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## Special Book Sale

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### Has a Broken Arm.

Clarence Rafferty met with a serious accident Sunday afternoon at the swimming pool on the farm of Conrad Raefner, west of the village limits. The boys had a wire fastened in the top of a tree, some twenty-five feet in height, and it passed over the swimming pool and was fastened to another tree near the ground, and on the wire they had a pulley with a rope attached, which they grasp hold of and slide down the incline until over the pool, (which is about six feet deep), and they would let go and drop into the water.

When Clarence started to slide down the wire the rope which was attached to the pulley became untied, and the boy fell to the ground, a distance of nearly twenty-two feet, striking on his head, breaking his left arm near the wrist and he was otherwise bruised up. LaRue Shaver and a number of other boys worked over the injured lad for some time before they could revive him. After he had regained consciousness Shaver and John Dunn carried the injured boy to the residence of John Fulford, who brought him to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rafferty. Dr. Gulde was called and reduced the fracture.

The other boys who were at the swimming pool at the time of the accident removed the dangerous "slide for life," as it was called by the boys, and it will probably not be put up again this season.

### Convict Talks For His Kind.

A convict, whose name is withheld at his own request, made a wonderfully eloquent and effective plea for his kind and the new "moral uplift" movement at the Self-Improvement league meeting in the prison at Jackson last week.

"The state is unthinkingly but needlessly wrecking many men's lives in prison," he declared. "Many a citizen who goes wrong may protest that his act does not end, the town's responsibility toward him. He has paid taxes, perhaps, and done more for the town than it has done for him. If he is convicted can the community rightfully lock him up, deprive his family of his earning power and then wash its hands of the whole problem? It takes his labor for years, punishing his innocent family, then gives him a couple of dollars, trusts him for a suit of clothes and sends him out. The brand of the prison is on him and work is hard for him to get at first. In a day or so his little money is gone. He must eat and the police help to make him a pariah because of his cropped hair and signs of prison life. He is a strong man then if he does not go wrong again.

"There should be some plan by which men in here may contribute to the support of their families. And if they could have the work to do and draw pay for it they might have a few dollars when they are released to support them until they can get a job in a new community."

Ex-Warden Hatch, Acting Warden Wenger and others spoke.

### "War Capital" For Sale.

"For sale at a bargain," is the sign on the front of the old Blair homestead in Jackson, for the greater part of four years the "war capital" and executive mansion of the state of Michigan. So important a part of the state's work in the Civil war was played in the residence of the stanch old war-governor Austin Blair that the chance of the historic old place being sold, demolished and replaced by a group of modern flats or cottages gives regret to Jackson folks of sentiment, who are old enough to remember the days of struggle.

The old homestead, since the death of its loyal occupant, has been kept in much the condition which he left it, although there are evidences of neglect. The flower beds at the front are not as well kept up, but they are still there, as are the towering trees. The house and furniture are the same, even to the big fireplace in front of which the old governor decided state questions, signed war orders and made citizens into colonels and generals who were later to weave their names and records into the nation's history.

A proposition to purchase the old place, restore it as nearly as possible to its war-days appearance and make it a museum for objects of historical interest is suggested by Recorder Harrington and other city officials and residents of Jackson.

### Revolts at Cold Steel.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich., suffering from severe rectal trouble, "lies in an operation." Then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills, she writes, "till wholly cured." They prevent appendicitis, cure constipation, headache, etc. at L. T. Freeman Co. and H. H. Penn Co.

### Getting Ready For School.

Superintendent Hendry of the Chelsea schools has taken up his work here and from now on the work of getting things prepared for the opening of the schools, which will occur on September 7th, will go forward. The teachers who will have charge of the different grades are as follows: Superintendent—Frank Hendry. Principal—Emma Wines. High School—Helena Haag, Caroline Laird, Lillian Holbrook. Eighth Grade—Josephine Hoppe. Seventh Grade—Elizabeth Depew. Sixth Grade—Frances A. Goodyear. Fifth Grade—Fannie Lancaster. Fourth Grade—Florence Howlett. Third Grade—Ruth Bartch. Second Grade—Flora M. Spitzer. First Grade—Portia Morhous. Kindergarten—Ivo Jennings. Music and Drawing—Hazel Speer.

### Troubles for Saloonists.

The new liquor law which goes into effect next month contains many interesting features and bids fair to cause considerable trouble and it is not unlikely that the supreme court will be called upon to settle some points in dispute.

In the new law it is provided that in case of two violations of the liquor laws the license shall be forfeited and the violator cannot longer engage in the business. The old law provided a for a similar punishment upon one conviction, but this was declared unconstitutional. However, the new law gets around this difficulty by making it an agreement on the part of the man taking out the license that if he is convicted twice he shall forfeit his license. When he gets his red card

### Good Bye, Michigan Central.

The elimination of the Vanderbilts from the New York Central lines and the complete ascendancy of Edward H. Harriman into the control of more than 12,000 miles of railroad comprised in that system are declared to be the next important developments in the railway world.

It is reported on what seems to be good authority that the Harriman brokers have secured an option on the greater portion, if not all, of the Vanderbilt holdings, and will soon close the deal in the interest of the "Napoleon" of the railway world. The option, it is stated, is on \$50,000,000 worth of New York Central stock, which is to be purchased for Harriman at \$150 a share. The last report of the Union Pacific road shows that it has in its treasury \$14,000,000 worth of New York Central securities, and it is generally believed that Harriman and a few of his personal friends have a large personal holding in New York Central.

The contemplated deal also gives him authority over the Lake Shore, the Michigan Central, the Big Four and the smaller roads comprising the New York Central lines.

### Chance for Applicants.

"There appears to be a lack of understanding among the men as to how they ought to go about it in order to apply for positions of motormen or conductors," says W. J. Dawson, superintendent of the D. J. & C. "I have recently formed a plan that will do much towards overcoming this. Under the new arrangement I will be along the line every Monday and



Finishing a close race at the State Fair, Detroit.

he signs this agreement and thus becomes a party to a contract which, it is claimed, cannot be broken.

Another feature which will make it difficult for saloon keepers to secure bondsman lies in the fact that no surety can go upon more than one bond and he cannot obligate himself to a greater amount than the assessed valuation of his property in the county free from all incumbrance and indebtedness. Heretofore one man has gone upon many bonds and while his assessed valuation might be but \$5,000, he has claimed he was worth \$10,000 and has been allowed to obligate himself to that extent.

### Church Circles.

CONGREGATIONAL. Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor. Regular services will be resumed Sunday, August 22. Combined morning service from 10 to 11:30. Sermon subject: "Noah the Reformer." Bible study subject: "The Riot in Ephesus," Acts 19:23-30, 35-41.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. The Christian Science Society will meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual hour next Sunday, August 22. Subject: Mind. Golden text: "The Lord is good, a strong hold in the day of trouble, and he knoweth them that trust in him." Nahum 1:7.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. D. H. Glass, Pastor. Combined Sunday school and preaching service Sunday morning from 10 to 11:30 o'clock. The pastor will preach. Morning class at 9 o'clock. Union service in the evening at the Baptist church. Sermon by Mr. Glass. Prayer meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

BAPTIST. Rev. G. A. Chittenden, Pastor. Morning worship at 10 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 11 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. at 6:15 p. m. Topic: "A Lesson in Prayer." Union service in the evening. Preaching by Rev. Glass.

A long stick with a piece of asbestos paper attached and saturated with kerosene oil and used as a torch with which to burn out the abiding places of the web worms, which are very much in evidence in numerous trees and bushes about the village, will save a deal of work later on.

Thursday and will stop at Chelsea at 2 p. m."

Mr. Dawson will be here at the hour named for the purpose of meeting applicants for positions and in order that there may be no delay arrangements have been made whereby application blanks can at all times be had at the place named. The official at such place will answer whatever questions are asked so that the blanks can be properly filled by the time Mr. Dawson arrives.

Preference is being given to positions on this road to people who live along it. In the street railway business there are many excellent opportunities for advancement by those who are earnest in their work. This is best indicated by the promotions that have already taken place.

### Farewell, "Coffin Nails."

Few people realize that after September 17, when the laws passed at the last session of the legislature go into effect, any person under the age of 21 who is found smoking cigarettes in any public place will be liable to arrest and may be punished by a fine of not to exceed \$10 or imprisonment not to exceed five days for each offense, except that under a provision of the law as passed, any such minor who gives evidence which will lead to the arrest of the person selling such cigarettes may have sentence suspended.

Any person who is guilty of selling cigarettes in any form to a minor is liable to arrest under the law, and may be punished by a fine of not to exceed \$50 or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 30 days for each offense.

The provisions of the law are such that it would seem that the "coffin nail" is doomed as far as minors are concerned.

### Lawn Social.

The ladies of the Methodist church will have a lawn social with scrub lunch, at the home of Mrs. Fannie S. Ward, of Lima, Wednesday afternoon, August 25th, leaving here on the 2:10 car. Rev. Glass, who has been teaching mission study classes on the "Frontier" at Albion, Lake Geneva and Lake Orion, will give the ladies a review of the closing chapters. A silver collection will be taken to swell the fund of the Home Missionary Society.

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15 bars Laundry Soap, 25c  
Best Lump Starch, pound 5c  
Good Chocolate Creams, per pound, 15c.  
Best Japan Rice, pound 7c  
Full Cream Cheese at market price.  
Fancy White Honey, per pound, 14c  
Best Mixed Pickles, quart cans, 25c  
Large Olives, quart cans, each 30c  
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McNally's Pure California Olive Oil, pint, 60c  
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Dioxogen, per bottle, 25c  
Rexall Liver Salts, the best ever, large bottle 40c  
Liquid Corn Cure, safe and sure, bottle, 10c  
Rexall Shaving Lotion very soothing and pleasant to use, per bottle, 25c.  
Seidlitz Powders, large, per package, 10c  
Rexall Blackberry Cordial stops dysentery and summer complaint, per bottle, 25c.  
Pure Witch Hazel, pint, 25c  
Rexall Tooth Wash whitens the teeth and sweetens the breath, per bottle, 25c.  
Charcoal Tablets, pkg., 10c.  
Rexall Eye Wash cures sore eyes, sty, itching etc., per bottle, 25c.  
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Regular meetings for 1909 are as follows: Jan. 5, Feb. 2, Mar. 2, 30, May 1, 19, 26, July 27, Aug. 24, Sept. 28, Oct. 26, Nov. 23; annual meeting and election of officers, Dec. 21. St. John's Day, June 24—Dec. 27. Visiting Brothers welcome.  
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Cars connect at Ypsilanti for Saline and at Wayne for Plymouth and Northville.

**Stivers & Kalmbach, Attorneys.**  
**Probate Order**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. As a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 24th day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Rosina R. Lehman, deceased.  
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of John M. Lehman, father, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to John M. Lehman or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 21st day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LEELAND, Judge of Probate  
[A true copy]  
DONCAS C. DONOGAN, Register.

**Commissioners' Notice.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. 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 Emily Spencer 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 Turnbull & Witherell's office in the Village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 18th day of September, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Mich., July 16th, 1909.  
WM. BACON, GEORGE BEGLINS, Commissioners.

**Probate Order**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. As a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 3d day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of James A. Bachman, deceased.  
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Florence Howlett, daughter, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Florence Howlett or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 30th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LEELAND, Judge of Probate.  
[A true copy]  
DONCAS C. DONOGAN, Register.

**USED THE LAW ON MR. BAYLEY**  
Hollerbach Piano Company Tries to Prevent Their Pianos Being Sold at Half-Price.

The monotony of business life is sometimes varied by an incident that proves of particular interest to the general public. Most persons are interested in pianos. They either have one, want to buy one or hope to get one. Therefore they are interested in matters pertaining to pianos, but particularly in the price and quality. A matter pertaining to that phase of the business came up in the circuit court at Detroit on the 26th. Way up in Marquette, Mich., Arthur Newton owned a music store and had a number of pianos which he desired to close out for cash. He dickered with several Detroit dealers, but finally made a proposition to Frank J. Bayley, proprietor of the Bayley Piano House at 21 Grand River avenue east. Mr. Bayley wanted pianos, if they were bargains, and Newton wanted the cash. Newton had thirteen Hollerbach pianos that sell for \$350 and \$400 each. None are sold for less, because the agents have to agree to sell them at that figure. These were brand new instruments. Mr. Bayley bought them and immediately offered them for sale at \$175



**FRANK J. BAYLEY.**  
The Piano Dealer, Who Was Taken Into Court for Selling Pianos Too Cheap.

each. The Hollerbach Piano Company, of Findlay, O., had heart failure and swung the law on Mr. Bayley. They applied to the circuit court for an injunction to prevent Mr. Bayley from advertising the Hollerbach pianos for \$175. Bayley had bought and paid for the pianos and thought he could sell them for whatever he pleased, but they claimed otherwise. In their bill of complaint, they stated that the pianos could not be made and sold to the dealers in Detroit for \$175 and that Bayley, by offering them for \$175 to the purchasers at retail, was greatly injuring the name, fame, and credit of the said Hollerbach company and that by selling the pianos at retail below the cost of manufacture the Hollerbach company would also be believed to no longer be making high grade pianos. The company further said that it agreed to buy the thirteen pianos from Mr. Bayley at the price of \$175 each, but he refused to accept the offer, and instead continued to advertise the instruments for retail sale at that price.

Mr. Bayley was to be restrained from publishing any advertisement or notices of any kind whatever, or maintaining any painted and printed signs wherein the offer to sell Hollerbach pianos at the price of \$175 was contained.

While the case was pending before Judge Murphy, the two parties settled it in court.

Thirteen is supposed to be an unlucky number, but in this case it is very lucky to the thirteen persons who succeed in getting a bona fide \$350 or \$400 piano for \$175, simply because a man up in Marquette needed the money and Mr. Bayley preferred to give the benefit of the reduced price to the purchaser rather than to the Hollerbach Piano Company.

