# MRS. GEO. BRYANT

Had Been in Bed Only About Two Weeks. = 1

Bryant one of this township's prosperous farmers and representative native populance Says Mrs Bryant has been a resident of Water ford all her life and was highly they could understand? Ah. yes! I The deceased was born in North-respected by everyone. Besides the remembered an old song called the ville township, on the Tafft farm,

The funeral-will be held this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock from the home, turned to the organ and began to Rev. Mr. Miller of Plymouth officiating.

## PRESS FELLERS'

ELECTION AND BANQUET IN DETROIT LAST WEEK

Griswold House and 'Auto Shew Entertained 'Em.

The annual meeting of the Eastern Michigan Press association was held at the Griswold House in Detroit last Friday afternoon. It was one of the largestly attended meetings in the history of the association, some thing over 100 being present. A number of interesting papers were zead by different members of the association, after which the annual election of officers occurred, results as follows:

W. D. Brown, Harbor Beach, Pres A. B. Bragdon, Monroe, Vice Pres F. F. Ellsworth; Sec'y.

T. M. Sheriff, Trenton, Trens.

At 5 o'clock by courtesy of the D. U. R., those in attendance were conveyed by the company's big sight seeing car to the Wayne Pavillion, where they were entertained by the Da Da Auto Show people until 7:15. At 8 o'clock the company of Trenton. A widow, proprietors of the Griswold House gave a banquet in honor of the occasion, at which time Governor horn of the Detroit Times acted as "roastmaster" and did the job in his usual characteristic and happy manner. Among the other speakers him to the Press club meetings. was Eddle Guest, the poet and humorous writer of the Detroit Free Press. The meeting was unan-impusly voted as one of the most successful in the history of the then it was for the last time. organization.

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Mrs. Myrtle Roberts Brogan, who is now living in Porto Rico and ta known in Northville, tells in the Mrs. Alma Bryant, wife of George Battle Creek paper of a recent call of could Tsing with at least one word two weeks: husband she leaves one daughter. Spanish Cavaller. Mary Yeckley's Dec. 31, 1828, and has always lived Mrs. Frank Johnson. half brother, Ben Gilbert, taught it in this vicinity. to us when we were little girls. I for nearly a year, they never tire of Pitt and Frank of this place: it, but still leve it above all the ANNUAL MEET little knew of what use this song would be to me years ago when Ben taught it to us. Many thanks to

#### **EDITOR SHERIFF** DEAD AT TRENTON

TREASURER OF E. M. PRESS CLUB FOR FIVE YEARS.

Was at the Annual Meeting in Detroit Friday.

T. M. Sheriff, sixty-nine years of age, treasurer of the Eastern Michigan Presectub and publisher of the Trenton Times, died Sunday moruing at his home of heart trouble. He had been ill about a week, but last Friday attended the business meeting of the club in Detroit Saturday night he went to bed feeling quite well, but at three in the morning he became worse and at 5:30 was dead.

Besides being interested in the newspaper business he was connected with the Challenge Envelope three daughters and a son survive.

Mr. Sheriff was a splendid man and-was widely known among the Warner and Mayor Breitmeyer were press and business fraternity of guests of honor. James Schemmer Michigan and was a general favorite. Much sympathy is extended to the wife, who was always interested in

The writer was one of the last to bid him good-hve Friday night as he and Mrs. Sheriff were leaving for their home and we little thought

#### Allen, the Stove, man.

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G P. ALLEN.

#### Auction Sale.

August Kreager will sell at public auction on the Harrison Yerkes farm % mile north of this village Wednesday, Feb. 16, his stock and farm implements. John E. Wedow,

### MRS. M. C. JOHNSON - DIED WEDNESDAY

Aged Northville Pioneer Goes After Extended Illness.

welcome the family had from the Wednesday at the home of Mrs. was unable to bring the boy native populance Says Mrs Hodge in Plymouth where she had soprano, who was expected to sing. citizens, died Wednesday, aged sixty. Brogan:-"I decided I would sing been cared for some three months. six years. She had been confined to and play for them, but what? I she had been in poor health the past her bed about two weeks. Mrs. thought for a moment or two, what year but confined to her bed only

In 1845 she was married to Wm. T. Johnson: Six children came to with it and now even though I have living: Mrs Rockwell of Detroit, question; "Resolved, that the condibeen singing it for, and teaching it Mrs. H. D. Dean of Bozeman, Mont., to, hundreds of Porto Rican people Charles H. of Rochester, N. Y., Wm. tended to make a better man than

songs I have taught them. How member of the Presbyterlan church for fifty years and will be greatly missed, not only by that society, but Musical selections will be given both by her many friends for she was loved and respected by all who knew

The remains were brought here from Plymouth Wednesday afternoon and the funeral held from her late home this morning at 10:00 c'clock, Rev. Wm. S. Jerome officiating.

#### School Notes.

[By a Pupil ]

Mable Kidd of the Fourth grade is

Harry Van Sickle of the Fifth grade

Gladys Cross of the First grade has moved away.

The Third grade pupils are learning a Dutch Lullaby.

The Fourth grade pupils are paint ing Japanese lanterns. Mrs. Floyd Shafer visited the

Kindergarten one day this week The Second grade pupils are keeping track of the weather indications of each month.

The A. and B classes of the sixth grade are having a spelling contest. The A's are ahead so far.

The Fourth grade pupils have been drawing maps of the school house and yard this week. Vere Sunnenburg and Phebe Van

Sickle of the First grade are absent on account of illness. The total deposit in the School-

Savings bank was \$22 24, making a total of \$233.98 deposited in eight weeks. How's that? The Seventh grade has purchased

three new pictures, of Whittier, Longfellow and the Horse Fair, with some of the proceeds from their play. The scholars and teachers are

sympathizing with Mr. Fry in his illness, but we are looking forward to his return. Theo. Wood is very canably filling the vacancy.

The basket ball girls ge to Pontlac tonight to play that city's team and it's hoped that they will be accompanied by a large crowd of rooters to encourage them in their playing. The boys play the Holly team in that city the same night.

The Juniors had a dee lightful time at the sleigh ride party given them by Ruth Christensen last Friday night. After a sleigh ride, there were refreshments and games which were greatly enjoyed by all. The sleigh ide home ended an evening of fun.

The second team of the boys in the High school won out in the game with the "Redford Juniors" Tuesday night, although some of the "Juniors" had grey hair. The score was 17 to 13. The High school team played a clean game at the start but were driven to rough tactics by their

The Boys' Debating society was debarred from its usual meeting last Monday night by a series of accidents. The superintendent lost his they expect to have in October. key, the Principal left his in Pontiac, Their plans are to have it on a far and the acting janitor, Mr. Wood, more extensive scale than last year.

lived on Buchner's hill. When the A splendid time ensued at the home key was finally obtained by the of Mr. Bogart Tuesday evening the kindness of Mr. Wood the boys occasion being a social meeting of "weren't." This is the first, last and the B. Y. P. U. Edward is a master only postponement of the organiza- in entertaining. Cake and cream

Mrs. Jerome gave the pupils of the The series of sermons on "Man" Several clippings were read by Mrs. special music for the occasion.

Jerome which showed how-all great men of the world are influenced by the Bible. The High school pupils appreciated this talk.

A very fine talk was given by Supt. Lane of the Ford Republic on "Our Boys" last Thursday evening. It was a good thing from beginning to end and the remarks of those present have created a great impres-Mrs. Margaret C. Johnson died sion on the absentees. Mr. Lane was, unable to bring the boy The talk was put on by the Northville and Local Teachers Association and there are promises of more in the future. A great many thanks are due Mr. Lane for coming.

Don't-forget the Lincoln Day exercises to be given in the High school rooms next week Saturday, Feb. 12, by the Sentors. At 9:30 an exhibition, of school work will be play and sing it. All were pleased bless this union, five of whom are given and at 2:30° a debate upon the tions surrounding Washington's life those surrounding Lincoln." Two The deceased has been a faithful pupils from each grade of the High school will take part and much time and thought has been given it. morning and evening. Admission fifteen cents.

> The Seniors magazine is ready for sale, and the way the books are going you had better get busy if you want one. Copies may be obtained in any of the rooms or from the Seniors. Much praise has been given those interested for the excellence of the work. No little of the success of the magazine is due to the press and other-mechanical work at the Record Printery. Mr. Perkins certainly deserves a great amount olocreditior his patience and long suffering. One of the business men was heard to remark "the magaziñe looke like a plece of work from one of the best printing houses in Detroit,"

A High school Girls Debating ociety has been formed which will meet in the High school rooms every Friday evening. Officers were elected as follows: President, Emily Snyder; vice president, Hazel Perkins: secretary, Margaret Yerkes, chairman and members of the committee for choosing the subjects for debating, Rachel Chadwick, Hazel Bovee and Elizabeth Tousey. Miss Bullis and Miss Welbourne are honorary members of the society. The subject for Monday night's debate is, "Resolved. That Monday would be a better school holiday than Saturday." Affirmative, Hazel Perkins, Ethel Lauray; negative, Edith Miller and Leota Kinvon.

The basket ball games Saturday afternoon our High school and Windsor teams resulted in a complete victory for both of our teams At no time did the Canadiane see anywhere near the mark. This was especially true in the girls' game which resulted in a score of 22 to 9 Some fine work was done by the girls who were greatly encouraged by the boys rooting. The girls' game went through with very little dispute, a thing which could not be said of the game following, however, n which nearly every how on the Canadian team felt called upon to dispute some decision of the referee, although this laid them open to the

bench for the rest of the game. " An agreement was reached with the captain whereby, in the return game, these will be called fouls. so it is hoped there will be a cleaner and more pleasant game. Return game Saturday, Feb. 26

#### Babtist Church Notes.

By the Paster.1

The bible study topic for Thursday evening is, "Israel's Restoration." The topic of the B. Y. P U. for Sunday is, "A Model Christian' Eva Musser, leader.

The Sunday morning theme is, 'A Fruitful Christian. What Helps and What Hinders His Development?"

The Baptist ladies have already begun work on their Carnival, which

tion, due to no fault of the boys. were served as refreshments.

High School a fine talk Wednesday by the pastor is calling out a large morning, her topic was "The Educa- attendance in the Sunday evening tional Value of the Bible." She services. The theme for next Sunday likened the Bible to a library on evening is psychological in its whose shelves poems, histories, pro- nature. Subject, "A Man with phicies and songs might be found. Two Minds." There will be some

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NORTHVILLE, MICH.

## ROSALIND AT RED GATE MEREDITH NICHOLSON !

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#### SYNOPSIS.

Miss Path.cia Holbrook and M.ss Helen Holbrook, her met., were entrusted to the cane of Laurance Donovan, a writer, summering near Port Annandale. Miss Patricia, confided to Donovan that she Jeared liet brother Henry who, rouned by a bank failure, had constantly threatened her for money from his father's will, of which Miss Patteleia was guardian. They came to Port Annandale to escape Henry Donovan sympathized with the two women. He learned of Miss Helen's annoying suitor Donovan discovered and captured an intruder, who proved and captured an intruder, who proved and captured an intruder, who proved and captured the following morning. A rough sailor, appeared and was operated and was operated the following morning a rough sailor, appeared and was operated a file of the med of friendly responsible to the main he supposed was Holbrook but who said he was Hartidge a cance-maker. After a shore discussed her near the main he supposed was Holbrook but who said he was Hartidge a cance-maker. After a shore discussed by Donovan prosenting a country chuich with \$1.000. Celllespe agraited he knew of Holbrook's presence. Miss Pat acknowledged to Donovan first a few hours. While riding, in a launche the Italian sailor attempted to molect the true but failed Miss Pat and the publicity of Helen was confessed by the young lady. She admitted commying with her father despite her aunt's precautions in a night meeting with Donovan Helen's deep from the house. She met Feelin and Gilespie who told her his love Gillespie was confronted by Donovan Helen's love respiral At the two young lady. She admitted commying with her father despite her aunt's precautions in a night meeting with Donovan Helen's love from the house. She met Recinald Gilespie who told her his love Gillespie was confronted by Donovan slupped a draft in o the hand of the Halian saior attempted. At the two non office Helen unseen except by Donovan slupped a draft in the hand of the Halian saior street with the house. She met the rance are suited by Donovan Helen's love Miss Patt, cia Holbrook and Miss Heler

#### CHAPTER XIII-Continued.

- She sat back in the chan and folded her arms I had not referred in any way to her transaction with Gillespie, I had never intimated even remotely that I knew of her meeting with the infatuated young fellow on St Agatha's pier; and I felt that these inciwere ancient history.

It was corking hot this afternoon. I hope you didn't have too much ten-

"No, it was pretty enough fun," she remarked, with so little enthusiasm

that I laughed
"You don't seem to recall your victory with particular pleasure It seems to me that I am the one to be shy of the subject Row did that score stand?"

"I really forget-I honestly do," she laughed

"That's certainly generous, don't you remember, as we walked along toward the gate after the game, that-you said—"

"Oh, I can't allow that at all! What I said yesterday or to day is of no im portance now. And particularly at night I am likely to be weak minded, and my memory is poorer then than at any other time

'I am fortunate in having an ex-

cellent memory."
"For example?"

"For example, you are not always the same; you were different this afternoon, and I must go back to our meeting by the seat on the bluff, for the Miss Holbrook of to night"

That's all in your imagination, Mr wanted to Donovan Now, #1f you prove that I m really—"
"Helen Holbrook," I supplied, glad

of a chance to speak her name.

"If you wanted to prove that I am who I am," she continued, with new animation, as though at last something interested her, "now should you go

There is, there could be, only one noman as fair, as interesting, as wholly charming

I suppose that is the point at which you usually bow humbly and wait for arplause, but I scorn to notice anything so commonplace If you were going to prove me to be the same person you met at the Annandale sta tion, how should you go about it?"

"Well, to be explicit, you walk like an angei."

"You are singular'v favored in having seen angels walk. Mi. Donovan There's a popular superstition that they fly In my own ignorance can't concede that your point is well taken. What next?

