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Caught in the Act.

About four o'clock last Friday afternoon Frank Leach and Leigh Palmer made a capture of two men who had broken into the garage of Mr. Palmer on east Middle street.

Mr. Leach went to the premises to secure his automobile and as he approached the building he saw two men at one of the windows and he asked them what they were after, and received the reply "nothing." He ordered them to stop as he had placed them under arrest, when both started on a run to the south and was met at the alley by Leigh Palmer, and Mr. Leach told him to take after the smallest of the two and he would take the other one. Ordinarily Frank is a very good runner, but in this race he had on his overcoat and was somewhat handicapped, but after chasing his man through the yards of several of the residents on East street and falling over one or two fences he landed his man near the new barn of Tommie McNamara. Palmer after a lively race with his chap caught him.

Both men were taken before Justice Witherell, where they gave their names and plead guilty to the charge of breaking and entering a building in the day time and were bound over to the circuit court and taken to the county jail.

Frank Bellamy, who was captured by Palmer, until recently was employed by the Flanders Mfg. Co. and is about 19 years of age. He has a sister who resides here.

Samuel Reanes, the one who gave Leach the foot race, gave his address as Hillsdale and Detroit. Reanes is about 25 years of age, and is wanted by officers in both Jackson and Hillsdale counties.

It is thought that the parties were after auto supplies which they could sell. Possibly they might have been implicated in the haul at the Flanders Mfg. Co. when the cash drawer was robbed.

Contract Awarded.

The contract for supplying gas for use in Chelsea has been awarded to the Ann Arbor Gas Co. by John B. Cole, who was granted a franchise at the special election recently.

The gas will be piped from the Ann Arbor works by the way of Dexter and Gray Village. The town board of Lima has granted permission for laying the pipes through the township and Scio will undoubtedly grant the same privilege. During the coming winter the survey of the route is to be made and the material ordered so that the work can be started as early next spring as possible. Under the franchise Mr. Cole will have to begin supplying gas by November 1st next year or it will be void.

Hallowe'en Pranks.

Tuesday night the youngsters about town did considerable damage to the sidewalks and moveable property at the private residences. In many instances the walks leading from the streets to the front and side entrances of the houses were taken up and carried to the highway and in other cases turned over; porch steps taken up and in fact anything moveable that the "kids" could get hold of, was either carried away or thrown about the yards of the adjoining residences.

Some of the residents call on the marshal to stop the so-called fun, but his efforts did not meet with any great success. The pranks of the youngsters (?) were the worst that have taken place here in years.

Grange Meeting.

The next meeting of Lafayette Grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McMillen, of Lima, on Friday, November 10th. The following will be the program:

Music, Dancer and English.
Roll call, Thanksgiving quotations.
Reading, Mrs. Mason Whipple.
Papers, Thanksgiving in Colonial Days, Mrs. Winslow and Mrs. J. N. Dancer.

Music.
How can farmers lessen their hours of toil? J. N. Dancer.
Recitation, O. C. Burkhardt.
Question Box, T. Fletcher.

Rather Negligent.

Of the twenty-two men who were admitted to citizenship on Monday, October 2, there are still fourteen who have not called at the county clerk's office for their papers. They are as follows: Abram A. Bell Thos. Knight, of Pittsfield; W. J. Mumery, Albert W. Marsh, Herman M. Stiller, Fred W. Broeknow, George F. and Jacob Wuerth, of Ann Arbor; Martin Wurster, John Wurster, Gustave and Chas. A. Prochnow, of Northfield; William Patton, of Whitmore Lake and Jacob F. Ottmar, of Saline.

Enjoyable Evening.

Members of the Epworth League, Mr. Hendry's, and Mrs. Campbell's Sunday school classes and a few others to the number of sixty-five, gathered at the beautiful and commodious home of Mrs. Fanny Ward at Lima for a Hallowe'en party Tuesday evening, leaving Chelsea on the 6:09 car. On arriving the company were received at the car by three ghosts and a witch, while grinning Jack-o-lanterns looking out of the windows, and from the fence posts making a very pretty picture.

Supper was served immediately after the arrival of the company and a splendid supper it was, after which the Hallowe'en stunts began, in the midst of the fun four of the Swiggles family called and added to the amusement of the hour, fortunes were told, every one had a good time, and left for home, voting Mrs. Ward an ideal hostess.

Has The Right Idea.

Notices have been sent out to school officers all over the state that the books prescribed in the pupils' reading circle course can be purchased of any dealer. This notice was sent out by the department of public instruction and puts a summary end to the monopoly features of the sale of these books. An attempt was made to induce Superintendent Wright to not officially act in this way, but to leave it to book dealers to inform all schools of the situation in order that there might not be any official notice made of the abolishment of trust sales. The superintendent, however, insisted that as a matter of good public policy the state could not countenance even indirectly any scheme of that character and he decided that the notices must be sent out.

Hallowe'en Party.

The dining room of the Methodist Episcopal church was the scene of much merriment when the members of the Junior League gathered for their Hallowe'en party. With few exceptions they came masked and some in fantastic costume. Hallowe'en games were played and the fun ran high.

The Hallowe'en witch was in the neighborhood and hearing the laughter came in, which delighted the children and she timidly consented to tell their fortune, by way of palm-istry. Refreshments of sandwiches, fried cakes, apples and candy were served. Altogether every one had a jolly time and wished Hallowe'en came oftener.

Begins Damage Suit.

Last February a bobsled load of Maccabees was on its way to a party in Webster when the runners skidded and the sled turned turtle in the ditch. Several of the party were badly hurt, among them Mrs. Harriet Stanton, of Dexter. Her left arm and side were strained and bruised so badly, she claims, that she has been under the care of a physician ever since. She has brought suit against Webster township for \$5,000, alleging that the upset was caused by the fact that the road had been rounded so sharply on top that snow and ice made it impossible to prevent the bobsled skidding into the ditch. The township through its attorneys denies that the accident was due to any defects in the road and lays the blame on the driver of the team.

Sylvan Theatre.

The theatre is first, last and nearly always a place of amusement. Nineteenth of all the theatre goers of today go to the theatre to be entertained and for no other purpose, a part of the other tenth go to be instructed, but their number is so small that it has no bearing.

Theatre patrons demand amusement and consequently the manager, playwright, producer and every exponent of the stage is constantly on the lookout for new ideas and new material.

Messrs. Ward and Marquette who wrote "Johnnie on the Spot" have succeeded in putting together one of the funniest and neatest shows on the road today, all songs, music, etc., being written especially for the play, and altogether with new ideas and material have a most clever production. Sylvan theatre Thursday, November 9.

It Startled the World.

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Conductor Blamed.

Edward G. Grau, conductor of the Pere Marquette freight train into which an inbound passenger special, carrying 200 Detroit Odd Fellows from the Saginaw convention, crashed early on the morning of October 19, resulting in the death of John Armstrong, fireman of the passenger train, and the injury of several persons, is held responsible for the accident by a coroner's jury which heard evidence under direction of Coroner Rothacher, of Detroit, Monday morning.

Grau testified that his crew was picking up a train of 27 freight cars on a siding and that unknown to him the train had been backed out onto the inbound main line over which the special, due at 3:30, had the right of way, thus opening the switch. He said he received the orders notifying him the special was due at the stated time, but delayed notifying other members of his crew until after the wreck.

"It is customary for us to get orders four to eight hours in advance of incoming and outgoing trains in the West Detroit yards," he testified. "On the night of the accident I went, by mere chance, to the station to get my car bills. I there found the order relating to the incoming special. That was about 35 or 40 minutes before it was due.

"I had no reason to suspect the freight train would go out on the main line, however, as I had given orders to pick up the cars in the siding. In this way, not knowing it had gone out on the main line I took my time in reading the special orders to Engineer A. B. Glover of my train.

"Consequently, the crew knew nothing of the approaching special." S. J. Beattie, of Saginaw, engineer of the passenger train, testified he could not see the semaphore, which would have warned him of the open switch into which he ran. The night was foggy, he declared, and he ran by the signal without seeing it at all. His train was late and when the crash came was making close to 60 miles an hour. He appeared in the coroner's court walking with a cane.

Mr. Grau was born in Lima and is well known to many of the residents of this place.

"The Squaw Man."

For strength and interesting qualities in dramatic form, there is nothing to surpass the coming presentation of the well known New York success, "The Squaw Man" in which George Dill will appear at the New Whitney theatre, Ann Arbor, November 4. In writing this play Edwin Milton Royle, the author, has gone a step farther than many dramatists, and has succeeded in putting together a comprehensive structure and one may travel far to find an equal to it. There is always a strong interest in the west, but few plays have shown that life of the plains of 20 years ago as it really was, with its atmosphere of arid heat, strong passions and faithful friendships.

George Dill has succeeded Dustin Farnum in the title role and is peculiarly suited to this character. Human emotion is shown at every turn, and yet it is handled delicately, so ably that there is not one discordant note to be found at any point. Throughout only absolute strength and virility, with clean cut human passion and a certain element of self sacrifice upon which the play hinges is to be found. So vital is the tale that runs athwart the stage, that the interest of the spectator is held as by a spell, and the final curtain brings a satisfaction to the auditor that is hard to duplicate. It has been said that "The Squaw Man" is the great American play, but that question the audience is left to decide for itself.

"Prince of Tonight."

It is the unexpected that succeeds best—at least in the mimic world back of the footlights. In the last act of "The Prince of Tonight," the fantastic musical comedy in which Henry Woodruff will appear at the New Whitney Ann Arbor, matinee and night Saturday, November 11, an elaborate banquet board is spread. It is a triangular-shaped affair, pointing to the rear of the stage, and looking like an imitation snow plow going through a garden of artificial flowers and a small crop of pretty electroliners. The visible center of the triangle is banked with red and white blossoms, rising from the curtain line to a height almost level with the table itself. And herein lies the unexpected—a veritable surprise, and one quickly commended by connoisseurs of stage doings. Not a single show girl, "broller" nor "pony," pops out of that show bed.

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Norway Mackerel..... 3 for 10c
Sardines, Kippered Herring, Shrimp and Herring
Ripe, solid packed Tomatoes, per can.15c
Fancy Table Syrup, per 10-pound pail.....35c
Fancy whole-head Rice.....3 pounds for 25c
RED BAND BLEND COFFEE has made it own success, lb. .30c
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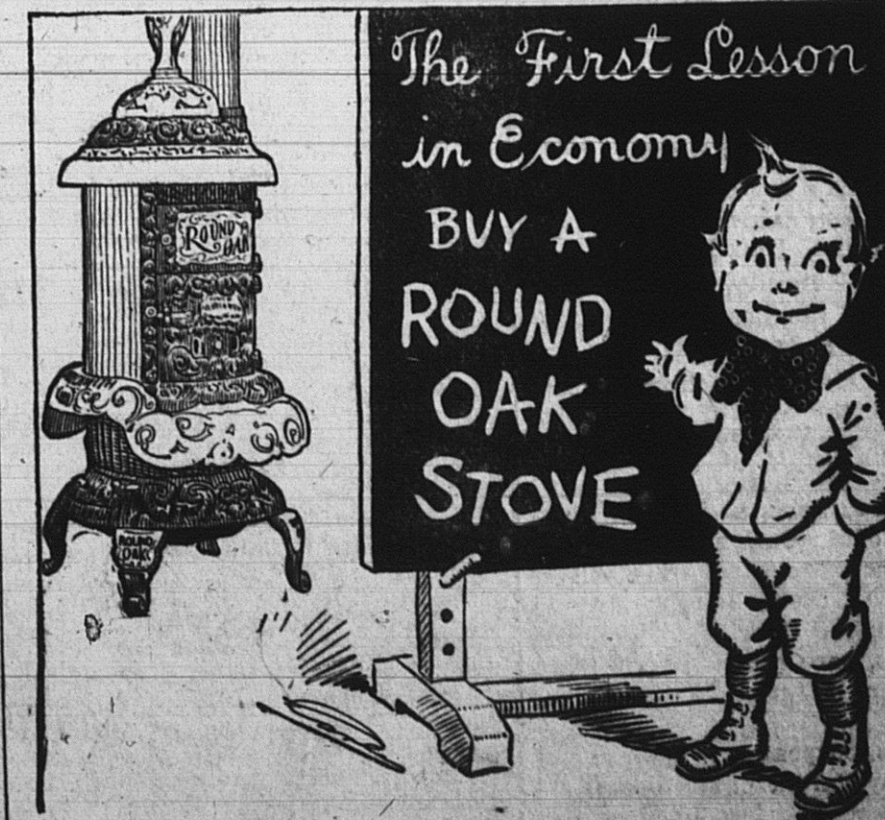


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OLD SAYINGS IN NEW DRESS

But it is safe to say that the new versions will never be popular.

Some diners were discussing the curioities of composition when one of them remarked on the perfection of Gray's Elegy. "Every line of it," he said, "is perfect beyond the possibility of improvement. Take the third line of the first stanza, for instance: 'The curfew tolls the knell of parting day.'"

The lowing herd winds slowly o'er the lea.

The plowman homeward plods his weary way

And leaves the world to darkness and to me.

"Just for the fun of the thing, let's see if we can make any improvement in that third line." With pencils and paper, some of the changes suggested were: "Homeward the plowman plods his weary way;" "homeward the weary plowman plods his way;" "the weary plowman homeward plods his way;" "the weary plowman plods his homeward way;" and still others. It was agreed that while all the new versions conveyed the idea none was as musical or fitting in its place like the original.

