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THE OLD BOYS IN BLUE.

Affecting Memorial Services at the Methodist Church Sunday.

The annual church services in commemoration of Memorial day were held this year in the Methodist church on Sunday morning last, May 28. It was a union service of the churches and as a consequence the edifice was crowded with worshippers. The few old veterans who are left in this neighborhood and the members of the W. R. C. were given the seats of honor in the front of the church and every other seat and all the chairs available were occupied by the large congregation present.

Rev. E. E. Caster took for his text the words "On earth peace, good will towards men," and the prevailing thought of his discourse was "Peace after conflict." He told of the origin of the G. A. R., spoke of the patriotism that fired them to noble deeds and said that patriotism should distinguish every man. It is patriotism that distinguishes the Japanese from the Russians in the present conflict. The latter are driven to fight, while the former fights for love of home and native land.

At the conclusion of the sermon Comrade T. E. Wood, on behalf of the Post, presented the church with a beautiful silk national flag mounted on a staff and surmounted with an eagle, in order that the church may be able at all times to display the Stars and Stripes on occasions kindred to the day then celebrated.

Rev. E. E. Caster received the flag on behalf of the church and his remarks were of such an earnest and so patriotic a nature that there was scarcely a dry eye in the church when he got through.

The services as a whole were the best that have ever been held in Chelsea on Memorial Sunday.

The celebration of Decoration day, Tuesday, May 30, was of a very simple nature. The members of the Post and Women's Relief Corps assembled at the Post room in the morning and in a quiet manner marched to Oak Grove cemetery, where, beside the soldiers' monument the ritual service of both orders was recited (that of the W. R. C. for the first time in public), after which the graves of deceased comrades and members of the W. R. C. were decorated.

PYTHIANS GATHERED

And Entertained Their Fraters From Ypsilanti.

The Pythians of Chelsea made merry last evening when they entertained 23 members of Queen City Lodge, No. 165, Ypsilanti, to a banquet at the Maccabee hall. The catering was done by the L. O. T. M. M., and it goes without saying that it was well done. During the banquet hour vocal selections were rendered in fine style by Miss Mildred Atkinson, Mr. Surdam and T. S. Hughes. The accompaniments were admirably played by Mrs. Geo. P. Staffan and the Misses Rena Roedel and Edith Bates played the marches.

After the banquet the knights adjourned to Castle hall and worked the second rank on Wm. Bacon.

Well Known Cattle Buyer Dead.

Matthew Hauser, the well known cattle buyer, died at his home here in Chelsea Saturday morning, May 27, from blood poisoning caused by carbuncles on his neck, from which he had suffered for some weeks. His wife, to whom he was married in 1887, and a family of six young children survive him. Mr. Hauser was born in Wuertemberg, Germany, and had been a resident of Chelsea for about 20 years. He was a large buyer and shipper of live stock, of which he was an excellent judge. The funeral services were held Sunday morning and were conducted by Rev. A. Schoen. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

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A GAME APIECE.

Cardinals and Keystones Divide Honors Decoration Day.

The two ball games billed for Decoration day between the Keystones, of Detroit, and the Cardinals, of this place, were pulled off as advertised.

In the forenoon game the Cardinals seemed to lack the ginger and went down to defeat to the tune of 8 to 0. Beissel's pitching was the only feature of the game, he striking out 15 men and playing an otherwise lively game. Following is the score by innings:

	R	H	E
Cardinals	0	0	0
Keystones	2	0	0
Batteries	Beissel and Steinbach, Bal-len and Tyndall.		

In the afternoon the Cardinals made a better showing. Ackley, of Ann Arbor, pitched a fine game and received good support and it was apparent from the first that the visitors were scheduled for defeat. One feature of the game was the batting done by Paul Bacon, who pounded out two doubles and two singles out of five times to bat. All the boys played good ball and a few more games and the necessary practice should make the Cardinals a speedy aggregation. Score:

	R	H	E
Cardinals	3	4	0
Keystones	1	0	0
Batteries	Ackley and BeGole, J. Allen and Longhead.		

A FINE CONCERT.

The University Orchestra Was Well Received Friday Evening.

The concert given at the Methodist church Friday evening by the University Orchestra from Ann Arbor, with Prof. Henri Ern as its conductor, was a notable occasion in a musical way in Chelsea. The body of the church was entirely filled and many seats were placed in the Epworth League room for the accommodation of the large audience that had gathered. It is safe to say that fully 400 people were present.

The concert as a whole was a splendid one. Mr. Ern's violin solos were gems of art; the rendition of Beethoven's First Symphony by the orchestra was certainly fine, and the two overtures were also well rendered; Miss Lelia Farlin sang the "Jewel Song" from Faust and a group of songs in a very artistic manner, and Miss Minnie Davis accompanied the soloists in her usual finished style. The audience was generous in its applause and seemed to appreciate the fine program of music that was being presented.

The orchestra were well pleased at the reception given them in Chelsea.

The Late B. J. Billings.

B. J. Billings, a former well known resident of Chelsea, died at his home in Toledo Wednesday, May 20, aged 67 years. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Freer and while here was engaged in the hardware business in the store now occupied by Holmes & Walker. Of late years he has been in the railway mail service. He is survived by his wife and two daughters. The remains were brought to Jackson Saturday for interment. A number of the members of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., of which he was a member, and several of his old friends went from here to attend the last sad rites at that place and time. He was buried with Masonic honors.

The Annual Meeting

of Vermont Cemetery Association for the election of officers and payment of dues will be held at the cemetery Saturday, June 10, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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Even if baby Prince Humbert's nose is put out of joint, he will still be heir apparent to the throne of Italy.

A Philadelphia jury fixes the value of a kiss at \$100. Ice cream is much cheaper than a Philadelphia kiss.

Comptroller Ridgely advises bank cashiers not to speculate. This advice might be good for most other people, too.

The fact that alcohol is used in the manufacture of smokeless powder is another argument as to its perniciousness.

Since the United States supreme court has decided that dealing in futures isn't gambling, marriage can't be, either.

A New York lady dropped \$8,850 in a solid lump somewhere on Broadway a day or two ago. Style of game not mentioned.

It is well, perhaps, to serve notice on anybody whom it may concern that the public will draw the line at a Nan Patterson cigar.

They say George Gould begins to look, speak, act and be a Sphinx like his father. But he never had to scratch for the first \$100, as his father did.

A New York man spent \$50,000 on wine and \$20,000 on women in one year. It is feared that, whatever his capacity, he did not get all his money's worth.

A Kansas City man has been fined for saying "damn" to a policeman. Kansas City has been doing all kinds of things recently to attract public attention.

A Chicago judge has decided that a milliner is an artist. That may explain why she is able to draw a man's salary for four weeks after finishing a bonnet.

King Edward has inaugurated a new fashion, that of keeping the right hand gloved. It is to be hoped that Edward will come out this year in a 50-cent straw hat.

Miss Mae Wood threatens to publish the love letters which she claims to have received from Platt. Let him who never wrote love letters be the first to egg her on.

Some Massachusetts preachers are attempting a class in farming, and an urgent need of a few expressive but blameless words for use upon barking the shin is announced.

Lord Charles Beresford wants Great Britain and the United States to have one flag. All right. Hurrah! We're willing. If Mr. Bull likes the Stars and Stripes.—Chicago Post.

The Kansas supreme court declares that whiskey is not property, but old John Barleycorn, although a little groggy at times, has never yet received his knockout blow.

It may be true, of course, that shortcake can be made of other things than strawberries, but it will be noticed that none of our best poets shed the glory of their genius over any other kind.

The Boston Globe mentions the fact that women have given valuable service as census enumerators. It might have added that they got a good deal of enjoyment out of it, too.—Kansas City Journal.

Up to date, Marie Corelli is about the only one who has hinted at a stain on Mr. Carnegie's money. And it is open to Mr. Carnegie to retort that his money is at all events sweeter than Miss Corelli's temper.

A California man claims to have perfected an invention which will enable people to travel 200 miles an hour. What the world really needs is an invention that will keep things from getting on the track.

There doesn't seem to be much use in working to acquire millions. Even men bright enough to succeed at it can find nothing better to do with the millions when they have got them than to give them away again.

Pugilist Jeffries, throwing aside his fighting gloves forever because his wife wants him to, naturally wins the admiration and approval of all women. But why, O why, did he spoil it all by adding, "Besides, boxing doesn't pay."

Boston is now wondering whether it was for a joke that its oracle published the account of the finding of a dinosaur of the upper Jurassic period among the "recent deaths," or whether the oracle had really just got around to the news.

BOY RESCUED AFTER TEN MINUTES UNDER WATER.

A LABORER'S PERILOUS RIDE, SUFFERING AGONY FROM BROKEN LEG.

BOY LOSES HIS LIFE BY CAVE-IN OF A SAND PIT—ONE ESCAPES.

Riding in Agony.

After suffering untold agony on the rods under a freight car for over an hour, William Sherer was dragged from under the train when it stopped at the Michigan Central station in Kalamazoo Saturday afternoon. He fainted at once and was taken to Borgess hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from a badly mangled right leg. Sherer was thrown out of employment in Chicago by the big strike there, and started for Flint, where he had been promised a job. Having no money, he found a berth on the trucks of a freight car. Shortly after the train pulled out of Niles his leg struck something in the roadbed and was thrown into the gearing of the truck and mangled. It was fifty miles, or over an hour and a half, before the next stop of the train, and all that time Sherer suffered awful agony. He was unable to shift his leg into a less uncomfortable position for fear of falling from his perch, and he was even unable to take hold of it in order to stop the flow of blood.

Buried in Sand.

The dead body of Lawrence Bushcree, 12 years old, of Big Rapids, was found Saturday afternoon, buried in a sand pit, and Ray Lindsey, 10 years old, was rescued at the same time by his father and M. D. Burke, who became alarmed at the absence of the boys, who had not been seen since 10 o'clock when they went to play in the pit. The Bushcree boy had been dead a couple of hours. His body was bent over under three feet of sand. The Lindsey boy was just breathing. His body was blue as a result of the stopping of the blood circulation. He was in an upright position, the sand being 18 inches over his head. His escape is thought to be due to a small hole somewhere, through which air was admitted. The accident is the result of the caving in of a huge pile of sand from the bank, in which the boys had dug a hole with shovels for a play-house.

Saved His Life.

Willard Greer, aged 10, was rescued from drowning at Gull lake after being under water ten minutes. The boy, with his two brothers, was fishing from the deck of the steamer Garland when the rocking of the boat pitched him into the water. His young brothers were ten minutes finding a man and bringing him to the rescue. John Adams was told of the affair, and after a search located the body in seven feet of water. The boy was dragged out by the hair, and came to life after half an hour of hard work on the part of his rescuer. His life was several times despaired of and he was unconscious until morning.

Slew His Paramour.