"Your head is like an intaglio wicught when men had keener vision and numbler fingers than now. With your hair low on your neck, as it is to-night, the picture carries back to a Venetian balcony centuries ago "

That's rather below standard. What else, please?"

And that widow's peak-I would risk the direct negatives of perjury in swearing to it alone."

She chrugged her shoulders. "You are an observant person. That trifling mark on a woman's forehead is usual ly considered a disfigurement.

But you know well enough that I d.d not mention it with such thought You know it perfectly well. 'No, foolish one," she said, mock-

"the widow's neak can not be denied. I suprose you con't know that the peak sometimes runs in families. My mother had it, and her mother be "You are not your mother or you

grandmother; so I am not in danger of mistaking you."

Well, what clsa please?" 



"When Shall I See-You Again?"

the same ring, but you are not Miss Pat Besides, I have seen you both

"Still, there are emeralds and em

'And then—there are your eyes!" "There are two of them, Mr. Dono-

ıan t "There need be no more to assure light in a needful world, Miss Hol-

brook" "Good' You really have possibili

She struck her palms together in nockery of applause and laughed at me

"To a man who is in love every-thing is possible," I dared.

"The Celtic temperament is very sus You have undoubtedly ceptiblc. likened many eyes to the glory of the beavens '

"I swear--"

"Swear not at all!"

"Then I won't"—and we laughed and were silent while the water rippled in the reeds, the insects wove their woof of sound and ten struck musically from St Agarha's -"I must leave you

"If you go you leave an empty world

behind "Oh, that was pretty!"
"Thank you!"

"Concerted! I wasn't approving your remark, but that meteor that flashed across the sky and dropped into the woods away out yonder

"Alas' I have fallen farther than the meteor and struck the earth

You deserved it. she said. and drawing the veil about her throat. "My lack of conceit has always been undoing, I am the humblest man You are adorable," I said, "if

that's the answer." 'It isn't the answer' If mere stars

do this to you, what would you be in moonlight?" As we stood facing each other I was aware of some new difference in her.

Perhaps her short outing skirt of dark blue had changed her; and yet in our tramps through the woods and our excursions in the canoe she had worn same or similar costumes. She hesitated a moment, leaning against the railing and tapping the floor with her boot, then she gravely, half ques tioningly, as though to herself.

"He has gone away; you are quite sure that he has gone away?"

"Your father is probably in New I answered, surprised at the question "I do not expect him back at once"

"If he should come back-" she be gar.

"He will undoubtedly return; there is no debating that."

'If he comes back there will be trouble, worse than anything that has happened. You can't understand what return will mean to us-to me.'

"You must not werry about that; you must trust me to take care of that when he comes. 'Sufficient unto the day' must be your watchword. I saw Gillespie to-night.'

"Gillespie?" she repeated with un-

eigned surprise "That was capitally acted!" I I saw a shadow gliding softly away aughed. "I wish I knew that he from the little promontory where St laughed.

surprise at my swift change of tone, seen the paddler's arm raised once, against him.-Swift.

"There's the emerald Miss Pat has I did not know. Then she said, very soberly: "M1. Gillespie is nothing to me what-

"I thank you for that"

"Thank me for nothing, Mr. Dono-And now good-night. You are van. not to follow me-"

"Oh, surely to the gate" "Not even to the gate Mv ways and very mysterious By day I am one person by night quite another. And if you should-follow me---'

"To my own gate!" I pleaded, "It's only decent hospitality!" I urged. "Not even to the Gate of Dreams"

"But in trying to get back to the school you have to pass the guards; you will fail at that some time!

"No! I whisper an incantation, and lo' they fall asleep upon their spears And I must ask you-

"Keep asking, for to ask you mus

"-please, when I meet you in day time do not refer to anything that we may say when we meet at night You have proved me at every point—even to this spot of ink on my forehead," and she put her forefinger upon the peak. "I am Helen Holbrook, but as -what shall I say?-oh, yes!" she went cn, lightly-"as a psychological fact, I am very different at night from anything I ever am in daylight. And to-morrow morning, when you meet me with Aunt Pat in the garden, if you should refer to this meeting I shall never appear to you again, not even through the Gate of Dreams. Good right!

Good night! I clasped her hand for an instant, and she met my eyes with a laughing

challenge. "When shall I see you again-this you that is so different from the you

of daylight?" She caught her hand away and urned to go, but paused at the steps.

"When the new moon hangs, like a little feather, away out yonder, I shall he looking at it from the stone seat on the bluff: do you think you can re member?

She vanished away into the wood toward St. Agatha's. I started to follow, but paused, remembering my promise, and sat down and yielded myself to the thought of her. Practical questions of how she managed to slin out of St. Agatha's vexed me for a moment; but in my elation of spirit l dismissed them quickly enough. would never again entertain an evil thought of her; the money she had taken from Gillespie I would in some way return to him and make an end of any claim he might assert against her by reason of that help. And I re solved to devote myself diligently to the business of protecting her from her father. I was even impatient for him to return and resume his black guardly practice of intimidating two helpless, women, that I might deal with him in the spirit of his own despicable

actions. My heart was heavy as I thought of him, but I lighted my pipe and found at once a gentler glory in the stars. Then as I stared out upon the lake meant nothing more to you than Agatha's pier lights shone brightly. It that!" I added, seriously. She colored, whether with anger or from its swift steady flight if I had not

twice, until darkness fell upon the tiny argosy like a cloak. I ran out on the pier and stared after it, but the silence of the lake was complete. Then Icrossed the strip of wood to St. Agatha's, and found Ijima and the gardener faithfully patrolling the grounds.

"Has any one left the buildings to "No one."

"Sister Margaret hasn been out-

"No one sir. Did you hear any-

"Nothing,- Ijima. Good-night." I wrote a telegram to an acquain-tance in New York who knows everybody, and asked him to ascertain whether Henry Holbrook of Stamford was in New York. This I sent to Annandale, and thereafter watched the stars from the terrace until they slipped into the dawn, fearful lest sleep might steal away my memories and dreams of the night.

#### - CHAPTER XIV.

Battle Orchard.

When I called at St. Agatha's the following morning the maid told me that Miss Fat was ill and that Miss Helen asked to be excused. I walked restlessly about the grounds luncheon, thinking Helen might appear, and later determined to act, on an impulse, with which I had trifled for several days, to seek the cottage on the Tippecanoe and satisfy myself of Holbrook's absence. A sharp shower had cooled the air, and I took the canoe for greater convenience in run ning into the shallow creek. I know nothing comparable to paddling as a lifter of the spirit, and with my arms and nead bared and a cool breeze at my back I was soon skimming along as buoyant of heart as the responsive cance beneath me. It was about four o'clock when I dipped my way into the ferther lake, and as the water broadened before me at the little strait I saw the Stiletto lying quietly at anchor off the eastern° shore of Battle Orchard. I drew close to observe her the better, but there were no signs of life on board, and I paddled to the western

side of the island. It had already occurred to me that Holbrook might have another hiding place than the cottage at Red Gate, where I had talked with him, and the island seemed a likely spot for it. E ran my canoe on the pebbly beach and climbed the bank. The trail bore upward and I soon came upon a small clearing about an acre in extent that had once been tilled, but it was now pre empted by weeds as high as my head. Beyond lay an ancient orchard, chiefly of apple trees, and many hoary veterans stood faithful to the brave hand that had marshaled them there (Every orchard is linked to the Hesperides and every apple waits for At alanta-if not for Eve!) I stooped to pick a wild flower and found an arrow head-lying beside it

Fumbling the arrow head in my fingers, I passed on to a log cabin hidden away in the orchard I approached warrly, remembering that if this were Holbrook's camp and he had gone away he had probably left the Italian to look after the yacht, which could be seen from the cabin door. I made a circuit of the cabin without seeing any signs of habitation, and was about to enter by the front door, when I heard the swish of branches in the underbrush to the east and dropped into the grass.

...In a moment the Italian appeared carrying a pair of oars over his shoul-He had evidently just landed, as the blades were dripping. He threw them down by the cabin door, came round to the western =window, drew out the pin from an iron staple with which it was fastened, and thrust his head in. He was greeted with a howl and a loud demand of some sort, to which he replied in monosyllables, and after several minutes of this parley I caught a fragment of dialogue which seemed to be final in the subject under discussion.

"Let me out or it will be the worse for you: let me out. I say!'

"My boss he sometime come back; then you get out it, maybe."

With this deliverance, accomplished with some difficulty, the Italian turned away, going to the rear of the cabin for a pail with which he trudged off toward the lake. He had not closed the window and would undoubtedly return in a few minutes; so I waited until he was out of sight, then rose and crawled through the grass to the cpeniug.

I looked in upon a bare room whose one door opened inward, and I did not for a moment account for the voice Then something stirred in the farther corner, and I slowly made out the figure of a man tied hand and foot, lying on his back in a pile of grass and leaves.

#### (TO BE CONTINUED.)

They Cannot Understand.

When a true genius appears in the world you may know him by this sign that the dunces are all in confederar

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part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become observive.

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Dated, January, 19th, 1910

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, In Chancery. KATIE L. DURHAM. Complainant, vs. HENRY LIVINGSTON, or his unknown heirs. deviseus, legatées and assume, and HARRIETT LIVINGSTON SILAS LIVING STON and HENRY LIVINGSTON, names in a certain written instrument of record in the Register of Decds office of Wayne County. Michigan, as heirs at law of said HENRY LIVINGSTON, Defendants

'At a session of said court held in the City

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne. State of Michigan, on the 25th day of January, A D

Present, HON MORSE ROHNERT, Circuit

Machigan, on the 25th day of January, A D 1910
Present, Hon Morse Rohnert, Circuit Judge
Upon reading the bill of complaint field in the above ensitted cause, the exemplification of the record in the matter of the estate of Henry Livingston decessed, in the Surrogate's Court of Morroe Cennty, State of New York, and the affidavit of John D Harger, Solicitor for Complainant, filed in this entire, from which it satisfactority appears to the Court that Henry Livingston, or his unknown heirs, devisees legatees and assigns are necessary and proper parties to the court that Henry Livingston, or his unknown heirs, devisees, elegatees and proper parties to the court that Henry Livingston, or his unknown heirs, devisees, elegatees and nasigns, can not by reason of said Henry Livingston being dead, and his unknown living devisees, elegatees and assigns heing innamed, be personally served with process in said causes, that the defendants Harriett Livingston, Silas Livingston and Henry Livingston, decoased, in a certain metrument on file in the Hegister of Deeds office of Warne County Michigan, that years ago their place of residence was stated to be in Monioe County, State of New York, but that it is not Low known and clin not be ascertained, after diligent search and inquiry, whether such persons are thring or dead, or where they may reside, if living.

On motion d-John D Harger, solictor for complainant, it is ordered that said defendants, Henry Livingston, Sias Livingston and Henry Livingston, decessed, enter his or the 30th day of June, A. D. 1910, or in default thereof, the bill of complaint filed in said cause, be taken as confessed by said Henry Livingston, named as his heirs of said Henry Livingston, named as his heirs of said Henry Livingston, caessed that this order be published within twenty days after the date of the same in the Nortwille Record, a newspaper printed in Wayne County Michigan.

Henry Livingston, deceased
It is stricted ordered that this order be
published within twenty days after the date
of the same in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed in Wayne County Michigan,
once in each week for six weeks in succession,
or that a copy of the same be served pergoally upon said Henry Livingston, or his unknown herrs, derivese legates and assigns,
and Harriett Livingston, Silns Livingston and
Henry Livingston, named as heirs, at least
wenty days before the time presembed for
the appearance of, said defendants; and it is
further ordered that every publication of
this order shall be followed by a description
of the lands concerned in this snit, as such
lands are described in the bill of complaint
filed in said cause, with the statement that
the suit involves the title to such lands, and
is brought to quiet the title thereto.

MORSE ROHNERT,
(A true copy.)

(A true copy.)
THEODORE J RICHTER, Deputy Register.

#### NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Katie L. Durham, complainant in the above entitled cause, hereby states and gives notice 19 all concerned that the above suit, in which the foregoing order of publication has been duly entered concerns lands, and that such lands are described as follows, all that certain Dece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Redford, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, described as follows commencing at the north east corner of the south west quarter of section five, there west sixty rods, thence south thirty rods to land formerly owned by Frank Mead, thence east or sand him of Mead's land to the orner; highway, thence north to the place of beginning, containing eleven acres, more or less.

The above description being the same as set forth in the bil of Complaint filed in said cause and that such suit involves the trite to such lands and a brought to quiet the trite.

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Cookery All-Important. Girls should study cookery. Mary

man has got to Heaven because his wife has been a good cook.-Excharge.

John D. Harger, Attorney, 49

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Whereas default has been made in the pay ment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 21st day of February, in the feet of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 21st day of February, in the feet of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 21st day of February, in the feet of the feet of the control of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 21st day of February, in the feet of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the money secured by a mortgage of the control of the control of the money secured by a mortgage than a control of the cont

Dated February \*-d 1910
STEDLA E HARGER
Assignee of Mortgagee
JOHN D HARGER
Attorney for Assignee

lexunder Brown, Atty., 78 Home Bank

Alexander Brown, Atty, 78 Home, Bank

Bldg. Detroit, Mich.

MORTCAGE SALE—Whereas default has been finade in the conditions of a ceitain mortgage made by Charles F. Schrank and Ernestine Schrank, his wife of Detroit, Michigan, to Josephine Campbell, of the same place bearing date the twenty-fifth day of November 1993 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wavne County Michigan on the twenty-fifth day of November 1995 in Liber 529 of Mortgages on page 315 And whereas by reason of said default the whole principal sum secured by said mortgage. together with all arrearages of interest and premiums-paid for insurance, shall at the option of said mortgage become immediately due and payable and the said mortgage exercising said option claims to be due and there is now due on said mortgage at the date of this motice, including the Principal interest, money paid for taxes and money paid as premium for insurance is provided in said mortgage the sum of two hundred and fourteen and 37-100 dollars and the attorney fee provided by law and by said mortgage the sum of two hundred and fourteen and 97-100 dollars and the attorney fee provided by law and by said mortgage at the delt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof Nov. Interestic factories—hereby given instituted to recover the delt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof Nov. Interestic factories—hereby given instituted to recover the delt secured by law and by said mortgage and the statute 'n such case made and provided, on TUESDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF MAY A. D. 1910 at twelve o'clock neon, standard time the understanted in said mortgage as situated in the City of Detroit County for the Count of Wayne o'clock neon, standard time the understand mortgage of sufficient thereof to satisfy said indebteduess and the factories by law the premises described in said mortgage as situated in the Cit. of Detroit County for the Count of Wayne or held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the planewhere the Single of Henderson and Griffith's subdivisio

Mortgagee
ALEXANDER BROWN
Attorney for Mortgagee Business address 78 Home Bank Bldg Detroit, Mich.

