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If Collins Plains farmers are all old men at the business is Thos. Young?

Musicians grow does Sydney Sprout?

Queen Anne fell in the mud would Dutch Gleanser?

Unadilla had a modern queen would Eugene Wheeler?

There was Frost in the Marsh in the month of May, Wood the ground be Lilliewhite and hard as Stone?

A man tore his pants would a potato patch?

The farmers were obliged to go to school could Harry Read?

L. N. McCleer ran out of ice cream cones, would a George Cone?

If a third party is wrong is Dr. Wright?

Ayrault and Bollinger had another sale of Enameled Preserve Kettles would the Blacksmith shop?

Local News

E. E. Hoyt of Pinckney was in town on business Thursday.

E. B. Daniels was a Sunday guest at the home of C. A. Mapes.

It is planned to have a barbecue and roast a whole ox at the Brighton home-coming.

Rev. Fr. Wittliff of Brighton was presented with a \$1,650 Overland touring car Monday.

The Marshal of Fowlerville has given notice that he will enforce the dog muzzling ordinance.

It will pay you to read Ayrault & Bollinger's adv. and take advantage of the bargains offered.

The Maccabees of Plainfield will serve ice cream at their hall Saturday evening. All are invited.

FOR SALE—A five passenger, Reo car in good condition, fully equipped. Price \$240. Inquire of Arthur J. May, Gregory, Mich.

Many of our exchanges seem to be of the opinion that the proposed telephone merger will be a decided advantage to telephone users if the Bell Co. can conquer its old habit of boosting rates.

Mrs. Lavey visited her sister here one day this week.

Miss Belle Barker of Stockbridge spent Sunday here.

Fred Asquith and family visited at E. N. Brothertons Sunday.

Chicago claims that in 25 years she will be the metropolis of the United States.

Miss Cathrine Driver of Lansing is visiting at James Stackables.

Seth B. Rupert of Howell has sold his coal and lumber business to Roy Schoenhals.

Hary Aseltine, W. Brotherton and Floyd Warfle spent last week at the home of E. Brotherton.

Plymouth at the recent school meeting elected Miss Lina Durfee as trustee on the school board.

Local option will be fought out in Washtenaw county next spring. The issue will be the protection of the students.

As a manufacturing state Michigan has moved up from eighth to seventh place. The state has always been strong along the industrial lines.

The members of the parish of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart of Chelsea will hold their annual picnic there August 22. A grand time is anticipated.

Lightning struck John Taylor's barns Tuesday night and burned them to the ground. The stock was saved, but one barn contained 52 loads of hay. The buildings were insured.

According to the report of State Bank Commissioner Doyle the 423 banks and 5 trust companies have recourses amounting to \$365,729,191 which shows a gain of over \$33,000,000 in the last year and of over \$6,000,000 since April. Between January first and July 9th 1912, 11 new banks have been organized with a total capital of \$337,500.

School district No. 3 of Lima, Washtenaw county voted at the recent school meeting to close their school and send the children of the district to nearby schools paying the tuition and furnishing transportation if requested. To the best of our knowledge this is the first school district in this section which has taken advantage of this new law.

Gov. Osborne has issued an executive order directing Attorney-General F. Kuhn to take entire charge of the case of the People vs Lewis Brayton and Edward Scully charged with violation of the local option laws. Thomas A. Lawler assistant attorney-general will prosecute the cases which come up at the October term of court, thus relieving prosecuting attorney Robb and his associate W. P. VanWinkle, of the prosecution of these cases.

My friend, help the editor in his wild-eyed search for news. When your friends come to see you, if you are not ashamed of it, tell him; when your wife gives a tea party if you have recovered from the effects of the gossip, drop in with the news; when a baby arrives fill your pockets with cigars and call; if you go to a party steal some of the good things, and leave em' with the item in our sanctum. If your wife licks you come in and let us see your scars and tender sympathy through the paper; if your mother-in-law dies, don't be bashful about it; give us all the common news in short whatever you can get.

L. N. McCleer and family spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Gene McCleer has been under the doctor's care.

A birthday party was given for Maryleen Swarhout last Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Stackable of Chicago visited at James Stackable's one day this week.

The State Sanatorium for tuberculosis near Howell now has 82 patients. The capacity of the institution is 86.

A single rat which was shut in a coop of young chickens belonging to John Dowell of Brighton killed over 40 of them.

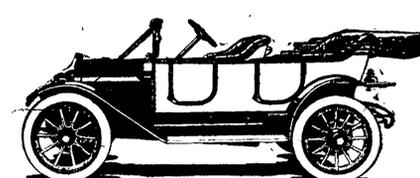
St. Mary's parish of Pinckney will hold their annual picnic Tuesday, August 13. Rev. Fr. Comberford of Flint is expected to be present and a royal good time is promised.

Some auto owners in nearby towns are complaining that the brush growing at the intersection of highways obstructs their view and increases the liability of accidents and desire that it be cut.

The cost of clothing will be lifted from 7 1/2 to 20 cents per yard above that of last year according to the retail clothiers. The chief cause of this is said to be the fact that the domestic wool clip is 30,000,000 pounds smaller than that of last year.

Beginning this week, Kirtland & Pratt will take pictures over the postoffice in Gregory each Saturday until August 24. Samples of their work are on exhibition in Gregory. They guarantee that their pictures will not fade; they give you free sittings until customers are satisfied; their folder and card mounts are up to date, their prices are right, why not your pictures, Saturday, July 27.

Petitions for Jas. Green and Willis Lyons for the republican nomination of prosecuting attorney T. F. Richards for the nomination of sheriff on the same ticket, Richard Roche for the democratic nomination of prosecuting attorney, Woodbridge N. Ferris for the democratic nomination of governor and Amos Musselman for the republican nomination for governor have been circulated in this vicinity the past week.



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When you see the Cartercar gliding along, noiselessly, over any road you'll see why its drivers are so enthusiastic.

The friction transmission is controlled with one lever. It gives any number of speeds. There are no gears—just a fibre faced wheel running against a friction disc. This eliminates jerks in starting. This remarkable simplicity makes disorders practically impossible.

This transmission gives a pulling power that will take the car easily through bad, muddy and sandy roads and even up 50 per cent grades.

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Model "H" Touring Car \$1200; Model "R" Touring Car, Roadster and Coupe, completely equipped, \$1500 to \$1700; Model "S" Touring Car, seven passenger, completely equipped, \$2100. Let us send you catalogue giving full information.

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Gregory, Michigan

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All Light Gingham - 8 1/2c per yd.

All Oxfords, Sandals and Pumps
20 per cent Discount

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5 Qt. Enameled Preserve Kettles For 10c
Not More Than One To Each Family

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For This Month We Offer the Following at Greatly Reduced Prices

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Men's blue serge and light weight wool trousers, straw hats, shirts with soft collars and cuffs to match, slip-on coats, oxfords, work shoes, the celebrated "Detroit" felled seam pant overalls, Poros-Knit underwear.

Fresh Groceries, Fruits, Candies, Cigars, Baked Goods always at the right price and quality.

Bring in your Butter and Eggs

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That's what ails you?

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You need something

You will find it at our

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Make our store your headquarters when in town

L. N. McCLEER, Gregory

FULMER'S CORNERS

Lyle Glenn visited Andrew Burgess Tuesday night.

Ray Cobb had the misfortune to have a run away while driving the milk wagon Wednesday.

Beatrice Brotherton is spending the week with her aunt Mrs. Rae Asquith.

Gladys Pool returned home Friday, after assisting Alma Hicks with her house work for a couple of weeks.

Fred Asquith and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Brotherton.

Mrs. Robert Frazier is visiting at George Frazier's

Mrs. Albert Westfall is visiting Miss Adell Fulmer for a few days.

Alex Reid and family visited at Thomas Howlett's Sunday.

LYNDON

Herman Hudson and family are entertaining relatives from Dansville this week.

Clarence Teachout and family returned to their home in Lansing Friday.

Otis Webb and family visited in Webster Sunday.

The new bridge over the little creek is completed and is a work.

Mary Heatley is visiting in Old Home



To-day's Ford is to-morrow's car. The buying world has come to understand that excessive weight in an automobile spells danger—and needless expense. Vanadium steel has solved the problem. To-day's light, strong, Vanadium-built Ford is to-morrow's car.

More than 75,000 new Fords into service this season—proof that they must be right. Three passenger Roadster \$500—five passenger touring car \$680—delivery car \$700—f. o. b. Detroit, with all equipment.

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The Marlin Model 20

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Without change of mechanism it can be used for both target and hunting.

You can buy no other rifle that is so accurate and so reliable.

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Relieves every, blistered or chafed foot, growing too thick or any irritation due to shoe friction. Perfectly harmless. Money returned if not as represented. No samples. **Price 25c per tin.**

NAPANEE TOILET CO., Gregory, Mich.

HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK

Latest News Told in Briefest and Best Form.

Washington

By a vote of 6 to 3 the national house election committee voted to unseat Representative Theron Catlin of the Eleventh Missouri district because of fraud in his election. The committee then seated his opponent, Patrick Gill, by a vote of 5 to 3. Catlin is a Republican. Gill is a Democrat.

The national house of representatives by a vote of 197 to 5 passed the senate bill prohibiting the interstate transportation of prize-fight pictures. The bill now awaits the signature of the president to become a law.

To stem the tide of the high cost of living and other evils, the creation of a new standing committee is proposed in a resolution introduced by Representative Lindbergh of Minnesota. The committee would be known as the committee on industrial relations.

The Democratic caucus of the house of representatives formally elected Charles M. Riddell of Indiana sergeant-at-arms to succeed the late Stokes Jackson.

President Taft named Luther Coan, present deputy commissioner of corporations, to succeed Herbert Knox Smith, resigned. The president also named Sherman Page Allen of Vermont to be assistant secretary of the treasury, vice A. Platt Andrew, resigned.

The unseating of Senator Lorimer creates no vacancy and Governor Deen of Illinois has no power to appoint a successor. Thus holds Attorney General Stead in a voluminous opinion rendered to the governor. Whether a special session of the legislature will be called at once, so that Lorimer's successor may be elected, has not been decided.

By a unanimous vote the Sulzer bill creating a department of labor with a secretary and cabinet member at its head passed the house of representatives. It is to be carved out of the present department of commerce and labor, which is to be continued as the department of commerce.

The conferees on the river and harbor appropriation bill reached a complete agreement on an amended bill carrying a total appropriation of \$33,000,000. The \$6,000,000 appropriation for levee work along the Mississippi river was agreed to.

Postponement of the house judiciary committee investigation of the so-called beef trust was indicted at Washington when the committee met to consider a program.