Alexander Greene, of Temperance village, known throughout southeastern Michigan and northwestern Ohio as a traveling doctor and vendor of patent medicines of his concoction, is in jail in Bowling Green, O., the self-confessed murderer of Mrs. Ella Tiffin, a much younger woman, infatuation for whom led him to abandon his family and who cast him aside when he could no longer supply her with money. For many years Alexander Greene, now 60 years of age, was a highly respected, well-to-do resident of Temperance village, having established a business for his remedies which he made and delivered by driving through the country. His former home is a comfortable place. He had been married 30 years, and had four children, two boys and two girls. The woman gave up her aged lover, who was made penniless in securing a divorce for her. Then a son started him in business again and he made money, which he lavished on her. His wife procured a divorce and the old man hurried to his inamorata, who refused to marry him, saying she was going to marry another man, when he shot her. He said in his confession: "I fired two shots. The first one she was close to me and seemed to dodge, and the next one she was four or five feet away, and I shot her in the back of the head and she fell to the floor and only said, 'My God!'"

"As I had always told her if she did not marry me I would die with her, and seeing that she was dead, I put the gun in my ear and fired, and knew nothing more till I heard the boy Charles, when he came to the door and said: 'My God! Old Dr. Greene has killed my mother.' And that was all I knew till the crowd came in."

The Northern Lumber Co., owning 20,000 acres of land and capitalized at \$300,000, will be one of the big industries up north with headquarters at Marquette.

The state dairy department's monthly educational contest was held Friday in Detroit. There were 83 samples of creamery butter and 37 samples of cheese. H. S. Hagordon, of Alma, Mich., took first prize, the Parma Butter Co., of Parma, Mich., second and the Wayland Creamery Co., of Wayland, Mich., third. Nine of the samples scored over 95 per cent.

Capt. George Pratt Fletcher, well known lake mariner and boat builder of Saginaw, is dead, aged 62. He was injured last fall in an accident in the Davidson shipyard at West Bay City. He was a native of Jackson, Mich., his parents settling there about 1830.

Pontiac will have a street fair during the week commencing June 15.

The concealing of cases has caused a spread of smallpox in Grand Rapids. Mrs. August Haupt ended her life with morphine at her home near Marquette, leaving eight children motherless.

Work has just started in Blissfield on the masonry of the new \$100,000 sugar factory of the Continental Sugar Co., of Cleveland.

Rev. E. B. Bacon, of Grand Rapids, aged 75, a member of the Michigan Methodist conference for many years, is dead at the home of his son here.

Farmers in Prescott have been compelled to seed their farms for the second time, the first having been drowned by the heavy and continuous rains.

George Carman, of Muskegon, aged 80 years, an original Fremont voter, is dead. He has lived in Muskegon and Hesperia for 60 years. Four children survive.

Two hours before a house on one of A. B. Cullen's farms in Richfield was burned to the ground from a defective chimney, the insurance policy of \$500 on it went into effect.

Referee in Bankruptcy Joslyn is being overwhelmed with claims from creditors of Charles D. Stewart, of Owosso, and his private bank, which failed. The liabilities will approximate \$500,000.

While working in a well on a farm near Pickford, William O'Neill, aged 59 years, was buried by a cave-in. A rescuing party which tried to dig him out were forced to leave on account of a second cave-in.

Muskegon is to have a new industry never before attempted anywhere else. A saw mill will be built to take care of the driftwood along the shore and a launch will patrol the section to pick up the wood.

The locked-out, striking machinists of the Grand Trunk shops in Ft. Gratiot have been ordered by Master Mechanic McGrath to return to work, and 35 are said to have decided to go back despite the Machinists' union.

Patrick Ready, a civil war veteran on his way to the national old soldiers' home at Washington, was held up by the Canadian authorities at Cape Vincent and sent back to Kingston, where he is in charge of the United States consular.

Parties in Battle Creek are engaged in a novel but profitable industry. It is the shipping of water cress to Chicago, Detroit, Cincinnati, Toledo and Buffalo. Battle Creek promises to be as noted for cress as Kalamazoo is for celery.

The Michigan Street Car Advertising Co., of Detroit, has filed notice with the secretary of state of a decrease in its capital stock from \$50,000 to \$20,000. The Wolverine Oil Co., of Adrian, capital \$7,000, has filed articles of incorporation.

Isaac Moss, a 12-year-old boy living in Muskegon Heights, went to the garage of a neighbor's home where he found an old civil war musket. He was dragging it across the floor, when it was discharged. The boy died shortly after in the Hackley hospital.

The nineteenth annual reunion of the Seventh Michigan Infantry will be held at Saginaw on June 12. J. W. Holmes, member of the legislature from Gratiot county, was a member of this regiment, and is president of the regimental organization at present.

Ralph Squires, the 13-year-old son of John Squires, of Kunkle, died from lockjaw at the home of his uncle, William Squires, near Morenci. He was visiting there and ten days ago was ticked by a horse, his left leg being broken. A few days ago lockjaw developed.

Damage suits for amounts aggregating \$65,000 against the Benton Harbor & St. Joseph Gas Co., growing out of the fire which destroyed several store buildings in Benton Harbor last fall, have been settled on the payment of a substantial sum, said to be \$10,000, to the plaintiffs.

The proposition to bond for \$50,000 for a new city hall was defeated at Owosso, 288 to 128. Only taxpayers were permitted to vote, and A. C. Menton, secretary of the state socialist party, and a non-taxpayer, offered his ballot, and will make a test case of the refusal to accept it.

William Bickel, aged 27 years, of Standish, was kicked in the abdomen by an unruly horse, and when two doctors were summoned it was found necessary to perform an operation. He was taken to undergo an operation, and died two hours after his arrival.

Col. Frank J. Kellogg, of Battle Creek, commander-in-chief of the Sons of Veterans of Michigan, is making preparations for the holding of the twenty-seventh annual state encampment at Traverse City, June 20 and 21. Under his administration the membership in the state has doubled the past year.

Mrs. Rose Recktenwald Wilson and her four children, of Kalamazoo, left Snyder, Okla., the day before the cyclone that wrecked the village. As it was they were caught in a tornado and were obliged to take refuge in a farm house, from where they saw many things flying through the air, just being out of the edge of the storm.

The ink works of the Big Four Printing Ink Co., of Chicago, have been removed to Battle Creek, and are occupying the building of the Homer Felt Co. Three mills are now running, and the fourth one is being installed. Three more mills are on their way to Battle Creek from Chicago, which will give them a seven-mill capacity.

For 12 years, with crippled spine and one hand gone, G. Blackirk, of Carson City, has managed a large farm, milking eight cows, plowing and doing other hard manual labor. Finally his mind commenced to fail, and the other day he became violently insane, drove his family from the house and was finally restrained by officers, who brought him to the Northern Michigan asylum.

A careless "white wing" threw a lighted match under Mrs. Howard Gould's \$8,000 automobile in Fifth avenue, New York, Monday. Leaking gasoline exploded and only pieces were left of the machine.

SO TOGO REPORTS, SAYING, ALSO, THAT ROJESTVENSKY IS A PRISONER.

Every Battleship in the Defeated Fleet Sunk or Captured—Nebogatoff a Prisoner—Damaged Ships Reach Port.

ROJESTVENSKY WRECKED, WOUNDED AND CAPTURED.

An official dispatch from Tokio says that the battleship Kriaz Souvaroff, Admiral Rojestvensky's flagship, went down in the action and Admiral Rojestvensky was taken on board a torpedo boat which, with the admiral, was captured. He is wounded.

Thirteen Russian warships sunk; eight Russian warships captured—four of this total of twenty-one being the czar's battleships; 3,000 Russian prisoners taken, including Admiral Nebogatoff; a hundred thousand tons of the czar's fighting material lying as junk at the bottom of the Korean straits; a hundred millions of the czar's roubles gone with his sunken and surrendered ships; the naval prestige of the Russian empire lost for a generation; a few scattered Russian ships chased and skurrying somewhere for shelter, and the admiral of the Russian Armada a lost and ruined man—such are the terrific results of the great naval battle of Saturday and Sunday, May 27-28, 1905, as told in the Tokio dispatches.

The loss of Rojestvensky's ship, his capture and that of Rear Admiral Nebogatoff, is the climax to the disasters of the former, for every ship of his division has either been sent to the bottom or has passed under the Japanese flag. While the Russian sea power is broken, Togo claims that he brought about its destruction with practically no damage to himself. It is an astonishing statement, but he repeats it officially. The dispatches from St. Petersburg scout the claim of Japanese immunity, but until Togo chooses to revise his report it must stand as a naval wonder standing in the same column of sea miracles with Dewey's fight at Manila and the Americans' destruction of Cervera at Santiago. Even allowing that the new Russian vessels that are not included in the Japanese list of "sunk" or "surrendered" have escaped to Vladivostok, that possibility will not alter the fact that the battles of Tsushima have not only virtually but have actually annihilated the Russian navy in the east.

The official report of Togo's marvelous victory received by the Japanese legation in Washington contains only a modest statement of facts by Admiral Togo without a note of exultation or boast by the victor. The reports follow:

"Tokio, May 29.—Reports received from Admiral Togo at the Japanese headquarters: First report received morning May 27: 'Immediately upon the receipt of report that Russian squadron was in sight, our combined squadron started for attack. Weather is fine today, but with heavy seas.'

"Second report received night May 27: 'Combined squadron attacked Russian squadron today near Okinoshima (southeast of Tsushima) and defeated it, sinking at least four ships and inflicting heavy damage upon others. Damage to our ships is insignificant. Our destroyer and torpedo flotillas delivered attack after sunset.'

"Third report received Monday, May 20: 'Main force of our combined squadron continued pursuit since the 27th and attacked 28th near Liancourt rocks (northeast of Okinoshima), squadron consisting of Nicholas I. (battleship), Orel (battleship), Senyavin, Aprexin and Izumrud. Izumrud fled while remaining four vessels surrendered. No damage to our ships. According to statements of prisoners, vessels sunk in engagement May 27 were Borodino (battleship), Alexandra III. (battleship), Zemtchug and three other ships.

"Real Admiral Nebogatoff and about 2,000 other Russians were taken prisoners."

"The following are damages suffered by enemy in addition to those given above since commencement of battle as reported by commanders not under immediate command of Togo and by observation stations:

"Sunk—Admiral Nachimoff, Dmitri Donskoi, Svetlana, Admiral Usakoff, Kamtchatka, Irutshush and three destroyers.

"Captured—Vladimir Monomach founded after capture. One special service ship, whose name unknown, and one destroyer captured.

"Russian losses definitely known so far may be classified as follows: Two battleships, one coast defense ship, five cruisers, two special ships, three destroyers were sunk; two battleships, two coast defense ships, one special service ship, one destroyer were captured. It is not yet clear whether three vessels as stated by prisoners to have been sunk are included or not in above list. There are more than 1,000 prisoners beside 2,000 taken by main force of combined squadron."

Miss Alma Hacht, a Prescott school teacher, is winning considerable notoriety as a disciple of Isaac Walton, having caught a muskallunge weighing 19 pounds.

His views on original sin in the garden of Eden, as expressed before the members of his congregation, last Sunday, have resulted in the Rev. G. A. W. Gage losing his job as pastor of the Simpson M. E. church of Denver.

The foreign office in London has raised the salary of Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, British ambassador to the United States, from \$32,500 to \$35,500, so that he may dwell in "Jeffersonian simplicity."

