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WAS A PICNIC ALL DAY

NOTHING MARRED THE OCCASION

St. Mary's Parish Acted as Host and Entertained Everybody With the Utmost Hospitality—Weather Conditions Perfect.

The annual picnic of St. Mary's parish of Chelsea was a splendid success. To be sure everything was admirably planned and carried through, but at the same time nearly everyone present remarked on the ideal weather conditions. One man was heard to remark "This weather is made a purpose to grow corn," but The Standard is of the opinion that the day was one the weather bureau had been saving up ever since the picnic was first announced.

Anticipation of an assured good time early in the day turned the drift toward Cavanaugh and later the drift became an ever accelerating current which included the band and everybody that could get away. The forenoon trolley cars were loaded to the limit and when they stopped at Sylvan road the buses were swamped as quickly as so many life boats and those who didn't get a place had to swim along in the dust and sand; but they got there just the same.

Arriving at the lake it was evident that all the picnickers had not come by trolley line and buses. The farm horses were also taking a day off and they drew whole families, and single rigs brought usually the normal number of two, although someone said they saw a young man drive up alone, but we will give odds that he did not get away in that unbalanced condition. Anyway, everybody was there and they immediately set about realizing that a picnic is a real good institution to have once a year.

And one of the first things noticeable was that, while the picnic was billed as that of St. Mary's parish, yet the actual facts showed that the parish was doing the part of host and entertaining and feeding everyone, even if they were headed for the "Pearly Gates" over the wrong road, or even had tendencies to go the other way entirely. As an entertainment St. Mary's parish succeeded even to the utmost particular.

And then there were the long tables in the grove, and enough good things piled on them and under them to give an Indian famine indigestion. But it all went; apparently just as easy as handing out money to Dan Conway to see him spin his wheel; but the dinner made one so very satisfied and Dan succeeded pretty well, too, considering his difficulties.

And there was a merry-go-round as well and the youngsters rode until doubtless they went to bed a night and still feeling themselves swing off and away and around the moon. But these attractions were not all. Capt. John D. Watson, skipper commanding the good craft Matie C., early in the day got into a pair of rubber boots that reached way up under his ears and made a landing for his boat and in the afternoon took all who would around the lake for a good long ride.

But after all the usual and natural picnic resources were exhausted there remained the speakers to be heard and singers and the band. The band doesn't need special mention because they blew their own horn very frequently all day long and did it a great deal better than The Standard can here. But anyway there is nothing much better than plenty of band music at a picnic.

But to get back to the speakers. Certainly there was quite an array of four Protestant ministers, former Congressman Smith and Congressman Townsend and the Hon. James S. Gorman to keep the ball a rolling. Mr. Gorman opened the speaking exercises by referring at length to the splendid life and character of the late Pope Leo XIII and spoke of his open minded liberality in his relation to people of the different sects of the Christian religion, and also of the likelihood of the same policy being followed by Pope Pius X. Following out this spirit, in a local sense, in behalf of Rev. Fr. Considine, St. Mary's parish and himself she was glad to welcome the Protestant ministers to the picnic. He then introduced Rev. Dr. Caster of the Methodist church. Dr. Caster very felicitously remarked in opening that the difference between a Catholic and Protestant picnic would be a matter difficult of adequate explanation and assured his hearers that they all looked alike to him and continued with assurances of his best wishes for the success of their religious endeavors.

Rev. F. A. Styles when introduced happily made the assertion that the occasion meant to him that the matter of freedom of conscience was becoming not merely a sentiment but a practice. Rev. Mr. Gordon of the Methodist church of North Lake in his turn voiced the opinion, that after centuries of controversy concerning matters of religion

we are at last coming to a realization of the sentiment, "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men."

Former Congressman Smith when introduced had a sly, good natured jab for Mr. Gorman, a tank full of stories and a bouquet of nice things to hand out to everyone. He said when he had post-offices to give out that he used to be met at the cars by about fifteen carriages, but that on this occasion he walked over from the motor line station. He also availed himself of the opportunity to declare by a rather questionable use of Scripture that he was ready to go back to Congress.

Following Mr. Smith Rev. C. S. Jones of the Congregational church was introduced and won his way to the hearts of his hearers by expressing the indebtedness of the various Protestant societies to Mother Church. He likewise referred to the reverence with which Protestants hold the names of St. Augustine, Savanarola and St. Bernard and also the heroic efforts of latter day Catholic clergy and missionaries. And he likewise referred appreciatively to the sentiments expressed by Rev. Fr. Considine in his Memorial Day address and assured his hearers how heartily he seconded these sentiments.

The last speaker was Congressman Charles E. Townsend. With the earnestness and thoughtfulness, which characterize his utterances and create the impression that, while others may hand out "jollies," yet here is a man for earnest endeavor along the line of accomplishments for the people, good, he spoke. He referred to the evident impulse, manifest in picnic and similar occasions, that the people have of meeting and finding in each other the inspiration of a common uplifting humanity. This occasion, he said, was almost in the nature of a religious exercise in that it brought many together and caused a realization of the common tendency to reach out for better things and a nobler life. This he was convinced was religious inasmuch as he had never been able to separate the accomplishment of good and religion. "The religion commonly manifest here today," he said "is that which comes to the individual and keeps him strong for the duties of life and adds its helpful and elevating impulse."

Taking the goodness of the individual as a text he went on to elaborate how much toward the settlement of vexed national questions it tends. As an example he cited the growing prevalence of the practice of lynching, and said that, while various men suggested as many various remedies, yet, the solution in the last analysis, depends on the character of the individuals of the nation. If they are to be lawless and heart their practices will be lawless, and on the contrary if actuated by a reverence for law and truthfulness then will the outcome be creditable to us as a nation.

Following the speaking came the athletic contests. No remarkable time was made or records broken but the games all went to add to the spirit of enjoyment and round out a day that had passed without a single feature to mar it.

ARE YOU A LIBRARIAN?

If So You Had Better Notice What the Law Directs—School District Libraries Are Also Included.

Act No. 134, session of 1903, repeals Act No. 199 of 1901 and requires the librarian of each public library, whether township, school district, village, or city, to report annually to the County Commissioner of Schools, on or before the 30th day of June in each year in regard to the condition and support of the library, and requires the County Commissioner to file these reports with the State Board of Library Commissioners before the first day of September in each year.

All librarians of Washtenaw County should send it the reports of their libraries to the County School Commissioner at once to insure their drawing the proper share of the library fund. The directors of the school districts are considered the librarians of their schools. If they have not received the blank forms on which to make a report they can get them by writing the School Commissioner. Libraries having less than 50 volumes need not report.

Stock Shares in Germany.

In stock companies in Germany a share must be at least \$240 and indivisible. And, too, it must represent fully paid cash capital or other good assets subject to severe examination and approved by the commercial court before the company is registered. It is very difficult to "water" stock.—N. Y. Sun.

Wise Young Man.

He—Will you be my wife?
She—Why—er—this is so sudden.
"Will you marry me to-morrow?"
"Really, this is quite a surprise. Why are you in such a hurry?"
"My salary won't stand for a long engagement. See?"—Chicago Daily News.

HE ROASTS 'EM FOR FAIR.

WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE

As Seen by a Former Chelsea Girl in a Unique Personality—The Emporia Gazette Has Fun With Everybody.

William Allen White is a person whose name is more or less familiar to nearly everyone and especially so to readers of current literature in magazine form, and withal, he is so interesting a personality that anything that comes first hand from one who sees him frequently and knows him in his home town of Emporia, Kansas, ought to be of considerable more than ordinary interest.

With this thought in mind The Standard here presents some impressions concerning Mr. White gained from an interesting conversation with Mrs. Rankin, the wife of Professor Rankin of Emporia College, Kansas. Mrs. Rankin is perhaps better known in Chelsea, the home of her childhood, as Jennie Woods, the daughter of Herman Woods of Ann Arbor. Mrs. Rankin has been at her father's cottage at Cavanaugh Lake and there made mention of the following characteristics concerning Mr. White.

He first came into prominence through his now famous editorial, "What's the matter with Kansas?" Until that time he was not attracting any more attention than the other geniuses of the newspaper craft. From the time the short editorial, just mentioned, began to be read Mr. White began to be in demand, both as a writer and speaker, and his vogue continues and is likely to.

In connection with this editorial Mrs. Rankin says that it is currently told in Emporia, that he has two hooks on which he hangs "copy." One hook is for matter he wants set and the other is where he disposes of "stuff" that he is not quite sure as to its worth. Let it hang there until it matures, as it were. The editorial, "What's the matter with Kansas," was on this doubtful hook at one time when Mr. White was away and through some inadvertency the "devil" took it down and took it to the foreman as "copy" to be set. In this way it came to be printed. Editor White was many miles from Emporia and was sent a paper. Upon reading the editorial he was indignant and not knowing what punishment he intended to inflict upon his foreman and his "devil" when he returned. But it is said that even before he reached home his wrath was cooled as he saw his doubtful editorial copied everywhere and himself becoming famous.

Mr. White is reported as fat and jolly. One of those men who knows everyone for miles around. He likes to have fun with everyone and not an issue of the Gazette goes by but that he makes a good natured jab at someone. He has a name for all the different social sets in Emporia and as a sample it may be cited that there is a crowd of young people, a few years of the high school, with somewhat aristocratic tendencies; that he always refers to in the Gazette as the, "Dirty faced crowd." Not only in this way but in most every other way he is continually passing out roasts. Mrs. Rankin was asked if the people didn't resent it and she answered, "No, everybody considers it quite an honor to have William Allen White say anything about them."

Unmistakably Mr. White is one of the most prominent literary personages in the United States today. Not perhaps as an editor, for his publication, the Emporia Gazette, as a paper has no considerable importance outside of the local field, but Mr. White's writings for the magazines of national importance certainly have. He is a humorist, but not a funny-man. The humorous quality of his writings is no doubt the chief factor which make them so widely read, but with it he combines a keen power of analysis and he presents to his readers the points concerning a public man which the average, everyday sort of citizen delights to know, and he makes one feel that they have been in touch with a really-truly, flesh and blood personality. His character sketches of McKinley, Croaker, Platt, Hannah and others are unsurpassed in this style of character presentation.

His "Boyville" stories are also uniquely characteristic. No one, unless it be Mark Twain, can tell so well what the American boy is and what he actually thinks and does as William Allen White. Others may invent boy stories but he writes of the real article and neither adds nor subtracts from their original sin.

In spite of all the fun he has with his readers through the Gazette they certainly ought to be glad to have him reside with them in Emporia.

Coming! When? Wednesday evening. Who? Farland. Where? Opera house.

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ESCAPED AN AWFUL FATE

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne, Fla., writes: "My doctor told me I had consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by Glazier & Stimson druggists. Price 50c & \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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THE CHELSEA STANDARD

G. C. SIMMONS, Publisher.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

Harry Lehr should be careful or he will sprain his wrist.

Milwaukee has taken to golf. What is the matter with penicillin?

Women may live longer than men, but do they live as much while they are at it?

They are lawyers, not dentists, mind you, who are going into the Sawtooth mountains.

The philanthropist is still undiscovered who gives his money back to the people he got it from.

That she may be in still finer fettle to fight for peace, Russia orders another bunch of warships.

Diamonds have gone up 20 per cent in price this year. This is a sympathetic strike of another kind.

Russell Sage is 88, but those who tried to take money away from him report that he is not childish.

A Berlin physician makes the claim that arsenic will cure cancer. If taken in large enough doses it will.

Len Dillon is a terribly fast young thing, but there is still quite a gap between her and the two-minute mark.

The matter of preserving seal life in Bering sea has very appropriately been referred to a high joint commission.

Your dollar will buy a reserved seat at the circus just as quick as John Rockefeller's dollar. But he has the dollar.

In time the name of the man that made the Arctic sea famous will be forgotten, but the fame of the sea will abide.

A mackerel weighing 800 pounds has been caught off Newport. Trying to keep up with the size of the jags in that vicinity.

The chewing gum trust has a surplus, after paying dividends, of \$776,000. The news has set a great many other jaws wagging.

It must make the women golfers of Halifax feel like swearing to have that Halifax clergyman accuse them of swearing on the links.

It appears that the New York fruit handlers are engaged in a banana war. They certainly have their troubles bunched to begin with.

Lillian Russell has an automobile adventure every little while now. The automobile is apparently taking the place of the lost jewels.

Some real distress, nevertheless, has been caused by the slump in stocks. It has cut a lot of promising summer vacations in half.

When you learn that those cigars you have been buying so cheaply were smuggled you wonder, with some indignation, why they were not sold still cheaper.

The debts of Alexander and Draga are \$50,000. They will now be paid. Perhaps the massacre was not a matter of politics after all. It was very businesslike.

Presently the orator who wants to make a hit will refer to the boys not as the future governors and Presidents but the future farm hands of our glorious country.

It is reported that Andrew Carnegie thinks of starting a newspaper in Glasgow. This is the first intimation we have had that Andrew also hankers for strenuousness.

The latest system of wireless telegraphy is also poleless. Unhappily this fact does not mark progress, so far as the message senders are concerned, toward the costless.

That Philadelphia grocer who was found selling green tomatoes which he had painted red must be aspiring to a place in history side by side with the man who invented wooden nutmegs.

There is a girl in Chicago who has worked thirty-one years for the same family. Why should a girl like that have to work for a living? She ought to be able to get big money from the museums.

The Los Angeles Herald says that the new twenty-two-story building of the New York Times will be equipped with a special private stairway for poetical contributors. Why not use the elevator shaft and save time?

"Fighting Bob" Evans has been received in the throne room by the emperor and empress of China, but the chances are good that he would rather be traveling around with Prince Henry, or off Sandy Hook keeping the course clear for the racing yachts, not to mention commanding the Iowa in the battle of Santiago.

It is awful the way social duties are telling on people at Newport. Some of them have to get up as early as 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning to keep up with their engagements.

THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

No Tax, Says Commissioner.

It is announced that the city of Kalamazoo is likely to make an effort to have the decision of the state tax commissioners overturned. The board of review added an assessment of \$25,000 in the case of the private bank of E. W. Bowman. The bank had admitted a credit of \$25,000, but claimed an offset of an equal amount of debits. These debits, consisting of deposits, the bank refused to list. Thereupon the board of review added the assessment. Commissioner Freeman, who has been having hearings in Kalamazoo, reversed the action of the board. He admits the decision of the tax commission is illegal, but says a strict observance of the law would produce a panic in Michigan. It will probably result in an action in the circuit court or a petition to the supreme court for a mandamus to compel the tax commission to add the \$25,000 assessment. About 240 private banks with a capital approaching \$5,000,000 and enormous deposits, are interested in the outcome.

The Andrews Parole.

According to those who claim to be in close touch with Gov. Bliss, the doors of Jackson state prison are as sure to open and let out Frank C. Andrews, the bank wrecker, as the sun is to rise. A gentleman who has been specially active in circulating petitions for Andrews' parole in Detroit stated Saturday that he was positive the governor would sign the documents. Prosecutor Hunt, of Detroit, says "it would be rather strange if the governor did not consult the judge who presided and the prosecuting attorney who handled the case." Yet he has heard nothing from the governor regarding the matter.

