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That Tired Feeling

is bound to come, it can't be warded off, it's sure to follow the gripe, better commence and fortify right now; with our

Beef, Iron and Wine.

We've got it, step in and ask us about it, even if you don't have the gripe you'll need a tonic, to ward off that "spring tiredness."

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In quart cans. One quart, can included, 25c.
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Our own make of Summerwurst and Corned Beef is unexcelled. All kinds of fresh and salt meats. We sell none but the best.

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Free Delivery.
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WARM WEATHER IS HERE

And we are here with the Warm Weather Goods. Everything that you may want in the lines of

Hardware, Furniture, Bazaar Goods, Harness Goods,

Road Wagons and Buggies we can show you. We have Oil and Gasoline Stoves, Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Lawn Mowers, Lawn Swings, Porch Chairs, Porch Swings, Window Screens and Screen Doors.

FARM IMPLEMENTS.

We lead with the largest and most up-to-date line of Implements you have ever seen in Washtenaw County. See us before you purchase any thing in our many lines.

SPECIAL FOR TEN DAYS.

On Oval Gilt Framed Pictures.
The best selected Spanish Peanuts you ever saw at 10c pound.

HOLMES & WALKER

WE TREAT YOU RIGHT.

ATHLETIC MEET.

Tri-County Track Meet Will Be Held at Chelsea June 5th.

The Eighth Tri-County Track Meet will occur at Chelsea, Saturday, June 5. Northville, Plymouth, Wayne and Chelsea schools will contest for the trophy cup won by Wayne last year. Much interest is manifested by the various schools and a sharp contest is promised. Wayne will send her delegation of contestants and rooters on a special car Saturday morning. Northville and Plymouth will send their contestants Friday night and large delegations of rooters will follow. Saturday morning many Chelsea houses have already volunteered to extend their hospitality to the guests.

The presentation of the trophy cup and medals will be a part of the program for the reception given by the Chelsea school and citizens to the visiting delegations at the Sylvan theatre Saturday night. It is hoped that our business men will decorate liberally for the day and let the visitors see far famed Chelsea arrayed in all her glory.

An innovation in financing the meet is being tried this year. The business men have not been approached for cash subscriptions, but everyone is expected to wear a tag costing 10 cents for school children and 25 cents for all others.

Annual Bible Class Banquet.

The second annual bible class banquet was given by the ladies of Mrs. Glass' bible class last Friday evening, and was one of the most interesting occasions of the year. Eight or ten members of the class responded to toasts in a manner that would have done credit to more

DECORATION DAY WILL BE OBSERVED MONDAY

Prof. S. B. Laird, of Ypsilanti, Will Deliver The Address.

The Decoration Day exercises will be held at the town hall Monday, May 31st at 1:30 o'clock p. m. The following program will be rendered:

Music.....Band
Prayer.....Children
Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.....Soldiers
Music.....Children
Recitation.....Children
Music.....Children
Address.....Prof. S. B. Laird
Music.....America

The following order will be observed in the march to Oak Grove cemetery after the service at the hall:

Marshal
Band
K. O. T. M. M.
G. A. R. Post
W. R. C.
Flower Wagon
School Children

Carriage with Speaker and Clergy
Carriage with disabled Ex-Soldiers
Carriage with Citizens
Post and Corps service will be held in the cemetery after the graves are decorated.

We Have Moved

The Standard is now located in its new home in the Wilkinson-Rafferty Block on East Middle Street, where we will be pleased to have all of our friends call. Everything is not in its proper position, but we can find room for you.

Have Filed Answer.

Times-News: Frank E. Ives, Jennie D. Parker, Joseph Watts, Adam Eppler, Lizzie Runciman, Simon Hirth, Orson Bonman, Margaret Murray, Margaret Hindelang, John Clark, George Beeman, Joseph Ryerson, Edward Spaulding, Francis Beeman, L. L. Gorton, John Kelly, Emanuel Schenk and Howard Everett have filed a supplemental answer in case of W. W. Woldemeyer, receiver for the Chelsea Savings bank, vs. Victor D. Hindelang, in which they say that dividends have been declared in the bank of 60 per cent to the savings depositors and 40 per cent to the commercial depositors and that they believe they should have been permitted to participate in said dividends, and that against any liability that may be found against them as stockholders in said bank there should be allowed as an offset against said liability an amount equal to the several amounts which would have been paid to the respective defendants had they been permitted to participate in the dividends so declared.

Grange Meeting.

Cavanaugh Lake Grange will hold its next regular meeting on Tuesday evening, June 1st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elert Notten. The following program has been prepared for the evening:

Song.....By the Grange
Roll Call.....Miscellaneous Quotations
Newspaper Reading Among Farmers
Discussion led by.....Mrs. Gieske
Music.....Ada Mensing
Remarks on the method employed by some noted farmer.....R. M. Hoppe
Question Box in charge of.....T. G. Riemenschneider
Music.....

Notice, G. A. R.

All members of G. A. R. Post are requested to be present at Post room both Sunday at 7 o'clock local time, and Monday at 1:30 o'clock, local time.

Attention, K. O. T. M. M.

All member of Chelsea Tent, No. 281, K. O. T. M. M., are requested to meet at their hall, at 12:30 o'clock, Monday afternoon, May 31, to take part in the G. A. R. Decoration Day services.

H. E. Cooper, Commander.

"Duke's Liquid Corn Cure." A speedy painless cure for hard and soft corns.

KILL THE FLIES.

They Are One of The Greatest Menaces to Health.

Flies are declared by expert authorities to be one of the greatest menaces to public health in our civilization, breeding and carrying the germs which cause typhoid fever, malaria, dysentery and even the dreaded white plague, tuberculosis.

Health Officer J. C. Reinhar of Toledo, Ohio, an authority in the science of sanitation, says:

If one would but stop to think that the flies crawling about the house, over the food and over the person, have, in every instance, been just as familiar with some disease-breeding filth, the fly would not be tolerated in the house for an instant. Yet every fly comes fresh from the filthiest things to make free with everything in the home.

Flies breed in manure piles, in garbage cans, in every place where filth and germs of disease collect. From there they fly direct to the kitchen, to the sick-room.

The wonderful feet of the fly, burry, sticky and spreading, which enables him to walk on the ceiling, gather germs in myriads. A full grown fly, the government observers compute, may carry 100,000 to 3,000,000 of these disease bacilli.

The flies crawl through the butter, they get into the milk, they trail their germ-laden legs across the cake, and bread and household dainties. In each they leave a trap for the health of an entire family.

They fly around through a sick room, where tuberculosis or typhoid or other dread diseases are. Then covered with the tiny germs of those diseases, they fly to the homes of the well.

The fly speck is a danger and a menace. The microscopes of scientists have discovered in them the tubercule bacillus, which brings consumption, the typhoid germ and many others.

They used to call them house flies. The new name adopted in government bulletins is typhoid flies. That tells its own story.

Flies breed with wonderful rapidity. It takes only 11 days for a fly egg to become a full-grown fly. This makes about twelve or fourteen generations of flies during a summer. As a fly lays 120 to 150 eggs at a time you can see that the descendants of a single fly in one summer might reach into countless millions.

Attention to the typhoid fly as a cause of disease and epidemics came with the Spanish war, the American soldiers were dying by the hundreds.

The army surgeons devoted their best efforts to learn the cause. They finally traced it to the fly, hitherto considered harmless.

Just as the mosquito was blamed for bringing yellow fever and malarial fevers in Panama, Cuba and southern United States, so the fly is an undesirable in the north.

Vigorous work by the government in the south is driving the mosquitoes away, and making the previously infected country healthful.

So now war is declared on the fly. In many cities of the country a gigantic campaign is being planned to rid the people of the typhoid fly danger.

The following rules for fighting the house fly, have been gathered by the organizations which have taken up this method of fighting typhoid and other intestinal diseases and are being published broadcast:

"Keep the flies away from the sick, especially those ill with contagious diseases. Kill every fly that strays into the sick room. His body is covered with disease germs."

"Do not allow decaying material of any sort to accumulate on or near your premises."

"All refuse which tends in any way to fermentation, such as bedding straw, paper waste and vegetable matter should be disposed of or covered with lime or kerosene oil."

"Screen all food."

"Keep all receptacles for garbage carefully covered and the cans cleaned or sprinkled with oil or lime."

"See that your sewer system is in good order, that it does not leak, is up to date and not exposed to flies."

"Pour kerosene into the drains."

"Cover food after a meal; burr or bury all table refuse."

"Screen all food exposed for sale."

"Screen all windows and doors, especially the kitchen and dining room."

"Burn pyrethrum powder in the house to kill the flies."

"Don't forget if you see flies, their breeding place is in nearby filth. It may be behind the door, under the table or in the cuspidor."

"If there is no dirt and filth there will be no flies."

"If there is a nuisance in the neighborhood, write at once to the health department."

Ginger Up

What's the use of dragging yourself around limp and lifeless? Now please don't say it's the weather for it isn't.

It's You

Don't you see hundreds of other people who are not affected? They are living in the same weather that you are. You need a tonic--that's what's the matter with you--and here it is:

Rexall Elixir

We guarantee it to make you feel young.

We Are Selling:

GROCERIES.

Good Roasted Coffee 2 pounds.....25c
Standard Mocha and Java, lb.....25c
Best Tea Dust, pound.....15c
6 lbs Best Rolled Oats for.....25c
4 lbs Fancy Japan Rice for.....25c
10 lbs Kiln Dried Corn Meal.....25c
Pineapples for Canning at lowest market price.

Large Ripe Bananas, dozen.....20c
3 cans Condensed Milk.....25c
Fancy New Orleans Molasses gallon.....60c
Pure Lard, pound.....12c
Fancy Pig Pork, pound.....15c
Jackson Gem Flour, sack.....90c
Roller King Flour, sack.....95c
Large Fat Mackerel, pound.....15c
Garden Seeds at lowest prices.

DRUGS

Mennens Talcum Powder.....18c
Rexall Talcum Powder.....15c
Rexall Toilet Cream.....16c
Rexall Toilet Soap 3 for.....25c
Rexall Hair Tonic.....50c
Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets.....25c
Rexall Kidney Pills.....25c
Finest Imported Olive Oil.....60c
Pure Caster Oil, pint.....25c
Best Witch Hazel, pint.....20c
Zenolam Disinfectant, gal.....1.25
Formaldehyde, pint.....25c
Peroxide Hydrogen, pint.....50c
Ablena Water Bottle.....35c
Thompson Fumigator Kills Moths.....25c
Victor Insect Destroyer.....25c
Peterman's Discovery (Bug Killer).....25c

We are cutting the best Full Cream Cheese at 17c per lb.

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Home Made Buggies

I have the largest stock of buggies ever carried by anyone in Chelsea to select from.

Have them in all stages from the white to the finished. Do not fail to look them over before buying. I will gladly show you the difference between hand-made and factory buggies.

Special attention given to new rubber tire buggies, and all kinds of repairing done on short notice.

Buy a home-made A buggy, which will stand the test, from

Phone No. 90.

A. G. FAIST

The Time

For Spring Cleaning and Fixing Up has come.

And there is nothing that makes a better appearance than a nice new coat of paint on your house or barn, say nothing about the interior of your home, which everyone in the family will enjoy, and the place to buy your paint and varnishes is at

BELSER'S STORE

You will find a full line of Bradley & Voorman, and Boydel Bros. paints in stock, as well as every description of a brush to apply the same. The varnish and floor stains carried in stock are not excelled by any on the market.