The Cleveland World has absorbed the Cleveland Leader, and the evening edition of the Leader will be abandoned. Gov. Herrick of Ohio, Joseph Medill McCormick, the Chicago publisher, and son-in-law of the late Mark Hanna, and Charles A. Otis, owner of the World, are in the deal.

After 24 years, a 50-cent piece set adrift by Edward Gleason, superintendent of the University Club of New York City, has been returned to him and is his mascot. In 1859, just before he put it in circulation, Gleason cut his name on it. In 1883 it turned up at the Union League Club. He has carried it ever since.

CONDENSED NEWS.

A woman's shoe, with the heel hollowed out and then filled with dynamite and nitro-glycerine and exploding caps set in, was found by Mrs. Lulu Eagle, of Uniontown, Pa., in her yard. The authorities are trying to trace the bomb to its makers.

Because the President reversed the decision of the Dawes commission on a land question over which Maj. Clifford R. Breckinridge had immediate jurisdiction, the major has resigned from the commission. He was formerly an ambassador to Russia.

Faith gives fiber to life. Because he borrowed a sum of money from a member of the get-rich-quick Surety Cotton Co., in Philadelphia, George C. Holden, a postoffice inspector, suspended pending investigation, has been removed from the service.

Judge Parker, Democratic candidate for president last fall, told the Illinois bar association that there is no longer confidence in the legislatures of the states, and that a great danger threatens the country in the setting aside of state laws.

Allice Roosevelt is studying Spanish, so that she may talk to the Filipinos when she visits Manila.

It will be impossible for this legislature to hold down the amount of money to be raised by taxation during the next two years to the figure of two years ago, even though the most strenuous efforts have been made to prevent anything from going through in the way of a new institution. The house ways and means committee, which has done the most active work with the ax, has given up any hope of holding down the appropriations to the level of 1903, but it is announced that the increase will not be more than \$500,000. The increase, according to Chairman Ward, will be between \$250,000 and \$500,000, depending somewhat upon the action of the senate. The total for 1903 was about \$8,000,000. He points to the fact that the expense of maintaining our asylums for the insane alone has increased by \$200,000. In fact, when the natural increase of expense in all institutions is taken into consideration the record will really amount to a reduction. Ward expects that some economy may result from the bill of the state board of corrections and charities, in fixing the amount to be paid by the state for the care of each inmate, shall meet with the state board of auditors, and that the governor shall have the same right to veto their acts, as he now possesses in the matter of measures enacted by the legislature. At present these boards fix the amount to be paid by the state without any interference from other state officials.

Saginaw Kicks.

The action of the state military board in ordering the mustering out of Company C, M. N. G., stationed in Saginaw, east side, has caused a strong protest to go to Gov. Warner. More lobbying has been done in the past few days on this matter than of any state action this year. Former Gov. Bliss has joined in the movement. The company has been in existence for thirty-two years and its rolls contain the names of many of Saginaw's prominent citizens. Incidentally they give an explanation for the profusion of military titles that for years have been bantered about by "mutual-admiration-society" Saginawians. In no city in the state are there so many "colonels," "captains," etc., etc., prefixed to the names of business and professional men as here, and it is true that a muster call could draw out a full-sized battalion of what is now generally termed "feather-bed" generals.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—There is a liberal run of cattle and a fair trade, but prices have been lower, prime steers selling off 25 to 30 cents in some cases and handy butchers' cattle showing a reduction of 10 to 15 cents per hundred weight. Some sales were made of the grass cows at 40 to 50 cents lower than last week. Milch cows were active and went to \$3 higher at \$25 to \$45 each; veal calves were active and steady at \$3 to \$4 per hundred weight.

Hogs.—Light to good butchers, \$5.50 to \$5.55; pigs, \$4.50 to \$5.50; light hogs, \$4.50 to \$5.50; roughs, \$4.00 to \$5.00; heavy, \$5.50 to \$6.00; fat hogs, \$5.50 to \$6.00; bulk of sales, \$5.50 to \$6.00.

Sheep.—Good to choice wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fair to choice mixed, \$3.00 to \$3.50; native lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.00; culls and common, \$2.00 to \$2.50; spring lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Chicago.—Good to prime steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$3.00; cows, \$2.00 to \$2.50; heifers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; calves, \$1.50 to \$2.00; bulls, \$2.00 to \$2.50; calves, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

Hogs.—Mixed and butchers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; heavy, \$5.50 to \$6.00; light, \$5.50 to \$6.00; bulk of sales, \$5.50 to \$6.00.

Sheep.—Good to choice wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fair to choice mixed, \$3.00 to \$3.50; native lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.00; culls and common, \$2.00 to \$2.50; spring lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; best 1,200 to 1,300-lb. ship steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; 900 to 1,000-lb. ship steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; fair to good, \$5.50 to \$6.00; fat heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; medium heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; light butchers' heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common stock heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; best yearling steers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling steers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling cows, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling bulls, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling calves, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling pigs, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling hogs, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling culls and common, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common yearling bulk of sales, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

Chicago.—No. 2, spring wheat, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 3, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 4, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 5, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 6, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 7, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 8, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 9, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 10, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 11, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 12, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 13, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 14, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 15, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 16, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 17, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 18, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 19, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 20, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 21, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 22, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 23, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 24, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 25, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 26, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 27, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 28, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 29, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 30, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 31, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 32, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 33, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 34, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 35, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 36, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 37, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 38, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 39, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 40, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 41, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 42, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 43, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 44, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 45, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 46, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 47, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 48, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 49, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 50, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 51, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 52, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 53, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 54, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 55, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 56, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 57, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 58, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 59, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 60, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 61, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 62, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 63, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 64, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 65, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 66, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 67, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 68, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 69, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 70, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 71, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 72, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 73, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 74, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 75, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 76, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 77, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 78, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 79, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 80, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 81, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 82, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 83, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 84, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 85, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 86, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 87, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 88, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 89, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 90, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 91, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 92, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 93, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 94, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 95, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 96, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 97, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 98, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 99, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 100, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 101, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 102, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 103, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 104, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 105, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 106, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 107, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 108, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 109, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 110, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 111, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 112, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 113, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 114, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 115, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 116, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 117, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 118, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 119, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 120, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 121, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 122, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 123, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 124, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 125, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 126, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 127, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 128, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 129, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 130, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 131, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 132, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 133, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 134, \$1.00

A Little Story

I heard a little story, dear,
Last night, you really ought to hear,
The south wind, taking in its sleep,
Told how, that very night, it played
Up and down the sunny steep,
Till it came upon a maid;
It shook the still gold of her hair;
It kissed her as no mortal dare;
Teased her until the bees went home,
With something sweeter for the comb
Than honey stuff—her laugh, her sigh,
Whereof Love tuned his lullaby;
Then straight away was selfish flown,
To sing and hear it all alone.
The south wind paused, and—by the way,
Where were you, Sweetest, yesterday?
—John Vance Cheney in Smart Set.

which the next instant closed in his face with a bang. He heard the bolt on the inside shoot back into its socket.

Two minutes later a motor car shot down the lane at an ordinance-defying speed, its horn tooting madly, and between the blasts of the horn bursts of hyena laughter profaned the solemn stillness of the night.

WHEN THE APPETITE BALKS.

Change of Diet the Proper Thing to Set It Right.

When the appetite of the family begins to falter and every one feels out of sorts try leaving the meat out of the daily menu for a few days. Eat fruit and green things in large quantities. Grapes are said to be a specific for malaria, and fortunately they grow plentifully in malarial communities. Doctors prescribe lettuce, tomatoes and lemons for liver troubles, but salads should have little vinegar in them when eaten for health's sake. Pineapple is a delicious breakfast fruit and is believed to be very efficacious for diseases of the throat. Grape fruit, also chichory and lettuce salad, with plain oil and vinegar dressing, are excellent for the nerves.

The English people eat watercress plentifully, believing that it is a remedy for lung troubles. Figs and dates at night are not only a delicious little bedtime bite but decidedly wholesome.

Don't drink extremely cold things early in the morning or late at night and don't go to bed too early. Too much sleep is not good for digestion. A week or two of dieting on these lines will rest the system and encourage tired appetites.

Cost of Railway Mail Service.

Americans pay more for transportation of mail than all the other peoples of the world combined. In the last year for which comparative figures are available (1901) it cost us \$35,500,000 for railroad transportation of mail alone. All the other countries in the world paid for transportation by all means only \$37,000,000, or \$1,500,000 less than we alone paid. Freight and passenger rates have gone down. They are cheaper here than abroad; express companies pay the railroads about half the rates they charge the government, and yet the postoffice department continues to pay for the transportation of mail just as much as it paid thirty years ago, while all other transportation rates have greatly decreased in that time. —Public Opinion.

Aldebaran.

Like a fire in the field of night,
I saw the Red Star shine,
The Red Star, the gypsy star,
And I claimed its light for mine;
The watcher by the flame,
The guide o'er moor and fen,
That beckoning waves his rosy torch
For wild and wandering men.

Like a disk of the ruddy gold
I saw the Red Star glow,
The Red Star, the gypsy star,
That roves in the roads of dream;
Across the empty years,
He flung his splendid staff,
As a Roman plays his rosy wand,
In the shade of the low tent door.

Like a horseshoe on the forge,
I saw the Red Star glow,
The Red Star, the gypsy star,
Whose trail the vagabonds know;
Beating the bounds of earth,
Beneath the alien skies,
They went with joy in their homeless hearts
Who have seen the Red Star rise.
—Fall Magazine.

McClellan Hard to "Rattle."

A citizen who is intimately acquainted with George B. McClellan, mayor of New York, declares that he has not a nerve in his being. "I have seen him in some close quarters, but have never seen him change color or appear the least concerned," he adds. "He may have wounds to nurse and nurses them, but if he does he goes into a back room to do it. Just once since he has been in office has he quailed at any proposed ordeal. The health commissioner wanted him to take a ride in a new model ambulance, but the mayor declined, saying he was afraid. 'But there is no danger,' 'No danger!' said the mayor. 'I guess you don't know about the jokers of the American press? Excuse me.'"

An Unanswerable Argument.

There are some children whose arguments are unanswerable. To this class belongs one of the pupils at the Indian school at Chamberlain, S. D., a prim, grave, little maiden, whose name is Arrow. She is a chief's daughter. Her father and mother are quite civilized, and she is being brought up in a household as civilized as any Bostonian's.

One day she said to her mother: "I wish I had a new doll."
"But your old doll," her mother answered, "is as good as ever."
"So am I as good as ever," little Arrow retorted, "but the doctor brought you a new baby."

Chinese Ambassador's Vacation.

Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, Chinese ambassador at Washington, has rented the house of the late H. H. Goodell in Sunset avenue, Amherst, Mass., for the summer months. He will take his family, his private secretary and a retinue of servants. Two summers ago he spent a few weeks with Mr. Goodell. His boyhood days were spent in Amherst and he is well remembered by the older citizens.

To Train American Sculptors.