The Hollerbach instrument is a high class piano and can not be bought for less than the price the company claims, because all of the agents who handle that piano are bound to hold up that price. There were no strings on Bayley's, so he claims, and so he felt it his right to sell for whatever figure he desired. Meanwhile the purchasers who obtained a Hollerbach at just one-half the regular price are in high glee.

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While the Michigan State Fair is not blessed with the liberal legislative aid that goes to similar institutions, it makes a showing that puts others far in the shade.

Last year the total attendance was 186,000. At the same time Wisconsin showed only 125,000; New York, 168,000; Kentucky, 102,000; Ohio, 124,473; Nebraska, 112,500; Spokane, Interstate, 114,866; Indiana, 145,000.

Michigan's net profits were \$45,900. That of Wisconsin, \$4,437.30; New York, \$29,000; Kentucky, \$12,000; Ohio, \$18,399.22; Iowa, \$44,171.45; Nebraska, \$24,200; Spokane Interstate, \$9,715.51; Illinois, \$7,600; South Dakota, \$533.97; Oklahoma, \$13,349.50.

Michigan's total disbursements, not including amount for improvements, were \$94,546.29; Wisconsin, \$80,737.70; New York, \$70,000; Kentucky, \$38,000; Ohio, \$46,844.63; Iowa, \$93,211; Nebraska, \$53,500; Spokane Interstate, \$72,589.16; Illinois, \$50,000; South Dakota, \$25,203.67; Oklahoma, \$44,918.

**JACKSON BREVITIES**  
GRASS LAKE—Clate McGee and wife have left for Saskatchewan, where he has 400 acres of crops, mostly wheat, which this year is immense. Clate owns 640 acres which bring him in a large annual revenue.

MANCHESTER—The municipal lighting plant is paying so well even in the summer when but comparatively little light is needed, that some of our citizens are talking about inducing the village to install water works.—Enterprise.

JACKSON—Sheriff Bean states that he probably will make no appointment of an under sheriff to succeed Mr. Strobel, who is appointed chief of police. Since local option went into effect the criminal business has been light, and Mr. Bean thinks by doing a little more work himself another officer is not needed.—Patriot.

MANCHESTER—Will Sloot planted a large number of trout in Schaible's creek, and every spring for three years more trout will be planted there in the hopes of making it a fine trout stream, which it should be, as it is fed by springs. People are warned against catching minnows from that stream as has been the custom.—Enterprise.

COLDWATER—For the past six weeks Coldwater people have enjoyed a band concert every Sunday afternoon between 4 and 5, preceding the union afternoon services held in the park by the Coldwater churches. Not only does the band give fine sacred music, but remains and assists with solos and duets to make the musical part of the services attractive to the large crowd always in attendance.

CLINTON—In looking through the pocket book his father carried with him on that fatal day which closed the life of John Hause, his son Claude found an insurance certificate against accident for \$2,500 which he had bought that morning for 50 cents, good for four days. His thoughtfulness will bring many pleasures, if the bereaved wife and son ever care to take advantage, but it will not serve to lessen their grief.—Courier.

ANN ARBOR—Alleging that they were falsely imprisoned, Joseph Schmidt and Ernest Rogers, of Saline, have started suit for \$5,000 damages against Sheriff Dan Sutton, of this county. On February 18, the two were brought to the county jail and spent 24 hours in confinement, after a man giving his name as August Getz, had sworn to a warrant charging them with stealing cattle. Getz, in his warrant swore that he lived in Washtenaw county, but he failed to appear at the trial and hasn't been seen or heard of since.

ONSTED—The Forest and Stream Club, of Columbus, Ohio, numbering seventy strong took up their old quarters at Sand Lake, last week. They came to stay a month and amply supplied with liquid refreshment, viz: 160 kegs of beer, 62 gallons of whiskey and 200 cases of pop. Notwithstanding they came to do a lot of drinking of intoxicants, they are governed by some stringent rules. Every one is given a free hand, but if he makes a fool of himself and gets intoxicated, he is fined \$15 and henceforth deprived of all drink.—News.

FLAT ROCK—Masses of dead and dying fish floated down the Huron river to this place Friday morning. They came in such numbers that it was necessary to shut down the Mettler mills and let the mass of fish through the mill race. There were many thousand fish in the lot and they made a dense body as they floated on top of the water. Nearly all kinds of fish known to the river in this section were in the mass and all were either dead or dying. It is believed that they were poisoned by the coloring matter in the refuse dumped into the river from the paper mills at Ypsilanti. The floating down of dead fish in the river is not uncommon here, but they have never been seen in so immense quantities.

ANN ARBOR—William Mindke, aged 16, is in jail here on a charge of forging a check bearing the alleged signature of Fred Siegle. An investigation shows that the lad had passed similar checks on a bank to the amount of more than \$760. Young Mindke is the son of William Mindke, sr., of this city, and has been employed on the farm of Geo. Siegle. He earned \$24 a month, but his father took the money, allowing the boy 50 cents a week for himself. Young Mindke added to his income by the bad check method. The Siegles are brothers and well known here, while it was generally known that the boy was employed on the Siegle farm, so he had no difficulty in cashing checks for \$20 or \$25 each. Much sympathy is felt for the young prisoner here and there is a disposition to let him off lightly. The father expresses a willingness to make good the money obtained on condition of the son's release. The bank is unwilling to take this step, however, believing it possible that he had older confederates.

MANCHESTER—We have discovered that this is a great auto repair town. Look out on the streets almost any time and you will see someone tinkering with a machine, sometimes it is a stranger, sometimes a resident. Well it's nice to have something doing.—Enterprise.

MANCHESTER—A large number of small mouth bass have been planted in the lower pond and parties who have caught minnows there say that they are growing fast. The law against catching these young fish is very clear and one is liable to prosecution who does so.—Enterprise.

MANCHESTER—We learn that Representative Charles E. Townsend, Lieutenant Governor Patrick H. Kelly and Dr. D. D. Martin, of Albion college have accepted invitations to be present and give addresses at a banquet to be held in the parlors of the Methodist church on Sept. 3.—Enterprise.

JACKSON—Silas Perkins, of this city, had two fingers crushed in a Cincinnati Northern car door while en route to Clark lake Sunday. Perkins was drinking at the water cooler and stood with one hand on the sill of the door, which was open, when the door was violently slammed. The middle finger of the left hand was severed and the index finger crushed.—Patriot.

ANN ARBOR—One of the most difficult and rare operations known was performed in University hospital here Friday afternoon when the upper portion of the stomach of J. F. Andrews, of Dowagiac, was removed. Because of the close proximity of the region operated upon to the heart, the operation was dangerous, but Andrews is getting along nicely and the surgeons think he will live. Andrews had suffered from stomach trouble for years.

JACKSON—Murdered two months ago by a treacherous Mexican, the body of Henry Pennington, formerly of Jackson, was brought to that city for burial Monday by the widow and a brother. Henry Pennington was superintendent of a big ranch in Mexico, and he and a Mexican laid claim to the same goods. Pennington secured a legal warrant for retaining them, but the Mexican loaded them on a wagon and started to drive away, when Pennington cut one of the traces. The Mexican then shot him in the back with a shotgun, boring a great hole through his body and killing him instantly.

COLDWATER—John S. Evans, editor of the Sun and Star, of this city is in trouble. The government is building a postoffice on the corner of Pearl and Monroe streets and J. S. Evans owns a house and two lots directly back of the postoffice site on Pearl street. Mr. Evans recently decided to put up a brick office building between his home and the post office, and before beginning same had the county surveyor, J. J. Cox, make a survey of the ground. He found Monroe street to be located three feet and one-half approximately further west than the survey would make it, and from this Mr. Evans decided that the government had their full amount of land and went on with his building. He has nearly completed it and now the question has arisen of why he should have the three feet any more than the government, and it may be that if Mr. Evans can not buy the land he has made use of beyond his line, he will be forced to remove his building from it.

**WEAK, WEARY WOMEN.**  
Learn the Cause of Daily Woes and End Them.

When the back aches and throbs.  
When housework is torture.  
When night brings no rest nor sleep.

When urinary disorders set in  
Women's lot is a weary one.  
There is a way to escape these woes.  
Doan's Kidney Pills cure such ills.  
Have cured women here in Chelsea.  
This is one Chelsea woman's testimony.

Mrs. Cordelia Maroney, Railroad St., Chelsea, Mich., says: "I have been greatly benefited by Doan's Kidney Pills. I suffered from backache and pains through my kidneys and bladder was also affected. The contents of two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills helped me wonderfully, removing my aches and pains and correcting the kidney difficulty. I can praise this remedy highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Trying it on the Dog.  
Manager (effusively)—We have selected your town, Mr. Grim, for the first production of our play.

Editor (sarcastically)—Then I feel sorry for you, Mr. Tryout.  
Manager (uneasily)—Why so?  
Editor—The local S. P. C. A. is especially active here.

**CONFIDENCE**  
We Back Up Our Statements With Our Personal Reputation and Money.  
We are so positive that we can cure constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish the medicine free of all cost if we fail.

It is worse than useless to attempt to cure constipation with cathartic drugs. Laxatives or cathartics do much harm. They cause a reaction irritate and weaken the bowels and make constipation more chronic. Besides, their use becomes a habit that is dangerous and often fatal.

Constipation is caused by weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine or descending colon. To expect a cure you must therefore tone up and strengthen those organs and restore them to healthier activity.

The discovery of the active principle of our remedy evolved the labor of the world's greatest research chemists. It possesses all the best qualities of the remedial active principle of the best known intestinal tonics, and it is particularly prompt in its results.

We want you to try Rexall Orderlies on our guarantee. They are exceedingly pleasant to take and are ideal for children. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They have a neutral action on other organs or glands. They do not purge or cause any inconvenience whatever. They will positively cure chronic or habitual constipation and the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments. Try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. L. T. Freeman Co.

**BRAZIL TO SHOW PRODUCTS.**

South American Country Becomes Interest in the Michigan Fair; Coffee, Lumber and Various Other Things Exploited.

The government of Brazil will make an exhibit at the Michigan State Fair, which opens this year on Sept. 2 and continues until Sept. 10. Clinton D. Smith, of the Agricultural College at Piracicaba, has shipped to Detroit a great collection representing various products produced in that southern country. It consists of about everything grown in the tropics and will be of great educational value to every one who attends the State Fair. Brazil is a great coffee country and furnishes many countries of the world with a fine product in this line.

Great varieties of this berry will be seen in the Brazilian exhibit. The berry will be shown hanging to branches in various stages of maturity. The lumber display will also be interesting. Mr. Smith in his letter to Secretary Butterfield says:

"The Brazilian exhibit will consist of the important kinds of lumber produced in the State of St. Paul. To keep this exhibit within bounds, yet to show the quality of timber, the specimens are relatively small and shown in the rough. It contains one hundred kinds of wood which the Michigan people will want before many years are past. After the fair is over this collection is to be sent to the Michigan Agricultural college. This will require some expense to get into shape but I authorize Prof. Taft to attend to this and the Brazilian government will pay all bills. The State of St. Paul is producing as good coffee as can be found anywhere in the world, but it is also raising some very poor stuff. Most of the latter is kept for home consumption, but it is included in the samples. This coffee collection ought to be of value to Detroit merchants, and I suggest that it be kept in your chamber of commerce just to show the coffee exhibit are samples of the soil, rich in iron, yet not poisonous to vegetation. I am also sending branches of coffee trees laden with fruit so the people can see just how the thing looks in nature."

**LOW RATES FOR STATE FAIR.**

Michigan Passenger Association Decides to Sell Tickets to Detroit for One and One-Half Fare, Round Trip.

The Michigan Passenger Association, which passes on the matter of granting special rates over railroads, has decided this year to give a rate to the Michigan State Fair, which opens in Detroit on September 2 and continues until September 10, of one and one-half fare for the round trip, from any given point in the state. This rate will be good all through the exhibition, and the tickets thus purchased may be used on returning as late as September 11.

The railroads, through this concession, will add largely in swelling the crowds at the state fair and making it one of the greatest successes in the history of Michigan.

The management of the State Fair is now hard at work perfecting plans and arranging for the big fall event. Concessions are still being booked and some of the finest attractions to be secured will be seen at this fair.

There seems to be a strife on among the majority of states this year to make the annual exhibits more interesting and attractive than usual. Michigan has absorbed the same spirit and by the aid of enthusiastic officials, the event in Detroit will be worth traveling the entire length of Michigan to witness.

With cheap passenger rates and liberal shipping facilities for exhibitors, the management of the Michigan State Fair is planning for a great display the coming fall. It is suggested that persons who contemplate a trip this summer, defer such pleasure until fall week, take advantage of the low railroad rates and attend the big exhibit.

# State Fair Tickets

Buy Your State Fair Tickets at

The Standard Office

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Save 15 Cents On Each Ticket

This will be the best fair in the history of the association, and you should not fail to visit it.

You can Save Money by purchasing your tickets now at the

Standard Office

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Equally low round trip fares to other Eastern Tourist Resorts. Tickets on sale every day during August and September; good returning within thirty days.

Tickets optional via Lake Steamers between Detroit and Buffalo and on Hudson River Steamers. Liberal stop-over privileges at Detroit, Niagara Falls and other points without extra charge.

For Particulars Consult Ticket Agents.

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200 Rooms with running water Per Day	100 Rooms with private bath Per Day	50 Rooms Large, well lighted, for couples, with bath Per Day
\$1.00	\$1.50	\$2.00

**Dining Room and Cafe**  
Club Breakfast from 25 cents up  
Large, well lighted dining room on parlor floor, and cafe grill room on ground floor.  
Table d'Hote dinner at noon and night, 50 cents  
Lady waiters in main dining room

POSTAL & MOREY, Proprietors











# Our Ninth Great Sale of Notions and Remnants!

Opens Saturday Morning, August 21st, and Ends Wednesday Evening, September 1st, 1909

We have now come to the end of the Season and find that we have piles and piles of Remnants and a great many small odd lots of goods in all departments that must be either sold or carried over to another season. As we never carry over any goods from one season to the next, if a low price will sell them, this means that we shall make the lowest prices ever made on Summer Goods in Chelsea, as we shall positively clean up every Remnant and Odd Lot of Goods during this Sale. Cost or value cuts no figure at all. These goods must be sold now. Read every item in this advertisement; it means a saving of money to you.