Just opened, a big line of Sporting Goods, such as catchers' mits, fielders' and basemen's gloves, baseballs, bats, and such other fixings to fit out a first-class ball team. Just take a glance at our window.

Always something new in the Furniture line coming in.

Did you see the Aluminum Ware just in? If not, it will pay you to make a visit at my store and inspect the same.

FRED. H. BELSER.

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TUBERCULOSIS CRUSADE.

Much has been done in recent weeks to perfect the organization of those who are associated in an effort to check and reduce the ravages of tuberculosis. The work in behalf of the victims of the disease and for the promotion of preventative measures has been rendered more systematic and practical and productive of results, says the Detroit Free Press. Almost 700 patients have been the beneficiaries of specific ameliorative effort, 150 of these patients being in straitened circumstances. The work is no longer on an experimental basis and it is planned to devote in June a day to concerted action looking to the raising of further funds on a plan similar to that employed with a great deal of success in the June of last year. A good account of their stewardship can be given by those to whom the utilization of the funds heretofore contributed was entrusted, and the worthiness of the work should prompt generous gifts of additional funds. No ameliorative work has greater appeal for the public.

The malevolent spirit that inspired the firing of the forest reserve near Asheville, N. C., owned by George W. Vanderbilt, with the result that the flames swept over 10,000 acres of young growth that would soon have been worth \$250,000, is an exhibition of human nature at its worst. The act seems to have been done for mere wantonness, for no possible good could come to anyone through this destruction of a noble forest-land, while the damage is not limited to the monetary value of the property burned. The occurrence adds to the sum total of disaster due to reckless tree-killing, already far too large, to say nothing of the marring of the scenic beauty and the injury to a region regarded as one of the finest health resorts in the country.

There have been numerous balloon casualties, but few of the victims have been women, although some of the most daring ascensions have been made by members of the feminine sex. France reports one of these exceptional instances. A balloon which ascended from St. Cloud carrying two men and a woman drifted toward the sea, and while efforts were made to land on the beach, these proved ineffectual and the balloon was carried into the surf. Men put out in boats to the rescue and succeeded in saving the men, but the woman was drowned. Ballooning is a perilous pastime at best, and doubtless most men would prefer that women be exempted from the dangerous business.

The government at Washington has disavowed the acts of an American teacher at Tabriz who was charged with participating in revolutionary demonstrations against the shah, thus avoiding all possibility of complications with Persia. Even America has its share of men of ill-balanced perceptions who cannot refrain from "butting in" when they are in the neighborhood of a row in a foreign country. But fortunately the number is not large. The average American recognizes the advisability of keeping out of other people's quarrels, and has the faculty for appreciating how much trouble can often be made by taking a contrary course.

The enthusiasm and friendliness of the Italians before whom Wilbur Wright is exhibiting his aeroplane tend somewhat to embarrass the aviator in his experiments. The crowd present at the trials near Rome becomes so great and so curious at times that the flights have to be suspended temporarily. It is evident that the natives have great admiration for the American inventor and strong confidence in his ability to make good.

Perhaps a concerted movement by the churches to have their feminine members take off their hats at services may abate the epidemic of horrors now devastating the nerves of the community. If the hats cannot be worn where they can best be seen their interest will soon be on the wane, says the Baltimore American. It is true that St. Paul decreed that a woman must not have her head uncovered in church, but then the architectural, gargantuan milliner was unknown in his day, or his dictum might have been just the reverse.

More stories of hostilities down in Central America, Nicaragua being reported as about to move on Salvador. Cannot those quarrelling children be put under bonds to keep the peace or placed in charge of The Hague tribunal?

It would be annoying if after we people of the earth had spent \$10,000,000 on apparatus with which to signal Mars the highly cultured inhabitants of that planet should decline to speak to us without an introduction.

WEARY OF LIFE OF LONG YEARS

NINETY-NINE YEARS OLD BILLY GRAY TOOK FATAL DOSE OF PARIS GREEN.

I WISH I HAD KILLED HIM

The Oldest Resident of Dearborn Ends It All—Representative Schantz's Vindictive Assailant.

"Uncle Billy" Gray, 99 years old, a resident of Dearborn, decided Saturday that there was nothing more to live for, so secured a tin dipper, one quart capacity, poured in a large amount of Paris green, and going to the well, nearly filled it with water. He then drank the mixture and calmly lay down to die.

Mrs. Gray, who is about 80, discovered her husband and called a doctor. The latter applied emetics. "Uncle Billy" seemed to rally during the afternoon, but at 10 o'clock p. m. sank suddenly and expired.

Gray had lived in the village so long that even the oldest resident cannot remember when he came to the town, and he always claimed to have arrived in Dearborn long before any of them. He was a native of England, and a pensioner of the British government, having been injured on a warship. For years he was a familiar figure on the streets, until about a year ago, walking in every day from his little farm on the outskirts of the village. He owned a place worth, perhaps, \$2,000.

Lately he had come to Dearborn with a horse and wagon. On account of his age, it was impossible for him to climb into the wagon unassisted, and a short ladder was always carried in the rig.

The aged wife says that she does not know what will become of her. She does not know of any living relatives, she says.

Duggan's Evil Spirit.

"I wish I had killed him; I wouldn't have gotten any more." This remark, made by James Duggan on his way back to jail after being sentenced to life imprisonment for assault on Representative W. H. Schantz at Lansing, would indicate that there was some motive which has not been disclosed for Duggan's peculiar assault, though Duggan on the trial insisted to the contrary, saying that he did not know why he attacked Schantz.

The case was given to the jury after the dinner hour Saturday, and after fifteen minutes' deliberation the jury came in with a verdict of guilty of assault with intent to murder. Judge West immediately called Duggan to the bar and sentenced him to imprisonment for life at Marquette. Duggan asked to be sent to Jackson, but the judge told him he thought Marquette was a better place for him.

Planned Disappearance.

No further investigation will be made by the Detroit police in the case of Frank S. Curtis, the mechanical engineer who disappeared from the Wayne hotel April 27 last. Capt. McDonnell has received a letter from New York from a man closely connected with the Curtis family, and this man says that Curtis' family is convinced that he is alive and well, that he disappeared of his own volition, and that the disappearance was left planned by him before he left New York on his trip west.

"I was convinced right along that Curtis was alive and well," declared Capt. McDonnell. "The fact that he wrote so many letters before dropping out of sight aroused my suspicions, and the more we investigated the more convinced I became that there was something behind the whole matter, and that Curtis had planned his disappearance."

Killed Her Babe.

Charged with the murder of her two-months-old baby girl while in the woods, Mrs. Mary Bloch, 45, has been brought to the 800 from Rudyard. The police say she admits having killed the infant by striking it in the head with her fist and then dropping it into a pool of water. She is believed to be insane. When found, the woman was behind a barn, acting strangely. She said she had killed her baby, and led the way to the woods and pointed out the child's body in the pool. Mrs. Bloch says she is sorry, but appears to be dazed and to have no appreciation of the enormity of her crime.

Heavy Fire Loss.

Fire wrecked the interior of the seven-story Gilbert block, one of the leading office buildings in Grand Rapids. The largest loser is the Ira M. Smith Co.'s department store, which occupied the lower floors and all the rear of the structure. The loss to the department store is estimated at between \$150,000 and \$250,000, with insurance of about \$150,000.

The loss on the building itself is estimated at between \$50,000 and \$100,000, with insurance on the building amounting to \$100,000.

The first three weeks of local option in Coldwater have been absolutely dry. There have been no drunks in the city, no arrests, and the city police are enjoying an enforced rest.

STATE BRIEFS.

The Northwestern depot at Stephenson was destroyed by fire Friday morning. Tickets, valued at \$400, were burned.

Louis Harris, aged 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris, of Chapin, drank a bottle of carbolic acid he found and will die.

Fruit growers in Holland and vicinity are jubilant over the bright prospects for a bountiful harvest. The trees are laden with buds.

The first colored patrolman in Battle Creek began his duties Sunday on the main downtown corner. The trouble which was threatened by white citizens failed to materialize.

John Mawrovitz, the 10-year-old Port Huron boy who was charged with burning a barn in addition to committing several other crimes several months ago, has disappeared from home.

Ex-Rep. J. H. McCallum, of Manistiquie, has been appointed to a position in the auditor general's department at Lansing. He goes on the pay roll of the commonwealth as examiner of state lands.

Since Carl Decker, 16 years old, left his mother's home in Kalamazoo on May 4 and went up town to look for work, not a trace of his whereabouts has been found, and his mother is nearly frantic with anxiety.

Thomas Wilson, Port Huron, while on his way home with an armful of groceries, was shot in the right arm by an unknown man, who escaped from Wilson after a long chase. The wound will not prove serious.

Mrs. Otto Otersky, aged 26, of Saginaw, was found dead in bed, she having evidently gotten a carbolic acid bottle by mistake when looking for headache medicine, during the night. She is survived by a husband and two children.

Penned in by flames that made the only ordinary means of exit a tunnel of roaring fire, Paula, the 7-year-old daughter of Martin Nowicki, of Detroit, was burned to death in a blaze that started from the explosion of a gasoline stove.

Ole Olson, employed on the Summer Diggins railroad, was run over by a car at Cadillac and his right leg cut off at the knee. Olson was making repairs under the car and the crew, not knowing where he was, signaled the engineer to back up.

Mrs. William Shakespeare, of Kalamazoo, was awakened Monday night by a burglar flashing a light in her face. He told her if she made a sound he would blow her head off. The burglar took two children's banks, containing \$10, a woman's gold watch and a revolver.

Suit has been started in circuit court by Mrs. Edward A. Stewart against the Detroit United Railway for \$20,000 damages because of the death of Edward A. Stewart June 24, 1908. Stewart was the victim of a collision between a limited and a local car east of Jackson.

The Flint postoffice officials are wondering what to do with a letter which arrived there recently, addressed to "The Leading Saloon," as since the advent of the local option law, on May 1, both the leaders and followers in the sale of intoxicating liquors have been out of commission.

Three men, convicted of crimes against young girls, were sentenced in the circuit court at Port Huron, Saturday. Edward Lafferty, of St. Clair, goes to prison for one to ten years; Elmer Quilman, of Capac, for two to fifteen years; and Otto Schroeder, of China township, for six months to one year.

William and Mark Hubbard, brothers who have police records, were arrested in Ionia after exchanging several shots with Gene Blackmore and Earl Alexander, Pere Marquette watchmen. They were prowling around the depot, and when the officers attempted to arrest them opened fire. No one was hurt in the battle.

Rep. John O. Maxey, of Ontonagon county, leader in the movement for the adoption of the reforestation bill, which recently passed both houses of the legislature, says that he is pleased with the result of the vote. He says the new law will increase the price of waste lands in Michigan from \$2 to \$5 and \$10 per acre.

An exhibition of coolness was given by Basil Cleveland, a 15-year-old high school lad, of Muskegon, when three of his fingers were severed by a buzz saw at the Hackley Manual Training school. The boy did not utter a cry, but calmly pulled a lever to stop the saw and brushed the severed fingers off the saw table onto the floor.

A stabbing affray among some tramps occurred at Ann Arbor Saturday morning, with the result that John Kelly, one of their number, lies in the Homeopathic hospital, seriously wounded. A knife cut under his left arm, on a level with his heart, is the most serious of the three cuts he received. This incision extended into the pleural cavity. William Miller, the hobo identified by Kelly as his assailant, is held at the county jail for the crime.