Samuel Bowles, a banker, will establish a school of modeling in Rutland, Vt., which he will endow with a sum sufficient to pay its running expenses. His purpose is to educate American children in the art of sculpture in order that it may not be necessary for Vermont manufacturers to secure foreign workmen in this branch of the industry.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

WHY PERE MARQUETTE MEN WERE TO BE DEPORTED FROM CANADA.

THE GAS GANG OF PHILADELPHIA BEATEN BY THE MAYOR'S HOT FIGHT.

CHICAGO TEAMSTERS' STRIKE GOVERNED NO LONGER BY SHEA.

Canada Tries to Get Even.

The attempted deportation of Pere Marquette railway officials at St. Thomas, Ont., is the direct result of alleged interference on the part of United States government officials with Canadian subjects at the Niagara frontier. This fact was brought out by Frederick W. Stevens, general counsel for the Pere Marquette, in an interview with Premier Laurier, who stated that this enforcement of the alien labor law in Canada at this time is the result of interference by the United States government officials with Canadians at the Niagara frontier. "Minister Laurier stated these complaints have become so numerous his government was forced to act. Many complaints are also made against interference by the United States fisheries department." "The settlement of the deportation controversy will necessarily involve a settlement of these complaints, will it not?" Mr. Stevens was asked. "Well, such is the inference which must be drawn, although that subject was not mentioned by the prime minister," he answered.

Absolute Surrender.

Civic honesty has triumphed. The Philadelphia gas steel was suddenly shelved Saturday afternoon at the end of a two-hour conference between "Boss" Durham and Thomas Dolan, president of the United Gas Improvement Co., to which the city's gas plant was to be handed over for seventy-five years. Dolan wrote a letter to the president of select and common councils formally withdrawing the proposition and that's the end of the job.

The surrender of the gang is complete and absolute. The mayor's victory is crushing and far reaching. In five days, from being the most negative official that ever held office under a municipality he has become foremost among the mayors of great American cities. Single handed he attacked an organization of 20,000 officeholders, completely put together and ruled by an absolute autocrat—perhaps the most powerful political organization ever built up in the history of American politics—and after five days of bitter fighting the autocratic head of that organization ran up the white flag. Durham's lines were broken in a dozen places; his lieutenants were deserting him in groups and political annihilation stared him in the face. With an eye on the future he surrendered. Philadelphia is wild with joy.

Shea Removed.

The general executive board of the Chicago teamsters' union has taken the management of the strike out of the hands of President Shea, and it will be managed hereafter by the members of the executive board, and the local strike committee. After assuming charge of the strike the executive board issued a statement which announced that the struggle would be continued along the same lines and to as few men in this city as possible. The teamsters are very sure at the action of the building trades in withdrawing their moral and financial support and demanded of the latter what they meant by "going back" on the teamsters.

It was made plain to the teamsters that, in the opinion of the building trades, the drivers had overstepped their jurisdiction in causing members of their union to do constructive work. The particular cause of complaint was that teamsters employed in handling safes and vaults had placed the safes in buildings. This part of the work, the building trades contend, belonged to the builders.

Millions in It.

That Miss Helen M. Gould was made the victim of a \$2,000,000 swindle is one of the startling revelations in connection with the suspension of the Merchants' Trust Co. Miss Gould has brought suit in Richmond, Va., alleging that she was induced to take up securities of the Virginia Passenger & Power Co., on which a loan of \$1,500,000 had been obtained from the Merchants' Trust Co., and that she was induced to do this as a result of misrepresentations concerning the Virginia company's earnings and that the receipts of the companies, which are a consolidation of street car and lighting companies of Richmond, were padded. The situation is further complicated by threats to prosecute certain directors of the Merchants' Trust Co. for criminal conspiracy and a petition for the removal of Frederick D. Kilburn, state superintendent of banks.

Martial law has been proclaimed at Warsaw, and Cossacks and infantry quelled the riots that had been in progress for about 24 hours.

Dr. McGuire, Richmond, Va., advises fighting consumption by burning dwellings in which persons afflicted with the disease have died.

President Roosevelt has ordered that convict labor be not used on government works. An Arkansas contractor got the ruling when he asked permission to employ convict gangs on river improvements.

A New York court has ruled in the case of Louis Levin, a bankrupt lace merchant, that falsifying a mercantile report to secure a good rating in a commercial agency and thereby procure credit, is a crime. Levin has been convicted on a charge of second degree grand larceny.

Norway is said to be getting ready to make war on Sweden over the question of separate consular representation.

PAID PENALTY FOR HASTE.

Messenger Boy's Speed Resulted in Spectacular Tumble.

A district messenger boy emerged from a big office building on Nassau street and to the amazement of passers-by, began to run. He had not gone far when his foot caught in some obstruction and he fell. It was not the ordinary fall. It was a picturesque, acrobatic performance. He landed on his stomach with hands and legs outstretched.

It had just stopped raining and the asphalt was slippery. In addition, there is quite a down grade at Cedar street, where the sudden drop of mercury took place. So when he struck the roadway he kept on going toboggan fashion, for a foot or two, his hands and feet being used as brakes. When the headway finally was checked, the messenger boy arose, slowly and sadly. His once natty blue uniform was a finished study black from collar to the ends of his trousers. There was some bark of his hands and a gasp in one knee of his trousers seemed to open its dumb mouth to protest against such treatment.

"That's what I get for runnin'," said the boy sadly, as he entered a convenient hallway to cleanse himself with a "latest edition" handed to him by a sympathetic observer.

Making the Garden Pay.

"This garden has a southeast exposure," said Uncle Bob, "which is the best. I shall have all of the rows of vegetables running north and south so that they will get the full benefit of the sun. I am going to divide it with a path running each way for convenience, and I shall cultivate entirely with hand tools. I rely particularly upon my combined double and single wheel hoe, hill and drill seeder, which saves me many an hour of back-breaking, hard and uncomfortable work during the summer.

Lettuce and radishes may be sowed in many odd corners of the garden, without interfering with other crops. Oftentimes crops fail to come up in various places in the garden, and these vacancies may be filled with beets, carrots and turnips. The latter may be planted as late as the first of September, and carrots up to the first of August. My early lettuce is followed by cabbages or excelsior peas. I often put turnips in the ground which has just grown a crop of peas. You will be able to find pretty nearly all kinds of common vegetables in this garden. I don't always succeed with everything, and if I had only a very small garden, I should confine myself, I think, to a smaller list." —Suburban Life.

A Memorial Day Memory.

The sentry challenged at the open gate
Who passed him by, because the hour was late.
"Halt! Who goes there?" "A friend."
"All's well."
"A friend, old mate." A friend's farewell.
And then the long last notes were shed,
And shrilly clarion's echoes dead;
And sadly as I stood without
Those last sad notes of all: "Lights out!"

And never more for me the bayonet's flash.
The trumpet's summons. Oh, the crumb-bling ash.
Of life is hope's fruition; fall
The withered friendships, and they all
Are sleeping. Day by day
The fabrics of our lives decay.
And change unseen, and melt away—
Aye, perish like the accents of a call,
Like martial warnings from Life's grim
Like these last notes of all: "Lights out!"
—John K. Rathorn.

Where He Showed Up Strong.

At a session of the New Hampshire state grange a member from Belknap county, a substantial old farmer and ardent admirer of ex-Gov. Charles A. Busiel, called upon Commissioner Julien F. Trask at his office in the state house. Gov. Busiel's portrait had just been received and hung in the council chamber, and Commissioner Trask took his friend in to see it. The farmer expressed great satisfaction with and admiration for the portrait, and also for the ex-governor. And as he gazed at the features in the portrait, he exclaimed: "Well, there, Jul; Charles has got a mighty fine physick, hain't he?"

Asparagus and Radishes in Same Row.

Asparagus is one of the best vegetables for the amateur's home garden. It is perfectly hardy, never fails to produce a crop, is one of the very first vegetables ready for spring and yields until June.

It grows on any ordinary garden soil, but is surprisingly improved by high cultivation and heavy dressings of rich manure. It is a seed of slow germination, so it is well to plant radish seed in the same row—they will mark the row so that weeding can be done, break the surface of the soil to prevent baking, and give you a crop of radishes as a sort of extra dividend.—Garden Magazine.

Lesson of Memorial Day.

It is well that on one day in the year the high example of the Union soldier should be held up before our people. Love of country consists in service rather than in profession. Public good must ever be preferred to private good. And surely when so many Americans were willing to give all that they had for the country, we of today ought at least to be willing to forego mere personal advantage when it can only be won at the expense of the land which we all love. This is the lesson of Memorial day, and it is one that we greatly need to learn.

GOVERNMENT LIGHT.

HISTORIC CHICKAMAUGA PARK ABLAZE WITH ILLUMINATION.

United States System of Lighting Military Post Pronounced Gratifyingly Successful—Six and One-Half Miles of Mains—Sixty-Five Street Lights.

Chickamauga Park Ga., May 31.—The United States government has here in operation one of the largest acetylene gas plants in the world. The military post at the entrance of the historical Chickamauga battlefield, where thirty thousand Union and Confederate soldiers were lost in the memorable battle of Sept. 19 and 20, 1863, contains about one hundred buildings, the seventy-five principal ones of which are lighted with acetylene. To accomplish this six and one-half miles of mains and two miles of service pipes are in use, while sixty-five street lamps brilliantly illuminate the avenues of the post.

In 1903 the War Department installed a test acetylene plant at Fort Meyer, Virginia. The results were so gratifying and the superiority of the illuminant so evident that the government, March 20, 1904, placed the contract for the Chickamauga plant, in which every citizen of the United States should have his pro rata of pride.

But the government has not confined its acceptance of acetylene to this military post. Since becoming satisfied of the efficiency, superiority and economical advantages of this particular illuminant, the United States has installed a number of plants in Indian schools and other government institutions.

Acetylene gas is one of the simplest as well as the most perfect of artificial lights. It is made by the contact of water and carbide, (a manufactured product for sale at a nominal price), is absolutely safe and gives a beautiful white light soothing to the eyes and nerves. It can be produced anywhere—in the farm home, the village store, the town hall, the church—and is so easily maintained as to be practical for all classes.

It is a matter for national congratulation that in beautifying so historic a spot as Chickamauga, nothing but the best, including the lighting system, has been deemed good enough for the American people.

Enthusiasm of Value.

Any decided interest in life, whether it is dignified by the name of an occupation or is simply an enthusiasm, or even mentioned slightly as a fad, is eminently desirable.—Chicago Journal.

Are the Packers Receiving Fair Play?

When the Garfield report on the business methods of the packers appeared, after eight months' investigation, it was severely criticised and roundly denounced. After three months of publicity it is significant that those who attempted to discredit it have failed to controvert the figures contained in that exhaustive document. The public is beginning to notice this omission, and the feeling is rapidly growing that the sensational charges out of which the "Beef Investigation" arose were without foundation. If the official statements of the report are susceptible of contradiction, a good many people are now asking why the facts and figures are not furnished to contradict them.

