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POLITICS BEGINS TO WARM UP



LECTURE COURSE FOR NORTHVILLE

IS IN THE HANDS OF COMPETENT COMMITTEE

And the Course will consist of Four Good Numbers.

The business men are backing a Lecture Course for the coming fall and winter. The series will consist of four numbers and includes a musical number, an entertainment, an impersonation, and a lecture. The men who have the matter in charge expect to get such good returns that a larger and better course can be secured for 1913-14.

The course will not be given for the benefit of any society or lodge but is to be handled for all that a good lecture course may become an established feature of village life.

The executive committee will appoint some one as an authorized agent to canvass the entire community. When you have seen the course decide to give your support and do so promptly and gladly.

Season tickets will cost \$1.00; single admissions 55c.

The numbers will be as follows: Maude Stevens Company, October 3; Ellsworth Plumstead, December 2; Old Kentucky Quartette, January 29; Dr. James H. McLaren, February 27. The committee handling these are T. E. Mordock, C. L. Dubuar, N. G. Schrader, C. B. Ryder, M. N. Johnson, A. E. Stanley, J. A. Dubuar, Geo. B. Stanley, J. A. Huff, Prof. F. W. Wheaton and G. A. Dolph.

OTTO STOLL HAS SPLENDID RECORD

"We scarcely believe the subject of this sketch needs any introduction to the people of Wayne County, for he has served them in the capacity of Register of Deeds, and has made an enviable record. In fact he has placed the office for the first time upon a paying basis, and has been complimented by the bankers and



business men, regardless of political affiliations, upon the manner in which he has conducted the office. Formerly the tax payers were called upon to pay from \$6,000 to \$14,000 annually in excess of the fees, but Mr. Stoll has paid all salaries and returned to the county \$6,000 during the past year, and we believe this will be appreciated by the people and that they will lend him their undivided support in the coming nomination and election."

FORBES ROBERTSON FOR COUNTY AUDITOR

"Forbes Robertson, candidate for reelection, second term, as County Auditor on the republican ticket at the primaries, August 27, 1912, and opposed by Alderman Gutman of the Third ward, should have the support of all fair-minded citizens. Honesty, integrity, and executive ability have earned for him a return to this important office, which of all the offices should have high-class men, who should conserve our taxes and above all oppose graft. These qualifications have characterized Mr. Robertson's administration. He should be returned by an overwhelming majority to stimulate and reward him for his valuable service."

PONTIAC TIGERS' CLAWS TRIMMED

IN BALL GAME HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Final Score Was 18 to 0. Game Called in 8th

The "Tigers" of Pontiac, accompanied by a large crowd of rooters came to Northville Saturday afternoon to eat up the "Circle N" boys. Instead however, they got their own claws trimmed. Only one Pontiac man reached second base, and that was accidental while the Circle N's just more than lettered their batting average. The only time the wild cats showed any knowledge of the finer arts of the game was when a triple play was pulled off. Bowman was on second and Kelly on first when Bony knocked a liner to the first baseman who made a double without assistance, and threw to second, completing the first triple play ever witnessed on the Northville grounds. Game was called in the first of the eighth inning on account of darkness. The score stood 18 to 0 and our boys left the field more than satisfied with the day's work. Moffet played third base, substituting for Jamie Dubuar, who was laid up with neuralgia. Bowman of Salem took Moffet's place in center field.

A Lecture in Cattermole Hall. A very interesting topic, which is vital to all, will be discussed in this village Sunday Sept. 1st, by Mr. S. W. Carpenter. His subject will be "The Great Hereafter." Mr. Carpenter is a well known evangelist throughout Western Canada, and comes to you fresh from such labor.

He will bring to your attention the old, old story of God's redeeming love and power as it has worked out in his own life, and also much new food for thought along the line of human uplift for the world in general by and by. Come out and hear him, and thus receive a blessing. It will cost you nothing, as no collection will be taken, local friends taking care of all expenses.

Remember the date and place (Cattermole hall Northville Mich Sunday, Sept 1st, at 4 p m

CARD OF THANKS. I wish to thank the King's daughters for the beautiful flowers sent me during my illness. Mrs. LENA ROBINSON.

HUGH SHEPHERD FOR PROSECUTING ATTY.



Hugh Shepherd, at present Prosecuting Attorney for Wayne County, was appointed to that office on October 3rd, 1911, by the Circuit Judges to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of former Prosecuting Attorney, Phillip T. VanZile. Upon assuming the office he decided that it was not the main duty of the Prosecutor to be forever posting personally before judge and jury, but to act rather as the executive head of his office. With this point in view he set about to

cause a careful re-organization in the work of the office and also to make such changes as he thought desirable in the personnel of its office force.

At the present time it is considered by disinterested persons that the details of the office work are more carefully looked after than at any time heretofore, and that he has a capable corps of assistants and helpers as have ever been connected with the Prosecuting Attorney's office.

"That Mr. Shepherd has not been (Continued on page 4.)

W. H. GREEN, JR., A POPULAR REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

And Is Deserving of Your Recognition

(From the Detroit Courier, Aug. 17, 1912) Few men are more widely or familiarly known throughout Wayne County than William H. Green, Jr., who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for county clerk. Mr. Green was born, reared and educated in Detroit. All his life he has been a straightforward and ardent Republican, always using his best endeavors towards promoting harmony in the party and urging principles to the welfare of the people and, it was, perhaps, this trait which enabled him to successfully hold the position of secretary of the Wayne County Republican Committee for 15 years through the many changes of its personnel. About seven years ago, Mr. Green was made chief clerk in the office of the county auditors and in that position has met thousands of people



who have business dealings with the office. That this opportunity has widened his acquaintance and established his reputation for reliability and efficiency goes without saying.

TO OVERCOME THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

Trade at B. A. WHEELER'S.

A good Sweet Corn, cans well filled at, per can 7c
For a limited time only.

Sardines--Red Cross Sardines at 7 Cans for 25c
I guess that is cheap enough

6 lbs Rolled Oats for 25c
15 lbs Sal Soda for 25c
3 cans Mustard Sardines for 25c

We are getting Fresh Celery and Vegetables twice a week now.

At B. A. WHEELER'S
Both-Phones. NORTHVILLE, MICH

Kitchen Luxuries

Don't confine all your luxuries to your parlor. There's plenty of luxury in nice kitchen ware. You spend a great deal more time in your kitchen than in your parlor, anyhow, so why be stingy with yourself just to please the people who come to see you? Our new Aluminum Ware and Pure White Granite Ware is a big improvement over the old black pots and pans. Both of these wares are beautifully clean, and make things taste good. Strong and durable, proof against rust, and above all, absolutely safe to use. Our Aluminum ware is absolutely pure, and our White Granite ware is made of steel, covered with two coats of enamel inside and out, with a smooth glossy finish, giving a handsome and attractive appearance. It will make your kitchen a pleasure resort, if you add to your household utensils a piece or two of either of the above, or both.

JAMES A. HUFF
NORTHVILLE, (Both Phones.) MICHIGAN.

While you work for others save your money;

then others will someday work for you

Banking your money regularly not only means that you get interest at the end of the year on each dollar you deposit; but it also means that you are prepared for sickness or calamity; that you can buy a home; that you can educate your children, that you can have a business of your own—it means INDEPENDENCE.

Let OUR Bank be YOUR Bank. We pay 3 per cent interest.

Northville State Savings Bank.

THE HOME Of Quality Groceries

THOSE After Meal Siestas With Cigar or Pipe In Easy Chair

Will Be Found Much More Enjoyable If Said Meals CONSIST OF OUR QUALITY GROCERIES

Try These—They'll Please.

Sunshine Whole Wheat Wafers..... 25c box
Sunshine Veroniques..... 25c box
Sunshine Philopena..... 25c box
Sunshine Hydrox Chocolate Biscuit 30c box

TRADE AT RYDER'S

LAYS BARE ENROLLMENT FRAUD

MAYOR THOMPSON, OF DETROIT, AIDED BY DETECTIVES, FINDS ILLEGAL REGISTRATIONS

1,200 "FAKE" VOTERS; TWELVE COLONIES UNEARTHED

Burns Operatives, After Close Investigation, Dig Up Proofs of Alleged Swindle. Arrests Are Due

One of the most colossal and barefaced attempts to debauch the electorate of the city of Detroit was exposed Friday night when William J. Burns turned over to prosecuting Attorney Shepard evidence of systematic fraudulent enrollments and colonization of voters, engineered by the political managers of Police Justice Jeffries, to further his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for mayor.

It is estimated that between 1,200 and 1,600 fraudulent enrollments have been made in the city clerk's office since the first Monday in April; the last date for enrolling in the books. Under the primary law persons wishing to enroll were obliged to make out an application and swear to it before a notary.

Newman Erb Resigns As Receiver

United States District Judge Tuttle, of Detroit, received the resignation of Newman Erb from the receivership of the Pere Marquette railroad, the resignation taking effect at once. Mr. Erb will be succeeded by Samuel M. Felton, of Chicago, whose appointment by the court will be asked by the Brakehoe & Foundry Co. on whose suit the receivers, including Mr. Erb, Dudley M. Waters of Grand Rapids and Frank W. Blair, of Detroit, were appointed April 5, 1912.

State Studying Fish Industry

William R. Gates, state game, fish and forestry warden, is obtaining information regarding the fishing industry in Michigan. The warden started two months ago to send out blanks to all fishermen, and the replies indicate that the industry is far greater than anticipated. The value of the catches will run into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Pension Bill is Passed

The pension bill has at last been passed by both branches of Congress and pensioners, whose vouchers have been held up, will now get their pay. The senate had to agree to legislation 18 pension agents out of their positions in order to get the house to pass the bill.

NEWS BRIEFS

The Valley Telephone Co. is considering establishing an automatic switchboard in Bay City.

Preparations are now well under way for the biennial state convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and Ladies' Auxiliary, at Ironwood, Aug. 21 and 22.

That there is "too much slip shod selection of music in American churches," is the charge made by the convention of American organists which is meeting in Auburn Park, N. J., this week.

All attempts to settle the strike of cotton cloth workers in New Bedford, Mass., which is in its fourth week and which is now keeping 13,000 hands idle, have been set at naught by the action of the weavers' union, which has voted to yield to nothing but the total abolition of the grading system, which they claim is a method of snuffing.

Prof. Carl Dusborg, of Berlin, first to arrive in New York of the foreign delegates to the Quadrennial International Congress of Chemistry, will discuss his method of producing artificial rubber. Before leaving Germany he presented to the German emperor a pair of motor car tires made of the artificial rubber, which is a product of coal tar.

The price of rice in Japan, according to mail advices, has advanced to a figure never before known. Failure of the crop in Siam and Burma being given as the reason, and large shipments of wheat and flour from the North Pacific Coast to Japan are looked for. An advance of fifty cents a ton in wheat and flour rates to the Orient will take place in September.

American tourists who have circled the globe are the only persons eligible for a "round-the-world association," now being organized in New York. The first meeting is to be held in September. More than 2,600 Americans girdle the globe every year, according to officials of steamship companies here.

The highest price ever paid for cattle in the United States was given at the stock yards in Chicago when beef on the hoof brought \$10.40 a hundred weight. The nearest approach to this price was made last week when \$10.25 a hundred was paid.

OROZCO'S LAST STAND

Rebel Leader Leaves Juarez to Engage Federal Troops

Gen. Pascual Orozco, the principal rebel leader of the Mexican revolution, has gone out from Juarez to take his last stand in an engagement with the government troops, according to a dispatch received at the war department from Gen. Steyer, commanding the American patrol at El Paso.

The movements of Orozco and his men, are somewhat mysterious, and it is believed he is endeavoring either to join the rebel forces in northwest Chihuahua, near the Sonora line, or to get behind the federal advance on Juarez.

The situation in Juarez is reported desperate. Following Orozco's withdrawal most of the men left on guard are drunk, and terrorizing the citizens. There has been considerable looting of private property.

Pensioners to Get Checks

President Taft has signed the \$100,000,000 pension appropriation bill and thousands of veterans and their dependents who have been without their usual allowance for many weeks will cash their checks in a few days. The 200,000 pensioners will receive checks from the agencies at Indianapolis, Knoxville, Louisville, New York, Philadelphia, and Toledo. The checks have been delayed since the regular mailing date of August 4, by the failure of congress to pass the budget.