Failing to find the co-operation which it has expected, the Ann Arbor Railway company has about decided not to straighten its road through the city, and that means that the hope of the citizens regarding certain grade separations will fall of fulfillment. The railway company had expected to expend about \$80,000 in new bridges and straightening the crooked course of its road, but the property owners, it is said, have boosted the valuations on their land, sometimes to 200 and 300 per cent its real value.

Charles Bartlett saw the coffin containing the body of his 5-year-old daughter, Grace, carried from his home in Flint Thursday, while he lay in bed too ill to even view the little one's remains. The father and daughter were taken ill several days ago with pneumonia. Tuesday night the child died. Bartlett has a chance for recovery.

The Anti-Saloon league, through Supt. George W. Morrow, of Detroit, requested the Congressional ministers, while holding a convention in Muskegon, to assist in the fight for the abolishment of the saloons in Michigan.

LEGISLATIVE NEWS; DOINGS OF SOLONS

WHAT THE LAW-MAKERS AT LANSING ARE DOING—NEW BILLS UP.

LAW ALREADY UNDER FIRE

Questioning of the Legislature's Work Begins Promptly After Adjournment—Other Matters of Interest.

Lansing.—Within 24 hours after the legislature adjourned one of the laws it enacted was under fire and C. P. Downey of the Hotel Downey is ready to test the act in the supreme court before he complies with its provisions.

The act in question was known in legislative parlance as the Snell bill, and it prohibits the adulteration of ice cream, as well as requires manufacturers to pay an annual license of five dollars. It was given immediate effect as a law necessary to public health, and Food Commissioner Bird, immediately it was signed, began preparations to enforce it.

One of his inspectors called at the Downey house and requested the payment of the fee prescribed. Mr. Downey flatly refused, declaring the law was only intended to apply to manufacturers supplying ice cream at retail or wholesale. He referred the inspector to his attorney and says he will fight. Commissioner Bird is out of the city and it is not known whether he will order the matter taken into court or not.

The inspectors are also securing samples of ice cream for chemical tests as to whether they contain the necessary butter fats and as to the amount of gelatine and other ingredients.

The Michigan budget amounted to \$13,133,439.

Following is the budget itemized: State university, \$1,300,575; Agricultural college, \$246,320; Ypsilanti Normal school, \$208,000; Mount Pleasant Normal, \$154,900; Marquette Normal, \$102,550; Kalamazoo Normal, \$174,500; College of Mines, \$121,265; Wayne County asylum, \$155,173.43; Jackson prison, \$135,750; Ionia reformatory, \$22,000; Marquette prison, \$34,485; Industrial school for boys, \$178,000; Industrial school for girls, \$153,965; state fish commission, \$76,310; military fund, \$325,601.92; naval reserves, \$50,000; state sanatorium, \$38,513.77; Traverse City asylum, \$469,984.02; Newberry asylum, \$235,672.30; Ionia Asylum for Criminals Insane, \$119,265; Wayne County asylum, \$155,173.43; Jackson prison, \$135,750; Ionia reformatory, \$22,000; Marquette prison, \$34,485; Industrial school for boys, \$178,000; Industrial school for girls, \$153,965; state fish commission, \$76,310; military fund, \$325,601.92; naval reserves, \$50,000; state sanatorium, \$38,513.77; 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A "New Thought" Offense

By Dr. George F. Butler and Herbert Hiley

Victory for Physician-Detective Dr. Furnivall, Where Police Methods Fail

WHEN Detective Rugersom, at seven o'clock in the evening, learned that Mr. Courtney Banning, the young club millionaire, was missing from his home, that foul play was feared, and that a large reward had been offered for information of his whereabouts, he believed that he knew about what had happened to him and just where to find him.

Therefore he hastened at once to the Shady Hotel Northern on the fringes of the slums.

"Ring," said he to the night clerk, a tough-looking individual of 40, with a hard, flushed face, drink-sodden eyes, and a few strands of gray hair, "how long ago was it that Mr. Banning was here last?"

"A week ago to-night," Ring answered, quickly. "Why? I hope there ain't nothing."

"Only missing, that's all. We want to find him for his family. If he's still here, and if you make it quiet and easy for me, why, no questions asked—that's it. All I want is him—see? And nobody else need know nothing about it."

"Here, come in here a minute," said the clerk, hastily. He hurried through the dining-room into the kitchen, and standing in the middle of the floor pointed upward to where a door could be seen, with three steps of a former stairway depending from it. The stairway was sawed short off, the lowest step hanging ten feet up from the kitchen floor.

"Ye see them stairs?" said the clerk, pointing. "We cut them down because we needed the room here more than we did them. So help me, I ain't telling a word of lie, but Mr. Banning was dodging round up stairs Monday night, and for some reason or other he opened that door that we always keep locked, and tumbled down here. He thought there was stairs, I suppose. He wasn't hurted much, but he couldn't stand, and we would not send him to his own home, letting on that it was here he was putting in his time, so we calls the wagon and sends him to the Relief station. Why, isn't he out yet at all? We thought he'd be all right in the morning, only a trifle shook up, and mebbe the head on him from the little jam-boree."

While he was speaking the innocent eyes of the detective were searching his face. The clerk wore a guilty manner, but was it the flag of guilt in this particular case, or was it the general all-round guilt which a man of his calling and stamp is likely to show when in the presence of the law? The detective could not say. But the Relief station would answer the question, or at least throw enough light on the subject to start with. Mr. Banning would be found injured, but had the injury come innocently, from walking through that doorway? The main point was that the missing man would be restored to his home and the restorer would get the reward. The manner of the injury was a minor matter, which, however, properly looked into, might serve as a whip of power to hold over the shady Hotel Northern.

Therefore, after a long look into the clerk's shifty eyes, he said abruptly: "I'll see you again about this, mebbe," and hurried to the hospital. To his inquiries an attendant answered that on Monday evening a man had been brought in unconscious, suffering from a fractured skull and bruises on the legs and arms. Two friends who were with him said his name was C. O. Banning. They couldn't give his address. In the morning, when they had patched him up and he was able to leave the station, he denied that he was Banning, though he refused to give any other name, and went away growling against somebody who had thrown him down stairs.

"Was he a gentleman?" asked Rugersom.

"If he was he was thoroughly disgraced," smiled the attendant. "No, he was a rough fellow, faded and dirty, weak-minded, sniveling, a type we often see here."

The detective hastened back to the hotel. The clerk Ring regarded him anxiously.

"Was he hurted bad after all?" he asked. "Two would give the house a bad name."

around cheap barrooms doing chores for their entertainment, bleary of eye, trembling with the weakness of overstimulation. When they saw the detective they showed further signs of discomfort, but braced it out, though doubtfully, as if ready for flight on the first token of hostility on his part.

"Mike," said the clerk, "and you, too, Jakey, where was it you seen Mr. Banning Monday night—the first time, I mean?"

"On the broad of his back on the floor," answered Mike, pointing; and, "Stretched right out there," corroborated Jakey, also pointing, both of them speaking at the same time.

"Was it you two that gave him the name at the Relief station?" asked Rugersom.

"It was not," said Mike. "No, sir," declared Jakey.

"They helped put him in the wagon, that's all," Ring volunteered.

"But who went with him to the hospital, then? They say there that two men came with him and gave him a name."

Both Mike and Jakey began to talk very fast, explaining that all they knew was that Mr. Banning had fallen down stairs, that they had lifted him into the ambulance and then returned to the dining room, where they were sitting when the noise of his fall startled them into rushing to the kitchen to see what the trouble was. They knew Mr. Banning very well by sight, as everybody around the hotel did, he was there so often, attracting a good deal of attention unknown to himself by being there at all, and especially by spending so much money.

"You two come along with me," Rugersom interrupted, grimly. "You have the spiel too pat. We'll see if the ambulance man and the clerk at the Relief station can identify you."

"It's all right, Mr. Rugersom. It's just as I tell you," called Ring after the detective as the three went out.

"Mebbe," muttered Rugersom, "but there's sand in this sugar somewhere. It grits."

The instant they reached the first cross street both men, as if moved by one impulse, grabbed the officer by the arm and turned the corner, out of sight of the hotel.

"Git out here—I'll tell him—I have the first word," growled Mike to Jakey, who was feverishly trying to whisper in the detective's ear.

Rugersom shook them off and stepped into a doorway.

"Go slow," he said. "You'll both be treated the same in this game, no matter who speaks first. Out with it, Mike."

exclamation from the room, followed by the sounds of a fierce struggle, and Rugersom, throwing himself again and again upon the door soon burst it in. Banning and Ring were rolling on the floor pounding and clawing each other, in the midst of torn bedclothes, overturned chairs, a smashed table and a mass of broken bottles and glasses.

The detective's presence seemed to cow the fight all out of Ring, for he at first sat on the floor staring at him and then arose and stood sheepishly eying his adversary. Banning jumped up in a rage.

"Arrest that man!" he cried, pointing at Ring. He was a slim youth of 23, light haired and weak eyed, whose naturally pale face was now pallid from confinement except where the clerk's fingers had marked it with red. "Arrest him!" he repeated, hotly. "If you are an officer, I give him in charge to you. He has been keeping me here a week. He wants money. It's blackmail, and I'll put him over the road for it, no matter what it costs."

The detective walked up to the abashed clerk.

"Ring," he said, "you must be nutty to do a thing like this. Why, it ain't like you. I thought you had more sense."

The clerk held out his wrists without a word, but Rugersom waved them aside.

"I won't give you the wristers," he said. "You'll come along all right. For old sake's sake I'll see what I can do for you up at—"

He stopped suddenly and leaped to one side as the gas went out, and threw up his arm. But he was too late. A stunning blow fell on his head and he dropped senseless to the floor.

"Dr. Furnivall," said Lawyer Randall, "I have come to you on a singular errand. Whether your unique power is what I need I don't know, but if it isn't I certainly don't know what is. And in that case I should be compelled to stop proceedings, which would prove a downright calamity."

"The case is this," the lawyer went on, the doctor making no oral response to his statement: "Some two months ago young Courtney Banning—your know, the Childs-Bannings, that family—began going wrong. Originally he was a fine fellow, not a vice in the world, I'm sure, and not a bad habit even. Seemed to be just a harmless sort of average youth, who would never set the world afire, nor drown it either. I saw a good deal of him in his boyhood and can speak from personal knowledge. At his majority he received three millions in his own right and became guardian of his sister, subject to advice from a board of trustees, of which I am one. He conducted himself so sanely, with such good will and ability, that we never interfered with him. He was left practically with a free hand in the disposal of five millions. For two years, or until last June, he ran as steady as a clock, giving every day to his business interests and the evenings to such society as a rich young fellow of good family would naturally select. Then one day I was informed that he had unaccountably changed his whole course of life. None of his friends had laid eyes on him for weeks, and it was hinted that he was going the fast pace in vile resorts. There were whispers of a love affair, and I thought that very likely there was something in that view. I'm not a sure I don't still think so. A week ago his sister came to me in hysterics, saying that he had not been home for two days and was not to be found anywhere. She had searched high and low, with all his friends helping her, but to no purpose. Not a word could be heard of him. He had vanished utterly, without leaving a trace behind. After making a still hunt on my own part, which resulted in nothing, I quietly called in the police, who found him at once. But the circumstances are such that it is impossible to determine whether he was in hiding or held by force. If the former, it is necessary I should know the reason; if the latter, somebody should be made to sweat for it. And I come to you to learn the truth of the matter, or to find if you have any way of getting at it."

"Isn't the matter of rather too trivial an order to set the wheels of science whirling for?" Dr. Furnivall remarked, dryly.