The truth seems to be that most of the charges contain unfounded sensational assertions. A flagrant example of this appeared in a recent article in an Eastern magazine, to the effect that "forty Iowa banks were forced to close their doors in 1903-4 by the Beef Trust's manipulation of cattle prices." Chief Clerk Cox, of the banking department of the Iowa State Auditor's office, has tabulated the list of banks given in the magazine article and has publicly denounced the statement as utterly untrue. He gives separately the reasons for each failure mentioned and officially states that they have been caused by unwise speculations and by reckless banking methods. It may be well to suspend judgment upon the packers until the charges against them are proved.

Gen. Gomez will probably be nominated for president by the Cuban liberals.

Health is Your Heritage.

If you feel sick, depressed, irritated; if food disagrees with you; if you are constipated, or get tired easily, something is wrong. There is no reason why you should not be restored to perfect health if you will write for a trial bottle of Vernal Pameltona, made from Saw Palmetto Berries which possess wonderful curative powers for all diseases of the Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder. Thousands of sufferers have been permanently cured. Write for free sample, Vernal Remedy Co., Le Roy, N. Y. Sold by druggists.

A man's memory sometimes plays quagmire if it is asked to forget the incident as quickly as possible.

In the summer time it is estimated that a cow will require about one part of protein to five and a half parts of carbohydrates, while in the winter the carbohydrates should be increased to six parts to each one of protein. This is assuming that the ration consist of foods that are easily digested; for if they are not the use of energy in digesting the food is another element of uncertainty.

Men show consideration for the disappointments which comes to children.

Many Children Are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, Break up Colds and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists. 25c Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

A Slip of the Tongue

BY KENNETT HARRIS

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The night was bitter cold. It was an unpleasant night altogether to be out in, for the wind intensified the raw chill in the air and carried with it sharp particles of sleet that drove into the face and stung. Then, too, the branches of the trees overhead swayed ominously, and it seemed that their creaking might at any moment be succeeded by the sharp crack of rent timber, and flying oak branches are hard to dodge in the dark. Instinctively the man in the fur coat moved closer into the shelter of one of the brick buttresses of the high walls. He had heard of such things as "judgments."

"But they don't happen nowadays," he said to himself with a laugh. "Transgressors are too thick, and half of our best people would be killed off."

With this reassuring reflection he moved out from the wall to where he could get a better view of a light that burned brightly in a corner of the black shadowy bulk of a house at the end of the avenue. Then he looked at his watch by the glow of a cigarette that he was smoking. "Five minutes more to the appointed time," he muttered. "—and the Lord knows how much longer after that. I'm too ardent. I suppose when I've done this a few more times I shall get hardened and make the lady wait. She ought to take this as a test of devotion at least."

He shivered and drew his coat collar closer about him and then began to pace rapidly up and down, keeping well in the dense shadow of the wall, however, and avoiding the gravel of the driveway.

"I feel like a burglar," he murmured as the distant sound of a man's voice sent him back against the wall. "Perhaps a sneak thief would describe me better. I imagine old Cauley won't think that's any too harsh an appellation. I wonder how he'll take it! Philosophically, I hope. It would be foolish to make a fuss about it. I guess that was somebody passing along the road."

"I don't know that anybody could blame me," he resumed, after listening until the voices and footsteps had died away. "She's pretty enough to tempt anybody, if that were all, and then—well I'm not sure that I really meant it when I asked her to cut loose. Anyway, I didn't think she would take me up so quick. Who'd have thought that there was so much of the devil under that saintly exterior? And now it's come to this!"

He looked at the light which still shone out boldly, unblinkingly. "That means she's still there," he said. "Perhaps it hasn't come to this. It doesn't seem possible, really. I heard Cauley say that he knew positively she hadn't missed a church service in her life. She's president of Tenthly's Mission Aid and she wouldn't call on Mrs. Pemberton because she is a Unitarian."

Moved closer into the shelter of the higher walls. "I wonder what you're thinking of, up there, my lady!" He lit a fresh cigarette, cautiously, and again looked at his watch. "Five minutes past the time now," he said. "Perhaps she's thought better of it. And now the clouds are blowing over and the moon will be out the next thing. I'll look up an almanac next time. But there won't be any next time. If she doesn't come and—"

The light he was staring at was suddenly extinguished and he gave a gasping sigh and threw away his cigarette. "She's coming, all right," he said. "The clouds were now scattering fast and the moon shone dimly forth between the rifts from time to time. Still the wall was in shadow and in that shadow the man waited until, through the trees that skirted the driveway a slight female figure hurried toward him and at his low whistle ran, threw herself into his arms and clung to him.



Threw herself into his arms.

more than half an hour, but any time seems long away from you, dearest and fairest."

"You shouldn't exaggerate," she said, in tones of gentle reproof. Then: "Shall we go? Take this bag."

"What is in it?" he asked as he took a tiny leather satchel from her hand. "My jewels."

"His jewels," said the man, stopping short. "Mildred, I don't want you to bring these with you."

"Don't be absurd," said the woman. "They're not his, they're mine, he gave them to me. Come, let's go!" She forced the satchel upon him and taking his arm urged him forward to a side gate in the wall, which she unlocked and opened. They passed out into a lane, from the end of which came the quick throbbing sound of a stationary motor car.

"Are you well wrapped?" asked the man, solicitously, yet coldly.

Without answering she checked him, and, throwing her arms about his neck, forced his head down to hers. She was laughing. "Oh, but you are silly!" she said. "Are you going to kiss me?"

He drew her to him, passionately and for a few moments they stood locked in a close embrace. At last she pushed him away and taking his arm again hurried him on. When the motor car was reached they stopped and the man spoke in an undertone to the chauffeur, who nodded, without looking around.

"Come," said the man, grasping the handle of the tonneau door and attempting to turn it. "What's the matter with the thing?" he exclaimed, as it resisted his efforts. "Oh, d—n it!"

The handle had snapped in his hand.

"D—n it!" he said again, and in his nervous excitement shook the door. To his amazement it swung open. The handle had already been turned. He laughed and then extended his hand to help the woman in. But the woman was hastening back to the gate.

He ran and overtook her. "Mildred!" he cried, wonderingly. "What is it?" For her face was set in an expression of chill displeasure and she shook off the hand with which he strove to detain her.

"Tell me," he begged. "What is the matter?"

She neither replied nor slackened her pace.

"I shall not stop you if you have decided not to come with me," he panted. "But you must—"

She turned on him and he was silent before the horror and accusation in her blue eyes.

"You swore," she said in a shocked voice. "You swore." Then her eyes fell on the little bag he still carried. "Give it to me," she said, and snatched it from him. He stood astonished as she fumbled at the latch of the gates.

THE BOLAND ELECTRIC LINE.

Is There Still a Possibility of It Being Operated?

It would seem as if W. A. Boland had not yet given up the idea of the electric line through this place, in which he is interested, being put in operation.

At the meeting of the Grass Lake common council held Monday, May 22, he appeared before it and asked for a 90 days' extension of the franchise through that village.

Mr. Boland explained to the council the condition of the two companies whose interests were involved—the Jackson Consolidated and the Jackson & Ann Arbor—and said the latter company had \$475,000 invested between Grass Lake and Ann Arbor. He estimated it would cost about \$14,000 to complete the road to Dexter and about \$175,000 to Ann Arbor. He said he could not make any promise for the future, but he thought if he were given an extension matters would be adjusted in a manner satisfactory to all.

An official of the Jackson & Battle Creek line was in Chelsea Saturday afternoon last and in conversation with the editor of the Herald hinted that the road might yet be operated, although he did not make any definite statement to that effect.

Special Sale of Millinery.

For the next 30 days I shall sell my stock of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Flowers, Ribbons and Laces at greatly reduced prices.

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Piano Recital.

The pupils of Miss Helene L. Steinbach will render the following program at the recital to be given in the Congregational church Friday evening, June 2:

Doll's March, Adolph Schroeder. Laila Schieferstein.

Parade March, L. Koehler. May Steigelmaler.

(a) Serenade, F. Behr; (b) Reverie, F. Behr; (c) America. Piano duets—Master Frederick Spring and Miss Steinbach.

In May Time, Oley Speaks. Vocal—Miss Amanda Stein.

La Fontaine, C. Bohm. Irma Hutzell. Playing Soldiers, Th. Hirsch. Norma Turnbull.

Golden Ringlets Schottische, Arthur Cohen. Buchah Turner.

Alpengluhen, Theodor Oesten, Op. 193. Piano trio—Ethel Wright, May Siegelmaier, Phoebe Turnbull.

(a) The Joyous Peasant, Robt. Schumann; (b) Hand in Hand March, J. Rummel. Agnes Gorman.

Throwing Kisses, Carl Bohm. Miss Adah Schenk.

Vocal, selected. Laila Fletcher.

Cabaletta, Theo. Lack, Op. 83. Amanda Stein.

Jessamine March, F. W. Meacham. Lydia Hauser.

Under the Blossoms, H. Lichner. Phoebe Turnbull.

Sweetheart's Greetings, C. Bohm, Op. 327. Ethel Wright.

L'Alerte, fanfare militaire, Francois Behr. Piano duet—Miss Adah Schenk and Miss Steinbach.

Mignon, Guy d'Hardelot. Vocal—Miss Amanda Stein.

Farantelle, Heller. Alma Schenk.

Wm. Meanwell, of Ypsilanti, at one time a resident of Chelsea for five years, died at his home Friday, May 26. He was 82 years of age and last year celebrated his golden wedding anniversary. His wife and three children survive him.

Have You Ever

tried the one cent per mile excursions on the Jackson & Battle Creek Traction Co.? Every Sunday. Cool, clean, comfortable. No other line like it. 411f

The Herald contains all the news.

Personal.

Orin Thatcher was home from Ann Arbor Sunday.

Guy Lighthall was home from Pontiac Decoration day.

Floyd VanRiper was home from Mt. Clemens over Sunday.

Alphonsus Hindelang spent Sunday with relatives in Albion.

Miss Grace Dubois, of Ann Arbor, visited Miss Pearl Duart Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Hough, of Detroit, visited friends in Chelsea a few days this week.

Bennett Root, of Manchester, is visiting his aunt Mrs. H. Lighthall this week.

A. E. Foster and wife, of Owosso, spent the first of the week with relatives here.

Mrs. Jay Wood, of Lima, has gone to Hart, Mich., to visit her son Dr. Orla Wood.

Miss Marie Lusty, of Sylvan, visited Miss Margaret Skinner, of Sylvan, Tuesday.

Dr. G. A. Howlett and wife attended the Fruhauf-Tyler wedding in Ann Arbor Wednesday, May 24.

A. R. Welch, wife and daughter Vesta, from Pontiac, spent Decoration day with relatives here.

C. E. Whitaker and R. D. Walker went to Wolf Lake Sunday afternoon in the former's Oldsmobile.

John McLaren, Robert Jolliffe and Claud Henderson, of Plymouth, visited Chelsea friends Friday evening.

Mrs. Bourke and her daughter Miss Mary Bourke, of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. O. J. Walworth Sunday.

Mrs. Orla Wood came home from Hart last week to attend the funeral of her aunt the late Mrs. Godfrey Luick.

