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The Republicans in County Convention Prepare to Make an Aggressive Fight at Detroit Convention.

A full delegation from Chelsea was in Ann Arbor Friday, and met with many others, returned from every township and ward in the county, in the republican county convention which had gathered to name 21 delegates to the state convention at Detroit, June 30, and also 21 delegates to the state judicial convention at Saginaw, September 7. The convention met in the court room at the court house and was called to order by George S. Vandewalker, chairman of the county central committee who immediately called Dr. R. S. Copeland to preside as temporary chairman. Dr. Copeland in accepting the honor thanked the county committee and convention in the following unusually good convention speech:

I return most hearty thanks to the County Committee for this token of confidence. Party feeling is most intense national election years and I feel especially honored that at this time I should be chosen to preside. Many in this convention are more deserving, but I accept the temporary chairmanship with appreciative thanks and will do my best, in an honest desire to please my party colleagues.

Since it is presidential year, it is fitting that, at the opening of this convention, some brief reference be made to the party at large.

One who takes such a view-point as enables him to inspect the whole horizon of the Republican party is attracted immediately by the exceptional qualities of its presidential candidates. For some reason issues have centered about individuals. When a great national problem has presented, the party has said: "Where is the man who bears closest relation to this question?" This was eminently true of the first convention.

Before considering that first gathering I desire to very briefly review some of the events immediately preceding it. William H. Seward once said "the Pacific is to be the chief theater of the world's activities."

What a prophecy and how fully realized in our own generation! Disregarding its islands, consider for a moment one state bordering on that ocean, California, for instance, with its thousand miles of coast line. What wonderful development that commonwealth has shown!

The exports to our possessions in the east, to China and Japan, in 1902, from San Francisco alone amounted to forty-eight millions of dollars. The value of California products in that year amounted to over three hundred million dollars. But aside from the wealth of the state itself, how different would be our position today, as a world power, did the Rocky mountains mark the confines of our western border!

Long before we dreamed of the importance of securing territory to perfect the symmetry of our geographical position, Mexico had entrenched herself in that region and made the Pacific Slope all her own. Early in the last century, in that characteristic, insinuating, quiet, self-satisfied way, Russia thought to glide in and possess herself of this strategic territory, as she seeks to take Constantinople, and as she thought to take Manchuria. By the way, in that last moment she found the Asiatic Yankees with wide open eyes dancing in the glitter of shining rifle barrels!

In the meantime, the topography, the geography, the agricultural and mineral possibilities of that land of promise had been discovered, explored and appreciated by an ambitious and energetic young lieutenant of the United States Topographical Survey. He was quick to see the importance of the territory. Distracted by the Mexican war, America had no time to consider her rivals among the nations of the earth. But for long, England had gazed with envious eyes upon the palms and the live oaks, the cypresses and the redwoods of the golden shore. Here was her chance! Stealthily she approached her fleet and had all but accomplished her design, when the daring lieutenant, jealous of his country's prosperity and keenly alive to the strategic value of the Pacific Slope, rushed to the rescue and preserved that day the possession of which has a territory the possession of which has a million times awarded us by the wealth of its gold, that act of John C. Fremont, of blessed memory, prepared the way for the United States to become in commerce and in morals, the world's power of the Pacific! Directly and indirectly that act has done, or will do, as much for oriental development as did Columbus' discovery for the Occident!

Rare indeed is it for any man to be fully appreciated in his life time, but history records this exception to the general rule. The Republican party, born in our own District, desired a candidate who stood for liberty and on all occasions, against slavery. Here was a man who at a critical time had made

a free state and turned the balance of power in favor of freedom. Naturally, the party turned to John C. Fremont and, in 1856, made him its first nominee for the presidency.

Then began the glorious history of a great and noble institution. No wonder the "Fremont Voters," these veterans in the warfare of party supremacy, viewing a land "free from those relics of barbarism—polygamy and slavery," with all Americans enjoying the "liberty of conscience and equality of rights among citizens," guaranteed by the platform of 1856, no wonder, I say, do these veterans point with pride to the fact that they shouted and labored and voted for John C. Fremont. Who wouldn't? Almost am I persuaded that gray hairs, the infirmities of age, and the shadow of the grave would become attractive to us, newer in the faith, could we take with them the right to wear that little badge. All honor to the Fremont voters!

Defeated in 1856, referring again to a Republican platform (most refreshing, most prophetic and most reliable of all political history!) we learn that "the history of the nation during the next four years fully established the propriety and necessity of the organization of the Republican party." Under the leadership of the peerless, the unblemished, the immortalized Lincoln, the party won and the inevitable war began.

Many men in this room know more of the horrors of that conflict than the historian can ever tell. Where is the soldier who witnessed Chancellorsville, Missionary Ridge, the Wilderness, or Gettysburg, who does not dream in nightly agony of the awful scenes which, though enacted forty years ago, are as dreadful now as when the blood in crimson rivers flooded the southern soil? But there was no recourse except to arms. The Democratic party had procured from a supreme judiciary, fixed in its interest, a decree that slavery existed by force of the Constitution in every territory of the United States, paramount to all legislative authority, either within the territory or residing in Congress.

Such was the Democratic party of which Seward in his great Rochester speech said: "It has no policy, state or federal, for finance, or trade, or manufacture, or commerce, or industries, or internal improvements, or for the protection or even the unity of civil or religious liberty. It is positive and uncompromising in the interest of slavery—negative, compromising, and vacillating in everything else. It boasts its love of equality and wastes its strength, and even its life, in fortifying the only aristocracy known in the land. It professes fraternity, and, so often as slavery requires, allies itself with proscriptions. It magnifies itself for conquests in foreign lands, but it sends the national eagle forth always with chains, and not the olive branch in its fangs."

With such inhumanity no wonder the boys in blue fought as they did and enabled the Republican party to recover to freedom the lost territory and to reunite the severed nation!

But it is not alone in a glorious history a generation old, that we commend to the voters of this great party, the merits and claims of this great party. We need not point to the achievements of Lincoln, of Grant, of Garfield, or the martyred McKinley. (McKinley!) at the mention of this name there seems to arise a blessed incense of an unsullied manhood, an unselfish citizenship and a matchless statesmanship), but we need not stop here. In the presidential chair today is one of the most unique characters in all history. Had Republicanism done nothing more for the United States than to develop and place in power one such president it would deserve the plaudits of all our citizens. Young, energetic and scholarly as Alexander Hamilton; stable, resolute and tenacious as Geo. Washington; fearless, bold and determined as Andrew Jackson; pure as William McKinley, and uncompromising as Grover Cleveland, he embodies all the qualities of former leaders and must be included among the statesmen of the world. Such is Theodore Roosevelt, the standard bearer of the Republican party!

This is the man who has dared enforce the Sherman law, who has frightened nearly to death the unlawful corporations and sent the trusts into such a delirium as portends an early, but timely departure to that country from whose bourne no traveler returns. This is the man who has cut the Gordian knot and made possible the building of the Panama Canal, an enterprise destined to set in motion a million spindles and to darken the skies with the smoke of thousands of new manufactures, supplying the demands of trade and commerce heretofore beyond the possibility of our endeavor.

With Theodore Roosevelt reelected and a Republican Congress, made up of men of such sterling qualities as our own Townsend, the future is bright indeed.

We are sent here today to select delegates to the State Nominating and the State Judicial Conventions.

Our county, conspicuous as an educational center, has very appropriately been represented in the State boards for the regulation and maintenance of the educational institutions. R. F. Johnson, now one of the Judges of the supreme court of the Philippine Islands, Continued on eighth page.

SWUNG ROUND THE CIRCLE

SIGHTSEEING FOR THE STANDARD

Mr. Davis Takes a 24 Mile Drive With R. F. D. Carrier Gorman Over His Route of High Hills.

On Friday of last week a representative of The Standard took a trip with R. F. D. Carrier No. 3, Ed. Gorman, over his route, through the townships of Lima, Dexter and Lyndon, covering a distance of a fraction over 24 miles. Leaving the postoffice in Chelsea the route runs east on the Dexter road to what is known as Bowen's corner, then south to the school house at which point the route turns east for a mile, then north to Dexter road where a slight turn to the north along the shore of Four Mile Lake to the end of the road where a turn is made to the west by the farm known as the Warner homestead. Next along the north shore of Johnson lake by the Conlan and Greening farms, following the shores around Island lake to Lyndon Center where a turn is made southward and followed to the end of the road then the mail carrier again turns eastward to the road that turns south by the farms of McGuire, Wheeler and Wilsey, thence west and south to the starting point.

Among the most noted improvements was the new cottage on the farm of H. J. Hininger, extensive repairs to the dwelling on the farm of John Lucht and the new barn on the Clark estate. On most of the farms many rods of new fences have been built.

On the farm of Frank Leach men were at work finishing the installation of a new wind mill and the mail carrier as he passed by was greeted with a report as if a cannon had been fired off. But Frank says that it was a charge of dynamite that he used to blow up a stump. The crops on the farms along the route, except wheat, all look well and give promise of a good yield.

The roads along almost the entire distance need more or less repair but if one is not looking down for trouble but looking up to take in the hill scenery—rewards by a sight at all kinds of it. Among the most interesting points noticed is a mammoth spring that breaks out on the farm of John McKune, just east of Lyndon Center that made its appearance last year. It is claimed that water at this point was known there before. The stream is about 8 inches in diameter and the capacity of the flow if estimated would equal a barrel of water per minute.

Mr. Gorman pointed out many points of interest among which was one on the farm of Michael Staphish where the spring election of 1838 was held and at which a small riot resulted. So that, even in the earlier time, politics were not devoid of some excitement. Miss May Gorman and Archie Clark both have branched out a chicken fanciers and have installed at their homes incubator and brooders for the better handling of the work they have before them.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI

Preparations Going Forward for the Giving of an Elaborate Banquet—Many Attractions Provided.

The alumni association of the Chelsea high school is preparing for its annual gathering which this year will be made more than usually elaborate and interesting.

The banquet will be held Monday evening June 27 after commencement in the parlors and dining rooms of the Congregational church. The ladies of that church will cater.

An interesting toast program has been prepared and there will be a number of excellent musical attractions as well. There is to be an orchestra and taken all in all those who gather will pass a highly enjoyable evening.

AN OUTING FOR THE FACTORY BOYS

The Glazier Store Co. have announced to their employees a Fourth of July vacation beginning Thursday, June 30th and lasting till July 5th. A round trip ticket will be presented to each employee as a vacation remembrance which will enable all who care to attend the Republican State Convention to be held in Detroit. This arrangement will necessitate discontinuing the regular Saturday half holiday for the next two weeks.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Matthew Jensen wishes to thank her neighbors and friends for their many expressions of sympathy in the way of kindnesses and flowers tendered and for the music of the choir at the time of the death and burial of her mother Mrs. Fischer.

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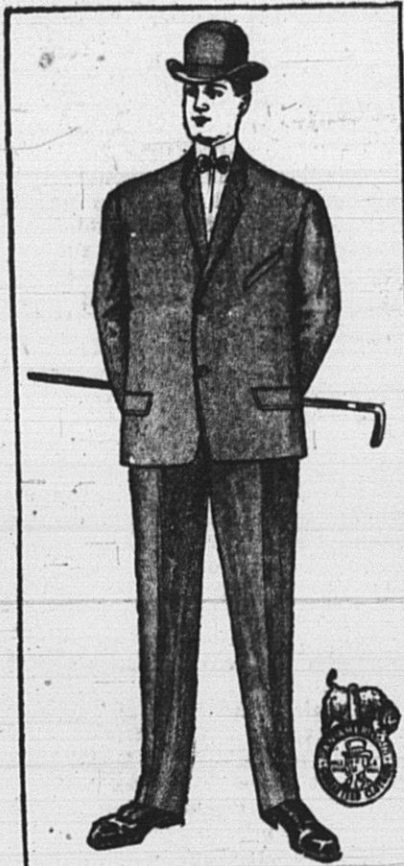
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THE SEA.

Come down with me to the moon-let sea,
Where the long wave ebbs and fills—
Are these the tides that follow
As the lunar impulse will?

Nay, rather this is the heart of God,
Naked under the sky,
And we hear its pulse with wonder—
The shore, and the clouds, and I

Unearthly, awful, uncompeled,
Eternity framed in clay,
The urge of exhaustless passions
Rocking beneath the gray!

Its life is the blood of the universe
Through cosmic arteries hurled,
With the throbs of its planet pulses
God feels the veins of the world!

And the lands are wrinkled and gray
With time
And scored with a thousand scars,
But the sea is the soul of the infinite,
Swinging beneath the stars!
—Frederic Lawrence Knowles in New
England Magazine.

LEONARD CAWTHORNE'S HOMECOMING

BY FRED J. COX

As Leonard Cawthorne walked down the narrow lane under the shade of the overhanging hedges, he glanced about him with an eye of sober delight. The surrounding landscape was precisely that which had always formed the background of his dreams when at nighttime in his lone Canadian ranch, current of his thoughts had involuntarily set home-ward. As he remembered it as a boy, as he had dreamed of it as a man, so the picture remained, true down to the smallest of its details, even to the wisps of straw caught by the projecting eaves of the hedges when the corn-laden wain had passed.

It was in such a setting that he had always thought of her. Indeed, the landscape without her would for Leonard Cawthorne's eyes at least have lost more than half its charm.

Presently the corn lands ceased, and the lane broadening out ran by the side of undulating meadows to the village of Nethercot, lying in the valley below.

Nethercot farm lay back from the roadway, just at the edge of the village. As Leonard walked on the path which led to the house a troop of early memories crowded in upon him. He had a clear right to a share of the property after their father's death, but Mark seized everything with that grasping nature of his and soon made it plain to Leonard that his room in Nethercot would be preferable to his company. Feeling this, like a sensitive man he had resolved to emigrate, and this resolve was industriously fed by Mark, who lent him £150 to start ranch life in Canada. Fortune had smiled so pleasantly upon him that the repayment of that sum was now, after fifteen years, quite an easy matter.

He knocked at the door, which was presently opened by a round-shouldered figure of a man, who with one hand held aloft a small metal lamp and with the other shaded his eyes and peered at the stranger.

"Well, Mark! You'll hardly know me, I guess?"