"I see that I must make a confidant of you," the lawyer said, gravely. "The fact is," he continued, hitching his chair nearer to the doctor's and sinking his voice almost to the tone of a whisper, "the fact is there's a woman in the case and she's old enough to be his mother. He has made over \$50,000 to her. Still worse, he has realized on every piece of property he controlled, that could be turned without consulting the trustees, his sister's as well as his own, and booked a passage for Europe in a steamer which sails to-morrow, giving a false name. If his sister should hear of this it would kill her. She is very delicate, he is all she has in the world—"

"Who is the woman?"

"John P. Parmenter," he answered. "What, the druggist?"

"Yes."



"I REMEMBER—IT WAS ABOUT THE MURDER. YES I COMMITTED IT."

"She is a Mrs. Van Tromp, a widow, who—"

"What, the New-Thought teacher, on Marlborough street?"

"The very same. Do you know her?"

It would scarcely be said of Dr. Furnivall that he showed lack of interest now.

"Jove!" he exclaimed, jumping up and rushing round for his hat and coat, "science indeed! We'll untwist a strange strand of the human mind this time, I assure you. We'll see Banning at once."

He was ready for the street almost instantly, and the two walked rapidly towards the Banning place.

They found young Banning in the library arranging some papers. He was very pale, his face lined and heavy with care, and his light eyes as he turned them on his visitors held in their depths a singular gleam, as of fear stoutly resisted, yet impossible to overcome. As soon as the greetings were done Dr. Furnivall, removing his heavy spectacles and holding the young man's eye with his own, said without ceremony:

"This was a singular experience of yours, Mr. Banning. I know but little of the story, but the little indicates something unique. How did it happen?"

Mr. Randall regarded Banning curiously. How would he take this apparent meddling in his affairs by a stranger? To his surprise he did not resent it, seeming to consider it a and was plainly nervous, but answered, speaking at first slowly:

"Why, I went to this shady hotel on business, and they detained me there, hoping to scare me into giving them a lot of money. They didn't succeed, thanks to my sister and Mr. Randall here, who found them out and gave me a chance to—er—I—er—What did you ask me?"

His colorless eyes in Dr. Furnivall's his brow wrinkled in thought, young Banning proceeded in a mechanical voice:

"Some months ago I began to attend Mrs. Van Tromp's lectures on self-help and mental healing. There I learned many things not taught in the schools, among them three of supreme importance, namely, that, first, drugs are an invention of the devil; second, that the true healing of disease is through mental suggestion, or telepathy; and, third, that evil thoughts can be communicated mentally as well as good ones. As soon as I had become aware of this latter fact I began to notice that whenever I passed a drug store I felt a strange sensations. My head swam, my limbs trembled, my stomach turned sour, and my mind became full of thoughts of horror and dread. I could think of nothing but evil. This was true of all drug stores, but more particularly of Parmenter's. And that is the one nearest my home, the one I must pass every time I go into the street. I constantly heard Parmenter's voice threatening me as I hurried by, mentally, you know, for he wouldn't dare say such things aloud. I knew he was jealous of my knowledge, afraid that I would hurt his devil's trade, and wished to silence me. Once he commanded me mentally to throw myself headlong into my area yard, and before I could brace myself sufficiently to resist him down I dove, head first, upon the bricks, and nearly broke my neck. He compelled me to do many derelictions to his malice, for now his telepathic communications to me, all of them commands to do something self-hurtful, were accompanied by taunts that I couldn't help myself because he was stronger than I. To escape him I frequented societies where I hoped in the midst of carousal, forgetfulness, stupidity and frivolity his things of this nature, catching me unprepared, until my detestation of the evil character of his occupation, left only one course open to me. But I wouldn't proceed to extreme measures until I had tried every mild means, such as sending him, by telepathy, conciliatory messages, assuring him that if he would relinquish his drug devilry I would put him on the right track and set him up in a business that he could follow with success and an easy conscience. This seemed to make no impression on him, unless it was to add suggestions could not penetrate. But all in vain. I caught them there as plainly as in my own room at home. Then I made up my mind. Arranging all my affairs so that I could start abroad at once, where I intended having my sister join me in due season, I transferred a substantial sum to my teacher to help on the cause, and then, though I hated above everything else in the world to do it, yet felt that I must, I silenced the villain forever—"

The lawyer, whose face had twisted itself into an expression of the most ludicrous amazement as the story progressed, again started up with a cry of warning to the speaker not to commit himself. But Dr. Furnivall, with the delighted smile of the scientist who suddenly becomes sure of the success

of his experiment, pushed him back into his chair, taking care at the same time not to release his subject from his gaze.

"Sit still!" he said, softly, "until we see the outcome of this beautiful idea gone mad. Proceed, Mr. Banning."

"Why, that is about all, I think," he said, "except the fact that an opportunity for concealing myself until the time of sailing most singularly presented itself, and I seized it. I sent a dead man to the hospital in my name, in order to throw investigation off the track, and gave Ring a thousand dollars for hiding me. When I found that I was discovered I promised him as much more to say he was holding me against my will. For to admit that I was concealing myself would amount to a confession of the homicide. It was I who knocked the officer down, so that Ring might run. I suppose I must suffer the penalty of the act, though that will be a horrible injustice, considering the heinous practices of that—"

"One moment," interpolated Dr. Furnivall, suavely; "what means did you employ, Mr. Banning, in the taking of this man's life?"

"What means?" he repeated, in wonder. "Why, telepathy, of course. What other means are there? All is mind!"

At this declaration the lawyer sat a moment in silence, a look of perturbation struggling with the horror in his face, while Dr. Furnivall, having withdrawn his eyes from Banning's, regarded him whimsically. Suddenly the lawyer's brow cleared. Jumping up he worked the doctor's hand like a pump-handle.

"Great heavens!" he shouted. "Who would believe it? Why, I saw Parmenter myself this morning, and he was as well as ever."

"Certainly. Without doubt he scarcely knows there's such a person in existence as our friend here, who is merely self-hypnotized. Put him in a good sanitarium for a while, that will fix him physically. Then give him a thorough course of real philosophy, from Plato to Emerson. That will fix him mentally—if anything will."

What seemed the strangest thing of the whole strange matter to the lawyer was the fact that when Dr. Furnivall, who was well acquainted with the druggist Parmenter, brought him to the house and introduced him to Banning, the young man neither showed surprise nor would admit that his telepathic command to him to make away with himself had not been successful. Apparently thoroughly unable to realize that his thought-messages had failed to reach their object, he seemed to hold a double consciousness of the druggist while on all other matters he was perfectly sane—like a man knotted up with rheumatism who declares himself cured. To him Parmenter was dead.

"I don't understand it—I don't understand it," muttered Randall.

"And you never will—until you understand the human mind, its cause and what it is," said Dr. Furnivall. "And that consummation is doubtless removed some distance into the future for us all."

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DIFFERENCE IN THEIR VIEWS

Uncle St. Eggmann Discourses on Relative Sizes of Farms East and West.

"Yes, sir, gentlemen; that's a little difference between farmin' out west an' back here in Old Varmout," said Uncle St. Eggmann to the cronies around the stove at the Crossroads store, on his return from a visit to his brother in Dakota. "Now, out there in the west they don't think they've really got a farm unless it totals about three or four thousand acres; an' if they air raisin' stock they speak o' 5,000 head as bein' a 'little bunch o' cattle.' An' takes 'em 'bout half a day to hoe one row o' corn, the row air so long, an' they harvest corn an' wheat enough on one farm to fill our town hall. Now, that's a little different from what it is here in New England, where we call 20 acres o' ground—a fourth of it graveyard—a couple o' dozen hens an' a rooster, six or eight keows, an' a rosberry patch, a farm! Yes, sir, gentlemen; that's a terrible difference between farmin' east an' farmin' west—a most terrible difference!"—Puck.

THE HEIR'S HAIR-MOVING.



Mr. White—It's no use, my dear, I shall have to have my whiskers off; baby is pulling 'em out by the roots. Mrs. White—How unfeeling of you. It's the only thing that keeps baby quiet. Now you threaten to take the deaf's enjoyment away!

Opposed to Slang. Donald had been to Sunday school, and on coming home was asked what he had learned. The lesson was the story of Joseph, and the small learner was evidently very full of his subject.

"Oh," he said, "it was about a boy, and his brothers took him and put him in a hole in the ground; and then they killed another boy, and took the first boy's coat and dipped it in the blood of this boy and—"

"Oh, no, Donald, not another boy!" his sister interrupted, horrified. But Donald stood his ground.

"It was, too," he insisted. Then he added: "The teacher said 'kid,' but I don't use words like that."—Woman's Home Companion.

Fighting Tuberculosis. Three large fraternal orders are at present conducting sanatoria for their tuberculous members. The Royal League, the first order to take up this form of work in the United States, has a sanatorium at Black Mountain, North Carolina. The Modern Woodmen have recently opened a sanatorium at Colorado Springs, and the Knights of Pythias, one at the East Las Vegas, New Mexico. The Royal Arcanum and the Brotherhood of American Yeomen will consider propositions at their coming grand councils for the erection of similar institutions.

Our Wonderful Language. "Out of sight in that gown, isn't she?" observed a gentleman in the balcony, pointing to Mrs. de Koltay, who occupied a front seat in one of the lower tier of boxes.

"Out of sight? Well, hardly. It strikes me it is the other way about," responded his companion dryly.

Which goes to show the elasticity of the American language, which says one thing and means another. It also shows—but, upon second thought, we must respectfully but firmly decline going into any further details.—Bohemian.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Leo Paul was in Ann Arbor Sunday. George Adair spent Sunday in Toledo. Francis McKune was home over Sunday.

L. Tichenor spent Wednesday in Jackson.

Geo. Jacob was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

Miss Lucy Sawyer spent Sunday in Dexter.

H. D. Ranciman was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Timothy Drislane spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Clarence Dettling, of Hillsdale, was in town Sunday.

Miss Helen Kern visited friends in Trist Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris spent Sunday in Dexter.

Mrs. A. Mensing is spending this week in White Oak.

Miss Mary Sawyer was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Miss Anna Miller spent one day last week in Detroit.

Miss Leila Geddes visited relatives in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Carl Pickell, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

F. E. Adair was the guest of friends in Grass Lake Sunday.

Austin Keenan, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Norbert Foster, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Gilbert is visiting relatives in Grass Lake this week.

Mrs. O'Connor, of Albion, is a guest at the home of J. J. Rafferty.

Miss Jennie Walker spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. McCloy, of Stockbridge, is visiting relatives here this week.

Julius Wissman, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Miss Marie Foran, of Detroit, is visiting at the home of Wm. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden spent Sunday with Sylvan friends.

Mrs. B. Reece, of Jackson, was the guest of friends here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schenk visited relatives in Pinckney Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Stanton, of Milan, spent the first of the week at this place.

Miss Clara Schneider, of Ann Arbor, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. John Seid, of Franciscus, was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Henry Steinbach, of Columbus, Ohio, visited his parents here Sunday.

Andrew Sawyer is visiting relatives in Jackson and Clinton this week.

Misses Myrta Weber and Evelyn Miller spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker and daughter Josephine spent Sunday in Seio.

Peter Weick, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of his parents here.

E. H. Almendinger, of Chicago, spent several days of the past week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert are the guests of Munnith relatives this week.

Geo. Woods and Jas. Harkins, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. W. S. McLaren spent the first of the week with her parents in Jackson.

Mrs. Catherine Paul and Miss Miley, of Ann Arbor, were in Chelsea Sunday.

Mrs. L. T. Wilcox and sister Miss White are spending a few days in Detroit.

Misses Augusta Bahmiller and Genevieve Wilson were in Jackson Saturday.