## Remnants, Remnants, Remnants.

And We Pay You to Take Them Away...

All measured and priced. many of them as low as  
**1-3 and 1-2 Off**

the usual price, piled on tables throughout the store, where customers can look them over and select what they want without much help from the clerks.

This is not a sale of old goods, but every Remnant is of this Season's Goods.

### Remnants of Dress Goods

We shall offer a larger and better assortment of short lengths of dress goods than ever before. These are all marked at about HALF PRICE, some at even less than this.

The prices now on these Remnants will surely make you want them, if you have any use at all for these goods.

A great many Skirt and Waist lengths in this pile. Be sure and give this table a look.

### Remnants of Silks

One-Half to seven yard lengths. These include every kind of Silk, in blacks, colors and fancies. Many are HALF PRICE and all are at ridiculously low prices. Plenty of Waist Patterns among these.

### Remnants of Cotton Goods

This is a most interesting place to most Women during this Sale, and no one will be disappointed in the number and kinds of bargains you will find on these tables. The piles are larger and the prices are lower than ever. These Remnants must be sold to make room for new fall goods. Notice the prices.

Remnants of 25c Lawns, Dimities, etc.	12c
Remnants of 19c Wash Goods, now	7c
Remnants of 25c Imported Gingham, now	15c
Remnants of 20c Dress Gingham, now	12c
Remnants of 15c fancy Gingham, now	9c
Remnants of 10c Apron Gingham, now	7c
Remnants of 8c Apron Gingham, now	6c
Remnants of black and white 7c prints, now	5c
Remnants of White Goods, now	1-2 Price
Remnants of 12c Shirtings, now	9c
Remnants of best Table Oil Cloth, now	12c
Remnants of 12c Outings, now	8c
Remnants of Sheetings and Casings, 36-in bleached and brown Cottons at about 1-3 less than usual.	

### Remnants of Curtain Muslins and Lace Curtains.

25c Curtain Muslin Remnants, now	15c
20c Curtain Muslin Remnants, now	12c
All Lace Curtain Remnants, not over two of a pattern, 1-2 Price	
All other Lace Curtains reduced 1-4 to 1-3 to make room for fall stock.	

### Remnants of Linen and Crash

15 soiled Table Damask Patterns, were \$5.00 to \$8.00 now at	\$3.25 to \$5.00
Remnants of \$1.50 Damask, now	\$1.15
Remnants of \$1.25 Damask, now	.94
Remnants of \$1.00 Damask, now	.75
Remnants of 89c, 75c, 69c and 59c Damasks, now about 1-3 off to clean up the department.	
Soiled dozens of Napkins at less than Wholesale Prices.	
Remnants of 20c bleached Crash, now	14c
Remnants of 17c bleached or brown Crash, now	13c
Remnants of 12c bleached or brown Crash, now	9c
Remnants of 10c brown and bleached Crash, now	7c
Remnants of Cotton Crash, now	4c

## Shoes Shoes Shoes

### Odd Pairs of New Shoes

Men's newest \$3.50 Oxfords, now	\$2.69
Men's newest \$4.00 Oxfords, now	3.15
Women's Oxfords, \$3.00 kind, now	\$2.15 to \$2.35
Women's Oxfords, \$2.50 kind, now	\$1.85 to \$2.15
Children's Oxfords at less than Wholesale.	

### Remember

None of these bargains are to be had of us after this Ten Days' Sale. Ask for any item advertised and you will get it at the price named, unless we run out, and we don't believe we will run short. Bring this list along with the items checked that you want to buy. You'll get every item if you come early.

We aim to clean up all goods the same season they are bought. It don't pay to carry them till they are old and out of style. First loss is always the least.

## Notions

It takes time, thought and the know-how to gather together a lot of Notions, such as we offer during this Notion Sale.

This year we offer more and better Notions than ever before, and all at Wholesale Prices, and some at even LESS than Wholesale Prices. This sale is by far the greatest bargain time of the year. All prices are tremendously lowered all over the store on all Odd Lots and Remnants that have accumulated. While we offer nothing old or out of date in this Sale, still some of the goods are slightly soiled, or mused, or odd lots, but the bargains are very great. This sale will be much broader than in the past, and will rid the store of all Spring and Summer Goods quickly.

### Anything in this List will be sold for 1c

1 gold lever 5c Collar Button	1 Card patent Hooks and Eyes
6 bone Collar Buttons	1 roll Cotton Tape, all widths
1 card black Darning Cotton	1 flat Corset Lace
1 pair Women's shoe Laces	1 pair Men's shoe Laces
1 piece Chinese Ironing Wax	1 5c box jet head Mourning Pins
1 paper 280 Adamantine Pins	1 bone Crochet Hook
1 Lead Pencil with Eraser	1 5c fringed Wash Cloth
1 piece Sewing Wax	5 best Darning Needles
1 washable Curtain Loop	1 Child's colored bordered Hdckf.
1 sixty-inch Tape Measure	1 Aluminum Thimble
1 gold Beauty Pin	2 papers wire Hair Pins
1 5c spring Mouse Trap	1 box Invisible Hair Pins
1 Lamp Wicks	2 dozen Pearl Buttons
1 Nest Egg	

### Anything in this List will be sold for 2c

1 Woman's Thimble	1 Elastic Corset Lace
1 best steel Crochet Hook	1 60-inch Satine Tape Measure
1 dozen Safety Pins	1 cabinet Wire Hair Pins
1 cake Toilet Soap	1 Darning Egg, with handle
1 spoon Coats' Darning Cotton	1 Turkish Wash Cloth
1 Baby's Bib	1 white hemstitched Hdckf.
4 extra long Jet Hat Pins	1 dozen 5c Pearl Buttons, all sizes
1 bent wood Coat Hanger	1 washable white Curtain Loop
1 box of 1100 Tooth Picks	1 paper Sewing Needles, 5s to 10s

### Anything in this List will be sold for 3c

1 Turkish Wash Cloth	1 Simmons Nickel Dip Front Pin
1 Embroidery Hoop	1 6-yd piece Finishing Braid
1 cube black Jet Head Pins	1 paper best English Pins
1 card Safety Pins, assorted	1 box Cabinet Wire Hair Pins
1 Rubber Fine Comb	1 box Talcum Powder
1 Vegetable Brush	1 dozen good Pearl Buttons
1 Turkey Red Hdckf	

### Anything in this List will be sold for 4c

1 Navy blue Handkerchief	1 card of 3 good shell Hair Pins
1 good fine tooth Comb	1 Turkish Wash Cloth
1 piece finishing Braid	1 Turkey red Handkerchief
1 cake Fairy toilet Soap	1 Woman's thread cutting Thimble
1 paper 5c Ajax Pins	1 crystal Hair Pin Cabinet
1 Tooth Brush	1 Polishing Mitten
1 card Collar Supporters	1 Curling Iron
1 asbestos Iron Holder	1 tracing Wheel
1 Tomato Pin Cushion	1 pair 10c Corset Steels
1 card of 4 gold Lever Col. Buttons	1 500-yd. spool French bast. thread
1 8-inch Dressing Comb	1 Man's white hemstitched Hdckf.
1 bottle best Ammonia	1 Chamois Skin
1 cast iron Hammer	1 bottle Perfume
1 Honeycomb lace trimmed Bib	1 box of six shell Hair Pins

### Anything in this List will be sold for 8c

1 Pyraline Dressing Comb	1 Evertidy Barrette
1 card of 3 large shell Hair Pins	1 Betsy Ross Stocking Darnier
1 Embroidery Hoop, with spring	1 Tomato Pin Cushion
1 pair best Corset Steels	1 box "Moore" glass Push Pins
1 large box "Violet" wire Hair Pins	1 good Whisk Bronz
1 good Chamois Skin	1 box Cold Cream
1 Antiseptic Corn File	1 Hair Brush
1 piece Finishing Braid	1 lace trimmed Bib
1 Women's linen hemstitched Hdckf.	1 doz fancy Pearl Buttons
1 cake Cosmo Buttermilk Soap	1 good Tooth Brush
1 fancy 15c Celluloid Comb	1 bottle Blue Seal Vaseline
1 Sponge Cloth	

## Notions

### Anything in this List will be sold for 13c

1 pair Side Combs	1 Back Comb
1 formed Stocking Darnier	1 25c new Sash or Collar Pin
1 Woman's fancy Handkerchief	1 pair Beauty Pins
1 cake La Parisienne Glycerine Soap	1 Skirt Marker
1 Boys' Pocket Knife	1 Whisk Broom
1 50-foot Clothes Line	1 Turkish Towel
1 pair 5-inch Scissors	1 Nail File
1 pair Embroidery Scissors	1 Bristle Hair Brush
1 Whisk Broom	1 good Tooth Brush
1 dozen Fancy Pearl Buttons	1 6-yd piece Finishing Braid
1 Childs Bib	1 pair Side Combs
1 Back Comb	1 good Manicure Brush
1 good Dressing Comb	1 Metal Back Horn Comb
1 Women's Fancy Handkerchief	1 large Huck Towel
1 box Mennen's or Colgate's Talcum	

### Anything in this List will be sold for 18c

1 pr. Women's blk. pure Silk Gloves	1 Skirt Marker
1 Ostrich Feather Curler	1 Nail File
1 18x18 Ceylon Floss Pillow	1 fancy basket of 12 Hair Pins
1 Sash Pin, assorted styles	1 Fancy Hose Supporter
1 pair Scissors	1 pair Rubber Gloves
1 pair 25c Side Combs	1 25c Tooth Brush
1 Dressing Comb	1 Women's fancy 25c Handkerchief
1 Sun Bonnet	1 Pillow Cord

### Anything in this List will be sold for 23c

1 Bristle Hair Brush	1 Clothes Brush
1 Whisk Broom	1 Women's Handkerchief
1 large Dressing Comb	1 pair Men's Suspenders
1 Pant Hanger	1 Belt Buckle or Pin
1 Dutch Collar Pin	1 Woman's Hand Bag
1 Pillow Cord	1 pair 9-inch Shears
1 30c Broom	

## A Radical Clean-Up Of All Ready-Made Wear

The entire Cloak Room has been "rummaged" and not only Odd Lots, and Broken Lines, but practically all the past season's stock is put in this tremendous price-cutting.

The following goods are all of this Season's purchases, and undoubtedly will clean up quickly at these prices.

Women's high-class Suits, were \$25.00 and \$30.00, now	\$15.00
Women's Suits, \$20.00 kind, now	12.00
Women's Suits, \$15.00 kind, now	8.50
Ten Women's Suits, all new, now to clean up,	5.00

### Skirts at Rummage Sale Prices.

About 30 new \$5.00 Dress Skirts black and fancies, now	\$2.98
About 35 new \$6.00 and \$6.50 Skirts, black, navy and browns, now	3.98
About 20 \$7.50 new Skirts, plain, tailored or satin band trimmings, now	4.98
\$10.00 Skirts now	6.50

### Women's and Children's Coats

25 Short Jackets, were \$6.00 to \$8.50, now	98c
15 36-in Coats all new, now	\$3.50
Big lot of Women's full length Coats in black or fancy cloths, now	1-3 Off
8 black silk Coats, to clean up quick, now	1-2 Price
All Children's light weight Coats, all sizes, now to clean up quick, now	1-3 Off

### Wash Dresses and Suits

All Women's Wash Dresses must be sold, and to do this, and do it during the 10-day sale, we offer them at 1-2 Price. All Wash Suits, only 11 left, 1-2 Price. All Children's light and dark Wash Dresses reduced for this Sale.

### Shirt Waists

All Women's Waists must (and will) be sold now. We've put the prices on them that will do it, too. They will be sold the first day or two of this Sale, sure, at the prices asked. \$4.00, \$3.50 and \$3.00 newest wash Waists, now, \$1.75. \$2.00 Wash Waists, now, .98. About 45 Odd Waists, all new, some Lingerie and some tailored, nearly all sizes, now, choice, .59. Black Taffeta and Messaline Waists, lined and unlined, at 1-4, 1-3 and 1-2 Off, and some at even less.

### Children's Bonnets

All Children's Muslin and Straw Bonnets and Caps at 1-2 Price. It will positively be a saving to buy one of these beautiful caps for next summer.

## Clothing and Furnishing Department

Last final clean-up of the season. All Men's and Boys' Suits at NOTION SALE PRICES.

15 Men's \$20.00 and \$25.00 Suits, broken sizes, and this season's styles, at	1-2 Price
All Men's Suits, all this season's make, at prices that will close them out quick.	
\$22.50 Suits, Notion Sale Price	\$16.50
\$20.00 Suits, Notion Sale Price	15.00
\$18.00 Suits, Notion Sale Price	13.50
Large lot of Men's Suits, mostly sizes 35, 36 and 37, worth \$10.00 to \$18.00, at	\$4.98
Large lot of Boys' straight knee pants, regular 50c to \$1 at	25c
Large lot of Men's Monarch Shirts, all this season's patterns, but broken lots and sizes	75c
Large lot of Men's Cluett Shirts, broken lots, at	\$1.15
One lot of Men's Dress Shirts, all new patterns, regular 50c, 59c and 75c values, at	38c
All Men's Fine Straw Hats at	1-2 Price
All 50c Neckwear at	38c
One lot Men's 50c Neckwear at	25c
One lot Men's 50c Suspenders at	25c

### Groceries at

### "Notion Sale" Prices

We can, and will, save you money on Groceries. Let us "show you."

Best Seeded Raisons, lb.	7c	Arm & Hammer Soda, lb.	5c
Best 7c Japan Rice, lb.	5c	Muzzy's Sun Gloss Starch	5c
Best 5c Broken Rice, lb.	3c	Muzzy's Corn Starch	5c
6 bars Sunny Monday soap, 25c		Best 50c Tea, lb.	38c
6 bars Fels Naptha soap, 25c		3 double sheets Tanglefoot	5c
6 bars Ivory Soap, 25c		Best 25c Coffee in Chelsea	

Try our 17c Coffee. Beautiful dish with four pounds. Better than any 20c coffee on the market.