Interesting Information. Willie was very proud of his first pants That night when he said his prayers, he said 'Dear God, I am thankful to say I have on pants now"

-Philadelphia Ledger.

- Extreme impediment Law examination in the ladies' semmary. Exammer—"Miss Jones, state the chief impediment to marriage" Candidate-"When no one presents himself "-Fhegende Blaetter.

Might Have Boan Worse. There is complaint that a Pittsburg man sold lots 40 feet under water, but not a single purchaser alleges that he was charged extra for the water.

New Yorkers Fond of Sweets. New York city has an extremely sweet tooth, for its people consumed 280,000,000 pounds of sugar during the last year.

Precious Stones in the Orlent. Sapphires used to be mined in

Kashmir, but the mines are now said to be exhausted. The yellow, white, bluc and green varieties of sapphires are found in the ruby bearing gravels in Burma. The spinel is found in considerable quantities in Burma.

As Close as Possible.

"George wanted to get closer to nature," observed Harrigan, "and his new automobile enabled him to do so." "Ah!" tejoined Edlis, "you saw him spinning through the country,- did you?" "No, but I saw him under the machine, fiat on his back."

its intent.

As the bianket bailot, a yard wide and all wood (to be pulled over the voters' eyes), was unrolled before him, the astute citizen remarked: blanket is a regular charity one, for it covers a multitude of sins."

# VHISPERIN

## by Frank H. Spearman BY ANDRE BOWLES

Mürray Sinelaisand his gang of weeker were called out to clear the railroad fracks at Smy Creeker. Manded a young road superinted the august Sinclair and his men in the act of louing the wrecked train. Sinclair pleaded in accence, declaring it only amourted, to a semall sum—a treat for the men. McCloud discharged the whole outlt and ordered the wrecks burned. McCloud became acquainted with Dickale Dunning, a girl of the west, who came to look at the wreck. Whispering Gordon Smitht told President Bucks of the railroad of McCloud's braye-fight against a gang of crezed miners and that was the reason for the augustinedent's appointment to his offices. McCloud arranged-board at the boarding house of Mrs. Sinclair, the exforement's deserted wife. Dicksie Duining, was the daughter of the late Richard Unning, who had died of a brown which corred after one year of martined life. Smoky Greek bridge was mysteriously unned. President Bucks mysteriously unned. President Bucks mysteriously unned. President Bucks mysteriously unned. President was held it and the appress of the late Richard and the late of the late

#### CHAPTER XXXVIII.-Continued.

No man in Medicine Bend knew Sinclair more thoroughly or feared him less than Barnhardt No man could better meet him or speak to him with tess of hesitation. Sinclair, as he faced Barnhardt, was not easy in spite of his dogged self-control; and he was standing, much to his annoyance, in the glare of an arc-light that swung scross the street in front of the shep. He was well aware that no such light had ever awung within a block of the shop before and in it he saw the hand of Whispering Smith. The light was unexpected, Barnhardt was & surprise, and even the falling snow, which protected him from being seen 20 feet away, angered him. He asked curtly who was ill, and without awaiting an answer asked for his wife.

The surgeon eyed him coldly. "Sinclair, what are you doing in Medicine Have you come to surrender

Surrender myself? Yes, I'm ready any time to surrender myself. me along yourself, Barnhardt, if you think I've done worse than any man would that has been hounded as I've been hounded. I want to see my wife."
"Sinclair, you can't see your wife."

"What's the matter—is she sick?"

'No. but you can't see her. "Who says I can't see her?"

Tesv so.

Sinclair swept the ice furiously from his beard and his right hand fell to his hip as he stepped back. "You've turned against me too, have you, you gray-haired wolf? Can't see her! Ger out of that door."

The surgeon pointed his finger at the murderer. "No, I won't get out of this door. Shoot, you coward! Shoot an unarmed man. You will not live to get 100 feet away. This place is watched for you; you could not have got within 100 yards of it to-night exhang in the courthouse square, and I will take the last beat of your pulse with these fingers, and when I promounce you dead they will cut you down. You want to see your wife. You want to kill her. Don't lie; you want to kill her. You were heard to say as much to-night at the Dunning ranch. You were watched and tracked, and you are expected and looked for Your best friends have gone back on you. Ay, curse again and over again, but that will not put Ed Banks

on his feet." Sinclair stamped with frenzied cried, clenching his hands. "I say you're too hard. You've heard one

chance to get away; take it. Bad as you are, there are men in Medicine Bend who knew you when you were a man. Don't give here for some of them to sit on the jury that hangs you. If you can get away, get away. If I were your friend—and God knows whom you can call friend in Medicine Bend-to-night-I couldn't say more. Get away before it is too late."

He was never again seen alive in Medicine Bend. They tracked him next day over every foot of ground he had covered. They found where he had left his spent horse and where afterward he had got the fresh one. They learned how he had eluded all the picketing planned for precisely such a contingency, got into the Wickiup, got upstairs and burst open the very door of McCloud's room. But Dicksie had on her side that night One greater than her invincible will or her faithful horse. McCloud was 200 miles away. Barnhardt lost no time in telephon-

ing the Wicklup that Sinclair was in town, but within an hour, while the two women were still under the sur geon's protection, a knock at the cottage door gave them a second fright Barnhardt answered the summons. He opened the door and, as the man out side paused to shake the snow off his hat, the surgeon caught him by the shoulder and dragged into the house Whispering Smith. Vhispering Smith.

Picking the leicles from his hair,

Smith listened to all that Barnhardt said, his eyes foring meantime over everything within the froom and men fally over many things outside it. He congratulated Barnhardt, and when Marion came into the room he apolo Dicksie heard his voice and cried out from the bedroom. They could not keep her away, and she ran out to catch his hands and plead with him not to go away. He tried to assure her that the danger was over; that guards were now outside everywhere, and would be until morning. But Dick sie clung to him and would take no refusal.-

Whispering Smith looked at her in amazement and in admiration. are captain to-night, Miss Dicksie, by heaven. If you say the word I'll lie here on a rug till morning. But that man will not be back to-night. You are a queen. If I had a mountain girl that would do as much as that for me I would—"

"What would you do?" asked Marion "Say good-by to this accursed country forever."

#### CHAPTER XXXIX.

Cloking in.

In the morning the sun rose with a mountain smile. The storm had swept the air till the ranges shone blue and the-blain sparkled under a cloudless sky. Bob Scott and Wickwire, riding at daybreak, picked up a trail on the Fence river road. A consultation was held at the bridge, and within half an hour Whisnering Smith with unshaken patience, was in the saddle and following it.

With him were Kennedy and Bol Scott. Sinclair had ridden into the lines, and Whispering Smith, with his best two men, meant to put it up to him to ride out. They meant now to get him, with a trail or without and were putting horsefiesh against horseflesh and craft against craft.

At the forks of the Fence they picked up Wickwire, Kennedy taking him on the up road, while Scott with Whispering Smith crossed to the Crawling Stone. When Smith and Scott reached the Frenchman they parted to cover in turn each of the trails by which it is possible to get out of the river country

toward the Park and Williams Cache

four o'clock in the afternoon they had all covered the ground so well that the four were able to make their rendezvous on the big Fence divide, south of Crawling Stone val-They then found, to their disappointment, that, widely separated as they had been, both parties were following trails they believed to be good They shot a steer, tagged it, ate dinner and supper in one, and separated cept for this snow." Barnhardt pointed under Whispering Smith's counsel through the storm. "Sinclair, you will that both the trails be followed into the next morning—in the belief that one of them would run out or that the two would run together. At noon the next day Scott rode through the hills from the Fence, and Kennedy with Wickwire came through Two Feather pass from the Frenchman with the report that the game had left their valleys.

Without rest they pushed on. At the foot of the Mission mountains they picked up the tracks of a party of three horsemen. Twice within ten miles afterward the men they were following crossed the river. Each "You're too hard on me," he time their trail, with some little dim-lenching his hands. "I say culty, was found again. At a little ranch in the Mission foothills, Ken side of it. Is that the way you put nedy and Scott, leaving Wickwire with judgment on a man that's got no Whispering Smith, took fresh horses friends left because they start a new and pushed ahead as far as they could lie on him every day? Who is it that's ride before dark, but they brought Let them stand out back news. The trail had split again, life. Now I am going, and thank you like men in the open. If they want with one man riding alone to the left, me, let them come like men and take while two had taken the hills to the right, heading for Mission pass and Sinclair, this storm gives you a the Cache. With Gene Johnson and



- "Who Says I Can't See Her?"

Bob at the mouth of the Cache there | lunch I could take to him? He hasn' was little fear for that outlet. The turn to the left was the unexpected. Over the little fire in the ranch kitchen where they ate supper, the four men were in conference 20 minutes. It was decided that Scott and Kennedy should head for the Mission pass while Whispering Smith, with Wick-wire to trail with him, should undertake to cut off, somewhere between Fence river and the railroad, the man who had gone south, the man believed to be Sinclair. It was a late moon, and when Scott and Kennedy saddled their horses Whispering Smith and

Wickwire were asleep.
With the cowboy, Whispering Smith started at daybreak. No one saw them again for two days. During those two days and nights they were in the saddle\_almost continuously. For every mile the man ahead of them rode they were forced to ride two miles and often three. Late in the second night they crossed the railroad. and the first word from them came in long dispatches sent by Whispering Smith to Medicine Bend and instructions to Kennedy and Scott in the north, which were carried by hard riders straight to Deen creek

the morning of the third day Dicksie Dunning, who had gone home from Medicine Bend and who had been telephoning Marion and George Mc-Cloud two days for news, was trying to get Medicine Bend again on the telephone when Puss came in to say that a man at the kitchen door wanted

'Who is it. Puss?"

"I d'no, Miss Dicksie; 'deed, I never seen him b'fore."

Dicksie walked around on the porch to the kitchen. A dust-covered man sitting on a limp horse threw back the dropped to the ground. He laughed at Dicksie's startled expression. "Don't "Don't you know me?" he asked, putting out his hand. It was Whispering Smith.

He was a fearful sight. Stained from head to foot with alkali, saddlecramped and bent, his face scratched and stained, he stood with a smiling appeal in his bloodshot eyes.

Dicksie gave a little uncertain cry. clasped her hands, and, with a scream, threw her arms impulsively around his neck. "Oh, I did not know you! What has happened? I am so glad to see Tell me what has happened. you!

Are you hurt?" He stammered like a Nothing has happened. I didn't realize what a tramp I look or I shouldn't have come. But I was only a mile away and I had heard nothing for four days from Medicine Bend. And how Did your ride make you ill? No? By heaven, you are a game girl That was a ride! How are they all? Where's your cousin? In town is he! I thought I might get some news if I rodc\_up, and, oh, Miss Dicksie-jim iny! some coffee. But I've got only two minutes for it all, only two min utes; do you think Puss has any on

Dicksie with coaxing and pulling got him into the kitchen, and Puss tum bled over herself to set out coffee and rolls. He showed himself ravenously hungry, and ate with a simple directness that speedily accounted for every-thing in sight. "You have saved my a thousand times. There, by heaven, I've forgotten Wickwire! me-waiting down-in the cottonwoods at the fork. Could Puss put up a

the stove?"

had a scrap for 24 hours. But Dicksie, your tramp is a hummer! I've tried to ride him down and wear him out and lose him, and, by heaven, he turns up every time and has been of more use to me than two men."

She puf her hand on Whispering mith's arm. "I told him if he would stop drinking he could be foreman here next season." Puss was putting up the lunch. "Why need you hurry away?" persisted Dicksie. "Tve got a thousand things to say."

He looked at her amuably. "This is really a case of must."

"Then, tell me, what favor may do for you?" She looked appealingly into his tired eyes. "I want to do something for you. I must! don't deny Only, what shall it be?

"Something for me? What can I say? You'll be kind to Marion—I shouldn't have to ask that. What can I ask? Stop! there is one thing. I've got a poor little devil of an orphan up in the Deep Creek country. Du Sang murdered his father. You are rich and generous, Dicksie; do something for him, will you? Kennedy or Bob Scott will know all about him. Bring him down here, will you, and see he doesn's go to the dogs? You're a good girl. What's this, crying? Now you are frightened. Things are not so bad as that. You want to know every thing-I see it in your eyes. Very well, let's trade. You tell me every-thing and I'll tell you everything. Now Are you engaged?

They were standing under the low orch with the sunshine breaking through the trees. She turned away her face and threw all of her happi-ness into a laugh." "I won't tell."

"Oh, that's enough. You have told!" declared Whispering Smith. "I knew himself stiffly out of the saddle, and to make you own up. Well, here's the way things are. Sinclair has run us all over God's creation for two days to give his pals a chance to break into Williams Cache to get the Tower W money they left with Rebstock. For a fact, we have midden completely around Sleepy Cat and been down in the Spanish Sinks singe I saw you. He doesn't want to leave without the money and doesn't know it is in Kennedy's hands, and can't get into the Cache to find out. Now the three whoever the other two are-and Sinclair-are trying to join forces some where up this valley, and Kennedy, Scott, Wickwire and I are after them; and every outlet is watched, and it must ail be over, my dear, before sunset to-night. Isn't that fine? I mean to have the thing wound up somehow. Don't look worried.'

"Do not—do not let him kill you," she cried, with-a sob. "He will not kill me; don't be afraid."

"I am afraid. Remember what your life is to all of us!"