"Oh, it's you, is it? You'd best come in," answered the other.

He led the way into the farm-parlor, a large room meagerly furnished, for the illumination of which the glimmer of the little lamp was absurdly inadequate. Leonard took a chair facing his brother and leaned his arm on a round table, ridiculously small to serve as the centerpiece of so large an apartment.

"Well, Mark," he said, "how've things gone with you all these years?"

"A nice brotherly welcome!" cried Leonard, bitterly. "I see how it is. The sooner I'm out of Nethercot the better it will please you. I won't trouble you long, but before I leave your house to-night I've determined to settle up a little business with you."

"What business?" asked Mark.

"Look here," exclaimed Leonard, laying a bundle of bank notes on the table.

"Just then the click of a latch at the back of the farm was heard. Both men started. The door leading from



She only nestled closer to him. The farm kitchen into the parlor now opened and a woman entered, bearing a lamp which at once gave a cheerier aspect to the room.

She was fairly tall, apparently a little over 30 years of age and dressed becomingly in black. Dark brown curls clustered above her forehead, and her eyes as they glanced inquiringly at Leonard Cawthorne had a rare sweetness of expression.

He rose quickly as she approached and held out his hand. "Thirza!" he cried.

"Why, it's Leonard!" she said in a voice that was tremulous with excitement. "How well you look and how glad I am to see you back in Nethercot again."

"Yes, Thirza, I'm back again," said Leonard. "I wanted to see the old village again. Though perhaps 'twas hardly worth while, for there's not much in Nethercot to interest me now. But there was a little business with Mark I wanted to settle."

"But what business?" she asked eagerly. She glanced across at Mark, who sat crouching in his chair and as she did so her eye caught the glint of gold lying on top of the notes.

"A business which don't concern no one but us two," growled Mark.

"Why be so secret about it?" said Leonard contemptuously. "The fact is, Thirza, I owed my husband"—he noticed that she started violently at the word—"a little sum of money which he lent me when I went away. I've now repaid him—that's all."

Without waiting to hear more she walked over to Mark and pointing to the money on the table, said sternly: "Return that at once."

"But why?" asked Leonard, thunderstruck at her strange behavior.

"It has been paid already. Let us go away," she said to Leonard. She moved quickly to the door, and Leonard, after taking a last look at his stepbrother, left him to his feelings.

"Thirza," said Leonard as they walked away from Nethercot in the direction he had come only an hour before, "there are two things that puzzle me greatly. What is this about the money, and why did you marry—him?"

would at least come in every day and tidy up the place for him. He paid her for this, she said, and it was a great help.

"Better a thousand times be that man's servant than his wife," he cried. "But, dear Thirza, I am still in the dark about the money."

It was some time before she answered.

"It's a long time ago now," she said at last. "He wanted me to marry him and threatened that if I didn't he would do all sorts of things against you. And he was beginning to talk about you in the village, and—"

"So you paid the money to save my good name," broke in Leonard, "daring Thirza! 'Twasn't much of a name to save, but you have a right to it because you saved it. Will you take it for your own, and its owner with it in the bargain?"

For answer she only nestled closer to him, while the stars and the round harvest moon smiled down upon them in benediction.—Fred J. Cox in Chicago Chronicle.

GET YOUR OWN LICENSE.

Old Darcy Was Easy to Please, but You Might Not Be.

Uncle Joe is an old negro on a farm near Chesapeake City, a farm owned by the family whose slave he was years ago. He is a widower, and lately has spruced up to a degree. Not long since one of the young men of the place started for the city, when he was hailed by Uncle Joe.

"Mistah George," he said, sheepishly, "you done goin' to town? You might do a favor foh me."

"Certainly, Uncle," was the response. "What is it?"

"Well, you might—'you might git a marriage license foh me."

The white man was amused; but seeing that the old negro was offended, he said, "I'll get the license sure, Uncle, I'll get it," and rode off.

After attending to his own affairs in town, he suddenly remembered the marriage license, but was nonplussed, for he had not asked the name of Uncle Joe's fiancée. He happened to recollect that he had noticed Uncle Joe around the kitchen a good deal of late, and that Amanda, dusky, fat and 40, and the best cook in the county, always had a delectable morsel reserved for the old man; so, of course, it must be Amanda. Armed with the happy credentials, Mr. George galloped home and handed the paper to the old man, who took it and looked at it. The license was read to him.

"Middy Jones!" he cried, when the bride's name was pronounced. "Why, it ain't her—it's Lize Allen down by de creek."

Here was a dilemma. "Well," said the white man, "there's only one thing to do: You must get another license. It is just \$3 thrown away."

Uncle Joe took the paper, folded it and put it in his pocket.

"I'll done ask 'Mandy to have me," he said; "for I don't think dar's \$3 diff'rence 'tween dem ladies."

Homeward Bound.

There is no sorrow anywhere. Of care, or pain. The stinging hail Beats on our faces like a hail. Green wave curls above the mill. And all the storm's high trumpets blare— Whistles the wind, and roars the sea, And canvas bellows to be free. Spars whine, planks creak—I only smile. For home our keel carries mile on mile.

I bend above the whirling wheel. With hands benumbed, but happy face. Past us the wild sea-horses race. Leap up to seize each twanging brace. Or slip beneath our lifting keel. Dreaming, I see the scudding clouds. And see the long waves topped with foam. Yet heed them not; I'm going home.

Nightly our Northern stars draw nigh. The Southern constellations sink. Soon we shall see along the brink Of these cold seas, First Island blink Its welcome in the frosty sky. Beyond that light, beyond the glow Of our great city spread below. Thine eyes now wait to welcome me. Back where my heart has longed to be. —L. Frank Tooker.

Woman Had Her Wits With Her. Lawyers are so prone to demand answers to embarrassing and relevant questions that when a sharp witness can pay them back they get nothing but their deserts.

A middle-aged woman once stood in court as a minor witness. Among other trivial questions of no bearing on the case the counsel for the defendant asked the witness to state her age.

"Sir," said she, "I refuse to answer that question."

"But you must," persisted the lawyer; "why won't you tell the Court your age?"

"Well," replied the witness, "my age I only know by hearsay, and hearsay evidence is never taken in court."

Dogs Know the Road Rules.

On the trail through Bonanza valley, in the Klondike, dogs are used as pack animals, and dog trains are commonly met with by the traveler. The dogs make better time than donkeys. They carry little canvas bags across their backs, filled with freight. Dogs used for packing are much larger, as a rule, than sled dogs.

A miner will invariably step aside when he meets a dog on the trail. If the man is going up, the dog will take the siding. The dogs appear to understand the laws of the trail as well as the men do, and the miners respect the rights of the dogs just as the Turks respect the sacred dogs of Constantinople.

Wine from Missouri.

Missouri is not often thought of as a wine-producing state, yet recent statistics compiled by the State Board of Agriculture show that the state produces annually more than 100,000 gallons of wine, and that more than 13,000,000 pounds of grapes are raised each year. These figures apply to the products which are shipped out, as no record can be kept of the large amount of both grapes and wine that are produced for home use.

GALLOW'S HILL TO BE A CITY OF HOMES!

(Special Correspondence.)

Gallows Hill, which for more than two centuries has frowned over Salem, the city's Calvary, where some of its best and purest were butchered in a sudden frenzy of bigotry and superstition, is to be blotted from the face of the earth, its surface covered with homes and its very name to change.

Happy homes will rise, where once stood the gallows trees, with their ghastly burden of dead, and the laughter of children will ring where once resounded the shrill cries of despair from the wretched women hanged as witches, whose pleas for mercy and protestations of innocence were hurled back with curses by the spectators of New England's greatest tragedy.

The horror of that dark episode in Salem's history has brooded over the place and while other parts of the city have built up, Gallows Hill has still presented the same barren, forbidding aspect as it did a hundred years ago. Long years ago the old oak tree on which the eighteen victims were hung

looked upon as grievous sin by the Puritans. Tituba, the Indian servant, joined the children in these unhealthy sports, and taught them what she knew of Indian charms and spells.

The girls began to talk mysteriously of their hidden powers, and then suddenly found themselves the objects of universal interest. They feigned illness and dazed, while gaping and sympathizing neighbors gathered to console and to admire. They talked rudely in church, interrupting venerable clergymen when preaching or praying, fell into fits, and the more they pretended, the greater was the sensation they created, and finally the whole New England colony was stirred by tales of the "afflicted girls."

Witchcraft was, of course, believed to be responsible for their condition, and some malevolent spirit pointed out the dreadful power over human life which they had in their hands, and when questioned by the elders of



Faith Monument, Plymouth.

decayed and was burned up in one of the early Fourth of July bonfires. The stump of the tree was pointed out less than a score of years ago, but even that is gone now. Yet the place is still terrible to the youth of Salem, and few are the lads brave enough to walk over Gallows Hill at night, for fear of some ghostly hand seizing them or hearing the cracked voice of one of the old cronies who died beside the saintly Rebecca Nurse.

"Salem has been famed too long as the place where witches were hanged, and we are sick and tired of hearing about that miserable business," said one of the leading merchants of Salem. "The sins of the fathers have certainly been paid for by the children in this case, and it is time for the memory of that unfortunate fit of crazy superstition to die away. Indeed, our city fathers and public men must have been more or less bewitched themselves before they could have placarded the whole town with signs telling just where the men and women lived who were hanged for witchcraft; where they were tried and where they bought their broomsticks, and everything connected with the wholesale murders. Somewhere in the Bible it tells of a people 'whose glory is their shame,' and I guess who over wrote that was thinking of Salem."

Just who was responsible for the tragedy has never been decided and will not until the victims and accusers face each other before the great Judge on the day of judgment. Rev. Samuel Parris, pastor of the First Church in 1692, is accused by some historians of a devilish plot to be revenged on some of his parishioners for withstanding him, by having their dearest relatives accused of witch-

craft. Others say that the grim, stern Puritan life was responsible; the distorted forms of amusement to which the children were driven, striking the spark, which the gloomy religion and credulous superstition of the time and the locality fanned into such furious flame.

In the winter of 1691 a circle of young girls began to meet at the home of Rev. Samuel Parris, and for lack of other games began secretly to practice palmistry, and other arts

the church they declared that they had been bewitched by Tituba, Sarah Good and Sarah Osborn. The storm had burst, and Salem's frenzied persecution of innocent women raged from that time until the following fall, nineteen persons dying on the gallows or crushed to death by stones, two persons dying in jail, and a vast number suffering all the tortures of a death sentence, although reprieved at the last moment, when the people came back to their senses. Sarah Osborn was taken from a sickbed to die in jail, under sentence of death. Rebecca Nurse, old and infirm, and of a beautiful Christian life, was executed on Gallows Hill with seven others. Rev. Mr. Noyes counting her as one of "the eight firebrands of hell hanging there." Giles Corey, whose testimony helped to send his good and gentle wife to the gallows, was himself crushed to death beneath heavy stones.

Finally the people's frenzy grew to such a height that no one was safe. Because Increase Mather, president of Harvard college, tried to check the tide, his own wife was accused of being a witch, and so was Lady Phibbs, wife of Sir William Phibbs, governor of the colony. The executions took place in July, August and September, but with the executions on Sept. 22 the tide turned, and the wickedness of the group of young girls was revealed. Gov. Phibbs abolished the special court appointed to try the witchery cases, and such a court never again sat in any country in the world, nor ever will.

Strange to say, the young women were not punished, except by public abhorrence and the torment of their own consciences. The clergyman who was thought largely responsible for



Gallows Hill.

the stain on his country, his church and humanity, was turned out of the church and died some years later in Sudbury. Salem prospered, grew and flourished, lost its ancient prestige and much of its former wealth, but Gallows Hill has for 216 years remained unchanged, and with its merging into the life of the community the superstitious folk still left in Salem believe that better times will be ushered in for their city, and the curses of centuries be lifted.

Married Life in Abyssinia.

In Abyssinia, a husband who can afford the expense is continually adding to his household of wives. As soon as his favorite begins to pall on him he deposes her for another. The new wife rules the house, dictates orders to the other wives, who, strange as it may seem, obey her without open remonstrance. If any of the former favorites ever cared for their lord they soon cease to be jealous of his affections. They know, too, that time will surely come when they will be turned out into the streets to look for another master.

Show Surgical Operations.

Cinematograph records are now made of all operations performed by a certain famous physician and surgeon in Paris. He entered some time ago into an arrangement with an operator of the bioscope, who has taken pictures for the doctor on several occasions. It is stated that the records in question are invaluable as scientific documents. One of the surgeon's operations which has been cinematographed was that by which the link of flesh connecting the Hindu twins, Rodica and Doodica was severed.

Old Soldier's Story.

Sonoma, Mich., June 13.—That even in actual warfare disease is more terrible than bullets is the experience of Delos Hutchins of this place. Mr. Hutchins as a Union soldier saw three years of service under Butler Barke in the Louisiana swamps, and as a result got crippled with rheumatism so that his hands and feet got all twisted out of shape, and how he suffered only a rheumatic will ever know.

For twenty-five years he has been in misery, then one lucky day his druggist advised him to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Of the result Mr. Hutchins says:

"The first two boxes did not help me much, but I got two more, and before I got them used up I was a great deal better. I kept on taking them and now my pains are all gone and I feel better than I have in years. I know Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure rheumatism."

When gratitude goes up it never comes back empty-handed. Fewer married men than bachelors commit suicide.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio, sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Films of soap bubble have been measured of a thickness of the four-millionth part of an inch.

Mrs. Winalow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

First Child—"My father's got so much money he doesn't know how to spend it."

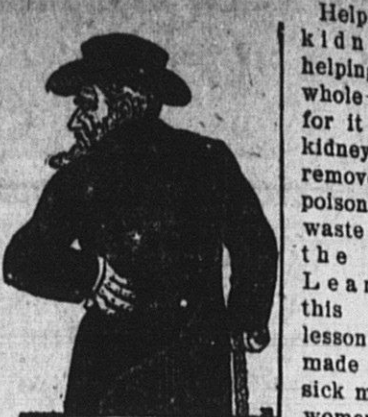


Miss M. Cartledge gives some helpful advice to young girls. Her letter is but one of thousands which prove that nothing is so helpful to young girls who are just arriving at the period of womanhood as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM.—I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly, for it is the only medicine I ever tried which cured me. I suffered much from my first menstrual period, I felt so weak and dizzy at times I could not pursue my studies with the usual interest. My thoughts became sluggish, I had headaches, backaches and sinking spells, also pains in the back and lower limbs. In fact, I was sick all over. "Finally, after many other remedies had been tried, we were advised to get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am pleased to say that after taking it only two weeks, a wonderful change for the better took place, and in a short time I was in perfect health. I felt buoyant, full of life, and found all work a pastime. I am indeed glad to tell my experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for it made a different girl of me. Yours very truly, Miss M. CARTLEDGE, 533 Whitehall St., Atlanta, Ga."—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

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Maple-Flake
Crisp
Wheat Flakes
With Maple Flavor.