The United States senate by a vote of 35 to 23 adopted Senator Bailey's resolution declaring any attempt on the part of a president to influence the vote of any senator upon any question a violation of the spirit of the constitution. The resolution was prompted by President Taft's interference in the Lorimer case.

A quarter of a million dollars was the estimate August Belmont, testifying before the United States senate committee investigating campaign contributions, placed upon his gift to the Democratic national campaign in 1904. He was not sure that was the sum, but was "satisfied to let it go at that."

Domestic

Mrs. Rena Bacon Morrow, prominent in Chicago social, club and church circles, was acquitted of the charge of shooting her husband, Charles B. Morrow, in December last.

Philadelphia's new public bathhouse at Tacony is ready to be turned over to the authorities, but it cannot be used for a year because in the construction of the building somebody forgot to make provision for a water supply.

Iowa Maywald, aged fifteen years; Erma Ferguson, fourteen, and Helen Johnson, eighteen, were killed and Herman Maywald, eighteen years old, was hurt when an eastbound Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train, near Cambridge, Iowa, struck a machine.

More than seven-eighths of the excavation work on the Panama canal has been completed. June 1, according to the Canal Record, 22,053,815 cubic yards, or less than one-eighth of the amount of earth and rock to be taken out of the canal route.

An echo of the famous operations of the Chicago Chamber was sounded in the report filed in the bankruptcy court by Receiver Frank H. Ginn, showing that the Euclid Trust and Savings company, wrecked through loans made Mrs. Chadwick, would, after ten years of waiting, be able to pay depositors dollar for dollar, with interest at six per cent.

Rev. John Patrick Deveney, a priest, pastor of a church at Jackson, Neb., who was accused of accosting twelve-year-old Catherine Cavanaugh on the street and offering her candy to accompany him, was found guilty of disorderly conduct, and remanded to prison without bail for sentence.

The world's typewriter speed record for one hour's continuous writing on unfamiliar copy was broken at Spokane, Wash., by Miss Florence E. Wilson of New York in the national contests held under the auspices of the National Commercial Teachers' federation. Miss Wilson copied 7,219 words in the hour.

Mrs. Julia A. Wilcox, said to be a former inmate of a hospital for the insane, and tower woman at Western Springs, Ill., the scene of the wreck of two C. & Q. trains, admitted at the coroner's inquest that she had misunderstood a telephone order and by stopping two trains, unnecessarily, had caused the confusion out of which the wreck occurred.

After a week in solitary confinement at San Quentin prison, J. B. McNamara, one of the convicted dynamiters of the Los Angeles Times building, stubbornly refused to conform to prison discipline, and Ward-en Hoyle said he would be kept in the dungeon indefinitely. McNamara's punishment was the result of repeated acts of insubordination.

Lincoln Steffens, the magazine writer, testified in the Darrow case at Los Angeles that on Saturday before the arrest of Bert Franklin, on the following Tuesday, November 28, Darrow consented that if it was necessary in order to affect a settlement of the McNamara cases, he would let J. J. McNamara plead guilty, as well as J. B. McNamara.

The campaign committee which is to run Governor Wilson's campaign for president was selected at a conference at the nominee's summer home at Seagirt, N. J. It consists of 14 members.

The Democratic campaign fund contained about \$1,000,000 when Alton B. Parker ran for president, in 1904, according to W. F. Sheehan of New York, who testified before the senate committee investigating campaign funds. Mr. Sheehan was then chairman of the Democratic national executive committee. Money was sent by the committee, he said, to Maine, Colorado and Nebraska.

Woodrow Wilson as Democratic national standardbearer ruled in spirit the reorganization of the Democratic national committee at a session held in Chicago. W. S. McCombs of New York, choice of Governor Wilson, was elected chairman to succeed Norman E. Mack, who retires. Joseph E. Davies, national committeeman from Wisconsin, was elected secretary and John I. Martin sergeant-at-arms.

The campaign fund used in the election of President Taft in 1908 amounted to \$1,655,518, according to Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock, chairman of the Republican national committee in that year, who testified before the senate investigating committee. He said no contribution was accepted from any corporation and that the committee had declined \$20,000 from T. Coleman Dupont.

Because of his criticism of the proposed "progressive party," as set out in a statement issued by him in Washington, United States Senator Works was asked to resign by Lieutenant-Governor Wallace and Meyer Lissner, chairman of the California Republican national committee.

Personal

Dr. Hans Blum, professor of political economy in Berlin university and a personal friend of the kaiser, is lying in Bellevue hospital in New York with a fractured skull and other injuries received as he was running to catch a street car. He was unconscious when taken to the hospital and his recovery is doubtful.

Foreign

A fleet of eight Italian warships which attempted to storm the Turkish forts at the entrance of the Dardanelles and open the way for an attack upon the littoral of the sea of Marmora, was driven off following the destruction of two ships and a heavy loss of human life, according to an official announcement made from the Turkish war office.

The German battleship Hessen rammed a torpedo boat when the smaller craft was crossing the bows of the big warship in an attack off Kiel, Germany. Three members of the torpedo boat's crew were killed.

An attempt to kill the Infanta Isabella by means of a bomb which was exploded in Catalonia square, Barcelona, Spain, failed. Several buildings were wrecked and a few persons slightly injured, but the Infanta escaped.

MICHIGAN NEWS TERSELY TOLD

Ann Arbor.—Citizens will have an opportunity on August 27 to vote on the question of whether the city shall build a detention hospital and accept the offer of the University of Michigan to maintain it. The regents have agreed that if the city would contribute \$25,000 for a building the university would undertake to equip it and furnish medical attendance.

Battle Creek.—"No more bathing in Goguc lake," this was the edict of the board of public works. Lake Goguc is the source of the city's water supply and from one to 1,000 persons bathe in the placid waters daily throughout the summer. The board figures that this practice contaminates the water and that it must be stopped.

Ionia.—Humane Officer Randolph of Grand Rapids was here, to investigate an alleged case of cruelty to animals, as a result of which a warrant was issued against William O'Brien, who has for several weeks had a horse with a broken leg and refused to have it killed.

Kalamazoo.—While returning home from Long Lake T. H. Sales and Dallas Boudeman, Jr., were injured when their automobile turned turtle. The accident happened on a sharp turn in the road a short distance this side of the lake. The machine fell on top of Sales, seriously injuring him. Although Boudeman was thrown nearly thirty feet from the machine his injuries are not serious. Sales was brought to a hospital in this city, where it is thought he will recover.

Jackson.—A man believed to have been Edward F. Mahoney of Hartford, Conn., was killed on the Saginaw division of the Michigan Central railroad at Stevens Crossing, three miles north of here. Section men found the body, which was literally cut to pieces and strewn along the track. A card bearing the name of Edward F. Mahoney and also a note to "Notify Katherine Mahoney, Hartford, Conn., in case of accident," was found in the man's pocket.

Kalamazoo.—Six persons were injured when a Michigan Central passenger train, west-bound, left the track while running at high speed. Steel coaches without question saved every person on the train from death or serious injury. The accident took place five miles east of this city on a long down grade, where the track runs straight for nearly six miles. Whether a broken rail or spreading rails caused the accident is not known.

Grand Rapids.—Summing all his courage after he had called upon the young woman and was escorting her down town Clarence Jinks proposed to Miss Inez Valkeburg. She suddenly rejected his offer of marriage. Jinks then thrust a knife five times into his breast and fell unconscious to the walk. He narrowly missed puncturing his heart in his attempt at self-destruction. When he is discharged from the hospital he will face prosecution for disorderly conduct.

Marine City.—Edward O'Leary, son of John O'Leary, a farmer living near here, lost his life in the St. Clair river while boating. In attempting to change seats in the boat he lost his balance and the boat was capsized. O'Leary and his companion started to swim ashore, but O'Leary was unequal to the task and sank to his death. His companion reached the shore exhausted. O'Leary was twenty-six years old and unmarried.

Port Huron.—The freight steamer G. J. Grammer, owned by Frank Selver, Cleveland, O., was sunk in a collision with the freighter Northwind just north of Port Huron. The boat sank in 26 feet of water. The crew was taken off in small boats. The G. J. Grammer was a wooden boat, 418 feet long, built in 1902. The Northwind also is a wooden boat.

Petoskey.—Notified by passengers on an early Pere Marquette train, Capt. E. E. Pugh of the Charlevoix life saving station, with a crew of six men, started out and picked up the motor boat "Baby Louise," which had drifted on Lake Michigan. Lawrence Smith and John Anderson of Chicago, who are spending the summer at Charlevoix, occupied the boat, which suffered a breakdown on the way home from Petoskey.

Owosso.—The apparent suicide of H. C. McGineas, a local insurance man for many years, whose body was found hanging in the garage in connection with his residence, with a rope encircling his neck, is attributed to despondency over the recent death of his wife, the burning of a business block he owned and other reverses.

Lansing.—Governor Osborn has discarded his crutches and is able to walk with the use of a cane. He has had a specially-built shoe for his injured foot. It is unlikely that the governor will attend the meeting of the Progressives under the Oaks, as he left for Newberry yesterday to inspect the school there, tends to inspect all of the institutions normally. The Progressives are permitted to meet for the first time in the city.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.
DETROIT.—Cattle: Extra dry-fed steers, \$3.00@3.50; spears and heifers, \$2.50@3.00; steers and heifers, \$2.00@2.50; grass steers and heifers that are fat, \$1.50@2.00; common cows, \$1.00@1.50; choice fat cows, \$1.50@2.00; common cows, \$1.00@1.50; canners, \$2.50@3.00; choice heavy bulls, \$4.00@4.50; fat to good bolognas, \$3.50@4.00; stock bulls, \$3.25@3.50; choice feeding steers, \$2.50@3.00; fat to good steers, \$2.00@2.50; fair feeding steers, \$1.50@2.00; fat to good hogs, \$4.25@4.50; fair stockers, \$3.00@3.50; fat stockers, \$2.50@3.00; stock hogs, \$3.25@3.50; stock hogs, \$3.25@3.50; milkers, larger, young, medium size, \$4.00@5.00; common milkers, \$2.00@3.00.

The veal calf trade was active and late arrivals farmed than those on hand early. The general market was \$9 for tops at the opening, but at the close the best were closed up to \$10.50, and the other good grades were a quarter to a half higher than they were last week, with not enough on sale to supply the demand.

In the sheep and lamb department the trade was also active at an advance of 25c over last week, bulk of the good ones bringing \$7.50. The close was strong at the advance.

GRAIN, ETC.
Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.02 1-2; July opened without change at \$1.03 1-4, touched at \$1.01 1-2, gained 1-2c, declined to \$1.04, and closed at \$1.02 1-2; September opened at \$1.04 1-2 and closed at \$1.04; December opened at \$1.06 3-4 and declined to \$1.06 1-4, and closed at \$1.05 1-2.

