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A NOTABLE SOCIAL EVENT

Orient Chapter, Order Eastern Star, is busily planning another of its popular winter dancing parties to be given in the high school gym on the evening of February 20. Scott Montgomery's orchestra which is fast becoming famous, assisted by Professor McArthur of Detroit, will furnish the music; a buffet lunch will be served. The executive committee consists of Mrs. Mary Stewart, Mrs. Georgia Tatham, Mrs. Mary Alexander, A. E. Fuller, H. B. Clark, and C. A. Ponsford. The invitations are in the hands of Mrs. Mary Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dolph, and C. D. Kilgou.

The decorating will be the work of Mrs. Mary Stewart, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bogart, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. George Simmons, Mrs. Julia McKahn, Mrs. Maude Bennett and Chas. Freydl.

H. B. Clark and A. E. Fuller guarantee one of their old-time lunches.

B. G. Filkins and Will Tinsman will be in command of the floor.

The reception committee is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Northrop, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dolph, Mrs. Ida M. Joslin and Miss Ruth Gillis.

Members of the Eastern Star will not receive invitations as this is their party and they are expected to be there, however, they are requested to send to the executive or invitation committee names of their friends whom they wish to have invited. Do this just as quickly as you can as the lists are now being made up and invitations will shortly go forward.

DIRECTORS ALL RE-ELECTED.

The annual meeting of the Plymouth & Northville Gas Company was held at the office of the company, Plymouth last Thursday evening, being able to complete all the business to come before the meeting an adjournment was taken until Saturday afternoon.

The reports submitted by Manager C. A. Fox showed the past year to have been a most remarkable and satisfactory one, taking all conditions into consideration. Operation expenses have been unusually high, coal has been scarce and hard to procure, labor and material have advanced, but in spite of all these unfavorable conditions the company met its obligations and closed the year in a very satisfactory financial condition.

During the past few months there has been an inharmonious feeling developed between the manager and the directors and this has led to some misunderstandings, which were "threshed out" pretty thoroughly at the annual meeting, with the result that a better understanding prevailed and all present pledged their cooperation and support for the coming year.

The following chosen directors to succeed themselves: C. Hamilton, F. D. Schrader, C. A. Fisher and C. A. Fox, Plymouth; F. S. Harmon, C. S. Filkins and Chas. A. Dolph Northville.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR BIG FARM CONVENTION.

With programs finished and exhibits ready to be placed, plans for the big Agricultural convention which is to be held at the Michigan Agricultural college during Farmers' Week, February 2-6, are nearing completion on the eve of the meeting.

Business will be mixed with pleasure by the delegates who attend the gathering, for while meetings of various associations and technical work along agricultural lines will occupy a good share of the time, general meetings whose object is primarily entertainment and recreation will feature each day's program. Music, moving pictures, and lectures by the most interesting and entertaining speakers in the country are scheduled for each afternoon and evening.

Eleven state agricultural associations will hold meetings during the mornings, to which the general public is invited. These meetings will take up various farm problems of importance and interest to rural men and women of the state.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday morning at 10:30. Bible study. Lesson: Peter and John in Jerusalem. At 11:30 service. "Where is Thy Brother?" At 7:30 o'clock p. m. - Impassioned prayer meeting. Thursday evening at 7:30. - Prayer meeting.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB TO HAVE BANQUET

STATE AND NATIONAL SPEAKERS EXPECTED TO BE PRESENT FOR THE OCCASION.

STATE HIGHWAY EAST AND WEST FROM LAKE TO LAKE THROUGH NORTHVILLE IS TALKED.

The officers of the Northville Automobile club are planning for a good roads rally and banquet to be held in this village some time in February. State Highway Commissioner Rogers, the county road commissioners of Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw counties, and a member of the national highway commission are expected to be present.

If all works well as the committee thus far appointed hope for the event will be of no small importance. There has long been talk of a Lake-to-Lake highway connecting the waters, by a good highway at least, of St. Clair and Lake Michigan over the base line route. This may be the opening wedge to push the project along, which has already been endorsed by Macomb and Wayne commissioners.

On the committees thus far named are: Finance—M. N. Johnson, W. J. Lanning, Harry Buckley, N. C. Schrader, S. A. Lovewell.

Invitations—C. R. Benton, Harry Bogart, W. J. Lanning, F. S. Neal.

Program—C. C. Yerkes, L. A. Babitt, E. H. Lapham, W. W. Thayer.

Reception—T. G. Richardson, Fred M. Warber, C. L. Dubuar, Dr. Tom Henry, D. P. Yerkes, F. S. Harmon, Arthur Ransom, C. A. Dolph.

Banquet—C. A. Ponsford, A. E. Stanley, Jas. A. Huff, Harry B. Clark and Newton I. Colt.

Another meeting of the Auto club directors will be held soon as a date for the banquet has not yet been decided. It is hoped that the committee will be able to make this event one of Northville's most important occasions.

A YOUNG LIFE WAS TAKEN SUDDENLY

A fatal and most distressing accident occurred at the foot of Scotten hill about seven o'clock Monday night while a merry company of young people of the village were coasting, when Sidney Ware, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ware, received injuries from the effects of which he died about midnight at Harper hospital, Detroit. The fatality was purely accidental and all who witnessed the unfortunate affair were horror stricken at its suddenness. Sidney was coasting down the hill and because of the steep descent the speed of his sled was terrific and as he approached the bridge at the foot of the hill he collided with one of the larger and heavier sleds used by a company of young men. The unfortunate boy was struck in the abdomen by one of the runners of the larger sled and was rendered unconscious immediately afterwards.

Dr. Tom Henry was summoned and arrangements were at once made to take the injured boy to the hospital. He was placed on a cot and with Mrs. Ware and Mrs. Crane the doctor with his young patient were hurried with all haste toward the city. The boy did not regain consciousness and death claimed him about midnight, the silent messenger coming so quietly and peacefully that the attending nurse was surprised when the young life went out.

Mr. Ware was at Pontiac and could not be notified of the accident until some time after its occurrence and he was unable to reach the bedside of his son until after he had passed away. Mr. and Mrs. Ware returned home Tuesday morning and the remains of Sidney were brought to the village in the afternoon.

Had the unfortunate boy lived until next Monday he would have been 13 years old. He was a general favorite among his schoolmates and companions and his sad and sudden death cast a deep gloom over the whole community. Regret over the terrible accident and sympathy for the grief-stricken parents and younger brother were expressed by all.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, being conducted by Rev. M. V. Brown, pastor. Burial was in the cemetery. The casket was borne by the following: Harry B. Clark, Newton I. Colt, C. A. Dolph, F. S. Harmon, D. P. Henry, C. L. Dubuar, Fred M. Warber, T. G. Richardson, W. W. Thayer, L. A. Babitt, E. H. Lapham, W. J. Lanning, F. S. Neal, C. R. Benton, Harry Bogart, and C. A. Ponsford.

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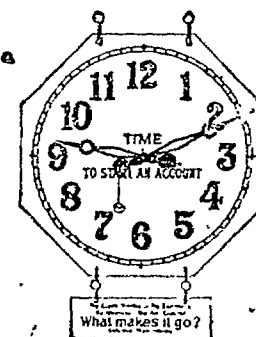
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PATRONS OUGHT TO BE ADVISED.