"Then, of course, I've got to think of what it is to myself-being the only one I've got. Sometimes I don't think much of it: but when I get a welcome like this it sets me up. If I can once get out of the accursed man-slaughtering business, Dicksie-- How old are you? Nineteen? Well, you've got the finest chap in all these mountains, and

With a bubbling laugh she shook her finger at him. "Now you are caught. Say the finest woman in these mountains if you dare! Say the finest woman!'

George McCloud has the finest-'

"The finest woman of 19 in all creation!" He swung with a laugh into



the saddle and waved his hat. She than anything but sheer recklessness watched him ride down the road and around the hill. When he reappeared the waste. His rifle lay in his hand, she was still looking and he was galand he had pushed his horse to a run. loping along the lower road. A man A single fearful instinct crowded now rode out at the fork to meet him and upon the long strain of the work. trotted with him over the bridge. Rid-| savage fascination burned like a fever ing leisurely across the creek, their broad hats bobbing unevenly in the should not get away. Taking chances sunshine, they spurred swiftly past that would have shamed him in cooler the grove of quaking asps, and in a moment were lost beyond the trees.

#### CHAPTER XL.

Crawling Stone Wash.

When Whispering Smith and his companions were fairly started on the last day of their ride, it was toward a rift in the Mission range that the trail led them. Sinclair, with consummate cleverness, had rejoined his companions; but the attempt to get into the Cache, and his reckless ride into Meditine Bend, had reduced their chances of escape to a single outlet, and that they must find up Crawling Stone valley. The necessity of it was spelled in every move the pursued men had made for 24 hours. They were riding the pick of mountain horseflesh and covering their tracks by every device known to the high country. Behind them, made prudent by unusual dandivision could muster for the final effort to bring them to account. The fast riding of the early week had given way to the pace of caution. No trail sign was overlooked, no point of concealment directly approached, no hiding-place left unsearched.

The tension of a long day of this work was drawing to a close when the sun set and left the big wash in the shadow of the mountains. On the higher ground to the right. Kennedy and Scott were riding where they could command the gullies of the precipitous left bank of the river. High on the left bank itself, worming his way like-a snake from point to point of concealment through the scanty brush of the mountain side, crawled Wickwire, commanding the pockets in the right bank. Closer to the river on the right and following the trail itself over shale and rock and between scattered bowlders. Whispering Smith, low on his horse's neck, rode slowly.

It was almost too dark to catch the slight discolorations where pebbles had been disturbed on a flat surface or the calk of a horseshoe had slipped on the uneven face of a ledge, and he had halted under an uplift to wast for Wickwire on the distant left to advance, when, half a mile below him, a horseman crossing the river rode slowly past a gap in the rocks and dis-appeared below the next bend. He was followed in a moment by a-second rider and a third Whispering Smith knew he had not been seen. He had flushed the game, and, wheeling his horse rode straight up the riverbank to high ground, where he could circle around widely below them. They had slipped between his line and Wickwire's, and were doubling back, following the dry bed of the stream. It was impossible to recall Kennedy and Scott without giving an alarm, but by a quick detour he could at least hold the quarry back for 20 minutes with his rifle, and in that time Kennedy and Scott could come un-

Less than half an hour of daylight remained. If the outlaws could slip down the wash and out into the Crawling Stone valley they had every chance of getting away in the night; and if the third man should be Barney Rebstock, Whispering Smith knew that Sinclair thought only of escape. Smith alone, of their pursuers, could now intercept them, but a second hope remained: On the left, Wickwire was high enough to command every furn in the bed of the river. He might see them and could force them to cover with his rifle even at long range Casting up the chances, Whispering Smith. riding faster over the uneven ground

would have prompted, hastened across in his veins, and he meant that they moments, he forced his horse at the end of the long ride to within 100 paces of the river, threw his lines. slipped like a lizard from the saddle, and, darting with incredible swiftness from rock to rock, gained the water's edge.

From up the long shadews of the

wash there came the wall of an owl. From it he knew that Wickwire had seën them and was warning him, but he had anticipated the warning and stood below where the hunted men must ride. He strained his eyes over the waste of rock above. For one halfhour of daylight he would have sold; in that moment, ten years of his life. What could he do if they should be able to secrete themselves until dark between him and Wickwire? Gliding under cover of huge rocks up the dry watercourse, he reached a snot where the floods had scooped a long, hollow curve\_out=of a soft ledge in the bank. leaving a stretch of smooth sand on the bed of the stream. At the unner point great howlders pushed out the river. He could not inspect the curve from the spot he had gained without reckless exposure but be must force the little daylight left to him. Climbing completely over the lower point, he advanced cautiously, and from behind a sheltering spur stepped out upon an overhanging table of rock and Tooked across the riverbottom. Three men had halted on the sand within the curve. Two lay on their rifles under the upper point, 120 paces from Whispering Smith. The third man, Seagrue, less than 50 yards away, had got off his horse and was owl screeched again and he looked uneasily back. They had chosen for their halt a spot easily defended, and needed only darkness to make them safe, when Smith, stepping out into plain sight, threw forward his hand.

They heard his sharp call to pitch up, and the men under the point jumped. Seagrue had not yet taken his hand from his rifle. He threw it to his shoulder. As closely together as two fingers of the right hand can be struck twice in the palm of the left, two rifleshots cracked across the wash. Two bullets passed so close in flight they might have struck. One cut the dusty hair, from Smith's temple and such the brim of his hat above his ear; the other struck Seagrue under the left eye, plowed through the roof of his mouth, and, coming out below his ear, splintered the rock at his back.

The shock alone would have staggered a bullock, but Seagrue, laughing, came forward pumping his gun. Sinclair, at 120 yards, cut instantly into the fight, and the ball from his rifle creased the alkali that crusted Whispering Smith's unshaven cheek. As he fired he sprang to cover

For Seagrue and Smith there was no cover; for one or both it was death in the open and Seagrue, with his rifle at his cheek, walked straight into it. Taking for a moment the fire of the three guns, Whispering Smith stood, a perfect target, outlined against the They whipped the dust from his coat, tore the sleeve from his wrist and ripped the blouse collar from his něck: but he felt no bullet saw before him only the buckle of Seagrue's belt 40 paces away, and sent bullet after bullet at the gleam of brass between the sights. Both men were using high-pressure guns, and the deadly shocks of the slugs made Seagrue twitch and stagger: The man was dving as he walked. Smith's hand was racing with the lever, and had a cartridge jammed, the steel would have snapped like a match. (TO BE CONCLUDED)



#### Valuable as Honey Finder

Bee Cuckoo of Africa of Great Service | It. Should they be tardy it fetures to the Natives and Protected by Them.

One of the most sagacious of birds is certainly the bee cuckoo, or moroc,

a little bird very like the English sparrow. It is found in various parts of Africa where wild bees abound, and, being

unable to help itself to the honey, which is its favorite food, it resorts to human aid. Having discovered a swarm of bees,

it flies to the nearest habitation, and attracts by its cries of "Cherr, cherr, cherr," the attention of some of the natives. It then fijes off in the direction of the nest, uttering its cry and her heart when she has waiting for its followers to overtake her imagination.—Life.

to meet them, and seems as if trying to urge them on to greater speed, the natives answering it with a low whis-

Arrived at its destination, it is silent, waiting patiently on the bough of a neighboring tree while its human friends dig out the nest, a good share of the Loney on the comb taining the bee maggots, bring left by them for their feathered guide.

The natives never injure this bird. and always prevent travelers from shooting it.

Wrong Diagnosis

Many a girl thinks she has broken her heart when she has only sprained

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#### Are You Helping?

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We presume that every citizen of our town is, or ought to be, desirous to see it grow, to see it improve to see it advance in all the interests that pertain to a town of thrift and enterprise. Again we presume that Myou, who live in your town, make Mrs. Nelsie Pattinson of Detroit no effort in this direction, who, if spent Sunday with Mrs. W. L there are any benefits according there Tinham. from would be the recipients thereof, we do not believe our neighbors, who have no particular interest in our welfare, would be so very mindful of to Detroit in a short time where te ne as to give us a boost by investing has a position. a few thousand dollars for our especial good, or starting any enterprise that would be for the upbuildof our town. Whenever a town is built up and placed in a growing tives on Walnut street. condition it will be directly or indirectly due to those who live in it guest of his mother, Mrs E. Y. and if you wish to know the steps to be taken we will cite a few. Talk it. up, its interests, its facilities and various adaptibilities to different branches of industry. Write about it, beautify its streets, invest your money in it, patronize its merchants and every enterprise started as far as it is at all consistent, elect good-men to office, advertise in its newspapers, be courteons to those who come among you and never let an opportunity to speak a good word about it pass. Remember that every dollar you invest is a permanent improvment is that much money at interest, and is that much toward building up guests of Mrs. Sumner Power your town. Are you helping?

#### Kelley was on the Job

Lieutenant Governor Kelley may be like a big "Newfourdland Dog' but in the last two sessions of the State Senate he was to be found day in and day out leading the fight for the people against the most powerful lobby the state has ever known. Trusts, corporations and moneyed interests were arrayed against him but he fought to the last ditch and but for his fight there would be today no state wide primary bill making it possible for all the candidates for the governorship to tell the people from the platform what a grand good thing the primary law is. Without the aid of Pat Kellev there would be no two cent rates of fare on Michigan railroads today, there would be no state binder twine plant which now saves thousands of dollars each year to Michigan's farmers: there would be no railroad commission which today compels the railroads to give the same rate to the poor man as to the rich corporation. The primary law, whereby the people, instead of the legislature will elect the next C S. Senator is another act passed by the last legislature advocated by Kelley. Dozens of other good measures along other good lines were also championed by him and if any other of the candidates favored any very timid about letting it be known at that time.

One of the traits of a wide awake progressive town is civic pride. It is a good trait, for while sometimes it NO MORE COINS leads one into making slightly exaggerated statements, yet in the main it is a good, healthy feeling for the individual, and at all times conducive to the prosperity and growth of his city. It makes one vigorous in defense, and persistent in undertakings: it is an incentive to industry; it makes the individual contented and therefore happy. Believe in your town talk and your belief. It =you have any old fogies remember they are in the minority, trouble and trouble and then more and that it takes all kinds of people to make a world anyway. Encourage live people to move in by making it worth their while. Welcome outside capital in developing any natural resources the town has. Don't begrudge the dollars the enterprising man makes, but hustle around and collar a few yourself-Above all "pull together," and the town will ride the high wave of store. prosperity over the most discouraging breakers, and every inhabitant will get his or her share of the profit from the voyage.

#### NORTHVILLE.

Parely Personal.

[Contributions to this column are samestly olicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting diswhere, drop a line to that effect in the second from Box in the nostones.]

Ray Haddock was home from the M. A. C. ever Sunday.

Châs. Shipley, Sr., is visiting his eon, Isaac, near Salem.

Miss Ella Bower of Wyandotte visited Miss Genevieve Clark over Sunday.

- Mr. and Mrs. C. M Joslin attended

the automobile show in Detroit one day last week. Leslie Curtiss and family will move

Mrs. Sands of Millord is spending week or two with her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Meseraull.

Frank McGee of Grand Rapids is making en extended visit with rela-

Will Holcomb of Oxford was the Holcomb, over Sunday.

Miss Ceilna Villerat of Detroit spent part of last week with her cousin, Pêrmella Kohler.

W. W. Wilson of South Lyon and L M. Bogart of Wixom visited at N. E. Bogart's Tuesday.

Misses Nelle and Hazel Armington of Detroit were guests of Mr and Mrs. Clayton Pepper Sunday.

Miss Vera Withee of Detroit formerly of this place, spent Sunday

with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCardle. Miss Jessie VanValkenburg of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory VanValkenburg, over

Sunday. Miss Lina Ward of Saginaw and Miss Donna Lee- of Detroit were bunday.

Mrs. J. B. Morrison, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Emaline Lapham, has returned to her home in DeWitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Liddell of Millord spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs L. W.

Simmons. Mrs. Geo. Walters of Detroit spent the fore part of the week with her mother, Mrs Mary Johnson, who is so very ill.

Frank Wagguner of North Tona wanda. N - Y . visitêd Mr and Mrs Emery Van Valkenburg from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Marguerite Sessions of Ann Arbor was the guest of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ses slong, over Sunday.

Mrs. Katharine Fuller returned to Wixom Saturday afternoon, after a lew days' visit at the home of her

daughter, Mrs. A. C. Harmon. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Merritt will move to their new home in Pontiac ext week where Mr Merritt will engage at once in the jewelery business. Northville people regret their-midst. Mr. Merritt has been in Detroit on Monday evening business here for over sixteen years and has won hosts of friends both in the business and social circle of the village Mrs. Merritt will also be greatly missed in both social and musical circles. She is a delightful entertainer in her home and as a skilled violinist she has repeatedly captivated the scores upon scores who have listened to her beautiful rendition of the great master pieces Her exceptional talent has always at the public's call for church o of those laws they were certainly charitable purposes. While all will come and hear what Christian regret their leaving there will be Endeavor has done. All cordially some consolation in the fact that invited. A silver offering will be

U. S. POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT = ISSUES AN EDICT.

Carriers to Pick Up in Envelopes or Package Only.

R. F. D. carriers who have had of it. in picking stamp pennies from the bottom of mail boxes will no

longer be pestered with that labor. The post-office department at Washington has issued orders that and it should be a definite aim with patrons must put coins in an envelope or wrap them in a piece of paper, otherwise the carriers are instructed to pass them by.

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STARK-BROTHERS, Northville.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

TBy the Paster.1 Leo DesAutels is the new secretary

of the Sunday school The Ladies' Ald society met with Mrs James Sessions on Wednesday

afternoon. Rev. C. E Blanchard of Pontlac will preach for us next Sunday morning \_

The work of our enlarged choir and male quartet are very much appreciated. The C. E society held their

monthly business meeting and social with Miss Bessie Seeley on Wednesday evening. Our Junior C E, society, under the

lead of Miss Cole, resumed their meetings Sunday afternoon with a good attendance Mrs. Jerome is to speak in the

Presbyterian church at Milford next Sunday evening on the occasion of Missionary the Ladles' Praise service The next meeting and quarterly

tea of the Ladies' Missionary society will be held at Mrs. B. A. Wheeler's on Wednesday of next week Gentle men invited to tea at 5:36 o'clock

A very delightful affair was Mrs Kenry's reception to the ladies of the church and congregation at Mrs. T Ball's on Monday afternoon There was a very large attendance Dainty refreshments were served and all present enjoyed a very pleasant social occasion.