The Wabash Ferry.

The announcement was made by officials of the Wabash line, who are in the city that Milwaukee is to be made the terminal of the Wabash railroad, through a car ferry connection with Benton Harbor, Mich. The line of the road from a point near South Bend, Ind., will be extended to South Bend and from there to Benton Harbor. A system of car ferries will be installed on property on the lake front which will cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000.

Husband Tired of the Tie.

Roy Young, of Pittsford, Mich., who three weeks ago married Mrs. Nellie Myrick, at North Vernon, Ind., after a correspondence started by a matrimonial ad, inserted by her, has deserted his bride and says he will return to Pittsford. She is nearly distracted and says they had no difficulty, and she knows no reason for his sudden departure. He secured employment at her home, and they lived in her house. He left a note asking her to send his clothes to him and saying she would never see him again.

Perils of Linemen.

Otto Sampa, 23 years old, whose home is in Detroit, but who was boarding in Saginaw, while working for the Interurban, was assisting other workmen in repairing the company's lines in Bay City Saturday when he caught hold of a guy wire charged with a current from the trolley lines. He threw himself from the pole to which he was clinging, falling about twenty feet and striking the iron manhole covering of a sewer. Four ribs were torn from the vertebrae and his spine otherwise injured. He may die.

Hunter Found.

George Hunter, who was talked of in connection with the disappearance of Alexander Franz from Olivet eight hours before the date set for the latter's marriage, is in Petoskey. It was said at the time that Hunter was in Pennsylvania. He says he knows nothing about the alleged kidnapping of Franz and will go back to Battle Creek and see what charges, if any, are against him.

Regardless of Expense.

No one need fear that the recent wreck of the Wallace circus trains at Durand will not be thoroughly investigated because of possible expense. When a person from a foreign country is killed or dies under suspicious circumstances, the law provides that the state, and not the county which is the scene of the disaster shall pay the expense of the inquiry. In preparing for the present inquest, J. J. McKay, one of the victims whose home was in Canada, as the subject for whom it is held, so the state pays the freight.

Frank lightning came down the chimney of a Gladstone residence, stripped the paper and moldings from the walls of five rooms upstairs and three down and heated the kitchen stove red hot.

The whole town of Mason took an excursion train for Grand Lodge Wednesday. Every business place was closed. It is the first time the citizens have ever taken a vacation together in such a manner.

Mrs. Mary Jones, of this city, has a son James who though but 13 years old, has, if what is alleged is true, a habit of getting as drunk as a goat. Accordingly she now brings suit for \$500 damages against each of four saloonkeepers.

Some prominent Finns of Hancock are canvassing the possibilities connected with the establishment of a first-class creamery in Houghton county. A stock company will be formed for the purpose if the committee now making estimates as to the amount of hay that can be secured in the county make a report that is favorable in tenor.

Three of the five Niles trustees present at a recent meeting ordered cement crosswalks. Now the council cannot hold a meeting because the two who formed the minority are angry and won't attend, and the sixth trustee is insane.

AROUND THE STATE.

Workmen at Walloon Lake dug up the skeleton of an Indian in a sitting position.

Hastings loses one of her industries by the removing of the Bowling Dress Store Co. to Chicago.

Four hundred and fifty bushels of huckleberries have been shipped from Stockbridge already this year.

Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, shot a big bear while spending a few weeks at Huron on the shore of Lake Superior.

Three Rivers has been experiencing a gasoline famine owing to the going astray of a big tank shipped to that town.

After six weeks' illness, a Benton Harbor 3-year-old boy coughed up part of a thistle head which he had swallowed.

George Boyer, a prominent farmer living eleven miles southeast of Ithaca, was gored to death by a bull this morning.

Mrs. Amelia Adams, the mother of a 4-weeks-old baby and two other children, has been adjudged insane at Hillsdale.

Twelve-year-old Mary Harris, of Traverse City, admits that she crawled through Mrs. Edward Barber's window and stole \$7.

At Flat Rock one man's horse stumbled into a well and another's cow fell into a cistern, probably due to a craving for drink.

The Pere Marquette depot at Williamsburg was wrecked Saturday night by the explosion of its gasoline lighting outfit.

The Citizens' club at Union City has reorganized and will provide a course of lectures and popular entertainments this winter pro bono publico.

The United States Fidelity Surety & Deposit Co. has paid the shortage of \$5,000 incurred by William C. Curtis as Aurora's township treasurer.

A Carsonville woman was badly burned in the face by the explosion of a sealed bottle of baked peas which she was removing from the oven.

The largest grain tender ever operated in the state was used on the 545-acre farm of David Miller, of Clarkston, who had 120 acres to harvest.

Battle Creek has mailed a check for \$300 to the treasurer of the McKinley memorial fund at Cleveland. Local factories furnished most of the money.

W. Rose, of South Haven, aged 70 years, has been arrested on a serious charge made by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ellen Rose, wife of his adopted son.

Warner Wheeler, a very well known farmer living near Pulaaki, fell down the cellar stairs Saturday, sustaining concussion of the brain. He is now dead.

A horse owned by a Riverside farmer fell into a mire hole and was there for 36 hours. When rescued the animal was unable to stand and died shortly after.

Cold weather and too much rain this summer are the reasons given by A. M. Todd, the peppermint king, for the smallest yield per acre of oil of mint in 20 years.

To commemorate their wedding anniversary, a Charlotte man presented his wife with a unique clock which won't need winding until next anniversary day.

A German couple at Spinks Corners, Berrien county, went to the carnival two days and one night, locking their two little children, aged 4 and 5 years, in the house.

Miss Mary Reatz is managing the apple evaporators in Fremont this season. Her advertisements say that she is prepared to buy all of the apples offered to her.

In washing a garment which had some toothpicks in the pocket, a Northville woman ran one of them so deep into her hand that a physician had to probe for it.

The past ten days have been more prolific of casualties in Iron county than any similar period in the history of the district. The record is four dead and five injured.

Mrs. Frank Krauss, of Port Huron, was taken to the Dearborn retreat, having lost her reason. It is alleged, from worrying over the prediction of a fortune teller.

The hope that Alex. Frank, who lived in Battle Creek and who disappeared last week just before he was to be married at Albion, had been located in Indiana is gone.

The Michigan Central will put \$20,000 worth of new improvements into their property at Kalamazoo at once, building a new \$20,000 round house and other adjuncts.

A raft of 5,000,000 feet of logs broke away from the tug Boscobel, about 48 miles off Sturgeon Point, Monday in a fierce gale. The Boscobel put into Alpena for assistance.

Harry M. Smith, accused of being a burglar and jail breaker, who is very much wanted by Monroe officers, is in custody in Toledo, and requisition papers have been sent.

Charles Nichols, of Charlotte, who has already spent 60 days this year in the state's workshop, has been given 45 days for stealing a blooded rooster from Mrs. Clara Ellis.

Will Davis, of Butler, started to beat his way east Tuesday night, but he was thrown off by a brakeman from the platform of a passenger train, under the wheels of a passing freight. He lost his left foot, part of his left hand and was otherwise hurt, but he will probably recover.

A colored man, who gave the name of Boston, had no trouble in getting credit and money by "falsing" what seemed to be a \$15,000 New York draft and by pretending that he wanted to buy a big farm from Roscoe Frary, of Nottawa. He jumped his board bill after borrowing \$35 from Landford Cary, of Nottawa.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas, of Lansing is overjoyed in finding that her son George is alive, although a few days ago she went to Durand and was sure she recognized him in one of the men killed in the Wallace circus wreck.

Joseph Koss, of Detroit, is awaiting trial on the charge that he broke into a railway car, tapped a keg of beer and got drunk.

The advance guard of the colony of the Seventh Day Adventists that are to conduct the health food factory in Owosso has arrived from Charlotte.

The Michigan Central will build a new station at Nashville, a site having already been selected. The building will be 34x65 feet, of gray pressed brick, with slate roof.

After several attempts, which were frustrated, the Niles city council has passed an ordinance granting saloonkeepers special privileges during carnival week, August 17-22.

Albert Keeler, farmer of Chesaning, undertook to drive across the track in front of an approaching express train with the usual consequences. Death was instantaneous.

A Newton man undertook to conduct excavations in one of his ears, with a match. The match broke off in his ear, and in endeavoring to get it out he nearly ruptured the drum.

Ovid's roller mills closed for one week to enable the proprietor to put in new machinery, which will enable him to double his output. For the last few weeks the has been run night and day.

Mrs. Jacob Jones, of Benton Harbor, died of hemorrhage Tuesday night, and a post mortem examination revealed the fact that one of her kidneys was eight times its normal size.

Since the Review and Herald decided to remove from Battle Creek to Washington, a number of local adventists who invested in the company, have decided to withdraw their money.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

Columbia Rejects Canal Treaty.

A cablegram dated August 12 has been received at the state department from Minister Beaupre at Bogota, saying that the Panama canal treaty has been rejected unanimously by the Colombian senate.

President Roosevelt was immediately advised of the news.

Very little additional information concerning the action of the Colombian senate could be obtained at the state department. The information in the cablegram was meager and there was no intimation whether the treaty might not again be brought up for consideration.

Section 4 of the Isthmian canal act provides that should the president be unable to obtain a satisfactory title to the property of the new Panama Canal Company and control of the necessary territory and the rights necessary to the construction of a canal from the republic of Colombia, he shall make the necessary treaties with Costa Rica and Nicaragua and proceed with the construction of a canal by the Nicaraguan route.

It will be impossible for President Marroquin to again submit the treaty to the Colombian congress in its present form. The senate having rejected it, the treaty cannot again come before that body except by the senate's own vote. President Marroquin, however, can send the treaty slightly amended to the senate and reopen the canal debate. It is believed at the Colombian legation that President Marroquin will adopt some such procedure.

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To Life Imprisonment.

The jury in the case of Curtis Jett and Thomas White, members of the Hargis feud faction, charged with the assassination of James B. Marcum at Jackson, Ky., Friday morning returned a verdict of guilty, fixing the punishment of each at life imprisonment.

Jett received the verdict with comparative indifference and calmness. White, who had been apparently under a severe strain during the trial, flushed, and his eyes filled with tears. Attorney Golden, for the defense, stated that a motion for a new trial would be made as soon as possible.

The verdict occasioned little surprise. The only question which caused the delay, it is said, was whether to make the punishment death or life imprisonment.

The case has been on trial almost three weeks, having begun July 27. At the first trial at Jackson, the jury disagreed, and it is believed the verdict was a compromise with a juror opposed to capital punishment. The friends of Capt. B. L. Ewen and other witnesses for the commonwealth, who have suffered greatly and were living in fear of their lives, are greatly relieved.

There have been 27 lives lost within the past two years in the Hargis-Cockrill feud in Breathitt county, and this is the first conviction. No arrests or indictments had been made until last May, when the troops were ordered to Jackson to protect the grand jury and afterwards the trial jury and witnesses. Jett is still under indictment charged with killing Town Marshal Cockrill. Jett said Thursday night the rope had never been made with which to hang him, but he made no remarks on hearing the verdict.

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GOV. WILLIAM H. TAFT



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has not informed the president when he will present it.

It has been a struggle between Mrs. Root and the president, and Mrs. Root has won. She has been desirous for a year and a half that her husband should return to the practice of law, as he made a considerable sacrifice when he succeeded Secretary Alger in 1899, for he practically abandoned his law practice. Mrs. Root never was fond of Washington society and she felt that her husband should follow his profession for a few years before retiring.

That Gen. Taft will be Mr. Root's successor as secretary of war there can be little or no doubt. He is familiar with many of the problems which the secretary of war will have to meet and solve; he is a warm, personal friend of the president, who has an abiding confidence in his ability and patriotism, and it is understood that he would welcome the change involved.

Of course his appointment as Secretary of War would necessitate the appointment of a new president of the Philippine commission. In all probability Gen. Luke Wright would succeed to the presidency of the commission, his work as a member of that body having been eminently satisfactory to the administration. Some other changes also would be involved in the appointment of Gov. Taft as secretary of war, but nothing definite concerning them can be said at this time.

It is officially announced that Elihu Root will resign as Secretary of War, his resignation to take effect about the first of next January, and that he will be succeeded, unless present plans miscarry, by Judge William H. Taft, now governor of the Philippines.

For a long time, as Washington gossip has it, Secretary Root has been pressing private reasons, to retire from the cabinet. When Mr. Roosevelt became President Secretary Root indicated his wish to leave the cabinet within a year, but his friendship for the president and his interest in pending questions before the war department caused him to remain for a longer period than he had intended.

Even now he has not indicated to the President just when he may leave the cabinet, but he and the president have discussed the subject many times and have a mutual understanding regarding it.

It is not expected that the Secretary will present his resignation to the president before he leaves for England to take up the work of the Alaskan boundary committee. He has not presented his resignation yet, and

"SOCIETY" HAS NEW FAD.

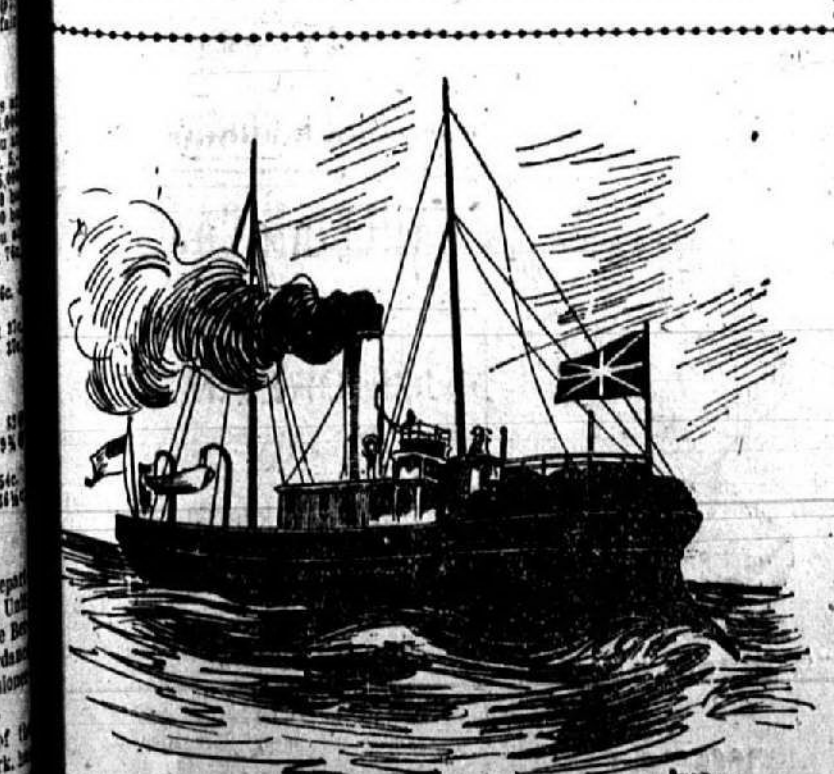
"Munching" Now the Proper Thing at Swell Dinners.