E. J. Whipple attended Grand Lodge F. & A. M., at Detroit Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Chase Sunday.

J. B. Cole and G. E. Jackson attended Grand Chapter, R. A. M., at Bay City last week.

Misses Ethel, Burkhardt and Ruth and Winifred Bacon were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cadwell, of Pinckney, were guests at the home of John Schenk Friday.

Misses Elizabeth Wagner and Lulu Wright, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Misses Frances Steele, Stella Weber and Helen Wades were Manchester visitors Sunday.

Joseph Kolb, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marquardt, of Marshall, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank.

Mrs. W. A. BeGole, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, Tuesday.

Misses Martha Schulte and Lucy Hodson, of Detroit, were guests of Miss Genevieve Hammel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sullivan and daughter, of Union City, were guests at the home of John McKernan Sunday.

Mrs. D. H. Glass and daughter left Friday evening for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend several weeks.

Misses Hazel and Mattie Wood and Miss McClain attended the production of "The Red Mill" at Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. F. M. Lillibridge, Mrs. A. Peters, son and daughter, of Detroit, spent part of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McMillen.

Coming Down Easy. Inquiries after the welfare of Patrick Conroy were answered by his devoted friend, Terence Dolan, who was at the Conroys' in the double capacity of nurse and cook. "No, he's not dangerous hurt at all," was Mr. Dolan's reply to a solemnly whispered question at the door.

"We heard he had a bad fall, and was all broke to pieces," whispered the neighbor.

"Tis a big story you've heard," said Mr. Dolan, in his cheerful roar. "Thru, he fell off'n the roof o' the Brady stables where he was shingling, and he broke his lift leg, knocked out a couple o' teeth and broke his collar-bone."

"Mind ye, if he'd have fell clear to the ground, it might have hurted him bad, but sure there was a big pile of shingles and old lumber that broke his fall."—Youth's Companion.

Ostrich Farming Profitable. A new industry which promises great possibilities has been started in Australia. At Nardoo, Coonamble, ostrich farming is meeting with success. There are 120 ostriches on one farm. The firm is using incubators, the same as those used to hatch out the modest product of the domestic hen, only that the egg drawers are made deeper for the purpose, while the temperature for a successful hatch is 102 degrees Fahrenheit. Artificial incubation is preferred to natural. The young ostriches require careful handling for the first month or six weeks of their existence, the one essential being green food, such as lucerne. The value of the feathers produced by each bird a year is \$40. They can be plucked at any time after they are large enough, and yield feathers black, white and drab in color. The male bird yields the most valuable feathers.

Learn to Plan Homes. Two years ago the University of St. Petersburg decided that women might attend the lectures, as it seemed probable that this course could not contain anything that could make politicians of the students. Recently there has been an exhibition of the work of the architectural students, and experts who saw it were surprised to find that the work of the women students compares so favorably with that of the men. In the work of planning homes especially the women were most original in their ideas, and carried out details that would, as a general thing, have been beyond the men students. It is predicted that especially in home architecture the women will make a success of their work.

Chance for Students of Fevers. The Mexican Academy of Medicine has appropriated \$25,000 for the purpose of discovering the cause of typhus, and to develop a cure for the fever. Of the amount \$10,000 will be awarded to the person or persons discovering the cure. A like amount will be given to the person or persons discovering a serum which will kill the typhus germ in the blood. In the event of any one person solving both problems an effort will be made to have the government give a proper reward. Five thousand dollars will be distributed among the persons who have most efficiently helped in solving the problem.

Sets Law of Kitchen. A "law of the kitchen" has been set forth in England in an opinion by a county judge. He holds that where the mistress of a house goes to the kitchen to aid the maid of all work the two are brought on terms of equality such as would not be tolerated in larger establishments. The case was that of a cook and general maid who sought to recover a month's wages from her former mistress in lieu of notice. The mistress asserted that the servant always "answered her back," but the judge held that under the circumstances this was not sufficient to justify dismissal.

Man's Contrariness. One of the most curious traits of that most curious creature, Man, is the fact that the very things he most admires in a sweetheart he condemns or ignores in a wife. Before they were married, when she coquettishly stuck a flower in her pretty curls he went into rhapsodies of romantic fervor. After the honeymoon, when she tries the same little Cupid's trick he most likely does not even see that she has adorned herself with a floral wreath to win a compliment or a kiss.—Annesley Kenealy, in Woman's Life.

CHURCH CIRCLES.

ST. PAUL'S.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. sun time.
Regular service at 10:30 followed by the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
The Christian Science Society will meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual hour next Sunday, May 30, 1909. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy; or Mesmerism and Hypnotism." Golden text: "Behold, his soul which is lifted up is not upright in him, but the just shall live by his faith."

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.
Bible Training class Thursday at 7:15 p. m.
Combined service Sunday morning from 10 to 11:30. Sermon subject "The Laws of Friendship, Human and Divine." Evening worship at 7 p. m. Subject, "The Recent Revolution in Turkey."

BAPTIST.
Rev. G. A. Chittenden, Pastor.
Memorial service in the morning. Appropriate decorations, music and address are being prepared. The public invited. Sunday school at 11 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. at 6:15 p. m.
Evening meeting at 7. Two or three young men from Ann Arbor will be with the pastor, and give good variety to the service. Come and welcome.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,
NEAR FRANKFORD.
Rev. J. E. Beal, Pastor.

Sunday school begins promptly at 9:30 and German worship follows at 10:30.

The Epworth League devotional meeting begins at 7:30 and will be led by Harold Riggs. Topic, "Profitable Hospitality." English service follows this meeting. The pastor will give a series of Bible readings during the next few weeks on Sunday evening. Strive to be prompt at all these meetings.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. D. H. Glass, Pastor.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at seven o'clock. Lesson, "The Ministry of Jesus."

Sunday morning class at 9 o'clock. Consolidated Sunday school and preaching service from 10 to 11:30 o'clock. Lesson, "Believing and Doing." James 2:14-26. Dr. M. M. Callan, pastor of the First Methodist church of Jackson, will meet the men's class and also preach at the morning service. Dr. Callan is one of the strongest preachers in the state and will receive an appreciative hearing.

The last meeting of the Junior League will be held this afternoon. The membership has increased from the first and will close with an enrollment of seventy.

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Profitable Hospitality."—Luke 14:12-14. Leader Mrs. Chas. Stimson.

Dr. Dawe of Ann Arbor, the district superintendent, will occupy the pulpit at the evening service. The pastor will be present also.

Humor in Public Men. The statesman who can privately relax and warm himself by the fire of genial talk is ordinarily better fitted for his work than the one who keeps himself perpetually tense. But humor overdone or misplaced is fatal to men in great office. Not to judges alone is Bacon's counsel applicable, that in their public appearances they should be "more learned than witty."—New York Post.

Steer More and Blow Less. If the same amount of effort expended on the automobile horn to get people to move out of your way were used to move the steering wheel slightly so as not to seem to bear directly upon the person in front, and if you should steer around wagons in the road, as nine times out of ten you must do in the end, rather than blow.

Dances to Raise Money for Charity. Lady Constance Richardson says she is a poor woman, but she is anxious to found a school in Scotland for boys where they will be taught outdoor exercise as much as anything else. She dances for money for this purpose and a feature is the flowing robe of the classic dance and bare feet.

Eight-Hundred-Year-Old Industry. Salt-making by the evaporation of sea water has been carried on at Maldon, Essex, England, ever since the time of the Domesday survey. The town council have granted permission for the borough arms to be placed on all packages of salt sent from the town.

About the Limit of Desire. How glad the old world must be that the beauty cult keeps alive. Sir Philip Sidney's Stella offered him "service and honor, wonder with delight, fear to offend." These ought to suit any man when accompanied with pink cheeks and bright eyes.

All newly married couples are advised to buy or rent only houses that are painted with Bradley & Vrooman Pure Paint. It is the best investment. Sold by Fred Bellier.

CORRESPONDENCE.

NORTH LAKE NEWS.

Mr. Ovit, our mail carrier, has resumed his route after a week's vacation.

Miss Blanche M. Glenn attended Miss Mary Whalian's school Tuesday last.

Remember the lecture by Mr. Morrison next Sunday evening. All are welcome.

Planting was interrupted and put off for a few days by heavy rain on Monday last.

Rev. Wright is home from the sanitarium at Pinckney, feeling somewhat better.

On Wednesday several from this vicinity attended a church social at the home of Otis Webb.

Miss Pearl Glenn was taken home Saturday and was out riding Sunday, much improved in health.

Sunday evening Rev. Pearce filled the pulpit at this place, and started for home Monday morning.

Mrs. John Webb is recovering from a severe attack of the grip. Mr. Webb is but little better.

The band played for the Dexter Stars at their play Friday evening last. The play was "bound by an oath."

Mrs. S. Schultz made a business call here Monday evening. They are tearing down the old barns and will build larger.

Mr. Lavrock, of Unadilla, aside from attending his grist mill, helped over three hundred chicks into the brooder the last of the past week.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Aloysius Merkel is spending this week in Chelsea.

Otto Weber, of Detroit, spent Saturday at his home here.

Mrs. Helen Tuttle, of Paw Paw, is visiting at Geo. Gage's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gage spent Sunday with their son Emer.

Peter Merkel and family took an automobile trip to Jackson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at J. P. Heim's.

J. P. Heim had the misfortune to lose a valuable work horse last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Gyles and children and Mr. Wing, of Jackson, spent Sunday at Oren Fiske's.

The ball game Sunday between Sharon Riverside and Sylvan Stars resulted in a score of 14 to 3 in favor of the latter.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

The Steel family show is in Keol's hall this week.

Miss Anna Rommel spent last week in Jackson.

Geo. Beeman made a business trip to Jackson Tuesday.

Memorial Day exercises will be held in the U. B. church Sunday, June 6. There will be music by the band, flag drills, addresses and the usual program at the cemetery.

The annual meeting for cleaning up the Mount Hope cemetery will be held next Saturday. A surveyor will be present and those interested should bring stakes for their lots.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Julia Wagner is on the sick list.

Regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S. June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Snyder will move to Detroit next week.

Roy Evans has had his residence on North Main street repainted.

Mr. and Mrs. James VanOrden spent Tuesday with friends in Detroit.

H. R. Schoenhals has purchased the Beeman residence on Jefferson street.

M. B. Millsap is preparing to move into the Mensing house on South street.

Born, on Thursday, May 27, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Moekel, of Lima, a daughter.

The Standard is now located in its new home on East Middle street. Moving is what Sherman says war is.

Married, on Wednesday, May 26, 1909, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Corwin, Miss Margaret Goetz and Mr. Floyd Lake, Rev. A. A. Schoon officiating.

Miss Mabel Dealy has successfully completed her second year of teaching in district No. 7, Freedom, and was presented with a beautiful gold ring by her pupils.

Mrs. Melissa M. Reade was on Monday appointed executor of the will of her husband, George Compton Reade, of Dexter township, whose death occurred on April 7.

The Crescent baseball club of Detroit would like to arrange a game with Chelsea to be played either May 31 or July 4. Samuel Harm, of 921 Beaufort Ave., Detroit, is the manager.

A number of sports held an impromptu prize fight here late one night recently, and before it was settled the principals had mixed things up so thoroughly that one of them has carried his eye in a sling ever since the event.

Married at St. Mary's Rectory, on Thursday, May 27, at 2 o'clock p. m., Miss Elizabeth Richards of Jackson and Mr. William McLaughlin of Waterloo. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McLaughlin of Chelsea. They will make their home in Jackson.

