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MAKING IMPROVEMENTS

AT NORTH END OF Cavanaugh LAKE.

Hon. Frank P. Glazier is Providing Himself With an Ideal Summer Home--Graveling the Driveways.

Hon. Frank P. Glazier, with the addition of a tract of land which he recently purchased of G. E. Sumner, now owns about 200 acres of land at the north end of Cavanaugh Lake, and he has a force of men and teams employed every day making improvements in what is already an ideal spot for a summer home.

On the land that Mr. Glazier recently purchased, and near his cottage is a lake, some 48 feet deep, in fact the deepest in this vicinity, but about 5 feet below the level of Cavanaugh Lake. The outlet of this lake is to be shut off and the lake enlarged to cover fully 40 acres of land. This will necessitate the cutting away of the timber on a portion of the recently purchased land. When the work is completed, it will be one of the finest private lakes in Michigan.

Among the many improvements Mr. Glazier has in mind, is the erection of a commodious summer home, a short ways south of his present cottage. The new home will be arranged with apartments for the caretaker, who will reside there the year through. Carpenters will soon commence work building a large barn.

One of the improvements that is fast nearing completion is the mile stretch of road along the east shore of Cavanaugh Lake. For sometime past men and teams have been engaged in building, what is conceded to be, the finest driveway in Washtenaw county.

All these improvements involve a vast amount of time, labor and money and few realize the magnitude of the undertaking, but the result will be a summer home of unusual elegance and only a few miles from Mr. Glazier's home and business at Chelsea.

INCOMPETENT AND DECEITFUL.

Whites Files Cross Bill and Answer to \$50,000 Damage Suit Brought by Mrs. Millen—Millen Claimed to be a Failure.

William J. White and Harry W. White, and the White Portland Cement Co., defendants in the \$50,000 damage suit recently brought against them by Mrs. May Millen, Monday filed an answer through Stivers & Kalmbach, their attorneys, covering ten closely typed written pages and the cross bill including some forty-three counts covering forty pages in all in the allegations made in Mrs. Millen's bill of complaint are answered at length and other serious charges of incompetency, fraud, wanton expenditure of the firm's money and other charges made against Millen in his management of the White Portland Cement company.

The story of how Millen got Millionaire White interested in the cement factory, as told by Mr. White himself, displays a remarkable bit of diplomacy upon the part of the deposed secretary and manager, Harry W. White; son of the capitalist, says that his attention was first directed to the cement factory at Four Mile lake in the summer of 1903 when a friend of his by the name of Kincaid asked him as a personal favor to investigate the plant as he, the friend was seriously considering the matter of investing in the enterprise. The younger White did so with the result that he became interested himself through the representations of Millen and in November of the same year, he procured Millen an interview with his father in New York City and the agreement under which Millen has since been operating as secretary and manager of the company, was perfected.

The defendants now charge that the whole scheme was a deep laid plot on the part of Millen as shown by the alleged transfer of some \$25,000 of the stock of the company to Kincaid by him in recognition of his services.

White says that Millen represented himself to be a man of twenty-eight years' experience in cement manufacturing and said that he was in possession of a secret process by which cement could be manufactured at a cost not exceeding 60 cents per barrel; that the deposits of marl and clay were so rich that the factory would have no trouble in making 500 barrels per day, which would realize for the firm a profit of \$50,000 per year. He is alleged to have further represented to White that he controlled and owned hundreds of acres of land around the lake and that the indebtedness of the West German company had all been paid except \$5,000 and that work on the new factory had already been commenced. Upon the representations, the elder White says that he promised to invest \$75,000 in the concern and loan and equal amount with a first lien as security.

Now the defendants charges Millen with intention to defraud from the very

beginning and in the fraud allegation, the large home around which much of the interest in the trouble has centered, still occupies the position of honor. White denies that Millen ever had any authority to build the home with the funds of the concern but that he did so upon his own responsibility at a cost of some six or eight thousand dollars and then furnished it luxuriantly, and heated it, lighted it and supplied it with water from the plant, employing special help for that purpose at the expense of the firm and at an enormous cost, "burning up money at the rate of \$25 or \$30 a day," in the language of the bill.

Again in the charges, it is alleged that the plant was built on Mrs. Millen's eighty-acre tract for the express purpose of eventually cheating the Whites out of the whole property by an alleged evasion of the proper dealing of the property to the firm when the corporation was reorganized.

White backs up his charges of incompetency against Millen by pointing out that cement was never and can never be manufactured in the Lima plant at a profit, all that has been marketed up to date having cost over \$1.15 per barrel, and that Millen contracted to sell 83 car loads of this for \$1.00 per barrel less ten per cent commission.

The defendants ask the court to compel Millen to give an accounting of the money handled by him since he reorganized the company and an injunction has been granted by Judge Kinne restraining Millen from interfering with the property of the concern.

Tuesday morning Wm. J. White began suit for \$50,000 against the White Portland Cement Co., of which he is president, for money he claims to have advanced personally. He furnished the Bartlett Co. of Jackson, which has a five year contract for the output of the cement plant and which owes the company between \$12,000 and \$15,000.

SUES FOR DAMAGES.

John Kelly Has Filed Declaration for \$10,000 Damage Suit Against the M. C. Railway Company.

In the suit started by John Kelly of Chelsea against the Michigan Central Railway company, the judge having taken the case from the jury for reasons not quite satisfactory to the plaintiff, the case was dismissed and last Friday morning the plaintiff's attorney for Mr. Kelly, filed a new declaration covering the same claims. The damage is placed at \$10,000 and the case will be ready for trial at the October term of the circuit court.

A carload of rail, was being unloaded from a flat-car at Dexter, December 31, 1903, and one of the rails fell upon Kelly's left foot. The member was badly crushed, and the injured man holds that the responsibility for the occurrence lies with the company.

Kelly imputes the blame to the railroad on the grounds that they did not use the latest and most improved machinery for unloading rails. They did not furnish a derrick for the work, but had a gang of men take the rails from the car with crow bars.

The assistant roadmaster is charged with negligence on the grounds that he did not direct Mr. Kelly to proceed in the work and stationed so many men on the car that those on one end could not see what was happening on the other end. The danger of the unloading process was not apparent to Kelly, he says, and there were so many in the gang that he could not see what was going on and could not avoid being struck by the falling rail.

MRS. CATHERINE PIERCE.

Catherine Cassady was born at Madison, Morris county, New Jersey, March 12, 1828, and died at her home in Sylvan township, Friday, August 4, 1905, aged 77 years, 4 months and 23 days.

At the age of ten years she accompanied her parents to Michigan, and resided with them on a farm near Sylvan Center. She was united in marriage to Hiram Pierce, December 4, 1848. To them were born eleven children, nine of whom are left to mourn the loss of a loving mother and a kind and faithful friend.

The funeral was held from the home where the deceased had lived for fifty-seven years, last Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. F. Stiles, of Hudson was the officiating clergyman, preaching from "Though, I pass Through the Valley." He paid a beautiful tribute to the dear departed as the "home-keeper." She has passed "through the shadow" and entered into everlasting light.

Dear Gus:—I have solved the mother-in-law problem, just give her regularly Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will make her healthy, happy and docile as a lamb. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Bank Drug Store.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thoma's Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

The "Celery King complexion" is what one Chelsea lady calls the beautiful skin that comes from the use of the tonic laxative, Celery King. 25c. at all druggists.

ENORMOUS PEACH CROP.

TREES LOADED WITH FRUIT.

Wheat Crop is a Good Yield—Rye is Not an Average Crop—Other Farm Products Seem to be in Fine Condition.

The promising forecasts relative to a large peach crop which were made earlier in the season seems to have been verified. All of the orchards in this vicinity are heavily loaded and the reports from the peach belts in, other sections of the state are of a similar character.

Thos. Fleming, of Lyndon, is one of the largest peach growers in this vicinity. His orchard covers thirty acres, and the trees are so heavily laden with fruit, that many of them have been broken down. For the past two weeks Mr. Fleming has been selling in the markets of Chelsea, Stockbridge and Grass Lake, some fine varieties of early peaches and from the present indications he will gather an enormous crop of choice late peaches. This orchard, alone, it is estimated, will produce more than 1,000 bushels of marketable fruit. Adjoining the larger orchard is another of 1,200 young trees of well known varieties, that will begin producing fruit in about another year. With an acre of blackberries and his peach orchard to look after, Mr. Fleming will undoubtedly be one of the busiest men in Lyndon, (except Sundays, when he will not do business,) for several weeks to come.

The apple orchards around Chelsea, give promise of about one-half of the usual crop, while the plums and pears, it is claimed, will be averaged crops, as compared with former years.

The farmers in this vicinity have been greatly interested during the last few months as to yield of the present wheat crop, it being generally anticipated the yield in Michigan this year would be one of the largest in years. In all parts of the state wheat has seldom looked finer than this season, and from inquiries made by The Standard of a few farmers, who has threshed their wheat, it learns that the yield has run from 21 to 28 bushels per acre, which seems to verify all earlier expectation.

The farmers who have threshed their wheat in this vicinity, report that the yield is about the usual average. The oat harvest will be nearly all completed this week.

The outlook for an enormous corn crop was never more promising than at the present time. Beans and potatoes are in good condition and the indications are that the farmers in this part of Washtenaw county, will start in the coming winter with well filled barns.

WILL HOLD REUNION.

The committee in charge has issued the following appeal to their old comrades: "The thirty-eighth annual reunion of the 22nd Michigan Volunteer Infantry will be held at Ann Arbor, Michigan, Wednesday, August 23, 1905. Headquarters will be at the Cook House, in that city. Business meeting promptly at 10:30 o'clock a. m. A banquet will be furnished by the citizens at 1 o'clock p. m. It is desired that every comrade do his best, he and his girl, to come and visit his old comrades in arms again. Street cars will be at your service on that day. The art gallery and museum of the U. of M. will be open and committees in attendance to escort all who may desire to visit these interesting collections. Come if you possibly can. Our days are far spent and in a few more years our last reunion roll call will have been called."

MAKING A WAR MAP.

The following special dispatch from Ann Arbor appeared in the Detroit Free Press last Sunday: "The national war department is engaged upon an important work in this section. Lieutenant Phillipson, of Fort Wayne, has been detailed to draw a war map and will ride 4,000 miles on horseback over roads included in a district of one mile in latitude and one mile in longitude. This embraces Washtenaw county and one or two townships in adjoining counties.

"The map will show the rivers and streams, the elevations of railroads, conditions of roads and vantage defensive points. It is understood that the government is about to do the same thing in all border states."

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Last Thursday night about 11:30, the inhabitants of Jerusalem were aroused by the cry of fire! The alarm was caused by the discovery that the property of Albert D. Redies, the village blacksmith, was on fire. Both, his residence and the blacksmith shop, located not far from the house, were entirely consumed by the flames.

The neighbors assisted in saving a portion of the household goods, but the tools in the shop were all destroyed. The properties was insured in the German Mutual Fire Insurance Co., for \$1,075. The entire loss of Mr. Redies is placed at about \$1,700.

A Grip, A Telescope, A Suit Case, A Trunk.

You will want one for your vacation. Our assortment is good. Look it over.

Imitation Alligator Grips 50c.

Imitation Leather Grips \$1.25, \$1.35 \$1.50 and \$2.00.

All-Leather Grips \$2.75, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

Telescopes, Brown and Drab, all sizes, 65c to \$1.50.

Suit Cases from \$1.25 to \$6.00.

Trunks, any size you want, built to stand the wear and tear of travel, from \$6.00 down to \$2.50.

Respectfully,

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It's Preserving Time!

We've the Fruit, of course, and the Sugar, and the Jars.

Rubbers, if you need them, and glass tops, too.

In fact, what is there that we haven't for the canning season?

Highest Grade Granulated Sugar.

That's what most people now want for preserving. It gives the fruit a better flavor and makes it bright in color.

17 pounds best Granulated Sugar, \$1.00.
Pint Cans, per dozen, 55 cents.
Quart Cans, per dozen, 65 cents.
2-Quart Cans, per dozen, 80 cents.
Best Can Rubbers, per dozen, 10 cents.
Good Can Rubbers, per dozen, 5 cents.
Best Can Tops, per dozen, 25 cents.
Standard Mocha and Java Coffee, pound, 25 cents.
Jackson Gem Flour, per sack, 70 cents.
Graham Crackers, 3 packages for 25 cents.
Large Bottle Vanilla Extract, 20 cents.
The Best Tea in town, try it, pound, 50 cents.
Full Cream Cheese, per pound, 13 cents.
3 cans Pink Salmon for 25 cents.

AT THE

BUSY STORE,
FREEMAN BROS.

THE CHELSEA STANDARD.

G. C. STIMSON, PUBL.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

A circus press agent turned 6,000 people away who wanted to see the show one day last week.

Buffalo boasts that it is the coolest city in the country. We predict that it will quit this inside of six months.

Hungary is said to be contemplating following Norway's example. This will make another opening for a king out of a job.

The next book agent who tackles New York's smart set may have to make frequent visits to the free lunch emporiums.

The weather man has treated corn well lately. Now the farmers would like to have him give the grass a little due attention.

Why should anybody waste good photographic plates on Harry Lehr, when it would be just as easy to snap Maxine Elliott?

The Rochester Democrat publishes an article on "How to Make a Revolver Safe." The best way is to bury it and forget the place.

A married woman in Spain has been in a trance for thirty-one years. There's one marriage where there is no connubial squabbling.

The Sultan of Turkey has decorated Senator Bacon of Georgia. But no man should be judged according to the source of his decorations.

When the Persian minister at Washington was asked if it were true that the shah was coming to America, his only answer was, "O, pshaw!"

After reading the list of swells included in the "Fads and Fancies" book some persons might be willing to pay about \$15.00 to be left out.

Whenever the Canadian courts have nothing in particular on hand they turn in and render a few more decisions in the Gaynor and Green case.

A California millionaire who ran his automobile against a milk wagon was killed. That was about as near lese majesty as it is possible to get in this country.

A New York architect has been made sick by the bite of a kissing bug. As he is a married man, the neighbors have their own opinion about it.