Then one of the party said: "Did you ever amuse yourself by turning common, everyday proverbs into big words?" Pencils were sharpened again, with the following results: "Tis an ill wind that blows nobody good—" "that gate is truly diseased which puffeth benefactions to nonentity;" "let well enough alone—" "suffer a healthy sufficiency to remain undisturbed;" "don't count your chickens before they are hatched—" "enumerate not your anticipated pullets ere they cease to be oviform;" "a stitch in time saves nine—" "the early utilization of a needle on a rent obviates a ninefold application later." It was agreed that the revised versions would never become popular.—Indianapolis News.

The Family Man.
The man who makes a good, happy, intelligent home is the best man there is. It is the home that makes a nation great, and that cultivates the virtues that uplift and adorn humanity. The qualities of head and heart that go to the making of a good home belong to the truest citizenship. If we have nothing but good homes in the land, this would be a great republic.

When it is said of a man he is a good family man, it is the same as saying he makes his home a happy and intelligent place; he treats his wife courteously and his children thoughtfully; he builds up a home on the lines of companionship, which he brightens with intelligence and aspirations; he loves his home and stays there except when business, social or public duty calls him elsewhere; he delights in good books and music and art and flowers, and reflects in his life the effulgence of them all; he talks and thinks above the gossip and trivial things about him and often deals with the more serious and instructive concerns of life.—Ohio State Journal.

Swayed by Toll of Bell.
The Church of St. Nicaise, in the city of Rheims, is surrounded with pillars. When a certain bell in the tower is rung the top of one pillar always sways to the extent of seven inches on each side, although the base is immovable, and the stones are so firmly cemented as to seem like a solid piece of masonry. Notwithstanding that each of the four bell is about the same distance from the trembling pillar, none of the others has the slightest effect on it.

Woman's Relative Value.
Once at the table of Sir James Knowles, editor of the Nineteenth Century, the tank ran on the relative physical and mental value of women. Turning to Sir Ray Lankester, the aged prime minister (Mr. Gladstone) said: "I am of the opinion that the relative value of a man and a woman is in all classes of society about the same as it was in my grandfather's time in Jamaica. When they wanted to buy a negro they gave one hundred and twenty pounds for a man and eighty pounds for a woman, and," he added, "that is a fair measure of their relative values the world over."—The Strand.

Famous Lutine Bell.
The famous Lutine bell, which is always rung at Lloyds to call attention to the announcement of an overdue or missing ship, was recovered by divers from the wreck of the British ship Lutine, which went down over 112 years ago. The ship was on its way from England with treasure for the Hamburg banking houses when she sank. Only a small part of the gold and silver was ever brought up.

Permanency of Taste.
"Why don't you put some new ideas into your vaudeville sketch?" "Because," replied the comedian, "my public has had experience and won't have anything except standard, time-tried material. It regards a new idea as an effort to ring in a substitute."

Logical Conclusion Effort.
"I hear that Robbins is manufacturing electric buttons." "Yes, and he's pushing the business."

EIGHTY MILLIONS
ADDED TO ROLLS

RESULT OF STATE TAX COMMISSION'S REVIEW MADE DURING PRESENT YEAR.

\$70,000,000 WAS INCREASE ON IRON MINES.

Tax Commission Has Made Ten Reviews and Proposes to Make More Before the Rolls Are Complete.

About \$80,000,000 has been added to the assessed valuation of general property in the state as a result of reviews the state tax commission has made during the year. Of this amount practically \$70,000,000 was in the increase of the iron mines.

These figures indicate that the average rate of taxation for the railroads and other corporations assessed under the ad valorem system should be reduced from \$20.67, but doubt is expressed as to whether that will be the result. It is pointed out that many counties in the state have gone into the good roads business on an extensive scale and in consequence have increased their taxes somewhat. The increase is estimated to be sufficient to meet the increase in valuation, although there are no definite figures available, but if that is true the average rate will not be disturbed to any extent, nor any benefit derived by the public service corporations from all the fuss made over the equalization.

The tax commission has made ten reviews this year and proposes to make one or two more before the rolls are completed. This last review is for the purpose of affording some of the opportunity to test in the court a feature of the law as amended by the last legislature to provide that the commission may review the rolls after the county board of equalization meets and until the supervisor fully extends his figures and completes his assessment. Heretofore the commission has been obliged not to interfere with assessments after the board of equalization has met and the review this fall is to test the new feature in case someone desires to raise the question. One or two townships in one of the northern counties will be reviewed for this purpose.

MRS. STANNARD FREED.

Cleared of Charge of the Murder of Her Husband.

It took the jury but a few minutes to find Mrs. Laura Stannard, of Ontonagon, not guilty of the murder of her husband, Charles Stannard, last March. The jury was given the case after being charged by Judge Plannigan that its verdict must be either murder in the first degree or acquittal.

Suffragists to Stump Michigan.

Mrs. C. B. Hamilton, Mrs. Huntley Russell, wife of the state land commissioner, and Mrs. Fred B. Howe, leaders of the women's suffrage movement in western Michigan, have planned a state-wide campaign to be inaugurated on November 6. This will be extended to Detroit during the week. They have secured Mrs. Rose French and Mrs. Roderick Ringrose, of San Francisco, leaders of the movement in the west, to stump the state. Following the meetings others will be held in Kalamazoo, Jackson, Saginaw and Detroit, ending in the latter city November 13.

Building and Loan Funds in Good Shape.

That the building and loan associations of Michigan are in better condition than any time in years, is shown in the annual report issued by Secretary of State Frederick C. Martindale. The gross assets of the associations were increased \$1,995,091.37 or a gain of 10 per cent over the previous year.

Three associations have organized during the past year, and at the present time there are 67 active building and loan associations of record. Associations are examined at least once a year by an examiner appointed by and under the direction of the secretary of state.

Capt. Larsen Went Through Rapids.

In his 15-foot motor boat, the Niagara, Capt. Klaus Larsen, of Detroit, Sunday afternoon successfully navigated the whirlpool rapids, the whirlpool and the Devil's Hole rapids of the Niagara river. The seven-mile trip from the Canadian Maid of the Mist landing to Philip Pitz's dock at Lewistown was made in 31 minutes.

Headed by Mr. S. H. Heath, the women of the town of Richmond have organized to promote civic beauty.

Judge Sessions in the United States district court, Grand Rapids, has appointed David A. Warner, of Grand Rapids, receiver for this district for the United Woolen Mills company, a Delaware corporation doing business in several Michigan cities.

The 4-year-old daughter of Mike Turco and the 5-year-old daughter of John Matson, farmers living six miles from Ontonagon, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Matson home. It is believed that the children, who were alone in the house, overturned a lighted lamp.

Gov. Osborn has named delegates to the meeting of the American Society for Judicial Settlement of International Disputes, to be held in Cincinnati, Nov. 7 and 8, as follows: Robert Hudson, So.; Edwin Denby, Detroit; James B. Angell, Ann Arbor; Charles H. Wisner, Flint; Charles H. Kimmerle, Dowagiac.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

The Hastings City bank, Hastings, has increased its capital from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

Attorney R. A. Hawley has been elected president of the Men and Religion forward movement started in Ionia.

The Oriel Cabinet Co., Grand Rapids, has merged with the Berkey & Gay Furniture Co. The capital will be \$1,000,000.

The G. R. & I. Railroad Co. paid a fine of \$500 in Grand Rapids for violation of the statute limiting the hour of work for trainmen.

An electric elevator has been presented to St. Joseph's hospital, Hancock, by John D. Ryan, president of the Amalgamated Copper Co.

The Escanaba Water Co.'s franchise will expire in four years and the purchase of the system by the city is being vigorously advocated.

The first meeting of the season of the Detroit-Ann Arbor section of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers was held in Ann Arbor.

These postoffices in Michigan have been designated as savings depositories, effective November 23: Capac, Fowlerville, Pigeon and Plymouth.

To connect all the universities of the middle states by wireless is the latest dream of the electrical engineering department of the University of Michigan.

Seventy-five applications for parole are on file at the Michigan (Ionia) reformatory and this number will be increased to 100 before the pardon board meets in November.

Orrin Chamberlain of Cadillac was shot in the forehead while hunting. The shot was fired by Will Fox, who was unaware of Chamberlain's presence. Chamberlain will recover.

Orrin F. Thornton, former drain commissioner in Branch county, was acquitted in the circuit court at Hillsdale of forging an order for about \$16. The jury was out three hours.

The council of Kalamazoo has passed an ordinance which forbids the keeping of chickens within 20 feet of any house. Arrests will be made after 30 days if this rule is not obeyed.

The Ingham County Farmers' club is opposed to an extra session of the legislature. It claims that it would be a useless expense for the "purpose of talking over needless reforms."

Rev. J. T. Husted, of Grand Rapids, complains to the health board that the barring of children from nice flats is driving families into unsanitary surroundings and putting a premium on sterility.

The annual convention of the Young Women's Christian association of Michigan will be held in Saginaw Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Miss Pope, the local secretary, expects at least 1,500 delegates and visitors.

Mike Michaloski, 65, of Saginaw, was instantly killed Sunday morning by a Pere Marquette freight train. Michaloski stepped behind the train as it started to back up. He was knocked down and the wheels passed over his body.

Sheriff Joseph Kell is at Daggett, investigating the robbery of Dunham & Sons' store, and other robberies, which have been committed in that part of Menominee county lately. The Dunham's safe was cracked and jewelry and \$50 in cash stolen.

Elkana Knipp, a farmer living near Grand Rapids, was killed by a train while returning home from his wages. He went to a farm house and recovered. He then sought his horses. Three days later they were found in the harness, starving.

Miss Sui Wang, a student of Albion college, says that the revolution in China is being conducted by the students who have been trained in the United States. She says that these men have studied the United States laws and constitution and here gained their desire for freedom.

A new bank to be known as the Wayne County Bank is being organized at Plymouth by E. Burt Jenney, president of the State Savings Bank at Dowagiac. A building centrally located has been purchased and every effort will be put forth to open the bank for business by January 1.

Another chapter of litigation since the death of former Gov. Aaron T. Bliss, of Saginaw, was decided in the circuit court in Saginaw, when a jury returned a verdict of no cause for action in a suit for \$2,000 attorney fees which William Bagnell, of St. Louis, Mo., started five years ago against the estate.

Violations of the state law requiring that all gasoline cans be painted bright red resulted in the arrest of two Port Huron men, George Flewelling and Bernard Greenan. Both pleaded guilty and were fined the costs and allowed to go with a warning that another offense would result more seriously.

A special election has been called in Lansing for Nov. 4 to decide whether Sunday amusements shall continue. Two weeks ago the picture shows opened directly after an aviation meet had been held. The chief of police served notice on three of the theater owners. On investigation it was found that there was nothing in the city ordinance to prevent Sunday shows.

William Dancer, receiver of the Glazier bank in Stockbridge, has started suit against John and William Schenk, of Chelsea, to recover on a promissory note for \$5,000 which he claims was given five years ago and never taken up.

Bernice Needham, 14, of Flint, has been the fourth victim of tuberculosis in the family of James E. Needham in a little over a year. The girl has been ill with tuberculosis since last November. Two daughters, one son and the mother have died within 15 months with tuberculosis. The father and three children still remain.

TEACHERS COMING
IN THOUSANDSCONVENTION OF MICHIGAN
TEACHERS IN DETROIT TO BE
LARGEST IN MANY YEARS.SUBSIDIARY ASSOCIATES ALSO
TO HOLD MEETINGS.

Speakers Will Include Educators of National-Wide Reputation; Excellent Banquets Are Part of Program.

It is probable that between 8,000 and 10,000 school teachers will attend the annual convention of the Michigan Teachers' Association, which meets in Detroit on Thursday and Friday of this week. In addition to the big gathering, several subsidiary conventions will meet. These will include the County Normal School Teachers' association, the Association of High School Principals, the teachers' association, the psychology teachers, and the physical training teachers.

There also will be college banquets by graduates of the University of Michigan, Michigan State Normal college, Central Normal school, Western Normal college, Hillsdale college, Olivet college and Albion college. The week probably will see the greatest influx of teachers since the National Educational association met here.

Though much time will be given to consideration of serious subjects, some hours will be devoted to amusement. Thursday evening a complimentary concert or concert will be given in the Light Guard armory by Mme. Pasquall and the Frank Croton quartet of New York city. Mme. Pasquall is one of the very finest coloratura singers of the day and the quartet is made up of singers of national reputation. They will alternate between the two halls. The demand for tickets from delegates can spare time from the regular found necessary to arrange for a matinee Friday at 1:30 p. m. It is likely that few concerts as fine will be given here this season.

Thursday will be visiting day in the public schools, so far as the delegates can spare time from the regular sessions, and all the children are expected to be on their good behavior. There will be no school Friday.

The speakers will include instructors and educators of wide reputation and ability. Among them will be Prof. Elmer A. Lyman, of the Michigan State Normal college; Prof. Henry Suzzalo, of the Teachers' college, Columbus university; President William G. Frost of Berea, Ky., college; Gov. Chase S. Osborn, Luther L. Wright, state superintendent of instruction; President C. T. Gawn, of Central Normal college, and Prof. Henry C. Lott, of the Michigan State Normal college.

The general sessions of the convention will be held in the armory and in the Wayne gardens. The sections will meet for the most part in the Central High school.

Give 300 Lectures Throughout State.

The regents of U. of M. appointed a committee for the university extension work which will be taken up this winter, with 300 lectures throughout the state. It is a work intended to bring the university to the people who cannot come to it. The university will furnish the lecturers from the faculty and all the expenses to be borne by the towns where lectures are given will be the rent of the auditorium. In arranging the programs, a committee will attempt to furnish lectures that will interest the greatest number of people, including lectures on forestry, art and health.