GENERAL MARKETS.
Butter—Extra creamery, 25 1-2c; first creamery, 25 1-2c; dairy, 21c; packing, 19c per lb. Eggs—Receipts, 20 1-2c; candied, 20c per doz. Warmeries—\$2.50@3.00 each. Gooseberries—\$2.25@2.50 per bushel. Lemons—California, \$3@5 per box. Oranges—Valencia, \$4@5 per box. Pineapples—Florida, \$3@3.75 per case. Blackberries—\$1.50@1.75 per 16-quart case. Huckleberries—\$2@2.25 per 16-quart case. Grapefruit—California, \$5@6 per doz. Cherries—Sour, \$1.50@1.75 per 16-quart case; sweet, \$2@2.25 per 16-quart case. California cherries—\$1.75@2.25 per box. Apples—Willow twig, \$7@7.50 per barrel; new, \$4.50@5.00 per barrel. Cantaloupes—Jumbo, \$3 per crate; standards, \$3.25 per crate. Raspberries—Red, \$4.50@5 per 24-quart case; black, \$4.00@4.50 per 24-quart case. Peaches—Georgia Elbertas, \$2 per crate and \$2@2.25 per bushel; Texas Elbertas, \$2@2.25 per six-basket crate. New Potatoes—Southern, \$2.75@2.85 per barrel. Dressed Calves—Fancy, 10@11; choice, \$8@9 per lb. Honey—Choice to fancy comb, 15@16c; amber, 12@13c per lb. Tomatoes—Four-basket crates, 90c @ \$1; hot-house, 1.50@1.75 per lb. New Cabbage—\$1.25@1.50 per crate; home grown, \$1.50@1.75 per barrel. Onions—Texas Bermudas, \$1.25 for yellow and \$1.50 for white, per box; Egyptian, \$1.25 per bushel, and \$2.25 per sack. Live Poultry—Broilers, 24@25c per lb; chickens, 14 1-2@15c; hens, 14 1-2@15c; ducks, 14c; young ducks, 15@16c per lb. Cheese—Michigan flats, 16@17c; New York flats, 17@18c; brick cream, 17 1-2@18c; Limburger, 17@19c; domestic Swiss, new, 22@23c; imported Swiss, 23 1-2@25c per lb. New beets, 20c per dozen; carrots, 15@20c per dozen; cauliflower, \$2.50 per bushel; hot-house cucumbers, \$2.50 per dozen; eggplant, \$1.75 per bushel; garlic, 10c per lb.; green beans, 50c per basket; green onions, 12 1-2@15c per dozen; green beans, 15@16c per bushel; leaf lettuce, 30c per bushel; head lettuce, 75c per bushel; mint, 30c per dozen; parsley, 20@25c per dozen; radishes, 10c per dozen; turnips, 25c per bushel; watercress, 25@35c per dozen; spinach, 50c per bushel; wax beans, 75c per bushel; green peas, \$1.25 per bushel.

Parcels Post Bill.
After a dispute of more than two months the senate committee on post-offices and post roads Saturday reached an agreement on the postoffice appropriation bill.

The parcels post provision, the principal matter in dispute, was finally thrashed out by Senator Bourne and Senator Bristow of Kansas. The result was a compromise.

The bill retains Senator Bourne's scheme for a division of the country into zones within which rates for the transmission of parcels shall be the same.

Canal Nears Completion.
More than seven-eighths of the excavation work on the Panama canal has been completed. June 1, according to the canal record, 22,053,815 cubic yards, or less than one-eighth of the total amount of earth and rock to be taken out of the canal route, remained to be excavated. At the rate the great steam shovels are working, this can be done in time to have the waterway ready for opening on schedule, January 1, 1915.

William Howland, 15, who was arrested in Lansing on a charge of burglarizing a show time ago, escaped from the home of the county agent during the latter's absence.

The treaty of mutual trade which was signed at Ottawa by the United States and Canada, is now in force.

FOOL QUESTION ANSWERED.



Percy—If I were rich, my darling, would you love me more than you do?
Virginia—I might not love you any more, Percy, but I know I would look forward to our wedding day with a degree of impatience that never seems to possess me at present.

"What's going on here?" demanded a man as he came upon two little boys battling in a vacant lot on the south side. The lad who was on top was rubbing weeds over the face of the under one.
"Stop it," said the man, grabbing the victor by the neck and pulling him away. "What in the world are you trying to do to his face with those weeds?"
"Do? Why, he swore in front of some girls, and I rubbed some smartweed in his eyes to become a great man like Abraham Lincoln."—Pittsburg Sun.

Fit Punishment.
The Wicked Soul was sitting on a hot stove, drinking molten lava and fanning himself with a chunk of red hot sheetrock.
"And who is the poor wretch?" asked Dante.

"That," replied Satan, "is the first man who said, 'Is it hot enough for you?'"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Bait.
First Suffragette—If we want to get the young girls interested in our meetings we must have something to attract them.
Second Suffragette—Which would it better be—refreshments or men?—Life.

Obviously Unnecessary.
"Look here, Snip," said Slowpay, indignantly, to his tailor, "you haven't put any pockets in these trousers."
"No, Mr. Slowpay," said the tailor, with a sigh; "I judged from your account that you never had anything to put in them."

Persuasion.
"What made Mr. Chuggins buy an automobile?"
"His wife persuaded him by calling his attention to the economy of having gasoline on hand to clean goggles with."—Washington Star.

Let's Be Thankful for That.
At any rate a woman's shoes haven't yet reached the point where they button up the back.

When He Can't Be Overlooked.
Somehow or other we never take much notice of the coming man till he gets there.

A girl may not marry the best man at her own wedding, but she should try to make the best of the man she marries.

Only a married man can fully appreciate heaven if there are no wash days or house cleaning seasons there.

Many a girl strives to make a name for herself rather than attempt to make a loaf of bread.

Goodness does not more certainly make men happy than happiness makes them good.—Lander.

Unless a woman is a first-class artist she seldom has a good complexion.

Poets are born—and most of the great ones are dead.

No thoughtful person uses liquid blue. It's a pinch of blue in a large bottle of water. Ask for Red Cross Ball Blue, the blue that's all blue.

Women waste a lot of powder when the enemy isn't in sight.

Misinterpreted.
William Shaw, the secretary of the famous Christian Endeavor society, said in a witty after-dinner address in Boston:
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Youthful Criminal

Moral Health of Children Needs Guarding

By MRS. W. J. YOUNG, Galveston, Texas

WHAT shall we do with the youthful criminal? That is a problem that requires serious thought. Some of the greatest intellects have pondered over that momentous question, and yet all reforms bearing on the subject are still in an experimental stage. To prevent and protect our children from becoming youthful offenders should be our first endeavor.

Modern municipal hygiene does not attempt to stop the ravages of disease by merely treating those afflicted. The purity of the water supply, the sanitary regulations governing dwellings and buildings, the efficiency and completeness of the sewer system, etc., are given the required attention. Time, thought and money are expended judiciously to protect our physical well being. Protection is the watchword in the municipal department safeguarding our health.

The moral health of our children needs to be guarded and fortified. If we can check or reduce the number of wayward youths the problem will be partially solved.

Many parents feed, clothe and send their children to school, but forget to instill into the plastic minds of their offspring the love of truth, honesty and consideration for the rights of others. Character building in the home is essential to good morals. Parents should co-operate with school teachers and religious instructors in the training of children. "The high instincts of reason, of conscience, of love, of religion—how beautiful and grand they are in the young heart!"

Undoubtedly heredity plays an important part in the character of a child. I firmly believe that good and worthy examples, the proper environment and a moral and religious training exert a powerful influence in controlling and eradicating hereditary evil tendencies.

Give youthful offenders a chance? Why, of course. Teach them the means to earn an honest living, then give them work and put enough in their pay envelopes to enable them to live respectably. Lack of employment and insufficient wages produce a harvest of criminals.

The wonder is that we have not a larger crop of young lawbreakers. What chance have children of tender years working long hours in mills, mines and factories? Stunted bodies and minds are not productive of strong moral characters. Men waxing rich on the profits derived from child labor not only dwarf the minds and bodies of the poor, unfortunate children in their employ, but they kill their souls as well. Give youth the best chance by abolishing conditions that produce youthful criminals.

Boys and girls who stray from the straight and narrow path should not be herded with older and more hardened criminals. A little more classification in jail and a little less out of jail might be beneficial to humanity. Confirmed law breakers are professors of crime, and all professors, whether good or evil, take pleasure in instructing the young.

Minor offenders should not be treated like seasoned jailbirds. There are many pitfalls for the unwary, and a step downward often means a toboggan slide to the gutter. You, on the height, throw out the life line; there is always a chance that it may be grasped.

Publicity should not be given to the petty crimes of first offenders. It does not help the youth to retain or regain his self-respect, and self-respect, if not wholly destroyed, leads to reformation.

There has been general regret on the part of the more enlightened members of the community regarding the unfortunate display attending the departure of a recently married couple on their wedding journey. Could not a campaign be instituted to inform backward intellects unable to distinguish between fun and decency?

It might be well to impress on those "not yet under the yoke" that one of the first duties of a husband is to shield his wife, not alone from insult, but from annoyance and humiliation.

Even the uncultured might understand that fair play hardly permits the opposition of half a dozen against the necessity of one.

The majority of human beings, who have succeeded in emerging from barbarism, find no special pleasure, either, in the anger of a man of the tears of a girl. One is tempted to reverse the judgment of that wise and witty handbill, and agree with New England's great educator, Dr. Elliott, when he observed that bachelors were a mischievous and disorderly class and a detriment to society.

A more charitable view, however, might suggest that, in the parting episode of the handcuffs the "beloved friends" bestowed a girl with which they had become profitably familiar. It is devoutly to be wished that people may not judge the bride and bridegroom by the company they kept, for they certainly proved their desire to escape it, and to depart unheralded and untormented upon the "deep, dark and troublesome sea of matrimony."

Why do not more city girls become the wives of western farmers? The reason is that a city girl who is willing to work at stenography or bookkeeping or any other honest employment is too self-respecting to pick up with a western man whom she knows nothing about and to cross the country to be inspected before marriage, even though the westerner is generally willing to send money for the girl to come out till he gets a look at her.

We know he is simply longing for her, as some kind of girl is necessary to preside over his shack and keep the cows and chickens from roaming too far from home. She can help remove the litter from in front of the only door when it becomes too cluttered up, cook for the men on the ranch and mend and wash for them.

True, there is not much housework to be done, as there are generally two rooms in the shack and all the boasted fresh air they can enjoy in the winter months is that which comes through the cracks in the walls.

