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Fall "Doings"

Are showing the usual activity just now; preparations for them must include the matter of correct clothes. That's where we come in strong, with our Fine Suits and Overcoats; we'll make you ready for any kind of business or fun; for any kind of weather; we'll suit anybody's taste in colors, style, pattern; in quality and in low prices.



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STRUCK BY ELECTRIC CAR.

Rev. Thos. Holmes Had Narrow Escape Sunday Evening.

The citizens of Chelsea were shocked Sunday evening to learn that Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., had been struck by an electric car and seriously injured. Dr. Holmes had been to Scio in the afternoon and officiated at the funeral of James Wing, a lifelong friend. On his return he was brought to the Delhi crossing of the electric railway to take the car home. It was getting dusk and the headlight of the electric car was lighted. Mr. Holmes stood near the track and flagged the car, which was coming down grade at a rapid rate, and took no notice of the signal. The crossing signal was not sounded nor did the car slacken speed, and the car step struck Mr. Holmes, who supposed that he was standing far enough from the rails for the car to pass him. The blow threw him to one side and he suffered a number of severe contusions as a result.

The car that struck him stopped and waited for a car that was following it closely, and called to them to pick him up. This they did and brought him to Chelsea.

Dr. Andros Gulde boarded the car at the Finkbeiner switch and gave the injured man, all the assistance possible.

The car step struck Mr. Holmes on the knee, but it is thought that no bones were broken. Although he suffers severe pain in his limbs it is not thought that any serious results will occur from the accident. The Doctor's advanced age, 91 years, will make the work of recuperation slow.

From The East.

Chelsea Standard:

Upon receipt of this you will again be in touch with one of those parties who are always coming into the editorial sanctum with "something to help fill up." Frequently their kind offices are very welcome and so I hand this along to you trusting that it will arrive during one of those arid and unfruitful seasons which so frequently beset the editorial mind. That is just what is troubling me at the present moment. I can't for the life of me raise eight or ten lines more for tomorrow's Brockton (Mass.) Times and so, for a little time, I am going to try rotation of crops and assay raising a few paragraphs for The Chelsea Standard with which sheet I began my journalistic career.

I use that term journalist because it sounds pretty big and in a way will express the size of the big page I have, every morning, staring me in the face to be filled. My position is that of editorial writer so you see I have the welfare of a city of 55,000 inhabitants on my shoulders beside handing out advice on how to revise the tariff, settle European difficulties, put a quietus on "Uncle" Joe Cannon, remind the Longworths that there is now no Baby McKee in the White House and all that sort of thing. Speaking of "Uncle" Joe reminds me that I was able to work in a suggestion the other day that the Hon. Charles E. Townsend would be a highly able successor to the old gentleman of Danville, Illinois. Of course I hope the idea will spread, but perhaps I ought not to expect too much, for my political estimates got a set back the other day.

The republicans of Massachusetts opened the campaign with a monster barbecue and our—no, your—yes, I will say our—William Alden Smith was down on the bills for the big oratorical noise, and editorially I allowed that William Alden would deliver the goods and pumped up Yankee expectations here about until you couldn't put a dent in them, and then, lo! what does William Alden do but miss his train over at Albany and simply send his regrets.

I notice you are very frequently running a likeness of my present fellow townsman W. L. Douglas. It is very complimentary on your part and doubtless does more for prosperity here in Brockton than running my picture would by a whole lot. The Douglas factory is pretty near what the stove works is to Chelsea, but not quite. Pretty near every other shoe I ever heard of is made here. The only familiar sign missing was that of the Regal, but the other Sunday I trolley over to Plymouth and I had hardly got started before there it was in the neighboring town of Whitman.

Speaking of Plymouth I must tell you about it. The ride over there is not particularly interesting for the conductor keeps right after one and charges six cents every time the car passes a cross road. Six cents you will observe beats Tom Johnson three cent fares by a full hundred per cent. But let that pass. The country through which one passes doesn't look much like the land on either bank where rolls the Ypsilanti. Really I wouldn't like to trust the soil between here and Cape Cod bay for a crop of pop corn; but it does raise cranberries. Yes, the cranberry crop

PROCLAMATION.

Chelsea, Mich., Oct. 21, 1908.
To the Citizens of Chelsea and Vicinity:

Forest fires have laid bare a portion of our state, leaving many without food, shelter or money. In fact everything these people possessed has been swept away by the flames.

Other cities and villages in Michigan have come nobly to their rescue, and I now appeal to the citizens of Chelsea and surrounding country to offer such aid as is in your power.

I have secured permission to use the freight house of the Michigan Central as a place to receive contributions, and have named Saturday, October 24, as the day on which the following committee will be on hand to receive such contributions: N. H. Cook, A. E. Winans, R. D. Walker, O. C. Burkhardt and Frank Leach.

The Michigan Central has offered free transportation of all contributions.

These people are in need of clothing for both men, women and children, farm produce, food, money and in fact everything that would help make them comfortable.

Let us not be outdone by our neighbors and let each one of us give something that our fellow beings may not suffer.

Respectfully yours,
D. C. McLAREN,
Village President.

has been fair this year, so fit up your turkeys.

Reaching Plymouth the first thing to do is to go down and see Plymouth Rock. It is not difficult to locate even though it has been shanghaied by passing tourists until it is only about a quarter the size it was when it was under the control of the Pilgrim's dock department. At the present time it is about the size of a small cow lying down chewing her cud. There are some cracks in it but they are plastered up with cement—made at Four Mile Lake for all I know. The Plymouth authorities have taken the Rock in charge and it now lies a little way from the beach on a stone foundation and between four granite pillars which in turn support a roof of stone. This contrivance looks a good deal like an old fashioned well house and makes a very durable coop for the old Plymouth Rock.

Plymouth itself is a beautiful and typical little New England city, but I imagine the place in 1620 looked like a bunco deal in real estate. The surrounding country does now. I can imagine that those handful of Pilgrims after they got their spinning wheels unloaded and paused to look the November landscape over, must have felt as if they had just heard Hearst show up old Gov. Bradford's connection with Standard Oil. It must have required a deal of the Pilgrim spirit to build a place as pretty as Plymouth on that bleak shore of scrub pine and tamarack.

An article of this length costs money to put in type and probably several subscribers so I will not afflict you further at this time. Let me say in conclusion that Saturday morning I go through our exchanges early, and throw the New York papers and the Florida Times-Union and the Omaha Bee and the Portland Express and all the others right and left until I dig The Chelsea Standard out of the bunch.

GLEN C. STIMSON.

Brockton, Mass.

John F. Killmer.

John F. Killmer died at his home in Chelsea Wednesday night, October 21, 1908.

Mr. Killmer was born in Germany, June 6, 1828, and came to America in the '50's, settling in Blissfield, Mich. Two years later he came to Sylvan and has been a resident of this township ever since, residing in Chelsea for the past four years. He was united in marriage, November 15, 1862, to Miss Hattie Soeger, and to this union nine children were born, seven of whom with their mother survive him.

In 1864 he enlisted and served one year in the civil war.

The funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning from St. Paul's church.

Election of Officers.

The Epworth League elected the following officers last Thursday evening:

President—John Fletcher.

First Vice President—Miss Mabel Olds.

Second Vice President—Miss Mabel Guthrie.

Third Vice President—Miss Minola Kalmbach.

Secretary—Meryl Prudden.

Treasurer—Roy Ives.

Junior League Supt.—Mrs. D. H. Glass.

PAID SECOND D. VIDEND.

Depositors in Chelsea Savings Bank Getting Their Money.

On Monday morning W. W. Wedemeyer, receiver of the Chelsea Savings Bank, mailed checks for the payment of the second dividend to the depositors. The dividend was twenty per cent to savings depositors and five per cent to commercial depositors, and with the former dividend makes fifty per cent that the savings depositors have received, and thirty-five per cent that the commercial depositors have received to date.

In our issue of the week that the bank closed, and also at the time of the payment of the first dividend in May, the Standard estimated that the amount that would be realized by the savings depositors would be seventy-six per cent or better, and we have never had any reason to change our estimate.

Those people who took stock in current rumors and sold their claims for less than fifty cents on the dollar are sad, while those who relied on the Standard's estimate and purchased those claims, are correspondingly happy.

In our news items we endeavor to state facts, not as we would always have them, nor as we think they should be, but as they are.

Burned The Books.

Mrs. Frank P. Glazier on Wednesday testified before Referee in Bankruptcy H. P. Davock, who was here examining into the Glazier assets, that she burned in the grate of her summer home at Cavanaugh Lake, the books of the Glazier Stove company up to the time of the re-organization of the company in May, 1907. She said she did not know what the books were. She knew that they were old books that her husband had brought out to the lake and because they seemed to worry him she burned them in the grate one afternoon while he was fishing not thinking of the possible seriousness of the step.

In answer to a question as to whether she had ever burned any other books of Mr. Glazier's, Mrs. Glazier said that so far as she knew her husband did not keep books. He carried, she said, a little loose leaf pocketbook in which he kept a record of his personal investments and business, burning them up as fast as they were used up.

It developed in the examination of Mrs. Glazier and her son, Harold P. Glazier, that absolutely the only record of the personal transactions of Glazier, previous to the bankruptcy, so far turned over to the Security Trust company as trustees, consists of eight or nine paid checks. Neither his check book, in use at the time of the failure, nor a single stub check book of the bankrupt have so far been found.

Harold P. Glazier, testified that he had never borrowed money from the Chelsea Savings Bank, but that when Banking Commissioner Zimmerman ordered his father to reduce the latter's indebtedness to the bank this was done by dividing it between the witness and his father and mother and sister. Harold Glazier told of his knowledge of other transactions his father had arranged. He said his salary at the stove works was \$1,500 and that he received in addition \$1,200 from his father.

Miss Vera Glazier, testified that she received \$25 per month for her work at the bank, but that her father paid her an additional \$100 per month. This additional salary continued when she went to the stove works at \$10 per week.

When the bank failed she removed this money. She said she kept her father's check book and when she checked over the returned checks each month burned them.

The date for the examination of Mr. Glazier was set for November 5. It will probably be in Detroit.

Salmo-Roosevelt-Evermann.

It sounds like a new kind of tooth powder but in this article Roosevelt saves golden trout species. Wilfred W. Garrison, in the next issue of The Standard tells of the president's un-noticed efforts to shield from extermination the Salmo-Roosevelt-Evermann, which in twentieth century lingo is the Roosevelt Golden Trout. His efforts have succeeded to the extent of a new lease of life for the finny creature and—but it takes too long to tell. So watch for the next issue and read how splendidly illustrated with photographs and a characteristic mountain scene in pen and ink.

Sunday School Convention.

The Washtenaw County Sunday School Convention is to be held at the M. E. church, Ypsilanti, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 27-28. Special attention will be given to teacher training, the boy problem, the adult class, and temperance teaching in the Sunday school. Several other subjects of interest will also be treated by able speakers.

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Our Famous Standard Brand, the best 25c Coffee sold anywhere.

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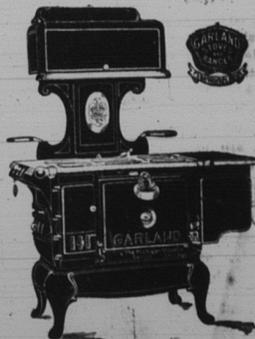
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The Political Game in Morocco.