Thanksgiving Day Named By Taft.

President Taft has issued his annual Thanksgiving proclamation, calling on citizens of the United States to celebrate Thursday, the 30th of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

The Eastern Association of the Michigan Congregationalists held a two day's session in Port Huron.

The hunting season so far has not proved very successful. But every man brings news of accidents in the woods.

"Little Jake" Seligman, according to his wishes expressed in his will, was buried in Saginaw Sunday afternoon by the Elks with the full ceremony of that order. The service, which was held in the Elks' temple, was attended by a large number of the order.

Clarence Stanley, a member of the Boy Scouts of Boston, will start from the steps of the city hall at 10 o'clock Thursday morning for a "hike" across the continent to San Francisco. He will carry a letter from Mayor Fitzgerald to Mayor Ralph of San Francisco.

Vesper Judkins, 23 years old, operator at Walton Junction, was fatally shot in the woods near Esselstine by the upper peninsula by his father, Louis Judkins, G. R. & I. station agent at Pite Lake, who mistook his son for a deer.

The engineering department, Ann Arbor, has purchased a new compressed air helmet for use in case of an explosion in the refrigerating plant.

Frank Carlinghouse was given the largest judgment ever awarded in the Washtenaw circuit court in Ann Arbor. The suit was against the Michigan Central railroad, because of an accident which cost him his right arm. The judgment was \$10,319.89. According to Carlinghouse, he was sent to the yards at Jackson against his will, as he was unfamiliar with the yard work. While at work on one of the cars an engine backed into it.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

Gov. Osborn Calls for Soul Prayer on Thanksgiving Day.

Gov. Osborn's Thanksgiving day proclamation, issued from the executive office, is as follows:

"The loving and merciful God has vouchsafed benediction upon the people of Michigan during the year 1911, now rapidly drawing to its close. The elements, in their devastation, have made visitation, but the loss of human life has been small as a result. Vital statistics show a decrease in the death toll. From the soil has come to those who till it and those who must be fed a reward of more than which is barely sufficient. The state is free from famine, contagion and abnormal lawlessness. Human life is held sacred, homes are inviolate and property is in the hands of those who have made it a condition of obtaining for which our people should be profoundly thankful. Observation of Thanksgiving day may be festive, but it is the duty of every individual to give thanks unto God. This should not be merely lip service but should touch the recesses of the heart and the deepest caverns of the soul. Man is recreant and a coward who thanklessly accepts divine blessings in strength, happiness and prosperity and only turns to God in weakness, misfortune and extremity. A meaningful way to celebrate Thanksgiving would be to make a contribution, if only of a penny, to some Christian church. These contributions of God should be remembered wholly in the glory of our best prayers to the Father. Letting every tide arrive there shall be that comfort which shall cure fear and trembling. Therefore, in consideration of the blessings of Almighty God, so bountifully visited upon the people of Michigan, I, Chase S. Osborn, governor of the state of Michigan, do appoint and set aside Thursday, Nov. 30, as a day of prayer, feasting and thanksgiving."

FLASHES FROM WIRE.

The coal strike, which has kept 7,000 miners in Alberta and British Columbia idle for more than six months, has been settled.

A temporary order increasing the term of Philippine military service from two years to two years and six months has been made permanent.

A bequest of \$15,000 to the national W. C. T. U. by the late Mrs. Emille D. Martin, of New York, is announced by officials of the organization.

A sample case containing diamonds valued at \$10,000 belonging to W. C. Barry, of Newark, N. J., was stolen from the lobby of a hotel in Chicago.

Twenty-five depositors in the Bank of Providence stormed the doors of the bank branch in Chicago and would have looted the building had not the officials intervened.

Secretary Fisher of the Interior department has announced himself as unqualifiedly in favor of the retirement system for the civil employees of the government.

Former United States Forester Gifford Pinchot will begin a study of the Adirondacks with a view to improving conditions in the north woods, especially the reforestation of private and state lands.

All the mines in the anthracite regions in Pennsylvania were closed Monday in celebration of Mitchell day, an honor annually tendered John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers of America.

The woods on the mountainside near Catskill, N. Y., where legend says Rip Van Winkle took his 20-year nap, are ablaze. Many acres have been burned over, but farmers are fighting the fire and apparently have it under control.

The supreme court of the United States declines to grant the request of the commonwealth of Virginia to "speed" the cause in the commonwealth's suit against West Virginia to compel it to pay a portion of the old debt of Virginia.

Investigation of the death of Miss Emma Worth, on the steps of a drug store in Buffalo, N. Y., shows that her skull was fractured by the teeth of a slide comb in her hair. She apparently slipped on the step and fell backwards on the comb.

Frank Lowrey, a notorious crackman, burglar and train robber, recently released from the Atlanta, Ga., penitentiary after serving 15 years, is under arrest charged with stealing Lowrey said he was hungry and glad to fall into the hands of the police.

Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in America, was taken ill in Chicago at the army hall as she was about to address a meeting. Miss Booth just has ended a month's tour of the western states and is said to be suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Ultra-violet rays for the purification of drinking water is the latest development in the Philippines. Army surgeons, with a small dynamo and gasoline engine, carried in the ordinary escort wagon with troops, completely purify sufficient very foul water to serve daily a quart of sweet drinking water to every man in a regiment.

To accommodate banks in the smaller cities, Postmaster-General Hitchcock has decided that the minimum of bond to be accepted from banks qualifying to receive deposits of postoffice funds at third-class postoffices shall be reduced from \$5,000 to \$1,000. Additional bonds will be required as the deposits at any office increase.

Capt. Evelyn B. Baldwin, Arctic explorer, had a long talk with Wireless Officer Dodd and Expert Hanscom in reference to using wireless telegraphy in Baldwin's dash to the North Pole. Baldwin proposes to drift to the pole with the ice pack from Point Barrow. By means of wireless he hopes to keep in touch with civilization throughout the trip.

An earthquake lasting 44 minutes was recorded at the Santa Clara college observatory, California. Rev. Father J. S. Riccio, the observer, calculated that the center of disturbance was 3,204 kilometers to the northwest.

The name of Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin, of Connecticut, will be presented to the national Democratic convention for president, and he will have the votes of the full Connecticut delegation. Recently there was a movement to boom Gov. Baldwin for vice-president. At that time he said he was not an "active candidate," but thought it an honor to any man to be named as vice-president.

CHINESE THRONE
YIELDS DEMANDSCONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT
IS CONCEDED WHEN ARMY
AND NAVY THREATEN.THE SLAUGHTER AT HANKOW
WAS APPALLING.

China's Yielding to Rebels May Be Too Late to End Revolt; Preparations for Defense Made.

Victory has crowned the revolutionary movement in China and by an imperial decree the demands of the Young China movement, as advocated by the national assembly, are met by the ruling Manchu dynasty.

In the edict the throne humbly apologizes for its past neglect and grants an immediate constitution, with a cabinet from which nobles shall be excluded and a free pardon for the rebels and all political offenders.

Whether cooler counsels among the insurrectionary leaders will prevail and the anti-Manchu movement will halt with the government's concessions, or whether the radical element will prevail and the rebel army of 27,000 will attempt to sweep over the north to invade the capital, is being vigorously discussed in Peking.

The capitulation to the revolutionary party, according to the present program, means a reorganization of the Chinese government into a constitutional monarchy, with the immediate formation of a national parliament. The red, white and blue banner of the Young China party will fly over the army and navy.

Manchus Concede Everything.

The state of terror which has taken possession of the entire imperial court was further evidenced by a long list of edicts supplementing the remarkable proclamation conceding constitutional government and offering further concessions of the most radical character.

Edicts indicate that even though the dynasty survives, Manchu rule is at an end. The transfer even of the cabinet offices to native Chinese is ordered, and the throne swears that "hereafter Manchus and Chinese shall be regarded equally," meaning that the elaborate system of Manchu pensions which are now paid to practically every member of the race will be discontinued and the Manchus left to earn a living by their own enterprise.

All edicts, like the first one, are written in the first person, are coming from the infant emperor himself. This is unusual and is apparently a device, adopted by the throne's advisers in a pathetic attempt to create among the people a feeling of personal loyalty for their sovereign.

The edicts make a complete capitulation to the demands of the national assembly, and even go so far as to offer extravagant praise to the rebels for bringing about the great reforms which are promised. The throne abjectly acknowledges its incapacity, pleads ignorance of affairs, asks that its lapses be pardoned and requests the assistance and advice of all citizens.

Federal Control of Railroads.

The supreme court, in an opinion by Justice Van Devanter, which was unanimously concurred in, upheld the constitutionality of the safety appliance act of March, 1903. Complete control of all the railroads of the country by the interstate commerce commission and virtual elimination of the state commissions from such control is foreshadowed in this opinion.

The case was argued at the last term of the court. It arose in the United States district court for the northern district of Alabama. The government proceeded against the Southern railway in a civil action to recover penalties for the failure of the railroad company to equip certain cars with safety appliances. The railroad defended on the ground that three of the cars were moving in interstate traffic and were not connected with cars in interstate traffic. The real issue was as to the power of congress to require the use of automatic couplers or other safety appliances on "highways of commerce" used in interstate commerce.

Jos. Pulitzer Dies on His Yacht.

Joseph Pulitzer, proprietor of the New York World and the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, died Sunday aboard his yacht, the Liberty, in Charleston harbor. The immediate cause of Mr. Pulitzer's death was heart failure. He had been in ill health for several days, but until a few hours before the end none of those around him suspected the gravity of his condition.

Armistice Talked Of.

It is reported that the Turkish government has received telegraphic advices offering an armistice preparatory to negotiating for peace on terms favorable to Turkey. The report has not been officially confirmed.

What threatened to be serious trouble between Colombia and Peru apparently has been averted by an agreement by the Colombian government to the stoning of the Peruvian legation at Bogota recently.

In Fall Brook, Col., where the vote was two to one for the enfranchisement of women, it is announced that of the first 20 women to register 19 registered as prohibitionists. This precinct will vote on the "wet" and "dry" proposition Nov. 7.

The eighth death among the Rev. Frank W. Sandford's followers on the cruise from southern waters occurred when John Bolster, one of the two men taken from the Sanford yacht Coronet, Portland Me., died at the marine hospital from scurvy. It is alleged that lack of food on board the Coronet contributed to the fatal result of the disease.

CANADA'S IMMENSE
WHEAT FIELDSTHE ATTRACTION FOR THREE
TRANSCONTINENTAL RAIL-
WAYS.

Last August there visited the Canadian west the vice-president of the largest individual hardware company in the United States. As his firm have a turnover of millions, and deals extensively with farm implements, this man took a deep interest in crop conditions in Canada, and on his return he embodied his findings in an article for the Hardware Reporter. This article should be of special interest to farmers.

The writer speaks of the importance of the spring wheat crop of Western Canada. He might also have spoken of the importance of the oat crop and also of the winter wheat crop, as well as barley. Winter wheat during the past few years has been a great success, and experiments have shown that it can be grown with success in almost any portion of the three provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. But apart from this, the spring wheat crop is the one generally grown, and all who know anything of grain, anyone who has had anything to do with markets, knows or has heard of the high character of this cereal and the splendid yields that are annually produced. Reproducing from this article:—

"In a land of such great sweep, and of such difference in soil and climate, there are many resources, but none are at present of the same overwhelming importance as the spring wheat crop. In the interminable prairie stretches of the northwest provinces it is the one absorbing topic of interest and of conversation during its growing and its harvesting, for upon its success or failure hangs the weal or woe of a large part of the Dominion. Its influence extends far down into the United States, drawing thousands of farmers northwards with the lure of cheap lands, but likewise beyond the great lakes, even to the easy going maritime provinces, calling the flower of their young men to its opportunities. Development in these prairie provinces goes on at high pressure for everything hangs on the outcome of spring wheat. Success has emboldened the raisers of this one important crop, and each year there is further incursion into those northern fields that only a short time ago were regarded as Arctic wastes. The Canadian Northwest seems to be one of those modern agricultural examples set forth to drive the final nail in the coffin of that ancient Malthusian delusion that population tends to outrun the means of subsistence, since the only fear now among Canadian economists is as to the danger of overstocking the wheat market. Only about two and one-half per cent of possible arable lands in the northwest provinces is now under cultivation, and this year the crop promises to be close to 200,000,000 bushels, so that your imagination and your arithmetic can easily supply the answer as to the possible or even probable outcome."

During the months of July and August the weather was unfavourable and the production of a 200 million yield of wheat will not likely be realized, but even with this, the threatening reports coming to hand show that the crop will be a splendidly paying one.

A Change of Opinion.

"Talk is cheap," chuckled the politician with the telephone frank in his pocket.

After talking \$20 worth, he pulled out his frank and found it had expired. "By heck!" he muttered ruefully, "that guy was right when he said that 'Silence is golden.'"—Judge.

We always respect the opinions of a man who keeps them to himself.

SERIAL
STORYThe Courtship
of Miles
StandishWith Illustrations
by
Howard Chandler Christy

The Wedding Day

Forth from the curtain of clouds,
From the tent of purple and scar-
let,
Issued the sun, the great High Priest,
In his garments resplendent,
Holiness unto the Lord, in letters of
light, on his forehead,
Round the hem of his robe the golden
bells and pomegranates,
Blessing the world he came, and the
bars of vapor beneath him
Gleamed like a grate of brass, and the
sea at his feet was a laver!

