seat of Cameron parish, eight persons have been stricken. Up to date no human deaths have resulted. Charbon is caused by a germ which enters the skin through an abrasion, producing an inflammation which turns into a tumorous or cancerous growth that terminates in blood poison.

Henry Hoar, of Salem, Ind., said to be the only United States pensioner that never was a soldier or in any way connected with the army, died Thursday from a bullet wound received in the John Morgan raid July 30, 1863.

The fact that Mrs. Emma Tully, 105 years of age had not prevented her from enjoying a lobster salad. In fact when she attended a wedding celebration at the home of her grandson in Brooklyn, N. Y., she remained up until after midnight bidding the last guests good-bye, and throughout the evening enjoyed all the games and gaieties as much as anyone.

VERY ABRUPT.



Spring Poet—Yes, sir; I can write about anything, sir.
Irate Editor—Well, then, suppose you just right-about face and head for the door.

SKIN ERUPTION CURED.

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"When about two and a half years old my daughter broke out on her hips and the upper parts of her legs with a very irritating and painful eruption. It began in October; the first I noticed was a little red surface and a constant desire on her part to scratch her limbs. She could not sleep and the eruptions got sore, and yellow water came out of them. I had two doctors treat her, but she grew worse under their treatment. Then I bought the Cuticura Remedies and only used them two weeks when she was entirely well. This was in February. She has never had another rough place on her skin, and she is now fourteen years old. Mrs. R. R. Whitaker, Winchester, Tenn., Sept. 22, 1908."

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His Preference.

Commander Maxwell, of the navy enjoys telling of an unique complaint preferred by a recruit.

"On every man-of-war the bar of justice is set in front of the 'stick,' or mast. The recruit had gone to this stick to 'state' his grievance. 'Well, what do you want?' asked the executive officer.

"Please, sir, I want to complain of the breakfast this morning."

"What did you have?"

"Burgoo, crack-bash, hard tack and coffee, sir."

"Please, sir, I always like to start my breakfast with a nice steak and a pair of eggs."—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Reputations.

"The Autocrat," remarked the Redoubtable Person, "made a remark the import of which escaped me until the other day. He said: 'Many a man has a reputation because of the reputation he expects to have some day.'"

"That's not a half bad remark," suggested the Practical Person, "but my son—just out from college, you know, and in the habit of thinking hump-backed thoughts, as it were—said something only this morning that appealed to me: 'Some men,' he said, 'get a reputation and keep it; other men get a reputation and make it keep them.'"

Neatly Put.

Two Quakers were having an argument and one considered the other was speaking falsely. "This is how he proved him."

"Friend Thomas, I will not call thee by any bad name, but if the mayor were to ask me who was the greatest liar in the town I would hasten to thee and say: 'Thomas, I think the mayor greatly desirous to speak with thee.'"

Some are vocal under a good influence, are pleasing whenever they are pleased, and hand on their happiness to others.—R. L. Stevenson.

QUEEN'S KIND ACT

How Helena Helped Crippled Italian Boy.

Makes Protege of Small Lad She Found Suffering and Sad by the Seaside—Affected by the Youngster's Pessimism.

Rome.—Queen Helena has added another recruit to the legion of her small proteges. The story of how Michael Gallo managed to attract the queen's attention is told by the Roman newspapers.

Her majesty accompanied King Victor when the latter went to Brindisi to meet the German emperor. When the meeting was over the king and queen went for a long motor excursion in the neighboring district. The royal motor car stopped near a light-house, and the queen noticed a crippled boy dragging himself slowly and painfully along the beach by the aid of a pair of rough and ill-constructed crutches.

Approaching the poor boy, Queen Helena asked him a few questions. Though a boy of quick intelligence, Michael Gallo, such was the cripple's name, did not realize that the solitary couple were the king and queen. To the consoling words spoken to him by the illustrious lady, he replied in a melancholy fashion, saying, in effect, that his sufferings were beyond human endurance, and that he desired nothing better than a prompt termination of his bitter existence. The queen's tender heart was deeply touched by the precocious pessimism of this youthful disciple of Schopenhauer, who further explained that he lived alone with his father, the light-house keeper, his mother having eloped with a lover some years ago. Her majesty, taking the boy's hands

CALLING DOWN THE BOASTER

Good Little Story Told by William Dean Howells as a Rebuke to Spread-Eagleism.

"It was William Dean Howells," said a Chicago editor, "who first rebuked us Americans for our spread-eagleism, for our foolish boasting. I see that Mr. Howells has just joined a men's society for the promotion of woman suffrage. Trust him to be in the forefront always."

"I once heard Mr. Howells deliver a fourth of July oration in Maine. The orator preceding him had boasted a good deal. Mrs. Howells showed that some of the man's boasts were even implausible."

"He said that these spread-eagle boasters deserved the rebuke that the little child administered to the cackling hen that had just laid an egg. The child, angered by the hen's continuous caw-caw-caw, caw-caw-caw-caw, shook his little finger at her and said:

"You sink you're smart. But Dad made that egg. You couldn't help but lay it!"