T. W. Mingay and wife spent Monday and Tuesday with their daughter Miss Nellie Mingay in Tecumseh.

F. H. Hough and wife, of Kalamazoo, spent from Saturday night to Wednesday with his parents S. H. Hough and wife, of Sylvan.

Miss Enid Holmes leaves Saturday for Oxford, Ohio, accompanied by her friend Miss Marie Sanford, of Newcastle, Ken., who has been visiting her for some time past. The young ladies will attend the commencement exercises of the Oxford Academy June 7, and then go to Miss Sanford's home, where Miss Holmes will make a visit.

He Sees Best

who sees the danger of continued eyestrain. Glasses fitted by Emil H. Arnold, optical specialist, Ann Arbor, will remove the strain and produce smiles.

The Staffan Undertaking Business.

We wish to inform the public generally that the undertaking business of F. Staffan & Son is still being carried on in all its branches, and that we are prepared to attend to all calls that may be made on us. Orders can be left with H. H. Fenn at Fenn & Vogel's store, with F. Staffan at his residence, or by phone.

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Announcement is made of the decision on the part of the electric railway men of Michigan, of which Messrs. Hawks and Angus are the leaders, to build an electric line from Jackson to Adrian to connect at the latter place with the Toledo & Western.

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Sylvan Center.

Geo. Merker, of Jackson, visited his mother Sunday.

Jacob Lamb, of Detroit, was the guest of Miss Luella Buchanan Sunday.

Mrs. M. Boyd and Warren Boyd, of Chelsea, spent Saturday with Mrs. H. C. Boyd.

Henry Norgard and Geo. Knoll, of Lima, spent Sunday with John Knoll and wife.

Mrs. Charles White and son Leo visited relatives in this vicinity a part of last week.

Myron Lighthall and wife, of Chelsea, were the guests of Miss Luella Buchanan Sunday.

Mesdames W. S. Hamilton and S. Evens, of Chelsea, visited Mrs. L. E. Buchanan Saturday.

Mrs. George Millsbaugh and son Kenneth, of Chelsea, spent part of last week with M. B. Millsbaugh and wife.

Austin Salisbury and wife, of Locke, spent the first of the week with their daughter Mrs. Lyman West.

Will Kellogg and wife and Miss Allen, of Detroit, were the guests of Charles Kellogg and family the first of the week.

Tired out, worn out women cannot sleep, eat or work; seems as if she would fly to pieces. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes strong nerves and rich blood. 35c, tea or tablets. Bank Drug Store.

Waterloo.

Florence Moeckel sports a new road wagon.

Eugene McIntee now has a Rural phone in his house.

Will Cassidy spent Sunday with his uncle John Welsh, of Dexter.

Miss Jennie Rothman spent the past week at her parents' home here.

John Moeckel raised the frame of his new barn last Saturday afternoon.

Children's day exercises will be held at the U. B. church, Sunday, June 18.

There were 26 births in Waterloo township the past year according to Supervisor McIntee's report.

George, Ernest and Susie Rowe and George Beeman attended the funeral of Wm. Meanwell at Ypsilanti Monday.

The Waterloo band helped the Stockbridge boys furnish the music for the Decoration day exercises at Stockbridge Tuesday.

James Bachman and Dr. G. A. Howlett, of Chelsea, and Will Howlett, of Lyndon, accompanied by their wives, spent Tuesday with Ernest Rowe and family.

Southwest Sylvan.

John Walz and wife spent Sunday at C. Young's.

Miss Mary Hawley spent the last of the week with Celia Heim.

A number from this vicinity spent Decoration day at Portage Lake.

Elmer Gage and wife spent Sunday with his uncle John Wortley.

Jas. Dann and wife, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. J. P. Heim.

John Monks, of Ypsilanti, spent the last of the week at the home of M. Heselschwerdt.

The Misses Blanche and Anna Wortley gave a quilting party Wednesday afternoon to a number of their friends.

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Lyndon.

Eureka Grange is planning to have an ice cream social June 16.

T. McKune, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with his brother John and family.

There was a social gathering of young people at South lake Sunday afternoon last.

Miss Margaret Young, teacher in district No. 11, Lyndon Center, and Mrs. Lucy Stephens, teacher in district No. 5, are going to join forces and hold a school picnic at South lake Tuesday, June 13.

John Clark and H. S. Barton have purchased a spraying outfit and intend to combat the insect enemies of their orchards. They have come to the conclusion that if you want to raise good fruit you must spray.

There is some vigorous kicking against the idea of having a mail carrier from Munith delivering mail to the people living on the two roads west from Lyndon Center. The most of the people of that section do all their business in Chelsea, have been accustomed to get their mail from Chelsea, and will positively refuse to take mail from Munith.

The D. Y. A. A. & J. opened up the excursion season to Wolf Lake Sunday by running two special cars to and from that resort. Going to Wolf Lake the special cars leave here at 9:50 a. m. and 2:58 and 8:58 p. m. Returning the cars leave at 12:00 m., 6:00 and 10:00 p. m. The fare for the round trip is 30 cents.

Unhappy Spanish Royalty.

The family of Don Carlos, the pretender to the Spanish throne, seems likely to establish a record for unhappy marriages. Of his three daughters, Donna Beatrice tried to drown herself in the Tiber, out of jealousy of her husband; Princess Elvira eloped with a married artist named Folchi, and recently Princess Alice, wife of Prince Frederick of Schonberg-Waldenburg, fled from her husband.—Leslie's Weekly.

The Underbred Man and the Girl.

One of the difficulties that a well-bred girl has to encounter in the working world is the underbred man. He regards himself as an eligible party and suspects every girl he meets of having designs upon him. He wears a conquering air that is highly disproportionate to his prowess in the tournament of Cupid, and is altogether a ridiculous and despicable object.—Truth.

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EIGHTH GRADE DIPLOMAS.

The Successful Candidates from This Section of the County.

Below is given a list of the successful candidates from this section in the eighth grade examinations held May 7. Out of the 186 candidates in the county who took the examination 108 received diplomas which will admit them to any high school in Michigan.

The youngest successful aspirant in the examination was Miss Anna Beatrice Young, of Lyndon district school No. 5. She is only 11 years old; a few more were 16 and 17 years of age, while 14 seems to form the average, which is also the average of the graduating eighth graders in the cities.

There never were so many applicants before, every township having some representatives. While there have been more failures this year than was anticipated, those who have failed should not forget that old motto of final success, "Try, try again," and seek to attain the completeness of education that is indicated by possessing the coveted diplomas.

Freedom, No 5, Emma Schaffer teacher—Nora Mann.

Dexter, No 5 Mary Whalian teacher—Johanna Haeckel.

Lima, No 4, Arthur Easterle teacher—Mina Cooper, Neva Conklin, Claire Tuttle.

Lima, No 7, Anna Stevenson teacher—Eva Dancer, Fred Lucht, Phila Winslow.

Lima, No 8, Mame Clark teacher—Arthur Schaler.

Lyndon, No 5, Mrs. Lucy Stephens, teacher—Inez Collins, Margie Goodwin, Ernest Pickell, Anna Beatrice Young, Vincent Young.

Lyndon, No 11, Margaret Young teacher—Noble Barton, John Smith.

Sharon, No 1, Martina Kusterer teacher—Elsie Feldkamp, Eva McNauey.

Sharon, No 3, Beatrice Lamming teacher—L. dia Kulenkamp.

Sharon, No 6, Mrs. Floyd Parke teacher—Chara Bowers.

Sylvan, No 2, Josephine Bacon teacher—Elsie T Hoppe, Elsworth Hoppe, Walter Riemenschneider.

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They Do Move.

Manchester Enterprise: Manager Mason, of the telephone office, has adopted a scheme to prevent people from using the stairway leading to the office as a loading place. He has driven some nails into the steps to which he has attached wires connected with an electrical battery and when a man sits down for a chat with a friend, or to read his newspaper he gets a shock that reminds him that it is time to move. Men do not seem to understand that their presence there prevents patrons from using the stairs. [It would be a fine thing if such a scheme be put in force in some of the stairways where the Chelsea youth delight to congregate and smoke, chew, spit and swear.]

A well known minister during his discourse one Sabbath morning said, "In each blade of grass there is a sermon." The following day one of his flock discovered the good man pushing a lawn mower about the yard and paused to say, "Well, parson, I am glad to see that you are cutting your sermons short."

His Family Went

on one of the popular Sunday excursions via Jackson & Battle Creek Traction Co. Every Sunday at one cent per mile. 41tf

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Had Two Cancers on His Face.

I was a great sufferer from asthma for twenty five years. For weeks at a time I could not lie down at night to sleep. Of course I doctored with every doctor in reach and used all the patent medicines on the market, but I got only temporary relief. I commenced to treat with Dr. Wilkinson, 25 Dwight building, Jackson, Mich., several months ago, and since then I have had but very little asthma and I have had no sign of the disease for two months. No one but asthmatics know how pleased I am to get cured.

I think all people having asthma should go to Dr. Wilkinson, for he can cure the worst kind of cases. Mrs. WM. HARE, May 6, 1905. Albion, Mich.

CANCER CURED.

R. F. D. No 4,
Grass Lake, Mich., Feb. 28, 1904.

I had two cancers on my face—one on chin and one on left cheek—for 5 months. The one on my chin was as large as a silver dollar. I failed to get relief elsewhere so I called on Dr. Wilkinson, Jackson, Mich. Dec 21, 1904. He removed two large cancers and today the wounds are healed up for the first time and the indications are now that I am permanently cured. GEORGE MAIN.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 18th day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Staphis, deceased.

James Taylor, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered that the 20th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for the allowance of said account.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELEND,
Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]
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Michigan Central Excursions.

To Jackson, Battle Creek and Kalama-zoo—Sunday, June 4. Train leaves Chelsea at 8:40 a. m. Fare for the round trip to Jackson, 35c; Battle Creek, \$1.05; Kalama-zoo, \$1.30. Returning train leaves Kalama-zoo at 7:00 p. m., Battle Creek 7:35 p. m., Jackson 9:00 p. m.

Sunday Round Trip Rates—Tickets will be sold at a rate of 1½ cents per mile each way to all points on the Michigan Central west of the Detroit river to which the journey in both directions can be made on the Sunday of sale by trains scheduled to stop at those points.



Wine of Cardui Cured Her.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-TENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 23rd day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Frank W. Meinhold, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Fred C. Haist, administrator of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at public sale for the purpose of paying debts and expenses.

It is ordered that the 20th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for granting such license.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELEND,
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PTER III.

Cashier's Matters at the Bank.

Constance was left a prey to anxious thoughts while Tony went on toward the mill building, a long, low-built structure on the river bank.

Tony asked to see Mr. Carter, and was directed to his office, a comfortable enough apartment at the rear of the building.

"Mr. Carter, have you seen Mr. Hamilton, this morning—or last night?"

"Seen Mr. Hamilton? What do you mean, young man? You ought to know I haven't without asking," he said irritably.

"Mr. Hamilton was at the bank last night, that's all, said Tony.

"And never came near the mill! Look here, Henderson!" he called. "Vane has come, and we can get him to straighten that consignment matter."