Secretary Wilson to Leave Cabinet

Tammam Jim Wilson, secretary of agriculture and the oldest man in President Taft's cabinet, enjoyed his 77th birthday. Secretary Wilson said he was looking forward to quitting public life on March 1, next, regardless of who is elected president, so that he might go home among his grandchildren, "don his overalls and move around among the common people." Mr. Wilson has exceeded by four years the record for long service in the cabinet and under his regime the scope of the department of agriculture has been widely extended.

FLASHES FROM WIRE

The freedom of the city of Glasgow, Scotland, was conferred on Robert L. Borden, the Canadian premier, by Lord Provost Stevenson.

One man was killed and four others injured when a freight train crashed into a work train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near McKeesport, Pa.

Brig Gen William Crozier, United States army, chief of the bureau of ordnance, has been selected to succeed Brig Gen. A. L. Mills, as president of the army war college in Washington.

In resisting arrest Joseph Spitzer, 25 years old, of Paducah, N. Y., shot and seriously wounded the officer who attempted to take him into custody, killed his young wife and then committed suicide.

A portion of the new pier at Balboa, Panama, about 100 yards in length, collapsed and two heavy electric cranes fell onto the Pacific Mail Steamship Co's steamer Newport, causing it to sink.

Plans have been completed for a granite mausoleum forty feet square and fifty two feet high, to mark the last resting place of ex-Senator John F. Dryden, in the Mount Pleasant cemetery in Newark, N. J.

Chang Chen Wu, of Peking, China, who was alleged to be the originator of a conspiracy in Hankow and also the instigator of the attempts to shoot several members of the Ho Nau assembly, was arrested and summarily executed.

George Lesch is held in the county jail in Saginaw and a charge of murder will be made against him, a coroner's jury having decided that he killed John Rossman during a fight in Buena Vista township Sunday.

Testimony given by the wives of both Lesch and Rossman was to the effect that the former fired the shot that killed Rossman.

The project of Count Leopold Von Berchtold, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, to obtain gradual autonomy for all the European provinces of Turkey is welcomed in official circles in Paris but the French government's attitude will not be divulged until the return of Premier Poincaré from Russia and after the foreign office has discussed the project fully with France's friends and allies.

Three hundred horses belonging to farmers in Ness county, Kansas, have died during the last week from a malady that is puzzling veterinarians. Local experts who have been called to declare the horses have contracted a form of mold from eating grass that sprang up rank following recent heavy rains. The mold, it is said, is what it is, causes paralysis of the throat muscles and congestion of the brain.

The Transcontinental Excursion of the American Geological Society will leave New York and after crossing the continent to Seattle and San Francisco and visiting the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, will return by way of the southern states and Washington, reaching New York October 17. Meetings will be held in New York on October 17 and 18. This excursion is in honor of the sixtieth anniversary of the society.

William Bruce McMaster, American vice-consul at Cartagena, Colombia, has been shot and killed. Dispatches to the state department Wednesday reporting his death do not say if it was an accident or an assault. An investigation is being made.

The pension bureau faces the greatest financial crisis in its history as the result of the lack of funds. Reports from all the agencies received at the bureau tell the same story of no money for the veterans and their dependents on the nation's pension list. This condition is due to the delay of congress in passing the pension bill.

DARROW NOT GUILTY; JURY OUT HALF HOUR

CHICAGO LAWYER FOUND NOT GUILTY OF BRIBING A JUROR IN McNAMARA CASE IN LOS ANGELES.

COURT RULES OUT MUCH TESTIMONY IN HIS CHARGE TO JURY.

Defendant Deeply Moved as Crowd in Court Room Fight With Officers to Get to Famous Labor Leader

Clarence S. Darrow, the noted Chicago lawyer, was found not guilty in Los Angeles, Cal., of the charge of bribing a juror in the McNamara case.

The jury was out 34 minutes. Judge George H. Hutton in his charge to the jury eliminated the first count in the indictment that Darrow had bribed George N. Lockwood, a regularly drawn juror in the case of J. B. McNamara, who, while his trial was in progress, confessed to blowing up the Los Angeles Times building.

The evidence, Judge Hutton instructed, "did not justify a verdict of guilty on the first count."

The second count charged Darrow with attempting corruptly to induce a man about to be drawn as juror.

The court also instructed that a verdict of guilty could not be found on the uncorroborated evidence of accomplices.

Clarence S. Darrow, the Chicago lawyer, who was found not guilty on the charge of having bribed a prospective juror in the McNamara case, must stand trial on a second indictment, according to an announcement made by District Attorney Frederick immediately after the acquittal.

GRANDSTAND COLLAPSED

Michigan Committeeman E. O. Wood Takes Five Victims From the Debris

National Committeeman E. O. Wood, of Michigan, was the hero at Indianapolis of an accident during the notification ceremonies of Gov. T. R. Marshall, of Indiana, democratic nominee for vice president. While Alton B. Parker, of New York, was speaking the grandstand fronting on University place, seating 300 persons, collapsed.

Five persons were seriously hurt and scores of others were injured. Seated on the stand when the collapse came, besides Committeeman Wood, were Boyce Dabard and Dr. D. R. Crumpton of Monroe, F. P. Rowe, of Kalamazoo, Judge W. F. Conolly, of Detroit, and others. None of these were hurt.

Mr. Wood carried five persons out of the wreckage.

The injured were quickly carried into the Indiana Democratic club nearby or taken to hospitals and the notification ceremony proceeded.

GEN. BOOTH IS DEAD

Founder of the Salvation Army Passed Away After Long Illness

Gen. William Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, died Tuesday evening.

He had been failing since last May when an operation for cataract was performed on his left eye.

The veteran Salvation Army leader was unconscious for 48 hours previous to his death. The medical bulletins had not revealed the seriousness of the general's condition, which for a week past, it is now admitted, was hopeless.

SUN NOT ASSASSINATED.

Conspiracy Against Him Confirmed; Was Warned in Peking

Dr. Sun Yat Sen, first provisional president of the new Chinese republic, is still alive. The first authentic dispatches received here Tuesday say that the republican leader was not assassinated.

Dr. Sun was not in Peking at the time of the supposed attack. The leader of the "new China" movement had been informed that a plot existed and remained in Shanghai.

That a plot existed against him is confirmed. It had wide ramifications.

\$2 Car Tax Is Forbidden

Detroit business scores a signal victory in the announcement by the interstate commerce commission that the railway tariff order imposing a charge of \$2 for reconsignments within the switching limits of Detroit has been suspended.

The victory is not alone Detroit's, but benefits shippers and buyers of the state and finally of the entire country.

A G. R. & I freight train was wrecked at Walton Junction, 13 cars leaving the tracks.

Opening the twenty-fourth annual convention of the Loyal Order of Moose, delegates from all parts of the United States and from several foreign countries are assembled in Kansas City.

The orders of Masons and Elks of Lansing enjoyed a field day, the events taking place at the athletic field. The Masons defeated the Elks at baseball by a score of 7 to 2. Five thousand people attended the street parade and ball game. Two bands furnished music.

Only four cents in its possession, 700 unpaid pensioners, 249 seriously in need of money and from a dozen to 15 letters coming in daily from the veterans of Uncle Sam's armies—this is the condition that confronts the Detroit pension agency in the federal building, as a result of the neglect of congress to pass the pension bill.

THE ROSENTHAL CASE

Reduced Police Inspector of N. Y. Expected to Reveal Graft

Developments of a sensational kind in the Rosenthal case in New York are looked for as a result of Commissioner Waldo's reduction in rank of Inspector Cornelius G. Hayes, of the new tenderloin district, one of the best known police officials in the city.

It was reported that the deposed inspector had made several efforts to get in touch with District Attorney Whitman since his suspension. This has given rise to rumors that Hayes is anxious to give information to the district attorney.

There are many who believe that Hayes' position in the department has placed him in the best position of all the men in the police system to reveal certain transactions between the force and powerful Tammany politicians.

William Houtz, nearly blind, was electrocuted when he stepped on a live wire which had fallen in a business street during an electrical storm in Toledo.

General William Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army is dead.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle—Extra dry cows \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00, \$20.50, \$21.00, \$21.50, \$22.00, \$22.50, \$23.00, \$23.50, \$24.00, \$24.50, \$25.00, \$25.50, \$26.00, \$26.50, \$27.00, \$27.50, \$28.00, \$28.50, \$29.00, \$29.50, \$30.00, \$30.50, \$31.00, \$31.50, \$32.00, \$32.50, \$33.00, \$33.50, \$34.00, \$34.50, \$35.00, \$35.50, \$36.00, \$36.50, \$37.00, \$37.50, \$38.00, \$38.50, \$39.00, \$39.50, \$40.00, \$40.50, \$41.00, \$41.50, \$42.00, \$42.50, \$43.00, \$43.50, \$44.00, \$44.50, \$45.00, \$45.50, \$46.00, \$46.50, \$47.00, \$47.50, \$48.00, \$48.50, \$49.00, \$49.50, \$50.00, \$50.50, \$51.00, \$51.50, \$52.00, \$52.50, \$53.00, \$53.50, \$54.00, \$54.50, \$55.00, \$55.50, \$56.00, \$56.50, \$57.00, \$57.50, \$58.00, \$58.50, \$59.00, \$59.50, \$60.00, \$60.50, \$61.00, \$61.50, \$62.00, \$62.50, \$63.00, 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The DIAMOND CIPHER

A Baseball Romance

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SYNOPSIS.

Secret Service Chief Williams, puzzled over the theft of the government's cipher, calls to his aid Detective Pinkwell. They think they have discovered a new cipher. When the office boy, Brockett, tells them it is "The Diamond Cipher" and starts for the ball park, Brockett, Paula, Len, Karl, a Blaines, Ramon, Solano, a Cuban, together with some twenty other youngsters, practice baseball playing until dark. One of Williams' stenographers is seen to pass a paper to a mysterious stranger. An outcome of Brockett's cipher, the ball player and Solano are engaged by government for mysterious mission. A memo, mysterious, says on Brockett, Brockett falls into Yastimoto's trap. A fight follows. Brockett coming out on top, Messinger, McKean coming to the rescue, McKean was bearer of the mysterious cipher. He also a ball player. Yastimoto returns to headquarters and reports to Baron Zollern his failure to obtain the cipher. Miss Lawson, the stenographer, also reports to the baron.

CHAPTER VII.—(Continued.)

The baron's hand shot lightning fast into Brockett's inside pocket, and emerged, clutching a small, thin wallet. Baron Zollern was not only a Hercules and an able general, but something of a master in the art of legerdemain.

"Definitely my pocketbook, officer. Und, if I was not mistaken, he has also taken from me some papers—an envelope, which contains documents of much importance. Will you hold him, und look out for his friend, vile I recover my papaya?"

Solano was already moving forward, with a vague notion of an attack upon the policeman, when there was another clatter of feet from the rear. A second policeman was coming up, halting about twenty feet away, this officer took stock of the conditions and, grinning cheerfully, awaited the call of his partner.

Brockett had to do the fastest thinking of his life. An explanation to the policeman—who seemed a zealous but particularly thick-headed pair—would be worse than useless. They would simply arrest the boys and, undoubtedly, permit the baron to go up on his way with whatever plunder he could find upon his captives. The baron's searching hand was again thrusting eagerly into his inside-pocket—what, as it chanced, contained nothing but a few letters and wholly worthless objects. He would find nothing there, but his search, aided by the policeman at his side, would be a thorough one.

"I'll give you your papers, sir," spoke up the prisoner. "Will you let me off if I hand them over?"

The baron smiled benevolently, "I fear dot I would be goumounding a felony," he purred. "Still I could be easy mit you if de game efer grama to a drial. Vere las my papaya?"

Brockett began fumbling in his waistcoat, Baron Zollern, smiling broadly, stood by with extended hand, and the officer dropped his paw from the captive's shoulder. Brockett delved through his vest pockets for a mo-

at once, made a half turn, and darted off, while the astounded policeman, making one wild clutch in the air, managed to catch his toe against the protrude form of the baron, and fell heavily upon him. The grunt with which the baron hailed the advent of the officer upon his stomach was a fitting anti-climax to the thrust of his earlier fall.