The sultany of Morocco, in north western Africa, has a larger area than France or Germany, but its affairs attracted little attention in America until it was announced, about two years ago, that his elder brother, Mulai-Hafid, was attempting to depose Mulai-Abdel-Aziz, who succeeded in 1894. Students settled themselves to watch an interesting contest between the sultan and his would-be successor; but it speedily degenerated into a squabble, and nothing important developed until, recently, it appeared that the pretender had become a pawn in the game of international finance. Very early in the game Mulai-Hafid captured Fez, the northern capital. Mulai-Abdel retained control of the southern capital, Morocco. Each spat defiance at the other, but neither could crush the other, for want of men and arms. It was a deadlock which there might be profit in breaking; and the son of a former member of the British parliament organized a syndicate of capitalists, made his way in disguise to Fez—he was the first European to enter the city in a year—and put himself in touch with Mulai-Hafid. The syndicate pledged itself to place that gentleman on the throne, asking, in return, concessions for the building of railways and opening of mines, the reorganization of the finances, various important political posts, and a partial control of the customs. Mulai-Hafid seems to have hesitated, for German, Portuguese and American financiers now flocked to the field, all anxious to promote his cause for a consideration. But although these others wanted less, they likewise promised less—an American corporation, for instance, offered a paltry million dollars for the right to build a railway through a rich mining country, mineral rights to be "thrown in,"—and at last accounts the pretender had accepted the British proposition, and six Englishmen were busy at Fez, organizing victory. Such is, in brief, the story told by the adventurous Englishman and by journalists who have no particular bias. Revolutions nearer home are seldom financed "for love" or "for fun," and there is reason to believe that certain South American rulers who showed conspicuous kindness to foreign "interests" were only playing for the help that made them rulers. No doubt, remarks the Youths' Companion, the Englishmen will earn all they get.

Great Names in Washington.

Farragut and Thomas, two southerners who won fame by their adherence to the cause of the union, one a Tennessean and the other a Virginian, are kept in remembrance in the national capital by a square and a circle respectively, which stand at the centers of the most desirable residential districts. Few historical characters have been equally fortunate in this respect. Farragut square is surrounded by substantial edifices, including several of the best apartment houses in the city, besides a number Davis seriously wounded each other while hunting rabbits. Sweet was shot in the throat and Davis in the leg. Louis Erlekson had his arm blown off by the accidental discharge of his shotgun.

Recount Cost \$6,000.

It is estimated that the recount demanded by Dr. J. B. Bradley cost the state more than \$6,000. The greatest expense was in bringing 160 election clerks to Lansing as guardians of the ballot boxes. One hundred were brought from the lower peninsula and 60 from northern Michigan. The average expenses of each clerk from the upper peninsula was \$40 and about \$15 from the lower.

Took Carbolic Acid.

"I guess I'll kill myself," remarked Vernon Plough, a young farmer of Tompkins township, in a matter-of-fact way to his wife. Plough had gone to bed about 6 o'clock. An hour later he awoke, seized a bottle containing carbolic acid and ran from the house, clad only in his night shirt. The woman attempted to stop him, and, falling, ran to the home of a neighbor for help. Plough was found a short time later unconscious in a cornfield. His face and hands were badly burned by the acid, but he will probably recover.

Grand Rapids city council is making strenuous objections to the

request of the state good roads commission asking the Kent county board of supervisors to contribute \$46,000 to be used for good roads throughout the county. The aldermen say that since the city pays 96 per cent of the county taxes, the county should not be permitted to expend a large sum of money.

If local option comes up before the voters of Washtenaw next spring, as it undoubtedly will, I shall vote for it," said Dr. V. C. Vaughan, dean of the medical department of the U. of M., in an interview Tuesday.

MOTHERS' ATTEMPT WAS FRUITLESS

BROKEN-HEARTED MOTHER WAS UNABLE TO BEAR UP LONGER.

BANKER MAY ESCAPE LAW

Glances Here and There About the State at Happenings and Events of Passing Interest.

Charles Rutledge, of Muskegon, who stabbed George Mitchell to death on the evening of September 8, was found guilty of murder in the second degree by a jury which had deliberated for more than twelve hours. The members of the jury were divided as to the degree of the crime, several members holding out for first degree. The stabbing was the result of a drunken quarrel over a woman, Dollie King.

Rutledge exhibited no emotion when the verdict was announced, but his aged mother, Mrs. John Jennings, who had stood loyally by her son all through the trial, and who mortgaged her little home in Montague to provide funds for his defense, broke down and sobbed bitterly. Rutledge deserted a wife and four children for the King woman. After the stabbing he fled to Chicago and was captured by Muskegon officers, with the assistance of Dollie King, who lured him into a trap.

Trial Postponed.

The idea that Harry G. Lewis, cashier of the defunct Athens State Savings bank, will never be brought to trial, is being borne out by the fact that every week an adjournment is taken. Lewis is charged with forgery, but the case never comes up in court, and Athens residents say it never will. Despite the young man's denials and their dire results, Athens stands by him. Though indicted as a forger he occupies a sort of pedestal in the village, and will undoubtedly escape punishment for his manipulation of the bank's records.

Farmer Killed.

Peter Peterson, 60, a farmer living north of Ludington, was thrown under the wheels of his heavily loaded wagon and instantly killed Saturday afternoon. He was driving a load of corn stalks to the city when his team became frightened and started to run. A portion of the corn stalks fell from the wagon, striking Peterson with them. The wagon ran over him, crushing him so badly that he died without regaining consciousness.

Sight Restored.

After having been in darkness for 20 years, Miss Alice Hollis, of Port Huron, is on her way home from Germany, unaccompanied, able to recognize her friends and to make her own way unaided. Miss Hollis, whose affliction was regarded as incurable, left Port Huron for Germany last March. In Wiesbaden an operation was performed upon her eyes. According to messages which she has sent to friends there, her sight has been growing continually stronger ever since. After leaving Germany she spent some time in England, returning to New York city a week ago.

Four Hunters Shot.

Friday was another bad day for hunters in Menominee county woods. William Kahle was shot in the right shoulder by his son while hunting near Ingallston. Wesley Sweet and Arthur Davis seriously wounded each other while hunting rabbits. Sweet was shot in the throat and Davis in the leg. Louis Erlekson had his arm blown off by the accidental discharge of his shotgun.

Arrested for deserting the U. S. S. Chattanooga Roy Mason, of Port Huron, says he would rather be punished than go back to the navy.

The Lexington Beach association has been incorporated to open a summer resort north of Lexington, where there is a fine beach and forest tract.

The father of Miss Bessie Spacey, aged 23, of Port Huron, asked the probate court to send her to an asylum, believing gossip of neighbors made her insane.

Miss Harriett Eleanor, the last of the girls of Dr. J. H. Kellogg's famous adopted family of twenty-four, was married to Bertram C. Kirkland, a salaried pharmacist.

George Roemer, son of the superintendent of the Escanaba municipal lighting plant, while making connections received a shock of 2,300 volts and was killed instantly.

The Anti-Tuberculosis society of New York, has asked the loan of the Michigan exhibit at the recent tuberculosis congress in Washington. The New York society said that the exhibit had proved so attractive and instructive that it desired the use of it for a short time.

Wesley D. McCoy, of Yiddings, Tex., and Felix O. Brooker, of Kansas City, both negroes, have begun suit in the probate court of Grand Rapids, asking for a mandamus to compel the faculty of the Grand Rapids Medical College of Veterinary Surgeons to enroll them as students for the seasons of 1908-9. They claim they are barred on account of their color.

Elsie McCullough, of Bay City, president of Michigan district of the United Mine Workers of America, has announced herself a candidate for vice-president of the national organization to succeed John White, of Indianapolis, the present incumbent, who will resign. The election takes place in December. The nominations closing November 3. So far, McCullough is said to be the only candidate.

Neil Goins, a negro, who pleaded guilty in the circuit court at Benton Harbor to a charge of burglarizing the meat market of Charles Hirsch, was sentenced by Judge Cockle to from 3 to 15 years at Jackson.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS.

Dolphine Long, aged 6, of Pembine, is missing and her parents believe she was kidnapped.

The Charlotte local option petition presented to the supervisors bore 268 more names than necessary.

A petition signed by 2,990 in Tuscola county asking for a local option election was presented to the supervisors.

John Jones and Lester Cook, convicted of burglary, were given from one to fifteen years each at Ionia by Judge Smith.

A petition with 1,000 more signatures than needed to insure a local option election, was presented to the Ottawa county supervisors.

Rattling of empty barrels in the wagon of Barney Simonds, aged 30, an Edward township farmer, frightened his horses and he was thrown out and perhaps fatally injured.

Seeing a stranger leave his home, Clarence Day, Lapeer road farmer, living near Flint, pursued and caught him on a plow horse and made him give up his lot of jewels.

During the absence of the nurses, Mrs. J. Hallock, aged 45, took carbolic acid in a Grand Rapids hospital, and died. She was despondent over a separation from her husband.

Unable to find her husband, a former English minister, Mrs. Sarah Roberts, of Ann Arbor, after waiting seven years, filed suit for divorce and sequestration of the estate.

Adrian business men are considering a proposition for the establishment of an iron mill to employ 200 men in this city. It seems probable that the project will go through.

While Miss Lena Sheatsley, of Niles, was handling a supposedly unloaded revolver the weapon was discharged and the bullet struck her mother, breaking a bone just above the knee.

Miss Jessie Ladd, of Traverse City, was found dead in bed by her sister Friday morning. Death was due to heart failure. The young woman's father and grandfather died in a similar manner.

Gertrude Whitaker, aged 16, of Port Huron, who was thought to have committed suicide and was later found wandering on the Lake Shore road half demented, was sent to the Adrian industrial school.

While driving from Cadillac to Grand Rapids, the auto of Richard Massey, wealthy lumberman, went over a 25-foot embankment. He escaped with slight bruises, but the machine was wrecked.

A break in the canal bank at Utica released the water Monday night. The canal is the reservoir for water used to run the mill and electric light plant and the town will be in darkness until the break is repaired.

Diamonds owned by Mrs. Benton Hancock, of Saginaw, and worth several thousand dollars disappeared while she was attending the D. A. R. conference in Grand Rapids. The police say she lost them.

A branch of the G. R. & I. railroad was completed from Lake City to Brighton lake, and in a dense wilderness two miles from the lake, a new lumbering town to be known as Merritt, will be founded.

The divorced wife of Clement Waggoner, of Bay City, who shot his common law wife and killed himself, was among the mourners at his funeral. Waggoner's aged mother, with difficulty raised money for the funeral.

The season for all game birds except pheasants which opened Thursday shows better hunting than for years past. Quail, which have been around the protection of the law for several years, are again very plentiful.

A new pension district to include the tenth district and the eastern part of the upper peninsula, has been created with headquarters in Bay City. J. T. Towan, special pension examiner, has been transferred from Virginia.

Charles R. Snow, a wealthy and well known resident of Cadillac, who mysteriously disappeared from his home in that place three weeks ago, was found wandering in a demented condition in Ann Arbor Sunday.