The Memorial Day service will be held at the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Sunday, May 30, at 7:30 o'clock, local time. All members of the G. A. R. Post and W. R. C. Corps are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall at 7 o'clock sharp, to attend in a body. Everyone is invited to attend the exercises.

That French inventor who has discovered how to sink ships with wireless waves would make a hit if he would discover some method by which certain thirty Jackson residents could sink schooners.—Ann Arbor Times-News. They seem to be mighty proficient at that job now, judging from those who are regular visitors here these days.

Hunters will be interested to learn that in the closing hours the legislature amended the game law so as to prohibit the killing of quails, fox, grey and black squirrels for a period of five years. While quite a number of quails were killed last fall, a goodly number were left, and with the birds undisturbed for five years and favorable weather conditions they should become very plentiful.

Togged in the costumes of cowboys and cowgirls, members of the Rocky Mountain club of the university, 85 couples of them, went to Wolf Lake Friday night for their annual "roundup" and "breakdown." While passing through Chelsea on the electric road the firing of their revolvers sounded like a Fourth of July celebration when a spark had fallen into the box of fireworks. At the lake an entertaining program was given, every number being vociferously encored with revolver fusillades. It was daylight when the party returned.

"An Eighteenth Century Lodge," one of the most unique entertainments ever given in the United States, was on Friday night presented at the New Whitney, Ann Arbor, by the Craftmen Club, of the University. This organization is composed of students and faculty of the U. of M. who are Masters Masons, and none but Masons were allowed to witness the play. There were about thirty members of the order present from Chelsea, and delegations from all over the state, Detroit sending nearly 400. Some came from Saginaw, Grand Rapids, Bay City and Lansing. There were some from Toledo and one man came from Iowa. There were six who came from Chicago and several were there from Canada. The play was the first presentation of anything of the nature in the United States, and was written and prepared by Joseph E. Morecombe, of Ann Arbor, editor of the Keystone-Tyler.

Mrs. Anna Taylor, nee Buchanan, has been granted a divorce.

Born, on Sunday, May 23, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Speer a son.

R. B. McCormick has moved into the Tripp house, on West Middle street.

Michael Conway has moved into the Remann residence on North Main street.

Born, on Wednesday, May 26, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bahnmiller, of Lima, a daughter.

Miss Minola Kalmbach, who has been spending the past two weeks with her grandmother in Waterloo, returned home Sunday.

Rt. Rev. Monsignor DeBever, of Dexter, and Rev. E. J. McCormick, of Detroit, were guests of Rev. Father Considine the past week.

The ball game at Manchester Friday between Manchester and Chelsea high schools resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 4 to 3.

The County Association of the Order of Eastern Star will convene at Milan, on Friday, May 28th. A number from Olive Chapter expect to attend.

The banns of marriage of Miss Myrta Weber and Joseph Seckinger were published for the first time at the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart last Sunday.

Mr. Glass will give the annual Thanksgiving address for the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church at Jackson Sunday morning.

Married, on Sunday, May 16, 1909, Mr. Will Kantlehner of Lansing, and Miss Minnie McKenna, of West Branch. Mr. Kantlehner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kantlehner of this place.

The board of examiners has completed the work of grading the papers of the rural school pupils who took the eighth grade examination May 6 and 7. Out of 226 who wrote 180 received diplomas.

The Chelsea city ball club has arranged two games to be played at Ahnemann's field, Monday, May 31, with Al. P. Gibbs' ladies baseball club. The first game will be played at 10 o'clock and the second at 3 o'clock. This club is composed of seven ladies and two men. They put up a first-class game in every respect.

A workman is engaged in repairing the damage caused by lightning to the tall smoke stack of the Chelsea Stove & Mfg. Co. This chimney is 125 feet in height and the steeplejack crawls around the top of it with as much unconcern as though he was on the ground.

Wirt S. McLaren received fifty three-day-old chickens from Attica, Ohio, on Monday morning by express. They were hatched in an incubator Friday night and shipped Saturday morning. The little fellows, consisting of twenty-five each Buff Orpington and Black Minorcas were as lively as crickets when taken from the box in which they were shipped.

About forty members of Olive Chapter were the guests of Grass Lake Chapter last Tuesday evening. The dining room and tables were beautifully decorated with apple blossoms, and a dainty three course banquet was served at 7:30, after which the work was exemplified by Olive Chapter. All report a splendid time, and vote Grass Lake Chapter as ever, fine entertainers.

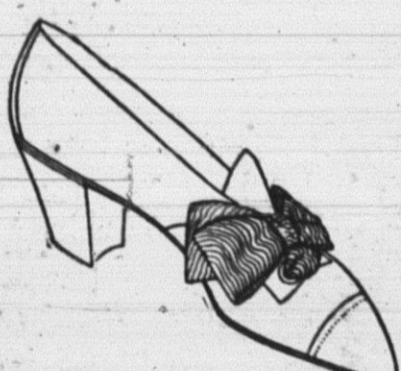
The legislature has passed an act which extends free high school tuition, up to twenty dollars, to all rural school pupils who finish the eighth grade in their districts. This is likely to mean much for enlarged education in the rural districts. The bill provides that parents select one of three convenient high schools and, before the fourth Monday in June, notify the district officers of their own districts in writing that they have children eligible for high school work in such schools. The district officers attend to all the other requirements. If parents will give the attention to this law which its importance demands, a great many more rural pupils will complete the eighth grade and receive a high school education.

The season has been notable for the great number of birds around Ypsilanti this spring, and the large number of rare birds. On the plains, east of the city, of late there have been seen numbers warblers, some very unusual heronets. These include the black-throated blue-grey warbler, the bay-breasted and the spotted-warbler, the pine warbler, and several greenlets, an indigo bird, a pair of rose-breasted grosbeaks, an American rearsart, the red-headed and golden-winged woodpecker, the oriole, the goldfinch, several kinds of thrush, besides the usual blackbirds, robins, jays, kingbirds, crows, catbirds and sparrows of various sorts. Some of these birds merely stopped on their northward migration, and others stay all summer.—Ann Arbor Times-News.

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RECRIMINATIONS.



She—You have now more than a dozen shirts, and when we were married you had only one solitary one!

He—Yes, but that one didn't need mending!

"All Bets Off!"

The wife of a retail merchant, whose name is withheld for obvious reasons, was irritated by the non-arrival of certain articles she had ordered from the butcher. She called up the butcher shop, and the flip youth who drives the delivery wagon answered the 'phone.

"Did you attend to that order for Mrs. X?" she asked, indignantly.

"You bet your silk sock I did," came the reply.

"What's that?" she gasped.

"You can go and bet all your lingerie (pronounced as spelled) I attended to everything."

"Do you know to whom you are talking?"

"Surest thing you know; I'm talking to Kitty." (The maid.)

"You are talking to Mrs. X," she declared, sternly.

"Oh, well then," in apologetic tones, "all bets are off."

Three Meals at Once.

"Now, Mary," said her mistress, "you must come to the door of the drawing room and say: 'Breakfast is ready, and supper is ready, but dinner is served.'"

The newly corralled domestic inwardly digested the concise instructions, and that evening convulsed the guests who were awaiting the announcement of dinner by stepping between the portieres, dropping a courtesy and repeating: "Breakfast is ready, and supper is ready, but dinner is served!"

THINK HARD

It Pays to Think About Food.

The unthinking life some people lead often causes trouble and sickness, illustrated in the experience of a lady in Fond Du Lac, Wis.

"About four years ago I suffered dreadfully from indigestion, always having eaten whatever I liked, not thinking of the digestible qualities. This indigestion caused palpitation of the heart so badly I could not walk up a flight of stairs without sitting down once or twice to regain breath and strength."

"I became alarmed and tried dieting, wore my clothes very loose, and many other remedies, but found no relief."

"Hearing of the virtues of Grape-Nuts and Postum, I commenced using them in place of my usual breakfast of coffee, cakes, or hot biscuit, and in one week's time I was relieved of sour stomach and other ills attending indigestion. In a month's time my heart was performing its functions naturally and I could climb stairs and hills and walk long distances."

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SERIAL STORY

=HER= INFINITE VARIETY

By Brand Whitlock

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator Morley Vernon's visit with his fiancée was interrupted by a call from his political boss at the state capital. Both regretted it, the girl more than he, because she had arranged to attend a dinner that evening with him. She said she yearned for a national office for him. On Vernon's desk in the senate he found a red rose, accompanied by a plea for suffrage for women. He met the author, a pretty Miss Maria Greene of Chicago, who proposed to convert him into voting for house resolution No. 13. Miss Greene secured Vernon's promise to vote for the suffrage resolution. He also aided her by convincing others. He took a liking to the fair suffragette. Miss Greene consulted with the lieutenant-governor. Vernon admitted to himself that the suffragette had stirred a strange feeling within him. He forgot to read his fiancée's letter. Vernon made a great speech in favor of suffrage, aided by glances from Miss Greene. The resolution was made a special order. Vernon was enthusiastic on the prospects for the resolution. He was much in Miss Greene's company. Vernon neglected thoughts of Amelia. He took Miss Greene driving and laid out plans for the success of the resolution. Vernon's speech caused a great newspaper sensation. He was being neglected by Amelia, who had not answered his letter. Vernon is "tipped off" that his suffrage resolution may not pass. As Miss Greene was due the following morning he had no fears. Miss Greene arrived and breakfasted with Vernon. The dining room entrance behind women opponents of the suffrage resolution, he spied Amelia. She started toward her. She treated him coldly and the women opponents of suffrage reproved him for his part. Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop told Senator Vernon that his conduct with Miss Greene had been hard upon Amelia.

CHAPTER XII.—Continued.

He looked at his watch; it was half-past nine; the senate would convene at ten; the resolution would not be reached before half-past ten at any rate; and so he determined to brave Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop again. He turned back into the lobby; there she was, hobnobbing with men; she did not pass from group to group, after the manner of any other lobbyist, but by some coercion he wished he might be master of, she drew them unerringly to her side. Now she had Braidwood, the leader of the house, and chairman of the steering committee, and Porter, the leader of the senate. She appeared to be giving them instructions.

She had set her committee on less important game; the ladies were scattered over the rotunda, each talking to a little set of men. When Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop saw Vernon coming, she turned from Braidwood and Porter and stood awaiting him. Strangely enough Braidwood and Porter stayed where they were, as if she had put them there. And Vernon reflected that he had never known them, as doubtless no one else had ever known them, to do such a thing as that before.

"Where's Amelia?" he asked before she could speak.

"I have sent her upstairs," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, "poor child!"

Vernon wondered why "poor child." "It's really too bad," Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop continued.

"What is too bad?" demanded Vernon. He had grown sulky.

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop looked at him pityingly.

"Morley," she said in a vast solemn tone that came slowly up from her great stays, "I can make allowances, of course. I know something of the nature of man; I will admit that that Greene woman is remarkably handsome, and of her cleverness there can be no doubt. I don't altogether blame you."

She paused that Vernon might comprehend to the fullest her marvelous magnanimity.

"But at the same time it has been hard on poor little Amelia. I saw no other way than to bring her down. You must go to her at once."

She turned toward Braidwood and Porter, still standing where she had left them.

"When you have done, I'll see you with reference to this miserable resolution; but that can wait till we are at the capital. This other matter comes first, of course."

She smiled with a fat sweetness. "And, Morley," she said, "order two carriages for us at ten o'clock. You may drive to the capital with us."

And she went away.

Vernon ordered the carriages, and in turning the whole matter over in his mind he came to the conclusion that he must deal with these complications one at a time; Miss Greene, as events now had shaped themselves, would have to wait until he got over to the State House.