Solano dashed after his friend, but the second policeman sprang eagerly to intercept him. Brockett, glancing back in full flight, saw the predicament of the Cuban, and, halting for an instant, shouted, "Slide, Ramon, slide!"

Solano went to the pavement in a compact, moving mass, and, shot along the stones, feet first. The oncoming shoes caught the policeman on the legs. He rose like some light and joyous bird, shot through the air with a howl of dismay, and joined the popular assembly on the stony ground. Before any of the three fallen men could pull his senses together or even struggle to his feet, Brockett and Solano had turned the nearest corner, dodged up an alley, and headed down a side street.

As they ran they heard hoarse bellowings, the rattling of whistles, and the thudding of clubs upon the pavement, but the sounds grew fainter, fainter, faded to a whisper and died away. The boys pulled up in the shadow of a flat-building, and regained their wind.

"I'm sorry for the big German," remarked Brockett. "That bump will keep him in bed a week, if it doesn't cripple him for life. It's a vicious trick, a devil's own bit of work, but I couldn't see any other chance. What on earth was the idea in that big fellow's head, I'd like to know?"

"If your top-piece isn't solid ivory," returned Solano, "you know well enough. It's a dollar to a crushed lemon that our Japanese friend was waiting round the next corner to grab the papaya, and I'd risk a little something that those policemen were planted ahead of time where they could come forward in a hurry."

"You said beautifully, Ramon," laughed Brockett as they resumed their march, jogging along at a fairly rapid gait. "If you had only said something that would have made it about ten afterwards I could mention, you could have saved a flock of gammas."

The Cuban flushed, and then laughed back at his friend.

"This was a different occasion, Harry. I fell more as if I were sitting at an unipro this time. Somehow or other I never could hear the idea of spiking an infidel, and that's why I allowed up so often when I should have hit the grit."

"This time, though," Brockett chuckled, "you slid for keeps. I shouldn't think what would have happened to that policeman if you had only had your spikes on."

Solano stopped, and lifted one foot.

Silently Brockett shook the Cuban's hand, and the youngsters, fully rested from their run, jogged onward to the railroad station.

CHAPTER VIII.

The journey north was made without special incident, and the time was spent in figuring out as complex and ramified a route as possible. With railroad maps and time-tables, the boys outlined a tour that would twist and turn like a collection of S's, and yet even with due allowance for delayed trains and possible intervals on foot or on horseback, would land them at Rancho Nogal within the time limit set by their superiors. Neither of the youngsters was so optimistic as to expect a smooth, uninterrupted journey, and each, as he speculated upon the chance of trouble, was mentally thankful for the presence of the strong, nervy, capable youth beside him.

"Brockett, with a good-sized map in hand, drew out a pencil and began marking down a few lines of connection, when the Cuban, with one quick jerk, wrested the pencil from his hand.

"Harry, you need a guardiab—Your mentality is just about fit for the ditty-house."

"Why, what's agitating you?" queried Brockett, astounded and somewhat jarred. The Cuban smiled derisively.

"You should know better, Harry, than to mark out our real route on any map or sheet of paper. We don't believe, of course, that there is anyone on this train who is on our track—and yet our best policy is to believe it up to the minute we reach Jersey City. Just for an experiment, we'll say, I have an idea."

"Why not have it toasted, with mayonnaise on the side? I'm hungry enough to eat it."

"Well, the African brother just announced that 'lunch, am pow sehved in de dining cah' ahad. Let's go in and punish the provender. And now watch, please, without appearing to do so. Notice the way I lay these maps upon the seat. Notice, also, that I take this little postage stamp, fold it, and gum it with one-half on each page of this time-table. Anyone who opens the time-table tears the postage stamp. Now, let's go and attend to the rations."

The boys did full justice to their lunch, and sauntered back to their seats. Their maps and papers lay apparently undisturbed, but Solano contracted his black eyebrows significantly as he examined the time-table. It had been opened, and the binding stamp had been torn in two.

"Still after us, old man," remarked the Cuban. "No, no, don't (stare) any Sherlock Holmes gaze upon the other passengers. Don't show a sign of surprise or worry. That would be playing right into their hands. Listen, now when we reach Jersey City, let's make a lightning exit without waiting for the train to coach the west shore terminals. Let's take a chance on getting our clothes dusty. If anyone is fool enough to rush out after us, we have him spotted—if he stays on the train we have a lot more chance to get away before he can land in the station."

"Wish we had hopped off at Phil Adolphia," sighed Brockett. "In a city of that size we might have made a better escape, and I happen to know the streets of the burg pretty well. We'll have to make the best of it now, though. The moment we hit the soil we'll run so fast we'll discover several new streets in Jersey City."

Solano was silent for a few minutes, and then his features lighted up.

"Do you happen to have an Eastern league schedule about you?" he demanded.

"Think I have. Got one with schedules of twenty leagues in it—this notebook. What's the idea?"

"Is Jersey City playing at home today?"

"Yes—playing Newark. Some fun there. That's old Iron Man McGinnity's team."

"Good stuff. Well, how's this for a supplement to our first idea; then go right out to the ball park, buy bleacher seats, and mix in with the crowd. It's hard, awfully hard, to locate anybody in a ball park, and the task would be twice as hard for some foreigner, who wouldn't even know how to find his way around the stands. We want to kill time in Jersey City till evening—where could we kill it more pleasantly or more safely?"

"Some of your ideas, dear Ramon, denote almost human intelligence. It listens good to me. But, say—we are just rolling into Jersey City now. Wait a bit—she'll stacken a little—NOW!"

"The boys sprang from their chairs and bolted down the aisle. An astonished negro tried to intercept them with a cry of "Hold on boss—w.e. ain't in de station yet!" but only received a shoulder and an elbow as reward. Solano unhesitatingly leaped, struck on a gravelly spot, went to his knees, and then shot forward on his palms. Brockett swung off a shade more carefully, landed fairly on his feet, and, after staggering a dozen yards, regained his balance.

"Any bones broken, Ramon?"

"Nothing but a suspender and my pet pipe. Little gravel in my knees and hands. I'll bet they think we are a pair of escaped crooks, but they can't back up the train. Hurry—let's get a vigorous move on!"

Twenty minutes later the messengers of state were buried in a mass of howling fans at the Jersey City ball park, where ancient rivalries with the Newark team were being settled. They picked a position halfway from the front of the bleachers, and the swarming fanatics, all around them, formed a wall that would have barred a video and an army to pierce through.

treachery, they gave themselves up to their favorite delight, and enjoyed the battle to their hearts' content. Both, of course, were absolutely non-partisan when they entered the park—the troubles of Newark and Jersey City were nothing to them. Before the game was half an inning old, however, they had become rabid "bugs," and were abusing each other in the glorious fashion that only lovers of the game can know. Solano became an ardent admirer of the Jersey City club; Brockett allied himself with Newark, and each cast virulent aspersions on the other's judgment, opinions and personality.

Newark, to the intense delight of Harry Brockett, drew ahead and won out, while Solano, after declaring that his friend was a base-born idiot, that the umpires were a porch-climber and a door-mat thief, respectively, and that the Jersey City manager was sold stone above the shoulders, calmed down, smote a fat man two rows ahead of him with a bag of peanuts, and looked innocently at the setting western sun. Then the boys, vastly refreshed and cheered by the afternoon's diversion, mingled with the outgoing myriads. As they poured across the field in the ruck, they crossed the track of the Newark players, bearing their bats triumphantly away. A gray-sleeved arm reached

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Solano's eyes telegraphed a message, and Brockett understood. Speaking in a voice loud enough to be heard halfway to the grandstand, he answered, "Yes. Two o'clock be all right? I'll be there," and then, shaking the Iron Man's hand, retreated once more to the shelter of the crowd.

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idea.
"What is your idea of a perfect husband?"
"One with about a million, who would lose no time in making me a merry widow."

Fitting Crime.
He—I know who egged you on to this.
She—Who egged me on?
He—That old hen.

In the Hotel Lobby.
Mary—That tall man has been divorced five times.
Alice—Goodness! Who is he?
Mary—He's the man who invented the safety match.

Accounted For.
"How is it so many people seem able to get the money to buy automobiles with?"
"If you only notice, they are the easiest things in the world with which to raise the dust."

His Reason.
He—Dearest—During the first dance I have with you be sure and say something to me.
She—Why?
He—Because you're so light, if you don't speak I will not know I have you in my arms.—Princeton Tiger.

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Took Slot Machine at Its Word.
A Kansas City woman recently took her two small daughters to make their first visit to her husband's people, living in a small Kansas town. Naturally she was anxious to make as favorable an impression as possible. So the two little people, on going on an errand to the depot, were cautioned to be on their very best behavior. To the mother's surprise, they returned vigorously chewing gum. As they had no money, she asked them where they got it.

"Oh," explained the older one, "it said on the slot machine, 'Ask the agent for peopies,' so we did."

Matter of Justice.
Where shall justice begin, with those who have power or with those who suffer wrong? If exact and ideal justice were done, the weak would make an effort to give to the strong all that is their due, and the strong would try to put their affairs in order so that no just cause of complaint should exist anywhere. The unhappy element in the relations of the strong and the weak is that both are thinking too much about exacting justice and not enough about doing that which is just and right. "Pay what thou owest" is the cry most often heard. "Give me that which is my due then I will pay you what I owe"—The Christian Register.

Accorded Full Title.
One of the New York representatives in congress told of a social function in an assembly district political club on the East side, whereat the chairman of the entertainment committee acted as master of ceremonies.

The chairman was very busy introducing the newly-arrived members of the club to the guests, who included a number of municipal officers. The representative mentioned was presented in a way to halve his official honors with his wife, as "The Honorable and Mrs. Congressman, Blank." Next came a couple who were not known to the master of ceremonies, but, after receiving the correct name in a whisper, he announced:

"Mr and Mrs. Inspector of Hydrants, Faucets and Shopworks Casey."—Lippincott's.

WELL PEOPLE TOO
Wise Doctor Gives Postum to Convalescents.

A wise doctor tries to give nature its best chance by saving the little strength of the already exhausted patient, and building up wasted energy with simple but powerful nourishment.

"Five years ago," writes a doctor "I commenced to use Postum in my own family instead of coffee." (It's a well-known fact that tea is just as injurious as coffee because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.) "I was so well pleased with the results that I had two grocers place it in stock, guaranteeing its sale."

"I then commenced to recommend it to my patients in place of coffee, as a nutritious beverage. The consequence is, every store in town is now selling it, as it has become a household necessity in many homes."

"I'm sure I prescribe Postum as often as any one remedy in the Materia Medica—in almost every case of indigestion and nervousness I treat, and with the best results."

"When I once introduce it into a family, it is quite sure to remain. I shall continue to use it and prescribe it in families where I practice."

"In convalescence from pneumonia, typhoid fever and other cases I give it as a liquid, easily absorbed diet. You may use my letter as a reference any way you see fit." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.



"SLIDE, RAMON, SLIDE!"

ment, brought up his empty hand, and then, with the speed of a pouncing leopard, flung himself to his knees, seized Baron Zollern's ankles, and pulled savagely.

The huge German, with a roar of surprise, and helpless rage, toppled backward, landing on the nose of his spine with a crash that fairly shook Brockett to his very marrow.

Something flashed keenly, venomously, from the sole and heel.

"I had them on," confessed the Cuban, "and that officer must have the worst-looking pair of shins that were ever taken to a hospital. Honestly, Harry, I'd feel like a brute if it wasn't for the circumstances and for the value of the work that we have set

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BLAINE'S PROPHECIC WORDS.