The management of the Plymouth and Northville Gas company will find, as all public service companies are finding, that it can well afford to take the patrons of the plant into its confidence and to explain to them some of the trials and tribulations under which the company has been operating. The general public is inclined to be reasonable if they understand the situation, and the gas company could do nothing that would benefit them more than to contract for space in the papers in Northville and Plymouth and tell their patrons some of the conditions which confront the management.

Patrons of the plant desire service and the management is just as anxious to render satisfactory service as the patrons are to receive it, but certain conditions often make it impossible to do as one would like to do. No one was to blame for lack of coal, no one could have told regarding the break in the water main which compelled the gas company to cease operations. These things could not have been helped, but they might have been fully explained to the patrons of the plant at a very small expense to the company. The Record is not making these suggestions in a spirit of fault-finding, though we have suffered as much as any institution in this section, but merely for the purpose of trying to point out the way and the method for a better understanding between the management of the company and the company's patrons. People need the gas, the company needs patrons, and in the spirit of a fair play why not explain matters fully and eliminate some of the "gun powder" conversations that frequently take place over the telephone when patrons call to ask what the trouble is, and why they are not supplied with gas. A better understanding of conditions on the part of the patrons will prove of mutual benefit to all concerned.

It costs \$428 a year to train a boy scout, says John R. Boardman, national field scout, and to keep a boy of scout age in the scout office costs \$100 a year. The scout office is a very important part of the scout movement, and it is the duty of the scout office to keep the scouts in good health and to provide them with a good education. The scout office is a very important part of the scout movement, and it is the duty of the scout office to keep the scouts in good health and to provide them with a good education. The scout office is a very important part of the scout movement, and it is the duty of the scout office to keep the scouts in good health and to provide them with a good education.

There is a great deal of sickness about the village as result of colds, grippe and the flu. The attending physicians and the local health officers are striving to keep the maladies under control. People should not become frightened, but should exercise care and prudence and endeavor to keep well.

Next Monday is ground-hog day.

NORTHVILLE WINS DEBATE WITH FENTON.

Last Saturday night, Northville High school debating team won from Fenton by a unanimous vote of the judges. The Northville team was represented by Ruth Caffermole, Genevieve Parmenter and George Wilcox. Their work showed both preparation and natural ability.

Mr. Dayton and Miss Gill of Plymouth acted as judges. Northville defended the negative side of the question on Universal Military Training.

KURNAL R. BABBITT DIES IN NEW YORK

"One who doth tread upon another's heels, so fast they follow." These words with all their potency of grief were brought to the thought and heart of many Northville people and Saturday last when the news of the death of Kurnal R. Babbitt, which occurred at his home in New York City, early that morning, was received in this village. Only a few weeks ago the family was called to Northville to attend the funeral of a sister, and the sorrow brought to the family and the community by her passing had not yet healed, but had only been softened by the passing of the days and weeks.

The serious condition of Mr. Babbitt was first known to his old friends here on Friday afternoon when a message was received by his brother, L. A. Babbitt, calling him to his bedside. Mr. Babbitt left immediately, but owing to the lateness of the train he did not reach New York until after the death of his brother. The news of Mr. Babbitt's passing spread rapidly among his friends and associates in New York and elsewhere and all day Saturday telegrams of condolence were received by the grief-stricken family, the tender messages coming from the west, north, south and east and from far away Alaska.

Mr. Babbitt was born at Salem on June 30th, 1864, and he grew to manhood in this community, receiving his early education in the schools of Northville and after completing his studies, here he entered the State Normal college at Ypsilanti. Soon after graduating from that institution he entered Washington University, where he completed his education in law, paying especial attention to that phase of the profession having to do with mining. Soon after his graduation in law he located at Aspen, Colo., and entered the practice of his chosen profession. He was a tireless worker, and soon he was regarded as one of the leading mining attorneys of the great state he had chosen as his home. In 1883 when the great gold strikes were made at Cripple Creek he moved to the new town and was soon chosen as the legal representative of some of the largest companies operating in that wonderful field, among them being the Guggenheim and McMillan interests. His work with these great corporations called him to New York so often that he finally decided to locate in the east and for a year or more was general counsel for the Guggenheims, whose interests extended from Alaska to Peru. Something like fifteen years ago he opened an office of his own and was the counsel of many of the large mining and financial corporations of America's greatest city. About a year ago he formed a partnership and the firm's name became Chadburn, Babbitt & Wallace, of which he was a member at the time of his death.

By his great knowledge of corporate and mining laws he soon won a place among the leading members of the New York bar and was regarded as one of the city's greatest lawyers. The place he had won did not come by chance or accident, but by the exercise of keen intellect and careful, well directed thought and effort.

The funeral services were held at St. Bartholomew Episcopal church on Monday, conducted by his pastor, and sixteen of New York's foremost lawyers and business men officiated as honorary pallbearers. The president and managing director of the McNeal-Jackling interests arranged to have every mine and industry in which they were interested from Alaska to Peru closed for one hour during the funeral services, a tribute showing clearly how he was regarded by his associates.

Mr. Babbitt is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Lucy Cullyford, whom he married in 1895, at

Houghton, and two daughters and one son. The remains, accompanied by Mrs. Babbitt and children and Mr. L. A. Babbitt, arrived in Northville Tuesday and were taken to the Babbitt home on Cady street. Wednesday afternoon brief services were held at the house, and interment took place in Rural Hill cemetery, Revs. E. V. Helles and Wm. T. Jacques having charge of the services.

Besides his brother, L. A. Babbitt, the deceased is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Ellen Babbitt, and one sister, Mrs. Brown of Detroit.

In order that they might show their esteem for the deceased and to express their sympathy to the bereaved family, the business men of the village closed their places of business during the funeral hour.

PASTMASTERS' NIGHT.

The pastmasters of Northville Lodge, F. & A. M., will exemplify the third degree on a number of candidates on next Monday afternoon and evening. Lodge will convene at four o'clock and dinner will be served at six. After dinner the work will continue. A good attendance is desired.

LINER COLUMN.

For Sale, Rent, Wanted, Lost, Found, etc. Rate, 1 cent per word—Cash.

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COME—in and see the nice assortment of Valentines. Also choice candies, at the Parmelee Variety Store, 23-1p.

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WANTED—By family of three, furnished room for light housekeeping. Phone 93, Northville. 28w1p.

WANTED—People who may want nursery stock of any kind, fruit or ornamental trees, vines, plants or shrubbery, to call me by phone 129-J, and I will call and see them. N. A. Clapp. 27-tf-c.

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FOR SALE—One pair of heavy bob sleighs. Ed. Sessions. 28w1p.

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REMEMBER—And insure your automobile in the U. S. Mutual, the "Big Reliable," the best protection for least money. N. A. Clapp, local representative. 27-tf-c.

LOST and FOUND.

LOST—Automobile chain, on Northville-Novi road. Sam. Wilkinson, Northville. 28w1p.

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the Ladies Aid society and Mrs. Dixon for flowers sent me during my illness. Mrs. J. N. Elliot. 28w1p.