One of the popular fads at Newport present is "munching," which means merely eating very slowly. Munching is one of the numerous pre-arrangements of growing avoirdupois, and as it has the recognition of King Edward it is naturally regarded with much favor in Newport. The theory that every particle of food must be chewed slowly and carefully until solid material remains to be swallowed. Slow eating is merely carried to an extreme by the new treatment. All London society threatened to too much flesh is said to be eating very long and very thoroughly, and American converts to the system are already numerous. Its effect is said to be noticeable at dinners, which have come to be known as munching parties and are much less amusing than they were when eating and drinking went on rapidly. Persons who eat slowly also eat much less than those who eat rapidly.

Began as a Laborer.

Alfred Smith, now general manager of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad, began his career twenty-five years ago as a road man in the office of the Lake Erie in Cleveland. Then he joined the ranks of laborers and received \$1.50 a day.

FIRE ON AMERICAN VESSEL



the tug for an alleged violation of the fishing laws. The Silver Spray is full of holes as a result of the chase, and one of its crew is in a hospital with a wounded leg.

CELEBRATE TAKING OF MANILA

Veterans of Army of the Philippines Have Parade and Banquet.

Eight hundred veterans of the army of the Philippines celebrated at Manila Aug. 4 the anniversary of the occupation of Manila by the joint land and naval forces of the United States, which occurred on Aug. 13, 1898, one day after the signing of the peace protocol at Washington.

The obsolete uniforms were resurrected and there was a parade in the streets in which the delegates from the southern islands, clad in blue shirts and khaki, participated. This was followed by a banquet.

Commissioner Smith, orator of the day, reviewed the history of the insurrection and development of the present government. He said two-thirds of the veterans now are enrolled in the civil service.

The Philippines commission will appropriate \$373,000 for permanent improvements, including \$312,000 for the completion of the coast guard cutters in course of construction at Shanghai and improvement of the insular navy yard at Manila.

CANADIAN PATROL IN RIGHT.

No Action Will Be Taken as Result of Firing on American Fisherman.

The contemplated case of Capt. Christopher S. Chau against the Canadian government for the action of the patrol boat Petrel in firing upon the fish tug Silver Spray, when the vessel was alleged to have been in Canadian waters, will be dropped. Skipper Chau was advised by Collector of the Port Brown of Erie, Pa., to ascertain his exact location at the time of the trouble before taking the matter to the United States authorities. He has done so, and states that he was over the line. The statement is also made by one of the captains of the fishing fleet that nearly all of the tugs were over the boundary and that the Silver Spray was at least two miles beyond the American waters.

Wyndham's Characteristics.

George Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, who now figures prominently in the public eye in connection with the Irish land bill, is sometimes spoken of as "the knight errant of English politics," because of his instinctive love for forlorn causes. Mr. Wyndham has written some pretty verses and rumor credits him with being the author of a clever novel.

Want to Leave Newport.

Many estates are for sale. The fine estates of Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, of Benjamin Thaw, who objected to the marriage of his sister to the earl of Yarmouth, and of Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs are in the market. The Bell and Malbone estates and Crossways, owned by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, wife of the president of the Illinois Central railroad, are for sale.

TOASTS WORTHY OF LIFE.

Some of the choicest expressions of the Wits.

Here's to the woman who sets aside the best preserves for her husband instead of for company. She is an angel and doesn't know it.

America and England, and may they never have any division but the Atlantic between them.—Charles Dickens.

Here's health to all that love love; Here's health to all those that love them That love those that love them That loves us.—Archbishop Denison.

Here's long life to the mother-in-law. With all her freaks and capers, For without our "dear old ma," What would become of comic papers?

I drink it as the Fates ordain it. Come, fill it, and have done with rhymes; Fill up the lovely glass, and drain it In memory of dear old times.—Thackeray.

Here's to the friend whose friendship, once determined, never swerves; you can bet on him every time. Three cups of wine a prudent man may take.

The first of them for constitution's sake; The second to the girl he loves the best; The third and last to lull him to his rest.—Then home to bed.

Here's to the ships of the ocean; Here's to the women of the land, May the former be well-ripped, And the latter be well-manned.

Let's be gay while we may; And seize love with laughter; I'll be true as long as you, And not a moment after.

CONTROL OF SURGICAL STEEL

American-Made Article Has Not Reached Perfection.

Many of the best surgeons in New York, including those in the larger hospitals, send their instruments for repairs to a man in the Williamsburg district of Brooklyn. He has also a contract with the city for repairing surgical instruments for the public hospitals. According to this specialist, American-made steel has not yet reached a point of perfection that makes it available for a superior class of work.

"Surgical steel can be wrought and bought only in England," he said. "The famous surgeons of Berlin and Vienna must send to England for their instruments. In modern surgery, where life or death depends absolutely upon the reliability of the instrument to do exactly the work that the operator expects of it, no surgeon will take chances with knife, scissors or forceps that he cannot depend upon as absolutely as he can depend upon his own nerve—and a man who cannot command his nerves has no more business at an operating chair than a man with no knowledge of navigation has on the bridge of an ocean liner."

CHARMS USED IN JAPAN.

Considered Efficacious for Jealousy and Smallpox.

Japanese ladies afflicted with the green-eyed monster use a charm somewhat similar to those practiced in England and Scotland by the witches of a few centuries since. The aggrieved damsel rises at "the hour of the Bull"—about 2 a. m.—dresses herself in white, with flowing hair, places a tripod bearing three lighted candles on her head, a mirror round her neck, and a lighted torch of bamboo and pine roots in her mouth, and takes the effigy of the faithless one to some shrine where she nails it to a tree in the grounds. The unlucky original suffers untold pains in the spot where the nail is driven, but should the charmer meet the ghost of an enormous bull and show her terror the spell will fail. Charms for the smallpox are also used, and they consist of a piece of paper with the impression of a black hand or a similar scrap of red, with three of the characters for horse, as an infallible safeguard.

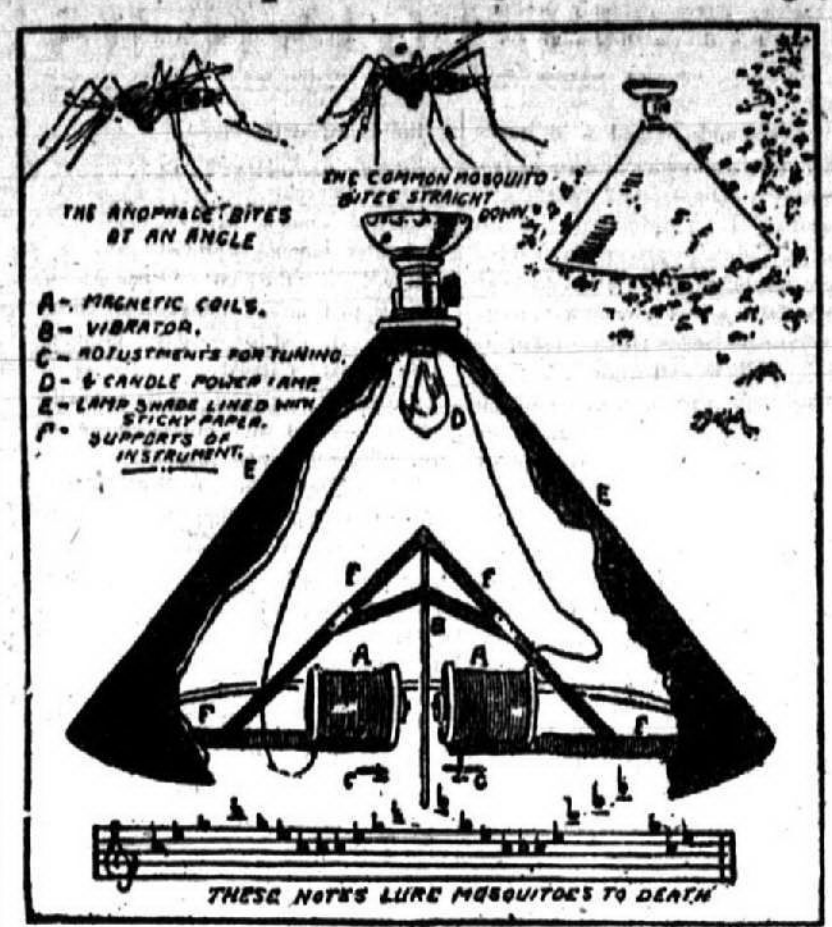
Fact and Aspiration.

We see one another dimly through our selfish, blinded eyes. We hold one another lightly when we ought to hold one another dear. We withhold the cheer and comfort that our lives around should shed, and come with wreaths of flowers when the heart is cold and dead. There's many a heart that's aching with a sorrow we might share; There's many a heart that's breaking with a load we might help bear; And there's many a conflict raging, raging terrible and strong, 'Tis the marshaled troops of right and the gloomy hosts of wrong. We might help to win by aiding him, who, faltering, yet strives, But we scarcely note the struggle—oh, we live such little lives! We love but those who love us, and we ease but those who please us. For our souls mount up to higher things by pain and slow degrees. We curb our better feelings, and are studied in the art That with fitting ceremony gives the hand and not the heart. Oh, the world is wide before us, and the bounds that we have set Circumscribe our noblest purpose. They must be extended yet. Farther still, and farther, in the world's wide field of strife. To a broader scope of action, to a larger view of life. Till the law of love and kindness shall have universal sway. And the law of selfish blindness shall forever pass away.—S. W. Dixon, Wheaton, Ill.

A Boy's Decision.

Edwin Hawley, railroad president, financier, speculator, stood at the corner of Exchange place the other day watching a lively game of craps between two newsboys. One of them, known as the "Angel," chiefly because of his language, thought he was "broke." He went through pocket after pocket, and at last found a cent. "Nodder 'row!" he shouted. Again they threw—and the "Angel" was really broke. He picked up his papers disconsolately. Then he noticed Mr. Hawley. He looked up in the stranger's face, and said, as he turned down the street: "It's hell, ain't it, mister?" And Edwin Hawley, thinking of the bright white building across the street rather than of the boy, thought maybe it was.—New York Times.

Kill Mosquitoes by Electricity.



Out in the swamps near Brookline, Mass., there is a machine imitating the call of the female mosquito. And every mosquito which answers it is lured to its death. The current that sings this siren song kills the pests.

The inventor of the machine, John F. Fleming, of Brookline, already has tried its efficacy on his own veranda, but the village authorities were anxious to experiment in the swamps, and this was done last week.

It was a practical application of the discovery that a certain musical note raised to a great number of vibrations a second will cause the insects to plunge directly towards the spot whence the sound issues. Once having made the plunge, they run into the electrically charged machine and there is a dead mosquito.

The apparatus which the electrician sets up consists of a large lamp shade hung from a socket a few feet above the pool or swamp. Attached to this will be a pair of ordinary magnetic coils of about 1,000 ohms resistance, with an attuned and delicately adjusted vibrator placed between the poles of the coils.

The vibrator will sound notes between middle C and high C, with which notes the mosquitoes' fibrils are supposed to be attuned.

SOME GOOD STORIES OF HAPPENINGS IN MONTANA

Bears Steal Stock at Will.

Bears are becoming so numerous and such a nuisance in and near the National park that the ranchers around Gardiner, Mont., are up in arms.

While the bears are fed regularly at the various hotels within the confines of the park, they appear to grow weary of cooked foods and sweets. As a result, they are making regular trips to the ranches in the neighborhood, where they are doing great damage.

Bears, as every one knows, are almost human when it comes to intelligence, but the bears in the park are far more shrewd than the average person. They know as well as can be that they are safe in the National park, where all rifles but those of the soldiers are officially sealed when a man enters the place.

The animals make their raids and then quickly rush back to the park, carrying with them fine porkers and fat calves, which they eat at their leisure.

The ranch of Van Dyke & Deever, at the edge of the park, has met with heavy losses of late, and the owners of the pigs and the calves they have carried away are more than indignant. If the government is going to raise bears to eat them out of house and home, they want to know it.

Mouse Traps to Catch Snakes.

The problem of how to catch and dispose of the rattlesnake at Ten Mile Point, has been solved by Mrs. Daniel Dutro, wife of a small farmer, near Helena, Mont.

Ten Mile Point has often been called Rattlesnake Point on account of the large number of rattlers that thrive in that vicinity. Not a season goes by that several cattle are not killed by the snakes, and now and then a human victim is claimed.

Mr. Dutro and Jack Cornwall, the latter a noted snake-catcher, have for a long time been trying to clear the place of the reptiles, but without success. Finally they sought the aid of Mrs. Dutro.

"Nothing more simple," said the woman, as she smiled in a superior way. Instead of unfolding her plan to the men she secured a number of the common circular mouse traps, which she baited and set around in various places. Then she retired to her own room to sleep the just.

When she entered the kitchen this morning she found each trap filled. In each hole was a snake, which had been attracted by the bait and which had been choked to death when the trap was sprung.

All the other traps, which had been set in various places about the farm, were empty.

Would Risk Life for Science.

Angus McFarland, an aged resident of Malden, a small town near Lewiston, Me., wants to sell his life to science for the sum of \$100.

Just what caused the fever was for a long time a mystery which none of the doctors could unravel. Finally it was found that the bite of a certain kind of wood tick was responsible for the fever, which made its appearance within a few hours after the victim was bitten.

Doctors have looked in vain for persons who have just been bitten by the tick, hoping in that way to watch the progress of the disease, and find out, if possible, how to check it before it reached the danger stage.

This they have been unable to do, because each person bitten has generally paid no attention to the matter until after the spotted fever had gained great headway, and then medical aid was almost useless.

"I am an old man," says Mr. McFarland, "and my life is not of great value. All I want is enough money to insure a decent funeral for myself, then I will allow myself to be bitten by one of the wood ticks under the eyes of the doctor, who can watch the progress of the fever, and do as they please with me."

JIM JEFFRIES STILL CHAMPION

Corbett Again Succumbs to the Giant Fighter From California.

RYAN GIVES UP IN THE TENTH

Gentleman Jim's Second Motions to Referee to Stop Battle and Save His Principal From Further Punishment.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 15.—"Jim" Corbett was beaten by James J. Jeffries in the first half of the tenth round of their fight here. Corbett stood not the slightest chance from the first. With all his cleverness he was almost outpointed by Jeffries during the early part of the encounter, and the blows he succeeded in landing were apparently without sting.

The end came shortly after the beginning of the tenth round, when Jeffries planted one of his terrific left swings on Corbett's stomach. The man who conquered John L. Sullivan dropped to the floor in agony, and the memorable scene at Carson City, when Bob Fitzsimmons landed his solar plexus blow, was almost duplicated.