One of the most brilliant and far-sighted statesmen of the last generation was James G. Blaine. Probably no Republican of his times had so large and devoted a following in every section of the country. He was broad and comprehensive in his views and one of the great party leaders of his day. He never wavered in his allegiance to the Republican party and the principle of protection. Some time before Grover Cleveland became president, or the Wilson-Gorman tariff emancipation saw the light of day, Mr. Blaine, with marvelous prophetic vision said: "The great body of our people have never experienced themselves the sufferings which always result when protective principles are laid aside. Poisoned and excited by the wild statements of these writers and the demagogic appeals of the Democratic speakers, the result will be that in the very near future these forces which are now working will be strong enough to defeat at the polls the party advocating the doctrine of protection. It must inevitably follow that uncertainty and doubt will ensue. The business men of the country, fearing the destruction of the principles of protection, will decline to engage in business, consequently, mills will shut down, and the working-man will be thrown out of employment. The people will then see as they have never seen before that they cannot be prosperous and have work while the principle is threatened. In the midst of their sufferings they will learn that the only way they can be prosperous and happy is to vote for the party that has built up the industries by which they have gained a livelihood; because they will then see clearly that when the manufacturing is shut down there is no demand for the only thing they have to sell."

These graphic words describe exactly what actually took place after the Democrats got full possession of the government in 1893. "The working people did have 'to learn' in the midst of their sufferings," and the lesson was a fearful one.

WAYNE COUNTY TEACHER'S ASSO'N

FIRST MEETING FOR 1912 CALLED FOR SEPTEMBER 7

New Course of Study Now Ready for Rural Scholars

The Wayne County Teachers' association will hold its first meeting for the year at the Ann Vicer school, River Rouge, commencing at 9:30, Saturday, September 7th. Teachers should take South Dearborn car or Wyandotte-Trenton car.

It is thought by the committee that this meeting will come at an opportune time, at the beginning of the school year, when teachers are returning to work and usually feel in need of inspiration and instruction.

A new Course of Study will be distributed at this time. It outlines the teaching of agriculture in the rural schools, for which there is a great demand, and teachers of Wayne County must instruct in this work to be up-to-date.

The instructors at this meeting are Dr. Charles McKenny, the new president of the Ypsilanti Normal College, Miss Florence Marsh, musical instructor of the Grand Rapids schools, and W. Wheaton Smith of Detroit.

Commissioner Yost says he hopes that every teacher will avail himself of the opportunity to attend this meeting.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher.



W. H. HILL, of Detroit. Candidate for Congressman-at-large, on the Progressive Ticket.

This office has just been created. Michigan is now represented by 12 congressmen and two senators, of which 12 are lawyers and only two are businessmen. Would it not be well to inject a little more business common sense and less technicalities into our laws?

I have been a manufacturer of furniture and drug specialties in Detroit for 27 years. I stand squarely on the Progressive platform adopted at Chicago.

All my opponents for this nomination are lawyers.

I will appreciate your vote and influence at the primaries of Aug. 27th.

Every elector, irrespective of former party affiliation, and irrespective of whether or not he is enrolled in any political party, who desires to support some candidate on the Progressive ticket, has the right to enroll at the Primaries Aug. 27th, as a Progressive, and vote for one or all candidates on that ticket. That will not bar him from voting in the November election for any person he wishes, whether Progressive or Republican or Democrat.

NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

Contributions to this column are earnestly solicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting elsewhere, drop a line to that effect in the Record from Box in the postoffice.

Avery Garfield is visiting his sister in Detroit this week.

Mrs. J. Ball visited her sister in Monroe the first of the week.

Mrs. Ida Holmes of Jackson was a Northville visitor this week.

Miss Emma Ballard of Clyde is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McLean and son visited friends in Farmington over Sunday.

Mr. Joe Hunt and daughters of Walled Lake were Northville callers Tuesday.

Mrs. R. H. Sacrett of Detroit visited her sister, Mrs. M. D. Taylor, Tuesday.

Truman Garfield returned home Sunday after a week's visit with his sister in Detroit.

Arthur McNeal of Ann Arbor is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Richard son, for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Cavell attended the funeral of Mr. Wm. Barland at Straits' lake Monday.

Dr. P. Alexander enjoyed a visit from his mother, Mrs. O. Alexander of Utah over Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Perkins of Bennington visited friends in town last week Thursday and Friday.

Misses Zera and Florence Sackett of Detroit are spending the week with relatives in town.

Miss Mary Daly of Dearborn was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Taft, part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stanley left Tuesday for Vassar and Bay City where they will visit friends.

Mrs. Darrell Dunham and Miss Marjorie Shafer visited friends and relatives in Detroit last week.

Miss Lulu Becker of Pontiac spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. E. J. Tremper and daughter.

Mrs. L. B. Cavell left Wednesday for an indefinite stay with friends at Howell and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Geo. Johnston returned the first of the week from a three weeks' visit with her sister in Jackson.

Mrs. D. B. Henry and son Lawrence, have returned from a visit with relatives in Canada.

Miss Ina Masters and Mrs. Bessie Getner of Buffalo who have been visiting Mrs. F. L. Newton, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Stevens returned to Detroit Monday after a week's visit in town.

Miss Elizabeth Emory returned to her home in Detroit Sunday after a week's visit with her uncle, Spencer Clark and family.

Mrs. Sam McLean and mother, Mrs. Mary Criger, leave Saturday for a visit with relatives in Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. F. J. Montague and Miss Nila Bostwick of Caro were guests of the former's sister Miss Hazel VanStickle on Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. A. H. Harmon was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Edwin Perrin of Washington, D. C. is the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Mercy Evans of Holly is visiting her brothers and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steers were over Sunday guests of Ypsilanti friends.

W. S. Dickerson and wife were guests of her brother at Belleville last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Neal are expected home from their New York visit Saturday.

The Misses Cecil Johnston and May Woodmanson were Ypsilanti callers Monday.

The Misses Mercy and Harriet VanAken of Detroit are guests of Northville relatives.

Little Miss Doris Losey of Detroit is the guest of Mildred Harger at her grandfather's home.

Mrs. Robt. Earle and Mrs. Horace Whitney of Hemlock are visiting L. J. Sonnenburg and family.

Mrs. Lillian Ambler and son Carroll returned home Wednesday from a visit at Cleveland, O.

Miss Mary Litsenburger returned home Monday from a two week's visit in Fennville and other places.

Mrs. Betty Armstrong has returned home from Saginaw, where she has been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Woodworth were called to Fenton Saturday by the death of the latter's great grandfather.

The Misses Florence Litchfield and Helen Horstberger of Williamston were guests of Ruth Christensen this week.

Miss Pauline Peck returned home the first of the week from a visit with her sister Mrs. Lawrence Lyons in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyer and Mr. and Mrs. William Shew of Monroe visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ball Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cobb and daughter Lucille of Mt. Pleasant are guests of the former's brother, D. J. Cobb and family.

Mrs. Louie VanValkenburg was called to Fenton Saturday by the death of her grandmother. She returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nellis and three children and friend, Frank Nellis of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Simon.

Mrs. Laura Fishback of Howell and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fishback and three children of Detroit spent Sunday at Dr. E. B. Cavell's.

Dr. and Mrs. Caruthers and children of Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cameron of this place are spending a couple of weeks at Union Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Richardson and daughter, Miss Ida, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richardson spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. McNeal at Ann Arbor.

Miss Rebecca Risman of Detroit was the guest of Miss Ina Southerman Sunday. Miss Ruth Vellick, who has been spending the past two months here returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herdman and daughter Doris of Los Angeles, Cal. left Monday for Chicago to visit relatives before returning home. They have been the guest of the former's sister, Mrs. Julia West.

Miss Olive Dixon returned home Tuesday evening from a two month's trip through the west with a party of friends. She was accompanied home by Miss Clara Ottman of Oberlin, O., who spent a few days here.

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late Mrs. Z. G. Allen wish to express, through the columns of this paper, their appreciation of the kindly attentions shown their mother by her friends in her last illness; also the many attestations of love and respect for her in the floral offerings sent by the neighbors; the ladies of the Baptist church; the King's Daughters and many others. For all of which we render our most sincere thanks.

ZADOC G. ALLEN, CHAS. VANVALKENBURG, AND BOYS.

W. R. C. Notes.

[By Press Correspondent]

The next regular meeting will be held Wednesday, August 28.

FOR SALE—Good work horse, weighing about 1,100 lbs. Inquire Fred Wendt, 22 Plymouth avenue, Northville. 4w2p

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Thomas Tavern, \$5 per week. Apply at once. 4w1

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Dress Goods - See Our New Styles at THE WHITE HOUSE

Navy Blues, Electric Tans, Grays, etc. Fleece Downs, newest and latest styles. See window. Outing Flannels. Now is the time to buy, to get the best weight and styles 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c. Ladies' Waists, size 40, overstocked. This week 1-2 price. Ladies' Muslin Gowns 25 per cent off. Outing Gowns, 50c, 75c, \$1. Splendid values. Crepe Cloth, latest effects. Pattern Table Cloths and Napkins, new goods; rich designs. 100 Tooth Brushes, 15c and 25c quality, for 10c each. 225 pairs Corset Cover Ribbon, Nos. 1, 1-2, 2, 10c each.

EDWIN WHITE, NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

FINE WATCH REPAIRING. WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, DIAMONDS, CUT GLASS, ENGRAVING.



TIME WAS WHEN TIME WAS MEASURED BY A SUN DIAL

Even the First Watches were Made With But One Hand.

As time progressed and fractions of hours become more valuable, two, and then three hands appeared.

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No man or woman can afford to be without such a timepiece, at the reasonable prices we make.

Call and inspect them.

OTTO LOOMIS, Northville. (Both Phones.) The Jeweler.

OUR FOR COUNTY CLERK

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was appreciated was shown by the fact that he received a majority of the votes in every election district outside of the city of Detroit, with the exception of one in which he was only defeated by a small majority.

It is well known that it has been the custom of Republican office holders, as sheriff and others, to hold office for two terms, which they have always considered sufficient. When Mr. Green was defeated four years ago, he said he would wait until his opponent had held the office for two terms and would then run for the office again.

His political and personal friendship has been extended not only during the past four years but all his life and his friends assure him of success this year. Mr. Green is associated with numerous fraternal organizations and happy in the association of a grown up family prominent in Detroit's social affairs and in the event of his election, he promises to give the public the most efficient and economical service possible, never forgetting that, at all times he is a public servant.

Four years ago Mr. Green entered the race for county clerk. He made a clean straightforward fight for the nomination and that his worth

out anything and who have come in contact with him have always found him ready to serve the public in a most polite and patient manner either rich or poor. His connection in the auditor's office has thoroughly familiarized him with the details and duties of the county clerk's office, which is one of the reasons for him to become a candidate for the place. Another is the fact that Mr. Green's opponent has served two full terms, which has been the customary time for county officials to serve. This last reason ought to be received by the voters in a spirit of fairness to those seeking nominations, as long as they are equipped with the qualifications necessary to do the office.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

For soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. This Liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

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Vote For Amos S. Musselman FOR GOVERNOR

A SAFE, SOUND, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION FOR ALL MICHIGAN. Common Sense, Energy and Integrity—These Are What the People Want. Good Men Must Be Chosen at the Primaries.

TO THE VOTERS OF MICHIGAN. I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor at the primaries, August 27th.

In my judgment, there can be no better training or experience for efficient service in the Executive Office of the State, than that acquired in active business life and in meeting and solving the problems that come before those who develop and build up the community and State. It is upon such a record rather than upon an officeholding career in Lansing, that my candidacy is based.

My fellow citizens, if you believe in the need of a business administration of the State's affairs, give me your active support on Primary Day, August 27th. Very respectfully yours, AMOS S. MUSSelman.

Phone 247-J. DIAMOND DAIRY

Northville's Model Dairy. Everything in a strictly sanitary condition. All milk we sell is the product of our own dairy. Our having fresh 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 getting. WE ALWAYS AIM TO PLEASE. G. C. BENTON

DETROIT NEWS ADS.

Detroit News Liner Ads received at the Northville Record Office.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the twenty-ninth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve. Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of ORSON EVERITT, deceased. Beldah Everitt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, having rendered to this court her final administration account and filed therewith her petition praying that the residue of said estate be assigned in accordance with the provisions of said last will.

It is ordered that the twenty-fourth day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Court Room, be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate. CHAS. T. CHADWICK, Probate Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the twenty-ninth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve. Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM C. HAKES, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Theodore M. Bakes praying that, as administrator of said estate, he be granted to him or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the twenty-ninth day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

HENRY S. HULBERT, Judge of Probate. ALBERT W. FLANT, Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the fifth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve. Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of JAMES HESSIOM, deceased. Charles A. Sessions, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, having rendered to this court the final account of said estate and filed therewith the petition of said executor praying that the residue of said estate be assigned in accord with the provisions of the last will and testament of said deceased.