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If every consumer of gas will help in conserving the gas supply, a great saving of coal will result, and the gas company will be able to tide over this fuel shortage and not seriously inconvenience its patrons. The fuel situation is no different here than in other places, where fuel and light companies are facing the same proposition.

RENDERED GOOD SERVICE.

It may be said to the credit of the two carriers serving the rural routes out of Northville that in spite of the weather and bad condition of the roads the patrons have been served daily but with few exceptions. At a rule the patrons of the routes have responded readily and have kept the roads open, though a few, as it usually the case, refused to assist in keeping the roads in a passable condition. Our carriers have driven miles further than the department requirements in order not to miss serving their patrons, and in most cases the people have rendered every assistance possible.

Good roads means good service and if rural patrons desire daily service they must assist in keeping the highways open for travel.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The Physiology and Botany classes began work with the new term. The debating class is considering giving a farce-comedy in the near future.

The new semester commenced Monday with an enrollment of 189 in the High school.

Semester examinations were completed last week with only 5% of the students failing to do passing work.

Prof. Henderson of the U. of M. is slated for an address before the High school soon. The public will be invited.

The debaters and their friends had a social hour in the Science lecture room after the debate. Refreshments were served.

Most of the teachers attended the Educational reunion at Ypsilanti last week-end. A number of noted educators were on the program.

The Boys' basketball team was defeated at Holly last Friday by a score of 32 to 8. The local boys were handicapped by a floor particularly adapted to the style of play used by the Holly team, which greatly outwitted them.

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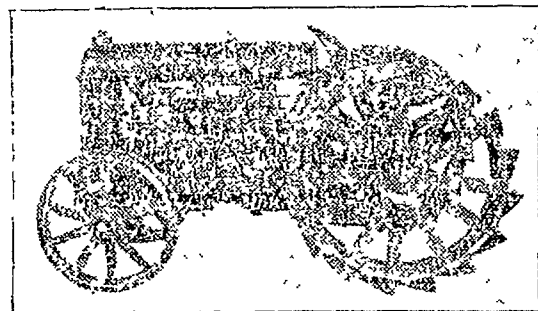
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Northville Newslets.

Mrs. N. A. Clapp is very ill. R. Lang was on the sick list this week.

Mrs. George Merritt was reported ill the first of the week. Mrs. Mary Corrin was numbered among the sick this week.

Mrs. T. G. Richardson has been ill with the grippe this week.

Mrs. John VanDam sprained her ankle Sunday, but is improving nicely. Some attractive electric fixtures have recently been added to the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Parmelee have recovered from a slight attack of the influenza.

Northville's new street lights are very attractive and they shed forth an exceptionally good glow.

Mrs. Lester Stage fell on the slippery sidewalk Saturday night and hurt her back quite badly.

Mrs. C. A. McCullough entertained the First 500 club Tuesday evening. All had an enjoyable time.

Pay your telephone, electric light, paper, and gas bills—and then pay your subscription to The Record.

The King's Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. Mark Seeley Tuesday afternoon, February 2nd, at 3:00 o'clock.

It will soon be time to be giving thought to village affairs in the selection of candidates for the various offices for next year.

Fred Evert of Farmington township who died Jan. 17 at the home of his son, was the father of Mrs. Gus Schoof of near Northville.

The Woman's Union of the Presbyterian church will hold a regular meeting in the church parlors Wednesday, February 4th, at 2:30 p. m.

The Northville Women's club will meet this Friday afternoon, January 30th, at 2:00 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. B. C. Stark on Main street.

We quote in part, a letter received by the Plymouth Mail from Mrs. E. I. Riggs of Plymouth who with her husband are sojourning in California:

"The town clock has been having a vacation this week. Mr. Celf who takes care of the big timepiece, is ill and unable to attend to it."

The Queen Esther society of the M. E. church will hold its regular monthly business meeting at the home of Lester Cook on High street, on Tuesday, February 3rd, at 7:30 o'clock.

The Pastime club held another of its enjoyable dances Wednesday evening at the High school gym. The music was good and the lunch was thoroughly enjoyed by the merry company.

Miss Ruth Clark of Hadley, third grade teacher, who has been ill, wrote a very interesting letter to her pupils recently in which she stated she expected to be with them again in February.

The contract for the new hospital to be erected at the University of Michigan was awarded the first of the week. The new structure will cost one million dollars and will be one of the most modern and one of the finest institutions of its kind in the country.

A crowd of between 35 and 40 from the Pere Marquette offices at Detroit were in Northville Saturday afternoon and enjoyed the coasting on Scott's hill. Miss Nola Ross entertained them for supper at her home.

O. E. S. No. 77 will have an afternoon and evening meeting today, Friday, beginning at 4:00 o'clock sharp. On account of so much illness in the Plymouth chapter, our chapter will conduct the work both afternoon and evening. There will be nine candidates. Remember the pot-luck supper.

"A few days ago we were surprised to meet on the ocean front, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers and Mrs. Thornton, formerly of Northville, and the same day while down at Ocean Park on the pier, where we were watching Charlie Chaplin and company make a motion picture, whom should we meet, but Mr. and Mrs. Will Ambler from Northville.

Forty-nine young people employed at the P. M. office in Detroit, were in Northville Saturday and enjoyed coasting on Scott's hill both afternoon and evening. They were entertained at a six o'clock dinner given by the Ross family and Miss Lucile Lanning at the Ross home in Realtown. The evening train which is supposed to arrive in Northville at 9:33 didn't pull into the station until 12:30 so the jolly crowd were unable to leave here until then.

Owing to the severe storm the lecture to have been given at the High school auditorium last Friday night by Prof. Herbert Cross of the U. of M. had to be postponed. While those who braved the storm were waiting for the speaker to arrive they were pleasantly entertained by selections by the school orchestra and by vocal numbers by Miss Ruth A. Green. The committee of the Northville Women's club having the affair in charge will try to secure Prof. Cross for a later date. Word was received from Prof. Cross that he was not as far as Wayne but was unable to reach Northville.

Mrs. C. J. Ball is confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller are confined to their home this week with an attack of the flu.

W. H. Ambler has been quite seriously sick for the past week or two. Daskot ball—two games—to-night, when the Plymouth High school teams come over.

Mrs. H. H. Harmon of Highland Park spent Wednesday afternoon at the A. C. Harmon home.

F. N. Parrin, who has been sick in bed for some days in his room at the Ambler house, is considerably better. John Cleaver of Novi township left yesterday for Cleveland, Oklahoma, where he will spend a few weeks with relatives.

The severe weather of the past two weeks has retarded work at the Ford plant. As soon as conditions will permit matters will be rushed.

The shelving is being placed in the store rooms in the old opera house preparatory to receive the Couch stock of groceries and meats about the middle of February.

A. G. Newman has bought the Ernest Potts residence property on Wing street, formerly owned by M. F. Bares adjoining the Clason house and lots which Mr. Newman purchased a few weeks ago.

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BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

Next Sunday morning, February 1st, the pastor, Rev. H. Greenwood, will preach on the subject: "Something New," or "The Eleventh Commandment which covers all the others." Every Christian ought to know what this is. Come by all means, if you can.

In the evening the sermon will be based on the text, "Have ye received the Holy Ghost?" Acts 19:2. If you want to know what it means to have the Holy Ghost, come and hear this sermon.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

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THE OCELOTS.