A New York judge has decided that a girl after a lovers' quarrel is entitled legally to keep the ring. That may be, but a girl of the right kind would not want to.

What a delight it is to listen to the young lawyer, just admitted to the bar, when for the first time in his life he has an opportunity to talk in public about "my client."

Doubtless the Philadelphia doctor who believes that his plan for getting to the pole is much better than Peary's has read a great many books about Arctic exploration.

"Divine providence miraculously preserved his majesty," the sultan of Turkey, from the murderous attack of an assassin. Then providence must have some use for the sultan.

Premier Balfour, having been defeated in the House, resumes his customary attitude of "philosophical doubt." He doesn't quite know what to do, and won't hurry to do it.

A woman in New Jersey, who has just died at the age of 93, remembered being kissed by Lafayette when he came to Paterson. And Lafayette probably forgot her inside of five seconds.

A New York magistrate sentenced a defendant to kiss his wife once a day, and there was no sour old bachelor around to protest against the sentence as "cruel and unusual punishment."

After all, it is so seldom that complimentary things are written about the members of New York's "smart set" that they can hardly be blamed for their willingness to pay well for a little taffy.

One of our contemporaries has an article headed, "A Sad Drowning," thus distinguishing it from the gay and cheerful drownings which are so numerous at this time of year.—Hartford Times.

The marine hospital service is complaining bitterly that it can't get white mice enough to make serum for the book-worm, the cause of laziness. This sounds like Lewis Carroll, or else a pretty long souse.

King Alfonso is making preparations to visit Emperor William at Berlin. It will be wise for the women of Berlin to keep their babies off the streets when William and Alfonso go out in their automobile to see the town.

"One of the chief causes of the dullness of life," remarks an esteemed contemporary, "is the inability to listen to one's self in nine people out of ten." Evidently that editor and his friends differ as to the brilliancy of his conversation.

NEWS OF MICHIGAN

MURDERERS OF MOYER NOW IN DETROIT PRISON CELLS.

CAPTURED IN CLEVELAND WITH THE MOYER JEWELRY IN THEIR POSSESSION.

JOHNSON IN "SWEAT BOX" BLUDERS SADLY INTO WORDS THAT MAY LEAD TO CONFESSION.

The bloody and cruel murder of Pawnbroker Moyer, in Detroit, between 6 and 7 o'clock on Friday, the 28th of July, and the escape of the murderers with the valuable jewelry and diamonds, for which they had committed the crime, seemed to baffle all attempts of the police to take them. On Friday came the startling news that two men had been arrested in Cleveland who answered the description of the supposed murderers, and who had in their possession a large amount of diamonds, watches, etc., which bore the tags of the murdered pawnbroker. The Cleveland police are reticent about the source of their information, but the two men were in that city, but that they had a "straight tip" seems very evident. It is said the "tip" came from a pawnbroker with whom one of the men tried to pawn some jewelry. They gave their names as Harry Parker and Harry Johnson. They had just \$22.16 in their possession and both were attired in natty black suits, fresh from the store. About \$3,500 was the value put on Moyer's goods. The valuation of the property found in the possession of the suspects will reach that amount, it is thought, when inventoried at the prices fixed on the stolen property.

The police are sure that they have the proofs to fasten the terrible crime on the two men who can be traced as leaving Detroit for Cleveland on the D. & C. boat the night the crime was committed; that they visited Buffalo and returned to Cleveland, where they were arrested and many other evidences.

From the boy who saw the murderers escape over Moyer's rear fence, from the Ohio men, later located by the police, who also say they saw this escape; from the boat official who can identify Johnson and Parker who left Detroit on the Cleveland boat a few hours after the murder, and from other more or less trustworthy sources will come the identifications which may fasten the crime upon the two Cleveland suspects.

Two women pickpockets, known to the Detroit police and the Cleveland department, are said to have made the trip to Cleveland with Parker and Johnson, and to have talked with the men on the boat, cannot be found at present, but when picked up are expected to be used in identification of the suspects. It is thought they were working partners of the crooks.

The manner of the escape of the two men after they emerged from the alley and ran out on Randolph street, where they disappeared from the view of those who saw them leave the alley, will probably never be revealed.

In spite of this cordon of officers, the men, unnoticed, walked aboard the D. & C. steamer and went down the river even while the officers were searching every conceivable spot for them, and while suspects were being brought in at the station. The manner in which the men so boldly walked down to the dock and boarded the steamer bears out the supposition that they had all arrangements made whereby they could discard their bloody clothing and don other garments, effectually hiding all evidence of the struggle they had had with the unfortunate Moyer, when he was struck down.

Stolen Papers Returned.

Lieutenant of Detectives Lally of Detroit has been the recipient of a mysterious package, the contents of which proved to be a number of checks, notes, and other important papers, aggregating in value over \$25,000. It appears that a few weeks ago the office of the Crystal Salt company at St. Clair, Mich., was entered by burglars who blew the safe. Very little cash was stolen, but all of the firm's papers, books, checks, notes, etc., were carried away. Weeks have passed since and the firm had already given up hope of the recovery of their property. Now the burglars, evidently realizing that they cannot dispose of their booty, have returned it to Mr. Lally, who sent it back to the firm in St. Clair.

Sanitary Conditions Good.

Secretary Shumway, of the state board of health, is firmly convinced that the sanitary conditions at Alma college were in no wise responsible for the outbreak of typhoid fever which resulted from a banquet served at the institution in June. He says there is nothing to show that the college was in any way to blame for the outbreak, as the premises are in good condition and the water supply above suspicion.

Thursday night's lightning storm struck John Murry, a Muskegon citizen, while he was abed and asleep, and he will probably die.

Gen. James Carnahan, major-general of the Uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, died Thursday at his home in Woodruff place after an illness of two weeks.

William J. Oberdorfer, of Stephenson, has been appointed by Gov. Warner a member of the state board of agriculture. The upper peninsula has not heretofore had a representative on the board.

Eighteen acres of land within the corporate limits of Ann Arbor has been sold for \$25. This isn't a slump. The land is on the Whitmore lake road, is known as "Sunnyside," and you need a ladder to get to it.

STATE BRIEFS.

The trolley road from Lansing to Pine Lake is finished and regular car service began Sunday.

Henry Hoffman, an old citizen, of Metz, has been killed by falling to see a train coming upon him.

Five cases of typhoid have been reported in Kalamazoo within the past week, and the health board is looking for the cause.

A company is prospecting for coal on quite an extensive scale at Bentley, just west of Standish, and there are all kinds of indications.

Gov. Warner has issued a proclamation setting Wednesday, August 9, as Michigan day at the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland, Ore.

Frank Alcott, a Toledo business man camping on the Au Sable, near Grayling, has been fined \$10 and costs for killing a deer out of season.

Judge Carr of the circuit court has ordered a grand jury for the September term of court, the first in Cass county since the March term, 1899.

The attorney general has sent an agent to Alpena to conclude the settlement of the cases commenced against homesteaders on state lands.

The 2-year-old son of Capt. Thomas Wills, of Norway, drank some gasoline left in a cup on a window sill after some cleaning and died in 20 minutes.

John O. Ross, miner in Pere Marquette No. 2, lies in a plaster cast in a Saginaw hospital, having been crushed by a fall of slate in the mine.

After 20 years as a section foreman on the Michigan Central railroad, Dennis Kiley, Jr., of Standish, has quit railroading and will be a coal dealer.

Claud Russell, sent to Ionia reformatory from Kalamazoo county March 21 for two years for criminal assault, has been paroled by the state pardon board.

Lightning struck in ten places, mostly in Augusta township, one day last week and among other damage killed four hogs, three horses, two cows and one mule.

Gov. Warner has commuted to 15 years the 20-year sentence of John Mallach, who shot Frank Glawacki, when several drunken men attacked him on his own porch.

The marksmen of Co. D, First M. N. G., challenge any three men from any one company in the state, slow firing, 200, 300, 500 and 600 yards, totals of each man to decide the contest.

Ray Bedell, aged 12, living at Aloha, on the Detroit & Mackinac railroad, pulled obstructions on the track and nearly wrecked the northern flyer. He is now in the county jail and says he just wanted to see a wreck.

South Haven was a wide open town Sunday and thousands of visitors from Chicago and other places came to help the liberal citizens celebrate. It is said that an appeal has been made to Gov. Warner for troops to enforce the laws.

John D. Doyle, aged 27 years, a former Detroit millwright, was scalded to death in the plant of the Helmbach Forge & Rolling Mills Co., a branch of the American Car & Foundry Co., in East St. Louis, Ill., Saturday.

Forest fire started Wednesday afternoon a few miles east of Haakwood in Cheboygan county, and are still raging with considerable fury. About 100,000 feet of logs which were cut and skidded were consumed. The loss will be considerable.

Five strike breakers were held for trial in Saginaw on the charge of murdering Henry Wick, Jr., who was shot on June 7, at the opening of the street railway strike. The five are: Fred Harris, E. E. Johnson, W. D. Hurlbert, James Sullivan and Anton Tubak.

The body of the man killed by St. Joseph's train last week at St. Joseph, has been identified by Dr. F. M. Gowdy as James Gray, a farm hand in his employ. Gray was once charged with murder, but proved an alibi. He later served time for robbing mails.

Oscar L. Robinson, aged 57, of Ann Arbor, committed suicide by hanging Thursday morning. He was married a month ago yesterday, his bride being Miss Martha McKinnon, sister of his first wife who died about a year ago. Robinson had been despondent for the past two weeks.

Assistant Adjt.-Gen. Wyckoff, of the Michigan department, G. A. R., has forwarded to the national department his report for the first half of 1905. It shows that during the six months the department lost 288 members by death and had a total membership of 11,954 at the close of the period.

George Gage had been out of work a long time at Decatur, Ill., when his home and contents were burned, his wife barely escaping with a tiny babe in her arms. He came to Battle Creek six months ago and secured work at Advance Thrasher Works. Saturday evening he suddenly dropped dead.

Detroit has added many thousands to its population by the annexation of Delray, Springwells and Woodmere. The first Monday in April, Annexation day, Michigan will lose its largest village. According to the last state census Delray had 6,627 inhabitants. Its population at present is estimated at about 7,500.

Heavy rains caused dams to burst near Bridgeport, Conn., Sunday, and great damage to property was caused. One man, Wm. Koweski, was drowned.

Earl W. Jenks, formerly of Belvidere, Ill., a coal prospector, has been made the Arab sheik in Kena, Egypt, and commands a turbaned clan of 200 Bedouins.

A 175 foot fall from a wireless telegraph mast at Springfield, Mass., did not kill John W. Johnson. He landed in some soft mud and a broken leg is his chief injury.

Percy Pembroke, a 16-year-old San Francisco boy, has confessed that he held up, murdered and robbed Thomas Cook, a neighbor, all because he wanted a little spending money.

Ten thousand harvest hands are wanted in the northwest for the wheat harvest, about to begin. Wages range from \$1.75 to \$2.50 a day. Grand Forks, N. D., wants 3,000; Fargo, 1,000; and a number of others anywhere from 50 to 1,000.

HISTORIC MEETING

THE ENVOYS OF PEACE MEET AND GREET EACH OTHER.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S TOAST MAKES A PROFOUND IMPRESSION.

AT PORTSMOUTH, N. H., BEGINS THE WORK OF ENDING A WAR.

History was made in Oyster Bay Saturday. Russians and Japanese clasped hands and greeted one another with all outward evidence of cordiality and for the first time since nations began to have relations one with another, an executive of a great power received the envoys of two belligerent countries on a mission of peace. President Roosevelt, on behalf of the United States and its people, extended formal greetings to the representatives of Russia and Japan, introduced the plenipotentiaries to one another and entertained them at an elaborate luncheon, at which Russians and Japanese fraternized with one another as comrades rather than as enemies. The occasion was impressive. It was attended not by pomp and ceremony, but by a simplicity and frankness characteristic of the president and the people of America. Due honor was paid the distinguished guests of the president and of the country and they were received with all the dignity to which their exalted rank entitled them.

The envoys of the two countries were received by the president on board the Mayflower separately. The Japanese envoys who arrived on the cruiser Tacoma were the first to board the ship and be received by Mr. Roosevelt. Soon after the cruiser Chattanooga came to anchor about half a mile from the Mayflower and the Russian envoys who were on board were transferred to the reception ship. After receiving the members of the Russian suite and presenting all in turn to his personal guests, the president then brought the two sets of envoys together, introducing them formally to one another. It was a notable scene as the diminutive Baron Komura shook hands with the giant Witte at the instance of the president of the United States. The greetings of the members of the two special missions were distinctly formal, but not the slightest suggestion of enmity was shown on either side.

Although the luncheon was served with the other guests standing, the president escorted the four envoys to chairs in one corner of the saloon and in half a minute through tact and delicacy, the whole party was engaged in animated conversation over their dishes. The conversation generally was in French, as Mr. Witte speaks very little English. Baron Rosen and Baron Komura chatted as if they had been lifelong friends and Minister Takahira, at no time particularly communicative, entered into the conversation with zest and interest. During the luncheon President Roosevelt proposed a notable toast:

"I propose a toast to which there will be no answer and to which I ask you to drink in silence, standing. I drink to the welfare and prosperity of the sovereigns and peoples of the two great nations whose representatives have met one another on this ship. It is my most earnest hope and prayer in the interest of not only these two great powers, but of all mankind, that a just and lasting peace may speedily be concluded between them."

There was no mistaking the earnestness and sincerity of the president's speech. Every one in the little group, even those who did not understand the language he spoke, was deeply impressed, not alone with the momentousness of the occasion, but each word seemed to impress more thoroughly upon each mind the fact that they had a great duty to perform and that this was what was pointing the way.

With this sentiment the president left them. It was a scene that will never be forgotten by those who witnessed it. On one side the huge Russian, M. Witte, and on the other side Baron Komura, the diminutive, both so typical of the country they represent. For just a second the eyes of these two great men met those of the man who was speaking and sought each other's.