It is ordered that the third day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room, be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

HENRY S. HULBERT, Judge of Probate. ALBERT W. FLANT, Register.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE—In the matter of the estates of CHAS. I. FERGUSON and ADA FERGUSON KLEMPH, deceased persons. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the Lighthouse State Savings Bank, Northville, Michigan, in said county, on Tuesday, the 15th day of October, A. D. 1912, and on Saturday, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 9 a. m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 15th day of August A. D. 1912, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated August 15 1912. PHANIS G. TERRILL, CHAS. A. SESSIONS, Commissioners.

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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Special meeting of O. E. S. this Friday evening. Initiatory work. Miss Edna Newton was confined to the house several days this week by illness. Regular communication Northville Lodge No. 186 F. and A. M. will be held Monday evening August 26, 7:30 p. m. Labor Day will be celebrated in Northville Monday, September 2, with sports, ball games, with Redford, at Athletic Park. Mrs. Roy Van Valkenburg returned home last Wednesday from Ann Arbor hospital, where she recently underwent an operation. She is doing nicely. Prof. Wheaton and family have moved into the house recently purchased of Mrs. Julia West. The latter is making her home for a time with Mrs. M. Kurth. Mrs. Alice Postal was taken to a hospital in Ann Arbor Tuesday, where she will be treated for nervous trouble. She is in a very serious condition, having been ill the past three months. Miss Lida Richardson and Arthur McNeal, of Ann Arbor, who is visiting here, picked up Walled Lake Wednesday, with Miss Ethel and Aron Chapman of that place. The union picnic of the Baptist and Presbyterian Sunday schools was held in Benton's woods Wednesday. The day was perfect for the occasion and every one greatly enjoyed themselves. You wouldn't know the old electric light repair wagon that Sam Wilkinson is driving around, so splendid is it in its new coat of aluminum paint. If it was for the words "electric light and water works" in gold letters across one side. Otto Loomis has installed a new sign in his store, by means of which every passer-by may know the correct time of day. The face of a clock is painted in gilt on his show window, while the hands are worked by an invisible mechanical device. Miss Irene Dixon entertained at luncheon Tuesday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Genevieve Birch of Detroit. The young ladies present were the Misses Ruth Christensen and her guests Helen Hornberger and Florence Litcheild of Williamston, Frances Stillington of Novi and Hazel Perkins. Just about one half of the crowd at the gala day ball came at Plymouth last Thursday morning, was made up of Northville fans. In spite of this however our boys were defeated with a score of 5 to 3. The game started wrong for Northville in the first place, as Kelly, who was pitching, gave the first two Plymouth men up to bat, home runs. After that however, they played ball, pulling up three scores against big Jack Carroll. The game was called in the first of the seventh else the "Detroit" or the Plymouth team, might have had a different story to tell. As it was, the score stood 5 to 3 in their favor. Henry Franklin was slightly injured in an automobile accident Thursday noon. He was standing in front of the Saavie blacksmith shop when a shower came up. He made a dash across the street to get out of the rain and was knocked down by W. H. Cattermole's automobile, the driver having failed to see him start across the road. Henry was severely bruised and will probably be laid up about a week. It is a wonder that he got off so easily.

Baptist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.) Regular services in this church Sunday. The ladies of the church will hold their regular monthly business meeting at the home of Mrs. Jesse Clark, Wednesday p. m. at 2 o'clock.

Methodist Church Notes.

(By the Pastor.) The Ladies Aid Society will hold a bake sale Saturday, August 31, at Murdock's store.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

Services as usual at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

FORBES ROBERTSON FOR COUNTY AUDITOR

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rendered the people of Wayne county. Though opposed by the other two auditors, his stand was positive to reduce the number of janitors and guards in the County building on account of the expense to taxpayers, and his opposition to having a large force of employees that stood for political machine purposes for those

who appointed them; and including among them ringleaders of chicken fights, which is strictly in violation of the law. They should have no place on the county payroll.

"His strong stand against the Detention home site as favored by Oakman and Buhner, won for him the support of all interested citizens and the confirmation of the Board of Supervisors at their last meeting. Robertson pointed out that the growth of the county absolutely requires, anticipating their present requirements by twenty-five years, and that adequate ground and fresh air space should be provided for the children, and that he was opposed to buying new land when land now owned by the City of Detroit (about 25 acres) could be secured for nothing by making a request to the alderman for it. The City of Detroit represents six sevenths of the County of Wayne, which speaks for itself.

"His successful efforts in securing a commutation ticket, good until used, in the Grosse Ile Bridge franchise, when it originally limited tickets to thirty days, meant much to Wagonville citizens and all users of the Grosse Ile bridge.

"His stand in giving financial support to Prosecuting Attorney Shepherd and his office in their crusade against the illegal slot machines, chicken fights, quack doctors and loan sharks, stamp him as the right kind of a man to have on the Board of Auditors. He stands independent for the people's interests, for fair play and a fair deal to everyone, irrespective of politics."

HUGH SHEPHERD FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

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idle since assuming the duties of his office is apparent from the things that have been accomplished by him. His first effort or crusade was directed toward the abolition of the slot machine in Wayne County. He found 500 or more such machines being operated unlawfully in this county, all of which were confiscated and destroyed.

"His attention was next directed toward the loan shark evil. It was found that there were twenty-one loan companies operating illegally in the city of Detroit and that they had loans aggregating \$700,000, at least 300,000 of which represented illegal interest charges. The operation of these companies were arrested and all parties having loans with them were advised to refuse to pay any unlawful interest charges. An unusual thing was also done, in that the services of the Prosecuting Attorney's office were offered gratuitously to any parties who might be sued civilly by loan companies for the recovery of unlawful loans. During the operation of this crusade it is safe to say that at least \$500,000 has been saved to the citizens of Wayne County and no fold suffering and humiliation caused by the methods of collectors employed by these human monsters absolutely stopped.

"His next effort was directed toward the so-called quack doctors or medical sharks. It was ascertained that these parties through unlawful advertising were imposing especially upon the poor and ignorant of the city and county, and that immense sums of money were being taken without any good, and that really actual harm was being done to those treated. The offices of these medical quacks were raided, their correspondence confiscated, and criminal prosecutions instituted against them, which have been carried to a successful termination.

"At the present time Mr. Shepherd and his assistants are busily engaged in the prosecution of the graft charges against the aldermen of the City of Detroit, and an earnest effort is being made to clarify the conditions existing in the Common Council and other public bodies.

"It is also worthy of note that the record of convictions as secured by Mr. Shepherd and his staff during the past few months has never been equalled, and that at the present time the county jail is practically empty, and that all criminal cases now pending are such as have originated since the first of August.

"For the things that have been accomplished by Mr. Shepherd since taking office, he believes that he is justified in appealing to the citizens of the county for a nomination and election at their hands at the coming primaries and the annual general election to be held in November. If you approve of the record he has made he requests your vote on August 27th."

Dignity and Justice. "Hourly and earnestly strive, as a Roman and a man, to do what falls to your hand with perfect unaffected dignity, with kindness, freedom and justice, and free your soul from every other imagination.—Marcus Aurelius."

Hinchman—Sidick

Miss Adeline Sidick of Detroit, and Harvey Hinchman of this place were married by Justice J. O. Knapp at the latter's home on the Fishery road, Wednesday evening. The Justice is very proud of the fact that he got through the ceremony without a break, even if it was his first attempt.

Obituary

Mary Holmes was born in Commerce township February 7, 1842, and departed from this life August 18, 1912.

The eldest of a family of eleven children, she was married in 1876 to Michael Mauk, who died some years ago.

Mrs. Mauk was a faithful member of the Northville M. E. church and a warm friend to all who knew her. She leaves two brothers and four sisters to mourn her death.

Mrs. Mary Allen Dead.

Mrs. Mary Allen died last Friday of paralysis, aged eighty-eight years. She leaves one son, Zadoc, of this place.

The funeral was held from the home Sunday afternoon.

CAFD. OF THANKS.

We wish to thank those who so kindly assisted during the accidental death of our sister.

MR. AND MRS. HARRY CASH

Lost articles quickly recovered through Record-Want Ads.

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FOR SALE—My house and lot on Dunlap street. House 11 rooms, lot 20 rods deep. T. B. Banks

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What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market corrected up to date.

wheat, white—\$1.04	wheat, red—\$1.05
Oats, New—55c	
Shelled corn—75c	
Saled hay per ton—\$15.00	
Hogs alive—\$7.25	
Dressed Hogs—\$9.50	
Cattle—\$5.50	
Lamb—\$5.00	
Beef hides—8.00	Beef on foot—\$0.80
Feal calves live—\$7.00	
Eggs—20c	Butter—28c

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THE PRODIGAL JUDGE

By VAUGHAN KESTER
ILLUSTRATIONS BY D. MELVILLE



SYNOPSIS.

The scene at the opening of the story is laid in the library of an old worn-out southern plantation, known as the Bayou. The place is to be sold, and the history of the place is given. The Quindars, the subject of discussion by Jonathan Crenshaw, a business man, a stranger known as Bladen, and Yancy, a farmer, who has been visiting. Yancy is a mysterious child of the old southern family, makes his appearance at Belle Plantation, adopted by Judge Slosson, the father of the Bayou, but the Quindars deny any knowledge of the boy. Yancy to keep Hannibal, Captain Murrell, a friend of the Quindars, appears and asks questions about the boy. Trouble at Scratch Hill, when Hannibal is kidnapped by Dave Blunt, Captain Murrell's agent. Yancy overtakes Blunt, gives him a thrashing and accuses the boy. Yancy appears before Squires Bladen, and is discharged with costs for the plaintiff. Hannibal arrives at the home of Judge Slosson. The Judge recognizes the boy, the grandson of an old time friend. Murrell arrives at Judge Slosson's home. Cavendish family on raft, rescue Yancy, who is apparently dead. Price breaks a jail. Betty and Carrington arrive at Belle Plantation. Carrington is some attacking charges to the Judge. Hannibal and Betty meet again. Murrell arrives at Belle Plantation. Carrington makes a discovery in looking on the raft. Yancy is a friend of the Judge, who assists the Judge, is mysteriously assaulted. Norton informs Carrington that Betty has promised to marry him. Norton is mysteriously killed. Carrington is mysteriously killed. Carrington is mysteriously killed.

pushed open by Betty and the boy, and again he called to them to escape by the skiff. The fire of the current had grown steadily and from beneath the wide-swinging branches of the trees which here met above his head, Carrington caught sight of the star-speckled arch of the heavens beyond. They were issuing from the bayou. He felt the river snatch at the keel boat, the buffeting of some swift eddy, and saw the blunt bow swing into the south as they were plunged into the black shore shadows.

"But what he did not see was a big muscular hand which had thrust itself out of the impenetrable gloom and clutched the side of the keel boat. Coincident with this there arose a perfect babel of voices, high-pitched and shrill.

"Sho—I bet it's him! Sho—it's Uncle Bob's neryy! Sho, you can hear 'em! Sho, they're shootin' guns! Sho!"

Carrington cast a hurried glance in the direction of these sounds. There between the boat and the shore the dim outline of a raft was taking shape. It was now enveloped by a wealth of pale gray smoke that faded from before his eyes as the darkness lifted.

The light increased. From the flat stone hearth of the raft ascended a tall column of flame which rendered visible six pigmy figures, tow-headed and wonderfully vocal, who were toiling like mad at the huge sweeps. The light showed more than this—it showed a lady of plump and pleasing presence smoking a cob pipe while she fed the fire from a tick stuffed with straw. It showed two black shanties, a line between them decorated with the never ending Cavendish wash. It showed a roustabout perched on the ridge-pole of one of these shanties in the very act of crowing loudly.

Hannibal, who had clutched to the roof of the cabin, shrieked for help, and Betty added her voice to his.

"All right, Neryy!" came the cheer full reply, as Yancy threw himself over the side of the boat and grasped with both hands.

"Uncle Bob! Uncle Bob!" cried Hannibal.