"Let's go hunting," said O. Ocelot.

"All right," said O. O. Ocelot.

So they started off, their yellowish bodies and their black spots, their long tails and the stripes around their necks and backs making them look much like their distant cousins, the leopards.

"We have another name," said O. Ocelot.

"Have we?" said O. O. Ocelot. "It doesn't make much difference to me, for we can't eat another name."

"Not unless we should eat ourselves," said O. Ocelot, "and that would not do."

"No, that would not be pleasant," grinned O. O. Ocelot. "What is our other name, by the way?"

"We are also called the tiger cats," said O. Ocelot. "And if we should eat tiger cats we would be eating ocelots and that would be very foolish."

"Very," agreed O. O. Ocelot.

"Of course," said O. Ocelot, "we are sometimes like tigers, and we are sometimes like cats, and we are decidedly of the enormous cat family."

"Why do you say the enormous cat family?" asked O. O. Ocelot. "Cats aren't all enormous by any manner of means, and even then, the biggest members of the cat family aren't enormous, such as I've heard giraffes and elephants and camels were."

"That's so," said O. Ocelot, "but I wasn't speaking about the size of the different members of the family. I meant that there were a great many



"I Love the Night."

different cats, and a great many of each special family, like the ordinary domestic cats, and the tiger family, and so forth.

"There aren't so many of us as there are of some of the others, because we only live in a few places, and they can find us all out sooner or later, probably."

"Don't they like us?" asked O. O. Ocelot.

"Well," said O. Ocelot, "they aren't so very fond of us. You see, we go after the poultry farms, and that makes them mad."

"We hunt at night, and so it is hard to get us, and that makes them mad. We will go great distances, too."

"Ah, yes, the night time is the time for hunting," said O. O. Ocelot. "And I will go any distance for a good meal and a good, satisfactory night, killing lots of creatures."

"How I do like birds, and rabbits, and mice, and rats of the wooded places."

"Then, too, I like snakes, I really love snakes."

"So do I," said O. Ocelot. "A good snake, a delicious, big one, is very fine for dinner, and then one can have it again for breakfast and for lunch and again for dinner."

"Haven't some of our relatives gone to zoos?" asked O. O. Ocelot.

"Yes, they have been caught and taken to the zoos, where they could be looked upon by boys and girls and men and women," said O. Ocelot.

"How have they taken to zoo life?" "They've liked it, for, you know, we are rather bored if we are caged. We don't get as angry as folks might think."

"But let us be off," said O. O. Ocelot, "for I feel an empty place in my tummy which could be filled nicely by a piece of snake or a chicken or two. I would feel better after a meal."

"Yes," said O. Ocelot, "so would I. I must get my meals at night when all is dark, for I love the night time, and when it is bright and folks can see one, I like to hide away in the thick, dark woods, where I can't be seen, and where I can eat and sleep."

"We must be off," said O. O. Ocelot.

"Off for a night hunt," said O. Ocelot, "and may we meet only chickens and snakes and mice and rats, and no people! We don't mind if the chickens and snakes and mice and rats are found to be asleep, and we don't care if they don't speak to us when we speak to them. No, we're not going hunting for conversation or talking or chatting, no, no, indeed."

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TARZAN

AND THE
JEWELS OF OPAR

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"Tarzan of the Apes"
"Son of Tarzan"

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NUMA, THE LION, STRODE MAJESTICALLY INTO VIEW

Synopsis.—Hiding in the jungle after killing his captain in a fit of brooding madness, Lieut. Albert Werper, Belgian officer, is captured by Achmet Zek, Arab slave raider, who spares his life and proposes to him a scheme to kidnap Jane, wife of Tarzan (Lord Greystoke) and sell her into slavery. Werper accepts. Posing as Jules Frecolet, French traveler, Werper is hospitably received by the Greystokes. He learns his host is in financial straits and is planning an expedition to the treasure vaults of Opar to procure gold. Werper informs Achmet Zek of the opportunity to seize Lady Greystoke, and prepares to follow Tarzan to learn the secret of Opar.

CHAPTER II.—Continued.

The Belgian did not have long to wait, for the following day his emissary returned with word that Tarzan and a party of fifty Waziri warriors had set out toward the southeast early in the morning.

Werper called his head man to him, after writing a long letter to Achmet Zek. This letter he handed to the head man.

"Send a runner at once to Achmet Zek with this," he instructed the head man. "Remain here in camp awaiting further instructions from him or from me. If any come from the bungalow of the Englishman, tell them that I am very ill within my tent and can see no one. Now, give me six porters and six askaris—the strongest and bravest of the safari—and I will march after the Englishman and discover where his gold is hidden."

And so it was that as Tarzan, stripped to the loins cloth and armed after the primitive fashion he best loved, led his loyal Waziri toward the dead city of Opar, Werper, the renegade, haunted his trail through the long, hot days, and camped close behind him by night.

And as they marched, Achmet Zek rode with his entire following southward toward the Greystoke farm.

To Tarzan of the Apes the expedition was in the nature of a holiday outing. His civilization was at best but an outward veneer which he gladly peeled off with his uncomfortable European clothes whenever any reasonable pretext presented itself. It was a woman's love which kept Tarzan even to the semblance of civilization—a condition for which familiarity had bred contempt. He hated the shams and the hypocrites of it and with the clear vision of an unspoiled mind he had penetrated to the rotten core of the heart of the thing—the cowardly greed for peace and ease and the safeguarding of property rights.

And so Tarzan always came back to nature in the spirit of a lover keeping a long-deferred tryst after a period behind prison walls. His Waziri, at narrow, were more civilized than he. They cooked their meat before they ate it and they shunned many articles of food as unclean that Tarzan had eaten with gusto all his life, and so invidious is the virus of hypocrisy that even the stalwart ape-man hesitated to give rein to his natural longings before them. He ate burnt flesh when he would have preferred it raw and unspiced, and he brought down game with arrow or spear when he would far rather have leaped upon it from ambush and sunk his strong teeth in its jugular; but at last the call of the milk of the savage mother that had suckled him in infancy rose to an insistent demand—he craved the hot blood of a fresh kill and his muscles yearned to pit themselves against the savage jungle in the battle for existence that had been his sole birthright for the first twenty years of his life.

Moved by these vague yet all-powerful urgings the ape-man lay awake one night in the little thorn boma that protected, in a way, his party from the depredations of the great carnivora of the jungle. A single warrior stood sleepy guard beside the fire that yellow eyes out of the darkness beyond the camp made imperative. The moans and the coughing of the big cats mingled with the myriad noises of the lesser denizens of the jungle to fan the savage flame in the breast of this savage English lord. He tossed upon his bed of grasses, sleepless, for an hour and then he rose, noiseless as a wraith, and while the Waziri's back was turned, vaulted the boma wall in the face of the flaming eyes, swung silently into a great tree and was gone.

For a time in sheer exuberance of animal spirit he raced swiftly through the middle terrace, swinging perilously across wide spans from one jungle giant to the next, and then he clambered upward to the swaying, lesser boughs of the upper terrace where the moon shone full upon him and the air was stirred by little breezes and death lurked ready in each frail branch. Here he paused and raised his face to Goro, the moon. With uplifted arm he stood, the cry of the bull ape quivering upon his lips, yet he remained silent lest he arouse his faithful Waziri, who were all too familiar with the hideous challenge of their master.