This time, however, Corbett struggled to his feet and again faced his glib adversary. With hardly a moment's hesitation Jeffries swung his right and again landed on Corbett's stomach. Jim dropped to the floor, and then it was that Tommy Ryan, seeing that it was all over, motioned to Referee Graney to stop the punishment.

Jeffries Has Improved.

The fight demonstrated beyond all doubt that Jeffries stands alone in his class. He showed remarkable improvement in both speed and skill. He was never in better condition. He looked lighter than usual, and the way he moved about on his feet and the frequency with which he countered Corbett's leads astonished everybody.

Corbett, in comparison with the big man opposed to him, looked very light, but was really heavier than ever before. He appeared to have lost some of his old-time speed and skill during the early part of the fight, but this may have been due to Jeffries' marvelous improvement. Corbett's physical condition appeared to be all that he had claimed for it. He stood many of Jeffries' terrific blows without wincing, and came back swinging lefts and rights and landing frequently, but his blows hardly stung Jeffries.

Corbett is Cautious.

Jeffries was not only stronger, faster and cleverer than ever before, but he used his head to better purpose, and, although Corbett would hit him hard enough to hurt an ordinary man, Jeffries would bore right in without noticing the blows, and would deliver telling hits that materially helped in deciding the result of the fight.

At first Corbett was very cautious, and apparently was outpointed by Jeffries, but later in the fight he warmed up and showed some of his old-time cleverness. From the first, however, it was generally regarded as a hopeless case for Corbett. He made a gallant fight, but he never stood a show to win.

After the fight was over Corbett quickly recovered, walked over to Jeffries and shook him warmly by the hand.

"Jim, you beat me fairly," he said. "You stand alone. No one can touch you."

Referee Eddie Graney said after the fight that it was a great heavy-weight contest.

Every Blow Counts.

"Corbett was very clever, but Jeffries was almost equally so, and showed marvelous improvement. He practically outboxed Corbett during the fight, with the exception of the eighth and ninth rounds. Every blow that he landed told, and his superior weight and strength were bound to win in the end."

Time-Keeper George Harting stated

that the blows that won the fight were a left to the stomach followed by a right to the same place, as soon as Corbett arose to his feet after taking the count of nine.

"It was the best fight Jeffries ever made, and astonished even those who had placed implicit faith in his ability to win," said Harting.

During the fight Corbett talked continuously to Jeffries, and to the referee made a number of facetious remarks. He was game to the end, and whenever Jeffries landed a blow would make a jesting remark. In the sixth round, during a clinch, just after Jeffries had punished him severely, he remarked to the referee: "Watch him, Eddie; he's trying to knock me out."

Cleverness of No Avail.

Jeffries only grinned and waded into his man all the harder. Corbett's system of training was undoubtedly beneficial to him from a physical point of view, but it apparently detracted from his speed. He did not keep away from Jeffries in the manner that was anticipated, but clinched at every opportunity. He also did some clever ducking, thereby avoiding deadly blows, but all his cleverness was of no avail. He fought his fight, and when the time came Jeffries delivered the necessary blows, and established himself more firmly than ever as champion heavy-weight pugilist of the world.

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The Ball Ground Now Under Control of the Men Who Have Made It the Splendid Ground It Is.

Messrs D. C. McLaren and George Begole were foremost in putting through the building of the present splendid ball ground. A number of others were associated with them in the beginning but these two men have always done the work and assumed the responsibility and now have come into the exclusive control of the grounds. This is as it should be and as the K. of P. lodge has no connection with the field it should henceforth be known as McLaren-Begole park.

Ball grounds, as good as the local field, are seldom found in a place the size of Chelsea and the very evident excellence of the local field has done much to encourage clean ball playing here and has brought out to the games the very best element in Chelsea.

Now that so good accommodations have been provided the general public should see to it that it is supported.

SHEEP MEN'S CONVENTION

Important Gathering Wednesday at the Whitaker Farm in Lima of the Breeders of High Grade Sheep.

Yesterday was a gala-day at the farm of Charles E. Whitaker in Lima; the occasion being the 16th annual meeting of the Improved Black-Top-Delaine Marino Sheep-breeders Association of Michigan and the society was entertained in royal manner by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitaker and Mr. and Mrs. D. Wacker. There were present about 25 members of the association most of whom were accompanied by their wives and the hosts and hostesses had invited guests to be present so that the number was about 70. At about 1:30 the first relay was invited to the tables and if all did as The Standard's representative all did ample justice to the wholesome viands placed before them. All present voted their entertainers past masters in the art of catering to the wants of the inner man and hoped to meet with them again.

At the close of the dinner the association adjourned to the parlors for the annual business meeting. The details of this meeting will be printed in The Standard next week and ought to be of general interest to the farming community and all interested in the betterment of the sheep of this section of the state.

HAD THE TIME OF THEIR LIVES

Some of the Particulars Concerning the Trip of the China Painting Class to the Glazier Home in Detroit.

In the last issue of The Standard was reported the names of a party which was entertained by Mrs. Frank P. Glazier at her Detroit home. As was told last week the party was made up of the class in china painting which is directed by Mrs. L. T. Freeman and such men as were made eligible by having wives in the class.

When the party returned one of the members was interviewed and asked as to what kind of a time they all had. As near as could be learned the one phase that would fitly describe the occasion is well-come. That everybody concerned had such a time seems certain. The party arrived in Detroit last Thursday noon and were at once taken to the Glazier home on Jefferson avenue. From there they went to Belle Isle and enjoyed a picnic dinner following which they were taken by trolley to draw by four horses to all parts of the city. The trolley was fully equipped with outriders and buglers and certainly afforded the charm of novelty for many.

On the following day the party went by the steamer Tashmoor to Port Huron and had dinner on board, the party having the exclusive use of the dining room. On the return Postmaster Hoover was picked up at Tashmoor park, he having been detained at the moment of departure of the party by the robbery at the postoffice. When the party reached Detroit they left for Chelsea thoroughly appreciating the royal entertainment they had received and knowing that nothing had marred the whole outing from beginning to end.

REV. F. A. STILES

Popular Pastor of Baptist Society Called to Hudson—Leaves Chelsea September 1.

Rev. F. A. Stiles, pastor of the First Baptist church of this place has notified his congregation that he will sever his connection with the church September 1. He has been in charge for upwards of five years and during that time he has been instrumental in adding to the membership and in having the church rebuilt. He has been one of the most efficient pastors the church has ever had. He has accepted a call to Hudson, Mich.

AWFUL CRIME CHARGED

Mort Tagley Arrested Today On Complaint Of His 16 Year Old Daughter.

A. Mortimer Tagley was arrested this morning by Sheriff Gauntlett and Deputy Leach and charged with incest. The complaint was made by his 16 year old daughter Ada and was sworn to before Justice H. D. Withersell. In the language of the complaint it is charged by the daughter that her father had carnal knowledge of her person on April 12.

The prisoner was taken to Justice Withersell's office and after a brief examination held without bail for his appearance at his regular examination which will be held here Wednesday, August 26.

The prisoner appeared thoroughly frightened and nervous but continually protested his innocence, but that he is guilty seems certain beyond a doubt. The little girl is in a precarious condition with the possibility of recovery said by some to be against her.

That the town is thoroughly stirred by this awful, unthinkable and unnatural crime goes without saying; but while there has been some hot headed and unreasonable suggestion for the punishment of the prisoner the general sentiment is that he shall be dealt with strictly according to law. The extreme penalty on conviction is 15 years.

BIG BARN BURNED

The Wilkinson Barn South of Town Made Blaze That Could Be Seen for Miles—Covered by Insurance.

The large barn on the Wilkinson place, just south of town, burned with all its contents Tuesday night shortly after midnight. How the fire started nobody knows although a number have advanced some interesting and plausible theories and in this connection everybody is entitled to a guess.

One considerable party contends that the cause was spontaneous combustion while another faction advances the time honored explanation of a tramp seeking lodgings, lighted pipe, etc., etc. Any way the barn burned and so did a lot of hay and grain that had been recently threshed.

There was \$800 insurance on the building and also \$500 insurance on the contents. The insurance was with the Washenaw Mutual. The loss, though, on the building alone is estimated at \$1,500.

Hose pipe was laid to the fire from the town hydrants but nothing could be done to effectually stay the flames.

ARE SLOW BUT GOOD

Another Boy Raising Watermelons Writes The Standard and Tells How His Melons Are Coming On.

It takes a long time to grow watermelons but The Standard does not forget the boys in the contest for all that. Here is another letter from one of the boys who thought it worth while to try and he is still in the race. These boys that started in the contest are going to get in the habit of accomplishing something and every time they try they will do something better and bigger. The prize is a good thing to win but the best thing about the whole contest is that so many boys had the enterprise to go into it. Here is the letter: To the Editor:

I thought I would drop you a few lines in regard to my watermelons. They are doing fine now but they are going to be rather late.

Yours Truly,

Leon Turk.

Chelsea, Mich., August, 1903.

English Ideas of Canada.

Curious accounts come to hand of the colonists who went to western Canada. A proportion of them, as might have been expected, entertained extraordinary notions of what life in the wild west would be, and the majority of them seem to have armed themselves with as many guns as they would have needed to fight Indians twice a week. Unfortunately some of these warlike individuals had not taken the preliminary step of learning to shoot, and the air seems to have echoed with the discharge of their guns let off in pure wantonness, so that the police had to interfere to check their enthusiasm. Those of them who were sportsmen were genuinely disappointed, as the buffalo has entirely disappeared, and as to the redskins of Fenimore Cooper's novel, he exists no more, since the Indian of to-day saturates himself with gin, wears the same clothing as the white man, and goes to church regularly.—London Sketch.

Magnetic Persons.

Prof. Murani, a distinguished Italian scientist, says that certain persons possess a strange magnetic or electric influence which produces very curious results. A few days ago while he was at work on some electrical experiment, one of his friends suddenly entered the room, and at the same moment the needle of his galvanometer moved to and fro very rapidly. He was sure that his friend had in one of his pockets either a magnet or some other electrical instrument, and in order to convince him that he was mistaken his friend removed all his clothes. To the professor's surprise the galvanometer continued to act just as though a powerful magnet was near it, and the closer his friend approached the more marked its action became. Moreover, the front of the body acted on it in the same manner as the positive pole of a magnet and the back as a negative pole.—N. Y. Herald.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

OFFICIAL

Chelsea, Mich., Aug. 5, 1903.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by the president. Roll called by the clerk. Present, F. P. Glazier, president, and trustees Burkhardt, Knapp, Schenk, McKune and Lehman. Absent, none. Minutes read and approved.

Moved by Burkhardt, seconded by Schenk, that the time for collecting village taxes be extended for 30 days, including Sept. 9, 1903. Carried.

Moved and supported that the following bills be allowed and orders drawn on treasurer for amounts. Carried.

Michigan Electric Co., supplies,	\$ 42.60
Fisher Governor Co., supplies,	35.00
Electric Supply & Engineering Co.,	122.85
Standard Oil Co.,	29.25
Garlock Packing Co.,	13.10
Gil Martin,	9.00
Hugh McKune,	21.00
Glazier Stove Co.,	76.85
J. W. Speer,	3.05
D. Y. A. A. & J. Ry.,	50
M. C. R. R. Co.,	146.54
Sterling & Co.,	189.49
Liberty Mfg. Co.,	9.34
C. Hagadon,	2.70
M. Maler,	8.70
Anna B. Weimer,	30.88
E. P. Goodrich,	25.00
The Fuller Co.,	175.00
Glazier & Stinson,	10.85
J. Hummel,	4.25
Frank McKune,	1.00
Gil Martin,	9.00
Hugh McKune,	8.05
C. Grieb,	21.98
Sprague Electric Co.,	2.50
H. D. Edwards Co.,	5.00
W. P. Schenk,	6.90
Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co.,	75.00
B. Parker,	35.00
J. F. Moler,	20.00
D. Alber,	20.00
C. Lightball,	20.00
Walter Barry,	20.00
E. McCarter,	20.00
B. Parker,	20.00
Jay Wood,	20.00

On motion board adjourned.

W. H. HEISELSCHWERT, Clerk.

Moderation in Exercise.

Exercise which is well within the powers of the body is salutary for all and probably necessary for some, but exercise by which these powers are overstrained is too often not only the precursor, but quite unmistakably the cause of serious illness or of bodily or mental failure. "Why," inquired Saladin, "should the weak display his inferiority in the presence of the strong?" The question is as pertinent in our day as it was in that in which it was uttered.—London Hospital.

Bird Feathers.

Bird News and Notes says that the total number of packages of osprey feathers sold in London last year was 1,608. A package of osprey feathers varies in amount from two or three to about 100 ounces, but the average is about 30 ounces to the package. This gives a total of 48,240 ounces, and on the received estimate that four birds are required to yield one ounce of plumes, we have a total of 12,060 birds killed in the breeding season to furnish one year's feather sales.

Womanly Accomplishment.

No girl should be ashamed to do housework; it is a most womanly accomplishment. One can never be a really good housekeeper unless one has a practical knowledge of even the humblest work in the house. It is a fallacy, for no one can command well who has not served. Learn to do and know how to direct.

Sparrows Eat Grain.

The London board of agriculture advocates diminishing the number of house sparrows. It has been found by hundreds of examinations that from 75 to 80 per cent. of the food of the adult birds throughout the year consists of cultivated grain. The aggregate total taken when the sparrows are unchecked is very large.

Grape Juice and Germs.

Many physicians recommend grape juice wherever there is any danger of typhoid germs. It has long been claimed that lemon juice added to drinking water was efficacious in destroying typhoid bacilli, but many weak stomachs cannot stand the continued use of it on account of its strong acidity.

Temples to Li Hung Chang.

Several Chinese cities have erected temples in honor of Li Hung Chang. His tomb also has the form of a temple. Two of its inscriptions are: "All countries in the world mourn him" and "He changed Heaven and revolutionized the earth."

The Fishes of the Nile.

A painstaking survey of the fishes of the Nile extended far up both Blue and White Niles, has just been completed. It adds 14 new species to about 90 known before, and gives much other valuable information.

Minerals in Manchuria.

The mineral resources of Manchuria, as shown even by the surface scratching that has been done, are simply stupendous. As a wealth-giver, it may send more to St. Petersburg for the next half century than India will to London.

They Do Not Practice It.

"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "say that honesty is the best policy, 'an den seems puffy willin' to give their neighbors a monopoly of its advantages."—Washington Star.

Standard wants winners.

His "Line" Was Brains.

A professor of a western university tells this story of a trip he made: "A traveling man boarded the train one day, took a seat beside me, and remarked:

"Pleasant day, isn't it?"
"Umph—yes."
"Then the drummer said: 'Crops look fine, don't they? I guess we'll have a good season.'
"Umph—yes."
"By this time the traveling man was annoyed, and asked: 'What line are you in, anyway?'
"Irritated at his continued importunities, I replied: 'Brains.'
"Well," said the drummer, 'you carry a mighty small sample case.'"
—Sunday School Times.