The sessions of the envoys for the two countries will be held at the navy yard in Portsmouth, N. H., for which the envoys sailed on the Mayflower and Dolphin, the Galveston escorting them.

Girl Outlaw Captain.

A girl outlaw, 18 years old, who appears to have captained a gang of thieving desperadoes, is in custody of Sheriff Henry S. Wilson of Bennington county. She will not tell her name. One of her male companions is dead with a bullet hole through his heart and two others are in jail. The camp where the battle took place was found fitted with tents, bedding, cooking utensils, good clothes and stolen plunder of all kinds, including enough provisions to last a month.

Creditor's Dividend.

Creditors of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick will receive a total dividend of about seven mills on the dollar when the matter is finally settled, according to Referee in Bankruptcy Remington. The assets will amount to \$25,000, it is expected, against which are claims for attorneys' fees and court costs amounting to \$10,300, leaving about \$14,700 with which to meet \$200,000 of indebtedness.

No. the average man doesn't understand classical music and he is proud of it.

AT THE SOO. FEATURES OF THE GREAT CELEBRATION OF LAST WEEK.

Ten thousand visitors invaded the Soo to take part in the celebration, which began at sunrise Wednesday morning, when the government ships boomed a salute. The United States had assembled all its available craft for the occasion, the most formidable of which was the Yantic, manned by the naval reserves. The naval parade proved to be an exceedingly pretty sight, all the government vessels, including revenue cutters, tenders and tugs, being gallantly decorated. Vice-President Fairbanks, Senator Burrows and a number of invited guests boarded the revenue cutter Tuscarora, which acted as the flagship of the fleet, while Gov. Warner and his staff, the legislative delegation and a number of ladies were on the revenue cutter Morrill. Then came the steamer Philadelphia, carrying Attorney-General Lemaire, the official representative of the Dominion government. The other craft in line were the patrol boat Mackinac, supply boats Partridge, Amaranth and Sumac, and the tugs Schenck, Merrick, General, W. A. Rooth and W. H. Seymour.

The land parade took place in the afternoon. Charles T. Harvey, who constructed the original Michigan lock in 1855, acting as grand marshal, and he was given an enthusiastic reception. Vice-President Fairbanks and Gov. Warner drove to the reviewing stand and each was the object of a good deal of attention from the crowd. The exercises on Thursday consisted of:

Invocation by Archdeacon Arthur H. Lord, of Sault Ste. Marie.

Address of welcome by Hon. Chase S. Osborn, of Sault Ste. Marie, acting for the mayor of Sault Ste. Marie.

Address, "The State of Michigan and the Building of the St. Mary's Canal," by Gov. Fred M. Warner.

Historical address, "The Development of the Lake Superior Region," by Hon. Peter White, president of the Lake Superior canal semi-centennial commission of 1905.

From 12 to 2 o'clock, intermission. Luncheon at the club room of Le Sault Ste. Marie club and Sault Ste. Marie Elks lodge for guests holding tickets.

Afternoon—Concert by First Regimental United States Infantry band.

Two o'clock, address by Hon. Theodore E. Burton, member of congress from Ohio, chairman of the house of representatives' committee on rivers and harbors.

Address by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, solicitor-general of Canada.

Address, "The Navigators of the Great Lakes," by Hon. William Livingston, president of the Lake Carriers' association.

Address, "The Future of American Commerce," by Hon. Julius C. Burrows, United States senator from Michigan.

The address of Vice-President Fairbanks was devoted largely to the fact that American and Canadian vessels were using the canal without reference to national policies. He hoped the time would never come when forts were necessary on our borders, but that we would continue to dwell in neighborly relations. He firmly believed that the United States was destined to become the greatest commercial power in the world, and the great lakes was a large factor in making it such.

PEACE ENVOYS.

THE RUSSIAN HIGH GUNS VISIT THE PRESIDENT.

Sergius Witte and Baron Rosen, Russian envoys to the peace conference, whose powers are so great that they could end the war in twenty-four hours, were guests Friday of the president and Mrs. Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill. They arrived in Oyster Bay over the Long Island railroad. They were accompanied by any other Russian officials. As the envoys alighted from their car they were met by confidential messengers from the president's official household and escorted to the station to convey them to Sagamore Hill. A considerable crowd of residents of the village had assembled at the station to see the distinguished visitors.

Assurance was given that the visit of the Russian envoys does not differ in any material respect from that of Baron Komura and Minister Takahira of Japan last week. Before the formal reception of the envoys M. Witte desired to pay his respects informally to President Roosevelt.

Clergymen to Hang.

Rev. J. G. Rawlins has been found guilty as an accessory to the murder of two children of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Carter, of Valdosta, Ga., and unless a higher court intervenes Rev. Rawlins and his sons, Milton and Jesse, and Alf Moore, a negro, will have to hang. The Rawlins sons and Moore were found guilty of the murder some time ago.

Rawlins and Carter were ministers in the Methodist church. A feud started and Rawlins plotted to wipe out the Carter family. It was arranged that Moore and Milton, Jesse and Leonard Rawlins were to go to the Carter home and kill the parents as they sat at the supper table. When the children ran out they were to be shot down. The assassins, however, arrived after the evening meal, and only succeeded in killing two of the children who came into the yard. Moore confessed the plot.

Two Children Eaten.

The drought has destroyed the harvest in Cebu, and the peasants are in eating roots and dogs and copra. Two known cases of eating of children have occurred. Others are reported. The merchants of Manila have sent \$5,000 to the relief of the sufferers. The government has given \$60,000 to buy rice and has suspended the land taxes. Doves of farmers, begging, are invading the cities.

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NATIONAL MATTERS

MEMPHIS HAS SHOTGUN GUARD TO KEEP OFF YELLOW FEVER.

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MILWAUKEE MEN IN THE LINE LIGHT ON BOODLE CHARGES.

Memphis will return to primitive shotgun quarantine methods which ruled during the epidemics of 1878-79, when fever patients died by the thousands. At a meeting of the city council it was decided to close Memphis to the world after 12 o'clock noon on August 7. A cordon of armed guards will be placed around the city, guarding all roads and intervening points and no person will be allowed to pass in unless he holds a written permit from the Memphis board of health. It is estimated that the cost of the shotgun quarantine will approximate \$50,000, which amount is expected to be raised by popular subscription.

The federal officers made no attempt to conceal the fact that the situation in New Orleans is serious, but they say it is not without hope, and that success is possible in spite of the fact that the fever has gained, particularly in the foreign neighborhoods below Canal street. One of Saturday's yellow fever victims is Archbishop Chapelle. The Memphis board of health, through Mississippi guards and the Louisiana naval brigade is considered to have ended.

Four Indicted.

Chas. E. Pfister, one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of Milwaukee, was indicted by a grand jury Saturday charged with stealing \$14,000 belonging to the Wisconsin Rendering Co., of Milwaukee. Indictments were also returned against John F. Dittmar, former supervisor, bribery; George F. Reichert, supervisor, bribery; Barney A. Eaton, state senator, bribery; Frank F. Schultz, former newspaper reporter, perjury. The indictment against Pfister alleges that on March 30, 1901, the accused was bailie of a sum of money said to be \$14,000 placed in his hands for the Wisconsin Rendering Co., to obtain for the company a large contract from the city for the disposing of garbage. It is charged that the money was not used for the purpose intended and that Pfister fraudulently converted the money to his own use.

Horrible Work of Sluggers.

The tortures inflicted for three weeks on William H. Wilder by three Chicago bandits in an effort to get \$160 he had concealed in a piano, have been the work of union sluggers, who turned Wilder loose a physical and mental wreck, after getting his money and torturing him in the most terrible way.

Every day and night Wilder's captors, who kept him naked and bound tightly, would visit him, prick him with brad awls, burn his feet with matches and his mouth with acid and pour water into his throat until he was unconscious. Wilder's tongue is a solid blister from acid and fire, his body is covered with burns, and his condition is critical.

The police believe the case will furnish clues to mysterious murders. Headless bodies bearing marks of inhuman torture have been found in the river, and heretofore there was no clue at all to the perpetrators. The existence of a sluggers' inquisition has been hinted at before, but the police scoffed at it.

Wilder said that his \$160 was discovered in his hand by his captors the first day and that one of them remarked: "It is now good union money." Wilder, as claim agent for the Johnson Express Co., incurred union enmity because of his fearless attitude, and had been warned by union sluggers that they would "get him."

A Russian Victory.

It is officially reported that two Russian torpedo boat destroyers appeared off Chung Ching on the northern coast of Korea Thursday morning and attacked the Keisho, a small merchant steamer. The destroyers fired sixty shots, seven of which hit the port side of the engine room and bridge, killing the captain and one boy and wounding two of the crew. The destroyers then ceased to fire and steamed toward Vladivostok. The Keisho was able to continue her voyage and escaped.

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STORM'S FURY. WESTERN MICHIGAN HEAVILY VISITED.

Reports from various points in western Michigan indicate that Thursday night's lightning and rain storm was the worst of the year. Several towns were isolated, having neither telephone nor telegraph service, nor communication by railroad. Bridges had been washed away and live stock drowned. Lightning caught the Indian creek went on under the Grand Rapids Brass and Iron Co. was put out of business, the valuable Iron Works crippled and the publican Oil Co.'s plant surrounded by water.

At Whitehall in six hours there were seven inches of rain. The Pentwater division on account of serious washouts. Peach orchards damaged badly.

The Canal Zone.

John Barrett, minister to Panama until a month ago, and now minister to Colombia, declares that the canal must be driven out of the hands of the United States. The effort is like a great battle, he said. The people of the United States must not be impatient if the progress of the canal is slow. They must remember that the scene of operation is 2,000 miles away from the base of supplies.

Saved the Girls.

Two Indian girls named Birch and Alder Kanawash were rescued from drowning Saturday night in the rapids of St. Mary's river by Hon. Chase S. Osborn, and the story has just been made public. Their boat upset and Mr. Osborn heard their cries for help from his houseboat. He succeeded in saving both.

After 41 years Henry Ducant, aged 63, has returned from New Mexico to his wife in Detroit. Married at Trenton, Mich., while on a furlough, he had rejoined the First Michigan cavalry at the front after four days' honeymoon. He resolved to postpone his return to his wife after the war until he had sought a fortune in western gold fields. All he has now is \$1,000 bank money and an income of \$10 per month.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Prices for cattle are about steady with last week. Butchers are buying sufficient for their wants, but seem to hold up. Only the best grades seem to be in demand. Good grades of which cows were a trifle higher but butchers were dull and selling at about last week's prices. Good grades of which cows were a trifle higher but butchers were dull and selling at about last week's prices.

Sheep: The run of sheep and lambs was 100 to 150. Good grades of which lambs, \$5 to \$7; light to common, \$3 to \$5; \$5 to \$6; fair to good butchers, \$4 to \$5; \$5 to \$6; culls and common, \$3 to \$4.

Hogs: The trade was active and 5 cents higher than last week, nearly all the work being done in the morning. Extra fancy bunch brought \$2.25 at the close.

Chicago: Good to prime steers, \$15.50 to \$16.00; poor to medium, \$12.50 to \$13.00; feeders and feeders, \$12.50 to \$13.00; cows, \$12.50 to \$13.00; butchers, \$12.50 to \$13.00; \$15.00 to \$16.00; bulls, \$12.50 to \$13.00; calves, \$12.50 to \$13.00; Texas fed steers, \$13.00

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"But our little girl is!" —
Here Marjorie broke in suddenly.
"I see our hostess beckoning to us."
She evidently thinks I should monopolize you, Mr. Small," and she hurried him away.

When Marjorie was alone, she lifted her hands to her burning cheeks and between a sob and a laugh, murmured, "At twenty-five one real ought to know better."

Wealthy.

"That old man has five beautiful daughters."
"And is he as rich in dollars as daughters?"
"Yes, sir. I think he's worth ju

Largest Flower in the World.
The largest flower in the world, it is said is the bolo, which grows on the Island of Mindanao, one of the Philippine group. It has five petals, measuring nearly a yard in width, and a single flower has been known to weigh twenty-two pounds. It grows on the highest pinnacle of the island about 2,000 feet above the level of the sea.

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ceiving protein for their upbuilding. One of these muscles is the heart, which has to work incessantly during the life-flush through the body. This muscle has a part in the work of producing what we call fat, because it must keep the machinery moving. Poor heart action means lack of thrust which in turn depends on vigor. A hog that lacks in vigor will fatten slowly.

So it appears that even for fattening to advantage and cheaply a plentiful supply is needed. Fatten degeneration may ensue if the food conditions are not what they should be.

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Frank E. Gleason, a farmer out of Warren, is able to see some good automobiles after his experience Tuesday. Mr. Gleason had a big lot of hay just ready to go in when one of his horses balked. A thunder shower was about to begin operations in the vicinity and he was in a quandary when a man who is visiting him rode into the field in his auto. Quick making fast a "hawser" to the axle of the hay rack, the load was snatched into the barn in short order. Boston Globe.

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A Kansas judge holds that jack-asses have an inalienable right to bray.

The list of possible and positive candidates for United States senator grows daily.

Owing to yellow fever, an embargo has been put on all business at New Orleans.

The Lenawee and Hillsdale farmers' picnic will be held at Devil's Lake August 31. Gov. Warner will be one of the speakers.

The authorities of South Lyons have put a stop to spitting on the sidewalks in that village. Another "knock-out" blow for the tobacco trust.

Russell Sage, one of the great financiers of New York, took a day off last Friday and celebrated the eighty-ninth anniversary of his birth.

Gov. Frank Hanley, of Indiana, has notified Governor Warner that he will be unable to attend the good roads meeting to be held in Port Huron August 29-31.

Senator Burrows will wish, before he gets through with it that Mrs. Almiria Kramer had done some other fellow the honor of naming him as trustee of her tramp trust fund.

American commercial interests gain decidedly in tariff negotiations at St. Petersburg, the czar's representatives being willing to withdraw retaliatory duties on machinery from the United States.

The last legislature passed an act imposing a fine of \$25 and costs or ten days in jail, where a person hires a livery rig to go to one place and then goes to another without notifying the liveryman.