And then he went on more slowly and with greater stealth and caution, for now Tarzan of the Apes was seeking a kill. Down to the ground he came in the utter blackness of the night, and the overhanging verandah of the jungle. He stooped from time to time and put his nose to the earth. He sought and found a faint game trail and at last he emerged

were rewarded with the scent of the fresh spoor of Bara, the deer. Tarzan's mouth watered and a low growl escaped his patrician lips. Sloughed from him was the last vestige of artificial caste—once again he was the primeval hunter—the first man—the highest caste type of the human race. Up wind he followed the elusive spoor with sense of perception so transcending that of ordinary man as to be inconceivable to us.

Presently the body scent of the deer told Tarzan that his prey was close at hand. It sent him into the trees again—in the lower terrace where he could watch the ground below and catch with ears and nose the first intimation of actual contact with his quarry. Nor was it long before the ape-man came upon Bara standing alert at the edge of a moon-bathed clearing. Noiselessly Tarzan crept through the trees until he was directly over the deer. In the ape-man's hand was the long hunting knife of the carnivore. Just for an instant he poised above the unsuspecting Bara and then he launched himself downward upon the sleek back. The impact of his weight carried the deer to its knees and before the animal could regain its feet the knife had found its heart. As Tarzan rose upon the body of his kill to scream forth his hideous victory cry into the face of the moon the wind carried to his nostrils something which froze him to statuesque immobility and silence. His savage eyes blazed into the direction from which the wind had borne down the warning to him and a moment later the grasses at one side of the clearing parted and Numa, the lion, strode majestically into view.

From the lips of the ape-man broke a rumbling growl of warning. Numa answered but he did not advance. Instead he stood waving his tail gently to and fro, and presently Tarzan squatted upon his kill and cut a generous portion from a hind quarter. Numa eyed him with growing resentment and rage as, between mouthfuls, the ape-man growled out his savage warnings. Now this particular lion had never before come in contact with Tarzan of the Apes and he was much mystified. Here was the appearance and the scent of a man-thing and Numa had tasted human flesh and learned that though not the most palatable it was certainly by far the easiest to secure, yet there was that in the bestial growls of the strange creature which reminded him of formidable antagonists and gave him pause, while his hunger and the odor of the hot flesh of Bara goaded him almost to madness. At last Numa



Numa, the Lion, Strode Majestically Into View.

could stand it no longer. His tail shot suddenly erect and at the same instant the wary ape-man, knowing all too well what the signal portended, grasped the remainder of the deer's hind quarter between his teeth and leaped into a nearby tree as Numa charged him with all the speed and a sufficient semblance of the weight of an express train.

Tarzan's retreat was no indication that he felt fear. Jungle life is ordered along different lines than ours and different standards prevail. Had Tarzan been furnished he would, doubtless, have stood his ground and met the lion's charge. He had done the thing before upon more than one occasion, for as in the past he had charged down himself, he fought, he was the

from famished and in the blind quarter he had carried off with him was more raw flesh than he could eat; yet it was with no equanimity that he looked down upon Numa rending the flesh of Tarzan's kill. The presumption of this strange Numa must be punished! And forthwith Tarzan set out to make life miserable for the big cat. Close by were many trees bearing large, hard fruits and to one of these the ape-man swung with the agility of a squirrel. Then commenced a bombardment which brought forth earth-shaking roars from Numa. It was impossible for the tawny cat to eat under that hail of missiles—he could but roar and growl and dodge and eventually he was driven away entirely from the carcass of Bara, the deer. He went roaring and resentful; but in the very center of the clearing his voice was suddenly hushed and Tarzan saw the great head lower and flatten out, the body crouch and the long tail quiver, as the beast slunk cautiously toward the trees upon the opposite side.

Immediately Tarzan was alert. He lifted his head and sniffed the slow, jungle breeze. What was it that had attracted Numa's attention and taken him soft-footed and silent away from the scene of his discomfiture? Just as the lion disappeared among the trees beyond the clearing Tarzan caught upon the down-coming wind the explanation of his new interest—the scent spoor of man was wafted strongly to the sensitive nostrils. Caching the remainder of the deer's hind quarter in the crotch of a tree the ape-man moved through the trees, the shadow of a wraith. The savage cat and the savage man saw Numa's quarry almost simultaneously, though both had known before it came within the vision of their eyes that it was a black man. Their sensitive nostrils had told them this much and Tarzan had told him that the scent spoor was that of a stranger—old and a male, for race and sex and age each has its own distinctive scent. It was an old man that made his way alone through the gloomy jungle, a wrinkled, dried up little old man, hideously scarred and tattooed and strangely garbed, with the skin of a hyena about his shoulders and the dried head mounted upon his gray pate. Tarzan recognized the earmarks of the witch-doctor and awaited Numa's charge with a feeling of pleasurable anticipation, for the ape-man had no love for witch-doctors; but in the instant that Numa did charge, the white man suddenly recalled that the lion had stolen his kill a few minutes before and that revenge is sweet.

The first intimation the black man had that he was in danger was the crash of twigs as Numa charged through the bushes into the game trail not twenty yards behind him. Then he turned to see a huge, black-maned lion racing toward him and, even as he turned, Numa seized him. At the same instant the ape-man dropped from an overhanging limb full upon the lion's back and as he alighted he plunged his knife into the tawny side behind the left shoulder, tangled the fingers of his right hand in the long mane, buried his teeth in Numa's neck and wound his powerful legs about the beast's torso. With a roar of pain and rage, Numa reared up and fell backward upon the ape-man; but still the mighty man-thing clung to his hold and repeatedly the long knife plunged deeply into his side. Over and over rolled Numa, the lion, clawing and biting at the air, roaring and growling horribly in savage attempt to reach the thing upon its back. More than once was Tarzan almost brushed from his hold. He was battered and bruised and covered with blood from Numa and dirt from the trail, yet not for an instant did he lessen the ferocity of his mad attack nor his grim hold upon the back of his antagonist. Where he had fallen beneath the spring of the lion the witch-doctor lay, torn and bleeding, unable to drag himself away and watched the terrific battle between these two lords of the jungle. His sunken eyes glittered at his wrinkled lips moved over toothless gums as he mumbled weird incantations to the demons of his cult.

For a time he felt no doubt as to the outcome—the strange white man must certainly succumb to terrible Numa—whenever heard of a lone man armed only with a knife slaying so mighty a beast! Yet presently the old black man's eyes went wider and he commenced to have his doubts and misgivings. What wonderful sort of creature was this that battled with Numa and held his own despite the mighty muscles of the king of beasts? Then slowly there dawned in those sunken eyes, gleaming so brightly from the scarred and wrinkled face, the light of a dawning recollection. It was the picture of a little, white-skinned youth swinging through the trees in company with a band of huge apes, and the old eyes blinked and a great fear came into them—the superstitious fear of one who believes in ghosts and spirits and demons. And came the time when the witch-doctor no longer doubted the outcome of the fight, yet the first thing he saw was Tarzan, the ape-man, who

that the jungle god would slay Numa and the old black was even more terrified of his own impending fate at the hands of the victor than he had been by the sure and sudden death which the triumphant lion would have meted out to him. He saw the lion weaken from loss of blood. He saw the mighty limbs tremble and stagger and at last he saw the beast sink down to rise no more. He saw the forest god or demon rise from the vanquished foe and, placing a foot upon the still quivering carcass, raise his face to the moon and bay out a hideous cry that froze the ebbing blood in the veins of the witch doctor.