# H. S. HOLMES MERCANTILE CO.



## TALL GIRLS AGAIN TO RULE

English Fashion Journal Says End of the Domination of the Tall Woman.

Brigades of exceptionally tall girls practically rule hospitality all over the country, declares the English Lady's Pictorial. They need not be pretty or intelligent, for they are expected to do nothing except to be tall.

A tall girl season now means that every hostess must endeavor to produce a predominating impression of tallness at her parties. Tall dinners and tall dances become a social ambition; small men find themselves suddenly useful as an effective means of creating a contrast when semi-American must be entertained.

There is no limit which can be regarded as reasonable when once the craze for tallness commences; yet at the moment when that mysterious facility of the feminine nature tall girls seem to be loosing up in all directions the edict goes forth that their reign is over and the little woman is in the ascendant.

Men would seem to have rather inordinately guarded against fashions in height by becoming almost uniformly of medium stature. The present prediction of smaller men need not be taken seriously; from every point of view moderation in inches has been found satisfactory, now that we never know from one year to another whether a woman is going to be ridiculously small or absurdly tall.

## FIND RARE WORK OF CAXTON.

Discovery in England Will Stir the Hearts of Bibliophiles the World Over.

It is good to know that there are still treasures in the way of books and pictures to be discovered in remote rural places. The latest "find" in England is a splendid Caxton, a unique volume in its original binding of oaken boards leather, with panel and border stamps of monstrous birds, four-deers, bees, thistles, etc. It contains the following works from the Caxton press: "The Mirror of the World," the "Dictes of Sayings of the Philosophers," "Cato on Old Age," "Cicero de Amicitia" and "Cordiale's Memorabilia Novissima"—all in excellent condition. This "Cicero de Amicitia," 1481, has a rare feature in its inclusion of signature D.5 which begins thus: "Here Followeth the Argument of the Declamacyon which laborer to show wherein Honour should beeste." The book was found in an old manor house in the north of England.

## New Folding Umbrella.

A new folding umbrella is so constructed that the ribs and the center rod, being hinged in the middle, will fold to half their length. When folded and slipped into its case it is only 16 inches long and can easily be carried in the overcoat pocket or in a catch. When extended each rib snaps into a clamp which holds it perfectly rigid, and the two sections of the center rod screw together in a firm joint. Only half a minute is required to either set up the umbrella or to fold it. When set up it can be carried open or closed in exactly the same manner and with the same appearance as an ordinary umbrella.—Popular Mechanics.

## The Treaty with Panama.

Under the terms of the treaty which was exchanged between the Republic of Panama and the United States on February 26, 1904, the republic of Panama granted to the United States perpetual use, occupation and control of a strip of land five miles wide on each side of the central line of the route of the Panama canal.

The treaty also conceded to the United States all of the rights, powers, and authority over this strip of land which this country would have if it were the sovereign of that zone.

Under the treaty the canal is to be a neutral waterway.

## It Only Seemed So.

The artist had invited her out for an ice cream soda somewhere and a leisurely walk afterward, so she was putting on her hat, which was of a size somewhat excessive, according to the styles.

"I didn't like that hat at first," he said, as she stuck the long pins in and turned her head to look at the effect, in the hand mirror, "but I do now. It's a hat that grows on you."

"My goodness!" she cried in dismay. "Has it got any larger?"

## Mark of Queen's Thumb.

Miss Buckle, superintendent of queen's nurseries, Brighton, England, narrates a little anecdote illustrative of the intense interest manifested by Queen Victoria in her nurseries. When the uniform was shown to the queen she took the bonnet and remarked: "Don't you think it would look prettier bent down in the middle?" and from that time the nurseries always called that bend "the mark of the queen's thumb."

## Because.

Mother—Why did you permit Mr. Dasher to kiss you in the hall last night?

Daughter—Why, that was the first opportunity he had!—Puck.

## Plattling a Planet.

"He has a mighty strong imagination for a real estate dealer."

"Yes. He'd lay out an allotment on Mars and get husky cracking up the canal privileges."

## ARE TO RACE

ROY KNABENSHUE AND LINCOLN BEACHEY AT MICHIGAN STATE FAIR.

World's Famous Aviators Will Contest for \$5,000 Stakes—No Similar Contest Ever Before Held in the United States.

The Michigan State Fair has arranged for an airship race between Roy Knabenshue, who is known all over the continent for his daring work above the clouds, and Lincoln Beachey, another equally famous aviator, who made successful flights at the Michigan State Fair last fall. This race was brought about in a rather strange manner.

Mr. Beachey happened to be in the city early this week and in a conversation with General Superintendent Doherty the latter casually said:

"Beachey, would you race Roy Knabenshue if the Michigan State Fair offered a purse of \$5,000, \$4,000 to go to the winner and \$1,000 to the loser?"

"Make the offer and see," responded Beachey.

"All right, we'll do it," said Mr. Doherty.

"You can't challenge Knabenshue too quickly for me," replied Beachey. Mr. Doherty immediately wired Knabenshue at Toledo, and the latter responded so quickly that even Mr. Doherty was surprised.

"Tell Beachey I will race him at the Michigan State Fair or around the world, if he wants to," Knabenshue responded.

The latter was then called to Detroit, and after discussing the preliminaries the contract was signed for the most exciting race that has ever been held in the United States.

Other airship races have been planned, but none like that arranged for the Michigan State Fair. Two years ago a race against time was held in St. Louis, but the aviators did not start at the same moment.

The contest between Mr. Knabenshue and Mr. Beachey will be the real thing. The aviators must start side by side from a given point and rush to the eastward, passing over the grandstand to a large tree two miles away, and on the top of which will be erected a large flag. After circling this tree the ships will return, sailing to the westward until the grandstand is reached.

It is agreed that seven heats shall be run, beginning on the afternoon of Sept. 4 and each afternoon thereafter until Sept. 10. The aviator who wins four of these heats will be awarded \$4,000, while the loser will be given \$1,000.

It required considerable tact on the part of Mr. Doherty to arrange details satisfactory to both parties. Mr. Knabenshue at first wanted to use the big ship he sailed so successfully last winter in California. Mr. Beachey objected, because his ship is not of the same dimensions. Mr. Knabenshue finally declared that he would build a new ship similar to that owned by Beachey. That settled all difficulty and the contract was signed for the most exciting race ever held in the United States.

It was stipulated in the agreement with these two aviators that they shall give exhibition flights every forenoon during their races, beginning on Sept. 4.

## RAILROADS AID EXHIBITORS.

Easy Facilities and Direct Home Shipments Are Granted to Cattlemen and Others Who Are Coming to Michigan State Fair.

The Michigan freight committee, representing the different railroads doing business throughout the state, have recommended new rules governing the shipping of exhibits to the Michigan State Fair that will greatly facilitate stock raisers and every one who plan to contest for premiums.

Under the proposed rules exhibitors are allowed to ship to the first fair, paying full charges one way, then to the next fair and receive credit for half the money paid. After he has made his circuit of the fairs, he may ship by the nearest route home, paying only half rates. Heretofore exhibitors have been compelled to pay full rates one way and then return free, providing they returned over the route from whence they started, which was usually inconvenient and consumed considerable extra time. According to the new plan they will pay half fare each way and return home by the nearest route. These proposed rules are due largely to the efforts of I. H. Butterfield, secretary of the Michigan State Fair, who first suggested the plan in an effort to save the delay and expense of exhibitors. The scheme no doubt will largely increase the exhibits at the fair in Detroit, which when it opens on Sept. 2, will be one of the largest of the kind ever held in the State of Michigan.

## FAIR PROSPECTS ENCOURAGING.

Everything Points to the Greatest Exhibition Ever Held in Michigan; Sec'y Butterfield Pleased; Grounds More Beautiful Than Ever.

Secretary Butterfield of the Michigan State Fair, which opens this year on Sept. 2, says that never were the prospects so encouraging as during the present year and he has been connected with the executive department of this institution for the past thirty years. Entries are coming in earlier, and more of them, than any time in his history. Interest in this big fair seems to increase each year and the great difficulty now is to take care of all the exhibits with the present facilities.

The present buildings were completed for years to come, but there is already a lack of buildings.

As in former years a complete catalogue will be issued, containing a list of all the entries, the number, the owners, location, attractions, race program, and in fact everything that anyone would want to know who attends the fair.

## POLICE AND FIREMEN AT FAIR.

Every Precaution Will Be Taken at Michigan's Annual Exhibition to Protect Lives and Property of Everyone Who Visits the Grounds.

The management of the Michigan State Fair, which opens this year on September 2, at Detroit, and continues until September 10, has planned to give the exhibition city every facility for safety. This applies both to police and fire protection. This is as it should be, as thousands and thousands of dollars worth of property are taken to the grounds during the week of the fair. The Detroit police and the sheriff and his deputies have planned this year, as heretofore, to make the exposition as safe from disorderly characters and thugs as is down in Detroit. Gambling will not be permitted and everything that tends to lower the high standard of the fair will be eliminated.

The protection against fire is as complete as any section of Detroit. An engine house with a full equipment of metropolitan fire fighters from the Detroit department will again be constantly on duty during the exposition. With such facilities as these, it is almost impossible for a fire disaster to occur. The Michigan State Fair is practically an organized city and every comfort will be given visitors that can be secured down in Detroit.

## CHILDREN TO SING AT FAIR.

Miss Gertrude Sackett to Lead Chorus Consisting of Sixty Little Folks at Michigan's Annual Exhibition, This Year.

One of the most pleasing features of the coming State Fair is the children's chorus to be arranged by Miss Gertrude Sackett, of Detroit. A contract was closed with Miss Sackett for this pleasing feature at a meeting of the fair officials held the present week. This energetic young woman has arranged to train sixty little girls, ranging from ten years and upwards, so that they can sing without music or words. They will appear all in white in the big grandstand in the grove west of the main building, every day at the noon hour. The children's program is composed of patriotic songs both new and old and some novelties will be interspersed. These children will come from every part of the city, and a few from the suburban towns.

The Ladies' Navassar band will accompany the children in their singing, which will make one of the finest features of this big exhibition. This band will come to Detroit direct from Toronto and besides accompanying the children's chorus, they will play every afternoon and evening. Kopp's band, the big Cincinnati aggregation, will be heard principally in the grandstand during the races, the horse show and the free acts. This is one of the finest musical organizations now appearing before the public, and has made a great success during the past summer.

## LADIES' BAND IS TO PLAY.

Michigan State Fair Engages Two Big Aggregations to Furnish Music at the Coming Fair—Both Bodies Composed of Artists.

Visitors at the Michigan State Fair, which opens this year on September 2, will have the pleasure of enjoying two of the largest and most celebrated bands in the United States. Kopp's aggregation, from Cincinnati, with thirty-five pieces and the Navassar Ladies' band, with forty pieces, have been engaged for the entire exhibition.

Those two musical organizations have reputations all over the country for playing thrilling music with all makes that bring audiences to their feet with a bound. The Navassar Ladies' band will come to Detroit direct from the Toronto exhibition, where they have been engaged to play during the first week of that fair.

Each of these organizations is filled with artists of international fame. The fair management engages these two bands for their educational value as well as for entertainment. Eminent soloists will also sing at various times during the fair, which is an added treat not usually enjoyed at such exhibitions. The Michigan State Fair is really an educational institution, and as such the management is planning to make it the very best, through the means of high class talent and exhibits.

## FAIR WILL PLEASE EVERYONE.

The modern state fair, such as that which will open in Detroit on Sept. 2, and continue until Sept. 10, is not a commercial enterprise nor a money-making scheme, but a place where views can be exchanged and information "swapped." Farmers and others will meet and discuss their common troubles and tell of their success and failures. Men show what they have done and others learn what can be done. A modern fair also promotes industry by giving to all who attend a larger view of the possibilities of life. This is an industrial era and if the farmer, merchant, mechanic and professional man wish to keep pace with the times they must know what is being done in all the avenues of trade, commerce and manufacture. One way to do this is to take part in the annual Michigan State Fair. This institution is planned to educate and incite the producer to higher ideals of perfection. That this is true is evident from what the fair has accomplished all through the state during the many years it has been in existence.

There is also the amusement feature, which cannot be overlooked. There is an immense value of the most practical kind in wholesome recreation and amusements such as those afforded at the Michigan State Fair. Men, women and children must be entertained in some way. The elevating character of fine music is everywhere recognized. Good racing and feats of skill of all kinds are always enjoyed.

The Michigan State Fair has something for everyone. It is for the young and old, the rich and the poor, the gay, rich and the poor—at once an education and an opportunity.

## STATE FAIR'S MIDWAY

GREATEST AGGREGATION OF SHOWS EVER GATHERED FOR EXHIBITION.

Mammoth Hippodrome, Wild West, Flea Circus, Animal Congress, Palace of Illusions, Human Laundry, and Lots of Other Interesting Features.

The Midway at the Michigan State Fair this year will be one of the prettiest attractions to be found anywhere on the grounds. The shows are owned and managed by Frank Spellman, of Cincinnati, a well-known amusement man. The midway court this year will be in the shape of a hollow square. The front will be one solid section and entrances to the different attractions have the appearance of theater doors. Everything about the scheme is elaborate, even to the illumination. The apparatus used for this was secured from the city of Cincinnati and used to illuminate Fountain Square in that city during the recent Turner convention. It consists of thousands of lights radiating from a common center, that make the Midway court as brilliant as day. The following are some of the attractions that will be seen on the fair Midway:

Hippodrome and Wild West—Show contains riding, cowboy scenes, breaking wild and tame horses, trick riding, broncho busting, and in fact all big scenes as seen by the leading Wild West Shows, carrying a company of 30 people and 12 head of horses.

The Spellman Show.—The most unique and pretentious show ever produced in the way of equipment; built at a cost of \$1,500 for equipment. This is a new idea in the way of an open front and contains four platform shows combined into one show, and one price of admission is charged to all four shows, namely 10c. It is called "Congress of World's Novelties" and includes the two fattest women in the world, also the two smallest midgets in the world, a three-legged boy and one other clean freak as yet to be secured.