After cashing a check for \$100 in Saginaw Cornelius Geddes started to drive to his farm eight miles, near Thomaston, but the team arrived there without him. His family fears he was drowned while crossing a Titabawassee river ford.

Owosso council will give the New Haven Coal Mining Co. a franchise to enter the city with a steam road from its mines, six miles north, and the people will vote on a proposition to donate \$2,500 toward a railroad bridge across the river.

Articles of incorporation of the State bank of Harbor Beach, capital \$20,000, were approved. The Litchfield State Savings bank, \$20,000, and the First State Savings bank of Broton, \$50,000, formerly private, have been chartered as state banks.

Fred Parker, the Grand Trunk brakeman who was convicted in Port Huron of a brutal assault on Elizabeth Pilger, a crippled girl, was sentenced to from four to six years in the Jackson penitentiary Friday. Parker was arrested several weeks ago in Winnipeg.

Heartbroken over being removed from the position which he had held for so long, Daniel Johnson, janitor of the Pontiac court house, went before a board of supervisors, which had removed him, thanked them for the consideration which they had shown him in the past, then went to the basement of the building and fell dead.

A jury in the circuit court awarded Edward Zoeller a verdict of \$5,000 against the Michigan Central railway for the death of his son, Louis Zoeller two years ago. The boy with a companion was struck and killed while driving over a crossing near Jackson.

Battle Creek school teachers will go to Saginaw with some style. They have secured a special train, leaving October 29, and have invited Kalama Creek pedagogues to join them. Battle Creek will send over 100 teachers to the state gathering, largely as a compliment to Supt. W. G. Coburn, of that city, who is president of the association.

FIFTY DEAD, HUNDREDS HOMELESS

THE SWEEPING FOREST FIRES HAVE BROUGHT MOURNING TO MANY HEARTS AND DESTROYED HUNDREDS OF HOMES.

State Troops Ordered To Be Ready For Relief Work and Hundreds of Needy and Distressed Should Have Quick Relief.

Sunday morning nearly 100,000 people of northern and northeastern Michigan raised their voices in united prayer for rain and safety from the forest fires. In practically every church from Bay City to the Straits of Mackinac, the people assembled to petition the Almighty for relief from the conditions that have already brought death to scores, left hundreds homeless and is making thousands penniless.

Services were held in Alpena, Cheboygan, Onaway, Gaylord, Standish, Bay City and scores of smaller places. Reports from all over the burned district say the fires are growing worse, as they are spreading through the heavy timber.

In some districts, as around Gaylord, the conditions are so bad that the losses cannot be ascertained.

The fate of many farmers is unknown. The fires in the tip of the lower peninsula of Michigan increased in area across Presque Isle county to Lake Huron. It was in this district that the Metz tragedy occurred. The estimated loss of life in this district is 40. Saturday night no names of victims were reported that had not been published previously.

The estimated number of farm homes burned in this Metz section is 100. This great fire has gone north and east to the Lake Huron shore. Rogers City is cut off from communication with the outside world, the last word received being that the blaze had entered the town and destroyed a brewery. The inhabitants were said to be preparing to take to boats.

Alpena, largest of the threatened towns, itself a district, was fighting for its own life Saturday night and early Sunday morning. A lull in the wind had come to still the fears of crowds which, earlier in the night, patrolled the streets discussing possible methods of escape from the place.

On Saturday Supt. Luce, of the D. & M. railway, issued this statement: "The total known death roll around Metz, up to this afternoon, was 27. Several families burned in their homes. There are undoubtedly more dead who will be found as soon as relief parties get through the woods. Exclusive of the villages of Metz, South Rogers and Bolton, there are in Metz and four surrounding townships from 100 to 125 families of farmers who have been burned out and are absolutely destitute."

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

J. I. Scott, owner of the Scott opera house, Menominee, fell from a scaffold while supervising repairs and died of a broken neck.

August Winters fell 25 feet from planks on which he was working in the new U. of M. memorial building and died of his injuries.

Arrested for deserting the U. S. S. Chattanooga Roy Mason, of Port Huron, says he would rather be punished than go back to the navy.

The Lexington Beach association has been incorporated to open a summer resort north of Lexington, where there is a fine beach and forest tract.

The father of Miss Bessie Spacey, aged 23, of Port Huron, asked the probate court to send her to an asylum, believing gossip of neighbors made her insane.

Miss Harriett Eleanor, the last of the girls of Dr. J. H. Kellogg's famous adopted family of twenty-four, was married to Bertram C. Kirkland, a salaried pharmacist.

George Roemer, son of the superintendent of the Escanaba municipal lighting plant, while making connections received a shock of 2,300 volts and was killed instantly.

The Anti-Tuberculosis society of New York, has asked the loan of the Michigan exhibit at the recent tuberculosis congress in Washington. The New York society said that the exhibit had proved so attractive and instructive that it desired the use of it for a short time.

Wesley D. McCoy, of Yiddings, Tex., and Felix O. Brooker, of Kansas City, both negroes, have begun suit in the probate court of Grand Rapids, asking for a mandamus to compel the faculty of the Grand Rapids Medical College of Veterinary Surgeons to enroll them as students for the seasons of 1908-9. They claim they are barred on account of their color.

Elsie McCullough, of Bay City, president of Michigan district of the United Mine Workers of America, has announced herself a candidate for vice-president of the national organization to succeed John White, of Indianapolis, the present incumbent, who will resign. The election takes place in December. The nominations closing November 3. So far, McCullough is said to be the only candidate.

Neil Goins, a negro, who pleaded guilty in the circuit court at Benton Harbor to a charge of burglarizing the meat market of Charles Hirsch, was sentenced by Judge Cockle to from 3 to 15 years at Jackson.

The Fleet Visits Japan.

The American fleet dropped its anchors at 9:30 Sunday morning in the port of Yokohama. As the 16 battleships rounded Honmou Point and came through the entrance to the bay they were accompanied by the Japanese cruisers Soya, Magami and Tatsu, commanded by Rear-Admiral Murakami.

When the fleet rounded Honmou Point and came in sight of Yokohama, the warships began firing their salutes to the rear admiral in command of the fleet. The roar of the guns, the bursting fireworks, bombs, the shriek of the steam sirens with the drone of the liners made an overwhelming sound.

When the fleet finally came to anchor, it presented an imposing spectacle. Thirty-two great warships occupied four long columns of eight each, the Americans taking the place of honor in the forefront, the Japanese immediately behind them and heading due south. As soon as the fleet came to anchor, a reception committee and attaches of the various foreign embassies and legations and the mayor of Yokohama put off from shore for the flagship Connecticut.

Turkey Getting Ready.

The optimism prevailing in official circles concerning the ability of the powers to maintain peace in eastern Europe was rudely shattered on receipt of a telegram from the French ambassador at Constantinople announcing that Turkey had ordered the mobilization of her troops in Asia Minor and it is believed that another day will determine the issue of peace or war.

This is regarded as Turkey's answer to Bulgaria's refusal to accord compensation for her independence and to the powers which arranged the program in London for the international conference.

Instructions have been hurriedly forwarded to the French representatives at Constantinople and Sofia to renew their counsels of prudence, and undoubtedly the other powers have sent similar instructions to their representatives at these cities urging moderation on the part of Bulgaria and Turkey.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Cattle—Market 10c to 15c lower; good to choice butcher steers, 1,200 lbs., \$4.75; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs., \$3.50 to \$3.85; mixed butchers' fat cows, \$3.40 to \$3.55; common butchers' fat cows, \$3.20 to \$3.35; common butchers' fat cows, \$3.00 to \$3.15; light to good butchers' fat cows, \$2.75 to \$2.90; roughs, \$4.50 to \$4.75; stags, one-third off.

East Buffalo—Cattle—Best export steers, \$5.00 to \$6.25; best 1,200 to 1,300 lb shipping steers, \$5.00 to \$5.50; light to good butchers' fat cows, \$3.25 to \$3.50; fair to good butchers' fat cows, \$3.00 to \$3.25; trimmers, \$2.75 to \$3.00; best fat heifers, \$4.25 to \$4.75; butcher heifers, \$3.25 to \$3.50; light to good butchers' fat cows, \$2.75 to \$3.00; roughs, \$4.50 to \$4.75; stags, one-third off.

Sheep and lambs—Market 25c lower; light to good butchers' fat sheep, \$3.50 to \$3.75; fair to good butchers' fat sheep, \$3.25 to \$3.50; common butchers' fat sheep, \$3.00 to \$3.25; roughs, \$4.50 to \$4.75; stags, one-third off.

Hogs—Michigan medium and heavy, \$5.75 to \$6.00; Michigan light and heavy, \$5.50 to \$5.75; best corn hogs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; pigs, \$5.00 to \$5.25; best corn hogs, \$4.00 to \$4.25; mostly \$6.00 to \$6.25; best corn hogs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; roughs, \$4.75 to \$5.00; stags, \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Grain, Etc. Detroit—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.02 1/2; December option unchanged at \$1.04; advance 1/4c and declined to \$1.03 1/2; May option, \$1.02 1/2; July, \$1.01 1/2; No. 3 white, \$1.01 1/2; No. 4 white, \$1.01; No. 5 white, \$1.00; No. 6 white, \$0.99; No. 7 white, \$0.98; No. 8 white, \$0.97; No. 9 white, \$0.96; No. 10 white, \$0.95; No. 11 white, \$0.94; No. 12 white, \$0.93; No. 13 white, \$0.92; No. 14 white, \$0.91; No. 15 white, \$0.90; No. 16 white, \$0.89; No. 17 white, \$0.88; No. 18 white, \$0.87; No. 19 white, \$0.86; No. 20 white, \$0.85; No. 21 white, \$0.84; No. 22 white, \$0.83; No. 23 white, \$0.82; No. 24 white, \$0.81; No. 25 white, \$0.80; No. 26 white, \$0.79; No. 27 white, \$0.78; No. 28 white, \$0.77; No. 29 white, \$0.76; No. 30 white, \$0.75; No. 31 white, \$0.74; No. 32 white, \$0.73; No. 33 white, \$0.72; No. 34 white, \$0.71; No. 35 white, \$0.70; No. 36 white, \$0.69; No. 37 white, \$0.68; No. 38 white, \$0.67; No. 39 white, \$0.66; No. 40 white, \$0.65; No. 41 white, \$0.64; 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Mystery of the Silver Skull

By FRANK LOVELL NELSON

Oriental Fakir and Hypnotist, Strange Murder and an Evanescent Prisoner Furnish Points for Master Mind

Carlton Clarke, Telepatho-Deductive Solver of Criminal Mysteries, Comes to the Fore with a Solution of One of the Strangest Acts Known to His Career—How He Arrived at End of Unraveling Process.

IHAVE had occasion in the course of these narratives to mention a rather unique tobacco-jar which graced Carlton Clarke's study-table. I long felt there was a story connected with it, and I bided in patience the time when Clarke should see fit to tell it.

The silver skull is pictured in my mind's eye as I write; the delicate tracery of its ornamentation; the almost uncanny beauty of the head and bust which formed the handle; the face that always inspired in me reverence and awe.