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Helping the kidneys is helping the whole body, for it is the kidneys that remove the poisons and waste from the body. Learning this simple lesson has made many sick men and women well.

Judge A. J. Felter of 318 So. E. St., San Bernardino, Calif., says:—"For 18 years my kidneys were not performing their functions properly. There was some backache, and the kidney secretions were profuse, containing also considerable sediment. Finally the doctors said I had diabetes. Doan's Kidney Pills wrought a great change in my condition and now I sleep and feel well again."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Judge Felter will be mailed to any part of the United States. Address Foster-McIlburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers; price 50 cents per box.

Germany Densely Wooded. Germany is probably the most densely wooded country in Europe. Over one quarter of the entire area of the empire is covered with forest.

This Will Interest Mothers. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Cure Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the bowels and destroy Worms. Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N.Y.

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Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Silent men seldom contradict themselves.

RED CROSS BALL BLUE. Should be in every home. Ask your grocer for it. Large 2 oz. package only 5 cents.

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I swear that I shall suffer between us." "She has been near—I swear power on each Axel—seize The servants have striven had they been "Now, girl, raised the v degrade you nothing can you of defy The lash It was a rage and it

DARKEST RUSSIA

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CHAPTER VII.

Ilda Barosky.

There appeared for a moment a young girl, bearing a violin and bow—it was only for a moment—between the two servants, Azof and Hanajka. With a quick gesture she threw aside the servants, and with flashing eyes and head erect she advanced to the center of the room.

"Who is responsible for this outrage—this insult? Who is master here?" she demanded, in quick, impassioned tones, while her face indicated the terrible excitement which possessed her.

Paul Nazimoff advanced quickly. "Stop, girl! You forget yourself and who you are. You were commanded here by me—Paul, Count Nazimoff."

"Who and what is Paul, Count Nazimoff, that he should command me?" she demanded, in quick, impassioned tones, while her face indicated the terrible excitement which possessed her.

Count Nazimoff, by his command had thrown down the gage of battle, and Ilda Barosky—for it was the girl's daughter—had taken it up. Two strong natures were in conflict. On the one hand stood Paul Nazimoff, rich, powerful, noble, accustomed all his life to command and to be obeyed, and now humiliated, if beaten, in the presence of all his guests.

On the other, the young girl, proud, laughing and unbending, her woman's pride stung to the quick by being thrust like a serf into the midst of the brilliant throng, and commanded to play, as a master commands a slave. It was not hard to see that hers was a nature that never would yield to force, not even if resistance meant the loss of life itself.

How was the battle to end? "I shall not obey you!"

The words that ended the young girl's speech kept ringing in the ears of Paul Nazimoff. "I shall not obey you!"

No such words had ever been addressed to him before. Could he believe the evidence of his own senses? Surely everybody in St. Petersburg knew that he, of all the great nobles in the capital, was the one whose autocratic ways were best known. All his guests knew it—and yet here, an unknown girl, a humble musician, dared to stand before him, under his own roof, and to fling in his face the bold defiance, "I shall not obey you!"

Paul Nazimoff's face, flushed before, now turned to a ghastly white, and his eyes seemed to turn to coals of fire. He no longer shouted. He appeared calm, but it was the calmness of the tiger about to spring on his unsuspecting victim.

"And I swear—the words came slowly, with a hissing sound, from between the lips—"and I swear you shall obey me. You forget who I am. I am Paul, Count Nazimoff!"

"And I swear I shall not obey you. I am Ilda Barosky, the daughter of an exile, and I shall not play 'God Save the Czar!'"

No one spoke. The strain was fearfully intense. Paul Nazimoff shook for a moment as the tree shakes when it feels the first blast of the hurricane! The storm was now beyond control. He forgot himself, his guests, his position, manhood, nobility—all—everything. With an oath he snatched the whip from the hands of Hanajka and raising it advanced a step toward the girl.

"Father!"

"Count Nazimoff!"

The two expressions rang out as one—the first by Alexis, the other by Cobb.

Alexis was first—he seized the uplifted hand. "Father, you must not!"

"Must not! Must not!" shouted Nazimoff. He fairly thundered now. Rage had de-throned Reason. "Stand back!" he shouted. "Stand back, for

with devilish resolve, looked into the face of Ilda Barosky.

She never moved. There was no sign of fear, whatever she may have felt. She looked defiance.

"Take hold of her arms and compel the bow to cross the strings!" fairly screamed Nazimoff, as he again raised the whip.

The servants obeyed. Paul Nazimoff held the whip uplifted. "It is the last time," he yelled. "What will save you now?"

"This will!" The answer of Ilda Barosky, shrill and clear as a trumpet sound, rang out, as with a quick motion she raised the violin far above her head, and before any one could prevent, dashed the instrument into a thousand pieces at the feet of Nazimoff!

He was baffled—beaten. There was a gasp as he made a motion with the whip. Cobb and Alexis sprang forward to avert the blow, but it was needless. The whip fell from his hands and he fell forward. The strain had been too much, and the next moment he was unconscious.

With a quick motion Alexis sprang to the side of the girl. "Quick, come with me," he said in a low voice, as he grasped her by the arm. In all the confusion Cobb seemed to keep his mind. "Get her away," he urged Alexis, and at the same moment he supported the stricken count to a low couch where several physicians among the guests attended him. A moment consultation and they decided that it was nothing serious. Paul Nazimoff was suffering from the effects of a shock and overtaxed nerves. It was all right. A few hours rest and he would be quite himself again.

With a word of apology to the guests for the unhappy affair that had brought the festivities to such an unpleasant termination, Alexis bid good night to such as remained. Cobb he asked not to leave him.

Alexis Nazimoff, immediately after the departure of the last of the guests, retired to his own room, accompanied by General Cobb. He was laboring under intense emotion, and it was some minutes before he became sufficiently composed to trust himself to speak. When he became somewhat calmer he turned to the American, and putting out his hand as if to ask for friendship and sympathy, said, in a voice that still indicated the intensity of his feelings: "Cobb, my late was decided to-night!"

Cobb was about to answer, when, with a movement, Alexis stopped him, and in an impassioned strain broke out: "You do not know—you do not know that she who stood before my father to-night—she whom he would have degraded by the lash—is the woman I love—the only woman who will ever be my wife!"

To say that Cobb was astounded mildly expresses it.

He sat amazed and expectant, not knowing what to say. Alexis went on: "Three years ago I first met her, when she was a pupil at the Conservatory. She had appeared before a brilliant assemblage, and won the admiration of all by her wondrous beauty and her genius. I sought and obtained an introduction to her through the Baroness von Rhineberg. I loved her madly, passionately, devotedly—I loved her then as I love her now. I offered her my name, I asked her to become my wife."

Cobb started. He had anticipated a different avowal, and in his mind had framed a reply to Alexis. But he was not prepared for this.

"Ilda refused," continued Alexis, "unless I could gain my father's consent. My marriage with her, she urged, would be a blow to my fondest hopes of military distinction; would ostracize me in St. Petersburg, and would alienate the affections of my father. All this was true, but I cared nothing for it. I begged, implored her to listen to me—to give her consent. I offered to resign my commission in the army, to leave Russia with her, to make, in short, any sacrifice—but all in vain. My father heard of my love for her and we had a stormy scene, which ended in my leaving the house. I went directly to see Ilda—she was gone! In vain I sought her everywhere; she had disappeared as if she were no longer on earth. A week later I received peremptory orders to proceed to the frontier and join the Don Cossacks for a campaign in Turkestan, and a short time after my arrival in Asia I received a note from my father that a marriage had been arranged between Olga Karsicheff and myself, the ceremony to take place on my return to St. Petersburg. Broken-hearted at the loss of Ilda, I made no objection, and you know the rest. I never saw Ilda Barosky from the time I left St. Petersburg until to-night. Now all my love has returned with tenfold strength, and I swear that no other woman shall ever be my wife!"

"But your father, after to-night—" "He does not know that it was Ilda—he never saw her. Carried away by his rage at her refusal, he knew no cared not who it was that dared to thwart a will that all through life had never been gainsaid. To-night, and Alexis arose, "to-night has decided my fate. I am going to find Ilda Barosky—I am going to make her my wife! I am going to ask you—"

A knock at the door interrupted him. "Come in!"

A servant entered, and bowing respectfully said a word or two, and in

answer to Alexis' quick response withdrew to reappear a moment later with a soldier wearing the uniform of the same regiment as that to which Alexis belonged.

Then followed a few words of dialogue in a language Cobb could not understand, and the soldier withdrew.

When they were once more alone Alexis turned to Cobb. "I am going to trust you fully and freely," he said. "My servant has just returned, having followed Ilda to her destination. I know where she is and I am going there to-night. If my father should awake, I ask you, in the name of our friendship, to make such explanation of my absence as will cause him no uneasiness until my return."

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THE ODD CORNER

Which Foot Walks the Faster?

You may think this a very foolish question to ask, but is it? There is no catch about it. It is a simple demonstration, a fact which you can prove to your own satisfaction in a very few minutes.

If you will take any pavement that is clear of other pedestrians, so that there shall be no interference, and walk briskly in the center, you will find that before you have gone a hundred yards you will have veered very much to one side. You must not make any conscious effort, of course, to keep to the center, or you may do it; but if you will think of something and endeavor to walk naturally it is a hundred to one you cannot keep a direct line.

The explanation of this lies in the peculiarity of one foot to walk faster than the other. Or, to be more correct, perhaps it should be said that one leg takes a longer stride than the other, and this, combined with the quicker movement, causes one to walk more to one side than the other.

It is well known, for instance, that if one is lost in the woods, the tendency is to walk in a circle and eventually to return to about the starting point. This demonstrates the fact, also, that one foot walks faster than the other.

You can try an interesting experiment in this way if you will place two stakes in the lawn about eight feet apart, and then stand off about sixty feet, allow yourself to be blindfolded, and endeavor to walk between them. You will find it an almost impossible task, because one foot will go a bit faster than the other, either to the right or left. Now, which one of your feet walks faster than the other?

Making Steel Vibrate. A scientist once said that, given proper appliances, he could break an iron girder by pelted it with pith balls—using the law of gravitation, he meant. You know what pith is—the soft, central part of cane.

This learned man never tried the experiment, but here is one which you may try, by means of which a bar of steel may be caused to vibrate through the dropping of water.

Place the bar, which must be thin and flat, upon supports of wood, triangular in shape. Let the support be one-fourth of the way from the end of the bar.

Set a water cooler on the edge of the table, the faucet directly above and in the middle of the bar. Cause it to vibrate by pressing up and down with the hand, and then set the water dripping in unison with these vibrations. Allow the dripping to continue and you will soon see movement in the steel. That is, if you watch very closely, for, of course, it is tiny as can be.

Lebanon Cedar in England. A famous cedar of Lebanon, which for more than 220 years has guarded the southern entrance of the old Chelsea physic garden in London, has just been cut down. In 1683 four Lebanon cedars, the first ever planted in England, were successfully introduced into the physic garden. Two of the trees flourished for nearly a century and then were removed.

Child's Wonderful Escape. The 2-year-old child of Mr. Levesque of Lewiston, Me., fell from a fourth story piazza downward head foremost. The piazza below is wider and there is a wire strung clothes reel set upon it. The child in falling struck its shoulder upon the wire and, bouncing back, landed unhurt upon its feet on the piazza from which it had fallen.

Gum Copal Very Old. J. W. Cilley of Winoski, Vt., has a piece of gum copal in which a fly was embedded. As this article of commerce is only found now buried deep in the ground in Africa, where once it nourished on the gum copal tree, now long extinct as a growing vegetable product, the piece is no doubt thousands of years old.

Iron Found in Sand. A curious sight on the coast of Java is a long stretch of shore about twenty-nine miles in length where the sand is filled with particles of magnetic iron. In some places it is said that the surface sand contains 80 per cent of iron. It can be smelted, and a company has been formed to exploit the deposits.

Bird's Pathetic Death. A robin had built her nest in a tree near the home of George C. Downing of Dover, Me., and was setting on some eggs. While searching for food she found a kernel of corn with a long string tied to it, and in the attempt to swallow the string she choked to death, and was sitting dead on her nest.

Lemons of Great Size. E. P. Jewell of Fairfield, Me., has a lemon tree on which there are a number of lemons, one of which measures ten and a half inches in circumference.

Onion Long in Woman's Ear. A Connecticut woman has just taken from her ear a tiny onion which had been there for forty-three years.

Latest Parisian Fad. Paris has a fad which calls for your sweetheart's face on your finger nail.

CATARRH IS THE CAUSE OF MOST KIDNEY DISEASES.

PE-RU-NA CURES CATARRH.



Samuel R. Sprecher, Junior Beadle Court Angelina, 3422 I. O. O. F., 205 New High St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "I came here a few years ago suffering with catarrh of the kidneys, in search of health. I thought the climate would cure me, but found I was mistaken. But what the climate could not do Peru-na could and did do. Seven weeks' trial convinced me that I had the right medicine, and I was then a well man. I know of at least twenty friends and members of the lodge to which I belong who have been cured of catarrh, bladder and kidney trouble through the use of Peru-na, and it has a host of friends in this city." SAMUEL R. SPEECHER.

Catarrh of the Kidneys a Common Disease—Kidney Trouble Often Fails to Be Regarded as Catarrh by Physicians. Catarrh of the kidneys is very common indeed. It is a pity this fact is not better known to the physicians as well as the people.