YOUR NEIGHBOR'S DOINGS

AS SEEN BY
The Standard's Correspondents.

FREEDOM.

Miss Louise Benerie is on the sick list. Mrs. G. Nordman and Clinton Crocker visited at P. Guinan's Sunday. Mrs. T. Hagan of Detroit is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. Guinan. Mrs. Barbara Schiller, who has been ill for some time is slowly recovering. Miss Cora Reno who has been the guest of her parents for some time returned to Jackson Monday. The ladies of St. John's church at Roger's corner will have an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. Mary Feldkamp in Lima, August 26. Everybody invited.

NORTH LAKE.

E. W. Daniels spent Sunday at F. Daniels of Mason. Wm. Burkhardt of Detroit is the guest of his parents here. Henry Hudson is now driving the milk wagon to Dexter. Wm. Barrett of Ypsilanti is visiting at the home of George Reade. Rev. Gordon will preach at this church Sunday, August 23, at 10:30 a. m.

EAST LYNDON.

Fred Hadley spent Sunday at home. Chas. Doody spent Sunday at Ypsilanti. Miss Pearl Hadley was a visitor here last week. James Morrissey and sister Ella is visiting at J. Birch.

SYLVAN.

Mrs. Homer Boyd is in Detroit this week. Mrs. John Knoll spent last week with Detroit friends. Mrs. Jacob Dancer spent last Thursday with Jackson friends.

FRANCISCO CITY.

W. Plowe was in Jackson Saturday. John Kalmbach was in Jackson Monday. Herman Bohne was at Wolf Lake Sunday. Mrs. Henry Musbach is in Detroit this week.

SHARON.

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MAX IRWIN.

Max Irwin who has been employed as fireman on the lakes was the guest of his parents Tuesday.

J. E. IRWIN.

J. E. Irwin is confined to his bed with rheumatism. Mrs. Irwin has had to postpone her trip to the North on account of his sickness.

AMONG THOSE FROM HERE.

Among those from here who attended Wallace show at Jackson Saturday are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trolitz, Mr. and Mrs. John Trolitz, Fred Grey and Paul Cooper. Mr. Willis of Detroit and Mr. Waterman of Nebraska will be here to assist Rev. Case in the grove meetings, a large tent has been procured and great crowds are expected.

SEE THE SMALL BILL AS TO PEOPLES OPINIONS THAT HAVE HEARD FARLAND.

At the opera house next Wednesday evening.

WANT COLUMN.

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND, LOST, WANTED, ETC.

LOST—Small purse, finder leave at Standard office and get reward.

REWARD for return of papers in note book lost on German Day Chelsea, Fred Garland, 114 Macomb street, Detroit, Mich.

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Rev. Graber conducted morning services at the German M. E. church Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Nortman of Jackson was the guest of Mrs. John Miller at Sunday.

Chris Kalsar spent several days of the past week at Greenville with his brother who is at the point of death.

Floyd Schweinfurth and Mr. Johnson from Detroit were the guests of P. Schweinfurth and family Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scherer who have been spending some time at Benton Harbor and Waterloovet returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lehman and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beeman and family of Waterloo were the guests of J. J. Musbach Sunday.

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Mrs. Lydia Hatt was the guest of Mrs. A. Collins Saturday.

Chris. Kalmbach of Sylvan spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. H. Notten and family were Jackson visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dresselhouse were in Ann Arbor Wednesday.

C. Schroeder and daughter returned to Hoboken, N. J. Friday.

Geo. Bohne and son who have been in Hoboken, N. J. returned home Sunday.

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Geo. Plowe and daughter Mrs. Hammond were recently in Homer for the purpose of purchasing a monument for a grave.

SHARON.

Ether Reno was in Jackson Monday.

Miss Cora Reno of Jackson spent Sunday here.

Mr. Lemn of Tennessee is visiting his uncle, J. R. Lemn.

Mrs. H. O'Neill and children were in Adrian part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kirkwood visited in Mosherville part of last week.

Mrs. Arthur Carpenter and daughter Hazel of Jackson have been visiting at H. Reno's.

Miss Mary Leeman of Chelsea visited her brother John and other relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Wurster and son Clarence of Saline are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Bruestle.

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Notice

Village Taxes are now due and can be paid to me at any time from now till September 9, 1903.

Fred Roedel, Village Treasurer.

NEARLY FORFEITS HIS LIFE.

A runaway almost ending fatally started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for burns, bruises, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at Glazier & Stimson Drug Store.

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LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

Dr. Holmes left Wednesday to spend a week with friends at Northville.

There were about fifty of our citizens who were Lansing visitors Sunday.

Misses Margaret and Anna Miller have gone to Cleveland where they will buy goods for their fall trade.

The O. E. S. will hold a special meeting during the afternoon and evening of August 28, for the purpose of initiation.

The financial returns from the picnic at Cavanaugh are not all in as yet but it seems assured that at least \$325 was cleared.

Harold and Vera Glazier left Wednesday for a week's stay at Muskoka lakes as the guests of Mr. Crosley and the Hunters.

The annual outing of the Picnic Association of Washtenaw, Wayne, Oakland and Livingston counties will be held at Whitmore Lake, August 29.

Henry Hoover of Galesburg and Miss Barbara Hoover of Sandburn, N. Y., cousins of J. G. Hoover, were guests at his home the first of the week.

Allison Kneec has recently opened a cigar factory at the former Downer residence, where he resides, and he will manufacture a high grade of cigars.

Interest in the Farland banjo recital is on the increase. It seems assured that there will be a good attendance. It is an entertainment that deserves support.

The real estate firm of Kalmbach and Parker report the following sales: C. E. Lettis, dwelling on south Main to John Welhoff. Miss Graham seven acres land to John Keelan and E. A. Williams residence on Park street to Mary E. Paul.

Rev. Fr. Considine wishes to express, through the local press, his appreciation of the presence of the Protestant clergymen and all non Catholics at the picnic at Cavanaugh and thank all such for what they did to make the picnic a success.

Next week will be completely saturated with base ball. There are to be eight games played. On two days of the week there are to be double headers and single games on the other four days of the week. Some good teams are among those that will be here.

The wedding of Charles C. Allen to Miss Edie Suylandt both of Lansing, occurred at the home of the bride's sister Mrs. George Hindelang on Monday. Rev. Dr. Caster officiated. The bride has been a teacher in the Lansing schools for some time.

What with Maccabee celebrations and K. of P. carnivals and sports days and base ball tournaments happening at nearby cities and towns our citizens will have to get out schedule cards to pass among their friends that they may be located on various days of the week. Verrily these are the days when one is called everywhere else but home.

The Michigan Central on September 1 will start two excursions from Chelsea. One trip is in connection with the Pere Marquette road and is to Petoskey, Traverse City and Charlevoix. The other is to Frankfort over the Ann Arbor road. The round trip rate will be \$5.00 on either excursion. The leaving time from Chelsea will be 8:35 a. m.

The reunion of the Soldiers and Sailors' association of Michigan takes place at Big Rapids, September 7-12, a whole week. The territory embraced is from all points in the lower peninsula of Michigan on the west of a line from Mackinaw City, Bay City, Saginaw, Howell, Jackson and Sturgis, for which a one fare rate for the round trip has been granted.

Toadstools in place of mushrooms worked greater havoc in the Shaver-Conk camping party at Long Lake, than did "embalmed beef" at Chicaumaugan. Those who suffered, and seriously, too, because of their appetite and toadstool judgement were E. E. Shaver and wife, Mrs. Howard Conk, of Gregory, Frank Shaver and John Gregg, of Detroit. They are all better now.

An illustration of moving by electric line was had last week when Carl N. Heglund, the optician, moved his household goods to this city. He chartered a Hawk-Angus car and had it run onto the spur in front of his house in Ypsilanti. Then it was loaded and started for Jackson shortly after one o'clock Friday afternoon. Furniture vans were in waiting when the car arrived in this city at 3:15. Before 6 o'clock all the goods were safely housed at No. 130 West Mason street, where Mr. Heglund will in the future reside. The transfer was made from one city to the other forty-six miles easily and only in a few hours time. The electric line spells progress. Jackson Patriot.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Jacob Schumacher was in Lansing Sunday.

Miss Tillie Grlbach spent Sunday at Jackson.

Miss Mary Haab is spending this week in Dexter.

Miss Ola Wackenhut spent Sunday at Wolf Lake.

Miss Nina Hunter is visiting relatives in Ypsilanti.

Miss Emma Wines was this week a Detroit visitor.

Miss Bertha Schumacher was in Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Misses Lula and Mina Steger were in Jackson Friday.

Miss Josephine Foster is visiting relatives in Albion.

John Spiegelberg spent Sunday at Whitmore Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Emmer were in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Parker were in Detroit Saturday.

Miss Nettie Hoover is home from Ypsilanti for two weeks.

Miss Fannie Emmett is visiting relatives in Port Huron.

Mrs. Gerard and daughter Lillian went to Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rhelufank were in Marshall Sunday.

Miss Theresa Bacon, of Detroit, is visiting friends in Chelsea.

John Maier and family are this week camping at Blind Lake.

Miss Nellie Congdon has this week been visiting in Detroit.

Harvey Spiegelberg spent the past week with friends here.

Miss Mamie McKernan was an Ann Arbor visitor Thursday.

Miss Grace Hooker of Grass Lake was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Dr. A. L. Steger and G. A. BeGole were in Battle Creek Monday.

Misses Anna Mast and Lizzie Alber were Jackson visitors Monday.

Miss Hazel Speer is visiting her sister Mrs. John Larmee at Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Turnbull and children were at Wolf Lake Sunday.

George H. Mitchell of Chicago called at John H. Wade's of Lima Sunday.

Adolph Alber and Miss Nellie Atkinson were in Ann Arbor last Thursday.

Miss Sophia Schatz is spending some time with friends at Kalamazoo and Decatur.

Mrs. Sarah Congdon and daughters Edith and Nellie are visiting Detroit friends.

Mrs. A. Hunter and daughter Erma and Beatrice were in Ypsilanti one day last week.

Harry Taylor spent last week in Detroit visiting his brothers George and L. K. Taylor.

Medanies Elliott and Brenner and Miss Fisher of Ann Arbor were visitors here last week.

Henry I. Stimson of Parma is in Chelsea visiting at the homes of his children and grandchildren.

Mrs. J. G. Earl and daughter Ruth were the guests of relatives in Ypsilanti the first of the week.

Misses Mildred and Blanche Stevens who have been in Detroit returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keyes of Olivet are guests at the Jabez Bacon home and at their cottage at Cavanaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Schleicher and daughter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Schumacher Sunday.

John H. Wade of Lima went to Clinton Sunday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Patrick Wade of Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Speer and Mr. and Mrs. George Webster were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Larmee, of Jackson Sunday.

Lack of space this week prevents full details concerning the games at the picnic but the winners were Tom Hughes William Kress, Luke Guinan, Mabel Rattrey, and Anna Guinan, George Eder and Ed. Geiger, Garret Conway and Vincent Burg and Frank Fenn.

These getting either a first, second or third. The Germans won the tug of war from the Irish having no doubt eaten more than their rivals and being harder to move.

MRS. JACOB STEINBACH.

Mrs. Jacob Steinbach, of Lima township, died suddenly Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, of dropsy. She has been ailing for some time, but was up and doing her housework until the day before her death. Her maiden name was Amelia Buss, the daughter of the late respected William Buss, of Seio township. She was about 58 years of age. She is survived by her husband, aged mother and four brothers—Charles, of Freedom, William, of Seio, Fred W., of Ann Arbor, and Albert, of California, and one sister, Anna, of Seio.

The funeral services were held from her late home on Monday at 10 o'clock and from St. Paul's church at 11 o'clock. Rev. Albert Schoen, officiating. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

Hear Farland, America's greatest banjo player at the opera house, Wednesday evening, August 26.

A SHOE OF HIGH DEGREE

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A Bohemian widow living at Haldia made up her mind to marry again, if she could get her departed husband's consent with the aid of a spiritual medium. The "husband" advised her not to marry, but to come to him, whereupon she went home, put arsenic in her coffee, and died.

Distinguished.

Dusty—Say, Rusty, who's dat skate over dere on dat flat car, wid 'is chest 'trown out?
Rusty—S-h-h! He's de guy dat went wid President Roosevelt on 'is trip west. He rode de trucks on 'is privit car.—Baltimore American.

Turkey Shoots a Child.

While a child was playing on the floor of a house at Costesht, Roumania, some turkey strayed in. One of them flew onto the bed, and its wings, flapping against the trigger of a gun hanging on the wall, exploded the charge, which entered the child's head and killed it.

Married Seventy-Four Years.

A married couple named Luxwold-Van Dort has just been celebrating the seventy-fourth anniversary of their marriage in Langezwag, Prussia. The husband is 97 years of age and his wife 91.

His Natural Element.

"Where are you going to spend the summer?" asked the shark.
"Oh, in the seaside resort news, as usual," answered the sea serpent.—Washington Star.

Carries Heavy Insurance.

Mrs. Leland Stanford is said to carry a larger amount of insurance than any other woman in the world. Her policies amount to more than \$1,000,000.

Sews with Her Toes.

Irene Waldron, of Irvington, N. J., who was born without arms, has learned to sew with her toes, and is succeeding admirably in learning other feminine accomplishments.

Gets Another Congressman.

Under the old congressional apportionment Florida had two members of the house of representatives. Under the new apportionment it has three.

Electricity in the Air.

Electric sparks are always obtained from kites reaching a height of a quarter of a mile and increase as the kites go higher.

Wisdom.

To finish the moment, to find the journey's end in every step of the road, to live the greatest number of good hours, is wisdom.—Chicago Journal.

Aged Princess.

Europe has 14 princes over 70 years old, and five over 80.

Victims of Tuberculosis.

The annual number of deaths from tuberculosis in Canada is about 9,000.

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BY WHOSE HAND?

By EDITH SESSIONS TUPPER.

Author of "By a Hair's Breadth," "The Black Diamond," Etc.

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

He bent his head upon my hands, and pressed his lips first to one palm then the other. I trembled with triumph. My heart gave an exultant leap. He was mine, then, after all. I had only to open my arms, and he would come back to me.

One moment I hesitated. Should I take so common a revenge? I might, to be sure, thereby render Angele more wretched, but I should at the same time make Rex happy. No! they must both suffer. There were other ways.

I withdrew my hands from his fierce grasp, and said coldly: "My good brother, you have made your choice. Abide by it," and catching up my book, swiftly left the room.

It was about this time that the Professor arrived from India. We had not seen our cousin since we were children. He was but a few years older than we, an accomplished and interesting man, and proved a most charming guest and companion. Although he was born in France, he had been educated in England, and was a Cosmopolitan in the true sense of the word. He had spent several years in the Orient, and had an extensive and rare collection of curios, in the examination of which I took great delight. He brought also a companion, which greatly fascinated me—a superb cobra. I never wearied of watching this handsome serpent. Such exquisite coloring! such fantastic sinuosity! such stealthy grace! I used to look to picture her, gliding through a tropical forest; sweeping aside the ferns and palms in her undulating progress; pausing now and then to raise her queenly head, a glistening, shining object, to charm some unwary bird or tiny animal. Then, too, I imagined her—creeping upon her prey—how splendidly she would vanquish it!