Take it from one who knows—"Far-off hills look green." This western ranch luxury is largely a myth and a self-respecting girl should think too highly of her life to run after a man.

"TO MY WIFE, IF SHE REMAINS UNMARRIED"



MRS. JAMES CUSHING GREEN.

How shall a widow choose—love or money? Already there have been all sorts of discussions regarding the wills of some of the Titanic millionaires who died that their wives might live. Colonel John Jacob Astor left the vast bulk of his \$100,000,000 to his son Vincent and \$5,000,000 to his beautiful young widow, Madeline Force that was. But it is not to be hers in case she marries again. William Augustus Spencer, another millionaire who died with Colonel Astor, left the bulk of his fortune to his widow, Marie Eugenia Spencer, unless she remarries. Then her income is cut to \$12,000 a year.

What will they do? Nobody knows. Only the other day Mrs. James A. Garland, Jr., heiress to the income of \$10,000,000 left by her husband, answered the question in her way. She married, despite the proviso of the will that she should lose the income of every penny of it should she find another husband. And only last autumn Mrs. Mary Corling Dunlop, widow of the late David Dunlop, Sr., gave up the income of \$2,000,000 to marry Archibald M. McCrea, cutting down her portion to the trifling income of \$50,000.

But let Mrs. Garland of New York and Boston tell how she solved her problem—she gave up her \$10,000,000.

"Money Not Everything." Today she is off honeymooning with her new love, Francis Cushing Green, for whom she gave up her princely fortune. And let it be said here that though Mr. Green is a prosperous lawyer he has nothing like the wealth which James A. Garland willed to his widow less than six years ago—willed with the proviso that should she ever marry again the income of the \$10,000,000 should go to his three elder sons and at their deaths to Harvard university.

"No, money isn't everything," repeated Mrs. Garland—it was on her wedding eve. "Certainly, I'm marrying for love. And love—oh, it's everything—or nearly so. Besides," she added as an afterthought, "he has enough for us both. Do you know, we are going to be farmers and live down on Cape Cod. We're going to lead the simple life."

"And what's to become of the \$10,000,000? Oh, that will remain in the family, I guess. My three boys—James, Hamilton and Charles—will have the income of it, all right. My fourth boy, Tudor, has already been provided for by his grandfather, and so has my little daughter, Hope. No, Harvard won't get the money yet awhile."

And pretty Mrs. Garland, so soon to be Mrs. Green and million-less, laughed long and merrily. To look into her dancing eyes and to see the proud smile of love mantle her well-molded features whenever Mr. Green's name was mentioned, no one would have thought that she was giving up without a murmur an income of something like \$400,000 a year for love alone. In such a way did her millionaire husband hedge his great fortune roundabout. Not even Mrs. John Jacob Astor will have to forfeit so much should she marry again. In Colonel Astor's will she receives the income of \$5,000,000 so long as she shall remain unmarried. Mrs. Green gives up twice as much.

As for Mr. Green he was all enthusiasm, too. He took the complete face of his wife-to-be as the most interesting thing in the world, and to tell of the more material things of a wedding to come.

"Why," he explained,

have known Mrs. Garland ever since we were youngsters and played together. We were always the best of friends, and I always admired her. We grew up together and she married and all that, and when her husband's estate needed proper care I attended to that. So I became manager of the Garland estate; that's all there is to it.

"Mrs. Garland takes a personal interest in the raising of cows and horses and chickens, and we're going to be farmers down on Cape Cod at the place at Bourne. Really, there isn't much about farming that Mrs. Garland doesn't know. We are both exceptionally fond of country life, and so we expect to live in the open rest of our days."

Which may be all very true, but Mrs. Garland-Green loves society, too, and she does on yachting, and New York has many attractions for her, as has Europe. So the newlyweds' best friends take all the simple life talk with just a teeny-weeny grain of salt and predict that the winters won't see Mr. and Mrs. Green shivering down on Cape Cod, though it may be fine in the summer there.

Romantic Life History. Romance has played hide and seek through the life of dainty Marie Tudor of Brookline, Boston's smartest suburb. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Tudor and one of the belles of Boston even before her formal debut. Harvard swains went wild over her brunette beauty, but when she met James A. Garland, Jr., Harvard '93, then a senior, his fate was sealed.

The college youth didn't have to wait to carve a niche in the world for himself before he could marry. His father, James A. Garland, Sr., vice president of the First National bank of New York and one of the organizers of the Northern Pacific railroad, was many times a millionaire and doted on his handsome son.

So, three months after he was graduated from Harvard, there was a big out-of-door wedding at Brookline, where he was the bridegroom and fetching Miss Marie Tudor the bride.

But ten years ago something broke that completely upset Boston society—the Garlands were airing their domestic troubles in a divorce court. The wife fled serious charges; the husband came back with some equally disconcerting. He demanded the custody of his four sons and the wife disputed him. Meanwhile his father had died, leaving him a large portion of his immense fortune, invested in gilt-edged bank and railway stock and in large parcels of real estate. Young Garland, junior no longer, had become a multi-millionaire.

Wife Proved the Victor. The case was bitterly fought on both sides. In the end the wife won with \$15,000 a year alimony, but the husband gained permission to see his sons. So Mrs. Garland withdrew from society and made herself a country home with her boys. Mr. Garland hastened to New York to go into literary work. But he tired of this and made a world cruise in his big steam yacht Barracouta.

"I can't forget her; I love her," he confessed to a few friends who were with him.

It was a delicate mission, this one of the sister's, but with her native woman's wit she devised a scheme. There should be a family picnic aboard the Barracouta, so that the boys might see their father again, and, of course, their mother must needs go along to take care of them. Mr. Garland readily agreed, and one pleasant summer's day the Barracouta steamed into quiet Hyannisport harbor and dropped anchor. A launch put ashore, and when it came back—why, there were the boys, and blushing Mrs. Garland, and smiling Mrs. Higginson.

The boys clambered aboard and were soon inspecting the yacht—it was so long since they had been aboard of her that they had almost forgotten her. Luncheon was soon served, and it looked like old times to see Mrs. Garland at the foot of the table, pouring the tea and doing the honors while her ex-husband looked on proudly from the other end.

And there were more picnics, too, with Mrs. Garland along always with Mrs. Higginson to chaperon. Boston began to hear about them, too, and held up its hands with all Puritan horror. A divorced wife being seen with her former husband—the idea of it! And dining together in public restaurants and going to the play, just the two of them! Wasn't it awful!

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Staid Boston Horrified. "Things can't go on this way," was the burden of the talk of the outraged Bostonians—such people as the Von L. Meyers, the Shaws, the Higginsons, the Hoopers, the Peabodys and the Gardiners—all of the Myopia set in which Mrs. Garland had been such a prominent member.

Well, they couldn't. So, one bright day in late September, the Barracouta started up Narragansett bay and put in at Bristol. There Rev. W. L. Hood was sent for. Two relatives of the bride's, Henry and Thomas Tudor of Boston, happened along and this made up the wedding party. The knot was tied with so little ceremony that the clergyman didn't know the importance of the parties nor the broken romance which was now in the mending.

The Garlands tried to regain their old position in Boston; they failed. So they cut the conservative Hub off the map, and Hamilton, too. They sold their Beacon street mansion and their beautiful estate at Hamilton, and went straight to New York. There they took a house at 87 East Fifty-second street, in the most fashionable part of the city, while they could plan a proper mansion on upper Fifth avenue, near Eighty-second street.

Second Marriage Happy. Things went swimmingly. No one would ever have dreamed that it had only been two short years before when the wife left her husband's home in the middle of the night, only half dressed. They were devoted as two sweethearts. In New York a little daughter was born of the second marriage; they named her Hope.

New York society, not as prim as Boston's, received the rich young pair with open arms. They were busy on the plans of the mansion they were to build at 1023 Fifth avenue when young Mr. Garland fell ill in 1906. He was hurried to his country home on Prudence island, but gradually grew weaker. As a last resort he was removed to Hanover, Mass., where he could be nearer the specialist who had his case, but it was of no avail. He died in his wife's arms in September, 1906.

The will was read. There were generous bequests to relatives and retainers, and some art gifts, but the entire residuary estate went to the widow, the income to be hers until her death and then to revert to the three elder sons. However, there was a string to the \$10,000,000. Mrs. Garland was to lose the income in case she remarried. The only bequest to her in fee simple was the Prudence island estate. That was left to her outright.

Growth of Mutual Love. Mrs. Garland expressed herself as perfectly satisfied and bought another summer home at Bourne-on-the-Cape. The will named three executors, and so great were their responsibilities that they were required to give bonds in \$1,000,000 each. The estate, too, needed a legal adviser and manager, and what could be more natural than that the young widow should turn to her old friend and playmate, Mr. Green? He took charge at once and under his wise administration the property increased very largely in value as the years rolled by.

Business gradually threw the widow and the bachelor lawyer together more and more. To cut it short, as time passed the two began to realize that their relations had become very much more than counsel and client. Mr. Green found out that he loved the widow whose estate he had in his keeping, and he told her so. And she had found out the same thing.

Their engagement was announced and a few days later they were married at Bourne.

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WAR REMINISCENCES

IN PURSUIT OF HOOD'S ARMY

Member of Minnesota Regiment Gives Details Leading to Capture of Pointe Coupee Battery.

A sketch of the incidents leading to the capture of the Pointe Coupee Battery at Nashville is given by Theodore G. Carter, captain, Co. K, 7th Minnesota, in the National Tribune as follows:

"At Nashville the 5th Minn. was on the left of the Second Brigade, First Division, Sixteenth Corps, front line, its left flank resting on the Granny White pike. The Pointe Coupee battery was in front of my company. On Dec. 15th we had charged and driven the enemy's forces from two forts or redoubts, without stopping to place guards over the guns, colors and other captured property. Our colonel, W. R. Marshall, was in command of the Third Brigade on the 16th, and



"Lay Down Your Arms and Surrender."

he was the only brigade commander who led his brigade in that charge of the Sixteenth Corps, and he was on horseback at that. A lane ran along the front of and below the high woodland upon which the Pointe Coupee battery was, and the Confederates took the inside fence rails and placed them on top of the outer fence, with the ends resting on top of the fence and sloped towards us, the lower ends covered with dirt to keep them in place. They were laid close together, and it was difficult to climb them. A shell had knocked out a part of the obstruction. As I was looking towards the battery (it was pouring grape, canister and shrapnel at us all the time), I did not notice the movement of the regiment to the right; consequently when I saw it there was a break in my company of some 75 or 100 yards. I told the remaining eight or ten boys that we would go to that gap and go over. The boys 'boosted' me up, and as I gained the top I saw Col. Marshall come galloping down from the right. He rode out into the crowd of fleeing Confederates, calling out: 'Lay down your arms and surrender.' I jumped down, and telling the boys to follow me, ran after the colonel, giving the same call. There were apparently thousands of them trying to get over the hills to the Franklin pike. Our left claimed the capture of that battery, too, yet we had been in possession quite awhile before their line had fairly started."