European Wild Animal Congress.—Largest and best wild animal show, with no superior, containing lions, tigers, leopards, and an array of the world's greatest and best animal trainers—ten in number. This is the finest and best-equipped wild animal congress today in America with no exception.

The Whirlwind.—A new show—never seen before 1909. Composed of unusual and wholesome amusement devices, including dippy walks, moving stairways, dark passages, and also the human roulette wheel. Size of show, 40 feet by 20 feet.

The Human Laundry.—A new mechanical amusement device—interior in darkness, comprising wringers, wash-tubs, bamboo slides, movable staircases, flying walks, win blowers, the canvass walk, etc. This show has been the biggest money-maker at all the leading amusement parks throughout the country.

The Devil in Art.—A new departure in the line of Girl Shows, being taken from the famous Marceau's Living Picture craze, using ten ladies, carrying a gold frame for interior exhibition and using the latest electrical and cloud effects in behind the pictures, making it one of the most entertaining shows that can be produced.

The Palace of Illusions.—Consists of one large pebble illusion, "Spider and Fly" illusion, "Herod's Daughter" illusion, the "Vanishing Boy" illusion, and the "Queen of Roses" illusion. Midget City.—This is a miniature of a small city and embraces the world's smallest people, using nothing in same but small miniature equipment and four small midgets, who give an entertainment and various performances. Interior is handsomely equipped in every detail.

The Whirlpool.—A new amusement device used for the first time in 1909 and being constructed by the Chester Park Amusement Co., Cincinnati, O. Comprises a set of large rollers, large staircases that close up and down. A show that will please the most fastidious.

Determination.—A remarkable performance given by a person who has neither arms nor legs.

Tinyte, the Smallest Horse in all the World.—Tinyte is seven years old, weighs 31 pounds, is 18 inches high, and has the most beautiful equipment ever introduced with a show of this caliber. A show that particularly appeals to ladies and children.

The Nut College.—A series of new devices, including the slide-out stairway, and underground grottoes, electric walks. The interior is composed of passages with rattle obstructions, buzzers, bells, air blasts, etc., all which create laughter and amusement.

Cremation.—An electrical spectacular show, picturing birth and then the death by cremation, with varied electrical effects, making a very fine finished performance.

The Limit.—A new fast and furious show, filled with laughter from start to finish, comprising the revolving swing, the house upset down, the movable and collapsible floors, and a solid interior of amusement from the start to the finish.

Dreamland.—A new spectacular stunt written around the "Feast and Furies" show and comprised of spectacles, embracing the service of twelve people in the Birdland ballet. An entire new show in every detail.

The Eruption.—A graphic description of the late holocaust, showing the volcano at its height, being preceded by a series of poses plastique.

The state-fair buildings are now undergoing a thorough renovation for the opening. When the exhibition starts on Sept. 2 everything will be in fine condition. The grounds never looked better. The nursery firms have an enormous line of shrubs and flowers that will be in full bloom during the exposition and make the grounds more attractive than ever. These plants were started early in the season and after much labor have been brought to perfection. With the flower beds and foliage plants maintained by the State Fair itself, the grounds are made to appear like a great city park.

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**2 Big Bands 2**  
The Navassar Ladies' and Kopp's Cincinnati bands are engaged to play during the fair. They are two of the finest organizations of the kind in the country.

**Sacred Concert Sunday**  
Navassar Ladies' and Kopp's Cincinnati Bands will give a Sacred Concert in the State Fair Grand Stand Sunday, September 5th, afternoon and evening.

Visit the Michigan State Fair during your vacation—it will revive and give you something to think about—come

**GENERAL HORSE RACES**  
September 6 to 10—Thousands of dollars in prizes are offered and owners of fast horses from all over the country have made their entries.

**CHILDREN'S DAY**  
—FREE—A special program has been arranged for September 7th, consisting of games and contests at which prizes will be offered. Children under 12 admitted free Sept. 7.

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Gregory Fireworks Co., Chicago, will produce this display, beginning Saturday evening, September 4, and continue for five nights, every thing new and imported for the occasion.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

A. Steger spent Tuesday in Jackson. C. Lehman spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Wm. Caspary spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Harry Taylor spent Wednesday in Detroit.

A. H. Schumacher was in Jackson Tuesday.

H. H. Fenn is in Detroit today on business.

Lloyd Gifford, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Mabel Olds is spending this week at Cavanaugh Lake.

Mrs. E. E. Weber, of Grass Lake was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Hollis is spending several weeks with relatives in Cleveland.

Miss Mary Pelton spent several days of this week with Howell relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doll are spending this week out of town relatives.

Mrs. Anna Lorenger, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Chandler Rogers, is spending his vacation with his mother at this place.

Henry Shieferstein, of Pottsville spent several days of the past week here.

Miss Phyllis Monroe is visiting relatives in Detroit and Bay City this week.

Ralph Stone, secretary of the Detroit Trust Co., is a Chelsea visitor today.

Misses Irene Collins and Lulu Tyler, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Paur, of Battle Creek are guests at the home of Mrs. L. L. Glover.

Miss Jennie Walker spent several days of the past week with Ann Arbor friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall visited friends in Pinckney, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McClain were Battle Creek visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Helene and Emilie Steinbach attended a party in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Downer and children are spending this week at Paw Paw.

Jas. F. Corey, of Detroit is spending this week at the home of his mother here.

Mrs. Samuel Guerin visited her daughter, Mrs. Chris. Bauer, at Albion, the past week.

Miss Ruth Wall, of Cadillac, spent the past week with her cousin, Miss Henrietta Hepfer.

Mrs. J. S. Gorman and daughter, Agnes, were the guests of Detroit friends Wednesday.

Geo. Speer, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Speer.

Scott Shell, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren returned home Friday from a two weeks outing at Wolf Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Schoenhals, of Hamburg, spent the first of the week with his brother here.

Mrs. D. H. Glass and daughter, Elizabeth, returned Friday from their trip through the west.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lake, of Ithaca, spent Sunday at the home of H. R. Schoenhals and family.

Mrs. John Hummel and daughter, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting relatives in Chelsea and vicinity.

Mrs. Blanche Davis, of Bronson, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole.

Miss Mabel McDonaugh, of Fowlerville, is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Courtney Fenn.

Mrs. P. J. Lehman and children, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lehman this week.

Mrs. Ballou, of Owosso, is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ortwin Schmidt, of Sylvan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Watson and children, of Detroit, are spending this week with Chelsea relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Webster, of Florence, Ont., are spending this week at Crooked Lake at the summer home of their son, J. G. Webster.

Boy Thompson, of Dayton, Ohio, spent several days of the past week at the home of his mother here.

Mrs. Wm. Selfe and granddaughter, Ella Samp, attended the Harper reunion at Wolf lake last Thursday.

Mrs. R. W. Brewer, of Cleveland, is spending a few weeks with her parent, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Chittenden.

Mrs. John Spiegelberg and children, of Lima, spent the past week at the home of J. J. Schaefele and family, in Flint.

Mrs. E. Huntington and Miss Adeline Huntington, of Jackson, were the guests of Miss Charlotte Steinbach last Friday.

Miss Edna Treat, of Napoleon, who has been spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Selfe, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Philip Steger, of Cedarburg, Wis., returned to her home Tuesday after spending several weeks with relatives here.

H. Armstrong, of Waukesha, Wis., is a guest at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Armstrong, at Cavanaugh Lake.

Mrs. C. W. Root and son, Sipley, of Dallas, Texas, spent several days of the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hepfer.

**BRILLIANT FIRE WORKS DISPLAY**

To Be One of the Features of the Coming State Fair.

The management of the Michigan State fair this year has arranged for one of the most gorgeous displays of fireworks that has ever been witnessed at any similar exhibition. The Gregory Fireworks company of Chicago, which is one of the largest concerns of the kind in the world, has been secured to give an exhibition that for brilliancy and startling effects, has never before been seen.

The fireworks will start Saturday evening, September 4, and continue five nights, September 6, 7, 8 and 9, discontinuing of course on Sunday night, and the last night of the fair.

The horse show, which will also be given in front of the grand stand, will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock and continue until 8:30. Then the fireworks will immediately begin, the display lasting until 9:30, giving everyone ample time to reach home early. The Gregory Fireworks company will prepare a program from high-class material that is something different from that ever seen before. The program will be filled with startling things that thrill from the opening of the program, when a salute of aerial guns are fired, until the close with the goodnight peal.

Among the features will be the grand illumination, when the entire surroundings are brilliantly illuminated with tri-colored Bengal lights, changing from red to white to blue. Two monster fire balloons will follow carrying trails of variegated colored stars. Figure balloons will then ascend showing the star spangled banner in the sky, air ship, flying fish, pigs, elephants, foxy grandpa, etc. Then will be exploded numerous bombs and rockets reaching an altitude of five thousand feet.

The "Merry Acrobat" is a humorous piece of mechanical construction showing in outlines of fire, a most realistic production of an acrobat performing many interesting and amusing feats on the horizontal bar. This wonderful creation cannot fail to produce roads of laughter.

The flight of peacock plumed rockets produces a most startling effect, a gorgeous veil of feathery plumes embellished with emerald comets, spreading out through the air.

The "Sultan's Fan" is one of the most novel and bewildering pieces of pyrotechnic displays. When first displayed a beautiful pillar of tri-colored fire is seen, which finally opens into a fan that, when ablaze, has a spread of thirty feet.

The "Golden Sunset" is a mammoth wheel of fire, twenty-five feet in diameter, the acme of twentieth century creation. This piece when ablaze has a circumference of over one hundred feet.

The "Grondela" is another startling effect. This device is manufactured in Europe and especially imported by this concern. After making a long flight and descending nearly to the ground, a second flight is made, resulting in thrilling effects.

Niagara Falls in fire would seem difficult to produce, but it is really accomplished by this concern. The piece is forty feet in length and when in operation has all the appearance and sound of the mighty cataract itself. The molten fire, reaching to the ground, rebounds with a splash of silvery mist, creating an inspiring effect.

Added to this great display, there are scores of other beautiful pieces that will add to the general fascination. Rockets and bombs are exploded at the most opportune time to produce startling effects.

These beautiful things in fire are all produced by a skill crew of men, who have been so long in the business that a hitch never occurs to spoil the pleasure of the evening. This exhibition alone will be well worth a trip to Detroit, and is expected to be one of the leading attractions at the big fair.

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### NORTH LAKE NEWS.

Miss Grace Hudson was here on business Monday morning.

Fred Hadley is visiting friends in Canada for a few days.

Mr. Sullivan was in this neighborhood Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ruth and Blanche Lewick made a call here Wednesday evening.

Mrs. E. W. Daniels and son Charles, are visiting relatives in Perry this week.

Mrs. John Witty, who has been away from here since April, has returned home.

Monday about noon there was a much needed shower here, catching many fields of oats out.

Mr. Crane, who spent a few days of the past week with friends here, has returned to his home in Howell.

Mrs. E. C. Glenn and her two daughters, of Detroit, were at the Riverside farm for a few days the past week.

Webb McNeil is back from the summer school at Ypsilanti, and will soon go to the northern part of the state to teach school.

Miss Prudden, of Chelsea, spent a short time with Miss Gladys Hawley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burkhardt, recently.

Harry Singleton and family, E. L. Glenn and family, Miss Beatrice Cobb and Miss Frazer, all of Stockbridge, spent last week in the grove here.

The North Lake Band received hearty cheers for their splendid performance at the Catholic picnic in Pinckney. They are a drawing card wherever they go to play.

The Merricourt papers, tells of Walter Webb's expecting 25,000 bushels of wheat this year. Heatley and Collings are helping him, with a prospect of eight weeks work.

E. Cooke has threshed the banner crop of wheat for this section. It went forty-one and a fraction bushels per acre, machine measure, which is said to over-run. The land can be measured and Ernest has the wheat already measured.

## SHARON NEWS.

Max Irwin raised his barn Tuesday.

Mrs. McIntyre, of Howell, is a guest at the home of Wm. Alber.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Zorn, of Detroit, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gilhouse.

Miss Yetta Traub and Jacob Maurer, of Manchester, were the guests of Miss Matilda Schaible, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lehman and son, Carl, attended the dedication of Zion church, at Roger's Corners, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Cooper, of Detroit, and A. G. Cooper and family spent Sunday in Iron Creek at the home of Harry Wood.

J. W. Dresselhouse had the misfortune to step off backward from the separator while threshing at Heschelwerdt Bros., injuring his back quite severely.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Green, of Manchester, and Prof. and Mrs. Albert Dorr, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, were guests at the home of Henry O'Neil the last of the past week.

The North Sharon Sunday school were invited by the Grass Lake Sunday school to unite with them in a picnic at Wolf Lake Friday, August 13. A number from here attended and report an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schaible, of Freedom, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bruestle, of Manchester, spent Sunday at the home of Fred Bruestle, and attended the installation of Rev. O. Laubengayer at the Lutheran church.

Rev. Laubengayer delivered an eloquent sermon.

## WATERLOO DOINGS.

Miss Julia Leek, of Milford, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Orville Gorton.

Miss Bessie Collins, of Jackson, was a guest at the home of D. N. Collins Sunday.

Benjamin Johnson, of Jackson, is painting the residence of George Beeman.

Mrs. Jennie Donelson, of Port Huron, is spending the week at the home of W. J. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Westfall, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday at the home of W. J. Barber.

Miss Georgiana Canfield, of Jackson, is spending this week with Miss Mabelle Rowe.

Miss Gene Munro, of Lansing, is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. D. N. Collins.

Rev. C. C. Flashman gave a lecture on Indian life in the 2d U. B. church Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hagan and family, of Jackson, were guests at the home of George Beeman Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey Hubbard and children will return to Detroit this week, after spending the summer with relatives here.

## HAPPENING AT 'POSSUM TROT

Old Lem Harkins Tells of Little Flurry Between Himself and the "Hightows."