Across the pure white forehead, just over the eye-sockets, was the word "Ynath" beautifully inlaid in silver script. Looking through the eye-socket, it could be seen that the bone was not cut through but the silver was welded to it by some process with which I was unfamiliar.

We had gone to bed early that night, but it was so insufferably hot that a sleep was out of the question.

I awoke with a start, conscious that something was wrong. The sight I saw for a moment robbed me of all power of voice or motion. A crouching figure was creeping slowly toward me across the library floor with arms outstretched toward the shining silver skull on the table.

Standing in Clarke's doorway was another figure, white-robed, and motionless but for the flashing eyes that followed every movement of the intruder's back.

The figure in the doorway was Clarke, clad in white pajamas, standing erect, his arms folded. I was concerned to notice that he had no weapon, while the intruder carried in his right hand a stiletto which flashed in the dim light.

Suddenly the tableau broke into a riot of action. The intruder's fingers were closing over the silver skull. Clarke's arm was outstretched, and the one word "Stop!" in untruffled tone broke the silence.

The figure turned and the stiletto flashed in the light. I sprang from my bed and dashed through the portieres. The figure advanced toward Clarke with weapon raised, while I crouched for a spring at his throat. But the steady eyes and uplifted hand of my companion told me that he had the situation in hand.

"So you've come for it, Achmon," said my companion, pushing a chair toward our caller, who limply sank into it.

"Come for her, yes. For what else have I traversed these thousands of miles? For what else have I spent ten weary years in your-cruel, white man's prison?"

"And for what else did you do for Dr. Ranthan?" interrupted Clarke.

"The sahib does not know that new power has been sent me. You can put me in your prison but you cannot keep me there. I have left one; I will leave another. I will get the skull," returned the Hindu doggedly.

Achmon and I are old friends, you see," he said to me.

But I noticed that notwithstanding his apparent nonchalance his eyes never for a second left the Hindu.

"Now, Sexton," said Clarke, when he had filled three glasses, "while we are waiting for Ship I'll tell you a little story, and Achmon here will vouch for the truth of it. After the fashion of story-tellers, we will serve up the mystery first and then unfold the solution, which, of course, we have known all the time. Get my scrap-book, the third from the top in the first tier. Now open to page 302 and read the clipping from the New York Sun. Being a reformed newspaper man you will recognize the head letter."

I read aloud the following:

BELLEVEUE STUDENT MYSTERIOUSLY KILLED.

"Dr. John R. Ranthan, a graduate-student in Bellevue hospital, was found

dead in his apartments near the hospital early this morning. A knife of oriental design, imbedded by the force of a terrific blow in his breast, was plainly the cause of his death. As the doors were all locked from within, the first theory of the police was suicide, but the angle at which the blow was struck and the force with which it was delivered seem to suggest murder. Dr. Ranthan was said to be quiet and unassuming and without known enemies.

"That's enough," said Clarke. "If you read the whole story, it will leave nothing for me to tell. Here is the case as I saw it.

"Ten years ago I was serving as an interne in Bellevue. In this capacity I met Dr. John R. Ranthan. He interested me at once; first because of his immense stature—he was six feet five and modeled in proportion—and next, for the reason that he was pursuing special work along lines that interested me—phenomena of the mind and senses.

"We could not agree, however. He was a theorist, while he called me a gross materialist."

"When you have seen the things that I have seen," he often roared out to me in his thunderous voice, "you will believe. I have seen an Indian yogi take a tibia and materialize the complete body, raiment and all. What do you think of that?" bringing his ponderous fist down on the table until the windows rattled.

"What would you say if you saw me materialize from this skull the body of her whose face forms the handle—what would you say to that?"

"I should like to see that," I answered.

"Ah, but you should have seen her in the flesh," he resumed meditatively. "God! but she was beautiful! I found her in the mission at Mussoorie, but she was not born for the hymns-singing trade. Her father was French, her mother a mountain maid of Gurwal, and she had been up to Simla once and seen life. When I told her of the great world beyond, where the shadows of the Himalayas fell 'ot, her bosom heaved and her eyes flashed like those of the she-tiger that had taken that year a toll of a hundred lives in the foothills. She left the mission and the half-caste Hindu who had dared lift his eyes toward her glorious self and came with me."

"And then?" I asked, continued Clarke.

"And then she died. For two short months I showed her in the Calcutta bazaars. Paris, London, New York, were denied the light."

"A few days later I bolted into Ranthan's apartments after a book he had promised me. I had not been accustomed to knock, and as I opened the door I heard the unmistakable swish of a scabbard, and Ranthan stood before me confused and sheepish. I missed the silver skull from the table.

"Pardon me, you are not alone," I said.

"No—yes—that is, I am alone, of course. The book is in that room. Just step right in."

"The next night I was calling on Dr. Cartwright, whose rooms were directly below Ranthan's. I had seen Ranthan go up alone; in fact I had Ranthan over from the hospital with me. Soon we heard footstep tread overhead, the heavy elephantine tread of Ranthan, and then the light patter of a gentler foot. Through a faulty register we heard, also, Ranthan's stentorian voice alternated with a sweet, contralto. The conversation was in an unfamiliar tongue, but one abounding in beautiful intonations.

"Come over at once," he said. "Something's wrong with Ranthan. I heard the crash of a falling body overhead. I can't raise him. Both his doors are locked."

"Suicide," was the verdict of the police.

"But Cartwright and I both knew that Ranthan's hand never struck the



A GLORIOUS FIGURE STOOD BEFORE US

blow that sank 12 inches of blade and three inches of hilt into his own heart just at the left armpit. A left-handed blow was out of the question. A right-handed blow at that point would lack the force.

"Read it Sexton, page 401 of the scrap book:

"For the benefit of science, I, John R. Ranthan, hereby declare, that if I am slain, it will be by the hand of Ynath, half-caste maid of Gurwal, whose body I have repeatedly materialized in the flesh from relics in my possession. I have sworn not to write the secret. Let him who would learn it seek out one Yangmal, a hermit yogi, whose cave lies in the foothills of the Himalayas, in the Province of Sikhim, ten leagues north of the temple of Darjeeling. I have spoken."

"Then we can save the state of Illinois something by returning him to New York," said Inspector Ship, who had arrived in time to hear, with staring, incredulous eyes the most of Clarke's story.

"Not until I have made an experiment," said Clarke. "Achmon, you say you have the secret—Prove it, and the skull is yours."

"I know not if the conditions be right, sahib, but I will try," returned the Hindu.

Suddenly the Hindu began to intone monotonously and seemingly without end:

"Ynath, come! Ynath, come! Ynath, come!"

My eyes were glued to the face on the skull. Could it be? Yes, the skull gradually was fading from view and the silver bust was rising and growing larger, larger, and nearer, until—

Then she spoke, doubtless in her native Hindustani. The words were unintelligible, but the sweetness of the voice was as of a maid singing in the twilight.

"Ynath, I have called thee," answered Achmon. "I would question thee. Answer in the tongue thou learned in the Feringhee mission. What hand slew him of the damned soul, who was called Ranthan?"

"I slew him, Achmon. I loved him not. He lured me with his tales of the cities of men, as the flame lures the moth. I followed him and happiness was mine for a space. And then I knew I was a woman of lost caste, in but not of the life around me. I pined for the hills of Mussoorie. I passed and was free until he learned the great secret of the Master-knot."

Slowly the vision faded. Through the hazy folds of the silken robe again appeared the dim outlines of the skull on the table. Clarke released my hand and the electric lights flashed up. The inspector sat as in a trance, his eyes still glued to the skull.

"Didn't you see her?" I asked Clarke after the inspector had departed with his prisoner and we were completing our previous hasty toilet.

"I saw nothing and heard nothing but the Hindu's one-sided nonsense."

Then I told him what I had seen and what I was sure the inspector had also witnessed.

"Now, how can you explain it," I asked.

"Dr. Hudson has already explained it pretty well. At least, he has given us a working hypothesis. Your senses were under the control of the subjective mind while I was normal."

After a rather neglected breakfast and a nap to recover the murdered sleep of the night before, we proceeded to the station to complete the formalities of the Hindu's arrest. When we arrived, Inspector Ship met us with a lugubrious countenance and mysteriously ushered us into his private office and closed and locked the door.

When he had assured himself that no unbidden ear was listening he turned to us and said:

"He's gone!"

"Gone!" exclaimed Clarke. "You don't mean to say you allowed him to escape hand-cuffed, between our place and the station?"

"We lost no time getting home. The door seemed to be all right, in fact it was fastened with a tumbler-lock which would have given the most experienced burglar a bad half-hour. We had no fear of the rear door, which was secured by chain-bolt.

It was years afterwards and in a strange land that Clarke and I again rolled a cigarette from the silver skull—but that, also, in another story.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

CHERRY PIE.

NCE, when mother made me get cherries for the tea, I said: "Shucks! I wish, you bet, George Washington was me."

"I'd have cut the trees all down, If I'd have had my way; I hate to fool with cherries, gee. I'd so much rather play."

Well, that night, at supper-time, Mother says, says she: "I made a lovely cherry pie. By that new recipe."

"I stoned the cherries carefully. Next made a paste, and then, I added butter, sugar, flour, and covered them again."

"We each can have a slice—but Phil." Then I began to cry. But mother said: "George Washington Did not like cherry pie."

Southern Waffles.

Take three cups milk and water (equal parts). Stir in one and one-half cups white cornmeal. Add three tablespoons sugar, two of melted butter and two eggs, whites and yolks beaten separately. Lastly, add two cups of flour and two tablespoons baking powder. Beat all together and cook in waffle irons. The southerners do not like the yellow cornmeal.

Slaw with Bacon.

This is a good way to cook the ever-welcome cabbage: Chop fine one small cabbage and two small onions. Add a cup of sugar and seasoning to taste. Then fry some bits of bacon quite brown, and add a cup of mild vinegar (less, if the vinegar is strong). When it boils pour over the cabbage and let it soak some time.

Bridget's Beatitudes.

Blessed is the soda used freely in dish washing. For greasy pots and pans it is invaluable; sprinkle a teaspoonful in water and let boil for a few minutes.

Blessed is the thorough beating given to batter for cakes, muffins, etc. Truly, "spare the rod and spoil the cake."

Blessed is the salt eaten with nuts to aid digestion.

Blessed is the horse-radish (about half a teaspoonful), put in the pan of milk to keep it sweet.

Blessed is the finger of an old kid glove put over the rod on which to hang lace curtains; it saves the material from getting torn.

HIS WAY.

HERE was a man in our town who always used to say: "The things I like, you bet I like, and I like 'em just my way." "Now pose, mister?" "Mixed up with that white sauce?" "That's not the way to cook 'em; just to see it makes me cross."

"Sugar—on—tomatoes?" "Bah! your senses are at fault."

The only way to eat them is with vinegar and salt.

Some idiots eat strawberries with cream and sugar, too. And vinegar on spinach? 'Tis a silly thing to do."

And so it goes—he can't eat this—we're crazy to eat that. What nonsense if, when he likes lean, we dare prefer the fat. We all have had experience with folks who always say:

"How can you eat this so-and-so? Mine is the only way!"

What Are Shallots?