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SYNOPSIS.

The scene at the opening of the story is laid in the library of an old worn-out southern plantation, known as the Barony. The place is to be sold, and its history and that of the owners, the Quintards, is the subject of discussion by Jonathan Crenshaw, a business man, a stranger known as Eliden, and Bob Yancy, a farmer, when Hannibal Wayne Hazzard, a mysterious child of the old southern family, makes his appearance. Yancy tells how he adopted the boy. Nathaniel Ferris buys the Barony, but the Quintards deny any knowledge of the boy. Yancy, to help Hannibal, Captain Murrell, a friend of the Quintards, appears and asks questions about the Barony. Trouble at Scratch Hill, when Hannibal is kidnapped by Dave Blount, Captain Murrell's agent. Yancy overtakes Blount, gives him a thrashing and secures the boy. Yancy appears before Judge Belam, and is discharged with costs for the plaintiff. Betty Malroy, a friend of the Quintards, has an encounter with Captain Murrell, who forces his attentions on her, and is rescued by Bruce Carrington. Betty sets out for her Tennessee home. Carrington takes the same stage. Yancy and Hannibal disappear, with Murrell on their trail. Hannibal arrives at the home of Judge Slocum Price. The Judge recognizes the boy, the grandson of an old time friend. Murrell arrives at Judge's home. Cavendish family on the rescue. Yancy, who is apparently dead. Price breaks jail. Betty and Carrington arrive at Belle Plain. Hannibal's rifle discloses some startling things to the judge. Hannibal and Betty meet again.

CHAPTER XI—(Continued).

The judge gave a great start, and a hoarse, inarticulate murmur stole from between his twitching lips.

"What do you know of the Barony, Hannibal?"

"I lived at the Barony once, until Uncle Bob took me to Scratch Hill to be with him," said Hannibal.

"You—you lived at the Barony?" repeated the judge, and a dull wonder struck through his tone. "How long ago—when?" he continued.

"I don't know how long it were, but until Uncle Bob carried me away after the old general died."

The judge slipped a hand under the child's chin and tilted his face back so that he might look into it. For a long moment he studied closely those small features, then with a shake of the head he handed the rifle to Carrington, and without a word strode forward. Carrington had been regarding Hannibal with a quickened interest.

"Hello!" he said, as the judge moved off. "You're the boy I saw at Scratch Hill!"

Hannibal gave him a frightened glance, and edged to Mr. Mahaffy's side, but did not answer.

The judge plodded forward, his shoulders drooped, and his head bowed. For once silence had fixed its seal upon his lips, no inspiring speech fell from them. He had been suddenly swept back into a past he had striven these twenty years and more to forget, and his memories shaped themselves fantastically. Surely if ever a man had quitted the world that knew him, he was that man! He had died and yet he lived—lived horribly, without soul or heart, the empty shell of a man.

A turn in the road brought them within sight of Boggs' race-track, a wide, level meadow. The judge paused irresolutely, and turned his bleared face on his friend.

"We'll stop here, Solomon," he said rather wearily, for the spirit of boast and jest was quite gone out of him. He glanced toward Carrington. "Are you a resident of these parts, sir?" he asked.

"I've been in Raleigh three days altogether," answered Carrington, and they continued on across the meadow in silence.

Here were men from the small clearings in homespun and butternut or fringed hunting-shirts, with their women folk trailing after them. Here, too, in lesser numbers, were the lords of the soil, the men who counted their acres by the thousand and their slaves by the score. There was the flutter of skirts among the moving groups, the nodding of gay parasols that shaded fresh young faces, while occasionally a comfortable family carriage with some planter's wife or daughter rolled silently over the turf.

The judge's dull eye kindled, the haggard lines that streaked his face erased themselves. This was life, opulent and full. These swift-rolling carriages with their handsome women, these well-dressed men on foot, and splendidly mounted, all did their part toward lifting him out of his gloom.

A cry from Hannibal drew his attention. Turning, he was in time to see the boy bound away. An instant later, to his astonishment, he saw a young girl who was seated with two men in an open carriage, spring to the ground, and dropping to her knees put her arms about the tattered little figure.

"Why, Hannibal!" cried Betty Malroy.

"Miss Betty! Miss Betty!" and Hannibal buried his head on her shoulder.

"What is it, Hannibal; what is it, dear?"

"Nothing, only I'm so glad to find you!"

"I am glad to see you, too!" said Betty, as she wiped his tears away. "Where did you get here, dear?"



THE PRODIGAL JUDGE

By VAUGHAN KESTER ILLUSTRATIONS BY D. MELVILL



"We got here just today, Miss Betty," said Hannibal.

Mr. Ware, careless as to dress, scowled down on the child. He had favored Boggs with his presence, not because he felt the least interest in horse-racing, but because he had no faith in girls, and especially had he profound mistrust of Betty. She was so much easily portable wealth, a pink-faced chit ready to fall into the arms of the first man who proposed to her. But Charley Norton had not seemed disturbed by the planter's forbidding air.

"What ragamuffin's this, Betty?" growled Ware disgustedly.

But Betty did not seem to hear. "Did you come alone, Hannibal?" she asked.

"No, ma'am; the judge and Mr. Mahaffy, they fetched me."

The judge had drawn nearer as Betty and Hannibal spoke together, but Mahaffy hung back. There were gulfs not to be crossed by him. It was different with the judge; the native magnificence of his mind fitted him for any occasion.

"Allow me the honor to present myself, ma'am—Price is my name—Judge Slocum Price. May I be permitted to assume that this is the Miss Betty of whom my young protege so often speaks?"

Tom Ware gave him a glance of undisguised astonishment, while Norton regarded him with an expression of stunned and resolute gravity.

Betty looked at the judge rather inquiringly.

"I am glad he has found friends," she said slowly. She wanted to believe that Judge Slocum Price was somehow better than he looked, which should have been easy, since it was incredible that he could have been worse.

"He has indeed found friends," said the judge with mellow unction, and swelling visibly.

Now Betty caught sight of Carrington and bowed. Occupied with Hannibal and the judge, she had been unaware of his presence. Carrington stepped forward.

"Have you met Mr. Norton, and my brother, Mr. Carrington?" she asked.

The two young men shook hands, and Ware improved the opportunity to inspect the new-comer. But as his glance wandered over him, it took in more than Carrington, for it included the fine figure and swarthy face of Captain Murrell, who, with his eyes fixed on Betty, was thrusting his eager way through the crowd.

Murrell had presented himself at Belle Plain the day before. For upward of a year, Ware had enjoyed great peace of mind as a direct result of his absence from west Tennessee, and when he thought of him at all he had invariably put a period to his meditations with, "I hope to hell he catches it wherever he is!"

More than this, Betty had spoken

of the captain in no uncertain tones. He was not to repeat that visit.

As Murrell approached, the hot color surged into Betty's face. As for Hannibal, he had gone white to the lips, and his small hand clutched hers desperately.

Murrell, with all his hardihood, realized that a too great confidence had placed him in an awkward position, for Betty turned her back on him and began an animated conversation with Carrington and Charley Norton.

Hicks, the Belle Plain overseer, pushed his way to Murrell's side.

"Here, John Murrell, ain't you going to show us a trick or two?" he inquired.

Murrell turned quickly with a sense of relief.

"If you can spare me your rifle," he said, but his face wore a bleak look.

"Don't you think you've seen about enough, Bet?" demanded Tom. "You don't care for the shooting, do you?"

"That's the very thing I do care for; I think I'd rather see that than the horse-racing," said Betty perversely.

Betty now seated herself in the carriage, with Hannibal beside her, quietly determined to miss nothing. The judge, feeling that he had come into his own, leaned elegantly against the wheel, and explained the merits of each shot as it was made.

"I hope you gentlemen are not going to let me walk off with the prize?" said Murrell, approaching the group about the carriage. "Mr. Norton, I am told you are clever with the rifle."

"I am not shooting today," responded Norton haughtily.

Murrell stalked back to the line.

"At forty paces I'd risk it myself, ma'am," said the judge. "But at a hundred, offhand like this, I should most certainly fail!"

"It would be hard to beat that," they heard Murrell say.

"At least it would be quite possible to equal it," said Carrington, advancing with Hannibal's rifle in his hands.

It was tossed to his shoulder, and poured out its contents in a bright stream of flame. There was a moment of silence.

"Center shot, ma'am!" cried the judge.

"I'll add twenty dollars to the purse!" Norton addressed himself to Carrington. "And I shall hope, sir, to see it go into your pocket."

"Our sentiments exactly, ma'am, are they not?" said the judge.

"Perhaps you'd like to bet a little of your money?" remarked Murrell.

"I'm ready to do that too, sir," responded Norton quietly.

"Five hundred dollars, then, that this gentleman in whose success you take so great an interest, can neither equal nor better my next shot!" Murrell had produced a roll of bills as he spoke.

Norton colored with embarrassment. Carrington took in the situation.

"Wait a minute," he said, and passed his purse to Norton. "Cover his money, sir," he added briefly.

"Thank you, my horses have run away with most of my cash," explained Norton.

"Your shot!" said Carrington shortly, to the outlaw.

Murrell taking careful aim, fired, clipping the center.

As soon as the result was known, Carrington raised his rifle; his bullet, truer than his opponent's, drove out the center. Murrell turned on him with an oath.

"You shoot well, but a board stuck against a tree is no test for a man's nerve," he said insolently.

Carrington was charging his piece. "I only know of one other kind of target," he observed coolly.

"Yes—a living target!" cried Murrell.

CHAPTER XII.

The Portal of Hops.

"This—" the speaker was Judge Price; "this is the place for me. They are a warm-hearted people, sir; a prosperous people, and a patriotic people with an unstinted love of country. I'd like to hang out my shingle here and practice law."

The judge and Mr. Mahaffy were camped in the woods between Boggs' and Raleigh. Betty had carried Hannibal off to spend the night at Belle Plain.

"I crave opportunity, Solomon—the indorsement of my own class. I feel that I shall have it here," resumed the judge pensively. "Will you stroll into town with me, Solomon?" he asked. Mahaffy shook his head.

"Then let your prayers follow me, for I'm off!" said the judge.

Ten minutes' walk brought him to the door of the city tavern, where he found Mr. Pegloe directing the activities of a small colored boy who was mopping out his bar. To him the judge made known his needs.

"Goin' to locate, are you?" said Mr. Pegloe.