People have kidney disease. They take some diuretic, hoping to get better. They never once think of catarrh. Kidney disease and catarrh are seldom associated in the minds of the people, and, alas, it is not very often associated in the minds of the physicians. Too few physicians recognize catarrh of the kidneys. They doctor for something else. They try this remedy and that

remedy. The trouble may be catarrh all the time. A few bottles of Peru-na would cure them.

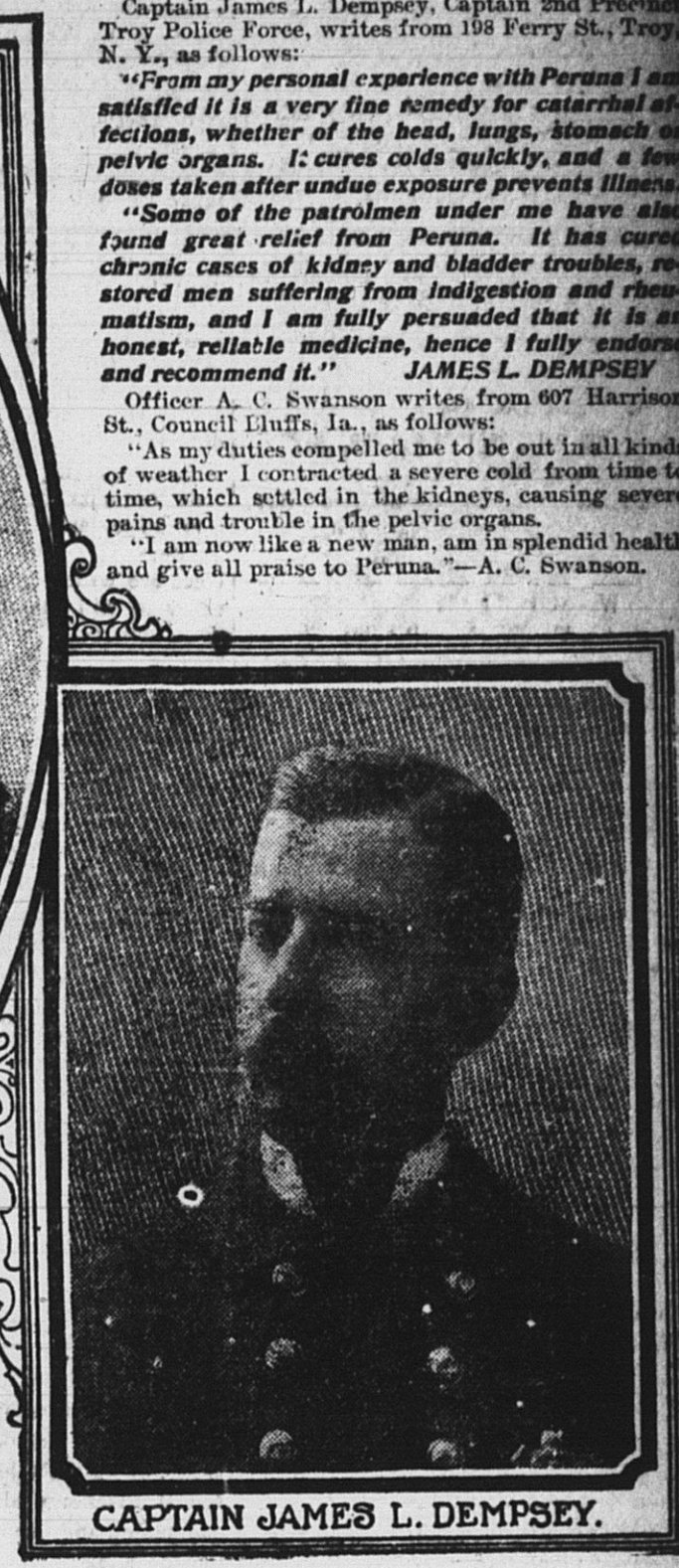
Pe-ru-na Removes the Cause of the Kidney Trouble. Peru-na strikes at the very center of the difficulty by eradicating the catarrh from the kidneys. Catarrh is the cause of kidney difficulty. Remove the cause and you remove the effect. With unerring accuracy Peru-na goes right to the spot. The kidneys are soon doing their work with perfect regularity.

Thousands of Testimonials. Thousands of testimonials from people who have had kidney disease which had gone beyond the control of the physician are received by Dr. Hartman every year, giving Peru-na the whole praise for marvelous cures.

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TO BACK ITS CANDIDATE.

Continued from first page.
and the Hon. Edgar M. Rexford of
Ypsilanti, you will remember, very ably
represented the county, as members of
the State Board of Education.
For many years a distinguished citi-
zen of this city has faithfully served the
state as a member of the honorable
Board of Regents. The splendid record
he made as a soldier and officer in the
civil war, and the equally splendid record
as citizen and business man of in-
tegrity and capacity, made us expect
much of him as a member of this im-
portant body. He has not disappointed us
and we pray for a long continuance
of Col. Dean's useful service to the state.

In the administrative offices of the
capital, Washtenaw, I believe, has never
been represented.
No matter what may have been our
differences at home, Washtenaw has
been unwavering in her loyalty to the
state organization and has faithfully
served the party in a spirit of happy de-
votion. The time has come, however,
when we wish to name one of the lead-
ers who will march at the head of a
victorious army next November. We
have in our midst a charming gentleman,
a man of culture and refinement, a
liberal supporter of Christian and edu-
cational institutions, a captain of in-
dustry, an exponent of republicanism,
and after New Years we propose to
call him State Treasurer Glazier of
Washtenaw county.

There is no halting for republicanism.
We have set a high standard. We are
compassed about with a cloud of wit-
nesses of our past successes and must
run with patience the race that is set
before us. Conscious of our high calling,
let us press forward to victory. In hon-
or preferring one another, let us put
to shame the bickerings and discord
of other political parties and, by perfect
harmony and united effort, make Washtenaw
republicanism known to every
citizen of the Peninsular State. And
wherever that republicanism is known
let it be recognized as the republicanism
of Lincoln and Blaine and McKinley
and Roosevelt and none shall be
ashamed!

At the conclusion of the speech Hon.
John Campbell was chosen temporary
secretary, and Frank Creech was named
as Mr. Campbell's deputy. Two tellers,
Geo. H. Fischer and John Munn, were
also named and the officers of the con-
vention were then sworn by Col. H. S.
Dean.

The following committees were then
named by the chair:
On Resolutions—Hon. A. J. Sawyer,
Chas. Gauntlett, Geo. N. Foster, W. J.
Knapp, J. F. Lawrence.
On Credentials—Hon. E. P. Allen, Hon.
Andrew Campbell, Gideon Hoyt, F. M.
Freeman, Rev. Lewis Pettiford.

On Permanent Organization and Order
of Business—R. L. Warren, George S.
Vandewalker, John Thompson, John
Munn, A. W. Wilkinson.

On motion the convention then ad-
journed until 2 o'clock.
When the convention reassembled at
2 o'clock the committee on credentials
reported no contests and every ward
and township represented.

The committee on permanent organi-
zation and order of business next sub-
mitted the following:

1st—That the temporary officers of the
convention be made permanent.

2d—Report of the committee on cre-
dentials.

3d—The election of one delegate at
large to the state nominating conven-
tion at Detroit, June 30, and one de-
legate at large to the state judicial con-
vention at Saginaw, Sept. 7.

4th—The election of 20 delegates to
each of said conventions. But your
committee would recommend that the
20 delegates to the state nominating
convention, as a matter of courtesy to
Washtenaw county's candidate for state
treasurer, Hon. Frank P. Glazier, be
named by him, and that the 20 delegates
to the judicial convention be elected,
ten each, from the respective county
districts.

5th—That if the recommendation
prevail Mr. Glazier name the delegates
and that the convention then divide by
districts for the election of delegates
to the judicial convention as provided.

6th—Report of the delegates, in open
convention, by Mr. Glazier and the
officers of the respective district con-
ventions.

7th—Report of the committee on res-
olutions.

8th—Impromptu addresses and ad-
journment.

At this point a heated discussion
arose concerning the recommendation
of the committee to allow Mr. Glazier
to name the delegates to the convention
at Detroit. The chief objectors were
Col. Dean and Capt. E. P. Allen, but in-
asmuch as both these gentlemen were
more or less committed to the practice
in times past, their arguments lacked
the force of unselfish devotion to a
principle, and so far as giving Mr.
Glazier the enthusiastic backing of the
republicans of Washtenaw the conven-
tion was for that almost unanimously,
and the report of the committee was
adopted by a rising vote of about 30
against 200 for.

Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer was then elect-
ed delegate at large to the state con-
vention at Detroit, and the same honor
was given Hon. A. J. Sawyer, sr., as dean
of the Washtenaw county bar, to the
judicial convention in Saginaw.
The convention then divided that the
first and second districts might elect

their delegates to the judicial conven-
tion. Upon reassembling, Mr. Glazier
presented the following names for the
ratification of the convention as dele-
gates to advance his candidacy for state
treasurer in the convention at Detroit.
They are:

A. J. Sawyer, John Munn, E. J. Helber,
R. S. Copeland, A. A. Wood, George M.
Gandy, John Thompson, C. W. Tubbs,
John Lawrence, Chas. E. Hiseock, E. E.
Leeland, A. F. Freeman, W. J. Knapp,
A. W. Wilkinson, Andrew Campbell,
Richard Owen, R. L. Warren, Frank
Creech, Martin Wackenhut, W. M.
Fowler.

The representative districts presented
the following list to go to Saginaw in
September and this list was ratified as
well:

John F. Lawrence, John W. Bennett,
Frank A. Stivers, Frank E. Jones, Otto
Luick, Henry Kleinsmith, A. L. Wilber,
A. J. Sawyer, John Schenk, Geo. W.
Sample.

John Kalmbach, Jacob Hummel, E. P.
Allen, D. C. Griffin, Otto Rohm, Andrew
Campbell, John Lawson, Wm. C. Kellogg,
Philip Blum, Wm. Burtless.

As per the order of business the com-
mittee on resolutions next reported.
There were quite a number in the con-
vention who favored an endorsement of
the specific brand of primary reform as
outlined in the so-called Colby bill. A.
J. Waters, of Manchester, was first on
his feet to ask such a modification of
the resolutions, but he gave place to Capt.
Allen who had his ideas embodied in a
written resolution. The discussion that
ensued was spirited and interesting.

The debate seemed to turn on the
point whether or not the convention
ought to commit itself to any one
specific plan for the accomplishment of
primary reform. The convention seemed
argued that greater safeguards should be
thrown around the nominating system,
but the majority were unwilling to go
to the length of saying that all con-
ventions should be abolished and so the
added resolution was voted down.
The convention then adjourned.

LOCALS TOOK A BRACE

The Junior Stars Saturday Demonstrated
That They Have Been Reading the
"Home Run Haggerty" Stories.

Saturday's game between the Junior
Stars and the visiting Winonas from
Detroit was not highly interesting as a
game because it was such easy picking
for the Stars, but nevertheless it afford-
ed encouragement to those friends of
the locals that have been looking for
them to take a brace and show the kind
of a game that will warrant them mixing
in with some fast teams out of the junior
class.

The game Saturday, on the part of the
Stars, was largely of that brand of base
ball. To be sure there were some er-
rors, but only one was of the yellow
sort. The boys all kept their heads with
them and played the game as it is meant
to be played.

The batting was of a kind that creates
enthusiasm and did the execution of a
Japanese canonade. No one scored less
than two safe hits and one made five out
of six times at bat. There were two
double-sackers and one good for three,
and there was only three strike outs.

McCaun was also at his best and with
the control and sharp breaks to his
curves exhibited Saturday would keep
the batters of a strong team guessing.

The visitors only secured five scattered
hits and 15 of them struck out.

In all respects the game showed that
the patrons of M. & B. park will have
some first class and highly exciting en-
tertainment this summer if the boys
keep the pace of Saturday.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E
Junior Stars 4 3 3 1 5 2 3 3 x-24 19 6
Winonas.....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0-2 5 8
Two base hits, Rattray, B. Steinbach;
Three base hits, McCaun. Base on balls,
off McCaun, 1. Struck out, by McCaun
15; by Olenauer 3.

CANDACE A. ELWELL

The Walpole Gazette of June 11 con-
tains the following obituary notice of
the death of the relative of several
Chelsea residents.

Candace A. Elwell, daughter of the
late Lemuel and Sybil Autonton, passed
away Thursday, June 2, of kidney
trouble. Her granddaughters of Chelsea,
Mich., came the Monday before,
having learned of her poor health, and
on Tuesday she took her bed and despite
the best efforts of the grandchildren
and neighbors she only lived until
Thursday afternoon. She was 78 years
of age. Two children were given her,
one dying young, the other marrying
Charles Chandler now residing in Chelsea,
Mich., she preceded her mother a
few years ago. Mrs. Elwell has lived in
the house owned by her father since the
death of her parents; a very devoted
attendant at her church, the Universa-
list, and for many years assisted in the
song service.

The funeral was Sunday afternoon at
4:30, the service being by the Spring-
field, Vt., pastor, he having held a ser-
vice in the Universalist church at Al-
stead 2:30. The late hour kept some
away owing to home duties. The burial
was beside the daughter at the Centre.

Mrs. Louis Ernest, Evansville, Ind.,
Hollier's "Rocky Mountain Tea" is
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NEWSY NUGGETS

FROM
NEARBY NEIGHBORS

MOST READY TO DEDICATE.
Carpenters are at work putting in the
floor and ceiling in the lower part of the
new Masonic building—Stockbridge
Block.

BIG CROWD EXPECTED.
It is now thought that from 25,000 to
30,000 visitors will be in Jackson for the
"Under the Oaks" celebration for July
6.—Jackson Patriot.

NO FISH STORY, THIS.
While fishing in the river with a hook
and line Monday night, Bert Thomas
caught an eel that weighed 6 pounds
and 1 oz. and was 4 feet and 1 inch in
length.—Dexter Leader.

TURNING THE OTHER CHEEK.
If the person who borrowed my wheel-
barrow will make himself known I will
bring him the sideboards also, as the
barrow is no good without the side-
boards. G. H. Lancaster.—Clinton Local.

TO THE UNKNOWN.
Theatrical companies, tramps, and
private actors, by contributions not ex-
ceeding \$1.00, raised \$400 and erected a
marble monument at Durand, to the
memory of the unknown dead who lost
their lives in the circus wreck at that
place last August. It was unveiled on
Decoration Day.—Stockbridge Sun.