"By George, I'm glad of it. You know, Carter, I said this morning he was likely to walk in at any time."

"But it seems he hasn't," said Tony, coolly, amused, in spite of his anxiety, at their readiness to shuffle off their responsibilities. And then he told them the facts as he had done to Mrs. Hamilton.

"By George! That looks bad, don't it, Carter?"

"Yes; where can he be now?"

"That's the question. Perhaps he came back after something, and didn't want to trouble Constance by going there. She, of course, would object to his going away again, and he knows it. He knows very well, too, that his mysterious journeys vex her, as well they might."

"Where does he go, Carter, every year in May?"

"You know as well as I do, I only hope there's no danger in it, that's all. Seems as if there must be, or he would tell Constance."

"Mr. Carter, your niece would like to have you step up to the house."

person particularly resembling him.

Some people in Grovedale discredited Osborn's statement, while others averred that he must have been mistaken, though, without doubt, they said, he thought he was correct in making it. On the other hand, many believed that harm had come to the cashier after he left the building, while the bank officials thought the matter quite serious enough to call a meeting and look over the books, deposits and collaterals of the bank.

People who had money in the savings institution got wind of the matter, and the passbooks began to come in so rapidly the directors publicly announced that all should be attended to in due season, but that no irregularities had thus far been discovered, nor did they expect to find any. Mr. Hamilton was expected in three days now, when, no doubt, matters would settle in their old place. The bank examiner, meanwhile, would in any case soon be there. For the rest, Mr. Hamilton's bondsmen, Carter, Henderson and Deane, were responsible men.

And thus the matter rested, if it could be said to rest when half a dozen bank officials, aided by young Osborn, were industriously turning over all the bank books, looking up collaterals and deposits, which at one point showed a difference of several thousand dollars. But there were one or two erasures in the balance sheets, difficult to understand, and yet which might be made to come right in the hands of the bank examiner. It was too soon to say there was anything wrong.

No reply came to the letter Mrs. Hamilton had written, and the air by Tuesday night, which was just two weeks from the time Mr. Hamilton left Grovedale, was rife with a hundred rumors. At the station when the train whistled in, the platform was crowded with expectant people. Mrs. Hamilton with her children and Mr. Carter were all there, waiting, and trying to look placid and cheerful.

"Probably you are right. What else did he say?"

Mrs. Hamilton blushed and hesitated, and looked at his note-book. Mr. Bruce promptly closed it and put it in his pocket.

"You were saying, I think," he said, suggestively, but still he hesitated.

"After all, dreams amount to nothing—stray scraps of fancies, conversations and a confused jumbling up of what it would be too much to call ideas."

"I understand you," she said, keenly. "You think what he said may be of consequence. I think so, too; but please to recollect that when my husband spoke a woman's name in his sleep I did not mistrust his honor, nor do I now."

"Perhaps you will tell me what he said," looking her squarely in the face, for he perceived he had a woman of nerve and commonsense to deal with.

"I will. He said 'Lenora—Nora—a pretty name.'"

"Do you know anyone named Lenora?"

"No, I do not, and I have never heard my husband speak of anyone by that name."

"Still you think you can explain it. I can see that," he said.

"Perhaps that would be too much to say." Mrs. Hamilton arose, went to the bookcase, and took therefrom a volume of Poe's poems.

"He liked them very much, and I found a book-mark at 'Lenora.'"

Mr. Bruce took the book and read with not unattractive accent:

"How shall the ritual then be read?—the requiem how be sung? By you, by yours, the evil eye: by yours the slanderous tongue. That did to death the innocence, that died, and died so young."

"Poe's verse is very melodious, but that is one of his poorest poems. Still it might have haunted your husband's mind."

After a few more questions, Mr. Bruce took his leave, assuring Mrs. Hamilton that, without doubt, tidings would be got of her husband before long.

Then he went straight to the Essex House to learn what he could about the strange lady who had spoken to Mr. Hamilton on the street, for he had heard the meeting commented upon.

(To be continued.)

please, we will go over this matter as carefully and calmly as possible."

"Very well. Care, you may take your brother into the garden."

As soon as the children went out, Mrs. Hamilton turned an expectant face toward the detective.

"Now, madam, have you any idea where your husband has gone?"

"None whatever."

"I am told that every year since your marriage he has been away in the month of May and stayed, two weeks."

"Once he stayed but ten days; at another time he was gone fifteen."

"Have you any knowledge of his life previous to his marriage?"

"I know his birthplace. It was Elmira, N. Y. I knew his mother. He was an only child. His father died when he was five years of age. The family was once exceedingly wealthy, I have heard, but Vane, when I married him, was only moderately well-to-do, as we say here."

"How does your husband appear when he goes away?"

"Sometimes he seems troubled, at other times quite cheerful. But this time he appeared more worried than usual. He seemed very absent-minded, and he talked in his sleep a good deal the night before he went away."

"Ah! Mr. Bruce appeared interested."

"What did he talk about?"

"Of carrying heavy loads, and he complained that nobody would help him. 'I can't stand it. It is too much, too hard,' he said over and over again. I thought he referred to his business, which is very difficult to manage, for my uncle and Mr. Henderson are both disposed to leave all the details to Vane."

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SAD SIGHT IN INDIA.

Hillmen Stagger Under Burden of Immense Planks.

No sadder sight is to be seen in India than the spectacle of "The Men With the Planks," staggering along under their burden. Here is a grimly pathetic picture of them, drawn by Sir Frederick Treves:

"They are hillmen of the poorer sort who carry planks of sawn wood into Simla. Each beam is from twelve to fourteen feet in length, and two or three make up a load. The men are ill-clad, and the sun and rain have tanned them and their rags to the color of brown earth. They bear the planks across their bent backs, and the burden is grievous. They come from a place some days' journey toward the snows. They plod along from the dawn to the twilight. They seem crushed by the weight of the beams, and their gait is more the gait of a stumbling beast than the walk of a man. Their long black hair is white with dust as it hangs by each side of their bowed-down faces. The sweat among the wrinkles on their brows is hardened into lamentable clay. They walk in single file, and when the path is narrow they must needs move sideways. . . . The path is in a solitude among bare and pitiless hills; the road is as old as the world; and in the weary dust of it many hundreds have dropped and died. Along it steals this patient line of groaning men, bending under the burden of the planks upon their backs. Behind them a rosy-tinted light is falling upon the spotless snows, and it needs only the pointing figure of Dante on one of the barren peaks to complete the picture of a circle in Purgatory."

DAIRY NOTES

Adulterating Dairy Products.

The adulteration of dairy products does not mean only the putting in of bulky substances to deceive the customer that finally buys them. The term has a much broader meaning in the view of the law-making powers that have attempted to deal with the subject. Milk may be adulterated by the addition of water, and that is the most common way of adulterating it, but the man that adds any preservative adulterates his milk and is blamable under the law. The adulteration with preservatives is more harmful to the people than the adulteration by means of added water. When the water is added a little money is filched from the pocket of the consumer, but in adulterating by means of adding formaldehyde the producer takes the health away from the one that uses it, if the adulteration be heavy or if the consumer be weak.

Adulteration of butter consists generally of adding what is known as neutral oil and selling it for butterfat. But of late years other kinds of adulterations have been brought in, many of which are more subtle than that of adding a foreign substance to the butter. One kind of adulteration is to add more water than the butter would naturally contain by working the butter at a high temperature. A second kind of adulteration is done by churning at a high temperature, thus adding a large quantity of casein with the butterfat. The resultant butter is largely cheese and will develop a cheesy flavor in a few weeks if not used. In either case direct fraud has been committed on the consumer. Not only should every honest man refrain from adulterating his butter, but the officers of the law should be keen in hunting out violators of the law against adulteration.

The common way of adulterating cheese has been to add neutral oil and other compounds not butter or casein to take the place of butter fat that had been removed. That has been largely stopped by the officials, but the new way is to skim off part of the butter-fat from the milk that is to be made into cheese, giving a "full cream" cheese that is not full cream, but has in it too much casein. It is, in reality, a skim cheese, even though the milk from which it is made may be what is known as a "three per cent" milk.

Science of the Balanced Ration. At a convention of dairymen, in a discussion of the balanced ration, a speaker said:

All animals require in the food enough substance to meet the expenses of the body in carrying on its physiological functions. Every movement of muscle, the beating of the heart, breathing, etc., requires the expenditure of energy that comes largely from certain compounds in the food, which compounds we call protein. We know then that if an animal is to live and work, the food must contain protein sufficient to meet their constant expenses. The harder an animal works the greater these expenses, hence the more protein must the food contain.

Again, we give carbohydrates and fats to accomplish another purpose. The temperature of a cow is constant, practically at 98 deg. F. It is constant in man at the same mark. How essential it is that this constant temperature be maintained is very apparent in the human system when we realize that one-half degree below normal gives us a chill, while one-half to one degree above normal gives us a fever, either condition incapacitating the man for work. If we should attempt to keep the temperature of a box the size of a cow at 98 deg. F. by the aid of an oil lamp we would soon be made aware of the immense amount of heat thus required. The animal himself is constantly keeping up this enormous expenditure of heat, but she has only one source upon which to draw and that is manifestly the food consumed. The peculiar functions of the carbohydrates and fats is to keep up the body supply of heat, in fact they are more efficient as heat producers than are the other compounds of the food. The science of a balanced ration then consists in supplying enough protein to take care of the daily waste of protoplasm to the animal's body and in supplying a sufficient amount of carbohydrates and fats to maintain the temperature of the animal's body.

Clover and Corn Fodder. The time has gone by when corn as a grain can be fed to dairy cows in large quantities either ground or unground. Cheaper feeds must be produced, and they must consist very largely of clover and corn fodder, both of which still remain cheap. The clover will supply the protein and the cornstalks the carbohydrates, the one balancing the other, so far as the bulky matter of the feed is concerned. The problem of how to get a cheap concentrate is one that has not yet been worked out, as all of the concentrates are very high now and likely to remain so.

Dairy Law in North Dakota. A new law regarding the inspection of creameries has been passed in North Dakota. By it the state inspector is also made an instructor. It also provides for licensing creameries, cheese factories, renovated butter factories, and makes it the duty of the inspector to enforce all dairy laws now passed or to be passed in the future.

HAD TO SPEAK PLAINLY.

Cashier's Somewhat Stilted Politeness Misunderstood.

Such a dainty and dignified little old lady was she, and so different in every way from those who go to Chestnut street banks to have checks cashed, that the paying teller felt that he could not use the general phraseology of financial institutions when dealing with her. She approached the grating window almost timorously and, on taking the check from a very old-fashioned reticule which hung about her wrist, presented it to the teller.

It called for a large amount, and somehow he could not bring himself to utter the brusque "How'll y' have it?" she was so much a picture of the olden days, of those times when phrases were gently turned, when "lady" had a real significance.

In trying to be formal he became merely stilted, and murmured, "Denomination, please?"

The prim old lady looked up in a puzzled fashion, smiled and then said: "Why, Presbyterian. I didn't know that made any difference in banks."

The teller had, after all, to drift into the language of the commonplace.—Philadelphia Press.