This was the wedding morn of Pris-
cilla, the Puritan maiden.
Friends were assembled together; the
Elder and Magistrate also
Graced the scene with their presence,
and stood like the Law and the
Gospel,
One with the sanction of earth and
one with the blessing of heaven.
Simple and brief was the wedding, as

Gravely, and after the manner of old-
fashioned gentry in England,
Something of camp and of court, of
town and of country, com-
mingled.
Wishing her joy of her wedding,
and loudly lauding her husband.
Then he said with a smile: "I should
have remembered the adage—
If you would be well served, you
must serve yourself; and more-
over,
No man can gather cherries in Kent
at the season of Christmas!"

Great was the people's amazement,
and greater yet their rejoicing.
Thus to behold once more the sun-
burnt face of their Captain,
Whom they had mourned as dead;
and they gathered and crowded
about him.
Eager to see him and hear him,
forgetful of bride and of bride-
groom.
Questioning, answering, laughing, and
each interrupting the other,
Till the good Captain declared, being
quite overpowered and bewildered,
He had rather by far break into an
Indian encampment.
Than come again to a wedding to
which he had not been invited.

Meanwhile the bridegroom went
forth and stood with the bride at
the doorway,
Breathing the perfumed air of that
warm and beautiful morning.
Touched with autumnal tints, but
lonely and sad in the sunshine,
Lay extended before them the land of
toll and privation;
There were the graves of the dead,
and the barren waste of the sea-
shore,
There the familiar fields, the groves
of pine, and the meadows;
But to their eyes transfigured, it
seemed as the Garden of Eden,
Filled with the presence of God,
whose voice was the sound of the
ocean.

Soon was their vision disturbed by
the noise and stir of departure,
Friends coming forth from the house,



Friends Were Assembled Together.

that of Ruth and of Boaz.
Softly the youth and the maiden re-
peated the words of betrothal,
Taking each other for husband and
wife in the Magistrate's presence,
After the Puritan way, and the laud-
able custom of Holland.
Fervently then, and devoutly, the ex-
cellent Elder of Plymouth
Prayed for the hearth and the home,
that were founded that day in af-
fection,
Speaking of life and of death, and im-
ploring divine benedictions.

Lo! when the service was ended, a
form appeared on the threshold.
Clad in armor of steel, a somber and
sorrowful figure!
Why does the bridegroom start and
stare at the strange apparition?
Why does the bride turn pale, and
hide her face on his shoulder?
Is it a phantom of air—a bodiless,
spectral illusion?

Long had it stood there unseen, a
guest uninvited, unwelcome;
Over its clouded eyes there had
passed at times an expression
Softening the gloom and revealing the
warm heart hidden beneath them.
As when across the sky the driving
rack of the rain-cloud
Grows for a moment thin, and be-
trays the sun by its brightness.
Once it had lifted its hand, and moved
its lips, but was silent,
As if an iron will had mastered the
fleeting intention.

But when were ended the troth and
the prayer and the last benedic-
tion,
Into the room it strode, and the peo-
ple beheld with amazement
Bodily there in his armor Miles Stand-
ish, the Captain of Plymouth!
Grasping the bridegroom's hand, he
said with emotion, "Forgive me!
I have been angry and hurt,—too long
have I cherished the feeling;
I have been cruel and hard, but now,
thank God! it is ended.
Mine is the same hot blood that leaped
in the veins of Hugh Standish,
Sensitive, swift to resent, but as swift
in atoning for error.

Never so much as now was Miles
Standish the friend of John Al-
den.
Thereupon answered the bridegroom:
"Let all be forgotten between
us—
All save the dear, old friendship, and
that shall grow older
and dearer!"
Then the Captain advanced, and, bow-
ing, saluted Priscilla.

and impatient of longer delaying.
Each with his plan for the day, and
the work that was left uncom-
pleted.
Then from a stall near at hand, amid
exclamations of wonder,
Alden the thoughtful, the careful, so
happy, so proud of Priscilla,
Brought out his snow-white steer,
obeying the hand of its master.
Let by a cord that was tied to an
iron ring in its nostrils,
Covered with crimson cloth, and a
cushion placed for a saddle.
She should not walk, he said,
through the dust and heat of the
noonday;
Nay, she should ride like a queen, not
plod along like a peasant.

Somewhat alarmed at first, but reas-
sured by the others,
Placing her hand on the cushion, her
foot in the hand of her husband,
Gaily, with joyous laugh, Priscilla,
mounted her palfrey.
"Nothing is wanting now," he said
with a smile, "but the distaff;
Then you would be in truth my queen,
my beautiful Bertha!"

Onward the bridal procession now
moved to their new habitation.
Happy husband and wife, and friends
conversing together.
Pleasantly murmured the brook, as
they crossed the ford in the for-
est.

Pleased with the image that passed,
like a dream of love through its
bosom,
Tremulous, floating in air, o'er the
depths of the azure abysses.
Down through the golden leaves the
sun was pouring his splendors,
Gleaming on purple grapes, that, from
branches above them suspended,
Mingled their odoriferous breath with the
balm of the pine and the fir-tree.
Wild and sweet as the clusters that
grew in the valley of Eschol.
Like a picture it seemed of the primi-
tive, pastoral ages,
Fresh with the youth of the world,
and recalling Rebecca and Isaac.
Old and yet ever new, and simple and
beautiful always.

Love immortal and young in the end-
less succession of lovers.
So through the Plymouth woods
passed onward the bridal pro-
cession.

THE END

GIVES 300 LECTURES
THROUGHOUT STATERegents Decide Upon University
Extension Work.

COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED

All Expenses to Be Borne by the Town
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Be the Rent of the Au-
ditorium.

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ranging the programs, a committee
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will interest the greatest number of
people, including lectures on forestry,
art and health.

The regents refused to grant a
petition presented by City Health
Officer Breakey that a patient suf-
fering from apical meningitis might
be placed in the university contagious
disease ward. The patient was Doc-
tor Griffin of Ann Arbor, a graduate
of the university, and for several
years a prominent specialist in eye,
ear, nose and throat diseases. There
is but one bed in the small building
that serves as a contagious hospital
for the university, and Ann Arbor
and the regents dared not place the
room at the disposal of a patient who
could be cared for elsewhere.

It brought up the contention, how-
ever, for a contagious disease hospi-
tal, with the result that the regents
offered a resolution that they would
furnish a site for a hospital, equip
and maintain it afterwards, if the city
would furnish the building, which
should cost not less than \$25,000.

Taking up the matter of the re-
cent burglary of the university vaults,
they voted not to hold Treasurer
Campbell responsible for the loss of
the \$779.53 in cash and checks, as he
was entirely blameless, and they au-
thorized the purchase of a fire and
burglar proof time lock money chest
not to cost over \$500.

Farming Course in Public School.

Having been a farmer for some
years, a member of the State Grange
and a public servant who has always
taken an active interest in agricul-
tural affairs, Secretary of State Fred-
erick C. Martindale says that there
are few things that will work for the
betterment of the commonwealth and
generally improve conditions in Michi-
gan than the efforts of newspapers,
city men and development associa-
tions to further the movement of
"back to the farm," and that farm-
ing or its rudiments should be taught
in the district schools.

As chairman of the public domain
commission and as a member of the
state immigration commission, Secre-
tary of State Martindale has had
abundant opportunity to study condi-
tions in Michigan at close range.
During the past few months the pub-
lic domain and the immigration com-
missions have redoubled their efforts
to bring to the attention of the peo-
ple the opportunities that lie in wait
for those who are willing to take up
their abode in that northern country.

However, Mr. Martindale says that
his years of experience on the farm
have taught him that another plan
must be followed if the farmer is to
continue as the great producing
agency of the nation in years to
come.
"We have an agricultural college,
generally conceded to be the finest in
the country, where our farmers' sons
are taught to till the soil in a sci-
entific manner, and it is one of the
institutions that Michigan could least
afford to be without," said Secretary
Martindale. "But wouldn't it be a bet-
ter scheme, and would not the results
be more effective in the long run, if
scientific farming, or at least some of
the rudiments were introduced into
the district school and made a part
of the curriculum, together with read-
ing, writing and arithmetic."

Wants Public Places Disinfected.

Dr. Robert L. Dixon, secretary of
the state board of health, has sent a
warning to disinfect all school rooms
at least once a month during the win-
ter. In the circular letter which he is
sending out the doctor asks that
churches, public halls, theaters, etc.,
also receive an occasional disinfection.
Michigan has no state law regulating
the disinfecting of schools, churches
and places of public gatherings.

W. C. T. U. Attacks Sheriff.

Sheriff Gaston was the target of
strenuous attack by speakers at the
closing session of the first district of
Michigan Woman's Christian Temper-
ance union at Detroit when charges
were made that repeated complaints
regarding Sunday liquor traffic in
Dearborn had been of no avail.
Victims conditions, said to prevail in
the outskirts of the city and in near-
by villages and cities, were also dwelt
upon by Mrs. Esther Slater and
Mrs. Leona T. Field of Ann Arbor.

Oil Tank Cars Must Pay Tax.
Judge West, in a decision handed
down in the circuit court, upholds the
right of the state to tax the tank cars
or oil renning companies which are
sent into this state. The tax involved
amounted to \$170 in this case, but
\$3,500 in the taxes of other corpora-
tions are covered by the decision, and
the victory is an important one for the
state.

The Germania Refining company and
the Independent Refining company of
Pennsylvania applied to the court for
an injunction to prevent Adjutant
General Fuller collecting the tax as-
sessed against these corporations by
the state board of assessors. The
corporations contended that the tax
assessed against their cars under the
ad valorem system could not be en-
forced, for the reason that the law
relates solely to corporations en-
gaged in the business of owning, loan-
ing, leasing and operating their cars
in public service. It was argued that
as the oil companies own their own
tank cars and simply hire the rail-
roads to transport them into this
state, the tax law does not apply.

The court says that the law com-
prehends a tax on any corporation,
firm or person whose cars are used
for transporting products into this
state, and that the statute makes no
distinction between the cars carrying
freight for their owners and those car-
rying for others for hire.

Board Sends Inspector.

R. R. Darwin, chief rate in-
spector of the Michigan railroad
commission, left for Port Huron to
join Robert H. Day, manager of the
transportation bureau of Detroit
board of commerce, and to accompany
him on a tour of the Thumb district
of Michigan. The purpose of the trip
is to make an investigation of trans-
portation facilities in the district
north of Port Huron, much of it in
territory traversed by lines of the
Pere Marquette railroad.

The investigation follows numerous
complaints, which are said to have
been made to members of the whole-
saler and manufacturers' bureau of
the Detroit board of commerce, when
they made a three-days' tour of the
Thumb section, two weeks ago. The
Detroit party, it is said, were told that
one of the principal reasons why mer-
chants and manufacturers of their
town do not receive a larger propor-
tion of the trade of merchants in the
Thumb, is because shipments from
Detroit are routed by way of Saginaw
to Port Huron, with consequent vexa-
tious delays in delivery.

Messrs. Darwin and Day will use an
automobile and expect to cover prac-
tically all of the principal towns north
of Port Huron. The investigation
probably will extend over ten days or
two weeks.

Money Needed to Educate Farmers.

President J. L. Snyder of the agri-
cultural college expressed much inter-
est in the interview given out by Vice-
President Patriarche of the Pere Mar-
quette railroad, in which the latter
urged that more attention be given to
the agricultural resources of the state
that the production may be increased
and improved. Discussing Mr. Patri-
arche's statements President Snyder said:

"Mr. Patriarche, like every other
wide-awake citizen, sees the neces-
sity of doing something to increase
the agricultural output from Michi-
gan farms. Consumption is rapidly
overtaking production, which has
had much to do with the high cost
of living. If people are to be fed
fifty years hence as they are at the
present day, the farms of Michigan
must produce practically twice as
much as they do at the present time.

"The college has for a number of
years been awake to this condition
and it has made every effort prac-
tically, with the funds provided by
the legislature, to increase the produc-
tion of farm products. The college
now, with funds sorely needed for
other purposes, keeps in the field
three men, who are organizing
breeding associations and alfalfa
clubs, carrying on spraying demon-
strations and in various other ways
encouraging the farmers to use bet-
ter methods.

State is Broke.

The state is broke. There is about
\$100,000 in cash in the treasury but
there are sufficient vouchers on hand
to more than draw out that amount
while about \$30,000 will be required
with which to meet the payroll at the
end of the month, and then there will
be no more payments until the new
taxes come in.

Not all state institutions are broke,
however. Some of them drew ahead
and have a certain amount of money
on hand. The draft was of course
legitimate and was made in the or-
dinary course of business, but the fact
remains that some institutions will
not feel the deficit to the extent that
others will. There will be, however,
no payments made on new buildings
in course of construction and work
will be suspended on some of them.
It is expected, pending the resumption
of payments by the treasury.

Building Associations Show Gain.

The annual report of the building
and loan associations of Michigan for
the year ending June 30, 1911, issued
by Secretary of State Frederick C.
Martindale, will show an increase in
the gross assets of \$1,995,921.37, or
over ten per cent., which is the largest
gain made in many years. The total
assets reported are \$30,119,214.07, an
increase in the past year of \$3,096,
995.67.

The
National
GrangeConducted by Charles M. Gardner, Editor
of the National Grange, Westfield, Mass.

IS NOT TO BE MISUNDERSTOOD

Grange No Exception to Other Or-
ganized Movements in the Mat-
ter of Being Misrepresented.

All organized movements have from
time to time been misrepresented and
misunderstood and the Grange is no
exception. There are critics who de-
clare it to be merely political, alto-
gether selfish or so wrapped up in its
financial gain as to lose sight of any
other objects or purposes.

It is therefore illuminating, as well
as instructive, to read the following
from the fundamental principles of
the order, in which its objects and
purposes are clearly set forth. It re-
veals a side of Grange effort that is
not always realized or understood.