The committee on a new church consists of C. C. Yerkes, C L Dubuar, C. C. Chadwick. Don P Yerkes, F J. Cochran, Mrs E B. Thompson, Mrs. Wm. Yerkes, Mrs. Will Stark, Mrs. T. B. Henry, Mrs E. H. Lapham and Mrs. W. G. Yerkes They held a meeting with exceedingly to lose this family from the pastor and an architect from

The Sunday evening service at 7 o'clock will be a Christian Endeavor Rally in celebration of Christian Endeavor Day. The program will include addresses by three students from Ann Arbor, Mr. Birch and Mr. Tients of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mr Cheek of Lexington, Ky. Mr. Tienis will also sing and there will be solos by Miss Stretch of Ann Arbor, one of the finest contraltos in the state, Miss Lida Richardson and a young FOR RENT- 160 acre farm, one mile they both are not moving so great a taken to help cover the expenses.

#### Piano Lessons.

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DIED LAST NIGHT.

Aged Lady Had Been Ill for Some Time.

After a long illness, Mrs. Mary Johnson, widow of Hoel Johnson who died about fourteen years ago. died at ber home in this village last evening at 4:30 o'clock. She past seventy-one years of age.

The step children are Harley Johnon of this place, and Mrs. Geo. Walters of Detroit is an adopted daughter.

Mrs. Johnson was a woman who was much thought of in Northville and her death will be mourned by an simost connties number of triends.

#### A Startling Statement

New York Medical Authorities Claim Dyspepsia to be a Pre-Disposing Cause of Consumption.

The postmortem statisfies of the big New Lork hospitals show that iome cases of consumption are due. at least indiffectly, to unchecked dyspensia, especially when the victim was predisposed to tuberculosis.

Dyspepsia wears out the body and brain. The weakened, frritable stomach being unable to digest food, the body does not receive the required nourishment, and the victimbecomes thin, weak and haggard. As, a result, the body licromes a fertile field in which the germs of disease may lodge and flourish.

Therefore, the person who permits dyspensia to progress unhindered is guilty of contributing toward the development of one of the most insidious and fatal diseases known to mankind.

#### Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

FOUND—Gentlemen's pair of kid gloves. Owners may have same by calling at this office, proving property and paying 25 cents for this pottles.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—the A. L. Tatt farm (51 acres) / mile southeast of village. Inquire of N. L. Clark, Northville. 14tf

LOST- Last week one pearland one cameo ear ring. Reward. Return to Record office for Mrs. M. Jones

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

FOR SALE— Fine eating and cooking apples at 75c a bu. Inquire C. M. Thornton. 'Phone. 26tf

FOR SALE— CHEAP. Geese feathers; also kitchen table and some common dining chairs Apply to Geo. Baker, D. U. R. depot or Home 'phone 105 R. 20th

OR SALE- Good potatoes. Good measure. Delivered in small quantity as 2 bushels every Monday morning 40 cents. Also apples 50c and \$1 00. cash. Independent phone. Fred Foreman, Northville 24w2ptf

FOR SALE— Two lap robes, one silke plush. Chase make Bar-gam. Frank B Shafer, 'phone Independent 163 X Northville.

FOR RENT—Barber shop building or for other purposes. Good opening for first class man. James Devereaux, Novi. Bell 'phone 110-3L.

erms or P. J. Taylor, Novi. FOR RENT-S room house in good

OR RENT— 5 room house Inde condition on Yerkes avenue. Inde 28tf pendent 'phone 130 R. FOR SALE— 300 cords good stove wood. Price reasonable and wood

delivered. A. N. Wixom, Novi. Rell phone 110 L5. WANTED—Hides, pelts and furs for which I will pay highest market price. N. L. Clark. 20wlptf

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List of Northville property for sale: Two houses on Main street; several on Juniap street: also in Bealtown and several a Northside. Prices \$550 to \$3.500. Also Dunlap street: also in Bealtown and several n Northside. Prices \$550 to \$3,500. Also erms and rendences in Farmington. Wayne and Ockland. (Also western land.) Farm to exchange for good house and ot in Northville.

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Northville.

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DR. T. H. TURNER, HOMEOPATHIC Physician and Surgeon. Office next door west of Park House on Main street. Office hours 1 00 to 3 00 and 6:00 to 8:00 hours 1.00 to 3.00 Both Telephones.

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. F. Johnson's residence. 29mos.3p

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Deted January 26, 1910

resent their cianand allowance.

Dated January 26, 1910.

DARWIN B NORTHROP,

ANNON SIMMONS.

Commissioners.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

COMMISSIONER'S, NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM GRUEBNER.
deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the Gounty of Wayne. State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the Northville State Savings Bank. Northville, Michigan, m said County, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock a m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 11th day of January A. D. 1910 were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

EUMNER G POWER.

LOUIE A. BABBITT,
Commissioners. C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville,

Dated January 11, 1910.



#### All Tired Out.

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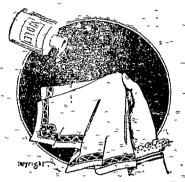
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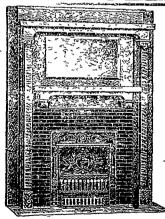
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# Detroit, Tuesday eventag-

Mr and Mrs. Will Stark enter tained the Merry-Go-Round club at

their home on Wednesday evening There will be a Fermers' Institute

have a Martha Washington supper in Ambler's hall Feb 21st.

of a fine Durham belter which was brought to bim by his brother inlaw. Will Holcomb, of Oxforder

dance to be given at the Toledo Yacht club Monday evening, Feb. 7

most\_royally by the Misses Lean perambulator.

The Clover Whist club held their annual banquet in Chadwick's hall on Monday evening to which their husbands were invited. The evening was pleasantly spent: in cards and

Andrew Harmon, who has been uffering from concussion of the brain for the past two weeks as the result of a beavy door blowing violently against him, is slightly

The Winter Night club will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock The subject for debate will be "A United States Protectorate Over the South American Republic." All members are urged to make a special effort to be present.

Regular convention Mystic Lodge No 100. K. of P. Tuesday evening, Feb 8. instead of Feb. 15 as was announced at last-meeting. Work in=third rank. All members are requested to be present Refresh-

Sessie Power entertained the "400" club Tuesday evening at asix o'cfock time located at Plymouth, also at dinner at the home of the former The guests were called for and taken to the place of entertainment where

A man who has kept count of the number of kisses exchanged with his wife since their union consents to its publication as follows: First year, 35,500; second year, 16,000; third year, 3,650; (curth year, 120; fifth year, 2. He then left off keeping the record.

ground hog did appear mid a bright and blazing suncand back into his hole he run and for six weeks or more he'll sleep before he takes another peep. So we can look for snow and ice and weather anything

news of the death of his sister, Mrs. I. H. Horton, which occurred at Glennellen, Ill., the latter part of last week. She was the mother of the late Ed. Horton of this place and was well known here She was

Everybody who thought of it was on the lookout or rather look-up Monday evening in the hope of getting a view of "comet A 1910," that being the first clear night since the "celestial" visitor first became visible here on Jan. 22, but all the "rubbering" was of no avail, as the erratic sky traveller had departed into infinite space three days previously, so far as this locality is

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulots, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

FOR FLETCHER'S ASTORIA

#### NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Martin and Gilbert Stiff are on the sick list.

Harley Johnson has been quite ill

with grip the past week. Mrs. W. B. Predmore has been quite ill during: the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones have rented the Mrs. Larkin's house on Wing street.

The Rowena 500 club, met with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Walters Tuesday evening.

Coasting on Walnut and High streets is enjoyed by the young people these days. Lawrence Van Valkenburg was

neither absent nor tardy at achool during the last semester Miss Nellie Thompson attended a

ball, given in the Masonic Temple in

held in Plymouth on Tuesday, Feb 8- The speakers are W. F Raven and H R Pattengill. .

Summer Power is the proud owner

Mr. and Mrs Paul H. Bartlett will

The "Eclipse" was entertained

VanSickle and Una Gunsolly at the evening

dancing

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. C B: Bristol and Mr. and Mrs M. R. Seeley entertained the "Main 500" club at a six o'clock dinner at the home of the former. Everyone had a grand good time.

ments will be served.

Mesdames Angle Hueston they spent a most enjoyable evening

Every paper far and near say the but nice.

E. K. Simonds received the sad eighty-eight years old.

Children Cry

Mrs. Harlan Roberts is periously Mrs. Carr, who has been seriously

Regular meeting of Union Chapter No. 55, R. A. M., Feb. 9:

Special meeting of Northvilla Commandery, No. 39, K. T., Feb. 8. Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanton and little Henry of Boine yesterday.

daughter are now nicely settled on A. H. Kobler's farm.

near Salem this (Friday) evening. Frank Fry was taken seriously ill at the school building Monday and had to be carried home.

The West Livonia Auxiliary will hold a dinner at Chas. Smock's on Wednesday, Feb 9 - Every body invited. .

The W R\_C will hold their regular meeting Wednesday evening, Feb. 9, at Ambler hall -The Color Bearers will arrange the program for the celebration of Blucoln Day.

Mrs Chas Whipple informs the Record that she heard and saw a large phoebe bird in one of the maple trees on her front lawn Wednesday moved his nettrees on her front lawn Wednesday Irving flats. morning zurely this looks like spring.

A. W Russell had his seventy-sixthbirthday celebrated on Monday by Third degree at American the birthday celebrated on Monday by Evening They will leave here one elaters and niece of Newburg, Mrs. Amos Pickett, Mrs. E M Loomis The first dicision of the Ladlesl and daughter The united ages of Ald of the Methodist church will the three sisters and Mr. Russell is 300 years =A good time was had

C.G Benton had a slight accident Monday moining in front of the Prestyterian parsonage while trying to get out of the way of a passing street car. The milk wagon tipped overscausing a lantern to upset and be guests of honor at a dinner and take fire. Mr Benton's hands and face were somewhat burned and a lew milk bottles broken otherwise no damage was done to the milk

> A friend asks us to multiply-\$5 by-\$5. We do so and announce the result as \$25 Now multiply 500 cents by 500 cents, give the answer in cents, pure and simple, not as fractional parts of a dollar. We do and am surprised to see the figures climb up to 250,000 cents, which is should be used. A cent, as such, is as distinct a unit as a dollar, and as the result is to be announced in cents the decimal cannot be pleaded in extenuation of the rather surprising result. But there is clearly something wrong. Can any reader explain it?

Homer Warren of Detroit spoke for ball an hour last Sabbath to something like one hundred and fifty of the Methodist Sunday school It was a grand, good, talk full of encouragement and enthuslasm. Previous to the speaking Mr Warren delighted the audience with that beautiful solo, "The Palace of the King." The Sunday school certainly appreciated his solo, his talk and his coming way out to Northville. They gave him a hearty encore and a rising vote of thanks. after which a regular reception was held at which time the whole school insisted on shaking hands with the speaker. Mr. Warren's father was a Methodist preacher and was at one

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA ill at the home of ber daughter, Mrs. Ed. Fuller, is much better and able

Dr. T. B. Henry of Northville and Dr. D. B. Henry of South Lyon attended the funeral of Mrs. W.C.

St. Mary's society will hold a box the West Boulevard Sanitarium.

In the death Wednesday of Mrs Johnson and Mrs. Bryant, Frank Johnson and wife both lost their mothers within a few hours of each

Circle N." boys at their haif this week. After the delicious supper was served toasts were responded to by the members. The boys say this was the "banner feast."

house and lot on Northside, occupied by his son. Gerry Spencer, to Andrew Leadbeater. The fatter will tike possession at once. Mr. Spencer has moved his household goods into the

have been invited to do work in- the the - 6:37 truin, returning-home on a special train at 1:30 a. m. Saturday. All members earnestly invited to go.

The electric nights are running days as well as nights just now. This is a thirty days tricout and if the expenditure warrants and if enough motor and light juice is in prospect; Supt. Wilkinson will recommend to the council that it be

-Tuesday afternoon and evening the members of the L.O.T. M. M. had a very enjoyable time. Deputy Carrie Gilbert of Detroit was here and drilled the guards in new figures. At oclock a banquet was served, after which the installation of the new officers occurred. Visitors from Plymouth and Milan were present.

The Harrison Johnson auction in Livonia Wednesday was a complete success. The big illustrated auction bills printed at the Record office As \$5 and 500 cents are drew 350 people and everything equivalent the result is puzzling. It sold high. Horses went "out-ofcannot be urged that decimal marks sight"; cows \$60 to \$104, averaging

> jewelry business here to Otto Loomisfrom Lakeview. Mr. Loomis comes to Northville well recommended both as a practical Jeweler and engraver. Mr. Loomis comes from Prof. LaRue's home town and the two are great friends. Mr. Loomis will take personal charge Saturday.

#### BAKE-DAY,

each week with a certain keen interest and pleasant anticipation? Under the right conditions it should be one of the real pleasures of housekeeping New, clever recipes and a certainty

of success in everything you bake are what make the fascination. "The Cook's Book" will give you the recipes,—a splendid collection by Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, the noted

KrC Baking Powder will give you the certainty. Absolutely no failures. Guaranteed the best at any price, or

more than pleased.

-SECRETARY,

continued. -

\$83 for the herd. Sale amounted to \$2,500 and Auctioneer Wedow made it in four and one-half bours.

Merritt & Co. has sold out his

Do you look forward to Bake-Day

money refunded.

"Get a 25 cent can of K C Baking "Get a 25 cent can of K C-Baking Powder at once from your grocer. Send in the certificate you will find to Jaques Mfg. Co., Chicago, with this article, and "The Cook's Book" will be mailed you free. A combination hard to beat! "The Cook's Book" and K C Baking Powder. You'll be more than pleased.

to be out again.