Senator Stone of Missouri, in addressing a convention of dairymen, said he used to milk cows, and that he liked buttermilk so well he had cut off his mustache in order that he might drink it more freely.

A great pottery trust is now forming, with at least \$10,000,000 capital. It is said that it will have for its motto: "You may break, you may shatter, the vase of will, but the scent of the trust you hang round it still."

One of the state dairy and food inspectors visited Monroe last Thursday and found that there was twenty-seven barrels of adulterated vinegar in the stores of that city. Looks as if there might be something doing in the Monroe circuit court.

The fifth annual convention of the Michigan Hay Dealers' association was held in Jackson Thursday and Friday of last week. Congressman C. E. Townsend appeared before the convention on Friday and delivered an address on the railroad rate regulation problem.

The sheep on some of the Montana ranches do not seem to know the Canadian boundary line when they come to it. From one American ranch 2,000 sheep recently found the grass better in Canada, and there not being a chalk line to hinder, they strayed over. Now Canada is holding them for \$3,100 ransom.

United States Consul Norton reports from Smyrna that a discovery has been made of extensive deposits of petroleum-bearing rock in Mesopotamia, near the Persian frontier, and that a concession to develop the field has been granted to the company already engaged in constructing the Bagdad railroad.

To protect the interest of Chicago's grain trade all members of the board of trade are asked to report all discriminations in rates of freight or prices of grain that are against Chicago, particularly as considered in the movement of grain to the middle western markets and from the Missouri river to the gulf.

An Illinois farmer gives as his actual experience with cement posts that they will withstand winter weather as well as other posts; cattle will not break them; that any farmer where material is cheap can make his own posts at 10 cents each, and that the wire running through the posts is a positive protection from lightning during storms.

The preliminary report of Commissioner Yerkes, of the internal revenue bureau at Washington, D. C., shows that the receipts from all internal revenue sources during the year ended June 30, 1905, amounted to \$234,187,976, an increase as compared with the fiscal year of 1904 of \$1,284,195. The expenses of collection are shown to have been approximately \$4,693,439.

According to the Jack-n-Nitizen, some of the residents near Nunin are being shown in the limelight. One Saturday night recently five men were at the village tavern and became so boisterous that the merchants closed their stores and were in fear for their property. The five men were arrested, charged with disturbing the peace and paid heavy fines for the warm time they had.

THE MILLER EXAMINATION.

Held at Ann Arbor last Tuesday—Several Witnesses Examined—Case Adjourned Until Next Friday Morning.

The first testimony in the criminal procedure against Homer C. Miller, of Four Mile Lake, the deposed manager of the White Portland Cement Co., was taken in Justice Doty's court at Ann Arbor on Tuesday.

William J. White, president of the Cement Co., was the first witness against Miller. All other witnesses were excluded from the room.

White told his story. He said: "I went to the driveway near the Miller home with three men from the factory. They were John Maier, Wheeler and Waite. We went down there to remove a line fence between the Guerin and Millers. It was unsightly and prevented a short cut to the factory. I turned down the driveway looking to find the point of the fence we wanted cut out. Suddenly I heard a woman say: 'White I'll kill you.' As I turned around I found a revolver pointed at me. Then a click sounded as if the trigger had been pulled. It was Mrs. Miller. I grabbed the revolver and took it from her. Then I heard another sound at my back. I turned and saw Miller had a revolver pointed at me. It was a 32 or 38 caliber revolver.

"I pointed the revolver I took from Mrs. Miller and he retreated to the house. I backed him up until he got into the house and then he pointed the revolver at me through the window. As soon as I turned my gun on him, Miller backed up and did not seem to want to pull the trigger on me, although he would not lower his gun. He looked angry at me, and had his weapon within twelve inches of my head when I first discovered him. He said something that I did not understand."

At this point the revolver alleged to have been used by Mrs. Miller was exhibited in evidence. It had been sealed up in an envelope by White, Maier and Attorney Kalmbach. It was of 22 calibre and the chambers were filled with cartridges. When the cylinder was taken out it was shown that there was a mark on one cartridge as if the hammer of the revolver had struck it.

John F. Maier was brought on the stand and substantiated White's testimony as to the gun play.

Richard Wheeler, who was also a member of the fence party, substantiated White's testimony.

William O. Randall, an employee of the Cement Company, testified that about two weeks before Miller was discharged as manager, he heard Miller threaten to kill White. Neither the prosecutor or the attorney for the defense cross-examined this witness.

Prosecutor Sawyer stated that he had several more witnesses, but that he would rest his case on the testimony already brought out. The defense was not ready to go ahead Tuesday afternoon and the further examination was adjourned until Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

SARGENT GIVES WARNING.

Commissioner General of Immigration, Sargent, of Washington, D. C., sounded a note of warning to the country about the alarming influx of undesirable immigrants. He returned from an inspection tour at Ellis Island, where he saw such a large number of immigrants of the undesirable classes that he was astounded. In commenting on the subject, he said:

"Never, in all the visits I have made to Ellis Island, have I seen so many undesirable immigrants."

He repeated this statement several times, and was greatly impressed by what he saw. As a result of this visit he will recommend the enactment by congress of a law which will bar out these undesirable classes, and will raise the standard of the immigrants who are admitted. This is necessary, he declares, in order to maintain the high standard of citizenship. In discussing the causes for the conditions he found at Ellis Island, he said:

"Probably all the desirable immigrants came into the country earlier in the season, and the large number of undesirable ones could not secure passage before this time. The average for the year will not be so bad, I trust, as the better element which came during the first part of the year will equalize that now arriving. It is necessary, however, that something be done to get a better element of new-comers, as the low classes which arrive constantly are a menace to our country."

A number of Sylvan and Lima farmers were at Drain Commissioner Barry's office in Ann Arbor last Saturday afternoon to confer with him over the rate of assessment that had been levied upon them to pay the expense of the Luick drain in Lima. The principal fault that the farmers had was that the assessment roll did not include all who would receive benefit. The commissioner and the farmers finally settled the matter to their satisfaction. Some of the rates as announced when the contract was let have been lowered and others have been raised.

Jackson has two brewers a that during the year 1904 brewed 28,000 barrels of beer. The government receives an internal revenue of \$1.00 per barrel, making \$28,000 that was paid by the two concerns.

Try The Standard job department.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Pauline Borg is spending her vacation in Detroit.

Otto Steinbach of Adrian spent Sunday at home.

Wm. Schatz and family spent Sunday at Grass Lake.

Emet Page of Pontiac is the guest of relatives here this week.

Mrs. Mary Wortley is visiting old friends in Sharon this week.

Miss Grace Lawson of Pontiac is the guest of Miss Minnie Heber.

Wm. D. Arnold and wife are guests of Saginaw relatives this week.

Miss Helena Haag of Port Huron is the guest of Chelsea friends.

Misses Mina Steger and Laura Hieber are spending this week in Toledo.

Frank Beach and wife spent several days of the past week in Paw Paw.

A. E. Fletcher and family of Stockbridge are the guests of Chelsea friends.

Gilbert Gay and family of Stockbridge visited at the home of Jay Everett Sunday.

Miss Mary Nordman left Sunday for Toledo where she expects to spend some time.

T. B. Bailey and wife, of Manchester, are the guests of L. T. Freeman and wife.

Miss Grace McKernan left Monday for Chicago where she will visit her sister.

Chas. Steinbach and wife spent Sunday at the home of their son, Henry in Dexter.

Mrs. Mary Winans who has been visiting her son in Lansing returned home Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Hollis left today for Cleveland to make an extended visit with relatives.

H. I. Stimson left for Chicago Wednesday evening where he will spend several days.

Mrs. B. F. Tuttle left Wednesday morning for Chicago where she will visit her son.

Miss Minnie Steinbach of Ann Arbor spent Saturday and Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Fred Williamson and wife of Niagara Falls spent Tuesday at the home of Chas. Currier.

Miss Lillie Wackenhut has returned home after spending a week with Port Huron friends.

Mrs. R. Wort and Miss Pauline Oesterle of Jackson spent Sunday with their mother here.

Mrs. Nancy D. Curtis who has been spending the past year at Mason City, Iowa is visiting friends here.

William Durnard and Miss Mamie Riley of Bellows Falls, Vermont are guests at the home of Tim Drilane.

The Misses Cassie Ruberts and Carrie Simmons of Danville spent several days of the past week with Chelsea friends.

Charles Kelly, who has been spending three weeks with his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Murray, of Dexter, is home again.

R. W. Shaw and wife of Ypsilanti spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Freeman of this place.

Mrs. L. C. Binder and son, of Jackson, and F. W. Stapish and wife, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Stapish, of Lyndon, this week.

Geo. A. Lehman left Saturday for Fenton where he will meet a party of young ladies and gentlemen that he accompanied to a near by lake for a week's camping.

Mrs. Geo. E. Jackson returned from Denver the first of the week, whither she went to attend the 7th International Convention of the Epworth League, and also visit relatives at Canon City.

Edward Corwin and sister, Jane, of Plymouth, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Corwin is professor of English at Princeton College, Princeton, New Jersey.

Miss Georgie Vogelbacher of Wayne who spent the past week with W. H. Heeselerwerdt and family returned to her home Tuesday accompanied by her cousins, the Misses Nora and Agnes Donovan of Charlotte.

Beggars Print a Paper.

It has been discovered that the Paris beggars' guild circulates a four-cent weekly in Paris, giving the news of fraternity doings, articles upon the latest discoveries of means to wring tears and cash from the tender-hearted, announcement of society affairs at which beggars may hope for a rich harvest, want ads, such as: "A member seeks a colleague able to simulate fits," "Wanted—Blind boy, curly-headed, preferred, able to play the violin." The police, having found the list of subscribers, expect to be able to purge the chapel doors of watering places of many impostors.

The annual report of the United States land office for the district centered about Spokane, Wash., discloses that there are 2,250,423 acres of government land still unappropriated in the district. It covers Spokane, Stevens, Lincoln and Ferry counties, and portions of Adams, Douglas, Whitman and Okanogan counties. During the past fiscal year, ended June 30, the agent of the district disposed of 115,765 acres to settlers.

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CORRESPONDENCE

FOUR MILE LAKE.

Samuel Tucker was a Jackson visitor Saturday.

John Lucht and family were guests at G. C. Koengter's Sunday.

Several from here were in Ann Arbor Tuesday attending court.

Misses Maude and Mabel Coe are the guests of Ypsilanti friends this week.

J. G. Earl and family of Ypsilanti were guests at the home of G. W. Coe Sunday.

Born, Saturday, July 29, 1905 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abdon of Lima a daughter.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. H. Harvey and Eva Notten spent Tuesday with friends here.

Mrs. P. Phelps and daughter were guests of friends here last week.

Lewis Notten and wife of Jackson are guests of Henry Notten and family.

Mrs. Fred Notten left Friday for Syracuse, N. Y. when she will visit her sister.

Miss Minnie Marrinane and nephew of Grass Lake spent Tuesday with Mrs. George Main.

Ray Mensing had the misfortune to fall and have a wagon run over his arm. He is better at this writing.

LIMA CENTER.

Ray Staebler spent last week in Jackson.

Harold Luick is visiting his sister, Mrs. Eva Wood at Hart.

Miss Katherine Welch was the guest of Spring Lake friends last week.

G. A. Turner of Toledo spent Sunday with Mrs. John Wade and family.

Laura Storms and Ola Hammond spent Tuesday with Mrs. Emily Boynton.

Mrs. G. A. Turner, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Wade for the past four weeks returned to her home in Toledo Sunday.

Fannie Friemuth, Florence Webb, Grace Webb, Estella Guerin and Bertha Strieter expect to spend Wednesday at Whitmore Lake.

The Epworth League will have a social in the church parlors on Friday afternoon and evening, August 11. The supper will consist of tea, coffee, biscuit and butter, meat, scalloped potatoes, cake and ice cream. Price 15 cents. Everybody invited.

WEST MANCHESTER.

Julia Frey spent Sunday with U. B. Houston and family.

Joseph Jackson of Bridgewater is the guest of friends here.

Ernest Clark has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Stockinger.

Mrs. R. Green is spending this week with relatives in Adrian.

There will be a box social at the home of Henry Parish August 10.

The Dorr reunion hold their annual meeting at the home of W. Pease.

Ben Sutton and family are moving to Au Sable where he accepted a position as superintendent of the school.

Mrs. George Johnson who has been visiting here returned to her home in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Lightning struck a telephone pole near Frank Herman's severing the wire and rendering the line useless for a time.

S. O. Clark has had the ill luck to lose some of his fine lambs that were sold for this month at \$3.00 a head. It seems to be a new disease and no one knows how to doctor them. It is a disease of the liver.

MANCHESTER ROAD.

Eddie Cook spent last week in Ann Arbor.

Carrie Fairchild is spending some time in Ypsilanti.

Louise Smith of Detroit is visiting at R. P. Chase's.

Michael Bauman of Dayton is visiting at Geo. Merkle's.

LaVerne Webb was a visitor here the first of the week.

Miss Minnie Updike has returned from summer school at Ypsilanti.

Messames L. Wood and George Staffan spent Sunday at J. Miller's.

Edwin Armbruster and wife and Miss Nellie Armbruster of Sallie spent Sunday with Carrie Strahle.

Ralph Boyden is here from Chicago visiting friends and relatives. He expects to spend some time at the lake.

Miss Kate Heeselerwerdt who has been spending some time with Milo Updike returned to her home in Sylvan Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Everett received a very fineshawl from China sent her by her son, Henry who is teaching in the Philippines.

People here were pleased to hear that J. P. Everett of Adrian has accepted a position as superintendent of schools at Mt. Clemens.

Edwin Wenk and wife entertained the four Wenk brothers and Anna Jensen of Chelsea Sunday. Albert Wenk of Ann Arbor brought them over in an auto.

NORTH LAKE.

Mrs. F. A. Glenn was in Detroit Monday.

C. E. Glenn left for Arizona last Monday.

H. Watts was on the sick list last week.

Miss Mary Whallan is home from her school.

The oats harvest is being cared for this week.

Geo. Webb and wife spent a few days at Niagara Falls last week.