"To develop a better and higher
manhood and womanhood among our
selves. To enhance the comforts and
attractions of our homes, and strength-
en our attachments to our pursuits.
To foster mutual understanding and
co-operation. To maintain inviolate
our laws and to emulate each other
in labor, to hasten the good time com-
ing. To reduce our expenses both in-
dividual and corporate. To buy less
and produce more, in order to make
our farms self-sustaining. To diversify
our crops, and crop no more than we
can cultivate. To condense the weight
of our exports, selling less in the
bushel and more on hoof and in
fleece; less in lint, and more in warp
and woof. To systematize our work
and calculate intelligently on proba-
bilities. To discountenance the credit
system, the mortgage system, the
fashion system, and every other sys-
tem tending to prodigality and bank-
ruptcy.

"We propose meeting together, talk-
ing together, working together, buying
together, selling together, and in gen-
eral, acting together for our mutual
protection and advancement as occa-
sion may require. We shall avoid lit-
igation as much as possible by arbi-
tration in the Grange. We shall con-
stantly strive to secure entire har-
mony, good will, vital brotherhood
among ourselves, and to make our or-
der perpetual. We shall earnestly en-
deavor to suppress personal, local,
sectional, and national prejudices, al-
l unhealthy rivalry, all selfish ambition.
Faithful adherence to these principles
will insure our mental, moral, social
and material advancement."

SOME GREAT FIELD MEETINGS

Value of Summer Gatherings Has
Been Admirably Demonstrated
in Massachusetts This Year.

The value of Grange summer field
meetings, when held on a good farm
rather than at some big lake or shore
resort, has been admirably demon-
strated in Massachusetts this year, in
a series of such meetings that breaks
all records of interest and attendance
in that state. There were twenty-
three meetings in the series and with
three exceptions all were held on
well-titled farms of the state, where
something was to be learned by see-
ing as well as by listening. In many
cases improved methods, modern ma-
chinery and intensive farm cultiva-
tion were greatly in evidence and
much that was new and valuable was
carried away from the trip. The
speaking was all of a high order and
the crowds which gathered were en-
thusiastic and wide-awake. Rain in-
terfered with the attendance on sev-
eral occasions, particularly at New-
buryport, where a perfect deluge
flooded that entire section.

In order that a better idea may be
had of this series of field meetings,
when held on Massachusetts farms, a
table is given below of the various
meetings, with the attendance at
each, as well as the number of differ-
ent Granges and the various states
represented at each:

Location.	No. Granges.	No. Attendance.
Pepperell, Mass.	16	222
Cochituate, Mass.	17	171
Bedford, Mass.	25	158
Easthampton, Mass.	17	152
Sandwich, Mass.	15	256
Westboro, Mass.	24	278
Worcester, Mass.	15	24
Newburyport, Mass.	24	2
Attitash, N. H.	26	405
East Longmeadow, Mass.	10	2
Greenwich, Conn.	29	1
Cummington, Mass.	19	2
Pittsfield, Mass.	19	2
Middleboro, Mass.	19	2
Greenfield, Mass.	20	2
Dudley, Mass.	11	2
Palmer, Mass.	20	2
Colman, Mass.	19	2
Templeton, Mass.	21	2
Monterey, Mass.	23	2
Sterling, Mass.	21	2
Dracut, Mass.	21	2
North Hanson, Mass.	13	1

Striking Telling Shows.

National Lecturer Oliver Wilson has
been striking some telling blows for
parcels post, in his circuit of field
meetings, where he has addressed
thousands of people in many states.
He has contrasted vividly the postal
rate on domestic and foreign parcels
and has emphasized in vigorous terms
the Grange determination to fight for
parcels post until it is actually ac-
complished.

5,000 ITALIANS KILLED.

Reported That 7,000 Were Taken
Prisoners at Tripoli.

There is a report in circulation to
the effect that the Italian forces at
Tripoli have met with a grave disaster.
The report says that they lost
5,000 killed besides 7,000 prisoners.
Also it is stated the Turks captured
many guns and much ammunition.
While the war office refuses to con-
firm or deny the hint is thrown out
that the Turkish forces have won an
important victory.

Semi-official confirmation has been
given out of the report that Enver
Bey has reached Tripoli and has
joined the forces there.

It is added that he has issued a
proclamation in which he urges the
people to resist the Italians to the
death.

Speaker Clark Lives Simple Life.

Speaker Champ Clark is to have a
private dining room in the Capitol
building. In remodeling the restau-
rant quarters of the house of repre-
sentatives the capitol architects have
provided the extra room but Speaker
Clark's friends declare he will not
use it. The house of representatives
has a full dinner service which is
seldom used. It also has a \$5,000
automobile which has been idle in
the official garage since Mr. Clark
became speaker.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

DETROIT.—Cattle: Market dull. Best
steers and heifers, \$3.50@3.60; good to
choice butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,200
lbs., \$4.75@5.25; light to good butcher
steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs.,
\$3.50@4.00; mixed butcher's fat cows,
\$3@4; canners, \$1.50@2.50; common
hulls, \$2.50@3.50; good shippers, \$2.50@3.50;
common feeds, \$2.50@4; good
well-bred feeders, \$4.25@4.50; stockers
\$3@3.50.

Veal calves—Market steady; best
grades, \$8@8.75; others, \$4@7.50. Milch
cows and springers, \$25@55.
Sheep and lambs—Market dull and
10@15c lower. Best lambs, \$5.25@
5.40; fair to good lambs, \$4.50@5; light
to common lambs, \$3@4.25; fair to
good butcher sheep, \$3@3.25; culls
and common, \$1@2.50.

Hogs—Market steady. Range of
prices: Light to good butchers, \$6@
6.25; pigs, \$5@5.25; light Yorkers, \$6@
6.25; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle: Mar-
ket slow; steady; prime steers, \$7.25@
7.50; butcher grades, \$5@6.75.
Calves—Market active, 25c higher;
culls to choice, \$6@9.75.
Sheep and lambs—Market slow;
choice lambs, \$5.75@6; culls to fair,
\$4.50@5.50; yearlings, \$4@4.45; sheep,
\$1.50@2.75.

Hogs—Market active and firm; York-
ers, \$6.50; pigs, \$5.85; mixed, \$6.65;
heavy, \$6.80@6.65; roughs, \$5.50@5.50;
stags, \$5@5.50.

GRAIN, ETC.

DETROIT.—Wheat: Cash No. 2 red,
99 1-2c; December, opened 1-4c off at
\$1.02 1-4; declined to \$1.02 and closed
at \$1.02 1-4; May opened at \$1.07, de-
clined to \$1.06 3-4 and closed at \$1.07;
July opened at \$1.01 3-4, declined to
\$1.01 1-2 and closed at \$1.01 3-4; No. 1
white wheat, 96 1-2c.

CORN—Cash No. 2, 75c; No. 2 yellow,
1 car at 77c bid; No. 3 yellow, 1
car at 76 1-2c bid.
OATS—Standard, 4 cars at 49 1-2c;
No. 3 white, 49c.
RYE—Cash No. 2, \$1.

BEANS—Immediate, prompt and Oc-
tober shipment, \$2.35 bid; \$2.35 asked;
November, \$2.32; December, \$2.30.
CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, \$12.50;
March, \$12.50; sample, 12 bags at \$12;
9 at \$11.50, 6 at \$10.50, 4 at \$10; prime
alsike, \$10.50; sample alsike, 7 bags at
\$9.50, 4 at \$8.75.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime spot, \$7.20;
BARKLEY—Best sample, \$2.40@2.50
per cwt.
FLOUR—In one-eighth paper sacks,
per 196 pounds, jobbing lots: Best
patent, \$4.75; second patent, \$4.40;
straight, \$4.10; spring patent, \$5.00;
rye, \$4.50.

FEED—Brabbling prices in 100-lb
bags: Bran, \$4.75; coarse middlings,
\$2.75; fine middlings, \$2.35; coarse corn
meal and cracked corn, \$30; corn and
oil chop, \$28 per ton.

FARM PRODUCE.

The produce market is active and
steady in nearly all lines and offer-
ings are generally sufficient. An easy
tone is noted in potatoes and the
supply is liberal. Pears are also
lower and abundant, and the remain-
der of the fruit list is steady. Grapes
are plentiful. Butter, cheese and
eggs are in active demand and firm.
Poultry is steady and chickens are in
good demand. Dressed calves are
easy and plentiful.

CABBAGES—10@12c per lb.

CHESTNUTS—10@12c per lb.

TOMATOES—Home-grown, 75c@80c

per bushel.

HICKORY NUTS—Shellbarks, 2 1-2@

2 3-4c per pound.

POTATOES—Car lots, track, 55c@60c

per bushel.

ONIONS—80@90c per bu; Spanish,

\$1.00@1.50 per crate.

DRESSED CALVES—Fancy, 11@12c;

choice, 8@9c per lb.

HONEY—Choice to fancy comb, 17@

18c per lb; amber, 14@15c per lb.

APPLES—1 1-2c@1 1-2c per bu; 50@55c

per bu; Snow, \$2.50@2.75 per bu.

GRAPES—Niagara, 4-lb baskets, 15c;

Concord, 8-lb baskets, 14@15c; Con-

cord, 4-lb baskets, 13c; Catawba, 4-lb

baskets, 14c.

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CHESTNUTS—10@12c per lb.

TOMATOES—Home-grown, 75c@80c

per bushel.

HICKORY NUTS—Shellb

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PERSONAL MENTION.

H. S. Holmes was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

John Faber spent Monday afternoon in Grass Lake.

B. C. Pratt, of Toledo, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Speer were in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark spent Sunday at Howell.

Peter Easterle, of Detroit, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Edna Wackenhut spent Sunday in Battle Creek.

Mrs. J. Mast is the guest of her daughter in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren spent Monday at Plymouth.

Mrs. J. G. Hoover is spending this week at South Haven.

Henry Hague, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

H. H. Fenn and Dr. A. L. Steger spent Sunday in Detroit.

Wm. Brodie, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Kathryn Hooker was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

George Wackenhut was the guest of Jackson relatives Sunday.

Michael Wackenhut, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Herman Fletcher and children were Jackson visitors Saturday.

J. P. Wood, of Detroit, is a guest of Chelsea relatives and friends.

Mrs. Adam Eppler is in Dexter caring for her mother who is ill.

Mrs. S. P. Foster and daughters are guests of relatives at Marshall.

Miss Jennette Connor, of Jackson, spent Tuesday with Chelsea friends.

Dr. Geo. A. Gorman, of Springfield, spent Monday with Chelsea relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Speer, of Battle Creek, visited Chelsea relatives Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Bush made an auto trip to Durand and Fenton Sunday.

Mrs. Michael Wackenhut, of Jackson, visited Chelsea relatives Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole returned Monday from a week's visit with relatives at Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pinckney, of Sparta, spent the past week with Mrs. J. Clark.

Alexander Webster, of Florence, Ontario, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Webster.

Mrs. A. C. Lorenger, of Detroit, was the guest of her father, John Conaty, Sunday.

Miss Tema Hieber, of Detroit, was the guest of her parents here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley Jackson, of Springfield, Ohio, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. M. L. Grant.

Mrs. Thos. Daly and children, of Jackson, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. R. Zulk.

Mrs. N. W. Laird and family are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. L. Milner, of Stockbridge.

Mrs. Wesley Canfield returned to her home Sunday from a week's visit with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. F. Weitbrecht and daughter Rose, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of G. Hutzel Sunday.

Miss Ivah Barney, of Jackson, was a guest at the home of W. S. McLaren several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hindelang were visitors at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Thos. Shaw, of Ypsilanti, last Thursday.

Mrs. R. J. Beck, of Detroit, spent the first of the week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Clara Faulkner, of Sylvan.

Mrs. Arthur Corwin and children, of Toledo, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary Winans, Saturday and Sunday.

Charles Carpenter, jr., entertained on Sunday Harold Canon one of the members of the foot ball team of Jackson.

Mrs. A. E. Johnson and daughter and Misses Erma and Ella Ruth Hunter were Ann Arbor visitors Monday.

Mrs. Mary Winans, who has been spending several months with relatives at Seneca Falls, returned home Friday evening.

Miss Margaret Dauberthmidt returned to her home in Fairmont, Minn., Sunday after spending the past month with Mrs. T. G. Speer.

Mrs. P. Forner and Mrs. Martin, of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whipple and family, of Lima, and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barton and family, of Lyndon, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merkel, of Sylvan.

Church Circles.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.
Morning service at 10 o'clock. Subject, "Progress and Patience."
Sunday school at 11 a. m.
Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m.
Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Women and Christianity."
Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:15 p. m. Subject, "The Influence of the Church on the Community."

ST. PAUL'S.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Morning service at 10 o'clock. Sunday school at 11 a. m.
Young People's Society at 7 p. m.
The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Carl Bagge Friday afternoon of this week.
The annual business meeting of the church will be held Monday evening, November 6.

BAPTIST.
Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor.
Preaching service at 10 a. m. Subject, "A New Creature."
Sunday school at 11 a. m.
Junior meeting at 2:30 p. m. Subject, "Getting Ready for Life."
Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "Lessons from Great Lives."
Leader, Mary Sawyer.
Preaching service at 7 p. m. Subject, "Why a Public Confession."
Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m. Subject for November 9th, "The Separation of the Church."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.
Rev. W. H. Hollister, a missionary from India, will preach next Sunday at 10 a. m.
Bible study at 11 a. m.
Junior League at 3 p. m.
Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m.
Evening preaching at 7 o'clock.
Prayer service on Thursday at 7:15 p. m.
District missionary meeting at Adrian on Monday evening and Tuesday. Laymen and pastors are invited. A very interesting program is arranged, and a banquet.
Everybody welcome at these services.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH, NEAR FRANKISCO.
G. C. Nothdurt, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
German worship at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Doers of the Word."
Epworth League at 7 p. m.
English worship at 7:30 p. m.