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Another of those remarkable cures by Cuticura, after doctors and all else had failed, is testified to by Mr. M. C. Moss of Gainesville, Texas, in the following letter: "For over thirty years I suffered from painful ulcers and an eruption from my knees to feet, and could find neither doctors nor medicine to help me, until I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills, which cured me in six months. They helped me the very first time I used them, and I am glad to write this so that others suffering as I did may be saved from misery."

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One day last week, W. T. Knight, a prosperous farmer of the eastern part of the county, gave a rail-splitting, and there's one tree in particular that we want you to take notice of, viz.: This tree made four cuts, ten feet long. The first cut split 107 rails; the four cuts altogether made 325 rails. Staten Wetherington says it looks like a man couldn't get forgiveness for telling such a tale as that, but he says he's the man that counted them, and will vouch for the above statement.—Jasper (Fla.) Banner of Liberty.

Britisher Alarmed.

"Yesterday I bought," writes a startled Briton to a London newspaper, "some black jet buttons and when I got home I found on the card, 'Best Austrian make.' I took a pencil to write in my account book; I found it had 'U. S. A.' upon it. I sharpened the point and on the sharpener was 'New York.' I got out a match to light the lamp and on the box was 'Made in Sweden.' I lit the lamp and found on it, 'Made in Bavaria.'"

Willing to Use the Ring.

A country couple came in one day to Dr. George L. Perin's study at the Every-Day church to be married. During the course of a preliminary conversation Dr. Perin asked the would-be groom if they would be married with a ring. "Well, yes," he said, hesitatingly, "if—if you have one handy, I guess we will."—Boston Herald.

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"I had given up all hope of ever enjoying myself like other people, till one day I read the little book 'The Road to Wellville.' It opened my eyes, and taught me a lesson I shall never forget and cannot value too highly. I immediately quit the use of the old kind of coffee and began to drink Postum Food Coffee. I noticed the beginning of an improvement in the whole tone of my system, after only two days' use of the new drink, and in a very short time realized that I could go about like other people without the least return of the nervous dread that formerly gave me so much trouble. In fact my nervousness disappeared entirely and has never returned, although it is now a year that I have been drinking Postum Food Coffee. And my stomach is now like iron—nothing can upset it!"

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As a curious effect of the war, the China Review notes, sharks have migrated from the far East to European waters, having been frightened, it is thought by submarine explosions.

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Someone has lately discovered a new terror in the golf voice, necessitating a denouncement of golf for ladies. Unable to repress their natural propensity, even when separated by a considerable distance on the links, the fair golfers are accused of creating this new terror—a golf voice, loud, of course, and once acquired said to be incapable of control!

Breaking It Gently.

The boss was bending over a table, looking at the directory. The new office boy slipped up quietly and poked a note into his hand. The surprised boss opened it and read: "Honored sir: Your pants is ripped."

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"How about your general health?"

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"Do you regard yourself as entirely well now?"

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The handsome bachelor is not always safe in his confidences with the affairs of women.

Thompson's Eye Water

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LEGEND OF THE OSTRICH.

Dwells in Solitude as Punishment for Presumption.

Among the Arabs there is a curious legend to account for the ostrich's residence in the desert. "On a certain day appointed," so the story goes, "all created beings met together to decide upon their respective order and precedence. All went smoothly until the ostrich, pleading its inability to fly, disowned the birds and claimed to take rank with the mammals.

"These, however, would have nothing to say to a creature clothed not with fur, but with feathers, while the birds, when the ostrich went dejectedly back, repudiated it also as a traitor to its race. But the ostrich went on to the occasion and declared that being neither mammal or bird it must be an angel.

"At this all the other animals indignantly rushed upon the ostrich and drove it before them into the desert, where it has lived in solitude ever since, with no one to contradict it."

Turned the Tables.

A well known woman novelist tells a good story which rather goes against herself. While speaking at a working girls' club she gave the members some good advice, asking them how much they earned and counseling them to put by a certain amount from their weekly wages. A few nights later there was a ring at the novelist's own doorbell and a visitor was announced. It was one of the members of the club, who had come to inquire what the novelist's own income was in order that she might advise her how much of it to set aside. The novelist was, for once, at a loss for words.

In Record Time.

Piney Plains, Tenn., May 29th.—(Special)—Cured in two days of Rheumatism that had made his life a torture for two years, D. S. Hilton of this place naturally wants every other sufferer from rheumatism to know what cured him. It was Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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A CAT THAT HUNTS.

Is Property of California Man and Is Well Trained.

Lester Kilgariff of Sausalito, Cal., is the proprietor of a cat that in field trials would probably win as many medals as a retriever of the canine family, says a San Francisco special to the Cincinnati Enquirer. Lester is about 11 years old. Lester is not a magician. Neither is he from the old world. He is just a polite little fellow who has already learned how much can be accomplished by kindness, patience and persistence. He has been helped to train Minnie—that's the cat's name—by another animal companion of his in the shape of Don Roderigo, a dog of the species point game and to bring to the hunter's feet the birds the gun brings down.

"Mr. Osborne gave me Minnie," said Lester, "when she was just a little kitten. That was about eight months ago. She is half Maltese. When I started off to shoot bluejays in the hills here I coaxed Minnie to come along with Rod—that's the dog—and myself. At first she was inclined to devour the birds when they fell, but Rod and I soon made her understand that it was her duty to bring the birds to me. Of course, when I think she is hungry I let her have a jay or two, but so as not to spoil her I make her mind me all the time, and do not let her feed on anything I shoot unless she first carries it to me."

POSTING HIS SISTER'S BEAU.

Little Brother Made all Things Right for the Evening.

He was a naughty little brother; but little brothers always are naughty on such occasions. Sister's young gentleman was waiting patiently in the drawing room, and Tommy opened fire with:

"Are you going to propose to my sister to-night?"

"Why, I—er—er—what do you mean?"

"Oh, nothing! Only if you are you ain't a-goin' to surprise her. At dinner just now she bribed me an' my little brother to go to bed at 7:30. She's hung four cupid pictures on the parlor wall, moved the sofa over in the darkest corner, got ma and pa to go callin' next door, shut the dog in the cellar, an' been practicing 'Be cause I Love You' on the piano all the afternoon. You'll get her all right only if she tells you 'bout its being sudden, tell her it's all bunkum."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Boston's Rival.

In the course of an open-air political meeting held at Boyertown some time back a candidate for office endeavored to insinuate himself into the good graces of the voters by means of a fulsome eulogy. After descending at length on the sturdy qualities of its citizens he turned his eloquence to the town itself.

"Why," he exclaimed, "this is the center of the universe!"

"How do you make that out?" interrupted an old resident who enjoyed some distinction as a student of geography.

"It is very simple," answered the other, making a gesture toward the horizon. "See how the sky fits down all around."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Pestiferous Rat.

No place is sacred to the rat. From a sleeping man to an elephant there is nothing which he will not eat. Rats have eaten their way through a live pig and bitten off the legs of living birds. Some years ago the keepers of the London Zoological Gardens could not understand what made the elephants so restless, so uneasy on their feet. Investigation showed that at night the rats came out and gnawed off the thick skin growing about the nails on the monsters' feet. Apparently they must have fancied the horn of the rhinoceros, too, for regularly the keepers used to find flattened rats where the rhinoceros had been lying.

That Land So Fair.

O wondrous land!
Fairer than all our spirit's fairest dream:
"Eye hath not seen," no heart can understand
The things prepared, the cloudless radiance streaming.
How longingly we wait our Lord's command.
His opening hand!

O dear ones there,
Whose voices, hushed, have left our path-way lonely.
We come, ere long, your blessed hope to share;
We take the guiding hand, we trust it only.
Seeing, by faith, beyond this clouded air
That land so fair!

Queer Use for Mercury.

The use of mercury in the search for a body in the canal at Brentford this week is not altogether unprecedented. The advantage of mercury is that it finds a lower level than any other substance that could be employed for weighting grappling irons, and is of advantage in searching through mud or sand into which a body has sunk beyond the reach of ordinary dragging implements.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Cheerful Woman.

It is not great calamities that embitter existence; it is the petty vexations, the small jealousies, the little disappointments, that make the heart heavy and the temper sour. Don't let them. Anger is a pure waste of vitality. It helps nobody and hinders everybody. No woman does her best except when she is cheerful. A light heart makes nimble hands, and keeps the mind free and alert. No misfortune is so great as one that sours the temper.—Exc.

FIXING RAILROAD RATES.

Making railroad rates is like playing a game of checkers or chess. Communities to be benefited, producers, manufacturers or shippers to be aided represent the pieces used. Every possible move is studied for its effect on the general result by skilled traffic managers. A false move in the making of freight rates may mean the ruin of a city, of a great manufacturing interest, of an agricultural community. Railroads strive to build up all these so that each may have an equal chance in the sharp competition of business. So sensitive to this rivalry are the railroads that in order to build up business along their lines they frequently allow the shipper to practically dictate rates. Rate making has been a matter of development; of mutual concessions for mutual benefit. That is why the railroads of the United States have voluntarily made freight rates so much lower in this country than they are on the government-owned and operated railways of Europe and Australia that they are now the lowest transportation rates in the world.

Cheerfulness As a Tonic.

Cheerfulness, says Ruskin, is just as natural to the heart of a man in strong health as color to his cheek; and, wherever there is habitual gloom, there must be either bad air, unwholesome food, improperly severe labor, or erring habits of life. Cheerfulness is the best promoter of health, remarks Addison. Replings and murmurings of the heart give imperceptible strokes to those delicate fibres of which the vital parts are composed, and wear out the machine. Cheerfulness is as friendly to the mind as to the body.

Those Newspapers.

"Now about those numerous scandals," observed the Poblek philosopher, as he bit off a fresh chew of navy plug. "The situation is just this: The papers say they wouldn't print 'em if the people didn't read 'em and the people say they wouldn't read 'em if the papers didn't print 'em, and there ye be."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Keep Children Busy.

The child who has plenty to do does not get into mischief, and the secret of success with boys and girls is to give them so much that is interesting to do that there is no time for mischief.

Billville Item.

"We know a fellow," says the Billville Banner, "who got married the other day and killed himself when presented with a bill for house rent. It does look like the women won't rise up and make a living for the men these days."—Atlanta Constitution.

Backache, "The Blues"

Both Symptoms of Organic Derangement in Women—Thousands of Sufferers Find Relief.



Mrs. J. C. Holmes

Emma Cotrely

How often do we hear women say: "It seems as though my back would break," or "Don't speak to me, I am all out of sorts?" These significant remarks prove that the system requires attention.

Backache and "the blues" are direct symptoms of an inward trouble which will sooner or later declare itself. It may be caused by diseased kidneys or some uterine derangement. Nature requires assistance and at once, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound instantly asserts its curative powers in all those peculiar ailments of women. It has been the standby of intelligent American women for twenty years, and the ablest specialists agree that it is the most universally successful remedy for woman's ills known to medicine.

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Dr. J. E. Waggoner, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I can most heartily recommend your Castoria to the public as a remedy for children's complaints. I have tried it and found it of great value."

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