OLD CAIN AND JIM CAIN.

A Birmingham paper lately gave a
somewhat extended comment on base
ingratitude and moral degradation of
Cain, in killing Abel. In a few days a
chap came in and asked him to state
that the Cain who committed murder
was not Jim Cain of the Pontiac road,
as he wasn't that kind of a man.—Adrian
Press.

MILL CHANGES HANDS.

Last Saturday Messrs. Gale, who pur-
chased the Grass Lake flour mill at re-
ceiver's sale a few weeks ago, sold their
interests in the property to Messrs. Wm.
Glenn and E. M. Sandford, and the new
proprietors took possession the first of
the week. An experienced miller will
be engaged and the mill will be thor-
oughly cleaned and put in first-class con-
dition.—Grass Lake News.

FOR WASHTENAW.

It is given out that Congressman
Townsend has been promised solid rural
mail service in Washtenaw county. If
that be true, there will be some changes
made in the routes already established,
new routes will be organized and those
who are not served will be put on. This
is a good thing. Every man should
have his mail delivered to him, no mat-
ter if it happens to live in an out of
way place.—Manchester Enterprise.

FUNERAL MAKES A HOLIDAY.

George Hardy, who is serving a life
imprisonment at Jackson for the murder
of Mrs. Leonard in Clarence township
over a quarter of a century ago, was in
Albion last Thursday on his way back
to prison after attending the funeral of
his brother-in-law, Marion Gribble, at
Duck Lake. The prison officials have
so much confidence in Hardy that the
only person to accompany him was
prison chaplain McAlpine. While in
this city Hardy took supper with Mrs.
Chas. Snyder, who was a near neighbor
of the Hardy's before George's alleged
crime.—Albion Mirror.

VAUDEVILLE AT WOLF LAKE.

The Jackson Amusement Co. have
leased the casino at Wolf Lake and will
run vaudeville every day and evening
with concerts on Sunday. They will
have one of the best bands in the country
and will have a new company of differ-
ent artists every week, with vaudeville
attractions. The Jackson Amusement
Co. is under the direction of Dean M.
Seabolt and Oswald Dietz. They expect
that a concert will be given on Sunday
next, and a week after the place of
amusement will open regularly. The
work on the stage will be commenced at
once, and the building will be fitted up
nicely to the satisfaction of the patrons.
—Jackson Citizen.

IMPROMPTU BULL FIGHT.

Much excitement was caused Satur-
day by what threatened for a time to be
an impromptu bull fight with anywhere
in town for an arena. The animal,
which was being led through town, be-
came angry and wanted to charge every-
thing in sight. It attacked its owner,
who pluckily held on to the rope and
kept running round and round a tree
with the infuriated beast a close second,
until the rope was all wound up and the
bull was held so tightly that it could
not escape. A ring was put in its
nose and other means taken to pre-
vent further trouble. Had it succeeded
in getting loose, it would have terrorized
the town and would undoubtedly have
killed or injured some one, as many
were on the streets at the time.—North-
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neys and bowels, stimulate the liver, and
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attending aches vanish under its search-
ing and thorough effectiveness. Electric
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HUMAN BONES DISCOVERED.

Forty years ago George Hewitt, a resi-
dent of Belleville, walked to Ypsilanti to
visit his daughter on Summit street, and
started back in the evening. He was
never heard from again, seeming to have
dropped out of existence. This spring
the floods washed away the river bank
near the old hotel at Rawsonville, ex-
posing some human bones. Justice A. I.
Yeckley found them and investigated
further. The bones were about a foot
below the surface and were covered with
bottles and tin cans. Part of the bones
were washed away, but enough were
left to make sure it was a human skele-
ton. It is thought perhaps this accounts
for the body of the missing George
Hewitt.—Ypsilanti.

A COSTLY MISTAKE.

Blunders are sometimes very expen-
sive. Occasionally life itself is the
price of a mistake, but you'll never be
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Wise people don't sit down and bawl;
Only fools suicide or take to flight,
Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea
at night. Glazier & Stimson.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY
of Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of
the estate of James S. Richards.
Notice is hereby given that in pur-
suance of an order granted to the un-
derigned William H. Locher executor
of the estate of said James S. Richards
by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the
County of Washtenaw, on the 14th day
of June, A. D. 1904, there will be sold at
Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at
the west front door of the dwelling
house situate on following described pre-
mises, in the township of Sylvan in the
County of Washtenaw, in said State,
on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1904, at
10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day
(subject to all encumbrances by mort-
gage or otherwise existing at the time of
the sale) the following described real
estate, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of the north
east quarter and the northwest fractional
quarter of section number seven (7),
town two (2) south, range three east,
except thirty-one acres and eighty-nine
rods off of the south end of the north-
west fractional quarter of said section
seven (7).

Also hereby excepting and reserving
about one-fourth of an acre of land now
used for a burying ground on the north-
west corner of said northwest fractional
quarter of section seven (7).

WILLIAM H. LOCHER, Executor.

TURNBULL & WITHERELL,
Attorneys for Executor. 25

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—
Chelsea Savings Bank.

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of busi-
ness, June 9th, 1904 as called for by
the Commissioner of the Banking De-
partment.

| RESOURCES. | |
|--|---------------|
| Loans and discounts..... | \$ 152,533.33 |
| Bonds, mortgages and se- curities..... | 296,186.42 |
| Premiums paid on bonds..... | 149.00 |
| Overdrafts..... | 1.17 |
| Banking house..... | 30,000.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures..... | 9,826.84 |
| Other real estate..... | 4,000.00 |
| U. S. bonds..... | \$ 2,000.00 |
| Due from banks..... | 88,129.83 |
| Reserve certificates..... | 5,753.32 |
| U. S. and National al bank currency..... | 9,423.00 |
| Gold coin..... | 10,075.00 |
| Silver coin..... | 1,173.50 |
| Nickels and cents..... | 252.97 |
| Checks, cash items, Internal revenue account..... | 68,807.62 |
| Total..... | \$559,851.36 |

| LIABILITIES. | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in..... | \$ 60,000.00 |
| Surplus fund..... | 25,000.00 |
| Undivided profit, net..... | 14,128.62 |
| Dividends unpaid..... | 64.00 |
| Commercial de- posits..... | 62,812.75 |
| Certificates of de- posit..... | 51,610.43 |
| Savings deposits..... | 302,214.13 |
| Savings certifi- cates..... | 143,721.43 |
| Total..... | \$559,851.36 |

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw,
ss. I, Theo. E. Wood, Cashier of the above
named bank, do solemnly swear that the
above statement is true to the best of
my knowledge and belief.

THEO. E. WOOD, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
4th day of June, 1904.
My commission expires January 19, 1908.
PAUL G. SCHAEFER, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:

FRANK P. GLAZIER,
WM. J. KNAPP,
J. W. SCHENK,
Directors.

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made on Sunday date of sale and by
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Is assured by perfect digestion. Indi-
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THE MACCABEE FEAST

The Contest For Membership Resulted in the Victorious Whites Being Tended a Banquet by the Losing Reds.

Maccabees, their wives and children and other adherents to the number of over 400 gathered Monday evening and sat down to a rib distending feast laid out on tables at the town hall.

The reason of this occasion grew out of the contest for membership which began March 10 and ended April 29. At the outset the lodge was evenly divided 85 members on a side called respectively the Whites and Reds. Fred Fuller captained the Whites and Tom Hughes the Reds. The contest was exciting from the start, first one side was ahead and then another and the increasing rivalry resulted in bringing into the organization many who would not otherwise have had the benefits of the order brought to their attention.

On April 29 the contest closed and when the smoke had cleared away it was found that 97 beneficiary members had been added to the Chelsea Tent, and that the Whites had won over the Reds by a narrow margin of four. As per the understanding before the beginning of the contest the defeated side was to give the victorious ones a banquet.

The Reds, true to their agreement, Monday evening invited in their victorious brethren to a banquet that in the matter of all appointments and numbers present is seldom equalled in Chelsea. Other than the banquet there was a fine musical program rendered and speeches were made. Master at Arms of the Great Camp, R. D. Walker, presented Fred Fuller captain of the victorious Whites with a fine emblem of the order which was presented by the Great Camp.

Altogether the contest and banquet has been profitable to all concerned. The membership of the local lodge has been increased until it now numbers over 300 and others are making application for membership.

WASHTENAW PIONEERS.

A Goodly Number of Old-Timers Gathered at Saline for Their Annual Meeting.

The thirty-first annual meeting of the Washtenaw Pioneer Society was held in Saline last week and there was a good attendance from this section of the county as well as elsewhere.

E. W. Hunt, of Saline, president of the society, called the assembly to order at 11:30 with a brief address of welcome. Rev. Springer offered prayer, Mrs. Abby, of Augusta, aged 92 years and past, gave a short talk and recited her first school day essay, or composition as it was then called, after which Mrs. G. L. Parsons sang "And Lang Syne," then dinner was served to about one hundred and fifty. After the dinner hour Prof. Sage, of Ann Arbor, sang "The Old Oaken Bucket" and several other selections during the afternoon, his singing was remarkable for a man past 90. Hon. E. P. Allen gave a short address followed by the necrologist's report showing 143 deaths during the year, 66 men and 77 women. There were 10 deaths of persons over 90, and 40 deaths of those over 80. The male quartet consisting of Chris. Burkhardt, Chas. Sweet, Chauncey Fitzgerald and Geo. Barr furnished several selections during the afternoon.

The election of officers for the ensuing year was as follows: President, Frank Fletcher, of Ypsilanti; secretary, Robt. Campbell, Ann Arbor; treasurer, O. C. Burkhardt, Chelsea; necrologist, W. H. Lay, Ypsilanti; vice presidents, W. Campbell, Ypsilanti; H. Stumpfenhusen, Ypsilanti town; J. Q. A. Sessions, Ann Arbor; R. L. Godfrey, Ann Arbor town; Geo. Rawson, Bridgewater; W. H. Glenn, Dexter; N. C. Carpenter, Pittsfield; J. M. Young, Saline; J. H. McDougall, Superior; Thos. Howlett, Lyndon; M. L. Raymond, Sharon; Isaac Seery, Webster; W. H. Davenport, York; E. A. Nordman, Lima; F. Spafford, Manchester; C. H. Lehman, Scio; B. S. Walker, Salem; Henry Leeland, Northfield. Mr. Ballard, the aged poet of Willis, recited a most interesting poem "In the Days of Long Ago."

Other speeches by Rev. Springer, J. Q. A. Sessions and Mrs. Williams, of Ann Arbor. It was voted that the U. S. flag should hereafter be displayed at the meetings. The next meeting will be held in Ypsilanti in June 1905.

Miss Margaret Conway, teacher of district No. 12, Lyndon was pleasantly surprised last Friday evening by her pupils and a number of friends who called to show their appreciation of her services rendered during the past two years. The evening was spent playing games and other amusements. Light refreshments were served and after enjoying themselves immensely and presenting their hostess with a beautiful gift they took their departure.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

BOLAND ROAD ASSURED.

Work on the Line Now Going Rapidly Forward—Perhaps a Car Will Be Run By the End of the Week.

The Boland road, so far as Chelsea is concerned is now almost a reality. It is probable that the stringing of the trolley wire, from where the third rail leaves off, is going forward as we go to press as the supports for it were nearly ready yesterday. There still remains 34 poles to set from where they leave off until Main street is reached, but those in charge of the work say the setting of these poles will not take long.

The work train, drawn by the locomotive, has this week been in use between here and Grass Lake and it is said that electrical connections have been made with the third rail and the power house at that place.

It has been thought by those in charge of the construction work that a car could be run into Chelsea Saturday evening, but this advent of the trolley car will probably have to be postponed until early next week. Even after it comes to town it will probably require about two or three weeks before the road opens on schedule time. A loop, on which the cars may turn, must first be built just east of town. As soon as that is completed the work of opening the road to Dexter will then be commenced, and if opened to Dexter it is sure to be opened to Ann Arbor. Whether it will then be continued eastward cannot as yet be definitely stated, but construction to Ann Arbor is all but assured.

STEGER-SPIEGELBERG

A quiet wedding was solemnized Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents the contracting parties being Miss Lula Steger and Harvey Spiegelberg, both residents of this place and particularly well and favorably known.

The wedding was a quite one, only a small company being present made up exclusively of near relatives.

After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Dr. Foster the company partook of a wedding supper. Miss Son Wilkinson catering assisted by the Misses Luick and Miller and Messrs. Schell and Benter as waiters.

The guests from out of town were Miss Lillie Steger of Toledo, Messrs. Alvah and Phil Steger of Detroit and Ypsilanti, Mr. George Spiegelberg and wife, and Mr. J. G. Fisher and wife of Dexter.

Following the wedding and supper it was expected that the happy pair would go immediately to their new home on West Summit street. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Spiegelberg about town had laid their plans accordingly and were all prepared to tender a serenade that would gladden their hearts. But the plans went awry. The bride couple unexpectedly boarded an Ypsilanti car and their friends thought they were off on an extended trip. The last electric motor car into town that night, however brought them back and they went unattended to their home when they might have had the band to escort them.

P. S.—Most of the facts concerning this wedding were obtained from the happy groom and he couldn't tell a thing about the bride's dress except that it was white.

WOOD-BLISS

Miss Ione Wood was married to Mr. Roy Bliss Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Wood, Rev. C. S. Jones officiating. The bride was gowned in a dress of white silk.

The wedding was a quiet affair and not a large company present. However there were some guests from out of town who were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Bliss and Aaron Bliss, parents and brother of the groom respectively, of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. William Zinke, of Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ward of Lima, and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Hamlin of North Carolina.

Following the ceremony the company sat down to a supper prepared by Miss Wilkinson and assisted by the Misses Mildred and Blanch Stephens as waiters.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Bliss left for their home in Marshall which was completely furnished and prepared for their coming.

A FINE SUPPER

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve a 15 cent supper at the town hall Saturday evening beginning at 5 o'clock. The menu will be as follows:

Radishes. Onions. Pressed Meats. Baked Beans. Scrambled Eggs. Bread and Butter. Cottage Cheese. Coffee. Assorted Cakes.