The "shallot" has many names—and superfluous they are, too, since one would suffice for our slight acquaintance "Scallion" and "eschallot" are other names for this plant, which belongs to the onion family, and is close kin to the garlic. The plant was originally a native of Askalon, in Palestine and was brought by the Crusaders into Europe, where it is much esteemed.

In appearance it is much like the small, green onion, usually coupled at the root and very skinny. In flavor, it is a cross between the rank garlic and the mild onion—adjectives, however, which vary with locality and taste, from the French chef who, himself, eats an onion, and then breathes upon the soup, to the Spanish innkeeper whose every dish is smothered in garlic.

Shallots can not be bought the year 'round; grocers keep them only in the spring and fall, when the fresh, green onions are not in market. During the winter, when only the dry, strong onions can be obtained, fancy cookery demands the shallot, and for this trade they are imported.

Washington's Baked Ham. One of the numerous "last cooks" who prepared the meals of Gen. Washington declared this recipe to be an original idea of the "Father of his Country."

Soak a ten-pound ham over night in cold water. Scrape dry and cover with a dough made of five pounds of flour and enough water to make it stiff. Roll this batter about one inch thick and roll the ham in it. Place in a baking-pan, fat side up, and bake five hours. Cover any exposed parts with extra paste. When cooked, break off the crust, skin the ham, sprinkle with brown sugar and brown quickly.

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Some persons would not believe that a man could suffer from coffee drinking so severely as to cause spells of unconsciousness. And to find complete relief in changing from coffee to Postum is well worth recording.

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"My friends, and even the doctor, told me it was drinking coffee that caused the trouble. I would not believe it, and still drank coffee until I could not leave my room.

"Then my doctor, who drinks Postum himself, persuaded me to stop coffee and try Postum. After much hesitation I concluded to try it. That was eight months ago. Since then I have had but few of those spells, none for more than four months.

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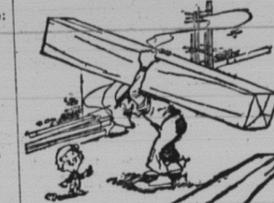
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Mrs. A. J. Davis of Murray, Ky., says: "When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, kidney disease was slowly poisoning me. Dizzy spells almost made me fall, sharp pains like knife thrusts would catch me in the back, and finally an attack of grip left me with a constant agonizing backache. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me quickly and in three weeks' time there was not a symptom of kidney trouble remaining." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

CONSIDERATION.



The Workman—Hey, what's that? The Kid—I sez, any time you gits tired I'll take de job fer two cents a hour.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Husband and Wife. No man yet was ever made more tender by having tenderness demanded of him; no man yet was ever cried into loving his wife more. I'm willing to admit that men are as faulty creatures as women themselves, unsympathetic in small things, often blind, and that they may easily be exasperated into small brutalities of speech. If a woman refrains from exacting devotion, and is unswervingly kind and unselfish, a husband who has any affection for his wife at all can be left to look out for doing his share. He will look out for it anyway; no one else can make him. Neither tears nor entreaties will wring from him those small kindnesses and attentions so dear to women.—A Wife, in Harper's Bazar.

Congratulations Wanted. On entering his club one evening not long ago a young Philadelphian was accosted by a friend, who exclaimed:

"Why, Charley, you are positively beaming! What's up?"

"I'm in the greatest luck imaginable," responded the other. "You know I've been hanging about a pretty Yonkers girl for almost a year. During all this time she would never admit that she loved me; she would only say that she respected me. But now, old chap, congratulate me, for last night she confessed that she respected me no longer—that she loved me!"—Lippincott's.

Humorously Worded R. buke. Theodore P. Roberts had a fluent command of language, both in speaking and writing, and was well liked by everybody. He could secure the attention of a negligent publisher if need be. To one such, who was remiss about sending vouchers, he once closed up a long letter with the sentence: "And, finally, my dear sir, permit me to say that it would be easier for a camel to ride into the kingdom of heaven on a velocipede than for anyone to find a late copy of your paper in the city of New York."

A Discomfiting Witness. The following colloquy took place between Councillor Sealingwax and a witness who "would-talk-back": "You say, sir, the prisoner is a thief?" "Yes, sir. 'Cause why, she has confessed she was." "And you also swear she worked for you after this confession?" "Yes, sir." "Then we are to understand that you employ dishonest people to work for you, even after their rascalities are known?" "Of course. How else would I get assistance from a lawyer?"—Argonaut.

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CHURCH CIRCLES

ST. PAUL'S.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor
Regular services at the usual hour next Sunday morning.
Sunday school immediately after the morning sermon.

BAPTIST
Rev. G. A. Chittenden, Pastor.
Preaching service at 10 a. m.
Sunday school at 11:15.
B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m.
Preaching at 7 p. m.
Come and bring another.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
The Christian Science Society will meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual hour next Sunday, October 25, 1908. Subject, "Probation After Death." Golden text, "He knoweth the way that I take, when he hath tried me, I shall come forth as gold."

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor
"Is the Bible Infallible?" This important question will be considered Sunday morning. At the evening service the first of a series on the general subject "Religion and Medicine" will be presented. Theme "The Emmanuel Movement. The Influence of the Mind on the Body."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Rev. D. H. Glass, Pastor.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at seven o'clock. Topic, "How To Make A Prayer Meeting Interesting."

Both the preaching service and the Sunday school begin at ten o'clock Sunday morning, and close at half past eleven. Morning sermon, "Paul The Athlete," an appeal for manly Christian character.

Mr. Herman Benter will lead the Epworth League meeting at six o'clock. At seven o'clock the pastor will preach on the topic, "Is Man Immortal, Or Does Death End All?" This is the second of a series of sermons on present day topics.

Special attention is called to the morning service which is so arranged that the whole family can come together, sit together, and go home together. It requires but an hour and a half to hear a sermon and attend the Sunday school.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,
SEAR FRANCISCO.
Rev. J. E. Beal, Pastor.

The services on next Sunday morning will begin at 10 o'clock. There will be one service, it being the occasion of the annual Sunday school day. Those of the community who do not regularly attend a Sunday school are heartily invited to come and to join one of the classes. Such persons will find suitable classes to join. There are classes for children, for young people, for middle aged people and old people and for Germans and English. An offering will be received for the Methodist Board of Sunday schools which is for the support of needy mission schools as well as for establishing new Sunday schools in needy districts. The spirit of God is expected to be very perceptible at this service.

The Epworth League devotional service will begin at 7:30 p. m. topic, "God in the Christian's Heart." Miss Dorothy Notten, leader. English preaching service at 8 p. m.

On Wednesday, October 28, Rev. B. F. Beal of Detroit will give a stereoscopic lecture at the church on "The Deaconess Work, Its Origin, History And Its Present Extent." A beautiful set of views presenting scenes of the work will be exhibited. There will be no admission charges only a free will offering to defray the expenses will be received. On this date donations of various vegetables, fruits etc. will be received to send to the Bethesda hospital and Deaconess Home at Cincinnati, Ohio. You are cordially invited to come and learn something about the noble work of the deaconess.

To have properly cooked food use "Garland" stoves and ranges. Sold exclusively by Fred. H. Belsor, Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Waldrip and children, of Chanute, Kansas, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Klein, Sunday.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

L. T. Freeman spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.
Fred H. Belsor spent Monday in Ann Arbor.
Lewis Hindelang spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Ed. Easterle, of Ann Arbor, was in town Sunday.
Robert McGuiness, of Dexter, was in town Saturday.
Miss Jessie Benton was a Dexter visitor Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Maroney was a Detroit visitor Sunday.
Mrs. Conrad Lehman was a Jackson visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leach spent Sunday in Tecumseh.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Taylor spent Sunday at Ann Arbor.

Austin Keenan, of Detroit, visited friends here Sunday.
LaMont BeGole, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his father here.

Dr. Jas. Ackerson, of Manchester, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.
Mrs. Mark Watson, of Flint, is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Watson.

Fred Taylor, of Jackson, spent Monday with his parents here.
George Eisele, of Albion, spent Sunday with his parents here.

A. H. Stedman, of Detroit, is spending several days at this place.
Miss Helen Burg was the guest of her sister in Jackson Monday.

Miss Rachel Benham was a Lansing visitor Saturday and Sunday.
Miss Mary Haab was the guest of relatives in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Miss Lena Foster, of Grass Lake, called on friends here Sunday.
Attorney Geo. Burke, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Snyder are visiting friends in Howell this week.
Mr. and Mrs. John Pfister, of Jackson, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wurster spent the first of the week in Traverse City.
Misses Anna Miller and Nellie Maroney were in Detroit Monday.

Misses Helen and Mabel McGuiness were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday.
Mrs. C. Oesterle spent the first of the week with her daughters in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. James VanOrden spent Sunday with relatives in Ann Arbor.
Miss Laura Doyle, of Pinckney, was a Chelsea visitor the first of the week.

Harry Lyons, of Battle Creek, visited his mother here the first of the week.
Harold Carpenter and Cleon Wolf were Dexter visitors Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash and children, of Manchester, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.
James Geddes and family spent Sunday at the home of Henry Luick, in Lima.

C. Wines, of Delray, visited with friends in this vicinity the first of the week.
Mrs. A. H. Stedman and daughter Cora, of Detroit, spent Sunday at this place.

Miss Hazel Hummel, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with her parents at this place.
Mrs. Meade, of Jackson, has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Carriage.

Mrs. Pratt, of Detroit, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Belsor the first of the week.
Wm. Mohrlock and wife, of Chicago spent last week with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. J. L. Gilbert has returned from Pontiac, where she has been spending several weeks.
Misses Mamie Drislane and Lenore Curtis and John Riley were Hillsdale visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams and daughter Alta, of Wayne, were Chelsea visitors Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. BeGole, of Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, of Ypsilanti, spent the first of the week with Wm. Atkinson and family.
Miss Janet Connor, of Jackson, is spending this week at the home of Wirt S. McLaren and wife.

Mrs. Wm. Topler, of Jackson, spent several days of the past week with her mother, Mrs. C. Oesterle.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Orwick, of Jackson, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Witherell Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Sullivan and daughter, of Union City, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKernan.
F. E. Adair has returned to his duties at the Michigan Central freight office, after spending a week at Utica.

S. B. Tichenor, of Lansing, has been spending the past week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Tichenor.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, of Clinton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lighthall several days of last week.

Mrs. L. T. Freeman is in Detroit this week, taking instructions under Leykauf, the celebrated china decorator.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guerin and daughter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Steinbach, of Lima, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lighthall entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Miles, of Dexter, Homer Lighthall, of Detroit, and Benedict Root, of Manchester, Sunday.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SUGAR LOAF LAKE.

George Rowe spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Bott.

Mrs. Agnes Runciman spent last Thursday in Detroit.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Agnes Runciman. All enjoyed a fine time, and say that Mrs. Runciman is a royal entertainer.

SHARON NEWS.

Miss Norma O'Neil spent Sunday in Detroit.

H. W. Hayes and wife, of Sylvan, visited at Henry Sunday.

Jacob Schaible and family, of Freedom, spent Sunday here.

B. E. Matteson and family, of Iron Creek, spent Sunday with H. P. O'Neil.

Lynn Hardenburg and family, of Tecumseh, visited with friends here Sunday.

Fred Bruestle went to Saline last Thursday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Julia Schaible, of Manchester, spent part of last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Oberschmidt.