Opie Read told this one not long ago:

"Old Lem Harkins of 'Possum Trot had come into the county judge's office. The judge said:

"Why, hello, Lem."

"Howdy, judge."

"Anything going on over at 'Possum Trot?"

"Nuthin' wuth dividin'."

"That so?"

"Yeh, nuthin' wuth dividin'." Then, after a pause: "Me an' them Hightows ain't been gittin' along right good fer a spell."

"No?"

"Nah, not right good." After another long, expectation-punctured pause, the old man leisurely continued: "Tothel night about chicken-roostin' time I was a-settin' in th' house a-readin' uv my Bible when I heahs some shootin' outside. The ol' woman was out thah a-feedin' th' chickens. I ain't paid no 'tention' th' thah shootin'. Putty soon th' ol' woman comes in, lookin' kind o' pale an' nahoous."

"What's th' matteh, ol' woman?" I says.

"A lot o' them Hightows is out thah a-shootin' at me," she says.

"Now, I don't like thah, judge, shootin' 'round about my house an' skeerin' up all them chickens when they orto be a-goin' t' roast, an' maybe killin' a calf-critter or somethin'." So I lays down my Bible an' I goes ovah in th' cohen an' picks up my Winchester an' I looks out th' windeh.

Thah stands five o' them Hightows outside my fence, with their guns. I jes' draps a few bullets amongst 'em an' goes back t' my readin'.

"Next mornin' I goes out an' looks whah them five Hightows had been a-standin' an' they was all gone but fo'."—Chicago News.

## SOUGHT SHELTER FROM RAIN

Butterfly's Umbrella the Leaf of a Balm of Gilead Tree, Under Which He Clung.

He was only a butterfly, one of those beautiful, large, bluish-black ones that we so often see about the garden, but he knew enough to get in out of the wet.

It was during one of the heavy showers that so frequently, in the hot days of midsummer, come suddenly upon us, driving every one to the nearest cover. To escape the downpour, which means great injury if not destruction, to so delicate a creature, he quickly flew to a nearby balm of gilead tree, where, alighting on the under side of a large leaf, he clung with wings closely drawn together and hanging straight downward, using the big leaf as an umbrella to shield him from the great drops falling all round. High and dry, here he remained until the shower had passed, and the blue sky and warm sun called him once again to his favorite haunts.—From "Nature and Science," in St. Nicholas.

**Brussels' Domestic Problem.**

A Brussels merchant advertised for a servant. One applicant pleased him. The terms and the outings were arranged when the girl asked: "Who washes the dishes?" Taken aback, the merchant asked her to repeat her question. The girl did so without turning a hair. "Madame washes the dishes and I dry them," replied the merchant. "Can you play the piano?" he asked. "No," was the reply. "Then I am afraid you will not do," said the merchant. The girl retired with a dignified air. With a politeness which is described as exquisite, she turned, according to the Throne and Country, to the merchant and said: "To-morrow I shall take lessons at the conservatoire, and as soon as I begin to make progress I will call again!" This story is certified as authentic.

**Oranges.**

Oranges are growing rapidly in favor and are coming to be an all-the-year-round accompaniment of the breakfast table. The extent to which the business is growing is shown by the report that one railroad during April carried out of southern California 3,984 carloads of the fruit, destined for the eastern markets. This represented 268,000,000 oranges, valued at \$4,000,000. Florida used to hold the palm for orange culture, and still is a good second to California. But the figures carry their own suggestive-ness of the importance which citrus fruits hold among the manifold agricultural products of the country. And oranges are mightily healthful as food.

**Dock for Brazilian Dreadnoughts.**

The government of Brazil has called for bids for the construction of a great floating drydock to accommodate war and merchant vessels, and especially the new battleships of the Dreadnought type now being constructed in England for the Brazilian navy. The dock, which is to be built at Rio de Janeiro, is to have a length of 543 feet and a width of 83 feet.

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## QUITE DIFFERENT.



Howe—You must have seen this day before, haven't you? Wise—Yes; but it didn't look the same; the woman in front of me had a different kind of hat.

## Flying Machines as Scouts in War.

A Wright flying machine in order to escape attack can shoot upward at a pretty sharp angle and be out of range in a few seconds. A shrapnel might explode fairly into the planes without disabling them or injuring the operator. As a target it is small and swift, difficult as a bird in flight to the sportsman with a rifle. An army may have aeroplanes by flotillas as the navy has torpedo boats, hoping that some will return from any fight. Though they may do little killing, they can see what the enemy is doing—and this one factor means in all the work of an army staff as radical a change as to eliminate the post office from the functions of government by the substitution of thought transference.—Frederick Palmer, in Collier's.

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## LOCAL ITEMS.

Dr. A. L. Steger was in Ann Arbor Tuesday on business.

Ray McCormick moved his household goods to Detroit Friday.

Dr. G. W. Palmer has purchased the Charles Canfield farm in Lyndon.

Born, Monday, August 16, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nemethy, a daughter.

John Wise is the captain of a fine new wagon that he is using on his milk route.

The next regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, August 26th.

Miss Elsa Maroney has accepted a position as clerk with the H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

The Michigan Central is having all the buildings in their yards in Chelsea painted.

Born, Saturday, August 7, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Page, of Pontiac, a daughter.

Mrs. Wm. Doll is giving a tea this afternoon in honor of Miss Nellie Vincent, of Flat Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams, of Gregory, spent Saturday and Sunday with Elmer Beach and family.

Cone Lighthall, has made arrangements to have a residence built on his property on Dewey avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schnaitman and family, of Detroit, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wood this week.

H. R. Schoenhals and family attended the Schoenhals reunion at Crooked Lake, near Howell, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Marriott moved their household goods to Detroit the first of the week, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Houchen and daughter, and Miss Nellie Houchen, of Homer, spent several days of this week with Mrs. Amelia Hieber.

The automobile ride to Plymouth Wednesday by the Chelsea ball club was too much for the boys, and they lost the game by a score of 7 to 2.

Drs. Bush & Chase have dissolved partnership and Dr. Bush will continue the offices in the Freeman block. Dr. Chase will give up practice for a time.

There will be a meeting of Eureka Grange, No. 2, at the Lyndon town hall, Friday evening, August 20, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Miss Anna, Margaret and Lena Miller will leave next Monday for Buffalo and Cleveland, where they will make their selections of fall millinery goods.

The Methodist Sunday school is having its annual picnic at North Lake today. They have joined with the North Lake Sunday school in the observance of the day.

The Ladies' Aid Society and the Young People's Society of St. Paul's church gave a farewell reception to Mrs. A. K. Marriott, at the Chelsea House Tuesday evening.

Manager W. S. McLaren of the Sylvan theater has the new scenery all placed in position, and announces that he has several fine attractions booked for the coming season.

The boiler of a Pere Marquette engine blew up near Grand Ledge at an early hour this morning and killed the engineer and fireman, and derailed several coaches, injuring many of the passengers.

Miss Tressa Winters, who has been in the employ of the H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. for the last fifteen years, has severed her connection with the firm and accepted a similar one with the J. L. Hudson Company, of Detroit. Miss Winters began work in her new situation Monday.

Howard Everett and daughters, Susie and Esther, of Sharon, left Wednesday for Lansing, where they will visit several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gay. Today Mr. Everett and daughter Susie are attending the Skidmore family reunion which is being held at Alto, Kent county.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wurster on Tuesday afternoon gave a house party at their home on McKinley street, to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Raymond and daughter, and Miss Lila Smith, of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. John Schlee and son, of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crafts and Mrs. Esther Crafts, of Grass Lake.

The front of the Chelsea Steam Laundry has been repainted.

John Kelly is having his residence on west Middle street painted.

Lewis Yager, Jr., of Lima, is having an ice house built on his farm.

Mrs. J. F. McMillen, of Lima, is spending part of this week in Detroit.

LaRue Shaver has accepted a position as a barber with his uncle, Frank Shaver.

J. O'Mara, of Utica, has moved into the Frank Leach residence on Chandler street.

There will be a regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week.

Emanuel Bahumiller is having an addition built to his residence on east Middle street.

John Wise has moved into the Wagner house on the corner of Middle and Hayes street.

Geo. Webb, of North Lake is having a large barrel cement water tank built on his farm.

W. P. Schenk & Company had the front of their store building painted the first of the week.

F. Hammond was in Ypsilanti Saturday, where he took the examination for rural mail carriers.

Harold Pierce was at Island Lake, near Brighton, where he supplied the music for two large dances Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. F. M. Lillibridge, of Detroit, was a guest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McMillen, of Lima.

C. C. Lane, a veterinary surgeon, will open an office in Martin's livery barn next week, where he can be found night or day.

Miss Edith Westcott, of Somerset Center, who has been spending the past week with Chelsea relatives, will return to her home Friday.

The North Lake Band, instead of the Chelsea Band will furnish music at the Farmers' picnic at Whitmore Lake, on Saturday, August 28.

Mrs. Jacob Lamb, of Pontiac, and Mrs. Anna Taylor, of New York, spent Monday and Tuesday with Chelsea and Sylvan relatives and friends.

Born, Sunday, August 8, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nickerson, of Pontiac, a daughter. Mr. Nickerson was a former resident of Chelsea.

Simon Weber, of Sylvan, is growing 12 acres of cucumbers for a well known seed house, that are reported as being the best in this part of Washtenaw county.

John F. Keys, general passenger agent and A. D. B. VanZandt, publicity agent of the D., J. & C. were in Chelsea Wednesday in the interest of the company.

Mrs. Margaret Hindelang and children, of Ypsilanti, former residents of Chelsea, have moved to Detroit where Mrs. Hindelang has secured a position in the public schools.

Superintendent Hendry and family have moved their household goods into the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gallup on the corner of Park and Madison streets.

W. P. Schenk & Company have had their store building connected up with the village water works. They also have had a toilet room fitted up on the second floor of the store.

The Standard has had a number of inquiries during the past week in regard to the shutting off of the chimneys in the large clock in the tower of the Chelsea Stove & Manufacturing Co.

Dr. W. S. Hamilton, who has been suffering from the effects of a stroke of paralysis for several weeks, and who is now at the hospital in Jackson for treatment, is reported to be slowly failing.

A number from this place are attending the Purchase and Bird families reunion at Detroit today. This gathering is an annual affair, and this year the families have chartered a boat and are spending the day on the Detroit river.

While John Maier was trimming the electric light at the intersection of South and Garfield streets, this morning a large automobile came down the street and failed to turn out for the low hanging wires and the top was stripped from the machine. Luckily no one was injured.

R. B. Waltrous began harvesting his onion crop Tuesday. The yield this year is about 30 per cent of the usual crop, and the onions are about one-half the size of former seasons. Reports from Indiana, which is the second largest onion producing state, gives the yield as 40 per cent of the usual yield.

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# AMERICAN GIRL WHO MAY SHARE A ROYAL THRONE

Though Remote, It Is Not Beyond the Bounds of Possibility That Miss Anita Stewart, Who Is to Marry Prince Miguel of Braganza, Will at Some Time Receive the Homage of the Portuguese as Their Queen

NEW YORK.—Princesses we have, one or two; and duchesses, quite a few. Marchionesses and baronesses there are by the score, too, and any quantity of matrons who enjoy the proud distinction of being Lady This or the Countess That.

But now we're going to marry royalty; an American girl is to make an alliance with a prince of the blood royal. Miss Anita Stewart of New York, daughter of William Rhinelander Stewart, and stepdaughter of the late James Henry Smith, multi-millionaire, is soon to become the bride of Prince Miguel of Braganza, eldest son of Dom Miguel of Braganza, pretender to the throne of Portugal.

This is not the gossip of club or boudoir, this royal romance. Nor is it announced in the regulation American way—by the mother of the bride-to-be. It has been done as royalty does it. The Austrian embassy in London, in which city Miss Stewart has spent the season, gives formal authority to the statement, just as all embassies do when there is a marriage in their reigning house.

Instead of the bride's family making the pleasant news known, the royal fashion is for the embassy of the family of the bridegroom to make the announcement. The person chosen to speak on this occasion was the Archduchess Maria Theresa, Prince Miguel's aunt. She gave a luncheon at the embassy and there issued the formal statement. Afterward Mrs. Smith, the mother of Miss Stewart, confirmed it.

"Could she ever be queen?" was the question that instantly arose everywhere. For Prince Miguel's family is not now reigning, though it would like to be, and the bride's friends instantly began speculating on its chances for restoration to the throne it claims as belonging to it by right.

American Millions in Scale. Would it be a morganatic marriage? Would the pretender ever gain the throne of Portugal, for which he has been plotting for years and years? If he died, would the son have the nerve to plot as his father has ever plotted? Is the present reigning house of Portugal so secure on its foundations? And what effect would American millions have if thrown into the balance on the side of the house of Braganza? These were the questions that Europe and America began asking.

"The pretender is always ready!" answered those who know best the intrigue and diplomacy of Europe. Unrest rules in Portugal to-day. It

younger son, Manuel, five men suddenly appeared in their path. A rifle popped, and then another and another. The gendarmes sprang to the rescue. The queen threw herself in front of the bullets. When the five regicides were killed it was too late. King Carlos and the crown prince were dead. Manuel was slightly wounded. To-day he is king.

Emperor Puts End to Plots. But the unrest continues. Dom Miguel is plotting, always plotting. Finally things came to such a pass that the venerable emperor of Austria, Francis Joseph, interfered. He sent for the pretender and told him bluntly that he would have to get out of Austria or stop his scheming for the Portuguese throne, at least within the confines of Austria-Hungary. This made it rather embarrassing for Dom Miguel, because he dwelt at his chateau of Siebenstein, in Lower Austria, and was colonel of an Austrian regiment.

"You and your whole family," said the aged monarch, emphatically, "will be put across the Austrian frontier if you attempt to conspire here for the throne of Portugal."

The emperor never liked Dom Miguel, particularly so after that distressing affair at Meyerling, which has never been explained, when the Crown Prince Rudolph and Baroness Vetsera were found dead. Dom Miguel was Rudolph's companion on that fateful night.