H. Burkhardt, of Fowlerville, is visiting at the home of F. A. Burkhardt.

M. Lighthall and wife visited E. Cooke Thursday and went fishing.

W. Hudson is not so able to drive the little grey's yet, but is some better.

Lightning hit the barn of Mrs. Thos. Murray lately. No great damage.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooke called here last Tuesday on their way to Pinckney.

Went to Chelsea Saturday and got home all bunged up. Will take a week to recover.

H. Watts and wife and F. Hinkley and wife went to Unadilla Sunday to visit their sick aunt, Mrs. J. Watts.

The largest bass of the season was caught by Floyd Hinkley one day last week. It weighed four pounds.

There will be a Sunday school picnic at Glenn's grove Wednesday, August 23. All Sunday schools are invited.

I expect to get strong now as Dr. Palmer & Guide have put me on a buttermilk diet. There is no danger of over indulgence.

Miss Mildred Daniels returned Saturday well pleased with her visit to the Falls. Miss Pearl Glenn stopped off in Detroit for a few days.

Thanks to all my friends who remember me with flowers. I enjoy them now far better than on a 2x6 box or on a pile of earth in some lonely corner.

Wednesday last R. S. Whallan and Mr. Gregg mowed the cemetery and the ladies did the trimming. It now looks as if some one cared for the resting place of loved ones.

Why should a man expect so much praise and feel so important when he catches a big fish or a great number of small ones, when all the time it is angle worm or grasshopper that did the business?

If I was in the president's position in introducing the war delegate, or peace makers, I think I would skip the hard name, and say Mr. Russ this is the little fellow that knocks you out every time you meet. Better take the chip off your shoulder.

Many people in this world are so constituted that they think it the duty of others to make them happy. It never comes into their narrow minds that they have anything to do only as they feel inclined. We should consider ourselves a cog in the great wheel of life, and make it our business to always keep in mesh with the great planet wheel of well regulated society. Then all will move smoothly and without friction, by using plenty of the oil of human kindness. It is not a fact that the world owes us a living. All things necessary are here in abundance. Just pluck in and help yourself.

SHARON.

Mrs. Middleton is very ill.

Mrs. H. O'Neil was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Miss Lizgie Heeselerwerdt is visiting in Sallie.

Henry O'Neil has finished remodeling his house.

Mrs. Thomas Wortley of Chelsea is visiting relatives here.

Warren Guerin and wife were guests of friends here Sunday.

Miss Jennie Dresselhouse is attending a convention in Detroit.

Clarence Ulrich attended Ringling's circus at Adrian Saturday.

Orland Gray of Grass Lake spent Sunday with his brother here.

Fred Lehman has been spending a few weeks with his parents.

Frank Ferguson and wife of Clinton visited at H. J. Reno's Sunday.

Mrs. Maria Faulkner spent last week at the home of C. D. McMahon.

Miss Christine Obersmith has returned to the hospital in Ann Arbor.

Several from here attended Sports Day at Clinton last Wednesday.

Aurilet Lehman of Waterloo is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Holden Jr.

Rev. Graber and family called on some of their friends here Wednesday.

G. Sage and wife and Elmer Sage spent Sunday at the home of Clarence Gage.

W. D. Alber and family and Mr. Harlick attended the picnic at Wolf Lake Wednesday.

A number of relatives gathered at the home of Sam Heeselerwerdt Sunday to witness the christening of their little son Melvin David.

A harvest festival will be given by the M. E. society of North Sharon at J. E. Irwin's Thursday evening, August 10. A chicken pie supper will be served. All are invited.

B. VanArman and family of Port

Huron, Mrs. J. Hathaway and son of Hersey and Mrs. R. Raymond and children of Riverside, Cal. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dorr.

Mrs. Fannie Holden Jr. entertained her Sunday school class last Thursday. The day was pleasantly spent, and at four o'clock they departed thanking Mrs. Holden for her kindness. Miss Eva Notten and Mrs. H. Harvey attended the party.

TO ESCAPE YELLOW FEVER.

The Standard Correspondent Has an Interview With a Gentleman From the Infected District.

Yellow Jack, the quaint, loathsome, unseen spectre, has our southern friends on the run. They are unmistakably fleeing northward, urged on by fear of yellow fever.

Southern Illinois, and Cairo in particular, is the gateway North and South and he who may be sojourning near this portal must of necessity come in contact with the routed and panic-stricken.

Your correspondent has only recently been in conversation with one of those seeking safety in the North. This particular person carried a health certificate from Monroe, Louisiana and while no cases of the fever had appeared in that place yet he was manifestly taking opportunity by the forelock. He revealed that not only he, himself, but thousands others were doing the same thing.

Of late the daily papers have made considerable mention of the matter, but your correspondent is informed that they do not accurately reveal the extent of the infection. A casual reader might infer that there are something like a hundred cases in New Orleans, but the person in question, from Monroe La., has it from the mayor of that town, who is in friendly and confidential relation with the mayor of New Orleans, that there is fully eight hundred cases now in existence. Many people who are competent to judge, hold grave fears that it will spread throughout the South.

That the situation is grave is disclosed by the steps being taken by the health authorities in southern Illinois and of cities as far north as St. Louis to fight back a possible deadly invasion.

Here in Cairo, at the Halliday hotel the writing room quite reminds one of a military headquarters. The chief health officer is in command and around him he has gathered a staff that has only now just dispersed on their several errands after the morning consultation around the council table. The traveler in this part of the state finds his ticket stamped with the words, "Subject to quarantine regulations."

Further south, still, the fight is on in such earnest that times are, indeed, strenuous.

Passengers from Louisiana coming in to Mississippi are locked in their cars and when necessary to change it is only permitted under guard. My informant while awaiting his change at Jackson, Miss., found himself under the surveillance of two policemen until he was on his way north again. That the governors of Mississippi and Louisiana are on the verge of armed demonstration, one against the other's state is well known. That the so-called shot gun quarantine exists, is indeed a matter of fact.

Such trying situations are bound to cause ludicrous and comical situations observable by the onlooker who is not scared.

Such instances as passengers attempting to escape through car windows only to fall into the hands of the police seem a common occurrence. My informant told of an instance happening a few nights ago when a traveler from Louisiana wished to travel to his destination in Mississippi. This the conductor could not permit and he telegraphed the general offices for instructions what to do with said passenger. The answer came back, "Drop him at the state line." It happened that the state

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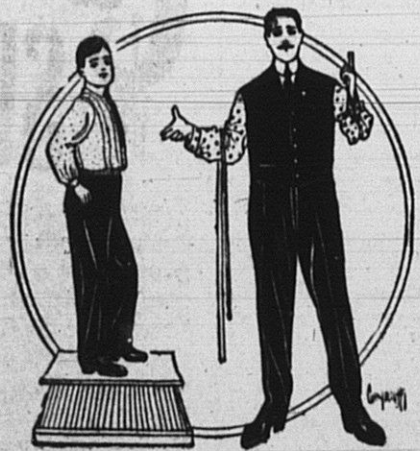
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LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

The Staffan block is being repainted this week.

Born, Monday, August 7, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bates, of Chelsea, a son.

David Alber, jr., was confined to his home several days of the past week by illness.

Waltross & Kendall will ship a car load of stock from here to Detroit this afternoon.

Frank H. Sweetland has had the old horse barn on his Sylvan farm rebuilt and enlarged.

F. B. Schussler has moved his household goods to Ann Arbor where he will make his future home.

Born, Tuesday, August 8, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. John Reule, of Wilkinson street, twin daughters.

W. P. Schenk & Company is having a cement floor built in the basement of their big department store.

Thos. Wilkinson has purchased the residence property of Fred Schussler on Wilkinson street, Chelsea.

The Standard is informed that Mrs. Emma Stinson has sold her residence on Park street to Dr. A. McColgan.

Rev. P. M. McKay will conduct services at the Baptist church, next Sunday, morning and evening at the usual hours.

The live stock firm of Waltross & Kendall has opened an office in the little brick building on Main street near the M. C. tracks.

Fred Wedemeyer and family have taken the Staffan cottage at Cavanaugh Lake and will spend a few days at that resort for an outing.

Rev. P. M. McKay will deliver an address to men, at the corner of Main and Middle streets, at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening of this week.

LaFayette Grange will meet at the home of Mrs. S. Winslow, Washington street, Chelsea, on Wednesday afternoon, August 16, at 2 o'clock.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange, invites the public to attend their second annual basket picnic to be given at Cavanaugh Lake, Thursday, August 17.

Chelsea Legion, No. 812, will hold their second pay-off in Woodman hall Tuesday evening, August 15, when eleven members will receive their dividends.

B. B. Turnbull, John Parker, James Beasley and Frank Brooks left last Monday for the Black River, where they will spend the next two or three weeks on a fishing trip.

Chris. Schneider, while delivering meat for Adam Eppler in the country last Saturday, was thrown from the wagon and one of his legs was so badly injured that he is confined to his home.

The steamer Noordam, arrived in the port of New York last Monday. Prof. F. R. Gorton and family sailed for their home on this boat and it is expected that they will arrive here the last of this week.

R. B. Waltross and M. Rank have formed a partnership for the purpose of buying live stock at Francisco. The new firm has leased grounds for yards and will make their first shipment from there today.

The 11-year old son of Otto Kanowski, got the first finger of his left hand caught in a pump, last Tuesday afternoon, and severed a portion of the first joint. Dr. McColgan was called and dressed the wound.

T. D. Foster, of Ypsilanti, has been appointed agent of the Chelsea station, of the D. Y. A. & J., to succeed A. Steger, who was appointed to the position when the company first opened their station here.

The Standard is in receipt of the Souvenir and Premium List of Michigan State Agricultural Society, containing the rules and regulation of the 56th annual fair to be held in Detroit September 11-16.

Rev. E. E. Caster, wife, and daughter, Florence, of Chelsea, and Rev. E. Wilbur Caster and wife, of Medina, left Wednesday for Buffalo. The party will be away two weeks and they expect to make an extended at Clyde, N. Y., with relatives.

On complaint of Wm. Merker, of Lima, last Monday, Justice Lighthall issued a warrant for the arrest of Fred Hennie upon a very serious charge. At the examination of the prisoner he pled not guilty and was bound over to the next term of the circuit court. He was taken to county jail at Ann Arbor, on Tuesday afternoon by Officer Brooks.

The 39th National Encampment of the G. A. R. will be held in Denver September 4-7.

J. A. Maroney has taken the contract to build a residence for Owen Murphy on Wilkinson street. The work was started the first of this week and the building will be completed and ready for occupancy before cold weather sets in.

D. S. Sutherland, division superintendent, F. J. Brown, chief train dispatcher, and other officials of the M. C. with a special train from the west, stopped here Monday, and the officials made an inspection of the company's Chelsea property.

Prof. John P. Everett, son of Mrs. Frank Everett, of Sharon, has been released as principal of the Adrian high school to enable him to accept the position of superintendent of the Mt. Clemens public schools. He is a graduate of the U. of M. of '01.

Wirt S. McLaren left Tuesday morning for Detroit, where he has secured a position in the circulation department of the Detroit Free Press. As Wirt is a hustler he ought to meet with all kinds of success in adding new names to the subscription list of that paper.

L. B. Goodrich, of Ann Arbor, Grand Lecturer of Michigan grand lodge, Royal Arch Masons, died suddenly from apoplexy at Sault Ste Marie, last Monday night. He was making an official visit to the lodge in that city and was in the lodge room at the time he was stricken down.

It is quite evident that someone in the south part of town has been placing poison about their premises for some purpose, as the owners of seven dogs and three cats on Saturday reported to Chief of Police Brooks that their animals had died from the effects of poison on that day.

Last Saturday the young son of Fred C. Mensing was playing about a wagon near the summer home of Hon. Frank P. Glazier, Cavanaugh Lake, and when the team started up a wheel of the heavy wagon ran over one of his arms, bruising it very badly. Dr. S. G. Bush was called to dress the injury.

Tuesday, August 15, will be the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a holy day in the Catholic church. Masses will be celebrated in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart on that day at 6 and 10 a. m. The Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be given at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Wm. Look, died at her home in Detroit Sunday evening, August 6, 1905, aged 48 years. The funeral was held Wednesday morning from St. Peter and Paul's Jesuit church in that city. Mrs. Look was well known to many residents of Chelsea. She with her family for a number of years have spent the summer at Cavanaugh Lake.

Three new cottages are being built on the land of Rudolph Hoppe that is on the shore of Crooked Lake, Sylvan. One of them will be occupied by Isaac Davis, of Ypsilanti, and the other one by S. A. Moran, of Ann Arbor, as summer homes. The Standard is unable to learn the name of the gentleman who is building the third cottage.

A Lansing exchange in a write up of an Old's delivery auto, of seven horse power, driven by Frank Nelson, a former Chelsea resident, says: "Mr. Nelson has run the machine one year and six weeks, with but one day off, through rain, snow and shine, mud and snow drifts, and the meter shows that it has gone 13,315 miles, an average of 38 miles a day." This is a remarkable record for a light machine.

The committee in charge of the arrangements of the Chelsea Workingmen's society has chartered two special cars, that will leave the Chelsea waiting room at 9 o'clock, standard time, to accommodate those who attend the German-American day celebration to be held at Jackson, Thursday, August 17. All members of the local society are requested to meet at their hall at 8:30 o'clock that morning.

Last Friday morning Peter Merkel, of Sylvan, drove up to the Middle street entrance of the Bank Drug Store and his team became frightened at something and took a spin down East Middle street. When opposite H. L. Wood's feed store Mr. Merkel gracefully landed in the middle of the street and the team continued their eastward run until Oak Grove cemetery was reached and they stopped. The only damage reported to have been done was the breaking of a couple of straps.

Last Thursday morning as Edward Riemschneider, rural carrier No. 4 from the Chelsea postoffice, came near the residence of Wm. Snow, on the shore of Cavanaugh Lake, a rattlesnake had the audacity to dispute the right of way Uncle Sam's mail carrier. The carrier, however, was victorious, as he displayed 10 rattles and a button that he removed from the exterior of his snakeship. After the battle was over Ed. said the rattler resembled a Russian battleship after it had met Togo.