CHAPTER III.

Prophecy and Fulfillment.

Then Tarzan turned his attention to the man. He had not slain Numa to save the negro—he had merely done it in revenge upon the lion; but now that he saw the old man lying helpless and dying before him something akin to pity touched his savage heart. He stooped and felt of the witch-doctor's wounds and stanching the flow of blood.

"Who are you?" asked the old man in a trembling voice.

"I am Tarzan—Tarzan of the Apes," replied the ape-man and not without a greater touch of pride than he would have said, "I am John Clayton, Lord Greystoke."

The witch-doctor shook convulsively and closed his eyes. When he opened them again there was in them a resign-



What Wonderful Sort of Creature Was This?

nation to whatever horrible fate awaited him at the hands of this feared demon of the woods. "Why do you not kill me?" he asked.

"Why should I kill you?" inquired Tarzan. "You have not harmed me and anyway you are already dying. Numa, the lion, has killed you. I would save you if I could, but that cannot be done. Why did you think I would kill you?"

For a moment the old man was silent. When he spoke it was evidently after some little effort to muster his courage. "I knew you of old," he said, "when you ranged the jungle in the country of Mbona, the chief. I was already a witch-doctor when you slew Kulonga and the others, and when you robbed our huts and our poison pot. At first I did not remember you; but at last I did—the white-skinned ape that lived with the hairy apes and made life miserable in the village of Mbona, the chief—the forest god—the Munango-Kewati for whom we set food outside our gates and who came and ate it. Tell me before I die—are you man or devil?"

Tarzan laughed. "I am a man," he said. The old fellow sighed and shook his head. "You have tried to save me from Numa," he said. "For that I shall reward you. I am a great witch-doctor. Listen to me, white man! I see bad days ahead of you. It is writ in my own blood which I have smeared upon my palm. A god greater ever than you will rise up and strike you down. Turn back, Munango-Kewati! Turn back before it is too late. Danger lies ahead of you and danger lurks behind; but greater is the danger before. I see—" He paused and drew a long, gasping breath. Then he crumpled into a little, wrinkled heap and died. Tarzan wondered what else he had seen.

It was very late when the ape-man re-entered the boma and lay down among his black warriors. None had seen him go and none saw him return. He thought about the warning of the old witch-doctor before he fell asleep and he thought of it again after he awoke; but he did not turn back, for he was unafraid, though had he known what lay in store for one he loved most in all the world he would have flown through the trees to her side and allowed the gold of Opar to remain forever hidden in its forgotten storehouse.

La, High Priestess of the Flaming God of Opar.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Suggested Chapter.
Jules, the head waiter, declared he submitted an amendment to a suggestion of according to the old motto, "Eat, Drink, and Be Merry." Captain (Penguin) never takes any more suggestions.

Simple Designs for New Frocks

As a violent reaction, clothes became widely extravagant almost as soon as the war was over. There were a few months of readjustment, while dressmakers were getting their establishments back into normal working condition; but this period was surprisingly brief. No sooner was this done, even in a limited way, than the market became flooded with an avalanche of clothes, as extravagant as any that the world has ever seen. Now we are experiencing a reverse reaction, observes a prominent fashion correspondent.

While it cannot be claimed that our frocks are any less expensive than they were six months ago, they are a great deal simpler in design. There is no mistaking the indication that women want all of their dresses built on the simplest and most youthful lines, and that they will pay more for a dress of this character than one elaborated with applied trimmings.

Season Calls for Pretty Clothes.

We live, in time, of all our clothes, and now is the time when we especially feel the need of something fresh and different. Then, at this season, we have so many more social engagements that we like to have a great variety of pretty clothes in which to appear. In both the early and late autumn this need was filled by one-piece cloth dresses and beautiful furs. Later, these frocks were topped by coats of either cloth or fur. Now, we feel the need of a suit that is completed by some sort of an attractive blouse, unusual enough to make the costume something quite different from the old-fashioned coat and skirt.

A suit, by Douillet, was created to fill this need. Its arrival may be heralded as the most popular suit that this famous house has launched for the winter. The strong one-side movement and the long coat are its features. The portion which laps across the front, buttoning under the left arm, to give a semi-belted appearance, is cut in one piece with the right front of the jacket. The color combination worked out in this is remarkably pleasing. Copper brown velours de laine is the material selected for it.

The tendency in tailored suits is toward the use of pronounced colors. The erstwhile popular dark blue is, for the moment, neglected. Much of this is doubtless due to the fact that in rough wool pile fabrics dark blue is the least attractive of all shades. There must be some changing depth to the color tone to bring out the beauty of the fabric; hence, browns and greens are chosen in preference to blue or black.

The vest and collar are of broad-tail fur, although it has been made with these trimmings of the heavy



Tailored Suit of Brown Duvelin, With Jacket Showing Yoke Effect and Skirt Having an Overhanging Panel at Front.

plush, which is often substituted for fur this season. While the broadtail is decidedly more luxurious, the plush is more economical, and has the advantage of being equally fashionable.

Douillet completes his costume with a smart bodice of black satin, embroidered in copper color. This makes the suit beautiful and practical. Taffeta dresses, silhouettes, and crepe dresses are also popular. The taffeta dress is a favorite for the country in other summers, but the glazed, or shellacked chintz, has not been used before. It is indefinitely more practical than the ordinary chintz, as it sheds the dust easily and may be wiped off with a damp cloth. Then, if one is caught in the rain with one of these summery-looking hats on there is no fear of its turning into a bedraggled mass of cloth, for even a rubber rain hat could shed a downpour no better.

who look ahead in fashions will see in this indication of a considerable use of this fabric for spring. We have come to think of it as such a practical material that it never has had the attention that it deserved from the artistic standpoint. It was always featured in evening gowns for members



Suit of Copper Velours de Laine, Affords an Outfit Quite Different From Old-Fashioned Coat and Skirt Suit.

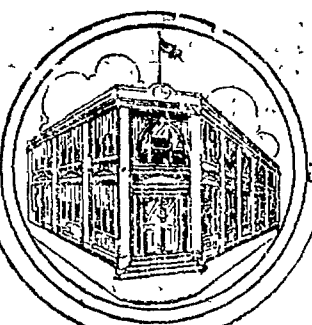
of the younger set, but we rarely saw it in handsome daytime frocks, as for some reason or other it has come to be considered a somewhat informal material. Now our greatest designers have taken it up and are exploiting it in a way that makes everybody wonder why we did not realize its possibilities before.

Taffeta Popular With Designers.
Probably the puffy skirts of this autumn gave it the first boost toward success for it does come into prominence whenever we have a wider silhouette, due to the fact that its stiffness makes it suitable for these designs. Now those who make dresses are using it for straight-line models which wrap about the figure. Of course it is not a fabric which lends itself to a long-line drape with any degree of grace, but it could not be surpassed by any other material for short, puffy drapery.