Never again did Dom Miguel appear at court in Vienna. But that didn't keep him from plotting for the throne. His six sisters, all married to wealthy royalties, kept drawing freely on their fortunes to aid him in his ambitions. All the family are loyal to each other, no matter what circumstances arise—it would mean much to them all to have a brother as king of Portugal.

"We would beggar ourselves to put Miguel on the throne where he belongs!" is the slogan of the family, and they firmly believe, as he does, that the mass of the Portuguese want him as king.

But of his son and Miss Stewart? Ah, that's the pleasant side of the story! Marriage Seemed Auspicious. When the beautiful Miss Annie M. Armstrong of Baltimore married William Rhinelander Stewart of New York in 1879 a brilliant future was predicted for her. Her husband had money, brains and a fine pedigree, advantages not always found in combination. She had charm, tact, ambition. Two children were born, William Rhinelander Stewart, Jr., and Anita.

that she had begun proceedings for divorce. Judicial Separation Made. This was granted on August 24, 1906, the guardianship of the daughter going to the mother. Mr. Stewart kept more to himself than ever, but Mrs. Stewart started straight for Europe. There in Scotland, on the September 13 following, she was married to Mr. Smith. They started around the world on their honeymoon, taking Miss Stewart and a party of friends with them, but the pleasure trip was cut short at Klotu, Japan, by the death of Mr. Smith, on March 28, 1907.

In his will it was found that Mr. Smith had left his widow \$3,000,000, and his stepdaughter, Miss Stewart, a life interest in \$400,000 invested in the bonds of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company.

So, if Mrs. Smith leaves her \$3,000,000, or any large part of it, to her daughter, at least some of the Smith millions will go back to Europe, whence they came to "Silent" Smith, as he was called. The bulk of them is booked to stay here, however. The chief legatees of the \$21,000,000 estate are two nephews, William Smith Mason and George Grant Mason, who got \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000 respectively.

Mrs. Smith and her daughter soon went abroad and stayed there, returning to New York only for brief periods. This summer, however, the widow lightened her mourning for the London season and took the mansion belonging to the duchess of Somerset, in Grosvenor square. There she began to entertain beautifully for her daughter. Lady Cooper, her sister-in-law, sister of Mr. Smith, and Mrs. A. J. Drexel, her sister, also lent their aid, and Miss Stewart has now become one of the premiere belles of London, thanks to money and tact, to say nothing of her own charm of manner and her fresh, girlish beauty.

Miss Stewart Meets the Prince. Before this year's London triumph Miss Stewart had met the prince. They were introduced in Paris last April, where Prince Miguel at once was attracted to the winsome American heiress. When the London season opened he followed her there. He was at her side at every opportunity; it was plain that royalty was smitten.

Pretty much all London society had an inkling of what was to come when Mrs. Stewart gave her final big affair of the waning season on July 8. The scene of the house of Braganza was in close attendance upon the daughter of the hostess throughout the evening. Mrs. Stewart, in turn, took pains to treat the prince as a specially distinguished guest. The gossips therefore came to the conclusion that there was an international alliance in the air. Mrs. Smith, who has been called the most patrician-looking woman in New York, never looked more so. She

was in black, accentuated by a superb rope of pearls, and the young daughter wore filmy pink chiffon over cloth of silver. Altogether the entertainment was a very smart affair, and it much impressed the noticeable number of Austrians who were present.

Next day came the announcement from the Austrian embassy. Just as soon as trunks could be packed and travel accommodations arranged, Mrs. Smith and Miss Stewart, with a retinue of servants and a vanload of baggage, started for Austria. There conferences are now on with representatives of the Braganzas arranging those little details which are always so necessary in a foreign alliance, especially when one of the contracting parties has a title to bestow.

As Prince Miguel is heir to the ducal title and the appellation of "your royal highness," so will his wife eventually

be "your royal highness." And all her family connections will be either "your royal highness," too, or "your grace."

Prince Hero of Many Romances. Similarly, too, the dashing prince's name has been mentioned before in alliances with the daughters of America. As a joke some of his European friends used to call him "the perpetual fiancé." Pressed by creditors—the house of Braganza is not rich, though royal—it was said that he had asserted that he was to marry Mrs. Samuel Sloan Chauncey of Brooklyn, a millionaire and a widow. Next Miss Mary Pullman of Chicago was reported as about to become his bride. Then only this past winter he was engaged to "Miss M. Vanderbilt of New York."

There is no such person in New York society. The present pretender, Dom Miguel, was born in Austria on 1853. His father was John VI., king of Portugal from 1826 to 1834, when he was deposed and the present reigning house set on the throne. Dom Miguel's son, the prince, whose full name is Miguel Maximilian Sebastian Marie, was born at Relcheau, Lower Austria, on September 22, 1878. His mother was the Princess Elizabeth of Thurn and Taxis. There is a younger brother, Francis Joseph, born in 1879.

All the matches made by the Braganzas have been royal ones. One of the prince's aunts is the wife of Charles Louis, archduke of Austria; another married Prince Alphonse, the brother of old Don Carlos; his sister married her cousin, the prince of Thurn and Taxis. Other alliances are with the royal house of Bavaria and the grand ducal houses of Parma, Luxembourg and Austria. Miss Stewart's fiancé is not only the grandson of a king and a long line of sovereigns from the days of Alphonse I., in the fourteenth century, but he is related or connected by marriage with nearly all the crowned heads of continental Europe.

That the two will make a princely looking pair must not be gainsaid. Miss Stewart's beauty has already taken London by storm. She is tall, slender, svelte. She has the daintiest of rose pink complexions, a wealth of fluffy light brown hair and a little tilted nose. The prince is dashing, mustached, erect of carriage, with flaxen hair, blue eyes and fine, well-molded head.

And how could his bride be queen? Just this way: If Manuel II. and his uncle, the duke of Oporto, neither of whom is married, should die, and if the people of Portugal should repudiate the renunciation of the prince's grandfather, they would elect the prince, now Dom Miguel, the pretender, it would be—"your majesty!" the first American queen! A lot of "ifs." But stranger things have happened!

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## TROUBLE IN ROYAL PALACE

Findings Born by Amateur Actor Suicidal to Lead Hearers to Expect the Worst.

The Shakespeare club of New Orleans used to give amateur theatrical performances that were distinguished for the local prominence of the actors. Once a social celebrity, with a gorgeous costume, as one of the lords in waiting had only four words to say: "The queen has swooned." As he stepped forward his friends applauded vociferously. Bowing his thanks, he faced the king and said, in a high-pitched voice: "The swoon has quailed."

There was a roar of laughter; but he waited patiently, and made another attempt: "The swoon has quailed."

Again the walls trembled and the stage manager said in a voice which could be heard all over the house: "Come off, you dogged fool."

The ambitious amateur refused to surrender, and in a rasping falsetto, as he was assisted off the stage, he screamed: "The coon has swooned."—Success Magazine.

Had Strange Idea of Fun. Two strangers alighting from a train were injured in Washington, Pa., in a panic which ensued when a large brindle dog ran through the streets with flecks of foam flying from his wide-open mouth. The canine made its appearance in a residence section of town, and pursued by a howling mob, hurling stones and clubs, ran clear through the business section. As it passed the station, where a train was pulling in, two men stepping from a car were caught in the mad whirl and hurled to the ground and trampled. As soon as they could escape the men again boarded the train. The dog was pursued by the mob two miles, when it took refuge under a porch. George Eagleson secured a long pole and went after it, and it was not long until he discovered that the supposed mad dog was merely a harmless brute which had been lathered about the mouth with soap suds. The perpetrators of the practical joke have so far escaped.

A Realist. "I am a great believer in realism," remarked the poet. "Yes?" we queried with a rising inflection, thereby giving him the desired opening.

"I sometimes carry my ideas of realism to a ridiculous extreme," continued the poet. "Indeed!" we exclaimed inlanely, somewhat impatient to reach the point of his witticism.

"Yes," continued the poet, "the other day I wrote a sonnet to the gas company and purposely made the meter defective."

At this point we faintly. He Needed It. This happened on the Lake Shore flyer not long ago. A man rushed in from the car behind, evidently in great agitation, and said: "Has anybody in the car any whisky? A woman in the car behind has fainted." Instantly dozens of flasks were produced. The man who had asked for it picked out the largest one, drew the cork and put the bottle to his lips. With a long, satisfied sigh, he handed it back and remarked: "That did me a lot of good. I needed it, for it always makes me feel queer to see a woman faint!"—Argonaut.

Prepared for the Worst. "How long had your wife's first husband been dead when you married her?" "About eight months."

"Only eight months? Don't you think she was in a good deal of a hurry?" "Oh, I don't know. We had been engaged for nearly two years."

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## DISCOURAGED WOMEN

A Word of Hope for Despairing Ones

Kidney trouble makes weak, weary, worn women. Backache, hip pain, dizziness, headaches, nervousness, languor, urinary troubles make women suffer untold misery. Ailing kidneys are the cause. Cure them. Mrs. S. D. Ellison, N. Broadway, La-mar, Mo., says: "Kidney trouble wore me down till I had to take to bed. I had terrible pains in my body and limbs and the urine was annoying and full of sediment. I got worse and doctors failed to help. I was discouraged. Doan's Kidney Pills brought quick relief and a final cure and now I am in the best of health."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

GAVE HER AN IDEA. Cycle Dealer—Here is a cyclometer I can recommend. It is positively accurate; not at all like some cyclometers, which register two miles, perhaps, where you have only ridden one.

Miss de Byke—You haven't any of that kind, have you?

Aid Fight Against Tuberculosis. At the recent meeting of the National Association of Bill Posters, held in Atlanta, Ga., it was decided to donate to the campaign against tuberculosis \$1,200,000 worth of publicity. The bill posters in all parts of the United States and Canada will fill the vacant spaces on their 3,500 billboards with large posters illustrating the ways to prevent and cure consumption. The Poster Printers' association has also granted \$200,000 worth of printing and paper for this work. This entire campaign of billboard publicity will be conducted under the direction of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in co-operation with the National Bill Posters' association.

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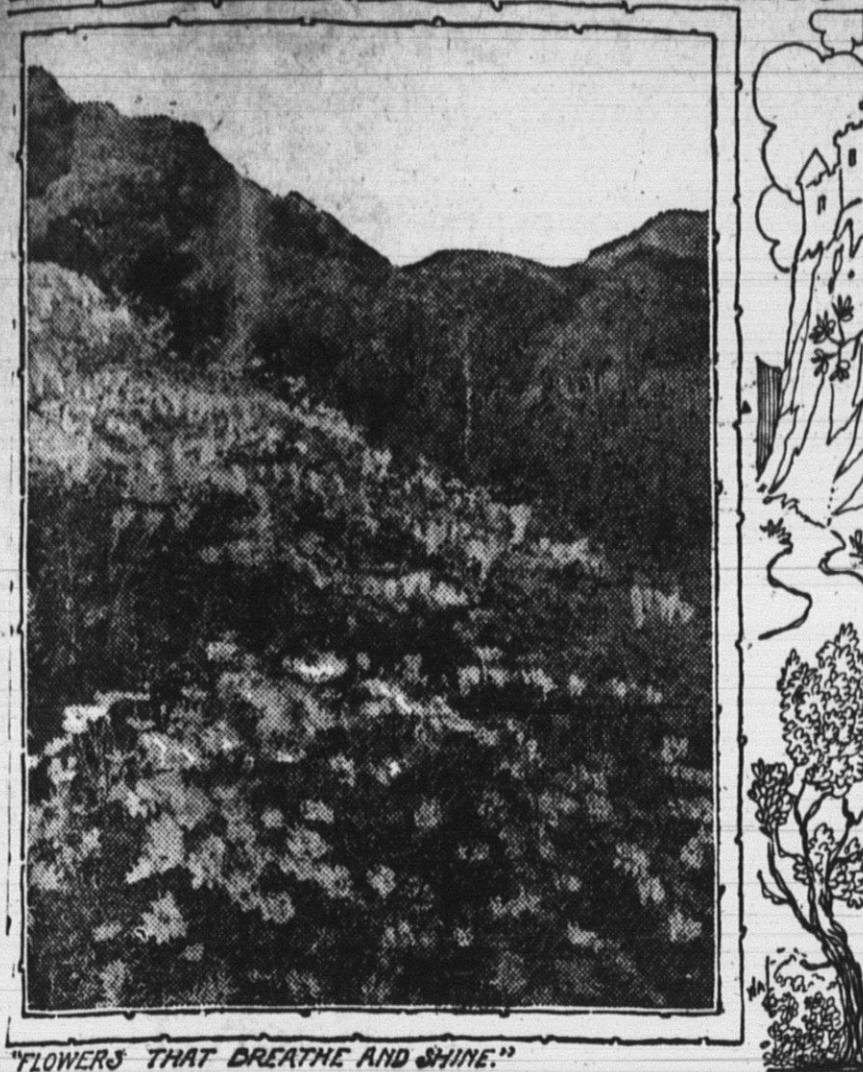
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# PAGLANT OF ENGLISH FLOWERS



"FLOWERS THAT BREATHE AND SHINE."

Those who only visit the country at week-ends, or other intervals, cannot help being struck with the fact that there is nearly always a dominating flower; that is to say, one which in full bloom takes possession of the landscape and attains a temporary mastery over all others. On a comparatively small but definite scale, this is witnessed in the garden. "This is daffodil time," we exclaim one day in full time, as we see the ground become yellow with the bloom of this flower. But in a little while "we weep to see you haste away so soon." The life of a flower has long been used as a metaphor for all that is most fair and transient. For a little while only does the fresh purity of the color remain. Seed-pods are formed, the petals wither, the beauty passes. It is part of a procession, and in the very act of breathing a sigh of regret that what is so fair should be so evanescent, attention is caught by a new set of flowers that swell out till they occupy the place of those that have faded. The daffodil, either in the mass or the individual, possesses a kind of wishfulness such as might come from gazing from the outside of some impassable gate over those faded plains where the ancient dreamed it grew. But the tulip when dominant is of an opposite character. An embodiment of color without fragrance, it combines with the butterfly to show gayety unmixt with sentiment. The daffodil is a romantic maiden, the tulip a tripping ballet girl, exquisitely dressed, satisfying the taste for color, but touching no emotion. How different with the rose, "Age cannot wither nor custom stale her infinite variety." In the rosary of the rich, in the garden plot of the poor, embellishing a pergola or covering the cottage walls, it tells the same tale, and suggests the same old song, "Oh, my love is like a red, red rose that's newly sprung in June." Odor and color and form all unite, and when we speak of what transcends life, there is no simile finer than that of the "unfading" rose. No wonder that Rosa Mundi is a name of highest honor.