CHAPTER XIII.

Vernon found Amelia in one of the hotel parlors, seated on a sofa by a window. She was resting her chin in her hand and looking down into Capitol avenue.

"Amelia," he said, bending over her. "What is it? Tell me."

He sat down beside her, and sought

to engage one of her hands in his own, but she withdrew it, and pressed it with the other and the handkerchief in both, to her lips and chin. Vernon glanced about the respectable parlors, maintained in instant readiness for anybody that might happen along with his little comedy or his little tragedy. She continued to look obdurately out of the window.

"Amelia," he said, "aren't you going to speak to me? Tell me what I have done."

Still there came no answer. He flung himself back on the sofa helplessly.

"Well," he said, "I don't know what it all means. I've tried to fathom it in the last hour, but it's too deep for me; I give it up." He flung out his hands to illustrate his abandonment.

"God knows," he suddenly exclaimed, "I was only trying to do something worthy—for your sake!"

"Please don't swear, Morley," Amelia said.

He looked up swiftly.

"Well—" he began, explosively, but he didn't continue. He relaxed into a moody silence. He stretched his legs out before him in an ungainly attitude, with his hands plunged deep in his trousers' pockets. Then he knitted his brows and tried to think.

"I suppose," he said, as if he were thinking aloud, "that you expect some explanation, some apology."

"Oh, not at all," she said, lightly, in the most musical tone she could command.

"Very well," he said, "I wouldn't know where to begin if you did. I'm sure I'm not aware of having—"

She began to hum softly, to herself, as it were, some tuneless air. He remembered that it was a way she had



Flung Himself Back on the Sofa Helplessly.

when she was angry. It was intended to show the last and utmost personal unconcern. In such circumstances the tune was apt to be an improvisation and was never melodious. Sometimes it made her easier to deal with, sometimes harder; he could never tell.

"I don't exactly see what we are here for," he ventured, stealing a look at her. She had no reply. He fidgeted a moment and then began drumming with his fingers on the arm of the sofa.

"Please don't do that," she said. He stopped suddenly.

"If you would be good enough, kind enough," he said sarcastically, "to indicate, to suggest, even, what I am to do—to say—"

"I'm sure I can't," she said. "You came. I presumed you had something to say to me."

"Well, I have something to say to you," Vernon went on impetuously.

"Why didn't you answer my letters? Why have you treated me this way? That's what I want to know."

He leaned toward her. He was conscious of two emotions, two passions, struggling within him, one of anger, almost hate, the other of love, and strangely enough they had a striking similarity in their effect upon him. He felt like reproaching, yet he knew that he was not the way, and he made a desperate struggle to conquer himself.

He tried to look into her face, but she only turned farther away from him.

"I've spent the most miserable week I ever knew, doomed to stay here, unable to get away to go to you, and with this fight on my hands!"

"You seemed to be having a fairly good time," the girl said.

"Now, Amelia, look here," said Vernon, "let's not act like children any longer; let's not have anything so foolish and little between us."

His tone made his words a plea, but it plainly had no effect upon her, for she did not answer. They sat there, then, in silence.

"Why didn't you write?" Vernon demanded after a little while. He looked at her, and she straightened up and her eyes flashed.

"Why didn't I write?" she exclaimed.

Peculiar Wheel of Fortune

Breton Peasants Ascribe Miraculous Powers to Odd Contrivance.

In the village church of Comfort (near Pont-Croix), in western Brittany, is a very good specimen of the now rare "wheel of fortune." It is made of wood, with a row of bells on its outer rim and pivoted between a couple of rough beams—altogether very primitive workmanship.

By means of a cord attached to a crank the wheels can be made to revolve and set all the bells jangling. I have often heard that the peasants believe that it has miraculous power of healing when run over the head of

a sufferer who has placed a sou in the box to which the rope is padlocked. I received remarkable confirmation of this belief, for while making a photograph a well-to-do sailor's wife and her husband came into the church and looked round. The woman asked me if I thought there could be any truth in this belief, as her child was very backward in learning to talk. Her nurse, who came from those parts, had advised her to bring the baby and head, when he would be sure to talk. As she was passing she had looked in to see if it was worth trying!

PRESIDENT TAFT ATTENDS CHARLOTTE CELEBRATION

Three Days' Carnival in the North Carolina City Marks the Anniversary of the Famous Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

Charlotte, N. C.—With three days of military drills, band concerts, speeches, athletic contests and other kinds of entertainment, the one hundred and thirty-fourth anniversary of the Mecklenburg declaration has been celebrated, and all North Carolina is happy in the knowledge that its pet legend has been recognized by the president of the United States; for Mr. Taft gave the occasion the official sanction of his presence and was the chief feature of the celebration.

The carnival began Tuesday noon when the Charlotte fire companies gave an exhibition of their skill and speed. At three o'clock there was a drill by a body of United States cavalry and a band concert at the fair grounds, followed by a league ball game. The evening was given up to a drill by the Charlotte drum corps and a concert by three bands.

Governors' Day Program.

Wednesday was designated as governors' day and the main event was the delivery of addresses by Gov. Kitchin of North Carolina and the chief executives of several other states, at the fair ground. These were preceded by a big athletic meet and followed by a cavalry drill, military maneuvers and band concerts, with another ball game thrown in for good measure.

Two events made the evening novel. The first was a May musical festival at the Auditorium which enlisted the services of a number of excellent soloists and a large and well trained chorus. The second was an illuminated parade given by the Order of Red Men.

President Taft Arrives.

Just at ten o'clock Wednesday morning the booming of a 21-gun salute by the Charlotte artillery notified the people that President Taft had arrived on his special train. Nearly all the inhabitants and the thousands of visitors were at the station, and as Mr. and Mrs. Taft alighted from their car they were greeted with a mighty roar of applause. A special reception committee took the distinguished guests in charge and conducted them to the Selwyn hotel, where they were welcomed by Gov. Kitchin, Senators Simmons and Overman and the mayor of Charlotte.

After meeting all the committeemen and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Taft, together with Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, the governor and mayor and other distinguished visitors, were escorted by a guard of old soldiers to a reviewing stand and witnessed a great parade of all the military and civic organizations that could take part in the celebration.

Mr. Taft Speaks Twice.

A second installment of the music festival in the Auditorium was graced by the presence of the city's guests, and then all returned to the reviewing stand, where President Taft delivered an address. His words were listened to with close attention and frequently elicited loud applause.

Later in the afternoon the president made a speech to the colored people and the students of Biddle university.

From 8 to 9:30 in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Taft held a public reception in the parlors of the Selwyn hotel and shook hands with thousands of people.

Military drills, band concerts and other entertainments were provided for the crowds all Wednesday afternoon and evening, and the great celebration closed in a blaze of glory.

Old Controversy Renewed.

The people of North Carolina, whose proudest boast has been that their ancestors were the first Americans to throw off the yoke of British rule, now rejoice in the feeling that President Taft has recognized the justice of their claim, but the century-old controversy has broken out afresh. Many historians refuse to accord to the pioneers of Mecklenburg county the honor that is thus accorded them. These historians allude to the story as "the Mecklenburg myth," and thereby arouse the anger of North Carolinians.

According to those unbiased investigators who have looked most deeply into the matter, the Mecklenburgs did hold a public meeting on May 21, 1775, and did adopt resolutions

quite abreast of the public sentiment of that time, but not venturing on the field of independence further than to say that these resolutions were to remain in force till Great Britain resigned its pretensions. In 1793, or earlier, some of the actors in the proceeding endeavored to supply the record from memory, unconsciously intermingling some of the phraseology of the Declaration of July 4, which gave the resolution the tone of a pronounced independence. Probably through another dimness of memory, they affixed the date of May 20, 1775, to them.

Case for Mecklenburgers.

The case for the Mecklenburgers is set forth as follows: In 1813 there arose a great rivalry between Massachusetts and Virginia as to which commonwealth should receive the credit for the Philadelphia document, and the controversy was brought up in congress. It was at this time that Davidson, a representative in congress from North Carolina, announced that Mecklenburg county had declared her independence 13 months before the promulgation of the document in Philadelphia.

While the statement created some surprise it resulted in an investigation into the facts as to the Mecklenburg declaration. This inquiry was made by Nathaniel Macon, who represented North Carolina in the senate, and through Gen. Joseph Graham and Representative Davidson, Senator Macon received from Dr. Joseph McKnitt Alexander, the son of John McKnitt Alexander, a full account of "the event," which Dr. Alexander said he had "copied from papers left by his father." The statement, which included the May 20th declaration, Senator Macon sent to Raleigh, N. C., and it was published in the Register on Friday, April 30, 1819.

Dr. Alexander's Story.

Dr. Alexander related at length how the farmers of Mecklenburg county in the spring of 1775 had called a convention to be composed of two delegates from each settlement in the county to meet May 19 to devise means for the assistance of the "suffering people of Boston and to extricate themselves from the impending storm."

"Official news, by express, arrived of the battle of Lexington," according to Dr. Alexander's report to Senator Macon, and the influence of the news from Lexington, he added, resulted in the unanimous adoption of the Mecklenburg declaration of independence.

The declaration, as written by Dr. Brevard, and approved by the convention on May 20, 1775, reads:

"1. Resolved, That whoever directly or indirectly abetted or in any way, form or manner countenanced the unchartered and dangerous invasion of our rights, as claimed by Great Britain, is an enemy to this country—America—and to the inherent and inalienable rights of man."

"2. Resolved, That we, the citizens of Mecklenburg county, do hereby dissolve the political bands which have connected us to the mother country, and hereby absolve ourselves from all allegiance to the British crown and abjure all political connection, contract or association with that nation, who have wantonly trampled on our rights and liberties and inhumanly shed the innocent blood of American patriots at Lexington."

Declared Themselves Free.

"3. Resolved, That we do hereby declare ourselves a free and independent people, are, and of right ought to be, a sovereign and self-governing association under the control of no power other than that of our God and the general government of the congress to the maintenance of which independence we solemnly pledge to each other our mutual co-operation, our lives, our fortunes and our most sacred honor."

"4. Resolved, That as we now acknowledge the existence and control of no law or legal officer, civil or military, within this county, we do hereby ordain and adopt, as a rule of life, each and every one of our former laws, wherein, nevertheless, the crown of Great Britain never can be considered as holding privileges, immunities or authority therein."

"5. Resolved, That it is also further decreed that all, each and every military officer in this county is hereby reinstated in his former command and authority, he acting conformably to these regulations. And that every member present of this delegation shall henceforth be a civil officer, viz., a justice of the peace, in the character of a 'committeeman,' to issue process, hear and determine all matters of controversy, according to said adopted laws, and to preserve peace and union and harmony in said county, and to use every exertion to spread the love of the country and fire of freedom throughout America, until a more general and organized government be established in this province."

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"But while we are honoring o-

I seemed to see them all in line
Just touching elbows and standing
straight;
Yes, each was there of the sixty-nine.
And I spoke to one old pal of mine
Who had left us alone in misery—fight.
And cried: "Old comrades, what mean
all this?"
Then he said as he tapped on his mud-
"We are calling the names of the ones
we miss—
The twenty boys who have not yet
come."
Then he gave the order: "Right be-
tween."
And they smiled on me as they marched
away;
But their "tramp, tramp, tramp" I did
not lose—
The old Bates shook me: "Having
snore?"
Come, old dad, I go home your way."



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Can't Use 'Em.
There are just three prisoners in the
Jackson county jail, and according to
Sheriff Bean it is the first time in the
history of the county that so small a
number has been confined there. This
state of affairs, says the officer, is due
entirely to the abolishment of the
saloons in the county by the adoption
of the local option law.