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BASE BALL NOTES.

LaMont BeGole on Tuesday caught a game for the Litchfield team at that place. He went from there to Homer where he plays in the three-day tournament that is being held this week.

Next Monday the Cardinals and Manchester Reds play a game of ball at the J. A. C. Park in Jackson for a purse of \$100. It is expected that a large crowd from Chelsea will witness this game.

The ball game at McLaren-BeGole Park Monday afternoon between the Cardinals and Eaton Rapids resulted in a score of 13 to 3 in favor of the visiting team. When Ackley, the Cardinals' pitcher, came to the bench at the end of the third inning he informed the manager of the team that his arm had given out, and the visitors had things their own way for the remainder of the game.

The following is the result of the game between the Chelsea Cardinals and the Eaton Rapids team at that city last Saturday:

CARDINALS.	AB	R	B	S	P	O	A	E
McGuinness	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Mohr	3	0	0	0	1	6	1	0
Miles	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
BeGole	3	0	1	1	6	4	0	0
Graham	3	0	0	0	2	1	1	0
Steinbach	3	0	1	0	12	0	0	0
Ackley	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
West	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Beissel	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	29	0	4	1	24	12	2	0

EATON RAPIDS.	H	R	E	R	R	E	R	R
Hines	8	0	0	2	7	1	1	0
Chapman	4	0	3	1	1	1	0	0
Faber	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Moon	4	0	1	0	11	0	0	0
Frost	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Gibson	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doty	2	0	1	1	1	8	0	0
Adams	3	0	0	0	5	1	0	0
Bracey	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
	27	1	5	4	27	12	1	0

Earned runs, 1; two base hits, Miles, Chapman; first on balls, off Ackley 3, off Doty 1; struck out, by Ackley 4, by Doty 5; left on bases, Chelsea 3, Eaton Rapids 6; double plays, Hines, Mohr to Steinbach; first base on errors, Hines.

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Stockers.....	2 to 3
Cows, good.....	2 1/2 to 3
Cows, common.....	1 1/2 to 2
Veals.....	5 to 6
Hogs.....	5 1/2 to 5 3/4
Sheep, weathers.....	3 1/2 to 4 1/2
Sheep, ewes.....	2 to 3
Lambs.....	5 to 6
Chickens, spring.....	9
Fowls.....	8
Apples, per bushel.....	40
Peaches, per bushel.....	40
Tomatoes, per bushel.....	1 00
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Potatoes.....	40
Butter.....	14 to 16
Eggs.....	15

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THE MISSISSIPPI

The following poem by W. D. Nesbit, of the Chicago Tribune, was read at the banquet given by the citizens of Burlington to the Chicago Press Club, at Burlington, Iowa, Saturday night, June 10, 1905.

As a ribbon flung out from a generous hand,
Till it loops in its leagues the fair heart of the land,
So the river—The Father of Waters—is flung
From the place where the pines by the north winds are swung.
From the stillness and peace of the whispering lakes
To the shore where the sea in its majesty breaks.

And it murmurs for miles or it leaps in its strength
Or it coils as a lariat coiled on its length,
And it stops for a space with its eddying whirls
While its form spins about as a garland or pearls
And it sings in the sun and it dreams in the moon
As it races in joy from the falls to lagoon.

It has mirrored the banners of crimson and gold
That were borne by adventurers dauntlessly bold
Who were winning new realms and were finding new ways
Through the green of the forest and gray of the haze
That was spread on the prairie and wreathed on the hill
When the courage of Spain was at one with its will.

It has laughed with the lightly wrought lilies of France
As the flag kept the time to the lilt of the dance
When the nobleman came, and the beautiful maids
Sang the ballads of old in the hush of the glades,
And it knows of the days that were gentle and calm
When the lilies of France nodded over the palm.

It has run with a red—not a red of the dawn,
But the red of war in the days that are gone
When its bosom was swept by the shot and the shell
And the smoke of the war was the vapor of hell
That blew low on its surface and hid hulls and spars
When the stars and the stripes met the stars and the bars.

But to-day, as majestic as ages ago,
From the hills of the north to the valleys below,
As a ribbon that binds the palmetto and pine,
As a bond that is set from the gulf to the line—
As an artery throbbing by the pulse of the land,
So the river flows on, ever stately and grand.

And the centuries come and the centuries go,
But the river—The Father of Waters—shall flow
As the ointment of old from the ewer was spilled
On the place where the Lord said the builders should build.
Aye, the great Mississippi, majestic and calm,
Has endured, shall endure, as a blessing and balm.

THE ORIGIN OF SUNDAE.

Popular Hot Weather Refreshment From New Orleans.

Sundae sounds like an East Indian name for the popular soda fountain beverage, and most people probably think that is its origin, but it isn't," says Herrick J. Gray.

"The name originated in New Orleans and in an interesting manner. A druggist there whose soda fountain was an extremely popular resort found himself one Sunday without the usual supply of tanks, through some strike or other trouble, or else he was unable to obtain ice, I forget which. At any rate, he wasn't in a position to serve anything but ice cream and sirups, and he was almost in despair.

"An expert sign maker, he soon had signs in his windows announcing that in order to push it properly nothing but the new 'Sunday drinks' would be served at his place that day. His patron were nothing loath to try the simple combination of ice cream and sirups, and others were attracted through curiosity. The new combination made a hit. Before night it was buzzed about in hundreds of homes, and the next day the demand was lively for that new Sunday drink. Gradually other soda fountains began dispensing it, the request for it continued, couched in the same form, however, and it wasn't long before its use in advertising caused the substitution of an e for the y, probably because it looked better; and there you have the whole story. Not as romantic as if it were a tale of India, but still not uninteresting. What do you think?"

Jealous of Imaginary Ills.

Talk of woman's jealousy of her husband," said a physician of long experience in New York. "It is nothing compared to her jealousy of another's chronic ailments. Half the doctors would starve if it were not for the prevalence of illnesses that are purely imaginary. Of course, it does not do for us to tell a woman who has firmly made up her mind that she is ill that she is not ill. In nine cases out of ten she would lose her temper and consult another doctor. Among certain women invalidism gives them a distinction which is gratifying to their self-love. They may literally be said to 'enjoy poor health.' They look for the doctor's visit to them, or they call at his office, as the most exciting event of the day. If they know him well enough, they implore him to waive professional etiquette and tell them about ailments of other women who consult him. Women of this description—and they are legion—having a craving for martyrdom, which doctoring an imaginary illness seems to satisfy.

Evil of the Gum-Chewing Habit.

It can not be said of the chewing gum habit as is sometimes claimed, that "if it does no good it does no harm." It is chargeable with the rapid disappearance from the Mexican and Yucatan woods of the zapote tree, from whose sap the chicle gum is made. The tree is one of the most beautiful to be found in form and foliage, and sometimes yields logs squaring two feet, of a very dense, hard wood, of a purplish red color, and capable of a brilliant polish. The drawing of the sap kills the tree, and no steps are taken to perpetuate the species. A wood that, when seasoned, only the keenest tools can work, and into which sharp nails can seldom be driven an inch, is being "chewed" off the earth by the teeth of American girls. Still its disappearance will have its compensation if not substitute in found for its mastic product.—(St. Paul Pioneer Press.)

MISTAKES OF THE YOUNGSTERS.

Echoes From the Kindergarten Heard at the Teachers' Convention.

A party of teachers at the convention at Ocean Grove recently were discussing the mistakes made by children, especially in the matter of single words. Some instances were cited.

A kindergarten told of one youngster in her class who interpreted the line in a school song, "There's a giant in me hid," as referring to something wrong with his head. And indeed even those who have not the least strain of Gaelic in their blood may find a weird and perverse tendency in that phrase "in me hid" to suggest strange meanings.

Another teacher told of a little girl—in a Sunday school class this time—who in the hymn "Onward, Christian Soldiers" sang:

Christ, the railroad master,
Leads against the foe.

It was the same pupil who originated this reading of a sentence in the Twenty-third Psalm: "My cup dumped over."

One child rendered a line in a song: "Buckles it over his dirty back, for 'sturdy back,' and another too, in repeating the Lord's prayer, suddenly stopped to call for an explanation of the line which he recited: "Give us this day our dirty bread."

The sensitiveness of children was illustrated in the last story. "I have been drilling a class for some exercises at a school entertainment," said one teacher. "The children were divided into battalions and the leader of the first group was a youngster of unusual precocity, very bright indeed, but often led by his cleverness into mistakes which the more stupid pupils would never have made."

"The first battalion is going too fast," I corrected, and this little chap, breaking into tears, ran to a seat and laid his head on the desk, sobbing.

"It took several minutes to comfort and console him, and assure him that I hadn't been making fun of him. "He thought I had said: 'The first Italian is going too fast,' and he resented it."

Heinze Not Afraid of Hoodoo.
Tenants of the big office building at 44 Broadway, New York, are not called upon to face the danger of a thirteenth floor. There is no such unlucky location in the edifice, that number having been jumped. The next floor above the twelfth is the fourteenth. F. Augustus Heinze, the thorn of the Amalgamated Copper Company, does not appear to have inherited any superstition traits. His office is 1313 on the thirteenth floor of 21 (thirteen reversed) Nassau street. In his fight with the Amalgamated Copper Company Heinze has been exceptionally fortunate. But the superstitious say he would have been doubly fortunate if he had joined forces with the Standard Oil crowd in the first place.

The Verdict of Public Opinion.

Public opinion was the first great judge. It drove the malefactor from his own people to the desert, to live an exile, with every man's hand against him. Its judgments are still true and righteous. Cunning lawyers may beg for juries. Wrongdoers may hide behind technicalities. But there are verdicts of public opinion which are branded into their skin and which they can never erase. Not for all offenses, but for certain offenses that is "the great corrective and punitive." Its value can not be easily overestimated. There are men in New York now who are finding the verdict of public opinion scarcely less blighting than the sentence of a criminal court.—(New York World.)

SHE MADE HER CHOICE.

Mrs. Winkleton Regretted the Stern Necessity, but—

"Choose between us!" Winkleton folded up his evening newspaper and savagely threw it on the floor.

"Yes, madam," he continued, "I tell you once for all that you can't have both of us. The last time that dressmaker was in the house for a week I vowed that I never would stand it again, and I won't. As for being under the same roof with two half-crazy and absorbed women, and requiring a rake every morning to get the odd pieces of cloth out of my clothes; to hear the rattle and whir of that confounded sewing machine, and to sit at my meals and listen to a lot of cut bias, ruffled and flounced, and plicated talk—I've had all I'm ever going to have. If I'm to be turned out of my own house, all right; but you can't have both of us. I leave the day she comes. You'll have to make your decision quick. Come, madam, which shall it be, the dressmaker or me?"

Mrs. Winkleton looked at her husband with a hopeless, half-despairing look, in which were discernible some traces of indignation and a sense of injustice.

"If you must go, dear," she said, softly, "why, I have nothing more to say."

TIGER HUNTING IN AFRICA.

Predatory Beast Killed by Blow of Rifle Butt.

"An exciting adventure with a tiger occurred at Sabi recently," says a South African paper. "The beast was seen going from L. Banger's place, dragging a calf toward a dense bush, which lay close by. Mr. Banger could not leave the store until nearly sundown and at that time the tiger had eaten nearly half the calf. On coming up to him Mr. Banger fired and managed to break the animal's left shoulder, but it was too dark to follow. Next morning he set out with a couple of dogs and a few boys. As soon as the dogs bayed him the tiger commenced growling, but he could not be seen for the dense bush. All of a sudden he dashed out, passed Mr. Banger and caught one of the boys, whose flesh was very badly torn and had to be sewed up by a doctor. Mr. Banger, being afraid of shooting the boy, ran up to the tiger and broke his neck with the gun. The animal measured from nose to tail seven feet six inches."

Apostrophe to Limburger.

Owing to the fact that the restaurants went out of business the first of the week, the editor and staff are baching—that and other reasons—and yesterday a rural subscriber brought us in a piece of Limburger cheese, saying that if we didn't care to eat it we could use it to drive away ants. Will it drive away ants? Will it! Verily, I say unto you, it will drive away dogs out of a tanyard; it will drive buzzards away from a carcass; it will drive a herd of buffalo through a burning forest and a mule through a barbed wire fence; it will drive a man crazy if compelled to stay within twenty feet of its polluted presence; indeed, it will drive away ants—and uncles, too, and mothers and fathers, brothers and sisters and grandmothers, even to the seventh generation; still there are some who claim to like limburger.—Freewater (Ore.) Times.

The Invaluable Hairpin.

Anthropologists have never done justice to the hairpin. Dullards will tell you that women aren't so inventive as men, don't take out so many patents. They don't have to. With a hairpin a woman can pick a lock, pull a cork, see if a joint of meat is done, do up a baby, regulate a range, tinker a sewing machine, stop a leak in the roof, stir butter, whip cream, reduce the pressure in the gas meter, keep bills and receipts on file, tighten windows, clean a watch, untie a knot, put up awnings, doctor an automobile. In short, she can do what she wants to; she needs no other instrument.—New York Sun.

The Troubles of Humanity.

There are troubles of the rich
Fresh for the gossip day by day;
There are the waiting armies which
Are taught to hate and schooled to slay;
There are the rogues in office who
Still shame us by their selfish greed—
But still the sky is often blue
And good men still come forth to lead.

The warring and the sin and woe
We make our daily themes, but still
At sunrise we may see the glow
Of promise on the eastern hill;
The strife and wrongs we emphasize,
And often foolishly forget
That virtue's broad, white banner flies
High over all the others yet.—S. E. Klier.

Reward for Finding Errors.

By the recent dinner of the London Association of Correctors of the Press attention was called to a queer custom of the old time. Printers used to chain copies of their books outside their offices, and if any passing scholar detected an error he was rewarded according to its magnitude—a cup of wine for a broken letter, a cup of wine and a plate of beef for a turned letter and the like.

The Luster of Opals.