"My friends urge it, sir, and I have taken the matter under consideration," answered the judge.

"Well, the only empty house in town is right over yonder; it belongs to young Charley Norton out at Thicket Point Plantation."

The house Mr. Pegloe pointed out was a small frame building; it stood directly on the street, with a narrow porch across the front, and a shed addition at the back. The judge scuttled over to it. The judge's pulse quickened. What a location, and what a fortunate chance that Mr. Norton was the owner of this most desirable tenement! He must see him at once. As he turned away to recross the street and learn from Mr. Pegloe by what road Thicket Point might be reached, Norton himself galloped into the village. Catching sight of the judge, he reined in his horse and swung himself from the saddle.

"I was hoping, sir, I might find you," he said.

"A wish I should have echoed had I been aware of it!" responded the judge. "I was about to do myself the honor to wait upon you at your plantation."

"Then I have saved you a long walk," said Norton. He surveyed the judge rather dubiously, but listened with kindness as he explained the business that would have taken him to Thicket Point.

"The house is quite at your service, sir," he said, at length.

"The rent—" began the judge.

But Mr. Norton, with a delicacy equal to his own, entreated him not to mention the rent. The house had come to him as boot in a trade. It had been occupied by a doctor and a lawyer; these gentlemen had each decamped between two days, heavily in debt at the stores and taverns, especially the taverns. And thus handsomely did Charley Norton acquit himself of the mission he had undertaken at Betty Malroy's request.

That same morning Tom Ware and Captain Murrell were seated in the small detached building at Belle Plain, known as the office, where the former spent most of his time when not in the saddle.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Reptiles That Have Long Life. Some of the sacred crocodiles of India are said to be over a hundred; and vast estimates have been made of the ages of the giant tortoises of Madagascar. Certainly three centuries (and more) have been known to live.

TEXT WAS NEW TO HEARERS

German's Struggle With the English Language Praised, but somewhat Mirth Provoking.

Prince Henry of Reuss, who speaks superb English, laughed good-naturedly at a dinner in New York, over the account of certain officers of the German fleet.

"One of our chaplains," said the prince, "had the hardihood to preach in English at one of your Lutheran chapels the other day. He astonished his congregation by saying, as he rose, that he would choose for his text the words:

"And he tore his shirt."

"A quite audible snicker went round. The chaplain noticed it, flushed, and repeated the text in a louder voice:

"And he tore his shirt."

"The snicker became a laugh, and the pastor rose and said:

"Our good brother is quoting, of course, the familiar words:

"And the door is shut."

Why They Went.

As the Sunday school teacher entered her classroom, she saw leaning in great haste a little girl and her still smaller brother.

"Why, Mary, you aren't going away?" she exclaimed in surprise.

"Please, Mith Anne, we've got to go," was the distressed reply. "Jimmy 'th thwallowed hith collection."—Lippincott's.

Job was a patient man, but he never found the cat asleep on the piano just after he had varnished it.

A man seldom generates any steam with the money he burns.

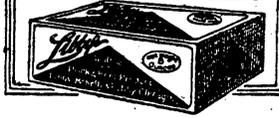


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PATHOS IN CHILDS' BRAVERY

Fortitude Shown by Little Sufferer in Hospital Touched Lady Henry Somerset.

Lady Henry Somerset, whose labors in behalf of the children of the London slums are constant and earnest, tells this affecting story of the way in which her interest in these little ones was aroused.

I was moved in that direction by the rare patience and imagination of one little boy. His example convinced me that patience was one of the qualities I needed most, and in seeking it I grew into that work.

I was in a hospital on visiting day, while the doctors were changing a plaster cast which held the crippled boy's limb. The operation was exceedingly painful, I was told. To my surprise, the little sufferer neither stirred nor winced, but made a curious buzzing sound with his mouth. After the doctors left I said to him: "How could you possibly stand it?"

"That's nothing," he answered. "Why, I just made believe that a bee was stinging me. And I kept buzzin' because I was afraid I'd forget about its being a bee if I didn't."—Youth's Companion.

Mer Affections Dampened. A little girl was playing at the table with her cup of water. Her father took the cup from her and in so doing accidentally spilled some of the water on her.

"There," she cried, as she left the table indignantly, "you wet me clear to my feelings!"—Everybody's Magazine.

Laying a Foundation. Little Bobby (the guest)—Mrs. Skimper, when I heard we were going to have dinner at your house I started right in trainin' fer it.

Mrs. Skimper (the hostess)—By saving your appetite, Bobby?

Little Bobby—No'm. By eatin' a square meal first.

A woman's mirror is always a peer glass.

WRONG DIAGNOSIS.



Doctor—What is this? Blower—I call it "A Kansas Cy-cione."

Doctor—Oh! Ah! I see! I mistook it for an attack of painter's colic.

Can't Afford To. Friend—You and your husband seem to be getting on well together just now. I thought you had quarreled.

Wife—Can't do that these days, when our dresses fasten down the back.

Merely a Brother. Young Lady—Please show me some tea.

Clerk—A gentleman's tie? Young Lady—Oh, no. It's for my brother.

Height of Selfishness. Some men are so selfish that if they were living in a haunted house they wouldn't be willing to give up the ghost.—Florida Times Union.

Old friends are best, but many a woman deludes herself with the idea that she is too young to have any old friends.

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Too Eager.
Fred Poyner, a Chicago dentist, was recently at a banquet given by the Dental association.

He said: "On one side is the right of things and on the other is wrong; sometimes the difference between the two is slight. As the following story shows: A gypsy upon release from jail met a friend. 'What were you in for?' asked the friend.

"I found a horse," the gypsy replied.

"Found a horse? Nonsense! They would never put you in jail for finding a horse."

"Well, but you see I found him before the owner lost him."

Voice of Conscience.
A western Kentucky negro was in jail awaiting trial for stealing a calf. His wife called to see him. On her way out the jailer, whose name was Grady, halted her.

"Mandy," he inquired, "have you got a lawyer for Jim?"

"No, sah," said his wife. "Ef Jim was guilty I'd git him a lawyer right away; but he tells me he ain't guilty, and so, of co'se, I ain't a'min' to hire none."

"Mr. Grady," came a voice from the cells above, "you tell dat nigger woman down thar to git a lawyer—and git a dam' good one, too!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Excellent Plan.
"I see," said Mrs. De Jones, while Mrs. Van Tyle was calling, "that you have a Chinese chauffeur. Do you find him satisfactory?"

"He's perfectly fine," said Mrs. Van Tyle. "To begin with, his yellow complexion is such that at the end of a long, dusty ride he doesn't show any spots, and then when I am out in my limousine I have his pigtail stuck through a little hole in the plate-glass window and I use it as a sort of bell rope to tell him where to stop."—Harper's Weekly.

Generous.
Jack—When I met my pretty cousin at the train I was in doubt whether I should kiss her.

Tom—Well, what did you do?

Jack—I gave her the benefit of the doubt.

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"I was slow to believe that trouble could come from such a simple diet, but finally had to give it up, and found a great change upon a cup of hot Postum and Grape-Nuts with cream, for my morning meal. For more than a year I have held to this course, and have not suffered except when indispositionally varying my diet.

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THIRD POLITICAL PARTY IS FORMED

THE PROGRESSIVES ARE NOW ORGANIZED TO PUT UP FULL TICKET IN STATE.

FEATURES OF THE PLATFORM THAT WAS ADOPTED.

Roosevelt's Wishes Seem to Have Been Fully Complied With and "Stub Ticket" Eliminated.

For governor—Senator L. Whitney Watkins.
For United States Senator—Theodore M. Joslin.
For congressman-at-large—Nathan P. Hull.

The final result of the convention held by Progressive Republicans at Jackson is that a complete ticket will be put in the field. A separate state organization is formed and a resolution was adopted declaring in favor of new party state, county, congressional, legislative, city, township and ward tickets. Former Republican State Chairman Frank Knox had made himself the leader of the state ticket faction. He fought hard against the third tickets locally. It was plain that the Knox faction were in a bad way before the convention convened and with the arrival of Sen. Dixon and his declaration for the go-the-limit policy, Knox surrendered. When the resolution introduced by W. H. Hill, of Detroit, declaring for the third state, county and local tickets came up for discussion, Knox took the platform and said:

"Col. Roosevelt has seen fit to change his mind as to the course we should pursue. The first orders I took from anybody as a boy just out of college were from Col. Roosevelt, as a member of his rough rider regiment. I am still taking my orders from Col. Roosevelt. I will support and work for a third party ticket all down the line."

The convention chose presidential electors, national delegates and alternates and state central committee as follows:

Presidential Electors.
At large—Virgil Hungerford, Coldwater; Charles James, Detroit; C. C. Dekamp, Lansing. First district, W. H. Hill, Detroit; second, H. S. Dean, Ann Arbor; third, W. S. Powers, Battle Creek; fourth, F. R. Belknap, Randolph; fifth, Gilbert Hahn, Holland; sixth, Harry S. Chapman, Oakland; seventh, Edward S. Black, Marine City; eighth, Orson B. Randall, Tuscola; ninth, R. J. McDonald, Muskegon; tenth, Luther G. Beckwith, Bay City; eleventh, S. D. Eldred, Mt. Pleasant; twelfth, Bates G. Burt, Marquette.

State Central Committee.
Charles P. O'Neill, Detroit, chairman; first district, Charles P. O'Neill and P. G. Davis, Detroit; second, John Brock, Jackson, and R. G. Dobson, Ann Arbor; third, F. A. Rothlisberger, and J. A. Wagner, Hillsdale; fourth, J. M. Harvey, Jr., Constantine, and R. H. Sherwood, Watervliet; fifth, Oscar Braman, Holland, and William Dekleine, Grand Haven; sixth, Ira T. Sayre, Flushing, and W. S. Kellogg, Battle Creek; seventh, W. T. Bope, Bad Axe, and Jefferson G. Brown, Port Huron; eighth, Charles Ganshaw, Saginaw, and Edward G. Mason, Corunna; ninth, Frank S. Burbank, Oceana, and E. V. Dana, Muskegon; tenth, L. G. Beckwith, Bay City, and E. L. Gardiner, Midland; eleventh, J. T. Dunwoodie, Clare, and Dr. Nelson Abbott, Missaukee; twelfth, Dr. W. T. Feeham, second member to be named.

Features of the Platform.
The platform adopted contains these planks:

We favor a presidential primary law giving to the people the right to vote directly for their choice of president, with a clear provision that the delegates selected shall choose a national committeeman whose term of office shall begin immediately after the holding of said primary election and prior to the making of the temporary roll of membership in the national convention.

We favor the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

We favor the recall of all officials when corrupt or incompetent.