T. G. Richardson went to Petroit last Saturday to take treatment at social at the home of Tom Spencer He is just a little improved today.

A fine banquet was given by the

"David Vanderhoof has sold his

All the members of the F & 1 VI.

Report of the Condition of LAPHAM STATE SAVINGS BANK at the Close of Business January 31st, 1910. Loans and Discounts
Bonds, Mortgages and Secureties,

> Total, -LIABILITIES.

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NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

#### Methodist Church Notes.

- ABy-the Paster.3 The usual services will be held

The Ladies' Aid Society will mesext Fuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Spencer Clark. The League meeting Sunday

evening was largely attended and all enjoyed the talk by Mr. Bollse. All Sunday school library books now out must be returned next Sunday. No books will be given

out Sunday. The Epworth League devotional meeting Sunday evening will be held at 6 o'clock. Leader, R. A. Grant

Everybody welcome. The regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held next Monday evening at N. I. Colf's After the business session a social bour will be enjoyed. All nem bers urged to be present and be

prepared to pay dues. The committee on speakers for the Sunday school are to be congratulated on the success they are making. No richer treat has come our way is a long time than Homer Warren of Detroit who sang and gave an address last Sunday. Look out for other announcements from

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All milk we sell is the product of our own dairy. Our having fresh which will take place at 10 cows at all times of the year gives you a high standard of milk at all times. It is worth a few cents a week to know what you are

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Sinc Nets Calon Most Fish.

-The owners of a St. Abb's fishing boat have made the important\_discovery that a net dyed as nearly as possible the color of the sea eatches far more fish than one of the traditional brown The discovery has just been tested and out of a first of 65 boats that waich had its nets dyed blue made by far the largest catch -Londen Tit-Bits.

Best Sait for Certain Sish.

Worms known as "night walkers"
are not merely a substitute bait for eels' catfish and bullheads, but are, in fact, the best bait that can be used.

February 14

Masquerade

o'clock.

Princess Rink, Northville \$25-in Prizes-\$25

Prizes Exhibited in J. A. Huff's. Those not wearing costumes and wishing to dance will be obliged to wear face masks until after the grand march.

Admission 50c

Music by R. Smith's 5 Piece

Orchestra, of Detroit.

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An ENORMOUS STOCK of FINE DEPENDABLE FURS still on hand, Every Dollar's worth of which must be closed out before we move.



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Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf, 388 W. Morgan St. Tipton, Mo., says: "Inflammation of the bladder reached its climax



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VERY \_LIKELY.



Nelly-They say he has turned over a new leaf.

Ned-He's so economical I'm afraid he'il use the same one over again.

#### SCRATCHED SO SHE COULD NOT SLEEP

"I write to tell you how thankful I am-for the wonderful Cuticura Remedies. My little niece had eczema for five years and when her mother died I . took care of the child. It was all over her face and body, also on her head. She scratched so that she could not sleep nights. I used Cuticura Soap to wash her with and then applied Cuticura Ointment. I did not use guite half the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, together with Cuticura Resolvent, when you could see a change and they cured her nicely. Now she is eleven years old and has never been bothered with eczema since. My friends think it is just great the way the baby was cured by Cuticura. send you a picture taken when she was Ebout 18 months old.

"She was taken with the eczema when two years old. She was covered with big sores and her mother had all the best doctors and tried all kinds of salves and medicines without effect until we used Cuticura Remedies Mrs. H. Kiernan, 663 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y , Sept. 27, 1909."

Her Idea of Discipline.

One day recently, just after the opening of the Baltimore schools, the teacher of a primary class had occa-sion right at the start to enforce dis-

'Here, young man'" she exclaimed, indicating a pupil whose name she did not yet know. "I saw you laughing just now. That won't do No laughing in this school."

I was only thinking about something ma'am," said the youngster, shecoishly

"Well, don't let that happen in school again," said the teacher, stern--Sunday Magazine of the Cleve-

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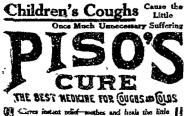
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Recognized as the great strength builder.

Delicious and economical.



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VIISPERING SMIT
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SYNOPSIS.

Murray-Sinclair and his gang-of, weekers were called out to clear the railroad
tracks at Smoky Creek. McCloud, a
young road superintendent, caught Sinciair and his men in the act of looting
the wrecked train: Sinclair pleaded ibnocence, declaring it only amounted to a
amail sum—a treat for the men McCloud
discharized the whole outfit and ordered
the wreckage burned. McCloud became
acquainted with Dicksie Dunning, a girl
of the west, who-came to look at the
wreck. Whispering" Gordon Smith told
President Bucks of the railroad, of McCloud's brave fight against a gang of
crazed miners and that was the reason
for the superintendent's appointment to
his\_office. McCloud arranged board at
the boarding house of Mrs. Sinclair, the
ex-foreman's deserted wife. Dicksie Dun
ining was the daughter of the late Rich
and Dunning, who had died of married by many the subject of the late Rich
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stock train was wrecked by air open
switch Later a passenger frain was held
up and the expires tar robbed Two men
of a posse pursuing the bandits were
killed. 'Whispering Smith' approached
Sinclair. He tried to buy him off, but
talled. He warned McCloud that hisdirect was in danger. McCloud was carriedforcibly into Lance Dunning's presence.
Dunning refused the railroad a right-ofway, he had aiready signed for. Dicksie
Interfered to prevent a shootling affray.
Dicksie met McCloud on a robbed Two men
of a posse pursuing the brough his hat.
A sudden tise of the Crawling Stonefrig appealed to McCloud for help. Whisway home a shot passed through his hat.
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#### CHAPTER XL.—Continued.

It was beyond human endurance to support the leaden death. The little square of brass between the sights wavered. Seagrue stumbled, doubled on his knees, and staggering plunged loosely forward on the sand. Whis pering Smith threw his fire toward the bowlder behind which Sinclair and Barney Rebstock had disappeared.

Suddenly he realized that the bullets from the point were not coming his He was aware of a second rifle duel above the bend. Wickwire, worming his way down the stream, had un covered Sinclair and young Rebstock from behind. A yell between the shots rang across the wash, and the cringing figure of a man ran out to-ward Whispering Smith with his hands high in the air, and pitched headlong on the ground. It was the skulker, Barney Rebstock, driven out by Wick wire's fire.

The shooting ceased. Silence fell upon the gloom of the dusk. came a calling between Smith and Wickwire, and a signaling of pistolshots for their companions. and Bob Scott dashed down towards the river bed on their horses Sea-grue lay on his face. Young Rebstock sat with his hands around his knees on the sand. Above him at distance, Wickwire and Smith stood before a man who leaned against the sharp cheek of the bowlder at the point. In his hands his rifle was held across his lap just as he had dropped on his knee to fire. He had never moved after he was struck. His head, drooping a little, rested against the rock, and his hat lay on the sand; his heavy beard had sunk into his chest and he kneeled in the shadow, asleep. Scott and Kennedy knew him. In the mountains there was no double for Murray Sinclair

When he jumped behind the point to pick Whispering Smith off the ledge he had laid himself directly under Wickwire's fire across the wash. The first shot of the cowboy at 200 yards had passed, as he knelt, through both temples.

#### CHAPTER XLI.

Back to the Mountains. In the cottage in Boney street, one

year later, two women were waiting It was ten o'clock at night.

It was ten o clock at high.
"Isn't it a shame to be disappointed
like this?" complained Dicksie, pushing her hair impatiently back. "Realing her hair impatiently back. "Really, poor George is worked to death He was to be in at six o'clock, Mr. Lee said, and here it is ten, and all your beautiful dinner spoiled. Marion, are you keeping something from me? Look me in the eye Have you heard from Gorden Smith?" "No, Dicksie."

"Not since he left the mountains a roar ago?"

"Not since he left the mountains a Tear ago.

strange. I wonder where he is to-night. How he loves you, Marion! He fold me everything when he said good-by. He made me promise not to tell then; but I didn't promise to keep it forever."

Marion smiled. "A year isn't for ever. Dicksie."

"Well, it's pretty near forever when you are in love," declared Dicksle, energetically. "I know just how he felt," she went on an a quieter tone. "He felt that all the disagreeable excitement and talk we had here then bore heaviest on you. He said if he stayed in Medicine Bend the newspapers never would cease talking and people never would stop annoying vor and you know George did say they were asking to have passenger trains held here just so people could-Whispering Smith. And, Marion, think of it, he actually doesn't know that George and I are married! How could we notify him without knowing where he was? And he doesn't know that trains are running up the Crawl ing Stone valley. Mercy! a year goes doesn't it? George said he knew we

should hear from him within six

months-and George has never yet

been mistaken excepting when he said

to him to-night!"

"Fine!" cried McCloud. "So am I, and that is why I'm late."
"Therr I am going, too," exclaimed Dicksie, solemnly.

"Do you mean it?" asked her husband. "Shall-we let her, Marion? Mr. Bucks says I am to take his car-and take Barnhardt, and keep the carthere till I can bring Gordon back. Mr. Bucks and his secretary will ride tonight as far as Bear Dance with us, and in the morning they join Mr. Glover there." McCloudslooked at his watch. "If you are both going, can you be ready by 12 o'clock for the

China mail?"
"We can be ready in an hour," de clared Dicksie, throwing her arm half around Marion's neck, "can't we,

'Î can be ready in 30 minutes." "Then, ... by heaven-" studied his watch. McCloud

Seagrue Stumbled to the Sand.

me, it is kind of nice, to be able to

order up a train when you want one in a hurry, isn't it, Marion? Perhaps

shall come to like it if they ever

In half an hour they had joined Bucks in his car, and Bill Dancing

was piling the baggage into the ves

tibule. Bucks was sitting down to cof

fee. Chairs had been provided at the

table, and after the greetings, Bucks

seating Marion Sinclair at his right and Barnhardt and McCloud at his

left, asked Dicksie to sit opposite and pour the coffee. "You are a railroad

nan's wife now and you must learn to

McCloud looked apprehensive. "I am afraid she will be assuming the

whole division if you encourage her too much, Mr. Bucks."

"Marrying a railroad man," contin-

ned Bucks, pursuing his own thought

'is as bad as marrying into the army

if you have your husband half the

time you are lucky. Then, too, in the

railroad business your husband may

falls off. It's a little light at this mo-

ment, too. How should you take it if

we had to put him on a freight train for a while, Mrs McCloud?"

"Or suppose he should be promoted

and should have to go to headquarters

know."
"Really," Dicksie looked more de

mure as she filled the precident's cup,

'really, I often say to Mr. McCloud

that I cannot believe Mr. Bucks is president of this great road. He al-

The Eachelor president rolled his

lumps of sugar, Mr. Bucks?"

-some of us are getting old, you

have to be set back when the

make George a vice-president.

assume responsibility.

"Oh, Mr. Bucks!"

no news from him." Dicksie sprang

from her chair. "I am going to call up Mr. Rooney Lee and just demand

my husband! I think Mr. Lee handles

trains shockingly every time George

tries to get home like this on Saturday

nights-now don't you? And passen

ger trains ought to get out of the way

anyway, when a division superintendent is trying to get home. What diff

ference does it make to a passenger

I'd like to know, whether he is a few

hours less or longer in getting to Cali

fornia or Japan or Manila or Hong

Kong or Buzzard's Gulch, provided he

is safe-and you know there has not

been an accident on the division for

a year, Marion. There's a step now

The door opened and it was George

"Oh, honey!" cried Dicksie, softly,

"Too bad! and, Marion," he ex-

claimed, turning without releasing his

make good for all this delay? Olf, yes

I've had dinner. Never, for heaven

both of you, till you hear the news!

ders. "You have heard from Whisper

sake, wait dinner for me! But wait

Dicksie kept her hands on his shoul-

"Wait till I get it straight. Mr

One of our freight traffic men

Bucks is here—I came in with him in his car. He has news of Whispering

in the Puget sound country, who has

been in a hospital in Victoria, learned

Smith was lying in the same hospital

Marion rose swiftly. "Then the

by the merest accident that Gordon

waving her arms as she stood an in

stant before she ran to him. "haven't I been a-waitin' for you!"

wife from his arms, "how can I

I'll bet that's George!"

ing Smith!"

"I have."

"I knew it!"

with typhoid fever.'

studied his watch.

"What is it, George?"

"We won't wait for the midnight train. We will take an engine, run special to Green River, everhaul the Coast-Limited, and save a whole day.'

"George, pack your suit-case—quick dear; and you, too, Marion; suit-cases are all we can take," cried Dicksie pushing her husband toward the bed-room. "I'll telephone Rooney Lee for I should grow to like the railroad room.

Dickslessitting forward in her chair, time has come thank God, when I can eyes as he reached for his cup. "Thank bent her eyes upon the fire. "It is so do something for him; and I am going you. Mrs. McCloud, only one after that." He looked toward Marion. "All I can say is that if Mrs. McCloud's husband had married her two years earlier he might have been general manager by this time. Nothing could hold a man back, even a man of his modesty, whose wife can say as nice things as that. By the way, Mrs. Sinclair, does this man keep you supplied with transportation?

"Oh, I have my annual, Mr. Bucks!" Marion opened her bag to fic ::. Bucks held out his hand. "Let me see it a moment." He ache. "Every legister, but he plan, in the plan, in the

"Two or three! Oh, no, ctd; one as yet, Mr. Bucks! They are leaving out oh,

"As many as that?"

"I don't believe you can operate a line that long, Mr. Bucks, with stations
14 miles spart." Bucks opened his eyes in benevolent surprise. Dicksie, unabashed, kept right on: "Well, do

"Will you give me a corner lot if we put another station on the ranch?" "I will give you two if you will give

Bucks threw back his head and laughed in his tremendous way. don't know about that; I daren't prom ise offhand, Mrs. McCloud. But if you can get Whispering Smith to come back you might lay the matter before him. He is to take charge of all the colonist business when he returns.'

hardly a rise in his temperature, and, lying in the sunshine of the afternoon he was waiting for Marion. She ran half blinded across the room and

you away out here?"

folded hands when I heard you were ill anywhere in the wide world?"

oon to think you have said you would not go back with him. You would not

last year. I didn't think it could be so lonesome anywhere.' "Nor did I."