Tanvin especially has had great success with her taffeta dresses. She makes them with and without embroidery. Black and navy blue are the colors most in demand in taffeta. This winter hats have reflected the uncertainty of the silhouette. There has been a war between the dress with the puffy hips and the one of slender lines and the question of a choice between the two has had an important bearing on all fashions. As both these types were worn, it was natural that there should be both large and small hats as well as those that were plain and those greatly trimmed.

We always see the full skirt accompanied by a rather large hat of picturesque shape, which is topped by trimming of a russy character; while the straight-line dress has in its wake the small hat. Fur toques are fashionable hits of headwear for this midwinter.

Please Southern Visitors.
Those going South are beginning to think more of springlike things, and for them quite summery-looking hats are already making their appearance. Glazed chintz and cretonnes are featured in some of them. We have had chintz and cretonne hats for the country in other summers, but the glazed, or shellacked chintz, has not been used before. It is indefinitely more practical than the ordinary chintz, as it sheds the dust easily and may be wiped off with a damp cloth. Then, if one is caught in the rain with one of these summery-looking hats on there is no fear of its turning into a bedraggled mass of cloth, for even a rubber rain hat could shed a downpour no better.



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The members of this village have been sold and they will be placed and sold as residence property. As a result of this real estate flurry it is expected that many new cottages will be erected around the lake next season. Cottage, or any kind of house, is wanted for the summer season for \$25 per week.

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MEN ENJOYED A DINNER.

In spite of the blinding snow storm last Friday night, a good sized company of men gathered at the Methodist church parlors to enjoy a social hour and to partake of a bountiful dinner of roast pork with all the necessary additions, so well prepared by the committee having the delightful affair in charge. The storm, doubtless, kept some of the men at home, but those who braved the elements were amply repaid for their efforts. Not only was the dinner all that could have been desired but the sentiments expressed by those who had been assigned places on the program were full of helpfulness and inspiration.

Dinner was announced at seven o'clock and while the guests were standing Mr. Woodmansee offered the invocation. Howard and Stewart and Howard Stark formed an orchestra which rendered a number of delightful numbers while the men were being served. After all had partaken of the sumptuous dinner, Chas. A. Dolph, as toastmaster, announced the program for the evening, and introduced each number in a manner which caused a good deal of merriment. The theme discussed by the several speakers as the benefits derived by the individual by church membership affiliation, and it would have been a splendid thing to have had all the men of the community present to listen to the sentiments expressed. "What the church means to me as a business man," was the subject assigned to Clyde Cypher, who told of the very cordial welcome extended him as he came here as a stranger by the churchmen of this community, and how the influence of the church was a direct benefit to the life of every community. "What the church means to me as a wage earner," was responded to by Ray VanValkenburg, who related personal experiences to illustrate the benefits he had received by church membership and attendance. Mr. VanValkenburg spoke eloquently and paid a worthy tribute to the church and to the faith of our fathers. George Henry responded to the subject, "What it means to me as a member," and told of his early training and of the very great influence exerted upon his life by the advice and counsel of his Christian mother. Rev. H. J. B. Marsh was called upon to make some remarks and after relating some amusing incidents which had come under his observation since entering the ministry, he urged a closer fellowship and a broadening of the idea that we should strive to win "the other fellow" into the kingdom. He explained the plan of the inter-church movement and told of the part he desired the Northville church to take, and at the conclusion of his remarks all the men present pledged their assistance and support in the great work.

Superintendent N. I. Colt was called upon and spoke of the work and accomplishments of the Sunday school, and E. E. Brown made some brief remarks. The male quartet composed of Messrs. VanValkenburg, Shipley, Clark and VanDyne sang a number of selections to the delight of all.

OBITUARY—DONALD RYDER.

Donald Edward Ryder was born in Salem township November 26, 1897. A serious illness about two years ago left his heart in a weakened condition, and while his health had been comparatively good in the mean time, it was known that recurrence of the trouble might occur at any time. About six weeks ago he suffered an attack of grip and although he rallied from this disease, rheumatism set in affecting his heart and thus resulting in his death, which occurred on January 23rd.

He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ryder, 400 Glynn Court, Detroit; and three brothers, Ralph, Walter and Elbert. Funeral services were held from the Presbyterian church, Northville, of which deceased was a member, on January 25th. The body was placed in the vault at Oakwood Grove, awaiting burial in Rural Hill cemetery.

This makes a double affliction for Mr. and Mrs. Ryder as they were called upon to part with another son, Raymond, some years ago. The family which were former residents here, have the sympathy of this community in their sad bereavement.

CHAPTER FEAST POSTPONED.

The members of Union Chapter, R. A. M., had planned to entertain the ladies of the chapter on Wednesday evening to one of those bountiful six o'clock dinners for which the organization is noted, but owing to the illness of N. I. Colt of the committee it was thought best to postpone the affair for a few weeks. The ladies will not be forgotten, however, and they may look forward to a delightful evening within the next few weeks.

DETROIT THEATRE.

One of the latest theatrical events of the season is promised in the production of "Up in Mabel's Room," the sensational New York farce comedy which A. H. Woods will present at the Garrick theatre for one week beginning Sunday night. "Up in Mabel's Room" comes to Detroit direct from the Woods theatre, Chicago, after a twenty weeks' run, where it was the most conspicuous comedy hit of the season. It is in three acts by William Collinson and Otto Harbach and it described as a frivolous farce by feminine foibles.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Items taken from The Record files of 1895, for the week corresponding to this week.

Miss Nina Ambler spent a few days among Detroit friends this week.

Mrs. Bert Tower visited Detroit relatives the last part of the week.

Misses Laura Evans and Anna Blair were guests of the former's sister at Wayne one day this week.

Andrew Houk has leased his farm south of the village to Wm. Pollen of Farmington. Mr. Houk will move into the village about April 1st.

Yorke Bros. are building two new engines in their shop.

The Firemen will have a regular meeting Monday night. Chief Whitehead requests there be a full attendance.

D. B. Northrop, for a year or two past, with the banking house of J. S. Lapham & Co., has resigned his position. Miss M. E. Lapham will devote a part of her time to the firm's interest while Eddie Lapham will have general charge.

Mrs. Grace Blackwood Allen of Detroit who was reported so seriously ill last week, is somewhat better.

In making the report of improvements two weeks ago, Jns. Sinter's new building escaped the attention of the Record. It cost about \$1,200. This brings 1894's improvements up to \$26,000.

Will Tait is on the sick list. Mrs. W. Purd Yorke, who has been so seriously ill for a few weeks past, is a little better today.

Mrs. F. B. Macomber is spending a few days with Howell friends.

The Northville Ladies' Library association is about to close a successful year, successful in as much as over 230 cards have been in constant use. The books owned, now number seven hundred.

Tubal C. Owen, formerly of Detroit, died at his home in this village at four o'clock Monday afternoon. Mr. Owen was well known among the vessel men of the Great Lakes and was noted for his honesty and integrity. Besides his widow he leaves two daughters, Miss Owen and Mrs. W. I. Ely of this place.