Mrs. Frank Ferguson and daughters, of Clinton, spent part of last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reno.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Fred Heselschwerdt spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. O. Fisk, who has been seriously ill, is somewhat better.

Clarence Gage and wife spent Sunday with Elmer Gage.

School Commissioner Essery visited Miss Mary Weber's school Tuesday.

Clarice and John D. Watson, of Chelsea, visited with Theresa Markel Sunday.

Raymond Ready, of Munith, was a guest at the home of Jas. Heim last week.

Mrs. George Isbell, of Ann Arbor, spent part of last week with her parents here.

Genevieve and Loretta Weber were guests of Mabel Hummel, of Chelsea, Sunday.

Mrs. L. Benedict, of Detroit, and Mrs. Milton Hawley spent Friday with Miss Libbie Monks.

Misses Myrta Wolff and Emma Schneckenburg, of Chelsea, were guests at the home of P. Broesamle Sunday.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Will Stocking was in Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Stocking was in Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. Stella Wilson was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

John Steinbach and Theo. Wolf spent Wednesday in Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman and children, of Francisco, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. W. Fiske, of Sylvan, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Stowell Wood.

Mrs. Bertha Clark, of Salem, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fiske, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stowell Wood.

Mrs. Emily Boynton, of Sylvan, spent part of this week with Mrs. Fannie Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guerin, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of John Steinbach.

Arl and Estella Guerin attended the football game in Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon, and the Masonic fair at Ypsilanti Saturday evening.

The Mill Creek drain will be let Friday. The ladies will serve dinner in the church parlors at noon. Everybody invited. Dinner 25 cents.

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When you buy your Underwear be sure that the name "Forest Mills" or "Essex Mills" on the garment. This insures you the best goods for the money. Women's heavy fleecelined ribbed vests and pants others ask 35c, our price 25c. Women's Union suits, heavy fleecelined, ribbed, others ask 75c, our price 59c. Our line of Women's and Children's Wool Underwear is now complete.

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NORTH SHARON.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gage spent Sunday with Elmer Gage.

Dr. Haynes and son, of Jackson, were visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Oker and daughter, of Adrian, visited her father here the past week.

Ashley Holden and wife visited at the home of Herbert Harvey near Francisco Sunday.

Carlos Dorr and family visited at the home of Mr. Buss near Manchester Sunday.

John Deboldt, of Jackson, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Krause.

Mrs. Whitney, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. A. Collins, of Grass Lake, visited their cousin, Mrs. C. Gage, last Friday.

Religion And Medicine.

Rev. M. L. Grant will deliver a series of Sunday evening addresses on "Religion and Medicine; or the moral control of nervous disorders" at the Congregational church. This is one of the most timely topics of the day and will include a discussion of faith cures, Christian Science, etc., from a new point of view. The subjects and dates of delivery are as follows:

1. The Emmanuel Movement, The Influence of the Mind on the Body, October 25.
2. The Causes of Nervousness, November 1.
3. The Healing Power of Faith and Prayer, November 8.
4. The Healing Wonders of Christ, Can they be duplicated Today? November 15.

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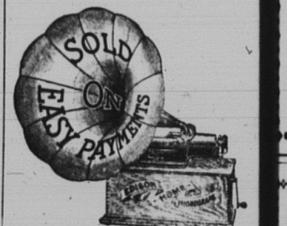
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Jos. Heim is marketing a crop of 800 bushels of potatoes.

The Cytherean Circle met with Miss Nellie Hall last Thursday afternoon.

There will be a regular meeting of the Lady Maccabees next Tuesday evening.

At the Maccabee supper and fair there will be sweet cider and doughnuts on sale.

The Ladies' Research Club will meet with Mrs. E. E. Gallup Monday evening, October 26th.

Philip Broesamle is building an addition to his barn on his farm northwest of this village.

All kinds of farm produce will be on sale at the Maccabee supper and fair Friday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greening were called to Hamburg last Monday by the serious illness of Mrs. Greening's father.

All persons who have contributed articles for the Maccabee fair will please bring the same to the town hall Friday morning.

Elder Wright has just closed three years of faithful work in the church at North Lake. He will be greatly missed by his many friends.

The Standard has on exhibition in its front window two ears of calico dent corn thirteen inches long, which were raised by Edward Dancer of Lima.

Eugene McKernan and family are moving their household goods from Jackson to the John McKernan farm in Lyndon, where they will make their home.

Madame Naomi the celebrated palmist will be at the town hall Friday evening of this week. Don't fail to visit her booth. She will tell you an interesting history.

Word has been received that Mrs. A. R. Welch, who has been spending the summer in the east, is suffering from severe injuries, the result of being in an automobile accident.

Rev. Holmes, of Chelsea, who preached the funeral sermon for J. W. Wing, of Scio, Sunday, is 91 years of age. Those who heard declare that it was difficult to believe that he was so old.—Ann Arbor News.

Miss Nellie Lowry of Chelsea won the grand prize in the Ann Arbor News' contest for a trip to New York or New Orleans. Her total vote was 453,340, the next nearest to that number being 271,225.

Our streets were lighted once more Tuesday evening, after being in darkness for several weeks. A new arc dynamo has been installed, the old one being exchanged toward the purchase price of the new one.

J. P. Wood's barn on Harrison street burned about 7 o'clock this morning. The fire was undoubtedly caused from defective electric wiring. Among the property consumed was Mr. Wood's automobile which he recently purchased. The insurance covers but a slight part of the loss.

A good sized audience was present Saturday evening at the Republican rally at the town hall. Hon. P. T. Colgrove gave an interesting talk on the issues of the day. Judge H. Wirt Newkirk, F. E. Stivers and Carl Storm also addressed the gathering. The republican quartette, James Harkins and the Chelsea band assisted in the carrying out of the program.

The board of directors of the Chelsea Stove and Manufacturing company held a meeting at this place Tuesday morning. The party consisted of Alexander McPherson, president, Ralph Stone, secretary and treasurer, Emory W. Clark vice president, H. C. Potter, Frank F. Tillotson, Jas. A. Smith, of Detroit, W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, and A. W. Wilkinson, of Chelsea.

Madame Marcella Sembrich will appear in the initial program of this season's Choral Union series of concerts, at University Hall, Ann Arbor, Tuesday, October 27th. She is conceded to be the most eminent living exponent of the Italian art of sing, known as "bel canto." No singer since Adeline Patti has gained such triumphs on the concert platform as she.

Every man, woman, and child in the United States in recent months has heard the expression: "He is a game bird; but he flies funny;" but there is doubt that more than 25 per cent of those who have heard or have used the expression know its source. It is one of the big laughing speeches in "The Man of the Hour," which will be acted by William A. Brady and Joseph R. Grimer's special company, made up of well-known actors, on Tuesday, November 3, in Ann Arbor, where it will be seen for the first time at the Whitney Theatre.

L. T. Freeman is spending today in Toledo.

Remember the supper and fair at the town hall tomorrow night. Price 20 cents.

The Cytmore Club met with Miss Pauline Schoen Friday evening of last week.

Mrs. J. D. Schnaitman has been having her residence on west Middle street repaired.

John Reilly and Kent Walworth made an auto trip to Ann Arbor Wednesday evening.

Herbert Schenk and Julius Strieter were Ann Arbor visitors Wednesday evening.

Miss Ruby Cushman, of Williamston, spent the first of the week with Mrs. Bert McClain.

Bert McClain and wife attended the funeral of Charles McClain at Stockbridge Friday.

Chas. Downer and wife attended a social of the Royal Neighbors in Grass Lake last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Blum, of Bridgewater, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Klein, Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Carey, of Plymouth, and Mrs. Frank Lewis, of Ann Arbor, were the guests of Mrs. A. B. Clark Tuesday.

Ashley Holden has rented the Congdon residence on south Main street and will move to Chelsea about November 1.

Gilbert Wilson, barytone, of Ann Arbor, will sing at the Methodist church at the morning service Sunday.

The Epworth League will give a hallowe'en social in the Methodist church Friday evening, October 30th. Every one is invited.

The fire alarm last Thursday afternoon, was caused by a fire in a field on the Wilkinson farm in the western part of the village.

The reception at the Baptist church Tuesday evening to Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Chittenden and family, was a very pleasant affair.

Miss Nen Wilkinson entertained a number of friends at her home on Main street this afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Jas. Dodds of Lansing.

Mrs. Abrams, of Jackson, and Mrs. Robt. Burdick, of Battle Creek, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Steinbach several days this week.

The Girl's Athletic Association of the Chelsea high school gave a party at the opera house Wednesday evening, which was a most enjoyable affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ulrickson, of Jackson, and Mrs. Harriet McChesney, of Yonkers, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wirt S. McLaren Sunday.

The Maccabee supper will consist of oysters, roast meats and the best that the market affords. The price will be 20 cents and everybody is invited.

Mrs. John Kelley, of west Middle street received considerable of a scare Saturday evening. Upon going to the cellar she discovered a man helping himself to the fruit stored there, and making himself at home generally. He ran away and was captured later, and proved to be L. V. Moore of Waterloo township, who is slightly demented and had wandered away from his home. Dr. Lyon, of Grass Lake, came here Sunday morning and took charge of him.

The Michigan State Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention in the city of Detroit, November 11, 12 and 13, 1908. Marion Lawrence, Dr. H. M. Hamill, Herbert Moninger, Rev. A. C. Dixon, Mrs. H. M. Hamill and Mrs. M. S. Lamoreaux will be present. Tullar and Meredith will have charge of the music. A cordial invitation is extended to all pastors, superintendents, teachers, officers and scholars to come and enjoy the "Feast of good things."

A broken wheel on an east bound Michigan Central freight caused two cars to be derailed just west of Hayes street last Friday morning. The flange of the wheel gave away near the west Guthrie crossing and from that point to the Chelsea yards the rails were considerably damaged. The wrecking crew from Jackson was called and repaired the damage. The traffic of the line was not interfered with as the north and south sidetracks were used by the east and west bound trains to pass the wrecked cars.

The senior class of the Chelsea high school announce two fine entertainments to be given at the opera house Saturday, October 24. At 3 o'clock Col. C. H. French will present a beautiful illustrated address on Japan, presenting a delightful journey through that most wonderful empire. At 8 o'clock the address will be on the Yellowstone National Park, giving an exquisitely beautiful portrayal of this wonderful of the world. These lectures are illustrated with the most complete and expensive collections of moving pictures in the world. Admission, 10 cents for school children; adults 15 cents.

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THE ROSE BEETLE HAS INVADED VINEYARDS

Pest May Prove a Serious Problem for Grape Growers Another Year.

Our hereditary enemy, the rose-chaffer, or rose beetle, has of late been making such bold invasions into the grape territory that any measures which promise even partial success are welcome to the vineyard owners.

The life history of this awkward creature is known pretty well by those interested; the eggs are laid usually in soil and in well-drained sandy soil by preference; just such land as abounds in the fruit belt. The larvae are white grubs, resembling in miniature the grubs of the ordinary white grub of the June beetle. Like their larger relatives, they feed on the roots of vegetation. They attain their full size in the fall, and at that time hollow out small cells in the soil, where they pass the winter. In the spring the larvae change to pupae and, later in June, the adult beetles, with their long awkward legs, come out and spread over the country-side, collecting in regions where their food plants are to be found, new legions appearing from day to day as earlier ones die or are killed off, sometimes collecting in almost unbelievable numbers.