Next Tuesday, June 21, John P. Miller, of Chelsea, will be graduated from Detroit College with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. Mr. Miller has made a fine record at college, standing No. 3 out of a class of 16. He has been president and director of the college mandolin orchestra, and very prominent in athletics. The commencement exercises will be held at the Detroit Opera House, and among those who will attend are Rev. Father Considine, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wood, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, and the Miller Sisters. We congratulate Mr. Miller on the attainment of his B. A. degree, and wish him success in whatever vocation he may choose.

The state convention of the Epworth League will be held in Battle Creek June 23-26. Among those who will speak are the Rev. Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus of Chicago, to lecture Saturday night on "John Wesley." Bishop Joseph F. Berry, who will speak a number of times, and Dr. Edwin H. Hughes, president of De Pauw university, who will preach the convention sermon on Sunday evening. Registration and assignment headquarters in Battle Creek will be at the First Methodist Episcopal church. On Saturday and Sunday evenings mass meeting will be held in the big Adventist tabernacle.

Mrs. E. Congdon spent last week in Lansing with her daughter Fannie Gilbert. The State Republican, of Lansing, in its issue of June 7 contained the following item: "Fannie Gilbert was granted a divorce from Anasas Gilbert, the grounds being extreme cruelty. The proofs were heard in this case several days ago but the decree was withheld because the proof of publication had not been filed. This was remedied and the decree was granted."

Mrs. Theodore Swarthout died Wednesday night at one o'clock. The funeral will be either Saturday or Sunday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Oren Thacher was Sunday in Jackson. Archie Stapish was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Miss Mary Haab spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor. Miss May Tuomy of Ann Arbor spent Sunday here.

Miss Nina Giesel was a Detroit visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Holmes spent last Thursday with friends in Ann Arbor.

T. McKune was the guest of Detroit friends last week.

Mrs. J. G. Gibney of Chicago is the guest of her sister this week.

Misses Anna and Margaret Miller were Tuesday in Jackson.

Miss Sophia Schatz is spending this week with Jackson friends.

McWilliams, the insurance man of Jackson, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Negus were in Battle Creek the first of the week.

William Miller of Ann Arbor was the guest of Chauncey Staffan Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Clark of Ypsilanti visited relatives here part of last week.

George Davis of Bronson spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of J. Cole.

Miss Mabel Thompson of Ann Arbor was the guest of Miss Anna Mast Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Davis entertained their son and family of Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Mary VanTyne went to Battle Creek Wednesday to remain until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schultz and children of Ann Arbor spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brenner of Ann Arbor were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Charles Craig of Kalamazoo is this week the guest of his daughter, Mrs. S. P. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ren Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bauer spent Thursday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smith of Manchester were guests at the home of F. E. Richards Saturday.

Miss Minnie Vogel entertained the Misses Caroline and Louise Schlanderer of Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. William Gauss and Miss Louise Gabler of Ann Arbor were the guests of Mrs. William Arnold the first of the week.

Mrs. William Dorman returned the first of the week from a visit to Cresco, Iowa, and to Albert Lee and Fairmont, Minn.

Rev. P. M. McKay left Tuesday morning for Aurelius where he attended a meeting of the Jackson Baptist association.

Mrs. J. W. Stillwell of Bellona, N. Y. who spent several days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. Babcock, returned to her home Friday.

Mrs. Flora A. Radford of Munith and Mrs. Austin of Chicago were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Winslow of Lima Saturday and Sunday.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Names of Pupils Who Have not Been Absent for Thirty Days.

Superintendent's report for the month ending May 27, 1904.

Total number enrolled.....442
Total number transferred.....0
Number of re-entries.....22
Total number belonging at date.....377
Number of non-resident pupils.....28
Number of pupils not absent thirty days.....96.06
Percentage of attendance.....96.06

F. E. WILCOX, Supt.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Carl Kalmbach Cora Burkhardt
Austin Keenan Ruth Barkh
George Keenan Ethel Davidson
Homer Lightbail Lella Geddes
J. Heeschwerdt Guy McNamara
Harry Steadman Helen Miller
Harry Taylor Edna Runciman
Kent Walworth Mildred Stephens
Rudolph Knapp Hazel Speer
Josephine Bacon Anna Walworth
Florence Heeschwerdt

EDITH ESTELLE SHAW, Teacher.

NINTH GRADE.
Edmund Robinson Albert Steinhach
Clarence Weiss Edna Jones
Julia Kalmbach Mary McKune
Beryl McNamara Velma Richards
Bertha Turner Mary Weber
Helen Wilson

VINORA BEAL, Teacher.

EIGHTH GRADE.
Ethel Burkhardt Alice Chandler
Mabel Guthrie Et hel Moran
Francis McKone Helen Schenk
KITTIE PICKETT, Teacher.

SEVENTH GRADE.
Reynolds Bacon Beattie Allen
Vincent Burg Mildred Coak
Rueben Foster Neva Galatian
Max Kelly Mildred Harker
Harold Pierce Agatha Kelly
Meyl Proden Margaretta Martin
Algeron Palmer Elga Maroney
Don Roedel Rena Roedel
Ida Ross V. Schwicketh
Adeline Sprinagle Lucy Sawyer
Myrta Young

MABEL MCGUINNESS, Teacher.

SIXTH GRADE.
Russell Galatian Earl Gilbert
John Long Paul Martin
James Schmidt Leon Shaver
Edith Bates Margaret Eppler
Marjorie Freeman Eva Oosterle
Nina Belle Warner

STELLA L. MILLER, Teacher.

FIFTH GRADE.
Roy Shieferstein George Walworth
H. Riemenschneider Affa Davis
Fannie Emmett Agnes Gorman
Nadie Hoffman B. Hindelang
Mary Hoffman Florence Ross
E. Riemenschneider Jennie Walker
Elizabeth Depew, Teacher.

FOURTH GRADE.

Arthur Avery Cecil Cole
Carl Chandler Paul Kuhl
Willie Kolb Carl Lambert
Theron Foster Paul Maroney
Edith Beeler Neta Fuller
Olga Hoffman Jennie Jones
Alada Merker Esther Schenk
MARY A. VANTYNE, Teacher.

THIRD GRADE.

W. Riemenschneider Donald Bacon
Willie Corey Hubert Winans
Lewis Eppler Llewellyn Winans
George Kaercher Max Roedel
Claude Spiegelberg Margaret Borg
Gertrude Eisenman Olvena Lambert
Amanda Koch Leta Lehman
Artena Lambert Edna Maroney
Ina Limp rt E. Schwicketh
M. Schwicketh Herman J. Jensen
Marie Wackenhut Edmund Ross
Frank Glaque FLORENCE A. MARTIN, Teacher.

SECOND GRADE.

Hollis Freeman Eddie Frymuth
Clarence Grant Roland Kalmbach
Earle Schumacher Harry Glaque
Gladys Beckwith Lila Hagdon
Olive Kaercher Grace Schenk
FLORENCE CASTER, Teacher.

FIRST GRADE.

Louie Burg Esther Beckwith
Samuel Emmett Blanche Grant
Claire Hirth Beatrice Hunter
Lloyd Kalmbach Helena Koch
Lettie Kaercher Harold Kaercher
Edna Lambert Alice Lehman
Ron Muhlock Wyon Shaver
Ruth Spiegelburg Gladys Taylor
Margaret Welch MYRTLE SHAW, Teacher.

SUB PRIMARY.

Letha Alber Lloyd Hirth
Mrs. W. E. DEFEW, Teacher.

NORTH LAKE.

Miss Edna Reade is home for her summer vacation.

A. Gilbert is the present agent for the Deering company.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burkhardt spent Sunday at Chelsea.

Misses Mary and Amy Whalan are spending their vacation at home.

Mrs. Lucy Wood has returned from a two weeks' visit with her daughter in Sylvan.

Miss Nora Reade, who has been at Grand Rapids the last year, is home for a two weeks' vacation.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the church Sunday evening, June 19. A fine program is being prepared.

SHARON.

Miss Ethel Smith was a visitor here last week.

Miss Helen Heeschwerdt spent part of last week in Francisco.

Several from this vicinity attended an auction in Manchester Tuesday.

B. G. VanAennum has gone to Port Huron where he has secured work.

Henry Dresselhouse is spending a few weeks with his son, J. W. Dresselhouse.

The monthly business meeting of the E. L. met at H. B. Ordway's Wednesday evening.

One of John Heeschwerdt's span of colts has been quite sick but is recovering.

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LIMA.

Orla Wood went to Lansing Monday. Mrs. H. Paige has been spending a couple of weeks in Sharon.

Edgar Holden, of Sharon, called at Mrs. O. B. Guerlin's Sunday.

Arthur Brock, of the U. of M., was a guest at C. Hawley's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schanz and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

Chas. Riley and Geo. Cook, of Ypsilanti, Arl. Guerlin and Henry Luick are spending today at North Lake.

UNADILLA.

Emmet Page spent Sunday in Chelsea. Mrs. A. L. Watson visited in Detroit last week.

Mrs. J. D. Watson was in Pontiac last week.

Rose Harris of North Lake is spending this week at home.

Mrs. Noble is entertaining company from Detroit this week.

Bernie Cavender of Bunker Hill spent Sunday at Thos. Gibney's.

Mrs. Edith Hill and sons of Mansfield, Ohio are visiting her parents here.

Children's day will be observed in the Methodist church Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m.

Claude Clements and wife and Chas. Godley and wife of White Oak are camping at Joslin lake.

Rev. Jones of the Presbyterian church returned Saturday night with his bride. He is stopping for the present with Mrs. Janet Webb.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold an ice cream and strawberry social at the home of S. G. Palmer on Wednesday evening June 29. Everybody invited.

Herbert Leon Cope the celebrated humorist and magician of the Chicago Lyceum Bureau will lecture under the auspices of the Methodist church Friday night June 17, admission 15 and 25 cents.

FOR A HUNDRED YEARS.

For a hundred years or more Witch Hazel has been recognized as a superior remedy, but it remained for E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, to discover how to combine the virtues of Witch Hazel with other antiseptics, in the form of a salve. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best salve in the world for sores, cuts, burns, bruises and piles. The high standing of this salve has given rise to counterfeits and the public is advised to look for the name "DeWitt" on the package, and accept no other. Sold by Glazier & Stimson.

GOOD SPIRITS.

Good spirits don't all come from Kentucky. Their main source is the liver—and all the fine spirits ever made in the Blue Grass State could not remedy a bad liver or the hundred-and-one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and a bad liver at the same time. Your liver must be in fine condition if you would feel buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your pursuits. You can put your liver in fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach and a certain cure for dyspepsia or indigestion. It has been a favorite household remedy for over thirty-five years. August Flower will make your liver healthy and active and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial size, 25c; regular bottles, 75c. At Glazier & Stimson.

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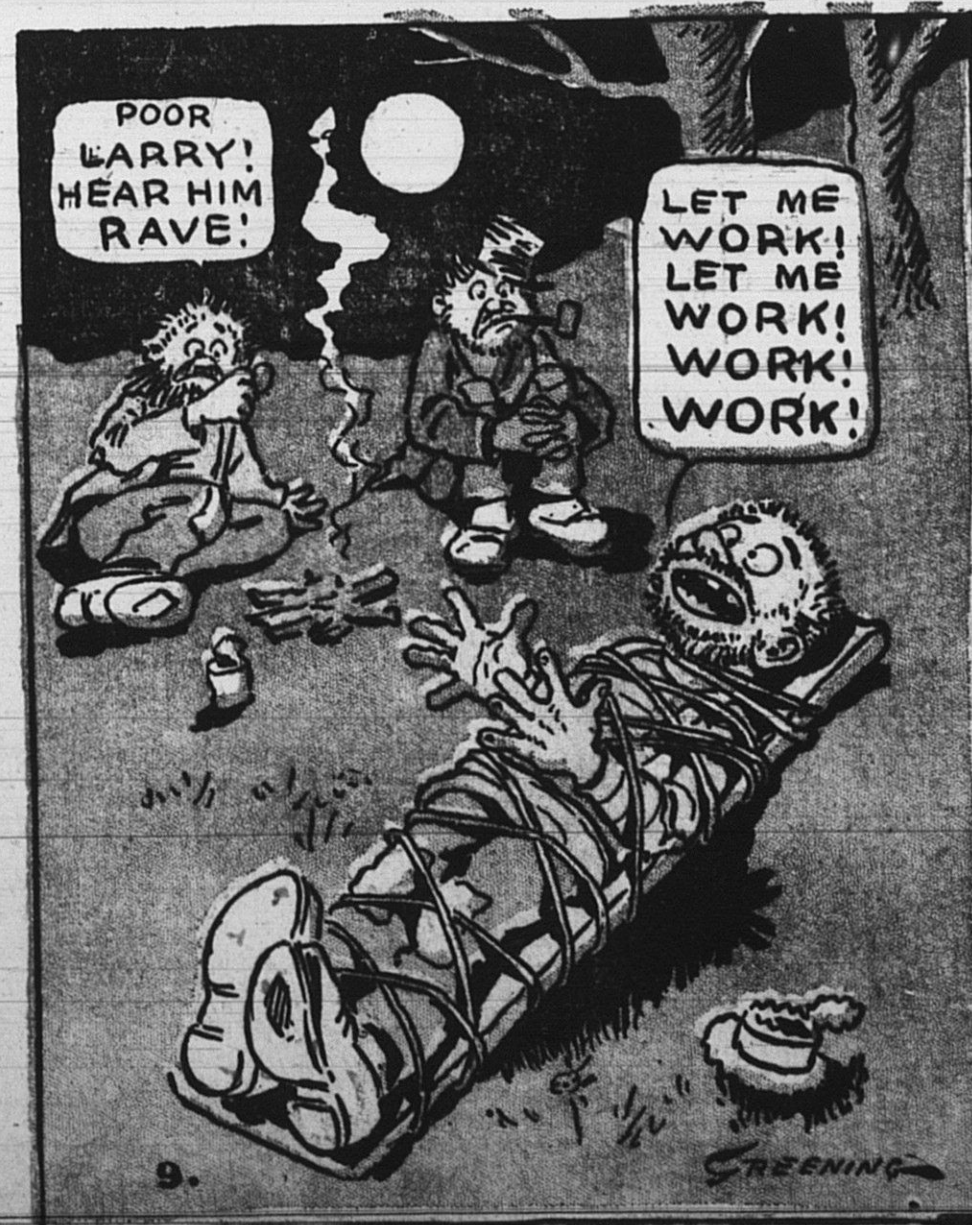
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DR. THOMAS TABLETS HANDS OUT ANOTHER PILL





The Lady—"There's something about you that fascinates me strangely. Will you walk with me?"