"Have you noticed it? I shouldn't think you could in the mountains. Was there much water last spring? Heav ens, I'd like to see the Crawling Stone

He folded her hands in his own "Marion, it is you I've been afraid I couldn't stand it to be near you and

"What need you be afraid to tell

"That I have loved you so long." Her head sunk close "Don't you know you have said it to me many times without words? I've only been waiting for a chance to tell you how happy it makes me to think



Women in Persia.

veteran Bishop Stuart, tells of her experiences in Persia, where, she says there is unfailing courtesy of the of ficers to travelers. Upon one occasion she was offered the escort of the mili-tary from Ispahan to Teheran and found that she had to ride on a gur carriage, horses harnessed six in hand and double stages made. The medical vays looks to me to be the youngest missions are the safest places in times of peril in Persia, she says, not only man on the whole executive staff. Two for Europeans, but for the Persians

called for a pen; Bucks had never lost his gracious way of doing very little things. He laid the card on the table and wrote across the back of it over his name: "Good on all passenger trains." When he handed the card back to Marion he turned to Dicksie. "I understand you are laying out two or three towns on the ranck with Mic-Cloud?"

such a prefty town! Cousin Lance is superintending the street work-and whom do you think I am going to name it after? You! I think 'Bucks' malces a dandy name for a town, don't you? And I am going to have one town named Dunning; there will be two stations on the ranch, you know and I think, really, there ought to be

unabashed, kept right on: "Well, do you know how traffic is increasing over there, with the trains running only two months now? Why, the set tlers are fairly pouring into the coun

us excursions and run some of Overland passenger trains through the vállev."

Whispering Smith, lying on his iron bed in the hospital, professed not to be able quite-to understand why they had made such a fuss about it. He underwent the excitement of the appearance of Barnhardt and the first taik with McGloud and Dicksie with

dropped on her knee beside him. "My dear Marion, why did they drag

"They did not drag me away out Did you expect me to sit with

He looked hungrily at her. "I didn't suppose any one in the wide world yould take it very seriously."
"Mr. McCloud is crushed this after

pelieve how he misses you." "It has been pretty lonesome for the

"Why don't you come back?"

it is true."

Dr. Emmeline Stuart, niece of the

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"One ounce Syrup Sarsaparilla com-pound; one ounce Toris compound; Add these to a half pint of good whis key: Take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed time; Shake the bottle before using each time." Any druggist has these ingredients in stock or will quickly get them from his whole-sale house. This was published previously and hundreds here have been cured by it. Good results show after the first few doses. This also acts as a system builder, eventually restoring strength and vitality

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Liberal Contributions in United States and Canada for Work of the

In spite of the financial depression the offerings of the United States and Canada for foreign missions increased last year \$602,000. The increase of income from the foreign field wa more remarkable, being \$1,360,000. The total gifts on the foreign field was \$4,344,000, and this amount was 48 per cent of the total amount contributed for foreign missions by the Protestant churches of North America.

The increase of native converts last year was 164,674, or over 450 a day. The cumulative effects of the foreign mission enterprise is shown by the fact that it took 100 years to gain the first million converts. The second million were secured in 12 years, and they are now being added at the fate of a million in six years. The percentage of increase of the church mempership of America was one and one half, while the increase of American missions abroad was 12 per cent. Two members were added in America for ach ordained minister, while 41 were added in the foreign field for each ordained American missionary The Missionary Review of the World.

Knew the Calendar.

They were little girls, so small that the teacher was telling them about divisions of time, and receiving all sorts of answers- to her simple questions. The little girl who lived in a boarding house was a year older than any of the others.

"We have learned that years are divided into months, months into weeks, and weeks into days," said the teachei. ~ 'Now cần any one tell me how the days are divided?" The little girl who lived in a board-

ing house raised her hand, and was asked to speak. "Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, beef," she said, glibly; "Friday, fish; Saturday, corned beef and beans; - and Sunday, chicken."-

Youehs's Companion.

One on the Judge.
A newly qualified judge in one of the small towns of Tennessee was trying one of his first criminal cases. The accused was an old darky who was accused of robbing a hen-coop. He had been in court before on a similar charge and was then acquitted.
"Well, Tom," began the judge, "I

see you're in trouble again." 'Yes, sah," replied the darky; "the last time, jedge, you was ma lawyer."
"Where is your lawyer this time?"

"I ain't got no lawyer this time," swered Tom. "I'm going to tell the

Why "Potter's Field" for Beggars
It is not because the beggar falls to make money that he finally lands in the potter's field. "Any good, industrious beggar," says Mr Forbes, "can and does make a great deal more money than the average workingman But the trend of the beggar is downward, and in the end he is pretty sure

to become a hopeless wreck and s

derelict.

He who gives better homes, better books, better tools, a fairer outlook and a better hope, him will we crown with laurels - Emerson.

But Many Drop It.

A young Calif. wife talks about coffee: "It was hard to drop Mocha and Java and give Postum a trial, but my nerves were so shattered that I was a nervous wreck and of course that means all kinds of ails. "At first I thought bicycle riding

caused it and I gave it up, but my con dition remained unchanged. I did not want to acknowledge roffee caused the trouble for I was very fond of it. At that time a friend came to live with us, and I noticed that after he had been with us a week he would not drink his coffee any more. I asked him the reason. He replied, 'I have not had a headache since I left off drinking coffee, some months ago, till last week. when I began again, here at your table I don't see how anyone can like coffee, anyway, after drinking Postum! "I said nothing, but at once ordered

a package of Postum. That was five months ago, and we have drank no coffee since, except on two occasions when we had company, and the result eac'. time was that my husband could. not sleep, but lay awake and tossed and talked half the night. We were convinced that coffee caused his suffer ing, so he returned to Postum, convinced that coffee was an enemy, instead of a friend, and he is troubled no more with insomnia.

"I, myself, have gained 8 pounds in weight, and my nerves have ceased to quiver. It seems so easy now to quit coffee that caused our aches and alls and take up Postum."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason. Ever rend the above letter? A new ne appears from time to time. The: re genuine, true, and full of humas

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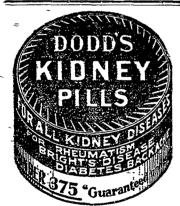
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BUTTER IS DUE FOR A SLIGHT ADVANCE IN PRICE VERY SOON.

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The Above Statement Made at the Michigan Dairymens' Association in Session at the Wayne Pavilion at Dêtroît.

Michigan dairymen, in attendance at the annual convention of the Michigan Dairymen's association in the Wayne pavilion; do not afficipate a drop in the price of butter this win-ter. In fact, there is likely to be a slight increase in the present price of

butter.
"The big drought of two years ago, which was felt all over the country, is the direct cause of the present bigh price of butter," said William H. Bechtel, manager of a big Michigan creamery company. "The price of food went up and many farmers disposed of their cows and turned them into beef. "Inst summer there was into beef. -Last summer there was

into beef.—Last summer there was another drought which kept the price of food up. When the farmers disposed of their cows the supply of butter\_soon\_fell\_short of the demands. "Another reason is given for the higher prices in butter. Some say that the high tax which was placed on cleomargarine two years ago boosted the price of that article and many, people who formerly used ft. boosted the price of that are an many, people who formerly used it, and others who would use it because of its cheapness, switched to butter again. Instead of the butter market being helped out, bigger demands are being made upon the market because of the cleo tax—Personally I do not agree very cordulty with those who advance this explanation. "The price of butter has dropped of six cents, but I think the price

off six cents, but I think the price will stiffen up again soon. Michigan is rapidly coming to the front as a dairy state. The bulk of the Michigan product is shipped least.

"Cold storage, contrary to the general belief, is a great help in keeping the price of butter down if it was not for the cold storage, the price of butter would soar in the winter. In summer, when butter is cheap, the In summer, when butter is cheap, the cold storage allows the dealer to take advantage of the market and put in a stock. In this way the price is balanced to a certain extent through the year."

#### The Victims of the Cogster.

Frank Hogle-received several frac tured fibs, one of which punctured his right lung, and other injuries that might culminate tatally, Elnora Chad-wick was cut about the eye, requiring

wick was cut about the eye, requiring seven stitches, and others were less seriously injured when a collision between two coasting sleighs occurred near Muir, Friday evening

In the accident were two parties, each on separate hills which joined at the foot of the incline Unknown to either party the sleighs were started at about the same time and met at the bottom traveling at an estimation. ed at about the same time and met at the bottom, traveling at an estima-ted rate of 40 miles an hour One outfit contained 14 persons and the other six, all of whom were more or less shaken up. The sleighs were demoliphed

#### Boys Must Be Kept Away.

Hereafter all boys under 17 years of age found in pool froms or bowling alleys in Ionia will be dealt with according to the laws of the state. and all proprietors of such places, if they persist in catering to the trade of the younger generation will suffer they persuate the consequences of the state juvenile law. This order has gone forth from the local preachers, the decision having been reached at a meeting which considered the fact that pool rooms and bowling alley men have for months allowed young boys to frequent their places.

dead in the street.

The couple had been separated for some time. Last Thursday morning he met her on the same street corner, and tried to kiss her. She broke away and ran to the home of a neigh-bor. Two days later he again met her and attempted to walk with her

Wireless Telegraph Co. to Come In.

The United Wireless Telegraph Co., of New York, has made application to the secretary of state to do business in Michigan. The secretary of state has asked the opinion of the attorney general as to whether the concern comes under the telegraph act or under the general corporation act.

Twenty fish shannes were lost at Petoskey when the ice in Little Traverse bay broke up.

By completing an organization that is to be known as the Workingman's board of trade and receiving petitions bearing in the neighborhood of 2,000 signatures, the first active step in the meat boycott situation was taken in Grand Rapids by the workingmen Saturday night.

By allowing manufacturers and merchants to become accustomed by de-grees to the new state demand, the Michigan state factory inspectors have been obliged to make but three ar-rests for violations of the 54-hour-a-week labor law, which went into ef-fect last September.

Clinton Glassburn, wanted as an accomplice in the slaying of Herman Schaufals, was taken into custody. Friday at Harrietta. Before being arrosted he disposed of a watch stolen at the Williams lumber camp. He admitted the theft and the deput compelled him to give the moneback

#### STATE BRIEFS.

The first gray wolf seen in St. Clair county in the past 40 years was killed by Henry Duchene, a Detroit hunter, Capac.

In spite of the blizzard practically every teacher of Cheboygan county was in attendance at the State Teachers' institute for the county.

Mrs. Mary Marsh, of Marysville, fell and broke her arm in exactly the same place where it was fractured a ago, on the same piece of icy sidewalk.

The meat boycett at Kalamazoo is having its effect. Unable to longer contend with the "strike," two mar-kets in the laboring district closed their doors.

Mrs. Mary Prentiss, 70, of Lansing, while going to visit a neighbor, fell on the sidewalk and fractured her less. Because of her age it is feared that the injury will be fatal

J. R. Eliott, of Port Huron, and Myron Mills, of Marysyille, have pur-chased 5,667 acres of timber land in the state of Washington. Logging op-erations will be started at once.

Ray Horsman, the "Black Hand" artist who is languishing in Jackson jail, is the daily recipient of loads of flowers from his girl admirers. He covers the bars of his cell with them.

Pere Marquette passenger train No. 32, running from Grand Rapids to Saginaw, was derailed at Vestaburg by a broken rail. Although the track was somewhat torn up no one was injured. The officials of the Flint & Saginaw interurban have issued orders to train

crews regarding drunkenness on trains and the scenes which were enacted Sunday will not, it is said, be It is reported that the purchase of

the Southern Michigan Interurban Co, operating between St. Joseph and South Bend; Ind., has been consum-

South Bend, Ind., has been consummated by the Murdock Interurban syndicate.

With only one saloon in the village, local option enthusiasts of Coral have started a vigorous campaign here to put the saloon out of business. A branch of the Anti-Saloon eague has been organized. Brooding over the illness of his

Emonths old son, Anti Hyrones, a miner, of Ishpeming, became deranged, killed his babe with a pocket-haife and biew himself and his wife to pieces with two sticks of dyna-

Alleging that the county cannot le-Alleging that the county exame regally receive a bequest unless its purpose is specifically grated Mary A. Smith, of Jackson, has brought suit or recover the property of her uncle, William Wooley, of Tompkins townships

Plans have been completed by the General Motors Co. for the enlarge-ment of the plant of the Jackson-Church-Wilcox Co, at Saginaw, which it purchased some time ago When completed 2,000 men will be employed

Ben MacDhu, the palatial summer residence of the late John Alexander Dovie on White Lake, where al forms of worldly amusements were tabooed three or four jears ago, is being converted into a dance hall by Mrs. Elijah ĮI

J- W Keeney, a former sheriff of Clinton county, died at his home in Ovid township Sunday morning, after a two days' illness with pneumonia Keeney served two terms as sheriff, previous to the present incumbent A widow and four couldren survive

A drop in the price of some com-modities occurred at Marshall Satur-day Hogs went from \$8.50 to \$7 and \$7.50 per hundred; butter from 28 to 25 cents per pound, eggs from 34 to 28 cents per dozen, and apples from 40 to 30 cents per peck Potatoes are worth 45 cents per bushel. These are the retail prices.

Because the Genesee county board of supervisors have had up their accounts for several months on the ground that there were improper charges against the county, a num-ber of the druggists and grocers have refused to supply the county with any Lugs or provisions until the unpaid

Spurned Husband Ambushed Her.

Wesley Wethy, a Taborer, 38, of Traverse City, shot his wife, two years his senior, while she was on her way to the plant of the Overwood Dish Co, where she is employed; and, turning the revolver on himself, shot three times and fell dead in the street

Separated for the M U. R. as well as power and light for manufacturing concerns at Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and several other places

At the-annual meeting of the Grand Rapids board of trade banquet covers were laid for 700. The usual routine was followed by the election of officers. Eber A. Knott was chosen president, with John Widdicond and Charles M. Alden vice-presidents The board of directors for the ensuing year consists of 16 members

After being separated from his mother for 37 years, Edward Seibert, of Bliss, N. Y, arrived in Kalamazoo Saturday to spend a few weeks with his aged parent "I intended to return long ago, but years kept advancing and I kept putting it off, and not until two or three days ago did I decide to come to Kalamazoo," said the visitor.