Grapes suffer most of all the fruits.



Rose Beetle Catcher in Use in Vineyard.

The beetles seem to come out just in time to feast on the flowers and young sets, and a single beetle can account for many bunches of grapes at such a time.

On just such an occasion, the writer in company with his assistant, Mr. E. J. Kraus, visited a vineyard at Decatur, a well-known grape region. Here a pan seven feet six inches long, 22 inches wide and one inch deep was made from a sheet of galvanized iron.

To one side of this was fastened a light frame three feet high and running the entire length of the frame, being secured by a bracket to the frame of the pan. The pan was prepared by placing a number of old pieces of cloth, soaked in water, in the bottom and over this pouring about a quart of kerosene. When the pan had been made ready, it was placed alongside of a vine and the beetles beaten into it by means of switches made of broom corn. After collecting the beetles from one vine the pan was moved along to the next and the beating repeated. Some of the beetles fell short of the pan, some struck the shield and bounded back, but most of them stayed in and died. It is likely that a deep notch in the side of the

pan, which would admit of placing the pan closer to the vines, would make it possible to catch more of the beetles. Of course, all the beetles that touched the oil died.

Quite a large number of beetles were collected in this way, but on the day of the trial the beetles were not so plentiful as the writer has seen them at other times. It is likely that when the beetles are not numerous, two men with ordinary milk pans, with rags in the bottom and with switches would do about as well. When very numerous the large pan should be efficient. It requires hard work to carry such a pan over the hills, such as are ordinarily used for grape growing. Our illustration shows such a pan in use.

A test of arsenate of lead in heavy doses was also made at the same time. A certain portion of the vineyard was sprayed with arsenate, using four pounds to the barrel of water. The ordinary prepared paste was used. It started with a well-stirred charge, but owing to the inefficiency of the agitator, the application was far stronger at the part first sprayed than when farther away.

As to the results of the spray, Mr.

E. V. Hayden, in whose vineyard the test was made, writes in substance: "In the north block where the spray was strong, the unsprayed rows averaged a little more than half as much as the average of the two rows that were sprayed. The beetles had been at work for a week when the spray was applied. No injury to the vines resulted from the strongest of the mixture."

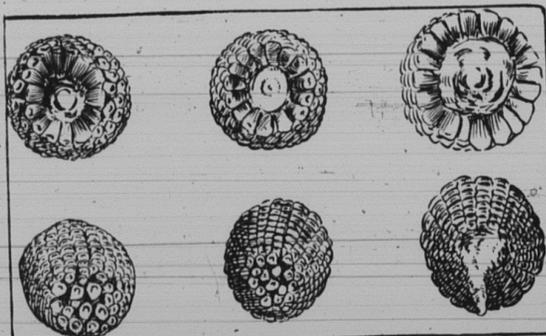
This looks very encouraging, but the grower must always keep in mind that the spraying must be done thoroughly, everything must be hit and all parts of the vine washed with the mixture. Also use a pump with an agitator which will work when the pump is moving slowly.

R. S. PETTIT,
Entomologist, Michigan.

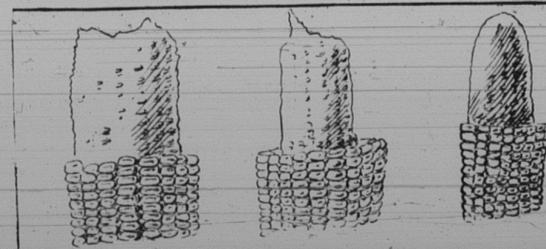
They Will.—The old theory that sheep and cattle will not feed on the same range is now proven to be fallacious in the extreme. Down Texas way they have the finest cattle and the finest sheep of the country, both feeding from the same range and both doing well. The owners are prosperous alike from both these branches of the stock-raising industry.

SELECTING THE BEST EARS FOR SEED CORN

Don't Put the Work Off Until Next Spring—Do It Now.



Ears from corn showing butts and tips. The two on the left are well shaped and filled to the end. The two on the right are badly formed.



Large, medium and small-sized cobs. The ear with the medium-sized cob is the best type to choose as the kernels are of good length.

Entertainments

Two Suggestions for Merry Parties on the
Night of Hallowe'en—Supper Appropriate for Festive Occasion

"NOW, girls, don't forget next Friday at three; bring your thimbles."

This was what Mme. Merri heard the first of the week as she passed a boy of young girls on the corner. Scouting something new and novel the speaker was waylaid as she stopped in front of a shop window in which Hallowe'en favors were displayed in a most enticing manner.

Really, I do not see how any one, old or young, rich or poor, is going to resist entertaining on this October 31, for never in the history of this quaint festival has such a fascinating line of novelties been shown. Even the post card man has cards for Hallowe'en with "saucy cats and jolly jacks." But to return to our "mutton," or, as it turned out to be, "ghosts."

The tall maiden with the scarlet bow on her hat walked a couple of blocks with me and with radiant enthusiasm unfolded this plan to me. I hope the suggestions will be in ample time for our readers to benefit by them.

Twelve girls were to meet at her house, as she was to be the hostess. They were to cut and make 12 dominoes black as night for the special men who were to receive the following invitation:

"On the night of Hallowe'en the ghosts will walk at (give place and hour). You are commanded to appear by order of the Twelve Royal Ghostesses. Please don't forget the contents of this box."

Paper cambric was to be used for the dominoes, with close-fitting arrangements to cover the head. The masks were to be of black, also. Then, to make matters more gruesome, they had procured 12 postboard boxes to be covered with black crepe paper, of which a skull and crossbones in white were to be pasted. In these receptacles the men were to find the costumes. All the girls are to dress in white sheets, and each will carry a long lighted taper. They are to enter in a single file into the room lit dimly after the men have arrived. The dining table is to be pure white, candles of white, unshaded, with a ghost favor for the men, a candle for each girl. At ten o'clock the cotillon will be danced with Hallowe'en favors exclusively. The refreshments are all to be in keeping. Cider frappe, Waldorf salad in red apples. Instead of one large cake, there are to be small ones, each containing a significant token, a key, heart, thimble, coin, etc.

A "Cold" Hallowe'en Supper.
A young man who feels the weight of his social obligations, and who has a most obliging mother and sister, has asked eight guests to a "cold" supper on the night of Hallowe'en—four girls and four men. This is what it is to be like: First, the dining room is to be decorated with the usual Hallowe'en symbols, candles furnishing the only light. After the guests are seated at the table they are to be informed that they must pass whatever is passed to them; not to look, above all, not to

drop, any of the objects. The first article is to be a potato stuck full of toothpicks; then a mechanical toy; for instance, a beetle, big fly, one that will keep in motion for several minutes. A piece of fur, a jointed Japanese snake, and a bit of ice are objects that will call forth shrieks. A yard or two of sausage casing blown up and a glove filled with sand and wet will fill the hearts with terror. All these articles will have been in the ice chest for about 12 hours so as to be thoroughly cold.

When the articles have all been returned to the basket at the feet of the hostess it will be funny enough to hear the comments as to what they are. The first course of the real supper is to be oyster cocktails, then a regular supper menu. With the dessert a huge pumpkin will be passed, into which each guest will put his hand, drawing out some quaint Hallowe'en favor.

When the hour for departure comes the men will be led to a window box in which as many cabbages as there are ladies present will be "growing." They will be pulled, on the roof will be found the name of the lady who is to be protected from the witches and kobolds that may be encountered on the way home. In olden days Hallowe'en was sometimes called "cabbage night," and fortunes were told by going into a cabbage patch and pulling up the heads. One's future mate was determined by a crooked or straight root.

MADAME MERRI.



Khaki is much used in trimmings. All stroked effects will be a la mode. Street gowns will have little trimmings.

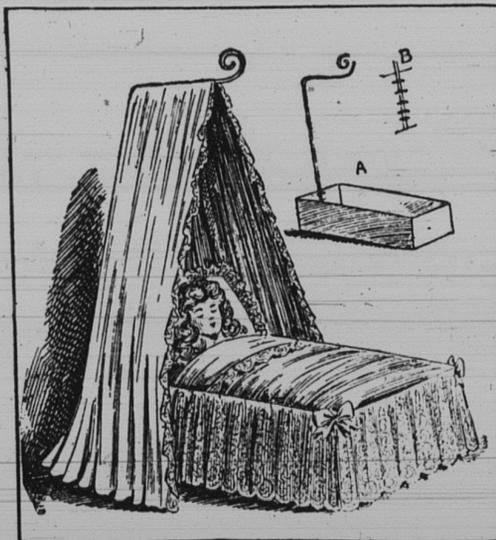
The waistcoat maintains its popularity. Autumn jackets are trimmed with large buttons.

Half tones of all colors lead in winter materials. There is a short waisted effect in nearly all coats.

The new neck ruches have achieved but little popularity. Hats will be worn as low as they can be put on the head.

Cause of Muddy Complexion.
Girls who are troubled with a muddy complexion and moth spots will usually find the cause due to a sluggish liver. The best possible remedy for a sluggish liver is lemon juice. Take the juice of half a lemon in just enough water to weaken the acid and with no sugar the first thing on rising. A brisk morning walk will do much to improve the condition of the liver and the general health. A ten-minute walk in the fresh morning air before breakfast will brighten one's spirits and health and will improve the appetite for breakfast.

Cot for Dolly



THE size of the cot we wish to make must, of course, depend on the size of dolly, but large or small, the cot can be made in the same way. We shall, in all probability, find all the materials that we shall require ready to hand at home, so that no outlay of any kind will be necessary.

First of all, we must select a strong wooden or cardboard box, large enough to hold dolly comfortably, and for which a pillow and a little mattress must be made to fit. Then a strong piece of wire must be obtained and bent in the shape shown, and fixed in position to support the drapery of the head. Should the box be a wooden one, then the end of the wire can be driven into the edge of the box, but if the box be of cardboard, then the end of the wire can be sewn on to the inside of the box with a stout needle and thread and so held in its place. B explains this, and A is the box with the wire support fixed in position and ready for the drapery.

The larger sketch shows the way in which the drapery of the hood may be arranged, and the edges in front are trimmed with narrow lace. The sides of the box may also be trimmed with lace or any light material that may be handy, and a little ribbon is sewn on at each corner.

The curtains are of muslin, edged with lace both sides, are cut in one long strip and thrown over the wire, to which they may be tacked to keep them in position. The pillow should have a little lace frilled cover, the sheet must be trimmed with lace, the counterpane and blankets to be made as plainly as possible.

IRELAND'S CHAMPION

JOHN REDMOND, M. P., NOW TOURING THIS COUNTRY.

Leader of His Party in British Parliament Ranks High as an Orator and Debater—Life Full of Activities.

Chicago—Since the death of Charles Stewart Parnell, the most forceful factor in Irish leadership has been, and still is, John Edward Redmond, the leader of the Irish party in the British parliament, who is now touring this country.