"The records show," he says, "that for
several years past the jail has averaged
45 prisoners, and as most of them
served sentences for being drunk the
amount paid for their board was large."
To show that he believes that the
good work will continue, he is selling a
large quantity of potatoes which would
be left over with only a few prisoners
in the jail. He has also advertised his
driving team for sale. "It will be
cheaper to hire a rig to make the few
outside arrests that are now necessary,
than to feed a team," he says.

Cards of Thanks.
We wish in this manner to express
our appreciation to the friends and
neighbors who so kindly assisted during
the death and burial of our companion
and mother, especially for the beautiful
floral offerings and to the quartette for
the comforting music, and we can but
hope that friends as true may gather
around each one of them should sorrow
invade their homes.

R. ALEXANDER AND CHILDREN.
The children of Mrs. Emily Spencer
join in thanking the many friends and
neighbors for their sympathy and many
acts of kindness in their bereavement
the beautiful flowers and the singing

Auction.
B. Steinbach having sold his interest
in the Jacob Steinbach farm, will sell all
his personal property at public auction
on the premises, 3 1/2 miles east of Chelsea
and 1 mile west of Lima Center, on elec-
tric line, on Wednesday, June 2, com-
mencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the follow-
ing: Four good work horses, 6 cows, 3
calves, 35 ewes with 32 March lambs, 3
rams, 1 Poland China brood sow, 7 pigs,
25 chickens, complete line of farm im-
plements, corn, potatoes and household
goods. Good lunch and hot coffee will
be served at noon. E. W. Daniels,
auctioneer. Otto Luick, clerk.

W. J. Knapp having been obliged to
take back some furniture, which was sold
on the installment plan, he will sell at
public sale to the highest bidder, in
front of the Chelsea Savings Bank build-
ing, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon,
May 29th, the following: One \$10.00 Oak
Dresser, 1 \$10.00 Oak Library Table,
1 \$10.00 Quartered Oak Leather Uphol-
stered Rocker, 3 \$1.50 each Oak Dining
Chairs. These goods have been used
but a short time and are as good as
new. Geo. H. Foster, auctioneer.

Dance at Dexter.
There will be a dance in the Dexter
opera house, Monday, May 31. Music by
Geiger's orchestra, of Jackson. Every-
one welcome.

Notice.
The Board of Review for the township
of Sylvan will meet in the west room of
the town hall, in the Village of Chelsea,
on Tuesday and Wednesday, June the
8th and 9th, 1909, for the public to re-
view the assessment roll from 9 a. m. to
4 p. m., each day.
Dated, Chelsea, May 27, 1909.
GEORGE W. BECKWITH, Supervisor.

Notice.
There will be a meeting at Maple
Grove cemetery, Sylvan Center, for the
purpose of cleaning the lots, on Friday
afternoon, May 28. Every one interest-
ed please be present.
SAMUEL F. GUTHRIE, Secretary.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.
"The most merciless enemy I had for
20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan,
of Haynesville, Me., "was dyspepsia. I
suffered intensely after eating or drink-
ing and could scarcely sleep. After
many remedies had failed and several
doctors gave me up, I tried Electric
Bitters, which cured me completely.
Now I can eat anything, I am 70 years
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tion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble,
lame back, female complaints, its un-
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Napoleon Bonaparte had to admit de-
feat when he met Wellington. Most
paints meet their Waterloo when com-
pared with Bradley & Vrooman Pure
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BREVITIES

DEXTER—Warren Byram, of
Leslie, has been tendered the posi-
tion of superintendent of the schools
at Dexter.

ADRIAN—A happy thing to con-
template is the thought that the
Raisin river is not deep enough for
exciting and fatal canoe accidents.
If you should attempt to rock the
boat there would be no water left.—
Adrian Telegram.

ANN ARBOR—Twenty canoes
were overturned Sunday afternoon
on the Huron, within an hour near
the bridge, between the old dam and
the Whitmore lake bend where the
water rises high and rushes swift
through the old dam against the
piles of the Michigan Central bridge.

MANCHESTER—The old build-
ing that stood overhanging the river
opposite Mat Wurster's on Water
street collapsed and fell into the
river yesterday morning. Mr. Van-
dewerke claimed to own it, but it
was unoccupied and has in its dilapi-
dated condition, been an eyesore for
a long time.—Enterprise.

MARSHALL—There has been
absolutely "nothing doing" in the
justice courts since local option be-
came effective here. No arrests have
been made for drunkenness and
vagrancy and Saturday the first um-
brella mender seen for the past two
weeks made his appearance. The
arrest of Mrs. Mary Murpee, charged
with assault upon a neighbor, has
been the only arrest for any cause
whatever since May 1. Local justices
threaten to "get a job."

JACKSON—The Chamber of
Commerce and the council com-
mittee Saturday afternoon completed
negotiations by which the Coliseum
building on Pearl street, and adjoining
property making an entire block
bounded by Pearl and Clinton streets
and two alleys, will become the
property of the city. The options
have been signed and the deal only
awaits confirmation by the council.
It is the plan to remodel the Coliseum
into a public market and city offices,
the former occupying the basement
and the latter the two upper floors.

ANN ARBOR—Alpheus Poole,
the colored man charged with the
murder of his wife in Ypsilanti last
month, was on Thursday last found
guilty of murder in the first degree
and sentenced to the state prison at
Jackson for life. When brought in-
to court to receive his sentence,
Poole said a few words in his own
behalf. He could not understand
why he was even thought to be
guilty of murder in the first degree,
though he deliberately cut his wife's
throat, and Judge Kinne told him
that he would have from now till he
joined his wife to think it over.

JACKSON—Sheriff Henry Kin-
ney and Deputies David Wright and
Hugh Doyle, of Bay City, brought a
batch of seven convicts to prison
Friday. The prisoners were shack-
led together, but when they were
turned over to Warden Wenger, the
Bay City officers discovered they had
left their keys at the jail in Bay
City, 125 miles away. Every effort
was made to find keys in Jackson to
fit the handcuffs, but to no purpose.
Then it dawned on Warden Wenger
that he possibly had a convict who
could unlock the handcuffs and re-
lease the seven convicts without a
key. A convict was called in who
by means of a piece of wire, prompt-
ly picked the seven locks.

WEBSTER—A disastrous head-
on collision occurred near Otis Cush-
ing's farm Tuesday morning which
resulted in a wrecked automobile, in-
jured feelings on the part of its
owners, and considerable "joshing"
from the neighbors of the same. The
way it was this: Messrs. Jedele
and Devine of Dexter are purholders
of a handsome runabout which ar-
rived from the factory on Monday.
Acting as their own chauffeurs, they
started out the next morning on a
business trip into Webster. For a
time all went well, but without a
moment's warning the fiery steed
took the bits in its teeth, so to speak,
and the gentlemen suddenly found
themselves "up against it." It didn't
hurt the bickery tree any, but two
hours later the refractory auto was
loaded onto Will Cushing's wagon
and started back to town.—Webster
Cor. Ann Arbor Times-News.

YPSILANTI—Ypsilanti's contri-
bution to base ball fame, Pitcher
Frank Owen, was on Saturday sold
by President Charles A. Coniskey of
the Chicago American league club
to the Toledo clubs of the American
Association. The consideration for
the deal was not announced other
than it was an out and out sale. The
sale of Owen removes another of the
old-time players from the South Side
club.

ANN ARBOR—A stabbing affray
among some tramps occurred Satur-
day morning with the result that
John Kelly, one of their number lies
in the Homeopathic hospital seriously
wounded. A knife cut under his
left arm, on a level with his heart, is
the most serious of the three cuts he
received. This incision extended
into the pleural cavity. William
Miller, the hold identified by Kelly
and his assailant, is held at the
county jail for the crime.

ANN ARBOR—Failing to find
the co-operation which it has ex-
pected, the Ann Arbor railway com-
pany has about decided not to
straighten its road through the
city, and that means that the hope
of the citizens regarding certain
grade separations will fail of ful-
fillment. The railway company had
expected to expend about \$80,000 in
new bridges and straightening the
crooked course of its road, but the
property owners, it is said, have
boosted the valuations on their land,
sometimes to 200 and 300 per cent
its real value.

Self-Improvement League.
The following is from the League for
Self-Improvement at the prison at Jack-
son:

We men of the League know we have
done wrong—grievous wrong. We are
conscious of broken laws and violated
obligations. With the best grace we may,
we accept the life we now live, not be-
cause we think it the wisest or the best,
but because it embodies all of wisdom
and justice which our imperfect systems
have evolved. But there are others be-
sides ourselves, and there will be yet
others in the years to come.

"Not for ourselves alone, but for those
who will be sent here tomorrow, next
month, next year. There are thousands
of men now in our prisons who once
were bright-faced boys; there are
thousands of bright-faced boys to-day
who, in the strange workings of our
imperfect lives, will some day fill the
prisons of the future. In the eternal
economy of the universe some way is
provided whereby those boys may be
saved the misery, the degradation, the
ruin, of the life we are enduring.

"Change conditions! We are in ear-
nest, and with all the strength of pur-
pose we may remain in the environment
amidst which we live, we will think,
and plan, and work, not for ourselves
least of all, but for those dependent
upon us, for those countless others who
must be saved from what is now an in-
evitable future.

"Working together, intelligently, you
with knowledge of the world at large,
with our experience of the world
shut in, may we not find the way?"

Notice.
To the members of Chelsea Legion No.
312: By direction of the National Presi-
dent, in the future section No. 133 of
the constitution will be enforced to the
letter. All dues must be paid before or
on the last day of each month.

CLARA HAMMOND, Secretary.

STILL KEEP ANCIENT CUSTOM.
Curious Medieval Ceremony in Law
Courts of London.

One of the most curious survivals
of the quaint methods of other times
was witnessed the other day in one
of the London law courts. Here the
solicitor of the city of London attend-
ed before the king's remembrances to
render quit rent services in respect of
certain properties in the city of Lon-
don and the county of Salop. On the
table were a block of wood, two fagots
of twigs, six horseshoes, and a bag
of nails. Warrants were read calling
upon the tenants of the properties
concerned to "come forth and do their
service," whereupon the city solicitor
gravely placed one of the fagots on
the block and cut it with a hatchet.
Then he cut the fagot with a billhook
and afterward tendered the six horseshoes
and counted out 60 nails, in
heaps of ten, adding one extra nail,
at which the King's Remembrancer
said: "Good number." Then the city
solicitor asked: "Has his majesty any
orders with regard to these imple-
ments?" and the King's Remem-
brancer replied: "I will take them to
be at the disposal of his majesty."
This ended the ceremony, which
dates from over 600 years ago.

A Scalded Boy's Shrieks.
Horrible his grandmother, Mrs. Maria
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Commissioners' Notice.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Anna M. Melnhold late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence, in the township of Lima, in said county, on the 24th day of June and on the 24th day of August, next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
Dated, April 24th, 1909.
FRED HAIST,
FRANK FELDKAMP,
Commissioners.

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Commissioners' Notice.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Edwin A. Deane, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence, in the township of Lima, in said county, on the 7th day of July, and on the 7th day of September, next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
Dated, May 7th, 1909.
J. NELSON DANCER,
CHAUNCEY COV,
Commissioners.

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Commissioners' Notice.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of James W. O'Connor, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at Jas. Gorman's office, in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 7th day of July and on the 7th day of September, next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
Dated, May 7th, 1909.
PETER GORMAN,
A. J. GREENING,
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