WAS HE RIGHT.



Mrs. Rant—Do you think men are more clever than women?
Mr. Rant—Some men are.
Mrs. Rant—Who are they?
Mr. Rant—Single men.

He Bitt.

The city man was jogging on toward the summer boarding-house in a rickety old wagon. The driver was glum and far from entertaining, and the city man felt rather lonely.

"Fine field over there," he ventured, after a long silence.

"Fine," grunted the driver.

"Who, owns it?"

"Old man Bitt."

"Old man Bitt, eh? Who are those children stacking up hay?"

"Old man Bitt's boys."

"And what is his idea in having them out there in the field such a hot day?"

"Wal, I reckon he thinks every little Bitt helps, stranger. Anything else you want to know? Get up here, hosses."

Have No Use for Pins.

All American exporters concerned are warned by Consul General Denby that they'll never get rich by selling pins to the people of Shanghai. "The Chinese have no use for pins," he says, "strings and knots and loops meeting every requirement of male and female, young and old, to keep his or her garments securely and neatly fastened."

Best Clubs for a Youth.

They tell a story in Wall street that Mr. Morgan once replied to a young friend, who had asked him what were the best clubs to belong to in New York: "Young man, the very best clubs to devote your time to are Indian clubs."

It is a mother's duty to keep constantly on hand some reliable remedy for use in case of sudden accident or mishap to the children. Hamlin's Wizzard Oil can be depended upon for just such emergencies.

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MAN SERVED IN FOUR WARS

Capt. Joseph Downing, Delaware Soldier, Celebrates His 103d Birthday—Lives on Pension.

Dover, Del.—Capt. Joseph Downing, a hero of four wars and a native of Philadelphia, celebrated his one hundred and third birthday the other day. He served in the Creek-Seminole war of 1832, in the Mexican war, in the Crimean war of 1855-56-57, and in the civil war of 1861-65.

"I always felt that whenever war broke out men ought to go and get into it and get it over with just as soon as possible," said Downing, "for war preys alike on life and property."

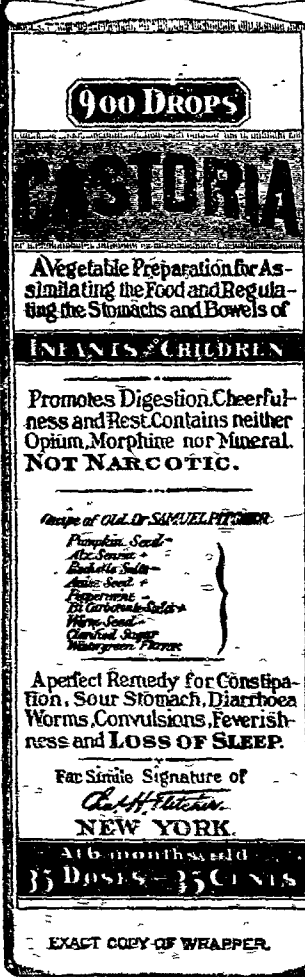
And then the captain bundled up his rod and reel and his string of catfish and started down the road for home.

Capt Downing now lives on his pension of \$20 a month from the United States government for services in the civil war. He is able to do odd chores, and is fond of rod and line angling for fish. He has a sister in Philadelphia 20 years his junior. She is his only living relative. He makes his home at Little Creek village with Joseph Gamble. Downing's wife has been dead 16 years.

After his 70 days in the Seminole war in Florida fighting the Indians into subjection, Downing entered the Mexican war, where he served under Capt. John King. The Anderson conveyed supply ships and met the American troops at coast towns with supplies and arms, but was often fired at and in hot engagements.

In the "Crimean" war Downing's assignment was on the Golden State, a transport, and the work of this ship kept its men under hot fire.

Downing enlisted from Philadelphia in the civil war. His term began July 27, 1861, and extended three years and nine days. Most of his time in the conflict was served as master-at-arms on the Yankee.



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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

WIXOM NEWS.

Wesley Sibley of Pontiac was a Wixom visitor Sunday.

Mrs. F. W. Lockwood is entertaining her cousins this week.

Mrs. H. E. Sayles, who has been quite sick, is convalescing.

Born, Sunday, July 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stowe, a daughter.

Miss Inez Conkright visited her parents Saturday night and Sunday.

Geo. Parker and family of Pontiac visited his parents a part of this week.

Quite a number of Wixomites went to Belle Isle on the excursion Wednesday.

Horace Gray and wife of Northville visited at H. P. Aspenleiter's Sunday.

Mrs. Tuck of Detroit visited her son and family, a part of last week and this.

Mrs. S. L. Brown and daughter of Novi, visited at Jss. Gibson's Saturday.

Miss Mabel Wright returned to Jackson Monday after a three weeks' stay at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Galkins of Highland visited the latter's mother Saturday night and Sunday.

H. E. Richardson and wife attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, C. Morgan, at New Hudson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mowry, accompanied by their granddaughter, Miss Dora, left Saturday for a two weeks' visit at Jackson and Sherwood.