Although Gov Warner and the three members of the board met in Jackson and the six standing candidates appeared for the wardenship of the prison, no one received a neces-sary majority and Acting Warden warden was reappointed until his successor can be named. The matter of contracting for a prison farm was referred to the attorney-general.

The West Avon Farmers' club has adopted resolutions favoring the sustaining of local option in Oakland county for two more years. At their last meeting the club discussed the question of local option and taxes and reached the conclusion that it was not a financial, but a moral question, and no matter what the cost, the morals of the community should be upheld. They say the saloon is the "criminal rendezvous."

Three men were injured Friday in a riot, following a strike at the Att-wood Brass Foundry, Flint, but none seriously. The rioters all escaped pefore the arrival of the police

## EIGHTEEN YEARS THAN 3 DOLLARS

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Arriving in Canada in 1891, just eighteen years ago, E. A. Guillomin could speak but his native language. a Frenchman. He had but a little over two dellars in his pecket thus being short over seven dollars of the ten dollars required to secure for a homestead of one hundred and sixty acres. He eventually bor rowed the money and near Forget, Saskatchewan, he started life in Canada on the homestead in which to-day he is the fortunate possessor of fifty quarter sections of land, or 8,000 acres Now Mr. Guillomin did not acquire all these acres as a result altogether of his farming operations, which were extensive. He looked with satisfac-tion upon what he was doing on his limited area, he was saving, careful, and had foresight. Surrounding land could be had for about \$3.00 per acre, and he continued buying as his savings would permit, until now he has fifty quarter sections, some of which he can sell at \$25.00 per acre. Threshed Fifty Thousand Bushels.

This year he was engaged in threshing on his place for 54% days. He threshed out 50,000 bushels of wheat. of which he sold 34,000 bushels, one-train load, at a price varying from 84 to 87 cents per bushel. He has on hand still 16,000 bushels. In addition to wheat he raised 30,000 bushels of oats, 7,000 bushels of barley and 500 bushels of flax. He owns 104 horses and a number of cattle, but since the construction of the railway he been engaged chiefly in raising wheat This year he bought his first threshing machine, paying for it the sum \$2,100. He estimates that the chine earned for him this fall \$3.600. thus paying for itself in one season and leaving \$900 to the good. The weather was very propitious for farm threshing, not a single day being lost in the two months which were spent in this work. The wheat averaged 23 bushels to the acre and graded No. 1 and No. 2 Northern. In the past nine years seven good crops have been harvested on this farm. For six succes sive years the returns were excellent that is in the years 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905 and 1906. In the two following years there was a partial failure. As the years have passed the quality of the buildings on the farm have been steadily improved, and are now as good as can be found in the district. About \$10,000 has been invested in this way by Mr Guillomin. The farm consists of 6,880 acres, of which about 6,000 acres were under

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#### SALEM NEWS.

Frank Ryder is on the sick list. Guy Rorabacher was in town over

Sunday. Born to Mr. and Mrs Shoebridge

on Monday a girl.

Amos Worden and wife are preparing to move to Salt Lake\_City,

Frank Huff and sister went to Detroit on Monday to see a sick aunt.

Frank Boyle, our jolly auctioneer, is doing a good stroke of business There will be a Valentine social at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson on Feb. 14. All invited. Mr. and Mrs. Allen-Wilkinson were made the recipients of a lamily

surprise on Thursday by his sisters and their families. Henry Doane is drawing timber preparatory to repairing the barns on bis new farm recently purchased

of the Woodworth estate. The Ladies' Missionary circle will meet with Mrs. Callihan next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A cordial invitation to all,

Floyd Waters has quit school at Ypsilanti in order to assist his father in preparing for their auction sale which will occur in the near future

The lecture in the Baptist church, under the suspices of the B. Y. P. U. was poorly aftended on Tuesday evening but was excellent neverthe-

School Commissioner Essery - of this county has arranged a list of 1,000 words for spelling to be used in contest bringing in all schools of the county. The second contest of Salem township was held at Worden last-Friday with the following result: Salem school, Hildreth Wheeler, Elsie Ryder, Eleanor Kensler, Jessie McAndrews, Fred Burss. Dennis school, Ruth Bradley. Eva Cominsky Lapham school, Amy Allen were perfect. The next contest will be held in the town hall In March and all the schools in the township are expected to take part. The final will take place in Ann Arbor when the township schools will send their best spellers hoping to be successful in winning the large dictionary offered by the commissioner.-

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#### -LIVONIA NEWS.

Alton Peters started to school at the Center Monday.

Will Pankow was laid up with rheumatism the past week.

Clyde Fisher of Detroit was an over Sunday visitor out here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee are rejoicing over the arrival of a girl Sunday at their home.

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Miss Mina Benjamin is ill with pneumonia and pleurisy. Mr., and Mrs., Will Mairs visited CAROLIÑA.

WALLED LAKE-NEWS-

Rev. Pixley preached a sermon on

dillord spent Sunday with their

Phil Miller of Lansing was the

guest of Miss Zadah-Angell over

Mrs. J. R. Beach and daughter.

Mary, are spending a few days in

The snowfall Sunday night was

just what was needed to make fine

daughter, Ada, of New Hudson visited friends here Saturday and

Rev. J. R. Beach went to Detroit

Sunday evening to attend the dedica-

Baptist church saturday evening

was well attended and an excellent

program was given. Music was

quartet and others. Harry Bogart

Friday evening, Feb 11, Mr. Salller

of Birmingham will deliver a stere-

optican lecture on local option in the

Methodist church Mr. Sailler is a

most-interesting speaker and it is

hoped that 'the people will avail

NOVI NEWS.

Geo. Gleason is ill with pleurisy

daughter at Bay City this week.

Carleton tills week.

Stanton wedding.

German saloon keeper.

wrist.

Mrs. James Munro is visiting at

Rev. Brent Harding is visiting his

Mrs. Eva Gleason had the mis

fortune Sunday to fall and break her

of Caleb Rix and Newton Wixom.

The men's contest in the Baptist

church last Friday evening was a

decided success the proceeds being

\$26 05. The medal was won by Jay

The ladies of Novi have great

eason to be proud of the W. C. T. U

which was organized last Saturday

by Mrs. May Butler of Detroit The

following -officers were elected

Pres., Miss Effie Risner; vice pres.

Mrs Lillie Leavenworth; sec., Mrs.

May Holcomb; rec sec., Mrs. Sarab

Taylor; treas, Mrs. Lena Atkinson;

supt of press, Via Munro; evange-

listic, etc., Mrs Lizzle Coates; flower

mission, Mrs. Naomi Kent; Sunday

school work, Mrs Libbie Burt; medal

contest work, Effie Risner; purity,

Mrs. Estella Button They held

their first meeting at the home of

and all felt like shouting, "Hurrah,

for the Novi W C. T. U. Meetings

will be held the first Wednesday of

A very pleasant event occurred on

Tuesday at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Chas. Wedow, the occasion

Wedow, Miss Alma Josephine Root,

to Mr. Willis E. Stanton of Mason.

The rooms were very prettily

decorated in green and white that

being the color scheme. At a few

moments after 10 o'clock Mrs. Bessie

bridal couple stepped into an archway in the parlor where in the

presence of a few of the immediate

relatives and friends, Rev. Beaco.

pastor of the Methodist church, performed the pretty marriage

service. After congratulations the

guests were invited into the dining

room where an elaborate dinner was

spread and to which all did justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton left immed-

iately for Mason, where the groom

has a home nicely furnished and ready for his bride. The best wishes of many friends accompany them for

a happy and prosperous wedded life.

CASTORIA

being the marriage of a sister of Mrs.

Taylor

each month.

who impersonated

They came to attend the Root

themselves of this opportunity.

son, King Beach, is pastor.

Mrs. Gilchrist, is caring for her.

Local Option" Sunday evening. Misses Bessie and Ruth McCoy of

riends at Milan last week.

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1 Work That Will Make Arable a

Crops Produced.

In Beaufort and Hyde courties, Forth Carolina mear Bishop's Cross, Inown as the "Pantego Dramage District" Messra John A and S. W. Wilkinson, of Belhaven, N. C., own a large tract of swamp land, since time winnemorial considered worthless, save for the timber upon it After the timber had been cut-off and marthe timber had been cut-off and marketed the Wilkinson Bros. conceived the idea of graining this property and developing it "Preliminary surveys developed that this area had an altinde of 18 feet above sea level suffi-

clert for drainage.

About four years ago the Wilkincon Bros purchased a large steam
fredge and set to work constructing Mrs. Arthur Harris is ill with a gathering in the head. Her mother Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rice and

h gh in order to keep sufficient water n tile canal to float the diedge. There we miles were done the total waler-fall in that distance was found

tion services at the church where his are new completed one mile apart are new completed one mile apart extending from the outlet into the Pungo River, far back-into the interior with lateral ditches intersecting them. When the main canals are Theo-Cornell is ill at the home of his iather in law, O. J. McKnight. He had been ill in Detroit and came finished, the earth and oyster shells taken from the excavations are levto see-his wife, who is with her parents, and is now sufferinge a The Silver Medal contest in the

thoroughfares in the country. This enormous project in Eastern North Carolina rivals the Panama Canal, so far as North Carolina is concerned, and the benefit to North Carolina will be very great. It will be the means of reclaiming approximate v 1000 square miles of soil more fertile than the valley of the Nile. The furnished by the orchestra, male the than the valley of the Nile. The soil is as black as charcoal of a sandy on and as fine as powder, ranging depth from four to ten feet and

> upleted an army of laborers is put o work clearing up this veritable irns e equial to that of the Ever-older of Florida and Darkest Africa When the clearing process is finished, fire is set to the undergrowth. So microse, is the heat that all of the underomposed, vegetable matter, the counsu ation of years, is destroyed.

and corn is planted-with the use of a bollow gum stake The first year-after this land was reclaimed, with no cultivation whatever, a yield of 56 bushels per acre was obtained The same method was employed the secund year, with even greater yield. So rapid is the decay of the stump is that. By difficult is expectanted in ploughno difficulty is experienced in ploughand Mrs. John Sims of ing in the third year Williamston are visiting the familles

James Wilson Secretary of Agriculture states that for half the prices of the Northern tier of States, lands equally fertile and as accessions. ble to markets can be had in the

southward. Minnesota and the Dakotas into Can ada in large numbers every year are making a mistake The South offers as good farms as can be carved out of any part of Canada, or better These farms are nearer to the mankers, they are in a far better climat and they have a much more favorable coverable and, as a serious diaback, the Americans who go to ada are obliged to change their at grance, they find all their surround ings alicn and their children we grow up as British subjects and reas citizens of the United States. enrollment of thirty-one members tion societies were as active as Canadian in-letting the United States and the world know the attraction of their locality, they would diver to the southward most of the bi stream of American agriculturists who are now arifing into Canada Some of the best fruit, wheat and corn lands in the world are in the South. That region could, if it utilized all its idle lands for that purpose produce enough rice to supply pose, produce enough rice to supply the entire world. In timber coal and iron ore, several of the Southern States are particularly rich More water power for manufacturing, and more navigable streams for taking farm, mine and factory products to the market, are in the South than in

Wixom, elster of the groom, took all the rest of the country combined her place at the organ and the The proximity of the Gulf Stream The proximity of the Guif Streams tempers the climate to such an extent that the Belhaven section of North Carolina, 450 miles further north, and within 24 hours of the markets of New York, Philadelphia, Batimore and Washington, enjoys the same mild climate as that of North Georgia. The section of Tidewater Virginia and North Carolina traversed by the Norfolk & Southern Railwar is especially adapted to the growing especially adapted to the growing of early vegetables, fruits, corn and cotton, and as many as three or four different crops may be produced upon

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#### WIXOM NEWS.

Mrs Fuller returned from Northille Saturday afternoon

Mrs H E Richardson spent Satur lav with friends at Walled Lake.

Minnie and Carrie Durham of Milord were Wixom visitors Tuesday. Mrs Mate Johns-Keene of Sioux lity, Ia , visited Mrs. J. Abrams one day last-week

Mrs. Fred Schalhorn and two Wixon, Saturday for a few days' Mrs. Floyd Taylor and daughter

Marjorie left Friday for Buffalo N. Y. Farmington, will meet at the home where they will make their future of Mr. and Mrs. David Houldershaw

A shadow sccial was held at the home of B. L. clark Wednesday evening. Proceeds to go towards a well at the parsonage.

On Thursday evening, Feb 10 there will be a prohibition lecture, illustrated by stereopticon views at the church Admission free.

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GILT EDGE NEWS.

H. Spaller spent Monday Birmingbam. W. Wagonjack was a Dubolsville

aller Saturday.

G. Pankow's Thursday. Mrs. J. Walters of Detroit spent

Sunday at Ed. Millard's. Mrs. F. E. Bradley spent a few lays of last week with friends at

Northville. Mrs. J. Langston of Chicago was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Chas.

#### FARMINGTON NEWS.

Mrs. Thomas Lytle and ulece, Mrs. Clyde Seeley, spent one day last week in Northyille.

Rev. Mrs.-Carpenter Woodman of Paw Paw will preach in the Universalist church Sunday, Feb. 13

Mrs. H. L. Weaver and Mrs J. A. Millier attended the automobile show in Detroit one day last week.

T H. McGee attended the automobile show in Detroit last Wednesday. The Mystic Workers of East

Friday, Feb. 11. Mrs. Catherine Kennedy and

daughter, Mrs. Cloyes Steele, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Tolman, at Clarenceville Sunday.

George Barker of Clarenceville and Miss Irene Cogsdil were united in marrlage last week Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs. Bert Gogsdill. of Novi. Rev.-Coverdale of Redford performed the ceremony.

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