ENJOYED MID-WINTER PICNIC.

The annual mid-winter picnic given by the Presbyterian church and Sunday school on Tuesday evening was enjoyed by a large company and the gathering proved most enjoyable. While the weather outside did not suggest the "picnic season," the warmth of the greetings extended, the handshakes and inviting appearance of the well spread tables with their bountiful supply of good things to eat suggested "green swards, verdant trees, singing brooks and bright sunshine overhead."

The picnic supper was served at tables which were adorned with carnations and greenery and the menu served delighted both young and old. After supper the new stereopticon recently purchased by the Sunday school was used and words and music of familiar hymns and songs were displayed and the audience enjoyed a "good sing," and this was followed by many very handsome views of Yosemite National Park and of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado. The program closed by all singing "America," with the promise of other views in the near future.

AUCTION SALE.

J. L. Taylor of Walled Lake will sell at public auction on the P. J. Taylor farm, 1 mile north of Novi and 1 mile south of Walled Lake on Monday, Feb. 2nd, commencing at 12:30 sharp, 36 head of cattle, hay and grain, farm tools and horses. See his ad in today's paper.

The floor of the school building caught fire Thursday evening, and it was discovered about 6:30 by Robert and Marion Lee, who were passing and saw the blaze through the windows. They forced an entrance, and with the assistance of Frank Selting, who happened to be at the store at the time, they extinguished the blaze, and saved the building from burning. The blaze is supposed to have started from an over-heated stove and in a very short time the fire would have been beyond control.—Livonia Center correspondence to the Plymouth Mail.

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PERSONAL.

Jesse Gates of Farmington was in town Tuesday.

Miss Lora Bristol of Detroit was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Green of Farmington was in town Monday.

Mrs. H. S. Wilson of Salem was in Northville Tuesday.

Mrs. George Simmons of Farmington was in town Tuesday.

M. S. Ambler of Detroit was a Northville visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Louis Haab of Salem was a Northville shopper Tuesday.

Beach Northrop visited in Waterford, near Pontiac, last week.

R. Smith of Detroit called on the A. H. Kohler family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Neal of Orion were recent guests at the F. S. Neal home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don VanSickle of Salem were in town the first of this week.

Mrs. Melvina Carpenter is in Detroit, on a nursery case, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Olive Sprague of Farmington was a guest at the Tremper home Tuesday.

Re Horace E. Sayles of Walled Lake was in Northville Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Cobb of Cleveland came last week to stay with Mrs. William Scott until spring.

Miss Kathleen Safford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, in Detroit.

Mrs. Wm VanEpps of Farmington spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanSickle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stanley and daughter, Dorothy, of Royal Oak were Sunday callers in Northville.

Norman Clark of Milford called on Mr. and Mrs. Will White and other Northville friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucy Ambler has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jaton of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pashby of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neal and Mrs. C. J. Ball.

Mrs. Robert McCully spent Friday and Saturday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ryder, in Detroit.

Miss Hazel VanSickle of this place spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Mrs. Mlna Ryder of Farmington.

Misses Blanche and Lydia Clark of Albion college were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Stark of Pontiac were in town Sunday to attend the funeral of their old school-mate, Donald Ryder.

Sergt. Carl VanValkenburg, who was home on a week's furlough from South Carolina was at Orion last Wednesday and visited Rev. and Mrs. F. I. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shipley and son, Richard, Mrs. George Carson, Miss Harriett Carson and Percy Carson spent Sunday in Wyandotte at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rathbun.

Ralph Lyke was out from Detroit Sunday and went to Ann Arbor hospital where his sister, Ruby, underwent an operation for appendicitis, January 25th. He reports her on the gain.

Mrs. Vettie Terrill of Big Rapids, who has been visiting at the Terrill farm home west of town, and Miss Beverly Terrill, were over-Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kohler. Rev. and Mrs. H. J. B. Marsh motored to Royal Oak last Wednesday to visit an old friend who was very ill.

OFFER PRIZES TO PUPILS.

Under the auspices of the War Department, pupils of all schools in America, except colleges and universities, will have the opportunity of writing an essay on the subject "What are the benefits of an enlistment in the United States Army?" There is no entry fee or age limit. It is open to school-children of the United States, of public, private, sectarian or non-sectarian schools.

The rules of the contest are as follows:

Essays to be written in class rooms on Friday, February 20, 1920, from notes if desired. No essay to be more than 400 words.

Essays will be judged strictly on a basis of (1) originality, (2) expression, (3) sincerity.

The Prizes: To the school-girl or boy who writes the best essay of all the essays written in this contest a suitable engraved gold medal and a handsome sterling silver loving cup will be presented to the school attended by the winner. In a like manner a silver loving cup and a silver medal to the second best, and a silver loving cup and a bronze medal to the third best essay writer and his school.

The Detroit Army Recruiting officer will present a silver loving cup to the school submitting the best essay in the Detroit Recruiting district.

Or is it the Telephone?
Personal in London Times. The following article has been translated from a German paper into the English language and is being published in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne. (A true copy.)

WIXOM WHISPERINGS.

Otto Richter is very ill with nervous trouble.

Mrs. Walter Carson of Detroit visited her mother, Mrs. Woodworth, over Sunday.

Born, Monday, January 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perry, a 9 pound daughter.

Mrs. Walter Johnson of Flint visited her sister, Mrs. C. J. Oldenburg and family Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Harford of Highland Park was a visitor of his daughter, Mrs. Otto Richter, a part of the week.

Leo Janssen and wife of Detroit were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Ben Wilson, over Sunday.

Ellen and Helen Stevens and Maribel Ferguson of Pontiac were over-Sunday visitors with the two former's parents.

Lucile Baum, Gladys Harmon and Inez Bentley were home last week from Pontiac High school, having been excused from semester examinations.

The families of C. J. Oldenburg and W. R. Abrams are ill with gripe. B. L. Clark and Earl Woodworth are also ill, and there are also several cases of measles here.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 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-sixth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

Present Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of EDWIN D. THOMPSON, deceased.

Eleanore Thompson, administratrix of said estate, having tendered to this court her final administration account and filed therewith her petition praying that the residue of said estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto.

It is ordered, that the second day of March 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. (A true copy.)

EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate.

ARTHUR E. WHIPPLE, Deputy Probate Register.

28-30.

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 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-sixth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of JAMES H. FORD, deceased.

Louie A. Babbitt, administrator of said estate, having rendered to this court his final administration account and filed therewith his petition praying that the residue of said estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto.

It is ordered, that the second day of March 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. (A true copy.)

EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate.

ARTHUR E. WHIPPLE, Deputy Probate Register.

28-30.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of SUSAN GORTON, deceased.

We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, state of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the William H. Ambler's office, Northville, Michigan, in said county, on Saturday, the 27th day of March A. D. 1920, and on Thursday, the 27th day of May A. D. 1920, at 1 o'clock p. m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 27th day of January A. D. 1920, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated, January 27, 1920.

WILLIAM H. AMBLER, JAMES HUFF, Commissioners.

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C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 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 twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Randall Chapman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Helen Welsh praying that administration of said estate be granted to Floyd Chapman or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the eleventh day of February 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. (A true copy.)