Princess Theatre.
The Princess program for Saturday evening embraces two comedies and two dramas. The feature for the evening is Vitaphone's great picture "The Old Folks Sacrifice," a beautiful story of sacrifice by an old couple that they may keep their grandson out of jail. "Chance Shot," a Kalem drama, and two comedies, "Wife's New Hat" and "The New Operator" complete the picture part of the bill. Miss Spinnagle will sing two songs.

CAUSES MUCH DISEASE
Advice About Stomach Troubles and How to Relieve Them.
Do not neglect indigestion which may lead to all sorts of ills and complications. An eminent physician once said that ninety-five per cent of all the ills of the human body have their origin in a disordered stomach. Our experience with Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets leads us to believe them to be among the most dependable remedies known for the relief of indigestion and chronic dyspepsia. Their ingredients are soothing and healing to the inflamed membranes of the stomach. They are rich in pepsin one of the greatest digestive aids known to medicine. The relief they afford is very prompt. Their use with persistency and regularity for a short time tends to bring about a cessation of the pains caused by stomach disorders.

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NORTHVILLE—A black hand artist is at work at Northville. Mrs. F. D. Eatherly has been ordered to leave \$250 under a certain non-compliance. The officers are at work on the case.

CASTE A BARRIER IN INDIA

Snobbery Sifted Into Fanatical Religious Faith Pale Description of Social Conditions.

First of all caste is a question of birth, and there is no entry except by birth. A worker in a coal mine may become a part owner thereof, and his daughter marry a peer, and his grandson become a peer of England. No millions will enable the low caste Hindu to marry into a Brahman family or even to touch the hand, or throw his shadow on the food of a Brahman in India.

If a man is excommunicated by his caste fellows in India, no one of the caste will eat with him, accept water from his hands or marry him. His own wife will not touch him or speak with him. He is dead to his family. The barber even will not shave him, or cut his hair, or his toe nails.

A Brahman clerk has been known to distribute legal documents by throwing them down at the end of the village street in which live his low caste brethren. Letter carriers have been known to refuse to enter the houses of, or to permit themselves to come into personal contact with those of a lower status than themselves.

If one could picture to oneself social snobbery lifted into a fanatical religious faith, it would be a pale description of the iron subdivisions of caste in India. There is no patriotism, and can be none, in a country thus divided against itself.—Scribner's Magazine.

WHERE WE NEED PROTECTION

Not Against the Autocrat, But the Outgrown Social Institution.

It is not the autocrat, but the outgrown social institution, against which society requires protection. Not the legislature or the executive, but the constitution and the prevailing judicial and administrative procedure, are in the way of progress; or rather, carrying the analysis one step farther, our difficulties are not so much with the constitution and procedure, as with our own reluctance to amend and modernize them. Knowledge and conviction have gone far ahead of existing mechanism and habit. The clash is none the less real because it is not between two distinct classes, between a ruling class and a revolting class, for example; but rather between our own selves of tradition and habit on the one hand, and ourselves of the present environment and new standards. These conflicts with our own inherited traditions and habits are perhaps the most exasperating and tragic of all.

Chinese and Vaccination.

"Unless it is absolutely necessary I never like to get a Chinaman started on the vaccination game because he never knows where to stop," said a missionary. "He fights against the initiation with all the stubbornness of his oriental nature, but once he becomes convinced of the efficacy of vaccine virus he goes on the principle that you can't get too much of a good thing and wants a dose of it for every ill that besets him. The Chinaman who has been once vaccinated wants it done all over again every time he gets a bad headache. It is pretty tough on Chinese children whose parents have formed the vaccination habit. If the missionaries and doctors didn't watch out their little arms would be in a state of eruption half the time."

Little Willie's Again.

"Pa!" came little Willie's voice from the darkness of the nursery. Pa gave a bad imitation of a snore. He was tired and did not wish to be disturbed.

"Pa!" came the little voice again. "What is it, Willie?" replied his father, sleepily.

"Tum in here; I want to ast you sumpin'," said the little voice.

So pa rose up from his downy and, putting on his bath-robe and slippers, marched into the nursery.

"Well, what is it now?" he asked.

"Say, pa," said little Willie, "if you was to feed the cow on soap would she give shaving-cream?"—Harper's Weekly.

Mental Pag.

"My brightest pupils," says a young tutor, "have occasional weeks of blankness which resist my most subtle methods, and I have come to the conclusion that they are suffering at such times from a form of mental indigestion. They have been taught enough and need rest before their minds will receive and stow away any more facts. A couple of days work wonders, and even one day is sometimes enough. But it is hard to make the mothers understand the importance of these holidays, and some of them begrudge the loss of even a few lessons."

In Line.

Suitor—Your daughter, sir—well, or—that—is she told me to come to you—she says you—

Pater—Quite so—I understand. Let's see, are you Mr. Bronson or Mr. Wibbles?

Suitor—Why, I'm Mr. Hotchkiss—Brooklyn Life.

Surprise.

"Aren't you surprised at Lord Luvvus for contracting such enormous debts?"

"No," replied Mr. Cumrox, "I'm not surprised at him; only his creditors."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND

For over three decades a favorite household medicine for COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, BRONCHITIS, HARD AND STUFFY BREATHING. Take at first sign of a cold. Quick, safe and reliable. The Bee Hive on the carton is the mark of the genuine. Refuse substitutes.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

LYNDON CENTER.

John Young has had the hay balers the past week.

Louis McKane has not finished his bean harvest yet.

They made some fine apple jelly at Archenbron's cider mill in Waterloo the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stanfield visited friends near Eden, Ingham county, on Sunday last.

Miss Alice Hankerd, who is attending the Normal at Ypsilanti, spent Saturday with her parents.

Edward Gorman has closed out his farm stock and tools and will probably reside permanently in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barton spent Sunday at the home of their daughter and husband, Leo Merkel, of Sylvan.

Miss Irene Clark, who is attending St. Mary's Academy, Monroe, spent a couple of days at home the past week.

The many friends of Miss Kate Gorman will be pained to learn that she is quite ill at her home in Detroit.

We are wondering what ails Eureka Grange as we have not heard of them holding any meetings for some time past.

Some farmers have finished corn husking but there is still a good amount of corn to be husked and taken care of.

John Prendergast, who is attending the Normal at Ypsilanti, spent Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Prendergast.

John Clark and sons Cecil, James and Joseph were in Jackson on Sunday last attending the funeral of the infant son of Dr. Thos. Clark and wife.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Mrs. Etta Stocking, of Detroit, spent Saturday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammond were in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Blanche Stephens, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with her parents.

Charles Morse, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with George Whittington.

Mrs. Bertha Stephens and Miss Estella Guerin spent Saturday in Jackson.

Carpenters are at work on Addison Webb's barn and expect to be ready for the raising Saturday.

Roy Easton, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Freer, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Freer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wedemeyer, of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. David Heseischwerdt, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday at the home of Sam Bohnet.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Mrs. Emmett Dancer, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kilmer, of Sharon, spent Sunday with J. Miller and family.

H. Harvey and family spent Sunday with Joseph Walz and family of Root's Station.

Geo. Fauser is expecting to move his household goods to the farm he rented south of the village here.

Mrs. J. Wolpert and Mrs. D. Hammond and daughter, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of H. Gleske.

P. Riemschneider and wife, Misses Ricka Kalmbach and Augusta Benter started Tuesday morning for Hopkins, Michigan, to attend the Epworth League convention.

A Burglar's Awful Deed.

May not paralyze a home so completely as a mother's long illness, but Dr. King's New Life Pills are a splendid remedy for women. "They gave me wonderful benefit in constipation and female trouble," wrote Mrs. M. C. Dunlap, of Leadell, Tenn. If ailing, try them. 25c at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

Special For This Week Only

Dresses, Cottons and Blankets

Women's Wash House Dresses all sizes and colors in Prints, Percales and Fleece Goods, all new, our regular \$1.25 values, Choice.....\$1.10
New Dressing Jackets and House Jackets in Prints, gray and navy only, always sold at 69c, Sale price.....39c
Long Kimonos, Fleece Goods, special values, at.....\$2.00 and \$1.75
Special lot of Bed Blankets, at.....\$1.00
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LOCAL ITEMS.

John Mohrlock, of Sylvan, who has
been quite ill is reported as improv-
ing.

M. Icheldinger has purchased from
the heir, the Thos. E. Morse farm in
Lima.

Born, Monday, October 30, 1911, to
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fisk of this
place, a son.

Burnett Steinbach reports that he
threshed 348 bushels of wheat from
104 acres of land.

Several very enjoyable Hallowe'en
parties were held at different homes
in Chelsea Tuesday evening.

A marriage license was issued
Wednesday to Sebastian Deabold and
Amanda Kampf, both of Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Winans have
moved into their new home on the
corner of Madison and Adams streets.

Many of the farmers in this vicinity
report that weevil is working in the
wheat fields that were sown this fall.

The Chelsea postoffice has been des-
ignated as a postal savings bank de-
pository, to take effect November 24.

Chelsea high school football team
defeated the Jackson high school
reserves here Saturday by a score of
56 to 0.

Another dog owned in this place was
poisoned Monday. The owner of the
animal had it shot to relieve it of its
suffering.

The Friday issue of the Tecumseh
Herald was a very creditable anniver-
sary number. The Herald with this
number started its 61st year.

The cement part of the Main street
paving was completed last Saturday
night and Contractor Brady has ship-
ped his mixing machinery to Jack-
son.

A regular meeting of Excelsior De-
gree, No. 34, L. O. T. M. M. will be
held at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening,
November 7th. Nomination and elec-
tion of officers.

Married Wednesday evening, Nov-
ember 1, 1911, at the home of the
bride's father, John Wortley, of
Sylvan, Miss Blanche Wortley and
David Mohrlock.

A new cement sidewalk is being
laid in front and south side of the
McKune block. This does away with
the last stretch of board sidewalk in
the business section of Chelsea.

Miss Elizabeth Schwickerath, of this
place will be among those who partic-
ipate in the reception and profession
of novices at St. Joseph's Academy,
Adrian, Wednesday, November 8th.

The teachers of the Chelsea public
schools are in Detroit today attend-
ing the sessions of the State Teachers'
Association, and the schools will re-
main closed for the remainder of this
week.

O. C. Burkhardt and N. W. Laird
purchased this week from Jas. Mitteer,
of Stockbridge, two Duroc Jersey
stock hogs, grandsons of Col. M., who
took the grand championship at the
Iowa and Ohio state fairs.

There will be a Masonic school of
instruction, at Ann Arbor on Wed-
nesday, November 8. First and
second degree in the afternoon, and
third degree in the evening. All
members of Olive Lodge are invited
to attend.

Spectators will be allowed in the
gallery for an admission of 10 cents
at the masquerade party given by
the L. O. T. M. M. Friday evening,
November 3. The best and poorest
masked lady and gentleman will be
awarded suitable prizes.

It is estimated that the wheat acre-
age this year will be much below the
average. The intermittent rains dur-
ing September and October prevented
farmers getting the ground ready and
many fields which were being prepared
for seed have been abandoned.

Managers Geddes & McLaren of
Sylvan theatre announces that they
have been successful in securing for
one performance only, on Thursday,
November 9, that bright and pleasing
musical comedy, "Johnnie on the
Spot." It is strictly a farce comedy,
filled with songs, music and girls.

The Princess offers a feature to-
night that is sure to attract a
lot of attention. It is "The Sky
Pilot" dramatized from the well
known book of that name. The act-
ing is excellent, and the scenery is
beautiful, the majority of the scenes
being taken in far away Alaska.
For the second picture on the pro-
gram, the great war drama, "The
Little Soldier of the 64" is to be the
offering.

L. H. Hindelang made a business
trip to Owosso and Corunna Monday.

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

Born, Wednesday, November 1, 1911,
to Mr. and Mrs. Ercole Zingoni, of
Buchanan street, a son.

Mrs. J. E. McKune entertained the
Five Hundred Club at the McKune
house, Tuesday evening.

Tommie Wilkinson has been en-
gaged as manager of the tailor shop
over Brook's billiard room.

Hummel & Fahrner installed a two-
horse power gasoline engine for John
Schantz, of Lima, last Friday.

Miss Hattie Dunn entertained a
Hallowe'en party at her home on Mc-
Kinley street Monday evening.

The Misses Eppie and Veronica
Breitenbach, of Jackson, visited their
sister, Mrs. A. L. Steger, Sunday.

W. H. Laird & Son sold over 1,100
bushels of apples from a four acre
orchard. Spraying did the deed.

Mrs. J. S. Cummings entertained the
Research Club at a hallowe'en
party, at her home Monday evening.

Miss Sylvia Paul gave a Hallowe'en
party Tuesday evening, at her home
on East street, to a number of her
friends.

A regular meeting of R. P. Carpen-
ter Post, G. A. R., will be held at 2:30
o'clock Wednesday afternoon, No-
vember 8th.

The B. Y. P. U. social gathering
held at the Baptist parsonage Hallow-
e'en night was largely attended and a
complete success.

Mrs. Florence Howlett, of Chelsea,
has been granted a divorce from her
husband, Dr. Geo. A. Howlett, of Ann
Arbor, by Judge Kline.

Howard Everett, of Sharon, who has
been ill for several weeks past has so
far recovered that he is again able to
call on his Chelsea friends.