Hannibal uttered a cry of terror. He had a simple but abiding faith in the supernatural, and even with the Scratch Hiller's big hands gripping his throat, he could not rid himself of the belief that this was the ghost of a murdered man.

"You'll take a dog's barking from me neighbor," said Yancy grimly. "I've been saving it for you!"

Meanwhile Mr. Cavendish, whose proud spirit never greedily inclined him to the practice of peace, had prepared for battle. Springing aloft he knocked his heels together.

"Whoop! I'm a man as can slide down a thorny logst and never get scratched!" he shouted. This was equivalent to setting his triggers; then he manuevered himself nimbly and with enthusiasm into the thicket of the figat. It was Mr. Blunt's untort-

lato privilege to sustain the onslaught of the Earl of Lambeth.

The light from the Cavendish hearth continued to brighten the scene, for Polly was recklessly sacrificing her best straw tick. Indeed her behavior was in every way worthy of the noble alliance she had formed. Her cob pipe was not suffered to go out and with Connie's help she kept the six small Cavendishes from risk, toward life and limb in the keel boat, toward which they were powerfully drawn. Despite these activities she found time to call to Betty and Hannibal on the cabin roof.

"Jump down here; that ain't no fit place for you all to stop in with them gentlemen afloat!"

An instant later Betty and Hannibal stood on the raft, with the little Cavendishes flocking about them. Mr. Yancy's quest of his neryy had taken an enduring hold on their imagination. For weeks it had constituted their one vital topic, and the light became merely a satisfying background for this interesting restoration.

"Sho, they got nims! Sho—he want no bigger than Richard! Sho—'em!" cried Betty, with a fearful glance toward the keel boat. "Can't you stop them?"

"What to?" asked Polly, opening her black eyes very wide. "Bless yo' tender heart!—you don't need to worry none, we got them strange gentlemen licked like they was a passel of children! Connie, you all mind that fire!"

She accurately judged the outcome of the fight. The boat was little better than a stambles with the havoc that had been wrought there when Yancy and Carrington dropped over its side to the raft. Cavendish followed them, whooping his triumph as he came.

CHAPTER XXIX.

The Raft Again.

Yancy and Cavendish throw themselves on the sweeps and worked the raft clear of the keel boat, then the turbulent current seized the smaller craft and whirled it away into the night, as its black bulk receded from under his eyes the Earl of Lambeth spoke with the voice of authority and experience.

"It was a good fight and them fell lows done well, but not near well enough! A conclusion that could not be gainsaid. He added, 'No one ain't hurt but them that had ought to have got hurt. Mr. Yancy's all right, and so's Mr. Carrington—who's mighty welcome here.'

"Mr. Carrington's kin to me, Polly," explained Yancy to Miss Cavendish. His voice was far from steady, for Hannibal had been gathered into his arms and had all but wrecked the stoc calm with which the Scratch Hiller was seeking to guard his emotions.

Polly smiled and dimpled at the Kentuckian. Trained to a romantic

point of view, she had a frank liking for handsome, stalwart men. Cavendish was neither, but none knew better than Polly that where he was most lacking in appearance he was richest in substance. He carried scars honorably earned in those differences he had been prone to cultivate with less generous natures for his scheme of life did not embrace the millennium.

"Thank God, you got here when you did!" said Carrington.

"We was some pushed to time, but we done it," responded the earl modestly. He added, "What now?—do we make a landing?"

"No—unless it interferes with your plans not to go. I want to get around the next bend before we tie up. Later we'll all go back. Can I count on you?"

"You shorly can—I consider this here as sociable a neighborhood as I ever struck. It pleases me well. Folks are up and doing hefeabout."

Carrington looked eagerly about in search of Betty. She was sitting on an upturned tub, a pathetic enough figure as she drooped against the wall of one of the shanties with all her courage quite gone from her. He made his way quickly to her side.

"Lal!" whispered Polly to Chibus and Yancy's ear. "If that pore young thing yonder keeps a whoop it won't be because of any encouragement she gets from Mr. Carrington. If I ever seen marriage in a man's eye I seen it in his this minute!"

"Bruce!" cried Betty, starting up as Carrington approached. "Oh, Bruce, I am so glad you have come—you are not hurt?" She accepted his presence without question.

"We are none of us hurt, Betty," he said gently, as he took her hand.

He said that the suffering she had undergone, during the preceding twenty-four hours had left its record on her tired face and in her heavy eyes. She retained a shuddering consciousness of the uncheckd savagery of those last moments on the keel boat; she was still hearing the roasts of the men as they struggled together, the sound of blows, and the dreadful silences that had followed them (she turned from him, and there came the relief of tears.

"There, Betty, the danger is over now and you were so brave while it lasted. I can't bear to have you cry."

"I was wild with fear—all that time on the boat, Bruce," she faltered between her sobs. "I didn't know but they would find you out. I could only wait and hope and pray."

"I was in no danger, dear. Didn't the girl tell you I was to take the place of a man Slosson was expecting? He never doubted that I was that man until a light—a signal it must have been—on the shore at the head of the bayou betrayed me."

"Where are we going now, Bruce? Not the way they went—" and Betty glanced out into the black void where the keel boat had merged into the gloom.

"No, no—but we can't get the raft back up-stream against the current, so the best thing is to land at the Bates' plantation below here; then as soon as you are able we can return to Belle Plant," said Carrington.

There was an interval broken only by the occasional sweep of the great steering oar as Cavendish coaxed the raft out toward the channel. The thought of Charley Norton's murder rested on Carrington like a pall. Scarcely a week had elapsed since he quitted Thicker Point, and in that week the hand of death had dealt with them impartially, and to what end? Then the miles he had traversed in his hopeless journey upriver translated themselves into a division of time as well as space. They were just as much further removed from the past with its blight of tragic terror. He turned and glanced at Betty. He saw that her eyes held their steady look of wistful pity that was for the dead man; yet in spite of this, and in spite of the pounds beyond which he would not let his imagination carry him, the future, enriched with sudden promise, unfolded itself. The deep sense of recovered hope stirred within him. He knew there must come a day when he would dare to speak of his love, and she would listen.

"It's best we should land at Bates' place—we can get teams there," he went on to explain. "And, Betty, wherever we go we'll go together, dear. Cavendish doesn't look as if he had any very urgent business of his own, and I reckon the same is true of Yancy, so I am going to keep them with us. There are some points to be cleared up when we reach Belle Plant—some folks who'll have a lot to explain or else quit this part of the state. And I intend to see that you are not left alone until—until I have the right to take care of you for good and all—that's what you want me to do—one of these days, ain't it, darling?" and his eyes, glowing and infinitely tender, dwelt in her upturned

THE GREAT MIDWAY

Sterling List of Attractions at the Michigan State Fair.

In arranging for its Midway attractions this year the Michigan State Fair dealt with Herbert A. Kline, who conducts a Carnival Company, and who puts on none but clean cut and interesting shows, fitting in with the policy of the State Fair management. Mr. Kline has a sterling list of attractions and the women and the children as well as the men will seek the Midway eagerly and find it removed from the center of the grounds as was planned in the first place. There are many new and novel shows this year filling twenty-one huge tents and including the best only. There are no moving picture shows, and nothing is seen that is stale or out of the ordinary. There are animals galore and many of them are performers. There are trained birds and an Indian village, a large case of Japanese spinning mace, an inevitable fat woman, merry go-round, dancers, an ostrich farm, and above all a lot of courteous attendants. The ostrich farm contains seven birds, which are hitched to sulkeys. Some will cover the half-mile in very near the minute mark. The London Cakewalk and Roulette cause a roar of laughter all the time, the Marie is an electrical show, the Oriental dancers, assisted by Arabs, are good in fencing bouts. Quincey, three diving girls, Millie's Four-in-One, the Circling Wave and Jumping Horse Carousel, and other attractions are reported excellent. There is a large boat constricator, and Rucker & Company's zoo contains a great collection of animals, including one or more specimens of every monkey in existence today. Purple storks, and eaters and porcupines are to be seen by those able to withstand the spectacle. In the "Wild beast show" a tiger does a horse-back act. Benita the horse that does arithmetical sums is also a great drawing card. The Samar twins are two youngsters joined by nature at the back. Ruble's original flea circus shows what human patience can do in training rats. There is also a dog and monkey hotel with no human being in the east and the largest piece of amusement is the Indian village, several of the Indians being college graduates from Carlisle Indian School. These Indians indulge in some of the picturesque dances of their tribes.

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Hurry, Girls—
Uncle Sam has just issued a little brochure on fattening calves. Hurry, girls, as the edition will soon be exhausted.—Washington Post.

Mother's Linguist Attainment—
The mother of a little boy in Kansas City, Kan., recites negro dialect stories charmingly. Her small son is quite proud of her accomplishment and frequently boasts of it. One day recently, when some of his playmates were vaunting the achievements of their several mothers, the little boy braggingly remarked:
"My mother is smarter than any of yours, she can talk two languages."
"What are they?" demanded his companions.
"White and colored."

How He Left—
The servants were discussing the matter below stairs.
"Master and mistress had something of a row last night, I ear," said the butler ponderously.
"You should have heard 'em," answered the parlor maid in a shocked tone. "Scandalous is what I calls it!"
"They tell me 'e ran out, cranked 'is motor car and left 'in it."
"No," said the maid, positively, "he didn't leave in his machine; I distinctly heard the mistress say he left in a huff."—London Answers.

Births in the Air—
The International Congress on Aerial Legislation, sitting at Geneva, Switzerland, is evolving a very detailed code of laws. One of its suggested paragraphs reads: "In the event of a birth occurring in an air craft the pilot is to enter the event in his log book and must notify the fact to the authorities at the first place at which he descends."

Got His Answer—
When Oscar Wilde came to the United States to lecture on aesthetics in his highly aesthetic velvet costumes—and incidentally to prepare the public mind for the proper appreciation of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Patience," in which the aesthetic movement was held up to ridicule—he used to complain that America was very uninteresting since it had "no antiquities and no curio-cities." But he ventured on this disparagement once too often, for in the course of his travels he uttered it to the American Girl, and she replied with the demure depravity of candid innocence that this was not quite a fair reproach, since "we shall have the antiquities in time, and we are already importing the curio-cities!"

Carrying It Too Far—
"Scientific management, like any other good thing, may be carried to excess."
The speaker was Dr. Marriott Thompson, (the San Francisco scientific management expert he continued, says the New York Tribune.
"We scientific managers musn't go as far as Russier went."
"Russier was the proprietor of a tremendous factory where scientific management had reduced the motions of every hand from 800 to 17. Russier attended a very fashionable wedding one day, a wedding where the ceremony was performed by a bishop, assisted by a dean and a canon, and in the most impressive part of the writ Russier, overcome by his scientific management ideas, rushed up to the altar and pushed the bishop and canon rudely back.
"Here boys," he said, "one's quite enough for a little boy like this!"

STATE BRIEFS.

Farmers in Hamtramck township and Macomb county have struck gas in quantity. Many of them are using it for power.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Michigan Funeral, Directors and Embalmers' association held a two days session in Flint.

Mrs. Nicholas Weyer, of Grand Rapids was killed instantly by a motor car driven by John D. Murray, Jr. She walked in front of a street car directly into the path of the machine.

A coroner's jury in Lansing returned a verdict that Norma Breese, (the Rives Junction farmer, was killed by a shot fired by Andrew Smith, who is under arrest for the crime. Smith has confessed.

Brighton Democrats organized a Wilson and Marshall club. State Chairman Edmund Sholdo, of the Democratic central committee delivered an address. A. M. Cummings, of Lansing, candidate for congress, also spoke.

Attempting to get over a crossing a mile south of Riverina, Miss James Ferguson, 75 years old, was run down by a G. R. & I passenger train and was instantly killed. The body was buried nearly 30 feet from the right of way.

Burns operatives are working in Detroit, despite the fact that Operative Brennan has come out in the open. It is stated that several new men have come into the city and are following up the great trails at the instance of the prosecutor.

Hotel Stetling is the name of a new \$28,000, hospelry which will be opened in Kalkaska in about two months, thus filling Kalkaska's greatest need. It will be a thoroughly modern, fire-proof structure, being of white brick, with a front of yellow brick.