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"Belle cousin, what do you propose to do this evening?"

"I have no special plans," I answered.

"That is well, for I have received to day a fresh box of curios, which I am confident will please you. Will you come and assist at the unpacking?"

"Ah, ha! I thought, the Professor grows impatient. He wishes an answer in person to his note."

"I shall be charmed," I replied. A satisfied smile lit up his face, as he continued his chat with Angele.

After dinner I hastened to my room, and drawing my note from its hiding-place, unfolded and read it.

"Be silent, Satane! It is useless."

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Sometimes I fancied that, in ages past, this magnificent serpent had been a beautiful, revengeful woman. It seemed possible.

I thought very much of revenge in these days. What a delicious thing it is! Sweeter than friendship, love, or even life itself. Revenge is quite like the cobra lying coiled in affected inertia, but waiting, waiting to dart its deadly blow.

Shall I ever forget the hour when at last my vengeance came? When, amid the appropriate surroundings of that tremendous storm, unable to sleep, I rose to watch the curious freaks of the lightning, and saw instead—

Ah! let me gloat upon it. Let me recall it again. Let me hug this precious, hideous secret to my breast, even as I could hug a cobra, the unwitting instrument of my revenge.

Rex's tragic death has not completed my revenge. It has but begun it. I have Angele now in my power, and am determined to use the secret I hold, to the utmost advantage.

She shall become the slave of my faintest whim and caprice. She shall feel my foot upon her neck. She shall never again know what freedom of action means. She shall be as much a prisoner as if bound with fetters of iron. I shall enjoy allowing her to walk the length of her chain, and then suddenly pulling her up. Ah! my little Angele, you lily-saint—ange!—you are in my hands now, and you shall realize what a grip of steel there is under their satin smoothness.

In every conceivable fashion will I torture you. You shall go and come at my bidding. You shall never be alone, or you shall be in solitary confinement at my pleasure. I think I will remove Marcelle from you. I scarcely deem it proper she should remain under your influence. Who knows, my sister? I may possibly drive you to a mad-house.

Upon the heaven of my fancied security has burst a thunderbolt. Who would have dreamed that I could be checkmated in this game? Or that there was a human being who could thwart me? I was so confident that Angele was helpless, when behold! there appears a stout-hearted ally, who not only battles for her, but dares to threaten me. What am I to do? Show fight, parley, or surrender?

It is now midnight. I have passed the most critical and tempestuous evening of my life. Let me review it carefully. When the Professor came to dinner to-night, I observed an unusual expression on his face. I can best describe it as a look of the most intense obstinacy.

Angele had not yet entered, but her step was heard in the hall. As the Professor was about to take his seat he, with a most profound bow, handed me a tiny billet-doux.

I carefully tucked it in my corsage, and bestowed upon my cousin a most radiant smile.

I was not surprised at this overture from him. I had for some time known that he admired me.

I could scarcely wait until dinner should be over to see what sort of a tender missive this staid, intellectual Professor could write.

I observed that he was especially courteous to Angele, and solicited about her welfare.

"I must discourage that sort of thing," I mused. "I really cannot permit Angele to have my friends."

Just before dessert, my cousin, in the most nonchalant fashion, said to me:

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dear Satane, I have something of great importance to say to you.

"Indeed! Then this box of curiosities was simply a ruse to lure me here, was it not?"

"Well—yes," he drawled. I felt myself growing angry. With a smothered exclamation, I snatched my hand from his, and turned to leave the room. I would not parley with him. I would fight.

But he quickly stepped before me and deliberately locked the door, and as deliberately put the key in his pocket.

"You are my prisoner, my dear," he said, sweetly. "I regret that I must employ force, but really I cannot allow you to depart until you have listened to every syllable I have to say."

"How dare you!" I began, but he interrupted me.

"Pardon me, my beautiful Satane. You must not fume and rage like a caged tigress. Be quiet now, be reasonable. You may go when you have explained to me why you fed my cobra the arrac root."

"I did not."

"Pardon again—I dislike to contradict you, but you have forgotten. Try and correct that memory of yours."

In a frenzy of rage I sprang to the door and shook the lock. He seized my wrists and held them as if in steel bands, bending his liquid eyes full upon me, and saying sternly:

"Be silent, Satane. It is useless. Unless you choose to scream and make me a scene, you shall not stir from here until you have answered all my questions. Your conduct toward Angele, that poor, suffering girl, demands an explanation. I mean to have it. O! it is useless to struggle. I am the stronger," and he only tightened his hold upon my wrists.

Suddenly I ceased struggling. I fixed my eyes upon his, and willed that he should release me. For an instant I was conscious of a fiery glance that penetrated my soul. Then I felt myself to be gradually slipping, slipping away into nothingness. He spoke to me. He asked me various questions. In a hollow voice—a voice not my own—I replied.

I told him of my life—my former love for Rex—and all I knew of that dreadful night. He had conquered me.

I found myself sitting in a great chair. The Professor was holding a glass of wine to my lips.

"Drink this, Satane," he said gently, "and you will feel better."

I obeyed. I was quite weak.

He took the glass from my trembling hand and put it away. Then seating himself by me he took my hand in one of his, and smoothed my wrist with the other.

"I am sorry I hurt you, Satane," he said, "but I had to do it. I was resolved that you should speak. You have suffered terribly, my dear, and your sufferings have warped your entire nature. But you must now cease this cruelty toward Angele."

"I will not," I muttered. "I will not be balked of my revenge."

"Satane," he said, as he took my face between his two hands and looked sternly down at me, "Satane, yes. You will never torture your sister again. You will let this fearful secret die and be buried. You will never speak of it to a living being."

"Why will I not?" I haughtily answered.

"Because," he said, "you are in my power. I can swear that no one but you and I know of the arrac root."

"Well, what of that?" I retorted, "granting I fed the arrac to the cobra—what then?"

"Only this, Satane," he quietly said, "on the morning after Rex was killed, Williams found fragments of the arrac root scattered by the side of his bed. Some one dropped them there to tempt the cobra. Satane you asked me if the arrac would tempt the serpent as far as the next room."

(To be continued.)

THE ICE HAD VANISHED.

Pleasure of Anticipation All Thirsty Men Got.

"Can you imagine having a burning fever and no ice within a hundred miles?" began the man from Mexico at a dinner the other night.

"Did it give you a foretaste of hades?" asked one.

"No foretaste," he declared; "it was hades itself. I was stricken in a new mining camp in the dryest part of the Mexican mountains. There was no ice; the drinking water was lukewarm and worse."

"There is ice to be had at the coast," said one. And the coast was only a hundred miles away. I offered a fortune for a single piece, and a relay of Indian runners was arranged. They were to get as big a piece as they could carry and run it into the camp with all possible speed."

"I'll wager you enjoyed it?" said the hostess.

"Oh, yes, I enjoyed it. That ice when it reached me was nothing but a steaming hot rag."

About the Limit.

Smith—"Is that Brown who is a candidate for office a relation of yours?"

Brown—"Only a distant relative."

Smith—"Very distant?"

Brown—"Well, rather. He's the oldest of fifteen children and I'm the youngest."

Somewhat Vague.

Doubleday—"I say, old chap, you should get married."

Singleton—"I'm not looking for trouble."

Doubleday—"Trouble! Why, marriage is the end of all a man's troubles."

Singleton—"Which end?"

FARM ORCHARD AND GARDEN



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Packages for Fruit.

The question of fruit packages is one that has received a great deal of attention from our fruit raisers. It is a very important one, as in its solution lies a large part of the question of profit and loss. A package for fruit must be as cheap as possible as it is to be given away with the fruit. On the other hand, it must not be so cheap that it will permit the contents to be injured in transit or in subsequent handling. Prof. Waugh says that the gift package is peculiar to the American trade, by which we may infer that in other countries the fruit is changed into package brought by the purchaser of the fruit, or that the purchaser of the fruit purchases the package in addition to his fruit and at a regular figure. It is certainly desirable to have uniform packages and ones that shall not be under suspicion of the purchaser. Recently the bushel box for apples has come into quite wide use. These boxes are very serviceable in certain kinds of trade. Where the grocer can buy them in large quantities and have them delivered to his customers by his own wagon they are a great help to the trade, as the consumers can purchase the apples in bushel lots. But where a purchaser in the city wants to buy apples from a producer at a distance the bushel box is hardly as good as a barrel, for the reason that the cost of handling the one smaller package is as great as that for handling the larger package. Thus it costs 25 cents to haul a box from the railroad station to a residence, and it would cost no more for a barrel. On the other hand, the box should cost less than the barrel, as it can be made out of almost any kind of wood, while barrel staves and hoops have to be made out of certain materials.

Grass in Orchards.

Only by experience and study can a man know how to apply the general rules of farming. There is no one rule that will apply in all cases. It is generally true that keeping an orchard free of grass and well cultivated is a means of increasing its fruitfulness. Yet even this rule will not work well in all cases. A great deal will depend on the soil and fertility in it, on the trees and their habits of growth, and so on. To set out a young orchard and begin to cultivate it and fertilize heavily would often be the ruin of it. During the first years of the life of an orchard it is often desirable to have the trees grow very slowly. In some soils this end is easily attained by leaving the soil in its natural state, even with no grass to cover, the fertility of the soil being perhaps law. But in a rich soil other means must be used to prevent the trees from feeding too grossly. A cover of grass will help to do this. Not only will the roots take up part of the fertility in the ground but also part of the moisture. What is left will prove enough to give the trees all the growth they should have. Of course even this will depend on the year being an ordinary one. While grass is a good thing to keep out of most orchards, it will thus be found to be beneficial under some circumstances.

Notes on Parks.

It is in response to the universal love of nature that the park system of our country has grown up. The value of a park is four fold, sanitary, educational, commercial and as a resting place.

In the park for comfort give plenty of shade and seats and good grass and liberty to walk on and lay on it if you wish.

Parks are primarily for poor people and should be where they can reach them easily.

The park should be well laid out for it is to educate the taste, and teach us to appreciate the beautiful.

The stranger is always taken to see the park. It is an evidence of thrift and prosperity and an advertisement for any town.

The park question is of vital importance of Iowa. Now while our towns are small in the time to set aside the parks of the future.

The question should be agitated in every town of the state. It is a work for humanity, and its results will be felt long after we are gone.

Grape Rot Prevention.

Warning is now given that spraying at six-day intervals is imperative while weather is so favorable for grape rot; also that it is no longer safe to use the regular Bordeaux mixture except perhaps once on Catawba grapes. Upon Concord and other varieties ripening with the Concord or Soda Bordeaux mixture preferably the latter should be substituted, since the ordinary Bordeaux mixture will coat the grapes too thick.

Grape growers are urged to substitute one of the last named sprays in preference to the Soda Bordeaux mixture, and to persist in spraying until August 15; upon Catawbas one application should be made after that date.

Canning Peaches.

This is the season the housewife is busy canning the winter supply of fruit. Let the good work go on. There is nothing healthier during the winter months than a good supply of wholesome fruits and vegetables, furnished by the orchard and garden. The Farm Journal publishes the following instructions regarding the canning of peaches, and peach time will soon be here.

An easy and successful way to can peaches: Peel, halve and pit them; put a little sugar in the bottom of the glass jars, half fill with peaches, put another layer of peaches and set the jars, uncovered, in a pan of water in the open oven and allow them to heat slowly. When the contents have sunk about an inch, fill the jars with hot syrup and seal. The amount of sugar depends on the sweetness of the fruit, but a quarter of a pound to each pound of fruit is ample and allows enough to make a syrup with which to fill up the jars.

Canned fruits will not mold if carefully prepared. Small yeast or mold plants are constantly floating in the air, and if they fall on top of the fruit, or if the lids placed over the fruit are not hot enough to kill them they will begin to live on the fruit and spoil it. A person cannot be said to be particular or clean in her methods of canning when her fruit molds. Always boil the lids thoroughly, heat the jars and use new rubbers each year, the tops and rubbers should not be wiped after they are scalded.

Dairy Pointers.

Don't worry and heat the cows for if you do they will show it at the milk pail and in the butter fat.

In selecting a dairy cow, see that the teats are set apart, and are of good size. A short, small teated cow is a nuisance to milk.

Cream should always be churned colder in the summer than in the winter, if satisfactory results are obtained.

Don't mix fresh skimmed cream and old cream together and then churn immediately, as the fresh cream will not churn as rapidly as the older cream that has been ripened.

Always stir the cream thoroughly after putting fresh cream with older cream; then it will ripen together.

All dairy utensils and everything with which the milk comes in contact should be rinsed, thoroughly washed and sterilized by scalding with boiling water, and placed in the sun when it can be done.

Bottles used in delivering milk for direct consumption must be thoroughly washed and sterilized with boiling water after each using, to avoid the danger of carrying disease from one house to another.

The Dairy Cow.

The dairy cow has been rightly styled "A factory for turning out goods." The average scrub cow found in many of our dairy herds is turning out on an average of about 3,500 pounds of milk per year. To run such a machine costs the farmer approximately \$35 per year, and the dairy products from such a source sold at good prices, places the profits on the wrong side of the ledger column.

By weeding out the poor cow and by judicious selection the vacancy is filled with a cow that, instead of yielding 3,500 pounds of milk, gives from 7,500 pounds to 10,000 pounds per year, and costs no more to feed or care for than it does the poor cow, and the sales of butter or milk are doubled.

We believe in economizing on the farm wherever it is possible to do so, but at the same time it is our opinion that it is not economy to try to keep well bred animals or poultry on short rations. What, at first, seems to be economy, may in the end prove quite disastrous. We remember of hearing of a poultry man who commenced economizing the rations of his flock. Corn was dear, wheat scarce and the idea struck our friend that he would reduce the ration by mixing at least 25 per cent saw dust. At first it seemed to work well. He, of course, was elated and soon increased the sawdust until it was 50 per cent and his poultry apparently were thriving. But the time of incubation was soon at hand, and when he had occasion to remove the first few hens that had set, he was surprised and chagrined to find that at least half of the eggs had hatched out woodpeckers, and the balance had wooden legs.

Why does not every stockman, especially dairymen, have a silo? It supplies succulent feed in winter and during the droughts of summer. It furnishes a very cheap feed, saves the entire crop, enables the farmer to keep twice as many cattle as any other method of storing feed, prevents harm from a change from dry to green feed, etc. All this added advantage is gained without special effort or expense. A silo is easily and cheaply built. It requires no particular skill to fill one. There is no good reason why anyone who has stock should be without green feed the year around.

Conserving Soil Moisture.