Many gems, often without any apparent cause, suddenly become cracked or seamed, the damage being beyond repair. Opals, known as the unluckiest stones, are so sensitive that their beauty is frequently destroyed by their wearers' proximity to an open fire. The luster of this stone is caused by the presence of myriads of little fissures which deflect the light into the characteristic prismatic color of the gem. The tiniest of these fissures is likely at any moment to destroy the stone.

The Little Greenhouse

Little greenhouses are becoming very numerous in the land, and their popularity seems to be always on the increase. All kinds of people are indulging in them, the rich and the poor. The latter invests his few hundreds in one to enable himself to carry on a business by which he can make a living. The former puts in a few spare thousands and says he does it for recreation. I heard a man say the other day that he was engaged in three occupations—lumbering, mining, rail-roading. His physician told him that he must take up some recreation that would give both his body and mind a rest from his numerous cares. He tried hunting, fishing, yachting, but found them too much work. Then he turned to the raising of flowers and built a perfectly appointed greenhouse. In this he has been hybridizing and breeding new kinds of flowers that have brought him health, happiness, and incidentally some money.

The size of the greenhouse will depend on the purposes to which it is to be put as well as upon the purse of the flower lover. I have in mind an old man who has long since retired from business. He has a greenhouse about 12 feet by 20. It is cheaply built, except the top, which is of the usual greenhouse construction. The sides are piles of earth mostly. He has had very good success, but gets light only from the top.

The cost of a greenhouse is not so variable as one might suppose, for the reason that there are several companies engaged in the construction of greenhouses, and competition or agreement, I do not know which, keeps the prices quite uniform. These companies have reduced the manufacture to a system and can thus turn them out at least possible cost. They will quote you greenhouses at so much a running foot, dependent on width. A greenhouse thirty feet wide is quoted at from \$12 to \$15 a running foot, and this includes all steam pipes and other fixings, but does not include the boiler. A greenhouse manager with whom I was talking says that it pays better to buy as wide a house as possible, as the relative cost is less, a house twenty feet wide costing from \$10 to \$12 per running foot.

A greenhouse I have in mind was partly purchased and partly built by its owner. The iron top and side supports and glass were purchased from one of the companies referred to; but the owner preferred to build the wall himself. In the purchased houses the walls are of wood. In the case in mind the wall was of brick construction (solid) a foot thick. By making the brick wall fourteen inches thick a two-inch air space could have been obtained, and this would have increased the insulating quality. This was not done, because the walls of some of the greenhouses so constructed have spread and caused a great deal of trouble. It has been found that the wall on which the frame rests must be very firm, as the large amount of iron and glass involved constitute a great weight.

With the possible exception of the wall, it will generally pay better to buy a greenhouse from the manufacturers than to have one constructed on special plans with the hope of saving some money. The latter will generally prove faulty in some important particular. Often more material is used than is needed, and the ventilation windows fail to work properly.

The writer notices that in the patented houses on sale cypress is being used as supports for the glass. The builders do this because metal shrinks and contracts with heat and cold, and some woods swell and shrink according to the humidity in the air. The cypress is little responsive to effects of moisture.

A man about to construct a greenhouse either great or small will commit an error if he does not make a study of greenhouse construction and arrangement before giving final orders to go ahead with the construction.—Albert Bates, Du Page Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Heavier Farm Horses Needed

It becomes apparent day after day that there is need for a heavier class of horses for general farm work. The tendency already is in this direction as regards breeding, or it may be that heavy draft stallions are becoming more commonly used throughout the country, so that some use has to be found for their progeny of heavier class than the ordinary farm chunk. The lightest trash of the horse markets go to the south and sell for a average of some \$64, but such horses are no longer in demand at the north. Formerly very light general purpose horses were popular, largely for the reason that they were most common everywhere; but now that heavier horses have become comparatively numerous farmers are finding out that they can be used to better advantage than the light horses formerly in vogue. The machines used upon most farms seem to be increasing in size and weight as a result of a demand for greater capacity and ability to stand wear and tear. Heavier horses are required to haul these machines and stand the work. Light horses soon tire and wear out when the machine is too heavy of draft for their powers—and these facts have been brought to the notice of the farmer by speedy "playing out" of his teams

that formerly were able to do the lighter work with good advantage and for many years in service. Manure spreaders have been generally introduced, and they are a very necessary and valuable implement upon every farm. They require a strong team to pull them and do the work effectively and this work gives employment to heavier horses than were formerly used. Hauling milk to the factory and heavy loads of hay and grain, to say nothing of loads of hogs and the many other commodities that have to be moved over the roads in the working of the average farm, all demand horses of considerable weight and power, while the gang plow, disc harrow, mower and harvester all require similar "heft" in the horses used to work them. While the farm is thus seen to offer plenty of fitting work for heavy horses, those of the greatest weight, power and quality will still find their way to the city markets, where they will find a good demand at remunerative prices for the best sorts. The blemished drafters that are rugged, heavy and powerful go to the plow and for all horses that show the blood of heavy draft breed there is always a profitable price, at two or three years old, from the men who make it their business to fatten such horses for the Eastern markets.—A. S. Alexander in Farmers' Review.

Helen's Nest

Once upon a time there was a little girl named Helen. She lived in the country, and about her house there were many fine trees, where the birds came every year to spend the summer. Now Helen loved to watch the birds, butterflies and bees doing their work.

Well, one day Mr. and Mrs. Oriole came to look at the big elm tree. They soon decided to build a nest there, and each flew off in a different direction to find building material.

"Oh, papa," cried Helen, who had caught the gleam of brilliant orange and black, "let's help them so they'll stay here."

"All right, little girl," answered her father.

Helen had helped birds before by putting bits of string and worsted and straws on the ground and nearby bushes.

Suddenly she clapped her hands, exclaiming, "Oh, I'm going to label this nest, and then, after it's all built, it will be mine!"

So she carefully wrote her name on a tag of paper, putting a long piece of white string through the end of the tag. On some other tags she wrote the day and month, "May 28th." Then they were left in plain sight and Helen scampered away.

The birds did not seem to notice the strings at first, but later every one was gone, and from that hanging nest waved six little tags bearing Helen's name and the date!

When the birds had raised their families and gone south, her father took down the nest and brought it into the house to Helen.—July St. Nicholas.

Heat Exhaustion

There is always danger of persons being overcome by the heat when they are compelled to be out in the sun during extremely hot weather. Heat exhaustion is most apt to occur when the weather is extremely hot and dry or just before an electric storm. It usually assumes one of two forms. The patient may become faint, his pulse feeble and his skin cool and moist; or he may drop down wholly unconscious or in convulsions and his skin will be hot and dry with the temperature rising at an alarming rate. The former is usually due to nervousness and over-exertion in combination with the heat and is not generally considered dangerous if prompt action is taken. Get the patient to a cool, shady place immediately and apply cold water or ice to the head; administer some stimulant and chafe the wrists and body. If normal temperature and heart action does not soon return a physician should be called. The second form of heat exhaustion is the real sunstroke and often proves fatal. In this case, also, take the patient to a cool, airy place; strip the body of all clothing and rub from head to foot with pieces of ice, keeping pieces of ice under the armpits. Keep this up until he is restored or a doctor comes. After one attack of heat exhaustion the patient will always find it necessary not to expose himself to the direct rays of a very hot sun for there is double danger that he will have another attack with much more likelihood of its proving fatal.

Spanish Oranges.

Spain is one of the principal sources of our orange supply. The trees are grown in thousands there, and a dozen provinces of the country make the most of their money from this fruit. It is said that the climate is ideal and the quality of the oranges is better than of oranges grown in many other parts of the world. Travelers claim that 1,500 to 1,800 oranges on a tree is no unusual crop. The trees come into bearing at about six years old and continue to bear well till twenty years old. The land is quite rich and is made richer by heavy applications of manure.

FEAR FOR NIAGARA

IMMENSE VOLUME OF WATER DIVERTED FROM FALLS.

Commercial Enterprises are Making Heavy Drains on This Famous Show-Place—Its Tremendous Electrical Power the Inducement.

Niagara Falls, August 7:—The volume of water being diverted from the historic Niagara Falls is reaching such proportions that the people of the State are trying to pass laws which will prevent the possibility of a practical wiping out of this sublime natural spectacle.

Water sufficient to develop nearly five hundred thousand horse-power continuously, twenty-four hours per day, for industrial purposes, is now being taken from the river above the Falls, and further developments requiring more water are contemplated.

Probably the largest user of the electricity produced by the waters of the mighty river is the concern which by the five or six thousand degree heat of the electric furnace brings lime and coke into unwilling union, thereby producing what is known as Calcium Carbide.

Dry calcium carbide is lifeless as so much broken rock, but in contact with water it springs into activity and begets abundantly the gas Acetylene. The light resulting from the ignition of acetylene is the nearest approach to sunlight known.

These facts, though of comparatively recent discovery, were soon seized by men with an eye to the commercial possibilities and today calcium carbide is being shipped everywhere and used for dispelling darkness in buildings of all descriptions, from the ordinary barn of the farmer to the country villa of the wealthy, as well as for lighting the streets of a large number of towns. Acetylene can be easily and cheaply installed, and the manufacture and sale of acetylene generators has become a business of recognized standing, has assumed large proportions and is steadily growing.

Keep Out of Ruts.
Don't get into a rut. Look to the right and the left, and always upward. Grow up to the light, like the plants and flowers. You stand a plant in a dark corner, and what does it do? It stretches out its leaves and tendrils to God's beautiful light. The flowers turn their faces to the sun; always looking upward! It is progress. Don't sit in darkness. Come up and out, and join the children of light.

A Dangerous Flower.
The florist held a tulip in his hand. "Some people claim a tulip has no smell," he said. "As a matter of fact, it has a dangerous smell. Take a tulip of a deep crimson color and inhale it with profound inspirations, and it will be apt to make you quite headed. You will say and do queer things—dance, sing, fight, and so on. For two hours you will cut up in this way. Afterward you will be depressed."

Cakes for Students.
During the examinations at Belgrade university a professor saw the boys buying cakes in the campus. He bought one and found that, like the others it contained the solution of one of the problems.

Great Waste of Energy.
It is estimated that in the old blast furnace there was wasted a quantity of energy equal to \$40 horse power per hour per ton of iron melted.

Sound as a Dollar.
Monticello, Minn., Aug. 7th.—Mr. J. W. Moore of this place stands as a living proof of the fact that Bright's Disease, even in the latest stages, may be perfectly and permanently cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Moore says: "In 1898 three reputable physicians after a careful examination told me that I would die with Bright's Disease inside of a year. My feet and ankles and legs were badly swollen; I could hardly stand on my feet and had given up all hopes of getting cured when a traveling salesman told me that he himself had been cured of Bright's Disease two years before."

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Bride Cake.
Our bride cake, which invariably accompanies a wedding, and which should always be cut by the bride, may be traced back to the old Roman form of marriage by a confarreatio, or eating together.—Lubbock, "Origin of Civilization."

Wren Builds Many Nests.
One of the most energetic nest builders is the marsh wren; in fact, he has the habit to such a degree that he cannot stop with one nest, but goes on building four or five in rapid succession.

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First English Windmills.
Windmills were introduced in England by the Crusaders, who had seen them in use among the Saracens.

ORIGIN OF WORD BONFIRE.

Expression Most Probably Dates Back to Druidic Days.

Was "bonfire" originally written "bone-fire" and were "bone-fires" actually so called from the burning of the martyrs? This is one theory of the origin of the word. From ancient times bonfires have formed a striking part of the celebration of St. John's eve, or Midsummer eve, June 24, which was observed with similar rites in every country in Europe. Fires were kindled in the streets and market places of the towns. The young people leaped over the flames or threw flowers and garlands into the fires with merry shoutings and songs and dances. A heathen origin is believed to be indicated by these acts. A writer says: "On the whole it seems probable that the druidic fires, round which it was considered lucky to leap and dance on the occasion of the summer solstice, were built up of contributions brought by every one who wanted to secure his luck for the coming year, and so bonfire is really a boon-fire."

Grasshoppers in Cages.

In Italy there is a regular business in making tiny wire cages for grasshoppers to chirrup in. One of the Medici family, a cardinal, asked a bishop who was popular in Florence, but disliked by himself, to breakfast in his garden. The cardinal handed the bishop a glass of wine. At the moment a grasshopper fell from a tree into the wine, and the bishop left it. A servant then threw it away. The wine was afterwards known to have been poisoned. So the Italians think that a grasshopper brings good luck, and that if one can be kept alive in a cage for a month the year will be prosperous.—Country Gentleman.

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When a man boasts of what he is going to do tomorrow, ask him what he did yesterday.
Watching the clock won't make pay day come any quicker.

I am sure Pilo's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. T. Ross, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1904.

The duty we owe ourselves is always performed first.

"Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy" gave me prompt and complete relief from dyspepsia and liver derangement."—B. T. Trowbridge, Barren, N. H.

The trust baron is not necessarily a robber baron. He doesn't need to be one.

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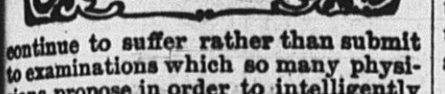
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Thackeray once saw Napoleon on the island of St. Helena. The novelist—

he was born in Calcutta, in 1811—was on his way to England as a child. Our ship touched at an island where my black servant took me a long walk over rocks and hills until we saw a man walking in a garden. 'That is he,' said the black man; 'that is Bonaparte. He eats three sheep every day, and all the little children he can lay hands on.' That black serving man was not the only person of the time to believe the story which he told.

Soldiers Escort Mails.

In some parts of the Sahara desert and in wild and little frequented parts of Asia, where outlaws and brigands abound, the governments send an escort of soldiers with the mail carriers bearing registered packages. In a vast number of cases the cost of the escort is greatly in excess of the value of the package to be delivered, and it would be ruinous to the recipient were he obliged to bear the expense of the delivery. The government, however, relieves the citizen of this expense.—Washington Star.

American Accent in English.

Not only the nasal sounds, but many American phrases are quite common in Suffolk, England, among the farmers and the peasantry, and a stranger passing an afternoon in Woodbridge market might fancy himself in Massachusetts.