At a meeting of the Grand Rapids millers and millers of western Michigan the wheat situation in this section of the state was discussed. The present condition is uncertain. The millers, however, are afraid that the crop has been injured by heavy rains.

Karl C. Cloudman, a clerk employed in the postoffice at Maxton, on Drummond island, is held by Sheriff Bayless charged with forgery. He is charged with opening mail addressed to Joseph Warden, a trapper, and extracting a check which he is alleged to have forged and cashed.

After an absence of two months from Sault Ste. Marie during which time he participated in the regular army maneuvers at Dubuque, Ia., and Sparta, Wis., 400 troops stationed at Fort Brady, returned and were immediately ordered to the rifle range a few miles from the city.

John Boliński, age 35, a Polish laborer, is dying in a Saginaw hospital from wounds received when attacked by several of his countrymen. Boliński attended a dance and it is said he caused trouble by taking Peter Dudewitz's sweetheart home. Dudewitz and another foreigner are locked up in the county jail.

Orders have been issued from the department of agriculture for the immediate establishment of weather bureau stations at Ludington and at Saginaw.

Gov. Osborn announces the appointments of John T. Owens, of Benton Harbor, as state oil inspector to succeed Frank S. Neal, of Northville. The appointment takes effect Sept. 1.

Two weeks ago Mrs. Harry Freese of Dayton was thrown from a load of hay and her hip was broken. Tuesday her husband was driving to a picnic, when his horse ran away and threw him out. His collarbone was broken.

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CHAPTER XXVIII—(Continued.)

"What have you to say to me and the river?" blurted the latter. It was best, he felt, not to give Slosson an opportunity to ask questions.

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"I reckon you ain't needing me!" he said.

"Better go up in the bow and get some sleep," advised Carrington and Slosson nothing loath, clambered down from the roof of the cabin and stumbled forward.

The ceaseless murmur of the rushing waters grew in the stillness as the keel boat drew nearer the hurrying yellow flood, and the beat of the Kentuckian's pulse quickened. Would he find the raft there? He glanced back over the way they had come. The dark ranks of the forest walled off the clearing, but across the water a dim point of light was visible. He fixed its position as somewhere near the head of the bayou. Apparently it was a lantern, but as he looked a ruddy glow crept up against the skyline.

From the bow Bunker had been observing this singular phenomenon. Suddenly he bent and roused Slosson, who had fallen asleep. The tavern-keeper sprang to his feet and Bunker pointed without speaking.

"Mebby you can tell me what that light back yonder means?" cried Slosson, addressing himself to Carrington, as he spoke he snatched up his rifle.

"That's what I'm trying to make out," answered Carrington.

"Hell!" cried Slosson, and tossed his gun to his shoulder.

What seemed to be a breath of wind lifted a stray lock of Carrington's hair, but his pistol answered Slosson in the same second. He fired at the huddle of men in the bow of the boat and one of them pitched forward with his arms outspread.

"Keep back, you!" he said, and dropped off the cabin roof.

His promptness had bred a momentary panic, then Slosson's bull-like voice began to roar commands, but in that brief instant of surprise and shock Carrington had found and withdrawn the wooden peg that fastened the cabin door. He had scarcely done this when Slosson came tramping aft supported by the three men.

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keel boat drew nearer the hurrying yellow flood, and the beat of the Kentuckian's pulse quickened. Would he find the raft there? He glanced back over the way they had come. The dark ranks of the forest walled off the clearing, but across the water a dim point of light was visible. He fixed its position as somewhere near the head of the bayou. Apparently it was a lantern, but as he looked a ruddy glow crept up against the skyline.

From the bow Bunker had been observing this singular phenomenon. Suddenly he bent and roused Slosson, who had fallen asleep. The tavern-keeper sprang to his feet and Bunker pointed without speaking.

"Mebby you can tell me what that light back yonder means?" cried Slosson, addressing himself to Carrington, as he spoke he snatched up his rifle.

"That's what I'm trying to make out," answered Carrington.

"Hell!" cried Slosson, and tossed his gun to his shoulder.

What seemed to be a breath of wind lifted a stray lock of Carrington's hair, but his pistol answered Slosson in the same second. He fired at the huddle of men in the bow of the boat and one of them pitched forward with his arms outspread.

"Keep back, you!" he said, and dropped off the cabin roof.

His promptness had bred a momentary panic, then Slosson's bull-like voice began to roar commands, but in that brief instant of surprise and shock Carrington had found and withdrawn the wooden peg that fastened the cabin door. He had scarcely done this when Slosson came tramping aft supported by the three men.

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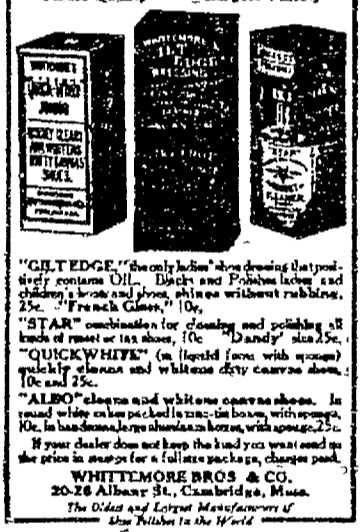
Scottville, Mich.—"I want to tell you how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have done me. I live on a farm and have worked very hard. I am forty-five years old, and am the mother of thirteen children. Many people think it strange that I am not broken down with hard work and the care of my family, but I tell them of my good friend, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and that there will be no backache and bearing down pains for them if they will take it as I have. I am scarcely ever without it in the house."

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"GILT EDGE" (Glycerin) shoe dressing that positively contains OIL. Black and Polished, and shining like new, and shines without rubbing. 25c. "FRONT COURT" (Oil) shoe polish. "STAR" (Kerosene) for cleaning and polishing all kinds of metal or tin shoes. 10c. "DANDY" shoe polish. "QUICKWHITE" (in liquid form with 25c) quickly cleans and whitens dirty canvas shoes. 10c. "ALBO" shoe and white canvas shoes. In round white cans packed in 25c tin boxes with 25c. 10c. In box contains 12 pairs of shoes, with 25c. If you make shoes and keep the kind you want used at the price in answer for a letter please, please send.

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Legs raw with itching, burning eczema. Prattsburg, Pa., May 23, 1912.—"A friend of mine had big red blotches form all over his legs, body and arms. It was pronounced a very bad case of eczema. After two months' treatment he was suffering untold tortures, and would awake at night and find himself scratching, with hands all over blood. His legs were like a piece of raw meat, itching and burning. For two months he slept scarcely any, but would get up and walk the floor. He says he simply felt as if he were burning up! After the case had lasted six months he began the use of Resinol Soap and Ointment. He was cured, and his skin was as clear as crystal." (Signed) W. D. BUCHANAN, 903 Dealy St.

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ABOUT "GROUNDING" LIGHTNING RODS

By A. R. Sawyer, Professor of Electrical Engineering.

An interesting experience in connection with the protection of buildings from lightning by means of "lightning rods" has just come to notice.

In the southern part of the state a barn was rodged and some time last fall (probably) the rod was pulled in two due to the barn being struck. The severed lightning rod was discovered this spring and repaired and since being repaired the barn was struck again and set on fire and four pigs outside the barn but near the rod were killed. The way in which the barn was rodged will throw some light on the cause of this.

In order to protect the copper cable from mechanical injury, an inch and a quarter iron pipe was slipped over the rod and allowed to extend into the earth six inches or a foot, the pipe not being well grounded. The agent who put the rod up stated that the copper cable was burned in two about six inches below the top of the iron pipe, supposedly by a stroke which occurred last fall. The severed condition not being found until this spring. The short piece of rod was taken out and spliced. This piece which was taken out tells the story which is of considerable interest. Upon examining the broken piece it was found that the rod was not burned in two, as there is no indication of any burning of wire. On the other hand, the part that was in the upper six inches of the pipe was drawn up and expanded which put a tremendous pull on the lower part of the rod, and below the break the copper cable was reduced in diameter from seven-sixteenths to three-eighths, of an inch in diameter, which shows the tremendous pull that it took to break the cable in two.

The question of why the rod was pulled in two needs to be explained. In general, most lightning strokes constitute an alternating current of high frequency and this current, in trying to go down the cable induces in the iron pipe by transformer action. The two reacted on each other just as often occurs at the time of a short circuit in connection with commercial circuits.

As stated before, after this was repaired the barn was struck again this spring and the discharge instead of going down the cable inside of the pipe jumped over to the iron track from which a door was hung and went to earth another way, setting fire to the building. At the same time the discharge going down the cable at the diagonally opposite corner met, with similar difficulty, in going down through the iron pipe surrounding the cable and instead was deflected and killed four pigs standing near.

The lesson to be learned from all this is just what one would predict who is acquainted with the action of alternating currents and just the mistake that is forbidden by the underwriters in wiring a house, that it is not allowable to run a single conductor in an iron pipe.

If one drives an iron pipe down in to permanently moist earth and uses that for a ground this is usually approved, but should not be approved where the rod goes through an iron pipe which is not well grounded.

VALUE OF SANDY SOILS EXPLAINED

By J. A. JEFFERY, Professor of Soils, Michigan Agricultural College.

At the present time considerable areas of sandy soil are being offered for sale in Michigan. These soils range from the coarser dune sands to the finer Miami fine sands. The greater part of the soils offered for sale are properly embraced under what is known as Miami sands.

The dune sands possess little or no agricultural value. The Miami sands vary from soils that possess much intrinsic agricultural value to soils that can never be profitably productive under ordinary methods of management.

Intrinsic Value. The value of Miami sand will depend chiefly upon four things:

1. Its origin—Whether made up largely of material produced from the breaking down of granitic rocks and other rocks rich in plant food constituents, or whether made up of material chiefly silicious—pure quartz.

2. Upon the fineness of the material. The finer the material the greater is its water-holding capacity and the greater, also, the amounts of plant foods which it will give up for the use of the plant.

3. The subsoil—The finer the subsoil the more valuable are these lands for cropping purposes. If it is not an uncommon thing to find areas of these Miami sands so coarse in appearance as to cause the observer to wonder at the excellent crops which they produce. The secret is found usually in an underlying subsoil of clay located 18 to 80 inches below the surface and having a depth of a few to several feet. This subsoil of clay is of value that: (a) it acts as a reservoir to hold the water in the soil above, and in itself, which otherwise would disappear downward by gravity; and (b) in that when close enough to the surface the roots of the growing crop above find their way into the clay itself, and thus procure a larger supply of plant food.

POPULAR SYMBOL OF VALUE

Young Man Evidently Was Lacking In His Appreciation of the Country's Statesmen.

There is plenty of food for cynical thoughts in the national capital, as is shown by the following incident which happened on a Washington street car.

A worldly young man, prone to criticisms, was gazing at the advertisements which decorate the interior of the car. One advertised a few kind of collar for men. The dome of the capitol was represented encircled by one of the collars, and on the other side and blouse wings of the building were placards giving prices and sizes. The placard on the senate end of the capitol read "Quarter size," and that on the other end said, "Two for a quarter."

The worldly cynical young man turned to his companion.

"That," he remarked, "just about expresses my opinion of some of these here congressmen."

"Instinctive."

"So you took your wife to the baseball game?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "Did she enjoy it?"

"Only part of it. She thought they wasted a great deal of time running around the lot, but she thought the arguments with the umpire were quite interesting."—Washington Star.

CHILD'S FACE ALL RED SPOTS

632 N. 5th St., Terre Haute, Ind.

"My little nephew, a boy of four years, had a breaking out on his face. It was little red spots at first, then he would rub and scratch and water blisters would form, and wherever the water would run another would come until his face was covered with them. He would cry and fret. His mother got some medicine, but it did not do any good. He would scream and cry and say it hurt. We had a kneo-kin his little face was all red spots and blisters. So I begged him to let me put some Cuticura Ointment on them. The next morning I made a strong soap suds with Cuticura Soap and washed his face in the warm suds. The little blisters burst by pressing the cloth on them. After I had his face washed, I put the Cuticura Ointment on and in a short time his little face was all red and dry. I kept using the Cuticura Soap and putting on the Cuticura Ointment and his face got as well and it did not leave a scar. He was entirely cured in about one week and a half." (Signed) Mrs. Arthur Haworth, Jan. 10, 1912.