In July and August, when the sun evaporates moisture from the garden very rapidly, how to conserve the moisture is a subject in which many people are interested. The plan of conserving moisture by an earth mulch made by frequent cultivation may be the best one when growing farm crops, but for the gardener who practices an intensive system and who plants so closely that large quantities of water are required, the moisture which can be conserved by an earth mulch is not sufficient for the needs of the plants. During a drought of two weeks in August, I have had plants wilt to the ground, although an earth mulch was kept around them. I suppose everyone who has cultivated the soil has noticed the difference in soil as to absorbing and retaining moisture—how sandy and gravelly soils rapidly lose their moisture after rain, when exposed to hot sunshine, and that loam full of humus absorbs and retains water like a sponge, and under the right treatment conserves a constant supply of moisture for the growing plant.

Water is the vehicle that makes soluble and conveys the plant food in the soil through the structure of the plant; hence the plant cannot make a large growth without an adequate supply of water. Few people realize the large quantities of water needed in hot dry weather to supply the loss from evaporation and transpiration of plants. An ordinary plant leaf contains 10,000 pores to the square inch. Through these pores the plant is constantly transpiring in the hot days when the sun shines, and in a closely planted field the water pumped up from the soil through the roots by this process is two to four pints of water per square foot in twenty-four hours, or from 50 to 100 tons per acre. This is in addition to the water which the soil loses by evaporation and percolation; hence we see the importance of conserving all the moisture the plant gets from its natural sources, and supplementing it by irrigation when circumstances permit. Even in the very best soils, the gardener who plants closely, must late in the summer, when the plants are large, to obtain the best results use means of conserving the moisture, or providing more than the soil gets from its natural sources.

Big Berries.

We heard recently of a shipment of strawberries where each berry was the size of an egg. This starts a chain of thoughts reaching from the little wild strawberry of our fields to the mammoth affair of a century hence. We do not know the limits of the possibilities as to the development of size. During a few centuries we have seen both plants and animals enormously increased in size through breeding and selecting. Compare the little wild crab apple with the mammoth Wolf River apple. And what is beyond the Wolf River apple? Perhaps an apple twice its size. The difference between the full grown wild strawberry and the one the size of an egg is not so great as the difference between the wild crab apple and the Wolf River. We may expect from decade to decade to see an increase in the size of strawberries. This fruit is very susceptible to development on account of the universality of its cultivation and its character as an annual. Tens of thousands of growers are to-day developing new varieties of this fruit, and it will be very queer if some of them do not find a prize now and then. The object of all the experiments is to grow big berries and lots of them.

No Apples Scab-Proof.

George P. Clinton, of the Illinois Agricultural College, in an article on apple scab, says: There appears to be no such thing as a scab-proof variety. Various writers have recorded observations showing that certain varieties have been more severely injured than others and there is no doubt that this is the case. It is very likely that such differences are due in large part to the thinner or more easily-punctured cuticles of the scab-prone varieties. The writer has also observed that scab is a lover of neglected orchards—orchards which have not been properly sprayed, pruned, or cultivated—and that it seems to be less abundant on very young trees, especially where such trees are isolated. This latter is probably due to less favorable conditions for original infection.

Keep Land Productive.

Don't let any land lay idle. If it will produce nothing but poverty grass, put geese on it until it can be enriched.

If it stands in mud and water, raise bullfrogs.

The two dollars a dozen that frogs sometimes bring is the same kind of money we use every day.

If one has not the ability to operate every foot of his land it is best to sell the surplus and put the money to bearing interest, or use it to improve the remainder.

SUICIDES ON "BLUE MONDAY."

Good Reason for Housewives Being in Bad Spirits.

A scientist who has made a study of suicides has discovered that more women commit suicide on Monday than on any other day of the week.

Monday, "Blue Monday" as it has long been called, is one of the most trying days of the week for women who are housewives, principally because it is "washday." Breakfast is usually served earlier than on other days and more hastily prepared. The children are early hurried off to school and dinner is often "picked up." "Blue Monday" is the one day in the week when a housewife's troubles, hard work, and annoyances seem to come all at once. Hence the significant name for the first working day of the week.

Not a Stockholder.

People who are compelled to travel on the street cars when they are so crowded that many have to stand with sympathies with the Philadelphia who finally decided to make a determined protest. He accordingly called at the office one day and expressed his sentiments in plain and vigorous terms. "Who are you, who dare come here and talk like this?" asked one of the officers of the corporation. "Are you one of our stockholders?" "Not on your life," said the man. "I'm one of your strap-holders."

A German Farmer's Case.

Rich Fountain, Mo., Aug. 17th.—Rev. Joseph Pope of this place is widely and favorably known as a clergyman who has done and is doing much for his people. He is very much beloved by everyone for the faithfulness of his pastoral work.

Rev. Mr. Pope has given for publication a statement made to him by a German farmer who is a member of his congregation. The man's name is George Hoellner, and he has given Rev. Mr. Pope this letter:

"Last winter I suffered very much with Rheumatism. I could neither walk nor ride on horseback nor do any farm work."

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British Investments Abroad.

The great increase that has occurred in British investments abroad is apparent in some figures mentioned by Mr. Ritchie, a few days ago, in the house of commons. Income tax statistics, he said, showed that whereas in 1881-2 our income derived from investments abroad was £30,000,000, ten years later it was £54,000,000, and in 1901-2 no less than £62,000,000.

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London Regulates Autos.

London cable: Mr. Long, who is in charge of the bill in the House of Commons regulating automobile traffic, will propose an amendment permitting a maximum speed of twenty-five miles per hour.

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Is Killed for Resisting Arrest.
Arcola, Ill., special: Policeman Jas. Hudson shot and fatally wounded Thomas Spielman while resisting arrest. The coroner's jury exonerated Hudson. Public sentiment is divided.

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Are you awfully tired? With play, little girl? Weary, discouraged and sick? I'll tell you the loveliest game in the world—Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

FIRMNESS WHICH FAILED

A FOXBIDDEN OUTING AND ITS SEQUEL.

YOU cannot go, and that settles it!" said Alfred Saylow, loudly.

If a bolt from the heavens had descended in the midst of the little group seated about the breakfast table it would hardly have created more consternation.

Julia Saylow, stout and impressive, put down her coffee cup with a deliberation and eyed her husband in open-mouthed wonder.

Violet and Mignonette pushed back their chairs as if a second outburst would precipitate immediate flight, and looked anxiously at their mother.

Only Willoughby, the nine-year-old scion of the house, retained his composure to any extent. He was accustomed to violent surprises in his daily walk and recovered himself quickly.

"Why not?" he asked, boldly. "Because you can't—that's why," returned his father sharply. "You all hear me, don't you?"

It was quite evident that he had been heard, although no reply was forthcoming. The girls feebly played with their food; Julia's face underwent various changes of color, which finally settled into an aggressive red; and the boy broke into a long whistle of bewilderment.

"Will, you may leave the table," said Mr. Saylow, sternly.

Willoughby gazed thoughtfully at him for a moment, then seized a slice of toast and vanished. He had seen that in his father's eye something reminded him of an almost forgotten hour of sadness, closely associated with the flinging of a strap. So he went.

"He meant it," he ruminated as he slipped away. "Yes, I'm sure he meant it! What's got into him?"

Saylow was not an imposing figure as he folded his napkin and rose to depart. A thin, undersized man, with much gray in the light brown hair and straggling beard. He stooped slightly from close attention to his desk, and there seemed an air of physical weakness about him, in strong contrast to his portly wife and bounding daughters.

But his usually kind gray eyes, wrinkled at the corners with his perpetual smile of conciliation, were now quite fierce, as he stopped with his hand on the door knob and looked severely at Julia. "You heard me?" he said with emphasis.

When the sound of his quick little nervous steps was heard fading away in the passage the feminine tongues were unloosed.

The repression of Julia now burst forth. "My dear children," she began, rapidly, but impressively. "I trust you observed that I controlled myself. I thought it better to say nothing in reply, nor to open an argument. There will be no argument—we shall go as I have planned. VI, you may invite Edgar; Min, you may order the wagonette from the stable. We shall go. Tell Willoughby. We start at eleven."

"Of course we will go," cried VI. "I know we would all the time. Let's get the luncheon ready."

Trips to the lakes, five miles from the town, had become weekly occurrences. Alfred had sat down to a lonely mid-day meal so frequently that he could scarcely remember the number. And these meals had been occasions of trying thought.

"It cannot go on," he had said to himself again and again. "I do not see what Julia is thinking of. It is too expensive. The bill from the stable is something enormous and they get boats and men to row them and hire fishing tackle. I can't bear to say anything—they enjoy themselves, I suppose—but Julia should know better. She is so thrifty in some ways and so imprudent in others. I do not understand it. I am so out of the habit of finding fault at home that I don't know what to say. I shall lose my self-control some day; I know I shall."

And he had. No one but he knew the volcano smoldering under the eruption—it was but the hiss of the puff of steam from the safety valve of the boiler of a surcharged mind, anxious and worried and shrinking—hating to give offence and having to.

Saylow attended to his business that morning with a certain feeling of exalted emancipation. He had asserted himself. He had not intended to be so cross, but his voice had sounded different from what he meant it should. Still, they had said nothing, and it would be all right by dinner time, and he would exert himself to be very pleasant.

"Going?" queried Willoughby, in great astonishment, when he was notified. "Why, father said we couldn't!"

"Ma says we are, and she is the one," answered VI. "He didn't mean anything. Hurry up, Will, and go over to Edgar's."

"The boy shook his head dubiously. 'I don't know about this,' he said, cautiously. 'He did mean it. They say papa's awful in the office when he gets cross.'"

Though it rains like the rain of the flood, little man, And the clouds are forbidding and thick, You can make the sun shine In your soul, little man—Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

Though the skies are like brass overhead, And the road like a well-heated brick; And all earthly affairs In a terrible whirl; Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

"Oh, come on," laughed his sister; "he is a dear, harmless old thing, and he will be all right by to-night. Run along. We are going to fish to-day, you know. The wind is just right."

"Tell Mr. Saylow that we will be back about six o'clock," called Julia to her maid, as they drove away in style behind a pair of grays. "Give him a good lunch, Margaret."

"It is a lovely day. I almost wish they had gone," sighed Alfred, as he walked into the house at noon. "I had to do it, though. I will try to make it up to them in some other way—why, where is everybody? Hello, Julia, where are you?"

"They're gone, sir. Mrs. Saylow said she expected to be back at about six. Your lunch is ready, sir," announced Margaret, appearing from the kitchen.

"Gone! Gone where?" gasped the man, with a shrinking premonition of the reply.

"To the lake, sir. Didn't they tell you?"

"Oh—oh—yes! To the lake. Yes, I forgot," replied Arthur, instinctively hiding his feeling, while a great wave of anger surged through him. "Serve the luncheon now."

He flew upstairs to his room, closed the door and paced up and down with clenched fists and set lips. The mirror on the bureau reflected a white, strange face, unlike his own.

"I'll teach them a lesson they will never forget," he muttered. "It is high time. I will show them who is master in this establishment."

"Maggie," he said, calmly, "to the girl as he sat down at the table, 'this house is to be closed to-day. Here are your wages and a month extra. I want you to pack up and be gone by five o'clock. You shall have a splendid recommendation—you have been a good girl.'"

Margaret began to weep loudly, with incoherent protests.

"Stop crying, now," said Saylow; "it cannot be helped. Do as I say and leave everything."

"But Mr. Saylow—" sniveled Maggie.

"I'll attend to everything," he replied. "This is my affair, and you must be out by five o'clock. Don't try to talk to me. I will not listen. Go now and get ready."

With the firm belief that she was alone in the house with one demented, the domestic dried her eyes and departed for her little room to pack her small belongings with alacrity.

"That settles Maggie," thought the late Saylow. "Now I will write her a testimonial, and also one to my dutiful wife, lock up everything as tight as a miser's fist and get out myself."

It was a very thoroughly closed door that Alfred Saylow contemplated from the pavement, when, at half-past four, he watched a wild-looking girl take her departure.

A short but impressive note was lying on Julia's little writing desk for her edification, in view of the time when she should gain admittance. Her husband looked cautiously about, mentally noting such articles as might be used for battering rams. He was quite positive that his better half would not delay operations. All the afternoon he had worked in a frenzy of anger. Now he stopped, wondering at himself.

"It's done," he murmured. "Am I fool or not?" A curious reaction possessed him. Thoughts of Julia, of the girls, of Will—a strange medley of their loving ways and tender words and kindly acts, of the homecomings and homegoings of the past, of the trustful look of the slender-faced bride of the long ago, the babies' faces, the burdens and joys borne and shared, rushed through his brain.

He started irresolutely up the steps, his eyes full of tears. Then he shook himself together and walked rapidly away, hardening his soul.

A boy stopped him—a boy who was breathless and panting.

"Here, sir!" he gasped, holding out a paper. "It's from the stable."

"Tell 'em I can't pay that bill to-day. I'm too busy to attend to it!" snapped Saylow.

"No, no," cried the lad; "wait, no bill. It's about your folks. They're all drowned in the lake!"

Saylow clutched the note, glanced at it, and ran, making little moaning sounds like a tortured, dying animal. Five minutes later he was galloping like the wind through the dust on the road to the lake. People yelled at him.

"It's a madman!" they shouted. "Get out of the way!" Then the pounding hoofs and the savage lash of the whip were by and by out of hearing of their shocked ears.

"Thank God and that doctor, Mr. Saylow!" exclaimed the proprietor of the boathouse; "we thought your wife and one of the girls were gone. The young man kept the other girl up and the little fellow swam ashore. Lucky they were close in, and lucky the doctor knew how to bring folks to cross."

TO PUT DOWN FLIRTING.

They're all right now, I think. All in bed up at the hotel.

Alfred leaned against him, white and trembling. The rough man covered his eyes. The other was praying aloud, a strange, incoherent mixture of heartfelt words. Presently he stopped with a long breath. "They must stay at the hotel to-night," he said. "I'll go there now if you'll lend me your arm. Send their wagonette home, Bob. I'll ride back. I think Mr. Lovell had better stay here, too, to look after them. Our girl had to go away suddenly, and they'll be more comfortable here. I'll drive out in the morning and get them, and I'll send out everything they need this evening. I have some business I must attend to and I may not be able to come myself."

Saylow sat by Julia's bed for a long time, holding her hand in happy stence. She was very weak and glad to stay.

Alfred, a carpenter and a locksmith were busily engaged from seven o'clock until nine. Maggie was recovered immediately and silence purchased with the extra month's wages, but she has been known to say that Mr. Saylow is a queer rascal.

"Yes," said Julia, as she went up the steps the next day on her husband's arm, "we were very comfortable at the hotel, but after all, Alfred dear, there is nothing like the comfort of one's own home. Why, what's that in the corner?"

"Oh, nothing," answered Saylow, meekly. "I had a man in to mend some of the doors. They squeaked, you know, and the locks needed mending."

"Yes, they did," said the wife. "I'm glad it's done."—New York News.

IMPROVING SMALL HOMES.

Movement to Promote the Material Aspects of Home Life.