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CHAPTER XIX.

Love's Clear Eye.

"And now," cried the Princess Margaret, clapping her hands together impulsively, "now at last I shall hear everything. Why you went away, and where you are, and about the fighting. Where is your hand-glass? Do not tell me that you have never looked in it since you came to Courtland, or that you can put up with that squinting falconer up there" (she pointed to the oval framed Venetian mirror which was hung opposite her).

"I have never even looked in either!" said the Sparhawk.

"Your voice is hoarse—somehow you are different," she said, taking the pin from her lips and slipping it through the rebellious plaits with a swift, vindictive motion.

"I have caught a cold riding into the city," quoth the Sparhawk hastily, blushing uneasily under her eyes. But for the time being his disguise was safe. Already Margaret of Courtland was thinking of something else.

"Tell me," she began, going to the window and gazing pensively out upon the green, white-flecked pour of the Alla, swirling under the beams of the Summer Palace, "how many of a suite have followed you hither?"

"Only Alt Pikker, my second captain!" said the Sparhawk.

"And your chief captain, Von Orseln?"

"Von Orseln has gone back to the Baltic Edge to raise on my behalf the folk of the marches!" answered the Sparhawk warily.

"Then there was—" the Princess hesitated, and her own voice grew a trifle lower—"the young man who came hither as Dessauer's secretary—what of him? The Count von Loen, if I mistake not—that was his name?"

"He is in the place where he most wishes to be—with the woman he loves!"

The light died out of the bright face of the Princess Margaret at the answer, even as a snow-cloud wipes the sunshine off a landscape.

"The woman he loves?" she stammered, as if she could not have heard aright.

"Ay," said the false bride, loosening her cloak and casting it behind her. "I swear it. He is with the woman he loves."

But in his heart the Sparhawk was saying, "Steady, Master Maurice von Lyrar—or all will be out in five minutes."

The Princess laid her hand upon the sleeve of the velvet gown. A flush of anger crimsoned her fair face.

"Ah," she cried, "I see it all now, madam the Princess. You love the Count and you think to blind me. This is the reason of your riding off with him on your wedding day. It was for his sake that you left my brother Prince Louis at the church door. Like draws to like, they say, and your eyes are as like as peas to those of the Count von Loen."

And this, indeed, could the Sparhawk in no wise deny. The Princess went her angry way.

"There have been many lies told," she cried, raising the pitch of her voice, "but I am not blind. I can see through them. I am a woman and can gauge a woman's pretext. You yourself are in love with the Count von Loen, and yet you tell me that he is with the woman he loves."

There came a knocking at the door. "Who is there?" demanded imperiously the Princess Margaret.

"The Prince of Muscovy, to present his duty to the Princess Courtland!"

"Enter!" said the Princess Margaret haughtily.

The Prince opened the door and stood on the threshold bowing low to the ladies.

"Well?" queried Margaret of Courtland.

ion, and still keeping her hand, she pulled Maurice over to the window. There in the fuller light she scanned the Sparhawk's features with a kindling eye and paling lips.

"God in heaven!" she palpitated, holding him at a greater distance, "you are not the Lady Joan; you are—you are—"

"The man who loves you!" said the Sparhawk, who was very pale.

"The Count von Loen. Oh! why did you risk it?" she gasped. "They will kill you, tear you to pieces without remorse, when they find out. And it is a thing that cannot be kept a secret. Why did you do it?"

"For your sake, beloved," said the Sparhawk, coming nearer to her; "to look once more on your face—behold once, if no more, the lips that kissed me in the dark by the river brink!"

"But—but—you may forfeit your life!"

"And a thousand lives!" cried the Sparhawk, nervously pulling at his woman's dress as if ashamed that he must wear it at such a time. "Life without you is naught to Maurice von Lyrar!"

The Princess held out her hands impulsively and then retracted them suddenly.

"Now, we must not waste time," she said; "I must save you. They would slay you on the least suspicion. But I will match them. Would to God that Conrad were here. To him I could speak. I could trust him. He would help us. Let me see! Let me see!"

She bent her head and walked slowly to the window. Like every Courtlander she thought best when she could watch the swirl of the green Alla against its banks. The white foam-fleck which Margaret was following with her eyes had not vanished from her sight, when the door of the Summer Palace was rudely thrown open and an officer announced in a loud, strident tone, "The Prince Louis to visit his Princess!"

Prince Louis entered, flushed and excited. His eyes had lost their furtive meanness and blazed with a kind of reckless fury quite foreign to the man, for anger affected him as wine might another man.

He spoke first to the Princess Margaret.

"And so, my fair sister," he said, "you concoct conspiracy with my own married wife. Make ready, madam, for to-morrow you shall find your master. I will marry you to the Prince Ivan of Muscovy. He will carry you to Moscow, where ladies of your breed are taught to obey. You shall be wed and that immediately. And leave me alone with my wife."

"My brother Louis," cried the Princess Margaret, running up to him and taking his arm coaxingly, "do not be so hasty with two poor women. Neither of us desire aught but to do your will. But give us time, Louis, Louis, I thought you were wise, and yet I see that you have not the alphabet of love. Here is your lady. Have you ever said a loving word to her, bent the knee, kissed her hand—which, being persisted in, is the true way to kiss the mouth?"

"(If he does either)," growled the Sparhawk, "my sword will kiss his midriff!"

Prince Louis smiled. He was not used to women's flatteries, and in his present state of exaltation the cajoleries of the Princess suited his mood.

"I know more of women than you think, sister," he made answer. "I have had experiences—in my youth, that is; I am no puppet princeling. By Saint Mark! once on a day I had strutted with the boldest; and to-day, well, now that I have humbled this proud madam and brought her to my own city, why, I will show you that I am no Wendish bore. I can sue a lady's favor as courteously as any man, and Margaret, if you will promise me to be a good girl and get you ready to be married to-morrow, I promise you that Louis of Courtland will solicit his lady's favor with all grace and observance."

"Gladly will I be married to-morrow," said the Princess, caressing her brother's sleeve—"that is, if I cannot be married to-day!" she added under her breath.

But she paused a few moments as if embarrassed. Then she went on.

"Brother Louis, I have spoken with my sister here—your wife, the Lady Joan. She hath a scruple concerning matrimony. She would have it resolved before she had speech with you again. Permit our good Father Clement to advise with her."

"Father Clement—our Conrad's tutor, why he more than another?"

"Well, do you not understand? He is old," pleaded Margaret, "and there are things one can say to an old man. You understand, brother Louis."

The Prince nodded, well pleased. This was pleasant. His mentor, Prince Wasp, did not usually flatter him. Rather he made him chafe on a tight rein.

"As soon as he can be sent for," the Prince answered. "He will come directly here to the Summer Palace. And till then you two fair maids can abide together. Princess, my wife, I kiss your noble hand. Margaret, your cheek. Till to-morrow—till to-morrow!"

He went out with an attempt at airy grace curiously grafted on his usual saturnine manners.

Then quickly dropping her lover's

finger, Margaret took hold of her dress at either side daintily and circled about the Sparhawk in a light-tripping dance.

"Ah, Louis—we will be good and blidable—to-morrow. To-morrow you will see me a loving and obedient wife. To-morrow I will wed Prince Wasp. Meantime—to-day you and I, Maurice, will consult Father Clement, mine ancient confessor, who will do anything I ask him. To-day we will dance—to-day, you and I. For in that brave velvet robe you shall be married!"

"Margaret!" cried the Sparhawk. And with one bound he had her against his breast.

"Oh," she cried, with a shrug of her pretty shoulders, as she submitted to his embrace. "I don't love you half as much in that dress. Why, it is like kissing another girl at the convent. Ugh, the cats!"

She was not permitted to say any more. The Alla was heard very clearly in the Summer Palace as it swept the swift moments with it away towards the sea which is oblivion. Then after a time, and a time and half a time, the Princess Margaret slowly emerged.

"No," she said retrospectively, "it is not like the convent after all—not a bit."

NO SLEEP FOR MOTHER

Baby Covered With Sores and Scales—Could Not Tell What She Looked Like—Marvelous Cure by Cuticura.

"At four months old my baby's face and body were so covered with sores and large scales you could not tell what she looked like. No child ever had a worse case. Her face was being eaten away, and even her finger nails fell off. It itched so she could not sleep, and for many weary nights we could get no rest. At last we got Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The sores began to heal at once, and she could sleep at night, and in one month she had not one sore on her face or body.—Mrs. Mary Sanders, 709 Spring St., Camden, N. J."

Calomel is Misnomer.

The name "calomel" means "beautiful black," and was originally given to black sulphuretted mercury. As calomel is a white powder, the name is merely a jocular misnomer now.

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Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Rummage Sale Incident.

A clergyman at Yarmouth, England, who was attending a "rummage sale," that was being held for a charity laid a new straw hat on a stall, and when he turned around to get it a minute or two later found that the energetic stallkeeper had sold it for 4 cents to an unknown purchaser.

Perry Not to Be Killed.

Perry Shrum had the misfortune accidentally to shoot himself through the arm last week, making a very painful wound, but is recovering fast. It would be a hard matter to kill Perry unless you cut his head off and hid it from him.—Mitchell, Ore., Sentinel.

One-Third Wages Spent in Beer.

It is safe to say that in some districts of Sheffield one-third of the wages paid out on Saturday is immediately passed over to publicans as payment of the week's "ale-shot."—London Evening Standard.

India's Foreign Trade.

India has three and one-third times as much foreign trade as Japan; three times as much as China, easily beating Italy and Austria, also Belgium, and surpassing the Russian empire by 25 per cent.

Tightness of Boots and Shoes.

This exceedingly uncomfortable feeling can be relieved by rubbing the shoes well with olive or castor oil while they are on the feet and allowing it to dry in.

First Cabbage in England.

Cabbages were introduced into England in the sixteenth century.

Soldier's Son is Drowned.

Bloomington, Ill., dispatch: Kenneth Chase, aged 14, an inmate for three years of the soldiers' orphan home here, was drowned at Kappa, a resort north of here, where he had accompanied a party of the inmates.

BABY'S INSTINCT

Shows He Knew What Food to Stick To.

Forwarding a photo of a splendidly handsome and healthy young boy, a happy mother writes from an Ohio town:

"The enclosed picture shows my 4-year-old Grape-Nuts boy."

"Since he was 2 years old he has eaten nothing but Grape-Nuts. He demands and gets this food three times a day. This may seem rather unusual, but he does not care for anything else after he has eaten his Grape-Nuts, which he uses with milk or cream, and then he is through with his meal. Even on Thanksgiving day he refused turkey and all the good things that make up that great dinner, and ate his dish of Grape-Nuts and cream with the best results, and none of the evils that the other foolish members of the family experienced."

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A peculiar introduction took place in a Kansas City store. Up in the bundle-wrappers' loft was a young woman whom a young man, who came in the store frequently, admired. He wanted to meet her and told one of the clerks so several times. Saturday he was talking to the clerk and, glancing toward the loft, saw the girl.

"There's Miss Blank again," said the young man. "I wish I could meet that girl."

"I told her the other day you wanted to know her," said the clerk, "and she said she'd be very glad to meet you. Give me one of your cards. We'll settle this thing right now."

The young man handed out a card and the clerk put it in the overhead bundle carrier and sent it up to the girl. She looked down and smiled. The young man smiled back.

"There," said the clerk, "now you're introduced."

The young man went out, greatly pleased.—Kansas City Times.

Not That Kind.

"You pull teeth here, I suppose?" queried the man, after climbing the stairs to the dentist's office.

"Yes, sir."

"Just grab 'em and yank 'em out?"

"We are careful not to hurt."

"Is it the painless kind?"

"Absolutely painless, sir."

"Then I'll call somewhere else."

"But you don't want to be hurt, do you?"

"O, it isn't for me. It is for the old woman. She's got to have eleven pulled at once, and I want it to hurt her so that she won't be able to open her mouth at me for a month of Sundays!"



"For to-morrow you shall find your master."

said a bass voice, speaking, grave and kindly behind them.

"Father—dear Father Clement!" cried Margaret running to the noble old man who stood by the door and kneeling down for his blessing. He gave it simply and benignly, and then laid his hand a moment on the rippling masses of her fair hair. Then he turned his eyes upon the Sparhawk.

Then the confusion of his beautiful pentent, the flush which mounted to her neck even as she kneeled, added to a certain level defiance in the glance of her taller companion, told him almost at a glance that which had been so carefully concealed. His glance traveled back and forth from the Sparhawk to Margaret, and from Margaret to the Sparhawk.

"Ah!" he said at last, for all comment.

The Princess rose to her feet and approached the priest.

"My Father," she said swiftly, "this is not the Lady Joan, my brother's wife, but a youth marvelously like her, who had offered himself in her place that she might escape—"

"Nay," said the Sparhawk, "it was to see you once again, Lady Margaret, that I came to Courtland!"

"Hush! you must not interrupt," she went on, putting him aside with her hand. "He is the Count von Loen, a lord of Kernsburg. And I love him. We want you to marry us now, dear Father—now, without a moment's delay; for if you do not, they will kill him, and I shall have to marry Prince Wasp!"

(To be continued.)

COSTLY HATS FOR MEN.

Gen. Grant's \$1,500 Mexican Sombrero Still Holds Record.

"Talking about expensive hats," said a prominent hat dealer, "the most costly hat that was ever made was presented to Gen. Grant while in Mexico in 1882. It cost \$1,500 in gold. It is now in the national museum at Washington, says the New York Press.

"Panama hats used to be frequently sold as high as \$500 each. I remember selling four hats at that price in a single day in 1872, but such hats are no longer to be obtained. The most expensive panama I have sold in years was bought by a banker of this city last week for \$100. It was the last fine panama hat in stock. Such hats are still worn by the highaloes in South America. They are not made in Panama, but got the name because that city was formerly the greatest market for them. The finest hats come from Peru. They are made of the fiber of the pits or pineapple plant, which is as soft and pliable as silk, and some of them are so fine that they can be folded up and carried in one's vest pocket."

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