"I want to show you a pleasing view just beyond. If you will accompany me I shall be very happy."



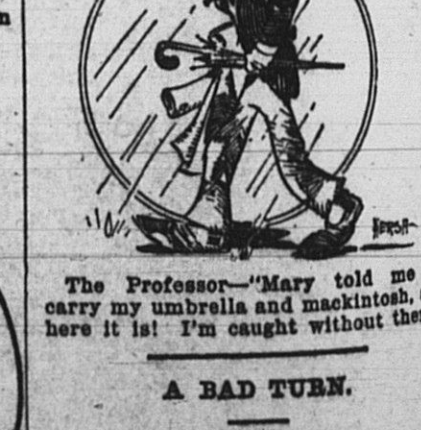
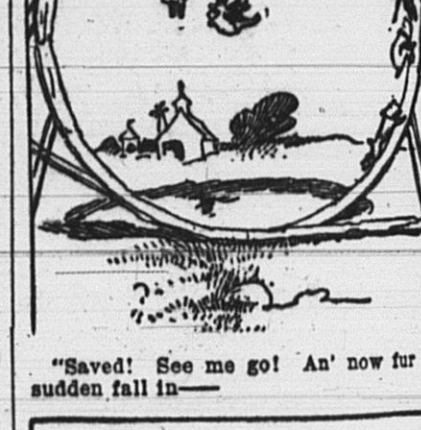
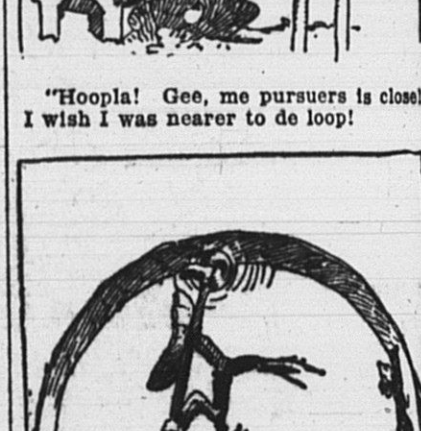
"How kind of you, sir, that for the mere asking you should shun your own pursuits and stroll with me!"



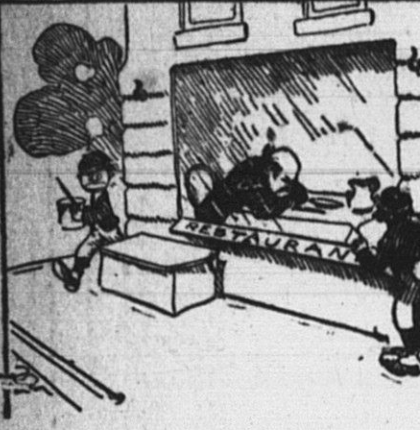
"Officer, arrest this tramp! I saw him robbing our icebox this morning!"



Circus Solly—"It's lucky I struck the old fair grounds, 'cause I see a way to finish up de pups fur good an' all."



HAD THE ADVANTAGE.



Mr. Grubman—"My, but I feel sleepy after that dinner. Guess I'll—"



"Take a nap." (B-a-s-i)



(Half an hour later.) "Now, what is that crowd of idiots laughing at?"

FATE OF A HYPOCRITE.



Economical Edwin—"Gracious, Miss Charming, how you waste illumination! That lamp—"



"Might be turned down considerably and money saved—"



"For your father!"

HEARTLESS.



Friend (as the banana peel gets in its deadly work)—"Ho! on, Dibbsay, wit' dat banana peel. Dis ain't de"

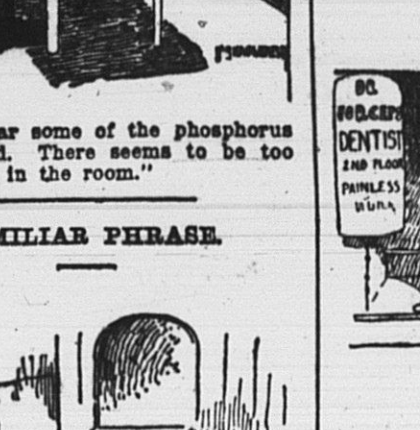
BY A NOSE.



Professor—"I will cover this solution of phosphorus and will proceed with the experiment as soon as the room is dark."



"Er—I fear some of the phosphorus has escaped. There seems to be too much light in the room."



FAMILIAR PHRASE.



"A case of fowl play."



SELFISHNESS.



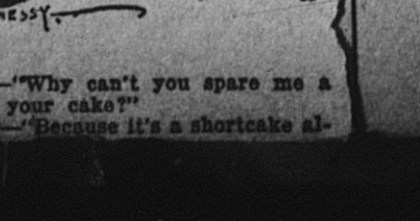
Mayne—"I think Edith Rusher's husband is a regular brute."

Gladys—"Why so?"

Mayne—"Oh, he's always pushing himself to the front and keeping her in the background. They say he's gone and got appendicitis before the poor girl had worn her new spring suit twice."



IN THE SIDE SHOW.



Glass Eater—"The 'rubber man' says he is a strict vegetarian."

Fat Lady—"Dear me! Perhaps he diets on rubber plants."

MEAN BOY.

Willie—"Why can't you spare me a piece of your cake?"

Sammy—"Because it's a shortcake al—"

GETTING CLOSE TO THE SOIL.



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HOW IT HAPPENED.

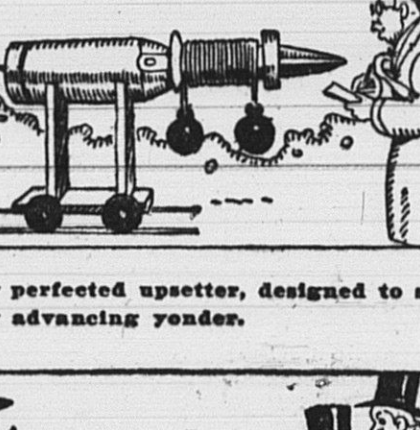


Boggs—"That young man over there lost two teeth whistling 'Debella.'"

Groggs—"How peculiar!"

Boggs—"Not at all. He works in my office and whistled it once more than I could stand."

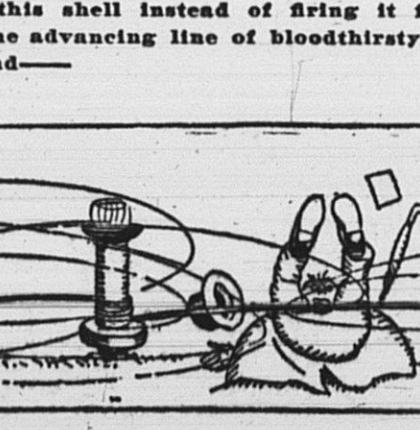
THE WISE SKIPPER.



Miss Clipper—"Why did Topsails marry such a big girl?"

Jim Jiblets—"He needed her to ballast his yacht with."

ANOTHER HOWLING SUCCESS.

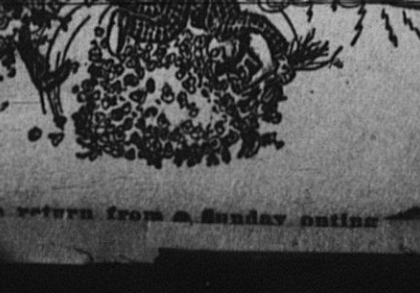


Prof. Rhomboid—"This is my perfected upsetter, designed to stop the charge of hostile troops. Suppose this to be a fort, the enemy advancing yonder."



"To illustrate, I touch off this shell instead of firing it from the mortar. (Bang!) The upsetter strikes the ground in front of the advancing line of bloodthirsty warriors, the two weights rapidly unwind with a rotary motion and—"

SEASONABLE SCENES.



"My missile accomplishes its job!"

PROBLEMATICAL.

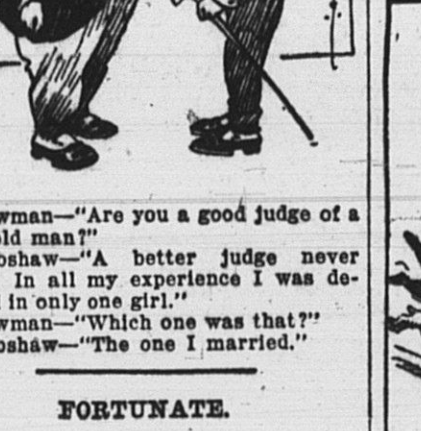


Mr. Flip—"There seems to be a problem in this play."

Mrs. Flip—"Where's the problem?"

Mr. Flip—"The problem is how to get your money's worth out of it."

JUST ONCE.



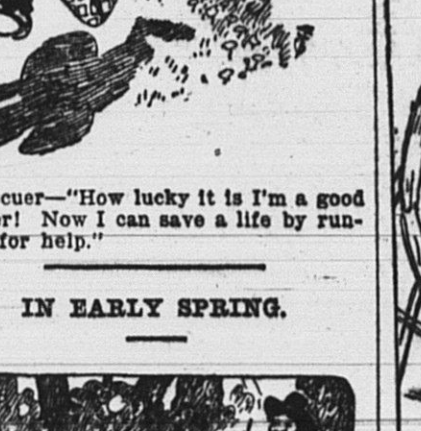
Crawman—"Are you a good judge of a girl, old man?"

Crabshaw—"A better judge never lived. In all my experience I was deceived in only one girl."

Crawman—"Which one was that?"

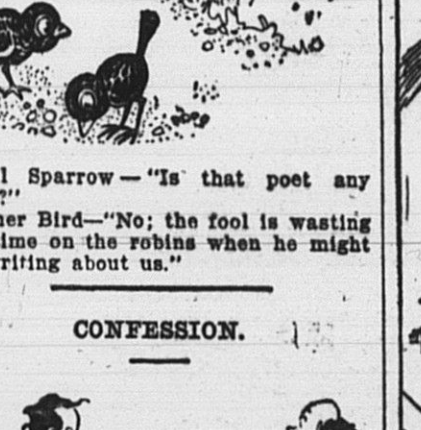
Crabshaw—"The one I married."

FORTUNATE.



Rescuer—"How lucky it is I'm a good runner! Now I can save a life by running for help."

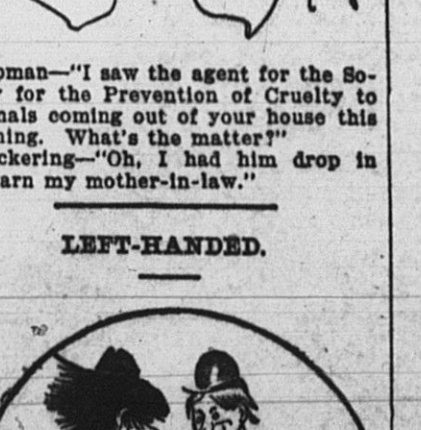
IN EARLY SPRING.



Bill Sparrow—"Is that poet any good?"

Other Bird—"No; the fool is wasting his time on the robin when he might be writing about us."

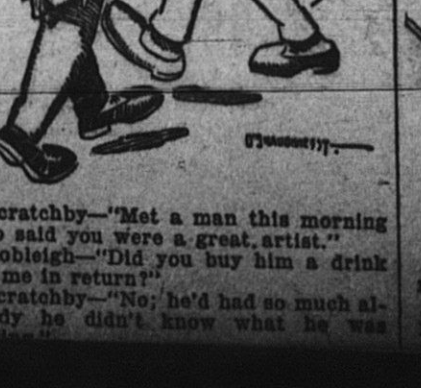
CONFESSION.



Zipman—"I saw the agent for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals coming out of your house this morning. What's the matter?"

Pickering—"Oh, I had him drop in to warn my mother-in-law."

LEFT-HANDED.

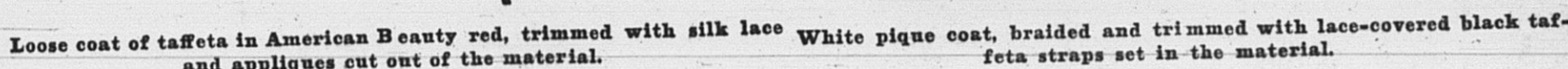


Scratchy—"Met a man this morning who said you were a great artist."

Gobiegh—"Did you buy him a drink for me in return?"

Scratchy—"No; he'd had so much already he didn't know what he was"

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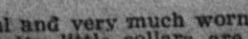


ed flat straps of pique, with silk buttons and triangles and olive. All the top of the wide sleeve is cut in one piece with the coat, and the small underarm is cut in a separate piece. The sleeve is trimmed with a lace-covered black band crossed by groups of the black and white stripes. The cuffs are black and are finished with two black and white ruffles of white mull.

One of the unique things about this coat is that the collar, the black and white bands are cut in one piece, including the upper parts of the sleeves, and then made to fit by slipping the collar and sleeve into the black bands covered with lace in the seams. There is a seam down the middle of the bands with a narrow slash to it. The two underarms are heavily embroidered upon the shoulders. The same embroidery is also on the collar. The black and white coat is worked over with design in narrow braid, embroidery and buttons. The small, known as the "turtleneck," has small buttons, support the ropes in front and the fronts are arranged with braided and looped and round buttons and penicillens.