NOVI NEWS.

Mrs. Chas. Goodell is not as well this week.

Hortense Seiden is spending the week in Detroit.

Miss Effie Risner is visiting friends near South Lyon.

Mary Flint of Ypsilanti is the guest of relatives here.

Miss Edna Erwin is spending the week with friends at Wixom.

Mrs. Thad Williams and children of Detroit are guests of Mrs. Williams.

Dr. Sara T. Chase of Traverse City spent the week end at Samuel Bassett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Richardson of Chicago are visiting his father, Miles Richardson.

Will Smith of Minnesota was the guest of his father, Albert Smith, for a few days this week.

Miss Edith Bassett is spending a few days with friends in Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti and Detroit.

The "What I Can" society will meet on the Baptist church lawn Saturday afternoon. Each member is requested to bring their supper.

Philip McCrumb, whose death was briefly mentioned last week, born at Bristol, Ontario Co. N. Y., March 4, 1831, removed to Novi in the fall of 1832 where the remainder of his life was spent with the exception of a period of time during the war of 61-65 when he was teaming on the road from Howell to Detroit. The last six years of his life were spent in Armada, where he passed away July 19. A wife and two children survive him. Mr. McCrumb was the last of thirteen children all of whom have long since preceded him home. The funeral services were held in the Novi Baptist church July 21, Rev. Harding officiating and interment in Novi cemetery.

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WALLED LAKE NEWS.

Will Quigley of Ypsilanti is visiting relatives here.

H. R. Russell of Royal Oak is spending a few days here.

Rev. Pixley preached in the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rose entertained relatives from Detroit and Novi Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson and Miss Rose Hawthorne of Plymouth are spending a few days at the Point.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Parmenter attended the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Ed. Parmenter, at Northville Sunday.

There will be a "shadow" social at the home of Seymour Gray next Saturday evening for the benefit of the Bassett Sunday school. Ice cream will be served. All are invited.

There was a most interesting meeting of the Epworth League Sunday evening led by Miss Bessie McCoy under the topic "The Healing Touch." Miss Alice McKeever will lead next Sunday evening. Topic, "The Nearness of Eternity to Opportunity."

The funeral services of Mrs. Amos Bentley were held at her late residence Sunday afternoon Rev. L. B. DuPuis, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. The flowers were numerous and beautiful. Mrs. Ellen Bloss Bentley was born in New York state September 18th coming to Michigan with her parents at an early age. She was married to Amos Bentley in 1885 settling on the Bentley farm which has since been their home. Mrs. Bentley is the first member of the family to be called away. She leaves eight children all grown to maturity and sixteen grandchildren. To her family she has always been most devoted and was ever ready to assist a neighbor in sickness or trouble. She has been very ill for many months and has borne her suffering patiently. Her daughter, May, who lives at home, has cared for her assisted by the other children.

LIVONIA NEWS.

Paul Lee spent Sunday with Harry Smith.

Will Garchow's people entertained company from Northville Sunday.

There was quite a turn out at the social given at Mr. Wagonhutz Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Truesdell west of Plymouth Sunday.

Mrs. Baze is staying at Watertford with her son, Will, who is suffering with blood poisoning.

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FARMINGTON NEWS.

Mrs. Win. Irish spent a few days last week at Milford.

Miss Mable Hatton is home from Ypsilanti for a two months' vacation.

Sayres Harger and family have returned after a two months' visit in Chicago.

Gov. Warner and family are now located at their summer home at Cass lake.

Mrs. J. F. Goodrich and daughter, Cassie, are spending a few days in Ypsilanti.

O. P. Hazard and wife of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Warner.

A. H. and J. H. Phelps with their families and guests are camping at Walled lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Woodworth of Pontiac spent Sunday with the Misses Nelson.

Dr. E. F. Holcomb and family left Thursday for Walled lake to spend their vacation.

Gladys Smith leaves Saturday for Lansing where she has a position in one of the state offices.

Miss Jessie Sowle, one of the clerks in Cook & Co's. store, spent her vacation in Ann Arbor.

Harry Lewis is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. VanLoon of Elmira, N. Y. Mrs. V. is Mr. Lewis' sister.

Wm. Hendryx left Monday for Winnipeg, Manitoba, to join his family who are visiting there.

Mrs. J. A. Miller of Birmingham and Mrs. Beatrice Emmons of Iowa City spent Saturday at Dr. Miller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marsh of Lansing were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyes Steele.

Miss Edessa Warner entertained a number of young ladies from Detroit, Lansing and Farmington Tuesday at Cass lake.

The P. A. C. ball team of Pontiac lost a game of ball with the Farmington Juniors here Saturday in a score of 20 to 5.

Mrs. Susie Chamberlin of Greenport, R. I., is spending some time with her niece, Mrs. J. W. Hatton, and other relatives.

Rev. Jas. McGee, wife and two children of Marshalltown, Iowa, are spending some time with his relatives here. He will occupy the Methodist church pulpit Sunday morning.

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