We condemn the usurpation by the judiciary of those functions of government which belong to the legislative department by giving to statute law the force and effect not intended by the elected legislative servants of the people.

We favor the separation of the judiciary from politics.

We favor principles rather than men.

We favor a law which shall compel all candidates for office upon the state ticket and candidates for United States senator and congressmen and each candidate for the legislature to file with the secretary of state, at least 30 days before election of principles upon state and national issues.

We favor the passage of a corrupt practices act governing both primaries and elections, with ample penalties for violations of the same.

We favor a continuance of the present policy of greater economy in state affairs, to the end that taxes shall not increase out of proportion to the increase of the state's population and assessable wealth.

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Gladys—So you've broken with him.

Virginia—Yes. He was entirely too hard to please.

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To Protect the Flowers.
Edelweiss and other characteristic Swiss flowers are said to be in danger of total extinction because of the craze of tourists for collecting them. Women tourists especially are always anxious to take away souvenirs in the way of a plant, and do not simply pull the flowers, but dig up the plant. It is proposed to introduce a law that will prevent the buying, selling or digging of edelweiss, fire lily, Siberian spring crocus, Alpine columbine, the Daphne, Alpine violet or other national flowers.

Two Enough for Her.
He was a small boy with a dark, eager face and he was waiting at the end of the line of eight or ten persons for a chance to make his wants known to the librarian. When his turn came he inquired briefly: "Have you got 'Twenty Thousand Legs Under the Sea'?"

"No," responded the librarian a little snappishly, for she was tired, "I'm thankful to say I've only got two. They're not under the sea!"

The Giveaway.
"Jane," said her father, "how does it happen that I find four good cigars on the mantelpiece this morning? Did Henry leave them for me?"

"No," he took them out of his vest pocket to avoid breaking them last night, and I guess he forgot all about them afterwards."

The laugh that followed made her wish that she had been as careful with her cigars as Henry had been with his cigars.—Detroit Free Press.

Her Error.
Mrs. Stranger—Can you tell me for what stout man is over there? He is the worst softsooper I ever met.

Dowager—Yes. He is my husband.—Judge.

The Writer Who Does Most.
That writer does the most who gives his reader the most knowledge and takes from him the least time.—C. C. Coitton.

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No man is so dull that he can't make a bore of himself.

Lieut. Prussner, a German military aviator, was making a landing at night, and the plane was over a water tower.

MADE BIG PROFIT FOR STATE

Purely Business Argument for the Establishment of Sanatoriums for the Tuberculous.

According to figures contained in the annual report of Dr. H. L. Barnes, superintendent of the Rhode Island state sanatorium, the earnings of the patients of that institution during the year 1911 would amount to over \$266,000. This is a sum three times as large as that spent each year for maintenance of the institution, including four per cent. interest and depreciation charges.

The actual earnings in 1911 of 1700 ex-patients were obtained by Dr. Barnes. These ranged from \$2 to \$34 per week, the total earnings for the year amounting to \$102,752. On this basis, Dr. Barnes computes the figures above given. He says, however: "While institutions for the cure of tuberculosis are good investments, there is good reason for thinking that institutions for the isolation of far-advanced cases would be still better investments."

Out of a total of 46,450 hospital days' treatment given, 39,147, or 84 per cent. were free, the treatment costing the state on an average \$200 per patient. Out of 188 free cases investigated, 66 had no families and no income on admission to the sanatorium. Out of 132 patients having homes, the number in the family averaged 5.2, and the average family earnings were 5.46. In 59 cases the families had no income, and in only five cases were there any savings, none of which amounted to as much as \$100.

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A Lottery.
"Is there any chance of the old piece of political deception," asked Mr. Cumrox.

"Yes," replied the art dealer. "It is a genuine treasure; absolutely authentic."

"I'll buy it. I already have three just like it, and somewhere in the bunch I'm liable to hit the original."

ECZEMA CAME ON SCALP

Lebanon, O.—"My eczema started on my thigh with a small pimple. It also came on my scalp. It began to itch and I began to scratch. For eighteen or twenty years I could not tell what I passed through with that awful itching. I would scratch until the blood would soak through my underwear, and I couldn't talk to my friends on the street but I would be digging and punching that spot, until I was very much ashamed. The itching was so intense I could not sleep after once in bed and warm. I certainly suffered torment with that eczema for many years.

"I chased after everything I ever heard of, but all to no avail. I saw the advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a sample. Imagine my delight when I applied the first dose to that awful itching fire on my leg and scalp, in less than a minute the itching on both places ceased. I got some more Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After the second day I never had another itching spell, and Cuticura Soap and Ointment completely cured me. I was troubled with awful dandruff all over my scalp. The Cuticura Soap has cured that trouble." (Signed) L. R. Fink, Jan. 22, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."

Only in a Business Way.
"So Clara rejected the plumber."

"Do you know why?"

"Somebody told her to be careful about encouraging him, as he hit the pipe."

People who live in clean houses shouldn't throw mud.

Meeting Emergencies.
piece of political deception.

"The thing was as blatant," he said, "as the railway case."

"Two men, one of them very short, were passing through a station toward the train gates when the bigger one was heard to say:

"I've took a half ticket fur ye, George. Yer so little, ye'll pass, all right!"

"But," protested George, "how about my beard?" And he twiddled his chin beard nervously.

"Oh," rejoined the other, "tell 'em it's a mole."

Between Girls.
"I believe I'll break my engagement to Cholly. He can't really love me."

"Why not?"

"He writes such short letters. Look at this—only seven pages."

Advantage.
Stella—Has that summer resort any views?

Bella—Er—no, but it is close to the moonlight.

Keeping Mice From Pianos.
To prevent mice entering pianos there has been invented a simple sliding plate to be mounted on a pedal so that it covers its opening.

Stop the Pain.
The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolic is applied. It heals quickly and prevents scars. 25c and 50c by druggist. For free sample write to J. W. Cole & Co., Black River Falls, Wis.

An Epigram.
It isn't every woman who will make you a good wife who will make you a good husband!—Satire.

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

The Cheerful Color.
Gabe—Do you ever get the blues?
Steve—Not if I have the long green.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twentytwo per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirtyseven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium, or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. A. F. Peeler, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria in many cases and have always found it an efficient and speedy remedy."

Dr. Frederick D. Rogers, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have found Fletcher's Castoria very useful in the treatment of children's complaints."

Dr. William C. Bloomer, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "In my practice I am glad to recommend your Castoria, knowing it is perfectly harmless and always satisfactory."

Dr. E. Down, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria in my practice for many years with great satisfaction to myself and benefit to my patients."

Dr. Edward Parrish, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria in my own household with good results, and have advised several patients to use it for its mild laxative effect and freedom from harm."

Dr. J. B. Elliott, of New York City, says: "Having during the past six years prescribed your Castoria for infantile stomach disorders, I most heartily commend its use. The formula contains nothing deleterious to the most delicate of children."

Dr. C. G. Sprague, of Omaha, Neb., says: "Your Castoria is an ideal medicine for children, and I frequently prescribe it. While I do not advocate the indiscriminate use of proprietary medicines, yet Castoria is an exception for conditions which arise in the care of children."

Dr. J. A. Parker, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Your Castoria holds the esteem of the medical profession in a manner held by no other proprietary preparation. It is a sure and reliable medicine for infants and children. In fact, it is the universal household remedy for infantile ailments."

Dr. H. F. Merrill, of Augusta, Me., says: "Castoria is one of the very finest and most remarkable remedies for infants and children. In my opinion your Castoria has saved thousands from an early grave. I can furnish hundreds of testimonials from this locality as to its efficiency and merits."

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Be Impatient With Backache! Do many women endure backache, languor, dizziness and urinary ills, thinking them part of woman's lot. Oh, it is only weak Kidneys and Doan's Kidney Pills would cure the case.

An Iowa Case
Mrs. J. Hunt, 106 S. 6th St., Fairfield, Iowa, says: "For thirty years I suffered from kidney trouble. I had severe backaches, headaches and dizzy spells and my limbs became so swollen that I could not walk. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me after everything else failed, and I can never recommend them too highly."

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SOUTH GREGORY.

Ada Hammond and daughter and Cora Cone called on Mrs. L. R. Williams and family last Thursday.

Mrs. Dewey called on Mrs. Sheets one day last week and took her for a ride to Gregory.

Huckleberries are not very plentiful Benlah Bates was home over Sunday.

L. R. Williams and wife returned from Jackson Monday morning.

CHUBBS CORNERS

Mrs. Knight of Detroit is visiting at Homer Gorton's.

Mrs. Bert Miller of Brighton called at F. W. Allison's one day last week Jay Brigham and family spent Sunday with relatives in Pinckney.

W. H. Allison and daughter of Sioux Falls visited relatives in this vicinity Sunday.

James Taylor of Chelsea visited F. W. Allison's Tuesday.

WEST PUTNAM.

Mabel Tripp of Jackson is visiting friends and relatives here.

H. B. Gardner and daughter, Arla, were in Stockbridge Monday.

Jo Harris is visiting at the home of John White in Marion.

Mrs. Patrick Kennedy and son, Vern were Stockbridge visitors last week.

Mrs. Peter Kelly and Nellie Fisk visited at Caspar Volmer's last week.

Nellie Gardner and Fannie Monks returned home Monday from visiting friends at Durand and Flint.

NORTH HAMBURG.

Carrie, Mark and Edward Ayers of Detroit visited relatives in this vicinity several days last week.

Jas. Barron and Clyde Bennett transacted business in Howell last Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Nash and Harry Ayers and family visited at the home of M. A. Davis one day last week.

Miss Lucile Carpenter of Pinckney has been visiting her cousin, Clara Carpenter.

Miss Clara Carpenter is visiting friends in Stockbridge.

SOUTH IOSCO.

Mrs. David Roberts is on the sick list.

The Ladies Aid Society met at J. B. Buckley's Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brigham visited at Nick Barley's Sunday.

Mrs. John Grindling of Webberville visited her sister Mrs. Joe Roberts Thursday last.

Miss Lorna Roberts is suffering from a severe attack of the mumps.

Mrs. Eliza Kubn is visiting her daughter in Detroit.

The Misses Pauline and Margaret Burley are visiting their grandparents.

PLAINFIELD.

Mrs. Fanny Boise spent last Friday at the home of Floyd Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright visited at Elmer Braley's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright visited at Biff Miller's Sunday.

Mrs. Jerusha Isham who has been visiting her son Floyd Isham at On-dago has returned home.

Miss Hazel Van Syckel of Marion visited at B. Isham's Sunday.

Max Dyer visited his Uncle Robert Wasson near Stockbridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Jacobs visited at George Montague's Sunday.

Miss Esther Witty of Marion is visiting her aunt Ella Montague.