The Chelsea high school football
team were in Plymouth Wednesday
afternoon where they defeated the
high school team of that place by a
score of 17 to 3.

The board of trustees, accompanied
by their wives, of St. Paul's church,
gave Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Schoen a
very pleasant surprise party at their
home Tuesday evening.

Married, Tuesday evening, October
31, 1911, at the M. E. parsonage, Miss
Grace Randall, of Ypsilanti, and Mr.
John Russell, of Oregon, Ill., Rev. J.
W. Campbell officiating.

President Taft has decided to follow
the rule established by former presi-
dents and will name Thursday, Novem-
ber 30, the fifth Thursday in the month,
as the annual Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Julia Trinkle has issued invita-
tions announcing the marriage of her
daughter, Miss Amanda B., to Mr.
Reuben A. Grieb, at 2:30 o'clock Wed-
nesday afternoon, November 15, 1911,
at her home in Lima.

Misses Anna Karecher, Carrie,
Louise and Edward Buss, of Manches-
ter, Ella, William and Elma Meyer,
of Sharon, Carrie and Theodore
Strieter, and Elsa Niehaus, of Free-
dom, were Ann Arbor visitors Sun-
day.

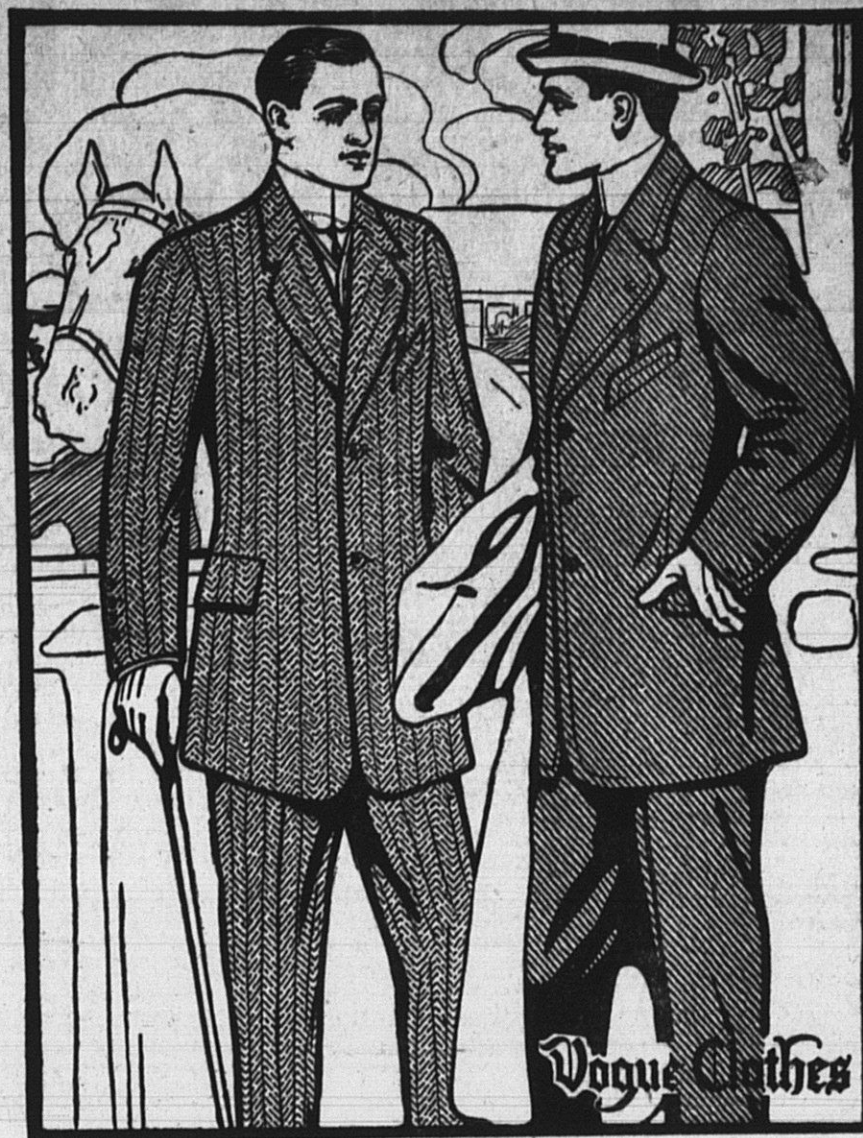
Miss Lillie, oldest daughter of
Ernest Paul, who has been at the
hospital in Ann Arbor for a few
weeks receiving treatment for a
nervous trouble, was removed to the
home of her aunt, Mrs. Fred Niehaus,
of Lima, Monday.

The great flood at Austin, Pa., will
be reproduced at the Princess, on
Tuesday, November 7. These pictures
are to be shown by Lyman H. Howe
at the Athenaeum, Jackson, Satur-
day and Sunday, at 25, 35 and 50
cents. At the Princess for a dime.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hathaway
left Saturday for Jackson where they
will spend a week going from there
to Kansas City for a week's visit and
at the expiration of their visit they
will continue their trip to Los
Angeles, where they expect to make
their home.

In the suit brought before Justice
Frank Brooks Monday by the Chelsea
Horsebreeders' Association against
George Goodband the jury disagreed
and the case will have to be tried
over. The Association also com-
menced a similar action against John
Miller which was settled out of court
Tuesday.

The Congregational Brotherhood
will meet at the home of J. Bacon
next Thursday, November 9, at 7:30
p. m. Prof. Horace Wilgus of the
U. of M. and Mr. Tinker, Secretary of
the University Y. M. C. A. of Ann
Arbor, will speak. Important busi-
ness will be considered including
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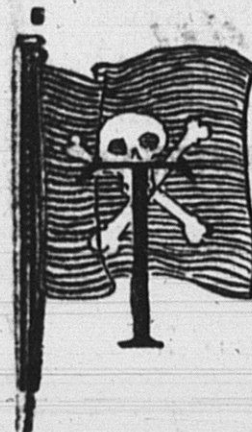
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The TREASURE OF COCOS ISLAND

The Romantic History of a Pirate Hoard on an Island in the Pacific

By **WALTER NOBLE BURNS**

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HE good bark Hesperus will spread her white wings at Eagle Harbor, Wash., in a few weeks and sail away across the blue Pacific into the heart of the most fascinating romance of all pirate stories.

Capt. Frederick Hackett, in command of the vessel, claims to be the only man in all the world who knows the secret of the buried treasure of Cocos Island. He plans on this expedition to lift the vast wealth plundered by sea rovers in the early part of the last century and hidden on the island in a cave, the exact location of which has been lost and for which adventurers have sought in vain for many years.

He is equipped with hydraulic mining machinery and has sufficient provisions to remain for a year if necessary on the island, which lies 300 miles off the western coast of Central America. That a score of former expeditions have proved failures does not discourage him. The treasure hunters who have gone before have depended upon pick and shovel. He will be the first prepared to use hydraulic mining methods. Earthquakes, he says, have shaken down landslides upon the treasure cave and changed the topography of the island. He will wash the earth away with streams of water powerful enough to uproot trees and burst rocks asunder. He is confident of success.

"When I return to the United States," says Captain Hackett, "I shall have the entire Cocos Island treasure hoarded down beneath the hatches of the Hesperus."

The story of Cocos Island makes Robert Louis Stevenson's "Treasure Island" seem true in comparison, so much stranger are the facts of this real romance of buried treasure than the dream-adventures, highly colored as they are, wrought by the imagination of the novelist. The marvelous tale has its beginning in the days when savage buccaners, flying skull-and-crossbones at their mast-heads, harried the Spanish main and plundered tall galleons on the high seas. It fairly glitters from beginning to end with a fairy wealth of doubloons, pieces-of-eight, louis d'ors, moldores, sequins and double guineas. In its crowded episodes, blindfolded victims walk the plank, bronzed and turbaned withouts swarm over the bulwarks of captured ships and lay about them with cutlasses and dragon-pistols, sea rogues are strung up at yard-arms, towns are sacked and looted, vessels are left to rot in flames and smoke. It centers about a lonely island, palm-shaded in tropic seas, whereon lies buried a treasure beyond the dreams of Monte Cristo. It rings with the clash of battle on the island beaches and with the death cries of the men murdered that they might never betray the treasure's secret hiding place. Finally it hands down from the far-off time of romance to prosaic modern days a great golden mystery which, like a siren beckoning through the years from purple southern seas, has lured men to ruin and death.

According to well-authenticated accounts, \$23,000,000 in pirate treasure is buried on Cocos Island. Of this sum \$12,000,000 in money, bullion and plate is supposed to have been hidden in 1821 by Benito Bonito, the last of the great pirates who, even after Lafitte had passed away, kept alive upon the ocean the lawless traditions of L'Olonnois, Pierre Le Grand, Roche Brazilliano, England, Hawkins and Sir Henry Morgan.

The remaining \$11,000,000 is said to have been concealed in the same cave in 1838 by "Bugs" Thompson, one of Bonito's old pirate crew, who sailed away with the treasure from the harbor of Callao when the government authorities of Peru entrusted it aboard his vessel to save it from capture by revolutionists. It consisted of money from the public treasury, ingots of gold from Indian mines, plate, chalices, ornaments and golden statues belonging to the churches and cathedrals of Lima.

Captain Hackett is fourth in what may be christened the royal line of the holders of the golden secret of Cocos Island. This secret has been handed down in a sort of lineal descent from Thompson. The former ocean freebooter for years carried about a chart of Cocos Island drawn upon a piece of yellow parchment showing the exact location of the cave, in which his own and Bonito's treasure hoard is hidden. He gave this chart to a fisherman of St. John's,

N. F., named Keating, with full directions how to find the treasure. Thompson died under mysterious circumstances a little later and the suspicion grew that Keating killed him. However that may be, Keating sailed to Cocos island in 1844 with Captain Bogue, a seaman of sufficient means to finance the expedition. They found the treasure, but Bogue never returned. Keating said he was drowned in the surf while attempting to climb into a boat with his boots and pockets stuffed with gold. It is generally believed that Keating murdered him.

Keating made a second visit to the island four years later and again found the treasure. In both trips he is supposed to have brought away gold and jewels to the value of \$150,000. He was prevented from recovering the entire treasure by mutinous crews on both voyages. Keating and Bogue are the only men, so far as is known, who ever recovered treasure from Cocos Island.

Keating passed his secret on to the Hackett brothers, both seamen and his neighbors in St. John's. Keating had lost or destroyed the chart which he had obtained from Thompson. But he drew another chart which he gave to the Hacketts with explicit instructions how to find the cave. Keating died in 1883 and Capt. Thomas Hackett, the elder brother, sailed in 1885 on an expedition bound for Cocos, but the voyage ended with his death in Havana from yellow fever.

Capt. Frederick Hackett, who is about to undertake the latest Cocos Island treasure hunt, has himself made two former unsuccessful expeditions.

Captain Hackett was formerly a whaling skipper. He has been a seaman all his life. He formerly sailed out of St. John's, Newfoundland, where he was born and grew to manhood. For the last ten years he has made his home in Vancouver, British Columbia, where he is engaged in the fishing trade. He is a bluff, ruddy, bearded old sea dog, hale and vigorous despite his three score years, and full of a boyish enthusiasm over a project that has been his one dream for a quarter of a century. So many expeditions to Cocos Island have failed to find treasures that Captain Hackett has had difficulty in raising funds for his present expedition. He succeeded in getting together \$100,000, and with this sum he has been able to provision his ship properly for a year's voyage and to take along hydraulic mining machinery, in which he is sure lies the only hope of ever unearthing the Cocos Island treasure.

"I have stood over millions," said Captain Hackett recently as he sat by the skylight on the quarter-deck of the Hesperus and watched his sailors busy with final preparations for the expedition. "It was not lack of knowledge that caused me to fail in my two former voyages, but lack of equipment and supplies. I knew after my first expedition that picks and shovels would not do in Cocos, and that the only chance to get the treasure was to tear up the earth with streams of water thrown by a hydraulic mining engine. I have the latest hydraulic machinery with me now, and I shall set out with perfect faith in the successful outcome of my voyage."

"The landslide that now lies on top of the treasure cave probably occurred in the middle of the last century during the violent earthquakes that shook the western coast of South and Central America. Forest trees have grown upon it, and the appearance of that part of the island is vastly changed since the days of Bonito, Thompson and Keating. But with my bearings and chart and the instructions given me by Keating in many long interviews, I believe I can locate within a radius of 30 feet the spot beneath which the treasure is buried."

"I knew Keating from youth up," Captain Hackett continued. "He was a rough, ignorant man who had been a fisherman and a sailor all his life. It was because my brother and I befriended him when most everybody else looked askance at him that after advancing years made it pretty certain that he never would be able to divulge his secret to us. My brother and I owned the cellar, Lord Dufferin, which was kept busy cruising up and down the coasts of Newfoundland and New Brunswick. On one of our voyages we took Keating with us. One stormy night as the old man sat by the table in the cabin over a glass of stiff grog, he first told us how to find the treasure. He began his strange story with an account of his first visit to Cocos with Captain Bogue."

"It was a hot day in June, he said, when he and Bogue landed. They struck off through the tropical jungle

with Thompson's chart to guide them.

"The cave, Keating said, was 15 feet long by 12 feet broad, with a ceiling high enough to permit a man to stand upright. It was full of bars of gold and sacks of money. Many of the sacks bore the stamp of the Bank of Lima. There were many golden crucifixes, chalices and church ornaments. A statue of the Madonna of solid gold lay upon the floor. It was so heavy that Keating and Bogue together could not lift it, but could only push it along. The glitter of the piles of gold, Keating said, fairly made him reel and seemed to fill the cave with a ghostly radiance that at first struck him with awe."