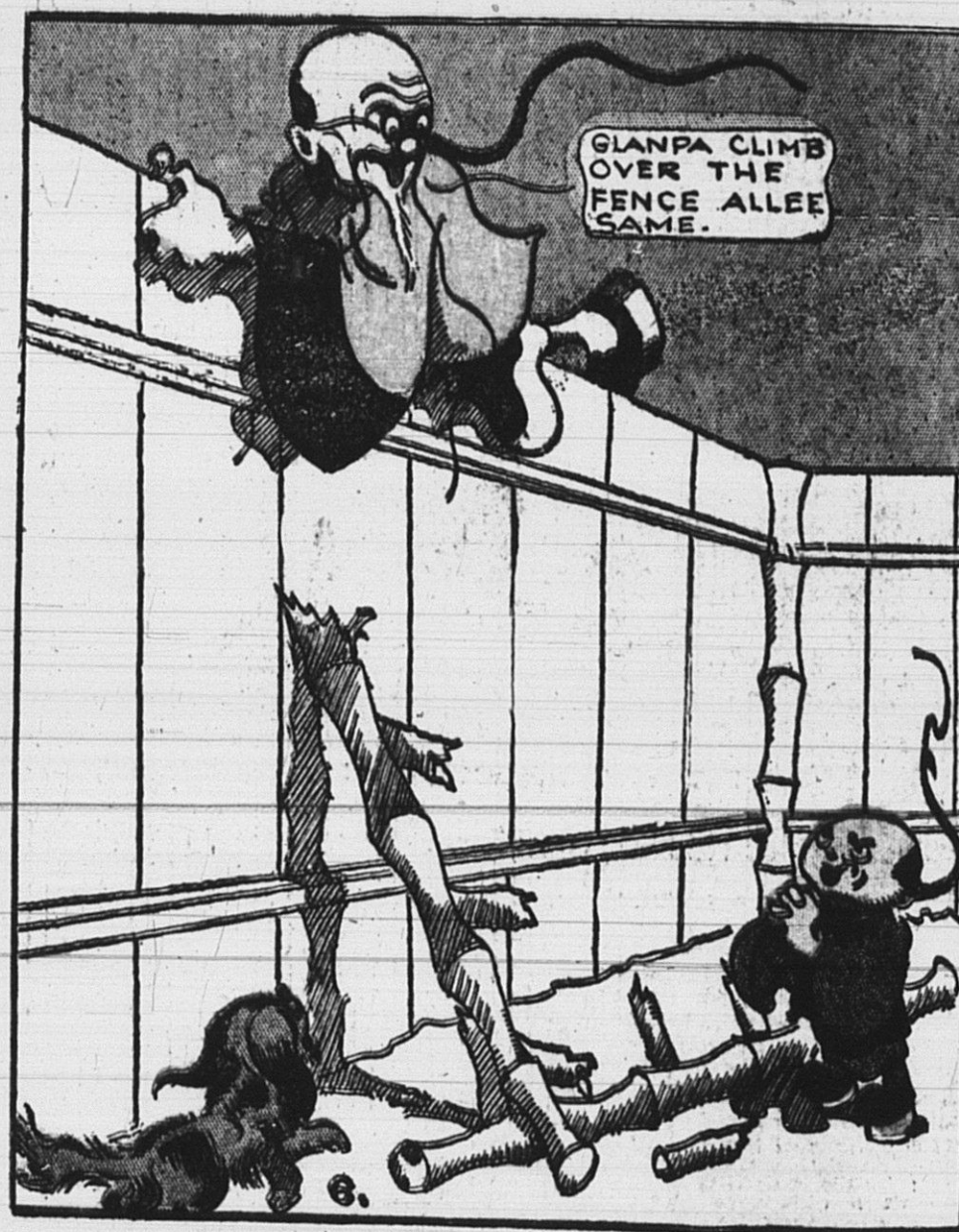
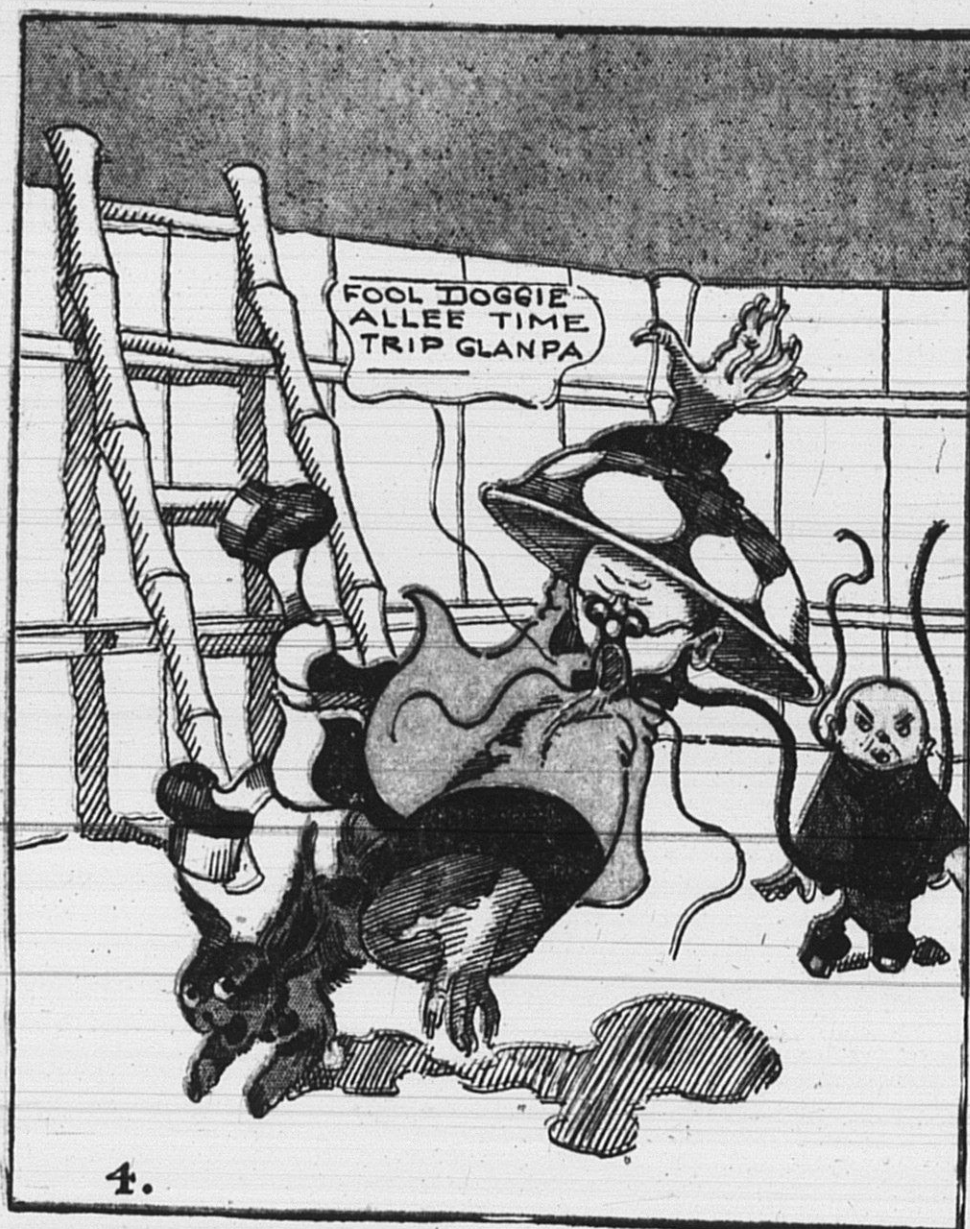
Most pique coats are of one color, but this is a white coat with a black and white contrast in the case of the white coat with the black silk stripes.

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LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler, Jr. June 14, a son.

John Farrell expects to start a new delivery wagon the last of the week.

Another R. F. D. route running out of Dexter and coming this way started Wednesday.

Rev. P. M. McKay announces that his subject Sunday morning will be, "The Holy Spirit."

LaFayette Grange will meet at the Lima Methodist church Saturday, June 18, 1904 at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The pupils of Miss Mary A. Clark are preparing for a musical recital to be given in the near future at the opera house.

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's church will give an ice cream social next Wednesday evening at the home of Dan Wacker.

There will be two vacancies in our schools at the end of this school year. Misses Miller and McGuinness having resigned their positions.

The Barnum & Bailey circus is today in Ann Arbor. A large delegation went from here to see the parade and "show the children the animals."

Report came here Tuesday of the death of Mrs. John Ricketts at her home in Lansing. Her husband died some two weeks previously.

The Junior Stars will have to wear sheet iron sunbonnets the day of August 5th. The genuine Nebraska Indians are coming here for a game on that date.

Tuesday, June 14, was the one hundred and twenty eighth anniversary of the Stars and Stripes and was designated by the state government as Flag day.

At the biannual review of the Great Tent of K. O. T. M. M. for the United States R. D. Walker was again elected to the office of Master of Arms of the Great Camp.

St. Cecilia's choir of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, which sang the music at the high mass recently, will repeat the music at the high mass next Sunday, June 19.

Cards were received in Chelsea Wednesday announcing the Atkinson-Caster wedding which will occur Wednesday June 29 at 5 o'clock in the Martha Holmes Methodist church Detroit.

The so-called baccalaureate address to the graduating class of the high school will be delivered by Rev. Smith of Jackson at the Methodist church Sunday evening. It will be a union service.

Mrs. Mary Savage, who is in her 95th year, is dangerously ill at the home of her son, Edward Savage, of Sylvan. Another son, Rev. Father Savage, of Detroit, has been with his mother all week.

There will be a departure in the matter of seating at the Class Day and Commencement exercises of the high school this year. Those who desire may secure reserved seats by paying five cents.

Tommy McNamara, one of Chelsea's horsemen, sold 25 head in the last two months. The last one was Jim Bailey, trotting record 2:34, trials in 2:28, and one of the best family horses in this county.

There are to be two ball games here the Fourth. The Plymouth Juniors will be here at that time. In the last game they beat the Stars by a score of 3 to 2. There is an intense rivalry between these teams.

About seventy-five people attended the party Friday evening, given for Agnes Farrell at her home in Dexter township. Ice cream and cake were served on the lawn, and Mr. Burg furnished music.

Lamont BeGole, who gained his rudimentary knowledge of the national game with the Junior Stars and has this season been playing with the Ann Arbor high school was recently elected captain of that team for next season.

The Manchester Enterprise moved to new offices sometime before The Standard. Bro. Blosser is still feeling as good over the change as we are and he says: "Our new office is down by the river, when you come down drop in."

The Michigan Fresh Air Society of Detroit is desirous of sending a number of children under 12 years out into the country during the months of July and August. The expense to farmers will be boarding them free. If any of the farmer readers would like the company of any of these children who otherwise will have no vacation, they made address Dr. James A. Post, 114 Bates street, Detroit.

The ladies of the Methodist church at Lima Center will hold an ice cream social in the church parlors on Saturday evening, June 25th.

Mrs. Fischer, the mother of Mrs. Matthew Jen en, died Sunday morning at the home of her daughter in this village. The funeral was Tuesday.

A large number of the Maccabees turned out Sunday and with the band marched to the cemetery where the graves of the deceased members of the order were decorated.

The Michigan Central will soon begin the construction of a new sidetrack beginning at a point near the water tank and extending back of the warehouses nearly to Main street.

The graduating exercises of the Grammarians of 1904 will occur at the town hall Tuesday evening, June 21. The presentation of the play Hiawatha by members of the grade will be the feature.

First Holy Communion will be given in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart on Sunday, July 3, at 7:30 a. m. On Thursday, July 7, at 7 p. m. Rt. Rev. John Foley, D. D., Bishop of Detroit, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation.

It appears to be the custom with the Dear Dozen to make a sacrifice of one of its members on the Hymenial altar every June. Who will relieve the anxiety of the young ladies by coming forward and naming the one for June 1905.

Wednesday there was not a single Speer in town to answer to roll call. The family were all in Somerset in attendance at a reunion of the family. Henry Speer, sr., of this place, aged 78, met with his five brothers, all of which are over 70.

C. LeRoy Hill, who has been pursuing work at the University this last year along the lines of forestry research, has an appointment from the government to join for the summer the party that will investigate forestry questions in either the Idaho or Maine woods.

Capt. Ed. Negus and wife went Tuesday to Battle Creek where they attended the Department of Michigan reunion of G. A. R. Even though the members of the order are fast aging there was a very large attendance. There are over 14,000 Grand Army men in the state.

The Junior Stars play in Grass Lake Saturday. In the forenoon the Junior Star substitutes will play the Jackson Crescents while in the afternoon the strongest team the Stars can muster will meet the Grass Lake Sluggers which are by no means in the junior class.

The following named ladies are this week in Battle Creek as representatives of the local W. R. C. at the state convention of the body which is in session there along with the G. A. R. and Sons of Veterans: Mesdames Mary VanTye, Geo. Fuller, Thomas Wilkinson, Arthur Chapman, D. H. Wurster.

The Standard office and the store of John Farrell now both present attractive fronts to Main street. The Standard office front is in process of receiving a newly painted front and awning and the Farrell store has been so arranged that it presents a fine show window and also affords means of reaching the rooms above.

Mrs. Lewis Winans Tuesday entertained her Sunday school class of the Congregational Sunday school. There were about 30 present including Mrs. Hoag, superintendent of the school and some other friends of the class. The day was "Flag Day" and the decorations were appropriate. For entertainment there was music, refreshments and games. It was a highly enjoyable time for all.

The Michigan Christian Endeavor convention, to be held at Lake Orion June 28, 29, 30 and July 1 will be one of the largest gatherings of the kind ever held in the state. This is already assured by the responses from local unions which have been received at the secretary's office. Rev. C. S. Jones, of this place, is announced as one of the speakers. There are over 55,000 members in the state and the convention will be an interesting affair.

Thursday, June 23, the annual commencement of St. Joseph's Academy at Adrian, will take place. Among the graduates will be Miss Rachel McKune, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. McKune, of Lyndon. Miss McKune has completed the English course, and has made an enviable record as a student. Rev. Father Considine and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. McKune with other relatives and friends, will attend the closing exercises.

Report of school district No. 10 Lyndon for the year ending May 26 1904. The following completed their grades, 1st to 2nd grade, Howard and Francis May; 2nd to 3rd grade Veva Hadley, Willie Birch, Edward and Harold Sullivan; 3rd to 4th grade Robert and Ethelbert Heatley, Lewis Hadley and Stella Collings; 4th to 5th grade, Ralph Hadley; 5th to 6th grade, Pearl Hadley, Esther and Louis Heatley, Howard Marshall and Ray Hadley. Veva and Ralph Hadley and Ethelbert Heatley have not been absent during last month of school. Stella Collings, Ralph Hadley Lewis Hadley have not misspelled a word in written spelling during the spring term. Genevieve Young, teacher.



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