Grand Trunk Time Table

For the convenience of our readers

Trains East Trains West
No. 23—8:50 a. m. No. 27—10:29 a. m.
No. 30—4:33 p. m. No. 29—7:29 p. m.

Amos Mussleman



CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR ON THE REPUBLICAN TICKET

The campaign manager for Amos Mussleman was in town last week to interest local voters in the Grand Rapids man's campaign for the nomination of governor on the republican ticket at the primary election to be held August 27. Mr. Mussleman carried Livingston county in the primary two years ago and it is conceded that he has a splendid chance this year of landing the nomination.

ANDERSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barton attended the wedding of their son Wirt at Durand last week.

Mrs. W. H. Placeway of Pinckney is visiting at the home of Mrs. Sam Placeway.

Dr. and Mrs. MacLachlan of Detroit spent the past few days on their farm here.

Richard Greiner of Ypsilanti was home over Sunday.

L. E. Wilson and family of Detroit visited here last week.

Miss Lena Coleman of Six Corners is a guest at the home of Orla Hanes.

In compliment to her guests Mr. and Mrs. Ed Perkins and son of Lansing Mrs. Art LaRowe entertained at a dinner party Sunday, Orla Hanes and family of Marion and Orla Hanes and wife of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marble accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Van Winkle of Pinckney made an auto trip to Lansing one day last week.

M. J. Roche started Tuesday for New York for a two weeks visit.

UNADILLA

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Galesburg, Illinois spent the latter part of last week at S. G. Parlmer's.

Dr. Felton Watts, wife and son Worth of Dent, Idaho visited at John Webbs Friday last.

Roy Parlmer and wife entertained a company of friends for dinner Monday.

Denton Bird of Grand Rapids spent part of last week with his cousin W. T. Barnum.

Mrs. Updyke is entertaining her mother Mrs. Anderson from Ohio.

Miss Tripp of Jackson spent part of last week with her friend Mrs. Otis Webb.

Mr. Bowersox is making preparations to move to Jonesville.

Mrs. Gertrude Teachout returned to Lansing Monday after a three weeks visit with her parents.

Mrs. A. C. Watson is entertaining a company of friends from Detroit this week.

A. C. Watson was in Chelsea Monday.

Arthur Munger and family of Stockbridge visited at Wirt Barnum's Thursday.

Clare and Lucile Barnum spent Sunday in Stockbridge.

Harvesting and huckleberrying is the busy farmer's ordeal.

Walter Bowersox of North Lake spent Sunday with his parents here.

Louva Denton was home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

Mrs. Olin Marshall was in Jackson last week.

A. Gorton and mother were Sunday visitors at North Waterloo.

Rev. Coates and wife were in North Waterloo last week.

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GREGORY, MICH.

Pinckney Locals

Ruth Frost is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Thomas Eagen of Dexter was in town Monday.

L. E. Smith was a Jackson visitor last Saturday.

H. W. Crofoot was in Toledo the first of the week.

Floyd Reason has sold his red Cartercar to Chas. Reason.

David Connors of Battle Creek has been visiting friends here.

Miss Ella Black is visiting friends and relatives in Detroit.

Mr. Geo. Sprout of Benzonia is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Chas. Brown has purchased a Whiting roadster of Flintoft & Read.

Wells' Bennett and wife of Howell were Pinckney callers Monday.

Agnes Gearheart of Hamburg is working at the home of Ed Farnam.

Lucy and Josephine Culhane are spending the summer at Mackinac.

Miss Mary VanFleet has decided to make her home in Howell in the future.

Wirt Barton has purchased an Overland touring car of Flintoft & McIntyre.

Lyle Gorton and wife and Wirt Barton and wife are camping at Portage Lake.

F. Boylan and family of Chilson spent Sunday at the home of Clayton Placeway.

Norman Reason and A. H. Flintoft transacted business in Mason Monday.

Frank Dolan of Detroit has been spending some time with his parents here.

Dr. C. L. Sigler, wife and son Donald, were Stockbridge visitors one day last week.

Kate Brogan of Peoria, Ill. is visiting friends and relatives here and in this vicinity.

Mrs. C. L. Brownell of Stockbridge visited her daughter, Mrs. Dan Lantis last week.

Nellie Judson of Gregory visited at the home of Wm. Bullis the fore part of the week.

The East Marion Band will give a band concert on the public square Saturday evening.

Miss Emma Platzwaldt of Detroit visited at the home of Wm. Dunbar the first of the week.

Mrs. Samuel Placeway of Gregory visited at the home of Mrs. Arvilla Placeway over Sunday.

Beatrice VanArsdale of Marion visited at the home of Alden Carpenter the latter part of last week.

Jas. Green and wife of Howell spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carr.

Mrs. Nettie Vaughn, Martha Nichols, Mrs. Lew Woll and Dr. H. F. Sigler made an auto trip to Jackson Saturday.

Alden Carpenter and wife and Beatrice VanArsdale visited at the home of Ernest VanArsdale of Gregory over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Grieve, son, Harold, and daughter, Isabell, of Plainfield visited at the home of Geo. Reason Sr. the latter part of last week.

Arthur Allyn and wife of North Lake visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williston, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Agnes Harris, Mrs. H. C. Harris, Miss Kate Morgan and Mrs. Jas. Harris and children spent one day last week at the home of John Donohue.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Ratz of Detroit was taken to Howell for burial Monday. Mrs. Ratz was formerly Miss Florence Andrews of this place.

Miss Margaret Bilz after spending several weeks with friends here left Monday for Detroit where she will visit relatives for a while before returning to her home at Spring Lake.

Remember

That all the merchants of Gregory will take subscriptions for the GAZETTE. If you are not already a subscriber, subscribe now. This paper is devoted to the best interests of Gregory and community and your help is needed to make it a success.

U. S. Big Landowner

Soon the United States may say with England, "the sun never sets on our empire." Few persons could name offhand the possessions owned by Uncle Sam. They are Alaska, Aleutian Islands, Baker Island, Canal Zone, Guam Hawaiian Island, Howland Island, Marcus Island, Midway, Wake and Johnstone Island, Phillipine Islands, Porto Rico and Tutuila. The size of some of these possessions is surprising. For instance, Alaska, which was bought from Russia for two cents an acre, is as large as the German Empire, France and Spain taken together.

State Fair Features

With members of the National Grange whom N. P. Hull, Vice-President of the Michigan State Agriculture Society and Grand Master of the State Grange interviewed while in the east at the Democratic National Convention the Michigan State Fair proved most interesting and so much so that Oliver Wilson, Grand Master of the National Grange promised to be the guest of the State Fair on Gleaner's Day and address the members of the Boys State Fair School and the young tillers of soil now at work on the miniature model farms. The demonstration of good road building, the new dairy building with demonstrations of butter and cheese making and commercialising of milk, the land show and many other innovations were all so interesting that it was also purposed to Mr. Hull that an invitation be extended to Gov. Woodrow Wilson, nominee for president of the United States that he be present to open the Fair and this was accordingly done. The prospects according to Mr. Hull are very bright. The object of the directors of the Fair is to create an annual event of both agricultural and industrial interests, a Fair to show the real resources of the State was commended heartily by the members of the Grange who believe that a step in the right direction has been taken.

Poor Judgement

We have arrived at the conclusion that most of the trouble in this world is caused by so many men and women using poor judgement, but for heaven's sake don't tell them so. A man who cannot sit beside a keg of beer twenty minutes and keep outside of it, exercises poor judgement. The man who tries to make love to every pretty girl he meets uses poor judgement, and usually winds up in the bug house with his car-buerater busted. The man who goes forth looking for a scrap uses poor judgement; yea verily, for he shall return with his slats caved in and his nose flattened. The man who expects to beat a money slot machine uses poor judgement in dropping in the first nickel—they are fixed to win. The man who disputes a muscular woman with a rolling pin uses poor judgement—him for the hospital. A married woman who goes skylarking around making goo goo eyes at the men and neglect a good home uses poor judgement, and gets all that is coming to her before the sun finally sets in her life. The gambler, the thief, the gossip, the dope fiend, the agnostic, the drunkard, the wayward in all walks of life use bad judgement. Men made of this people and feel real as of old but you...

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Eventually all silo users will recognize the fact that the stave silo keeps silage perfectly; and to overcome the last objection, the fear of the stave silo blowing down, and to make an even better and stronger silo, we have been eagerly searching for new ideas. Many years ago we developed the Saginaw All-Steel Door Frame, adding convenience, solidity and great strength to the entire structure.

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one of the great successes in modern silo construction. And now—1912—with all wondering what possibly could be added to the Saginaw Silo, our engineering department has created and proved through exhaustive tests, a device wonderfully effective and remarkably simple in design and construction, and like all great inventions, "It's a wonder it wasn't thought of before." This invention will be known to the world as

The Saginaw Base Anchor

Like all important Silo improvements you get the Base Anchor only in the Saginaw. We will be glad to tell you more about this wonderful improvement.

We have a new book showing dozens of interesting views of our four large plants. This new book, entitled "The Building of a Silo", also contains very recent and complete information on silage. We have a copy for you. Write for it—or better, come in and get your Book and we'll talk it over.

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Three Sudden Deaths

There has been three sudden deaths in this section recently.

E. I. Crossley the Ann Arbor agent at Lakeland died suddenly in the station there Saturday a. m.

He was found lying in a pool of blood which gave rise to the report it was a case of suicide. But coroner Collins who was summoned found that he had died of apoplexy and the flow of blood had resulted from striking his nose in falling.

F. C. Reinmann, Chilson post-master and Michigan Milling Co agent who had been missing since Friday noon was found dead in the woods on his farm, Saturday p. m. by a searching party. A post-mortem was held and it was decided that his death was caused by heart failure.

Roger Derby of Stockbridge, aged 86 years was killed by the Grand Trunk train No. 80 Tuesday.

Real Estate Transfers

Marion Gates to Jesse Ellsworth 40a. Marion \$2300.

Fred Salmon and wife to Thos. J. Fausset, 120a; Deerfield \$5500.

T. J. Webb and wife to J. H. Austin and wife, 55a Deerfield, \$2700.

F. T. Hyne et al to P. J. Spicer 120 a Genoa \$3000.

Mary Ketchum to W. E. Miller lot, Cohoctah \$1000.

H. A. Nichols and wife to Chas. Larkins, 40a Brighton, \$1400.

Annie Trollman to Anna Trollman, 80a Tyrone \$1000.

Isaac Louis and wife to Ellis Whited, 62a Unadilla, \$3100.

Daisy Bullis to M. N. Cook, 33a Handy, \$225.

Rush Lake Picnic

The annual picnic of the North Hamburg Sunday School will be held at Rush Lake, August 3.