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CHILD'S FEAR OF THE DARK

If mother notices that the brains of very susceptible organization and the rights and thoughts from the shadows of a room more or less dark, let the light burn brightly. To force a child to become accustomed to the darkness is a grave error, if its nervous system is so organized that this forcing is productive of a fright.

The nervous system of a child in a very susceptible organization and the deleterious impressions made upon it will often make their influence felt throughout its whole after life. If the child seeks for a light under such circumstances do not refuse it.

Lots of people are more anxious to pay their social obligations than their debts.

Liquid blue is a weak solution. Avoid it. Buy Red Cross Blue Blue, the blue that's all blue. Ask your grocer.

A man knows more at 21 than he can unlearn between that and 66.

Wheat as a Food for Horses.

Concerning wheat as a horse food Shepperd of North Dakota writes: "It was with difficulty that they (the horses) were kept from getting 'off feed' and otherwise deranged in digestion, when fed this ration of pure wheat. A large proportion of the kernels were passed through the alimentary tract unbroken, while other grains were broken but only partly digested. The test demonstrated clearly that it is not advisable to use wheat alone as a grain ration for horses, and the loss expert the feeder the greater the risk."

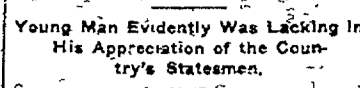
Reliable Information.

The most reliable sources of information on farm questions are the experiment stations and agricultural colleges. The results of experiments performed and experiences gained by these institutions are published in bulletin form and these are free for distribution. If you are interested in better farming your name should be on the mailing list, and you should secure a list of the available bulletins of the Michigan experiment station, East Lansing, Mich.

Use for Cow Peas.

On the sandy soils of southern Michigan the cow pea is being much used as a green manuring crop. Peas are sown at the rate of 3 pecks per acre, about the first week in June, and the crop is plowed under from the first to the middle of September. When wheat is sown after cow peas thus plowed under, the yields of wheat are greatly increased; and when clover is seeded with the wheat the following spring it seldom fails to make an excellent pasture.

SMALL WONDER.



The Fisherman—Doggone it, I've sit here for an hour and ain't even got a bite yet.

Really Had Best of It. John Burroughs is well known as one of the foremost of nature writers in this country. Some time ago he visited his brother, Eden Burroughs, who lives in the Catskills, at a place called Hobart. The two brothers went fox hunting together. The honor of the hunt came to Eden, who shot the only fox.

It so happened that fox skins were worth five dollars at that time, and the successful Nimrod took much pride in telling how he got the fox. He reported to a few friends about it in the presence of his brother, John, who was interrupted by, "You have bragged about that fox hunt long enough. You shot the fox, sold the skin and got five dollars. I wrote a little account of the hunt, and got \$75 from the magazine which published it. So there you are!"

The Other Way Round.

A good little story, long current in England, is just now gaining American circulation. It has for leading characters Rudyard Kipling and Dorothy Drew, Mr. Gladstone's little grand child. Kipling was visiting Hawarden, and being fond of children, devoted himself to little Miss Dorothy until her anxious mother expressed the hope that the child had not been wearing the great author.

"Oh, no, mamma," spoke up Dorothy, before any one else had a chance to say anything, "but you have no idea how Mr. Kipling has been wearying me!"

Kind Man. A local philanthropist ordered a fan for himself, a nice electric buzzer. He also took the key out of the door so that some of the air could go through the keyhole into the adjoining room, where there are eight perspiring clerks.

The Paxton Toilet Co. of Boston, Mass., will send a large trial box of Jaxline Antiseptic, a delightful cleansing and germicidal toilet preparation, to any woman, free, upon request.

Job Not Satisfactory. "I'm a well made man," said the great individual.

"Well, you are all right except as to your head," commented the listener. "How's that?"

"The part you talk with is too big for the part you think with."

A CURB FOR PILES. Cole's Carbo-sulphate stops itching and pain and cures piles. All druggists, 25 and 50c.

Even the man who is his own worst enemy is always ready to forgive himself.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Your discretion might look like cowardice in another.

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It's hard enough to keep house if in perfect health, but a woman who is weak, tired and suffering all of the time with an aching back has a heavy burden to carry. Any woman in this condition has good cause to suspect kidney trouble, especially if the kidney action seems disordered at all. Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women suffering in this way. It's the best recommended special kidney remedy.

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are such intimate relations that no one can be expected to be well acquainted with success who does not keep good hold on health. Most serious sicknesses start in minor troubles of the digestive organs. Thousands know by actual experience that health and strength—and therefore success—

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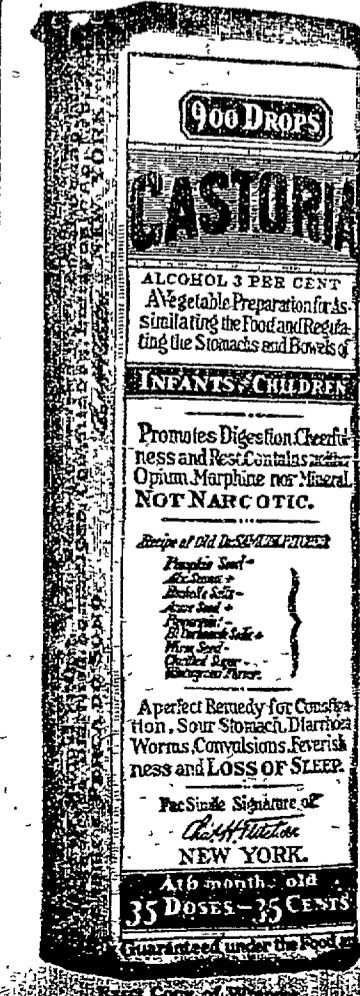
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SPECIAL OFFER BY THE T. B. RAYL CO., DETROIT.

Everybody, hereabouts probably knows Rayl's, the old Detroit hardware store that has been on the corner of Woodward avenue and Congress street ever since 1875. It took five people to run the business in 1875, now it takes nearly a hundred. It was a small 'stoves and tinware' store, then; now it merchandises tools, shop supplies, builders' hardware, kitchenery, cutlery, photographic supplies and sporting goods, which mean athletic and recreation goods. Their Tool Catalogue goes to carpenters and machinists, shops and factories, all over the United States. Their builders' hardware is in the Detroit Postoffice, the Hotel Pontchartrain, Oakland County court house and hundreds of other buildings, and they give figures on trimmings for the smallest home or the biggest skyscraper. Housekeepers find their second floor an interesting place to visit for there is always something new for kitchen or dining room to lighten the work of the lady of the house. Their cutlery includes knives for pocket and table, manicure sets, scissors and shears, all of best makes. Recreation goods include fishing tackle, tennis, baseball, cameras, bicycles and all the rest. Just to get some idea as to their suburban trade, the T. B. Rayl Co. will give, with every purchase made before September 1, any article in the store that you may select to the value of one-fourth of your purchase. This will be given only to those asking for it, and does not apply to restricted goods nor to the few things that may be on special sale. The Company's address is 112 Woodward avenue.

WIXOM NEWS.

Alice Palmer spent part of last week with relatives at Orchard Lake. Mrs. Fred Garlick and daughter of Pontiac visited her parents over Sunday. Miss Anna Gust of Detroit was a guest of Mrs. Will McLaren over Sunday. B. D. Burch, wife and daughter made an auto trip to Holloway, Mich., Sunday. F. H. Lee and family of Wyandotte spent last week with his parents, Lester Lee and wife. W. H. Ambler and wife of Northville visited the latter's sister, Mrs. J. M. Gibson Sunday. Mrs. Cornelia Blair of Royal Oak spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Fuller, at J. G. Madison's. Jay Reed and wife of South Lyon spent Sunday with Mrs. Reed's mother, Mrs. Mary Banfield. Mrs. Eliza Merithew of Detroit and daughter Mrs. Myers of Pontiac visited Mrs. Mary Stevens, Monday. "Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala. Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

SALEM NEWS.

Mrs. Dawn Clark was a recent Nov. visitor. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Atchison on Friday August 15 is a son. The Yeoman meeting at the town hall Tuesday evening was well attended. N. S. Brokaw, the mail carrier, is taking his annual vacation. Robbie Brokaw is taking his place. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Gelgier of Northfield spent Sunday at the home of the former's sister Mrs. Andrew Fahrner. The Ladies Aid voted to hold their annual supper and bazaar on Friday afternoon and evening, November 15. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Deake of Pittsfield on Aug. 2 a girl. Mr. and Mrs. Deake were former residents of this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Taylor and family attended the golden wedding anniversary of the latter's parents, held at Farmington Wednesday. The Ladies Aid will hold a social at the home of Geo. Robertson, Friday evening August 23. Every one is cordially invited to attend. A good supper will be served, and an abundance of good music rendered.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing her work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of names that it has cured. Sold by Druggists, or J. C. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. (Hall's Family Medicine Co., Proprietors.)

GILT EDGE NEWS.

Helen Bradley spent Sunday night with Helen Tuck. Hugo Meyer of Detroit spent Sunday at his parental home. Mr. and Mrs. A. Greabner were guests of relatives in Detroit Sunday. Mrs. Frank Hudson of Millford spent a few days last week with her parents, R. E. Wolfe. Miss Agnes Meyers entertained ten little friends one day this week in honor of her ninth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Wolfe spent last Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Phelps at Birmingham.

NOVI NEWS.

Flint Bros have a new Buick auto truck. Born to Mr. and Mrs. LeRue Bogart, August 16, a baby girl. Glenn McGuire of Flint was the guest of his uncle Harry Bogart last week. Mrs. C. Biery was the guest of her daughter Mrs. James Leavenworth Sunday. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Patman, August 18, a three pound baby girl. Mrs. Orville Hazen and children called on Mrs. Sonnenburg at Northville Sunday. Munro and Lawrence Fox of Saginaw are visiting their uncle, James Munro. Miss Eva Matheson is spending the week at Redford, visiting her cousin Miss Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Redford spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Hyde. Mr. W. J. Simmons and daughter Mrs. Will Flint are spending a few weeks at Charlevoix. Eber and Will Hazen have returned home from a visit to Saginaw and Midland counties. Mrs. Burdick of Rushton is visiting at the home of Mrs. Eugene Root and Will Hiner. Mrs. Miller of Plymouth was the guest of her sister Mrs. Lee Wooster Thursday and Friday. W. D. and Mary Flint were guests of their mother, Mrs. Alice Flint at Ypsilanti Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Beira Leavenworth and Mrs. Vera Clark of Ypsilanti spent the week end with relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Riser and daughter spent the week at the home of the former's father Wm. Riser. Mr. and Mrs. James Munro and Mrs. Burton Munro and Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman attended the Munro reunion at Birmingham last Thursday. Robert Hoffman aged twenty visited at the home of his parents in this village Saturday, his death due to an accident. He was driving a team on a neighboring farm Friday about ten o'clock when the whipple tree broke, causing the evening to fly back, striking him. He died at six o'clock Saturday morning from the injuries. The funeral was held from the home Tuesday afternoon. Accidents will happen, but the best-regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurts. Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

B. J. Meyer's mother is very ill at his home with little hope of recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Daines attended the reunion of the Daines family at Adrian this week. George McGee has returned from the hospital to his mother's home where he will spend a few days.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Some Best to Be Forgotten. "I think," said the young statesman, "that some of my speeches will be recalled with interest in years to come." "They will," replied Senator Sorghum, "unless you are exceptionally lucky."

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by using Chamberlain's Tablets, you need not only avoid becoming both healthy and beautiful, but you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

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AMOS S. MUSSELMAN.

At the Republican primaries, to be held August 27, Mr. Amos S. Musselman, of Grand Rapids, is a candidate for the nomination for Governor of Michigan. The business career of Mr. Musselman is an index of the qualities he would bring to the office if elected. He is a thorough business man and his training has been such as to eminently fit him to meet and solve the problems of State development and upbuilding. The business of governing a State differs from that of governing a commercial concern in degree, and not in kind. It is a larger charge. Sound common sense, sound business principles, no favoritism, are what the people want in their Governor.

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