The American Institute for Social Service has named delegates to attend the international housing congress, which is to be held in Paris from July to November, and the purpose of which is to arrive at the best plans for making the homes of the working people, more especially the poorer classes, more beautiful, convenient and attractive without imposing serious additional burdens on the occupants. It is expected that in this long continued congress the whole subject, from the standpoint of the working people, the landlord, the tenant, the philanthropist and the municipal and State governments, will be reviewed and considered. Much good should result from the world over from such deliberations.

This subject is one to which the people of this country should give special consideration. The working people of the United States live better than those of any other nation in the world, but so they should. They are better paid. The opportunities for general education and refinement are within the reach of a much larger proportion of the population than in any other country. The inducements for individual ambition are greater in this free, democratic land than in other parts of the world. Yet there is scope for great improvement in the domestic environments of a very large class of American working people, and it should be the business of all those who, through the obligations of special fortune or those of official position can do much to promote the social order, to give this subject attention.

A little direction, given in the right spirit, will help amazingly those who have little art in helping themselves in the improvement of the material aspects of home life. The matters of sanitation, cleanliness, order, furnishings and decorations, both in the house and on the premises, can be greatly promoted through a measure of encouragement. These things do not necessarily make living more expensive, nor do they increase the burdens of home keeping. A house once in order may be kept in order with but little daily attention.

But the greatest aid and incentive to better standards in the home is higher standards in the municipality. A city that has well-paved and well-kept streets, good sidewalks, plentiful shade, fine parks, handsome boulevards and abundance of water at cheap rates, a perfect sewer system and a public-spirited administration will not only inspire civic and individual pride in the hearts of its residents, but it will also invite the better classes in all the walks of life. People who seek new and permanent homes take into consideration the general advantages of a city as well as the immediate interests of their business or profession.—Kansas City Star.

Turtles.
Of the several orders of reptiles, turtles are the least repulsive to most people. Among them, however, may be found those which may not be handled with impunity. I shall never forget my first interview with a snapping turtle. I was engaged in fishing for eels in a brook, when I "had a bite," a good one, and to my joy I hauled out on the bank a kicking, struggling, four-legged creature with a mud-colored, moss-covered shell and with horny spikes on the upper edge of his tail. I put out my hand to remove the hook, a beat pin, when the wicked head shot out like a streak of lightning and the jaws came together with a snap. Luckily my fingers were just out of reach, or I might have lost one or two of them.

The flat-shelled painted turtles, and the round-shelled spotted turtles, and in fact nearly all our common turtles with the exception of the snapping and the alligator-snapper, may be handled and examined without the slightest fear. Most of them are water-turtles, and feed chiefly on animal food, but the interesting box-turtle lives upon the land and feeds chiefly, if not altogether, on vegetables.—Woman's Home Companion.

TO PUT DOWN FLIRTING.

There is an Anti-Flirtation club in St. Petersburg, which, as its name implies, is to prevent wanton trifling with the affections of susceptible young people in the Russian capital and elsewhere. At a meeting recently there were present thirty-seven young men belonging to the higher ranks of society, who exchanged a solemn promise to refrain from the pernicious habit and to prevent others from flirting. Those breaking their promise must contribute for charitable purposes \$500 the first time and \$2,500 the second time. After the third offense the guilty one will be expelled from the club, and may only be readmitted after the expiration of one year.

Modern Dancing.

Rev. Reginald Campbell, of the London City Temple, during his voyage to America on the Campanian, said a number of amusing things. One of them concerned dancing. A young girl asked Dr. Campbell if he did not consider dancing graceful. "Professional dancing," he replied, "is, I admit, graceful enough in some cases. But what is there of grace in the dancing of amateurs? A man and a woman, close together, spin solemnly about a room; the man's long black coat's flap. Such persons always look to me as if they had been hired to dance, and were doubtful if they would get paid."

Kissing Law in Serbia.
The Servians have a curious custom of giving a parting kiss to their deceased friends before final burial, and the observance of it has caused a serious epidemic of diphtheria. The police prefect of Belgrade has accordingly issued stringent orders against the custom, prohibiting it for the present, however, only in case of those persons who have died from that malady.

Wonderful Marlon.
Dr. H. L. Bonner of Marion, Indiana, claims to have the biggest appetite of any man in the world. He began one of his recent meals with a 5-lb steak and twenty-four hard-boiled eggs as an appetizer. Then he went on to a 10-lb steak, fourteen cans of cold oysters, and half a pound of cheese. He is still alive.

The Italians are wise before the act, the Germans in the act and French after the act.—Italian proverb.

THE SALESWOMAN

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Hiram Stocking favored the Sun office with a couple of dozen of Wild-geese plums a few days ago. Thanks—come again—Stockbridge Sun.

Wonder if Hiram stumbled onto those plums or did he come up with them while on a wild-geese chase?

In the Kline house, one of the burglars lost a cuff-button of a peculiar pattern. It is thought may help the officers in getting on to the track of the burglars.—Ann Arbor Argus.

Yes, very likely. The burglars will no doubt wear that odd cuff button as a shirt stud on an expensive full dress bosom. Look for it.

A prominent farmer wants us to make it known that a small amount of clean lard robbed in a horse's ears will keep from the ears all flies, large or small, and save the animal untold suffering and annoyance.—Tecumseh News.

We have seen people we thought were putting this in practice but never horses.

The sixth annual reunion of the C. Church family was held at Hagen's landing, August 8, with about 100 in attendance. After partaking of a sumptuous repast, a fine program was rendered. Members of the family attended from all over the state.—Jackson Citizen.

We were under the impression that there were not enough of the Crouches left to get together in a reunion; but Hagen's landing may be an accessible place for them to reach for all we know.

The dark and dingy front walls of the prison are being brightened and changed by the application of a wash of light grey. The prisoners are doing the work, and the wash applied is said to be lime, cement and water. The residence and office portion of the prison has had the exterior brightened by a light grey paint.—Jackson Patriot.

The impression is prevalent that a prison has to make no special effort to put the best side out, and so this application of white wash must be sort of extra best.

Jean A. Krohn, a reporter on the Boston Globe, who calls himself "Sallor Jean" and is making a trip on foot to every state capital in the United States, was in town, Monday, en route via Jackson to Lansing. He is making this long march of 22,000 miles for a purse of \$5,000, providing he completes his trip in 31 days. He is pushing a queer wheelbarrow contrivance that he calls a "rolleyette," which carries his clothes and a small tent.—Tecumseh News.

If he finished the stunt his friends need no longer wonder what he is Krohn about.

Henry Hawley, Jr., and his able assistants, E. and Roscoe Abbing of Canandaigua, claim the championship for hay-balling. Last week they made seven piles and drew the press ten miles, made seven sets and baled out seventy-nine tons and 1,645 pounds of hay, and would have finished an even 80 tons but could not open another stack on Saturday afternoon. Bales averaged 225 pounds in weight. Next.—Adrian Press.

There are some hay balers in this neck of the wood. If you can raise this send in your story.

Citizens of Ann Arbor, have invented a scheme to prevent squirrels from destroying the pear trees. They tie two bands of sticky fly paper around the trunk, one a short distance above the other. They claim that if they pass the first paper they will not pass the second and they are very shy about trying one of these trees a second time. They are not all stickers.—Saline Observer.

A squirrel having passed one band would certainly have another to cross or recross which the Observer says they would do, therefore a squirrel trap can be made on the side of a tree with sticky fly paper.

Miss Edna Durcose, of Toledo, while fishing off the Huron river bridge at Lakeland, last Saturday had a narrow escape from being drowned. Upon getting the fish near the top of the water she became so frightened at the size of it that she fainted, and fell off the bridge into the river. This revived her, and as she came up the second time she caught on the bridge and managed to hold on until help arrived. During the melee some kid saved the fish while she took delight in eating for her Sunday dinner.—Ann Arbor Argus.

We congratulate the fish editor of the Argus. He ought to have his pay raised.

The State Tax commission has ordered several Northville business men to appear before them and say why their assessments should not be raised. Among them are Carpenter & Hoff Bros., B. Cohen, Geo. C. Hineson, John Steers, T. J. Perkins & Co., A. B. Smith and Murdoch Bros. That about the size of the tax commission. It hunts around after the little fish and lets the big ones escape. The Northville merchants are assessed at nearer cash value than any Detroit or Washtenaw merchants, will bet a dollar on that.—Northville Record.

This is another pertinent illustration of the saying: "A bit bird flutters." If the Northville merchants can say why their assessments should not be raised we'll bet a dollar, also, that they will say it and mighty sudden, too. But of course if they can't—but that's another story.

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There has many so called professional games of base ball been played that would not compare with the one played Saturday between the Junior Stars and the Crescents of Detroit. It was ball playing all the way through and no excuses need be made because the teams were juniors. From the standpoint of local baseball enthusiasts the game was ideal. First came the opening with a brief period of unsteadiness, then followed the brace and a plucky, persistent, uphill fight that kept down the opposing score and added little by little until the score was tied and then passed, and then allowing no let up until the last opponent was out and the game was cinched. It was a game to stir enthusiasm and command interest from start to finish.

With the possible exception of the first innings there were no bad spots. Each side played the game and the better team won by about the margin at which it is entitled to win over its opponent. Every department of the game was in evidence. Rogers pitched a top notch article of ball but at the same time his support had plenty to do and in nearly every instance did it well. But though the pitchers were good, yet, at the same time so was the batting. The hits on the part of the Stars were especially opportune and demonstrated that they have climbed out of the slump in this particular that has attended them so long. Seldom a better exhibition of the run-getting department of the game is seen than in fifth innings when the Stars tried the score. Two men were on bases but two were also out and whether or not scores should be harvested depended entirely on Dorr Rogers. He rose to meet the emergency in fine style and set the crowd wild with a coking two bagger and was scored later by a hit from Raftery which also was very timely. The batting, too, of McLaren, Holmes, and D. Rogers again in the seventh inning was a real ball playing. One man was out. Then the Crescents began to fill the bases. Then came a hit but it was handled in time to catch a runner at the plate and then directly after another was nailed at third trying to steal and the side was retired without a run when at least two seemed all but certain. It was one of those situations brilliantly handled that makes base ball what it is.

The Crescents are a fine lot of boys and conduct themselves in a fine manner on the field and the patrons of the game will be pleased to see them here again.

The game was a warm one as this team has beaten the Plymouth Stars two games, the last by a score of 18 to 5. The game will draw a large crowd and as the price remains at 15 cents, 10 cents and 5 cents. It is hoped the people will turn out well.

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that no one crosses the plate. In the sixth inning he went up against a little hard luck and a couple of runs were chalked up for Plymouth, who again scored three in the seventh putting them one ahead of the Stars. But they scored one in the eighth putting them even with Plymouth. Each scored three runs in the ninth, Cook batting for BeGole and Bessiel batting for C. Rogers. As the score was tied at the end of the ninth, the 10th inning was begun with Plymouth at bat and Bessiel in the box for the Stars. They scored two runs on a base on balls and errors by Raftery and Rogers. But Bessiel struck out their two best batters showing good form. Then the Stars went to bat with the do or die spirit, and Bacon the first man up led off with a hit, followed by a single by McLaren on which Bacon reached third, McLaren stole second, and Raftery scored Bacon by a single, and then McLaren stole home while the first baseman was trying to dig the ball out of the dirt. Then Bessiel struck out making the third out. Capt. Jolliffe then asked the game be called on account of darkness to which Manager McLaren consented. Outside of the good pitching of Rogers and Bessiel the features were the work of Dorr Rogers at short who accepted 11 chances out of 13 and Bacon who pulled down four difficult flies. For Plymouth W. Smith of Wayne did good work in the field and at bat.

JUNIOR STARS
McLaren, r 6 1 1 0 0 0
Holmes, s 5 2 0 2 1 0
D. Rogers, s 4 1 1 4 7 2
Raftery, 2 6 1 2 4 0 2
C. Rogers, p 4 0 0 0 4 0
G. BeGole, l 2 3 2 9 0 6
Steinbach, c 3 0 1 0 1 0
BeGole, m 4 0 1 1 0 0
Bacon, l 3 2 2 4 0 0
Cook, m 1 0 0 0 0 0
Bessiel, p 2 0 0 0 0 0

PLYMOUTH
Jolliffe, l 5 1 0 1 0 0
Smith, 2 5 1 2 3 1 1
Fitzgibbons, s 6 1 0 0 3 0
Tonecray, l 2 2 9 0 1
Riggs, m 6 2 2 1 0 0
Whitner, c 5 1 2 12 1 0
Moore, r 3 1 1 0 0 0
Wood, p 5 0 1 1 3 1

ABRHOAE
J. Stars 0 0 3 1 0 0 1 3 2 10 14
Plymouth 0 0 0 0 2 3 0 3 2 10 11 2

Two base hits, Raftery, BeGole and W. Smith. Stolen bases, Stars 12, Plymouth 9. Bases on balls off Rogers 3, Bessiel 1, Off Wood, 4, struck out, by Rogers 4, Bessiel 2, by Wood 9. Hit by pitched ball, Rogers 2, Wood 4. Umpire Blackner. Time 3 hours. Attendance 500.

HALL NOTES.
The Stars have scored 338 runs to their opponents 106, during the present season, winning 26 games out of 32 played.

The Everetts of Detroit will be here for a game Saturday afternoon. They are the strongest team in Detroit their last victory being over the American Blower Co's. base ball team by a score of 11 to 1. The game will be a warm one as this team has beaten the Plymouth Stars two games, the last by a score of 18 to 5. The game will draw a large crowd and as the price remains at 15 cents, 10 cents and 5 cents. It is hoped the people will turn out well.

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By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered in favor of Henry Chase against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of West German Portland Cement Company, a Michigan corporation, I did, on the eighth day of July, A. D. 1903, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said West German Portland Cement Company in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to wit: All those certain places and parcels of land situated in the Township of Lima, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, known and described as follows: Southeast one-fourth (¼) of section thirty-three (33), in Township one (1), south of Range four (4), east and east one-half (½) of the southwest one-fourth (¼) of section four (4), in the same Town and Range, containing one hundred seventy-eight and forty-six one hundredths (178 46/100) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, as the law directs, at the west door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, is held), on Saturday, the twenty-ninth day of August, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss.
In the matter of the estate of George Boyd, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned Homer H. Boyd, administrator of the estate of said George Boyd by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw on the Fifteenth day of July, A. D. 1903, there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the dwelling house on the premises hereinafter described in the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, in said State, on Saturday the Fifth day of September, A. D. 1903, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of the said deceased or at the time of such sale) the following described Real Estate, to-wit: Situated in the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, viz: Lot number four (4), block sixteen (16), E. Congdon's third addition to the Village of Chelsea aforesaid, according to the recorded plat thereof, all occupied as one parcel and used as residence property, with two story frame dwelling house and additions covering the center portion of said lot with frame barn thereon and other outbuildings, well, etc.
Dated, Chelsea, Michigan, July 27, 1903.
HOMER H. BOYD,
Executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

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