Fifty-three years of age, of a physique that, notwithstanding its constant strain that has been placed upon it for years, is still magnificent, eloquent, a tactician of the highest order, a man of learning and of the most remarkable self-control, Mr. Redmond occupies at the present time the foreground in the arena of English and Irish politics.

His career in parliament began at an almost youthful period in his life. His father, Mr. Redmond, Sr., has often spoken boldly upon the floor of commons against British misrule in Ireland.

John Redmond was educated by the Jesuits at Clongowood Wood college and at Trinity college in Dublin, where he had a distinguished career.

Only a few years after leaving college he took his seat in the house of commons. During his service there he stood for a division in Liverpool in 1885, but was defeated.

On the first day that he entered parliament he was suspended from that body for a breach of the rules. At that time Gladstone, Parnell, Healey, William O'Brien and John Dillon were leaders.

Redmond made himself recognized by all these able men. He was at once a brilliant orator and debater. His speeches attracted notice for their eloquence and grasp of the subject in



Mr. JOHN REDMOND, M.P.

hand. He became one of the recognized lieutenants of Parnell. Because of his recognized ability he was chosen, with his brother, to establish a national organization in Australia. During the six months that he remained there he addressed hundreds of Irish societies throughout the country, and as a result of this work \$30,000 was subscribed to the Parnell fund.

Whether in the country or at his town house in Leeson park, Dublin, Mr. Redmond is an early riser. He is very methodical in his manner, and by that means can crowd an immense amount of work into a given time.

He rises about seven, and after breakfast reads the morning papers and attends to his correspondence until the middle of the forenoon. When in Dublin, as a rule, as soon as his correspondence is attended to he gets on the top of a tram car and smokes in the most democratic fashion as he proceeds into the city and goes to the United Irish league office, on O'Connell street, where he immediately plunges into political work of various kinds.

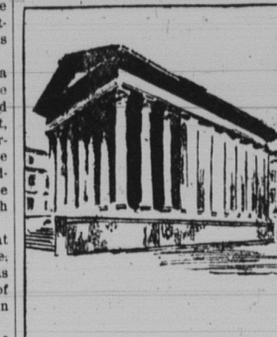
He has a private office about the general office building, which has borne a historic part in the struggle of the last 25 years. There he straightens out little local differences all over the country, takes counsel with his colleagues, maps out the line which he will adopt in dealing with the latest declarations of English cabinet ministers, keeps his hand on the pulse of the national movement throughout the country, glances sharply over the latest American newspapers, in the intervals chatting with callers, sending or answering telegrams all over Great Britain and Ireland, or mayhap cabling to those entrusted with the work of organization in America or Australia.

He goes back to his house for dinner and returns to the league office in the afternoon, remaining until well into the evening if necessity demands or his presence is needed. There is scarcely an evening that Mr. Redmond is not called upon to address a gathering of some sort—educational, political, national or social—while he is in Dublin. He is essentially, however, a family man, and prefers the quiet of his home to any outside attraction which he can avoid.

ROMAN TEMPLE IN FRANCE.

Structure at Nimes—Best Preserved Building of An. Rome.

Nimes, France.—The amphitheater at Nimes is among the most perfectly preserved of all the structures of ancient Rome, the crypts, the dens for wild beasts, the subterranean dungeons, the massive arches and superstructure, and the great circular tiers of stone seats, all being so perfectly preserved that the French population of the present day gathers here every Sunday afternoon during the season, to gloat over the bloody spectacle of a bull fight, in the same arena where,



Amphitheater at Nimes, France.

1,800 years ago trained gladiators and Christian martyrs were "butchered to make a Roman holiday."

At Nimes is also the most perfectly preserved Roman temple in existence. It is a lovely little Corinthian edifice now known as the Maison Carree, and dates from the year 4 A. D. This beautiful little temple, which is now used as a museum of antiquities, served to some extent as a model for the great church of the Madeleine in Paris.

Among other interesting Roman ruins in Nimes are the Gateway of Augustus Caesar, the beautiful Temple of Diana, and the Baths of Diana, which have been excavated, after having been buried for over 1,500 years. The Roman name of Nimes was Nemausus, and the Emperor Hadrian, who did much to beautify the city, at one time contemplated making it his capital.

About 15 miles from Nimes, near the picturesque little provincial village of Romonius, may be seen one of the grandest and most impressive of all the Roman structures known to the present age. It is the wonderful aqueduct across the river Gard, constructed in the year 27 B. C. by Marcus Agrippa, the great general and son-in-law of Augustus Caesar, and known to the world as the Pont du Gard.

There is perhaps no ancient structure in all of Rome that brings us so closely in touch with the mighty engineers of that greatest age of the empire as does this splendid old bridge which still towers across the valley of the Gard among the lonely hills of southern France. It spans two hillsides nearly a thousand feet apart and carries an aqueduct upon three superimposed tiers of massive stone arches at a height of 180 feet above the brawling stream.

URGES OXYGEN FOR ATHLETES.

Prof. Smith Declares It Is Great Help for Them.

New York.—Dr. E. E. Smith, professor of physiology, Fordham university, asserts that oxygen is the athletic food of the future and that the public is on the eve of an all-around smashing of the record tables.

"You admit having received a \$1,000 fee from the trust," said the lawyer for the state.

"I do," replied the senator, calmly. Besides, I sent it back."

"Sent it back?"

"I did."

"Your honor," said the lawyer, turning to the court, "I cannot prosecute an insane man."

Adjournment was had until the alienists could be rounded up.

They Did.

Uncle Henry—Nellie, I hope to observe the Sabbath at that lake resort where you spent your vacation.

Pretty Niece—Indeed they do, and on Sundays they always serve a rather four course dinner.

He gave oxygen to swimmers recently and each one of them beat his or her previous record easily. Dr. A. A. Stagg, physical director of the University of Chicago, proposes to try what the inhaling of oxygen will do to aid Chicago's football men in making touchdowns this fall.

Dr. Gies, an authority on administered oxygen, says: "Oxygen is the vital principle in the air we breathe. Oxygen given to athletes means merely that they are given a supply of pure air—nothing else. No possible harm can come from its use and it certainly ought to produce results so far as record-breaking is concerned."

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SEASIDE SILHOUETTE.



A young couple who are very much taken with each other.

"The Law."

Parents of Wayne, a suburb of Philadelphia, are required to report promptly any case of contagious disease, in compliance with the regulations of the local board of health.

In accordance with this order Health Officer Leary received the post card recently:

"Dear Sir: This is to notify you that my boy Ephraim is down with the measles as required by the new law."—Harper's Weekly.

Insanity.

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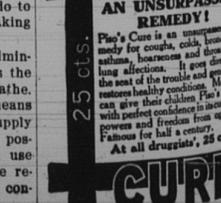
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BREVITIES

August Winter died in the University hospital Saturday from injuries received yesterday, when he fell 20 feet while working in the new memorial building on the campus. He fell across a steel beam and several heavy timbers fell upon him. He was terribly crushed.

Mrs. William Sauer, who lives west of Leoni village, met with a severe accident on Thursday last. While endeavoring to ameliorate the condition of a horse taken with the colic the animal during a spasm fell or rolled on her foot, knocking her down and breaking both bones of her leg just above the ankle.

Mrs. Herman Updike died at her home near Wildcat Mills in Leoni township on Tuesday. Her death was caused by a singular circumstance. She pared a corn with a knife, when blood poisoning set in owing, supposedly, to germs or bacillus on the blade, when the foot gangrened and death ensued.

Washtenaw county came in for a touch of the forest fires Sunday. At noon that day it was found that an 80-acre tract of woods, owned by John and Dan Nanry, in Superior township, was on fire and the flames were not under control till night. Watchers were stationed in the woods all night to prevent a further outbreak.

A. W. Mills showed the News on Saturday some specimen stalks of a fourth cutting from 12 acres of alfalfa on his farm northeast of town. The stalks were from 24 to 30 inches long and were from one year roots. The four crops have yielded Mr. Mills about five tons to the acre, which makes it a very profitable feeding crop. He now has 25 acres of alfalfa on the farm.—Tecumseh News.

One day last week at the Cook house Henry Norgaard suddenly flew into a rage and became so boisterous that it became necessary to call the officers who lodged him in jail last evening. It is stated that when he became enraged Norgaard threatened to go out, get a gun and return and kill Landlord Wheeler and Steward French. It is thought possible that the man became temporarily unbalanced, as he had been acting strangely.—Ann Arbor News.

"Boys, I guess I'm all done for," said Charles A. Edwards, assistant chief of the Ann Arbor fire department, as he suddenly fell to the floor Friday while trying to assist the members of the department in running a truck out of the engine house. He lapsed into unconsciousness shortly afterwards and died Saturday. It is thought that he injured himself by over-exertion at a recent fire. He was 55 years old and had been connected with the fire department for many years, having at one time been chief.

Two Detroit, Jackson & Chicago cars met in a head-on collision shortly before 11 o'clock Sunday night on the curve at the corner of Washington and Cross streets, Ypsilanti, but none of the passengers were seriously injured, as the cars were moving slowly. The vestibule of the west-bound car was smashed. Passengers say the headlight of the east bound car was not lighted when they boarded it in Ann Arbor. Miss Bessie Clow, a passenger, was badly bruised, some one tramping on her when she was thrown from her seat.

Notice.

All persons who have in their possession dishes or towels belonging to the Lady Maccabees will please return the same to the town hall on Friday of this week. By order of committee.

Dr. N. L. Sage, osteopathic physician, graduate of the American school of osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo., will be at the residence of John Hathaway, from 3 to 5 p. m. Tuesday and Friday of each week to give osteopathic treatments.

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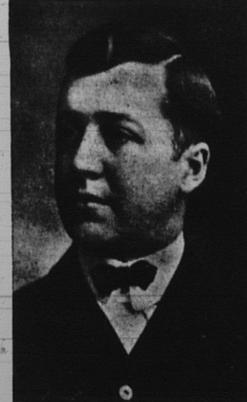
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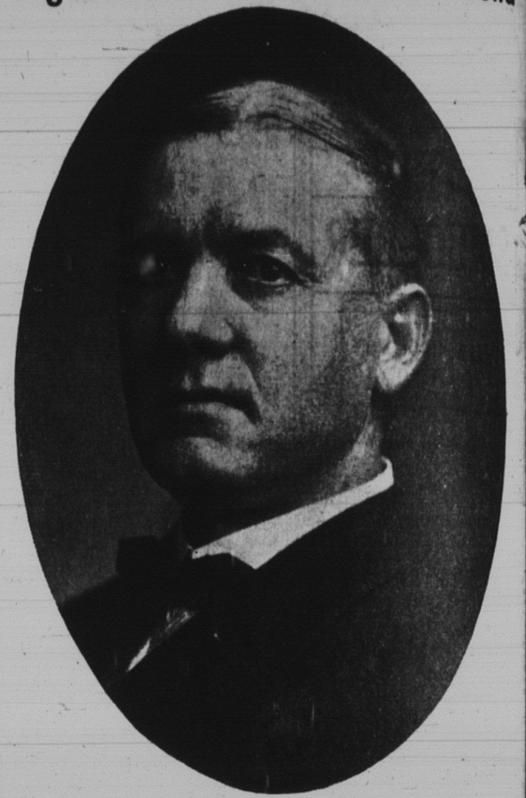


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