It mentions carries us back to the fields. A garden close is well, but "a diviner and more pellucid air" hangs over the wild thicket and hedgerow where the dog rose is in its glory. The wind blowing over grass and half-grown corn when the wild rose is at its height, dissipates the garden sentiment. It is a dominating flower in early July, and so we appear to be taking our pageant backward almost. But, indeed, the best of a procession is not always to be seen from a fixed point. Instead of watching all the flowers of a season file past in order, as though they were soldiers at a review, it is more interesting to take a bit here and a bit there according as caprice or interest may dictate. And the wild sweet summer, as Wordsworth says, "haunts" all its beauty on the thicket, it takes possession of the hedgerow, it blossoms on the waste place. Like a million small and happy faces its buds open, till the earth is glowing with their beauty. Yet the fragile bloom will scarcely bear to be plucked, and its stay with us is as brief as that of the daffodil. But a very little while and the petals flutter down and the rank grass and summer's dark green reassert themselves.

Of wild flowering shrubs there is none more dominating while it lasts than the broom. Its rough predecessor, the gorse, only gives a taste of the effect it produces. The gorse is always throwing out blossoms, but even at its best it is as bronze to gold compared with the great yellow mass of the broom in flower. On the Surrey commons it makes a brave show, but is not so commanding as on the great wastes of the north, where it spreads out vast stretches of blazing and shining gold. In the days of our youth old men remembered, or of them their fathers had told them, the huge fields of broom, the bushes of which were taller than the tallest man, that stretch over what is now a cultivated

area of hedged fields and red-tiled farmhouses where the Cheviots slope to the Tilt. But those noted agriculturists, the brothers Culley, had more appreciation of the homely turnip than "the burning bush," and it was their grubbing and plowing that transformed a region so wildly picturesque into a fruitful land. What it was like before their operations began may be known from the appearance of the land that has proved irreclaimable. How familiar and yet how impressive the broom was may be judged from the frequency with which it finds a place in the old ballads. Long after its petals have fallen to the ground in the south it continues in Highland strath and glen what time the angler penetrates them in search of trout.

There are several white flowers that sweep past like visionary clouds in the procession. First, the "wee modest cream-tipped" one that spreads over meadow and golf course till, in the sunny days of May when the nightingale is in full song, they rest like sheets of snow on the warm ground. Following close upon them is that truly English flower, the hawthorn. It is unobtrusive in the thicket and well-trimmed hedge; but when the bushes have been allowed to grow tall for the sake of shelter, or where individual trees abound, it assumes for a brief period an unquestioned dominion. The garlands of pure soft white that hang out make the color of the landscape while they last, and the fragrance it diffuses has no equal, save it be that of an orchard when the apple trees are in bloom and resonant with the humming of innumerable bees. With the decay of the hawthorn comes a feeling of sadness. It was with unmixt joy that we hailed the early figures in the long procession. The maidens of January whitening the woodland while the trees are bare are greeted as heralds, cowslips in the meadow and primroses on the steep sides of the dene are still but harbingers. We have no thought of the end when the marsh-marigold shines like fire on swamps and hollows gray, nor when "the faint sweet cuckoo-flower" spreads nodding over the low-lying meadows, till by force of numbers its exquisite and delicate shape and color master those of its companions. But the fading of the hawthorn tells of spring's early expiry, and when the wild rose has blossomed and faded we know that another "pretty ring time" has been added to the past. No other occurrence in the year strikes an equal note of sadness, especially among those of riper years. It is the enviable privilege of youth to live in the passing hour and enjoy the mystic "Now," and to be ever looking forward to some new discovery or adventure. But as we grow old and lose our illusions, we gain the dismal knowledge that the flight of time is much more likely to discover the disagreeable than the pleasant, and we also become more keenly alive to the transient character of most things. We know that we also are only figures in a long procession of men wending from one dark point to another, appearing as miraculously as the flowers, and at the end, passing like them once more to "the soft arms of earth" our Mother. And he who realizes what is meant by ages and aeons of time recognizes that the difference between the lifetime of a flower and of a man is imperceptible. When you are facing eternity, a day "is as a thousand years."

## The Gatun Dam.

"The engineers find Gatun dam safe," read Mr. Jones from his newspaper headlines at the other side of the table.

"Well," she said, looking up over her glasses in pained surprise, "I don't know anything about the safety of Gatun, but I think a family newspaper oughtn't to use such language in print."

Man wants but little here below, except the things he knows he can't get.

## For the Hostess

Chat on Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

### An Unique Party.

There are "novelties in entertainment" at the seashore as well as in town, and this scheme of a New Jersey girl is one that "took" wonderfully. The affair was held on the broad piazza surrounding the house that faced the grand old ocean.

The invitations were for a "bottle" party; each guest was requested to bring a bottle (empty) any size or shape. Of course every one wondered what the result would be when the motley collection of bottles appeared on the table waiting to receive them.

After a few moments spent in speculating as to the future of "those bottles," the hostess brought in yard lengths of crepe paper of many colors, cotton, pins, odds and ends of ribbon, etc., and requested each guest to select a bottle and transform it into a doll; there was a supply of corks to use in forming heads, which were covered with cotton.

A half hour was allowed to finish these creations; prizes were awarded for the best, worst and funniest. Next the hostess passed cards with pencils attached, numbered from 1 to 20; the guests were taken into a room in which stood 20 bottles, each bearing a tag numbered from 1 to 20. Yellow paper concealed the contents of the bottles, which were pill size up to gallons. One "sniff" or "whiff" was permitted, then the supposed contents were written down opposite the number on the card.

Lavender salts, bottles of cologne, and sachets were given as prizes. The next test was very pretty. Each guest was blindfolded and led around the room in which flowers were arranged in vases on mantel and tables. The one who recognized the most flowers by the odor received a handsome nosegay surrounded by a frill of lace paper.

The refreshments consisted of flower forms made in ices and creams with dainty little cakes ornamented with candied rose and violet leaves.

### For a Children's Party.

There have been so many requests for a children's party that I have made a special effort to get these pretty ideas for decorations, feeling sure that mothers could adapt for their own use the schemes suggested.

Clown cakes will be much appreciated by youthful guests; bake a simple cake mixture in small round muffin pans. Frost some with white, some with chocolate, making eyes, nose and mouth of contrasting color. Around each put tiny frills of colored crepe paper and the cakes will look like funny faces beneath little bonnets.

With these serve circus lemonade. Take large smooth skinned lemons, cut off one end, hollow out and place in ice water. Cut off black cotton plaster eyes, nose and mouth, dry the shells and paste these on in as grotesque a manner as possible. Then make little dunce caps of red and white stiff paper, leaving a hole at the top to receive a straw; fill the cups

with lemonade, put on the caps, stick in the straws and they are ready to serve.

For a centerpiece have a tiny tent, with miniature animals in a procession. At each child's plate have a wee tent of paper, a flag on it, with a tall fence of opera sticks around it. Under each tent have salted peanuts.

Have striped paper bags filled with popcorn and the small guests will be perfectly delighted with the "circus" party.

### A Potato Supper.

Church suppers have been and probably always will be a commercial asset in raising money. A "ladies aid" society issued these catchy invitations, which were printed in red on common brown wrapping paper and scattered broadcast in the hotels and boarding houses of the seashore resort, where summer visitors helped out largely in furnishing the wherewithal to run the little church during the long nine months of winter. I give the invitation so that our readers may cut it out for future use, as the scheme is adaptable for any time or place:

A sociable next Friday night! Look down below, first left, then right, And you will see the "Bill-of-Fare" In English language written there:

POTATOES HOT, POTATOES COLD, POTATOES NEW, POTATOES OLD. Some we will boil and some we'll bake, And some serve in a hot loaf-cake; Potatoes also we'll prepare In brown croquettes as light as air, And some make up in griddle-cakes As nice as any French cook makes. And then dessert—for those who wish We will prepare some dainty dish, "Fit for the gods," you'll think, we know, Though mostly made of potato. This sociable is to be given Between the hours of four and seven, At Hall next Friday night, And one and all we here invite: Be sure to come; don't be afraid. Your presence will—"THE LADIES AID." MADAME MERRI.

## IN VOGUE

Stylish shoes are highly arched. Striped effects rule supreme in skirtings. Many summer coats are lined with shantung. Sequins play a leading part in fan decoration.

Military straps are among the popular sleeve trimmings. The white lace veil is more widely worn than any other.

Hats are larger now than they will be later in the season.

Mohair is the favorite material for automobile dust coats. Pongee hats, matching pongee costumes, are smart just now.

Walking costumes are a bit severe, with little trimming. Linen frocks with short skirts are popular for street wear.

"Linden," a creamy yellow green, is a leading shade in new dresses.

## Small Garments



**TUNIC for Boy from Four to Six Years.**—This simple little tunic might be made in Holland, drill, or linen; either would be suitable and seasonable; it is quite plain, fastens down the front, and has a turned-down collar; a leather belt is worn just below the waist.

**Dress for Girl from Eight to Ten Years.**—Cherry red cashmere is used for this dress; the skirt is trimmed at the foot by three small tucks. The blouse, which resembles the sailor style, has the upper part cut in a shaped yoke, and the lower tucked and set to it; the tucks are only stitched down two inches; the sleeve is tucked a few inches at both ends and is set to a tucked wrist band. A sailor collar of spotted drill is worn; the tie matches it.

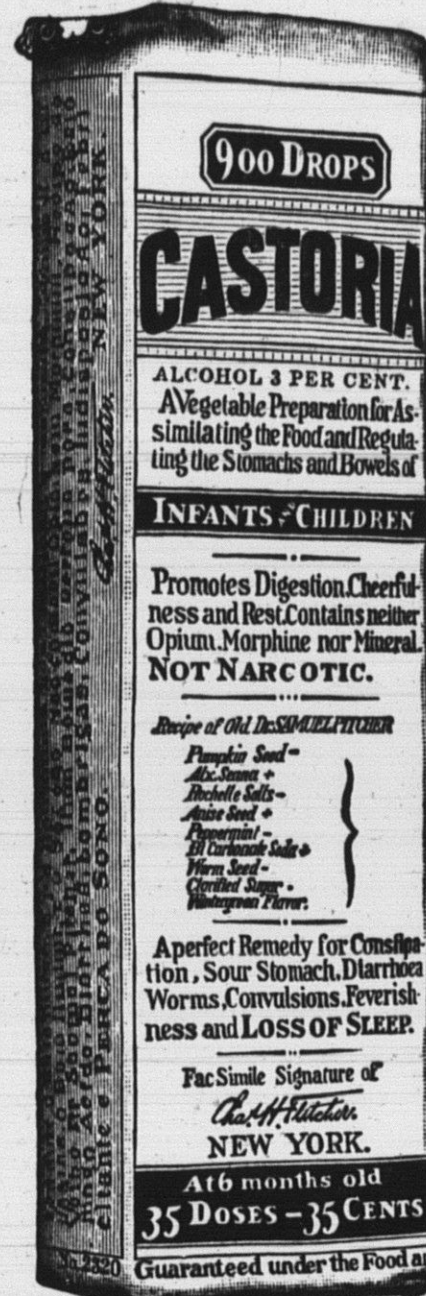
**Materials required:** 3½ yards cashmere 48 inches wide. **Dress for Girl from Ten to Twelve Years.**—This dainty little dress is of white lawn; the skirt is gathered at the waist and is trimmed at the foot by two rows of Valenciennes insertion; the bodice has a vest and sleeves of tucked lawn and insertion arranged in stripes alternately; the sides of the bodice are plain lawn, so are the epaulettes, but they are edged with insertion and lace.

**Materials required:** Five yards lawn 42 inches wide 1½ dozen insertion yards lace.

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## CRYING NEED, AS HE SEES IT.

Companion of Irritated Divines Came to the Front with Order to the Waiter.

Joaquin Miller is to establish a colony of poets in Fruitvale, Cal. Mr. Miller, discussing this colony recently, said:

"We poets will, of course, argue and squabble. That will be delightful. Arguments and squabbles over Matthew Arnold, Swinburne, Tennyson and Keats are pleasant and sensible things, you know. They are not like political or religious arguments, which in their bitter rancor always make me think of three Maine divines.

"While three Maine divines were supping together, two of them began to argue about the comparative religious merit of the royal houses of Stuart and Orange. The argument became heated. The divines grew excited and angry.

"William III. was a great rascal," roared the first, as he struck the table with his fist. "A great rascal, and I spit upon his memory!"

"The second divine, turning very red, shouted:

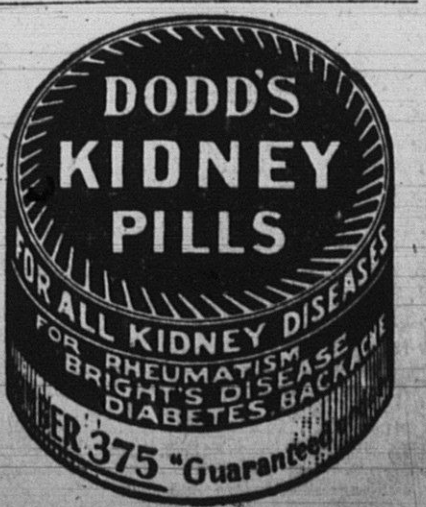
"No, it's James II. that was the rascal. I spit upon his memory!"

At this point the third divine rang the bell, and said gently to the waiter: "Spittoons for two, please."

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