"Bogue and Keating tied a few coils in a handkerchief and rowed back to their ship. They told the sailors they had found a spring of fresh water, but they were so excited with what they had seen that they acted unnaturally and the crew, may be, had suspicions of the truth, anyway. One word led to another, and Bogue and Keating told as little as possible, but it was enough for the crew, who made them promise to go ashore."

"Right here Keating and Bogue began to play their game more shrewdly. They served out unlimited grog, as if to celebrate treasure trove, long before night the whole outfit was gloriously drunk except Keating and Bogue, who took care to remain strictly sober. All hands turned in early to sleep off their potations and be ready to bring the treasure aboard next morning. As soon as they were asleep, Keating and Bogue slipped off to shore in a whaleboat. They beached their boat and again made their way to the cave. They filled their pockets with doubloons and pieces-of-eight and louis d'ors. Not satisfied with the money, Bogue, stuffed bar gold into his sea-boots so that he could hardly walk for the weight. In launching the boat, Keating said Bogue went under and was drowned."

"Keating," Captain Hackett went on, "escaped to sea with his plunder, leaving the ship to its fate, and the men never were seen or heard of afterward. Four days later he was picked up by a Spanish coasting vessel which landed him safely near Punta Arenas. He slowly worked his way back to Newfoundland and deposited much money in the St. John's bank."

"Keating made a second voyage to Cocos island four years later. He told us of this adventure too. I wrote the tale out afterwards in Keating's own language as nearly as I could remember it."

The first treasure was buried on Cocos island by Benito Bonito a few months before his death in 1821. Bonito was born in 1788. He was a Spaniard of supposed gentle blood. His real identity is not known—Benito Bonito was an assumed name. He began his career as a lieutenant of a Spanish privateer. At the close of the Napoleonic wars he became mate of a Portuguese trading brig. In 1816 he quarreled with his captain, murdered him and seized the vessel. From that date he followed the life of a pirate. One of his first prizes taken in West Indian waters was an English slaver named the Lightning. Having cut her out of Matanzas, where she was lying at anchor one night, he burned his own brig and, transferring his flag to the British vessel, renamed her the Relampago, which is Spanish for chain-lightning. Most of the crew of the slaver were made to walk the plank. Two pleaded for their lives and offered to join Bonito. On this condition Bonito spared them. These two men were Thompson, known in Cocos island traditions as "Bugs," and a Frenchman named Chapelle, who also figures later in the story of Cocos Island.

In the long, low, rakish Relampago, which could show a clean pair of heels to anything sailing the Spanish main, Bonito had a busy and prosperous career as a pirate. From Rio to the Bahamas he became a scourge and collected an immense amount of booty. When the Spanish government sent warships to hunt him, Bonito slipped around Cape Horn to fresh pastures in the Pacific.

The wealth of the churches of Spanish America is still considerable, but in the early days of the last century the richness of the plate and ornaments with which they were adorned was amazing. Bonito sacked cities

and towns up and down the western coast, pillaging the cathedrals and laying tribute upon the citizens. His fame as a cruel and rapacious sea robber spread from the Horn to the Spanish settlements in California. In hunting for a spot in which to bury his growing treasure, he chanced upon Cocos Island.

Cocos Island is a volcanic speck in the Pacific ocean and belongs to Costa Rica. It is 300 miles off the Costa Rica coast, 500 miles from Panama, and 5 degrees north of the equator.

On the trip to Cocos island destined to be Bonito's last, a number of his men became dissatisfied. Having rowed their treasure to the cave they gathered on the beach in sullen temper and soon came to open mutiny. They were tired of piracy. They demanded that the entire treasure be divided among them and that they be set upon the mainland and permitted to shift for themselves. Bonito refused. A pitched battle was fought with cutlasses and pistol, and in the hand-to-hand engagement many were killed.

Bonito was victorious. With the mutiny suppressed, he sailed for the West Indies. Off Valparaiso, some one suggested a carouse ashore. Bonito gave his consent. Seventeen men were landed and Bonito agreed to lie off and on near a certain headland and wait for them. With the 17 were all that were left of the mutineers, including Thompson and Chapelle. But Bonito proved treacherous. He sailed away and left the recalcitrants to their fate. The 17 were recognized in Valparaiso as pirates and captured. They were convicted and all except Thompson and Chapelle were hanged. Thompson and Chapelle escaped by representing that they had been forced into Bonito's service and offered to guide a warship to Bonito's secret haunts among the West Indian islands.

The British government was just then planning a campaign of extermination against Bonito and his buccaniers. Sent to England for the purpose, Thompson and Chapelle guided a British corvette to one of their old chief's places of refuge in the Caribbean. Bonito's ship and crew were captured, but the grim old sea wolf, seeing ahead the loom of the gibbet on Execution dock, blew out his brains on his own quarter-deck.

Of the subsequent fate of Chapelle little is known.

Thompson drops out of sight until 1838 when he reappears as Captain Thompson, master of an English trading brig, the Mary Dear, which at the opening of the second chapter of the romance of Cocos Island was lying in the harbor of Callao, Peru. A revolution was under way in Peru. Lima, the capital founded by Pizarro, was in a state of siege. Just before the beleaguering lines of the revolutionists were drawn about the city, the government authorities removed the money from the treasury, and from the churches the plate and ornaments dating back to the golden days of the conquest, and sent them for safe keeping to an old stone fortress at Callao. When the revolutionary army learned of the removal of the treasure, which was valued at \$11,000,000, it marched on Callao with the determination of capturing the rich hoard. In this crisis, the commandant of the fortress, seeing an English flag fluttering from the peak of the Mary Dear, bethought him that under the folds of the union Jack Lima's treasure would be safe. Captain Thompson gave his consent to the proposition. The treasure was soon stowed snugly under the Mary Dear's hatches, and four Peruvian soldiers were left on board to guard it.

Soon after Thompson had confided his secret to Keating he died. His death aroused no suspicion at the time, but long afterwards in the light of events Keating was suspected of having murdered him. Keating took over Thompson's effects, including his map of Cocos Island. By Thompson's death, Keating became the sole possessor in all the world of the secret of the Cocos Island treasure. How Keating lifted the treasure on two voyages to the island already has been told.



The KITCHEN CABINET

THIS world which clouds thy soul with doubt is but a carpet inside out. It's when we view those shreds and ends, We know not what the whole intends; So when on earth things look but odd, They're working out some scheme of God. What now seem random strokes, will there In order and design appear. Then shall we praise what here we spurned; For then the carpet shall be turned. —Metropolitan Life.

SOUPS FOR COOL EVENINGS.

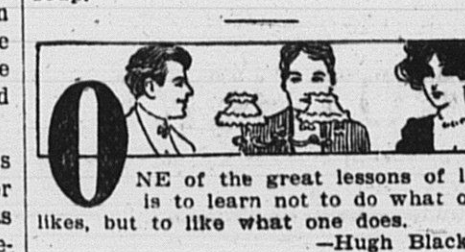
When the main meal is taken at noon there is no dish at night that "goes to the spot" like a nice hot dish of soup. Cream soups are appropriate for this meal and they are legion, so that all tastes may be gratified.

Cocoanut Soup.—This is one that is so perfectly delicious that the trouble of preparation will be swallowed with the first taste. Cook two pounds of veal bones in two quarts of water put over them cold. When reduced to one quart add the grated meat (or meat put through a meat chopper) of one cocoanut and cook a half hour; strain and add the milk of the nut and a pint of cream. Reheat and thicken with a tablespoonful each of flour and butter cooked together. Season with salt, pepper and a little onion juice and, just as ready to serve, pour over two slightly beaten eggs.

Queen Victoria's Favorite Soup.—Remove the fat from one quart of water in which a fowl has been cooked. Season with salt, pepper, onion juice and celery salt. Mash the yolks of three hard-cooked eggs, mix with half a cup of bread crumbs soaked in a little milk until soft. Chop the white meat of the chicken until fine as meal and stir it into the egg and bread paste. Add a pint of hot cream slowly, then add to the chicken liquor. Boil five minutes, add more salt and, if too thick, more cream; if too thin, add more crumbs. It should be a puree.

A fine soup may be made of the wing tips and bones of a turkey left from dinner.

The tough ends of steak, with a few bones, will make another good-flavored soup.



—Hugh Black.

IDEAS THAT HELP.

The silver mesh bags, fan chains, jorgnettes and watch chains may be cleaned by first soaking them in a little alcohol and then rubbing with dry chamol.

Never allow silver to stand over night without washing, after being used. Wash in soapsuds and rub dry before putting away.

Here is a dainty little dessert that will delight the small people and the older ones will not refuse it:

Grape Tarts.—Remove the pulp from well-washed grapes and put the skins in another dish. Cook the pulp until the seeds can be easily removed by straining through a colander. The skins need longer cooking to make them tender. Put all together and cook with a little sugar to sweeten. Fill tart shells with the mixture and serve cold with whipped cream.

Many like those filled with the uncooked grapes, removing the seeds.

When drawing threads for hem-stitching rub the goods where the threads are to be drawn with a piece of soap. The thread will slip out much easier.

A dainty and delicious salad: Have muskmelons and fill with the fruit cut in small cubes, garnish with green grapes or cherries and serve with French dressing.

Cheese Eggs.—Grate a quarter of a pound of cheese into a saucepan, set it on the stove, season with a little chopped parsley, butter, pepper and salt, then add a half dozen eggs slightly beaten. Stir constantly until creamy and serve at once.

Broiled Chopped Steak.—Take a piece of the upper part of the round, put it through the meat chopper, season with salt, pepper, onion juice, and put it on a dinner plate; flatten out until about an inch thick, then turn onto a greased broiler and cook over coals or under the gas flame. Steak cooked in this way is entirely beyond the fried article in flavor and digestibility.

White Mountain Soup.—To a teaspoonful of cooked rice add three tablespoonfuls of grated cheese and a cupful of vegetable stock (liquor remaining from cooked peas or cabbage). Add a pint and a half of milk, salt and pepper to taste. When hot pour over the white at an egg that has been beaten until stiff. This egg may be used as a garnish on the top of the soup if desired.

Nellie Maxwell.

Buy One, Anyway.

"Buy a flower for your wife, sir."

"Haven't one."

"For your sweetheart."

"Haven't one."

"For your best girl, then."

"Haven't one."

"Since you're so lucky, then at least buy one for yourself." —Filipino

Ruskin Pitted Americans. It is not only the half-bred tricks of Tattershall that have numbered for trans-shipment the Atlantic. Ruskin, when he was boy, pitted the Americans for a so unhappy as to live in a castle that has no castles. They will castle now, and no nation like be pitted. But the other important made by Mrs. Gardner as an attack to her Italian villa near Boston that of an entire chapel as it was with all its interior furnishings, to the half-burned candles in the star. The monks who served chapel had been scattered by strong hand of the law, and the building was to be devoted to pick ax. The courageous American lady had it packed up in a Venetian hill country, where it stood, and ried down piecemeal and embarked London Chronicle.

Small Circulation. Shopman—Here is a very nice in revolving bookcases, madam. Mrs. Newrick—Oh, are those revolving bookcases? I thought they were their circulating libraries.—Chicago Register.

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
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BREVITIES

GRASS LAKE—H. H. Lammers finished marketing his cucumber crop, Friday, and from eight acres he harvested a total of 3855 pounds of seed, which is worth in Detroit, 18 cents a pound, or a total \$693.90.—News.

NORTHVILLE—A black hand artist is at work at Northville. Mrs. F. D. Eatherly has been ordered to leave \$250 under a certain stone in a field under a penalty for non-compliance. The officers are at work on the case.

MANCHESTER—Lawyer Waters gave notice that the Finkbeiner—Ernst dam case, which has occupied the attention of circuit and supreme courts for 11 years, will be appealed. Judge Kinne on Monday ordered Christian Ernst to remove the dam but he did not give Finkbeiner everything for the so called damage done by the dam.—Enterprise.

YPSILANTI—Hugh Simpson was probably fatally stabbed Friday night in a row with his cousin, Harry Crossby. Both are colored. An artery was severed and he lost a great deal of blood before help came. The men started quarreling in a club room and the fray was carried to an alley back of Congress street. No warrant has been issued and nothing will be done until it is seen whether Simpson is going to live or not. The stabbing took place about 7 o'clock.

ALBION—Charles Leudeke was complained of by V. D. Hindelang for not giving a share of the roadway so that Mr. Hindelang might pass him with his automobile. When taken before Justice Watson he pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and costs. This is enough to show that there is a law for such cases. But there is also a law governing automobiles and the driving of them, and it might be well for those who drive buzz wagons to look it up also.—Leader.

YPSILANTI—George Wilson, who was arrested on the charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct last June, and who was brought before the local justice at that time, was taken to Ann Arbor Thursday night for a ten days' sentence. At the time of his arrest, he was given his choice between paying the costs and serving ten days in jail. He was allowed to go out on the streets to procure the money and failed to return. Consequently upon his return to the city, he was taken to jail.

YPSILANTI—Michigan is the first state to have a licensed aviator in its National Guard. Captain George W. MacKay, signal corps Michigan National Guard of Ypsilanti, who was detailed to attend the Moisant school of aviation, has taken the necessary course, passed the examination and tests most successfully and has received his air pilot's license. Mr. Moisant highly complimented Captain MacKay, saying, "he acquired a greater knowledge of aviation during his attendance at the school than any pupil we have ever had there."

MILAN—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Overmeyer and children were poisoned Sunday morning by something they ate at breakfast. After the meal they became ill and soon each had a vomiting spell. Becoming alarmed they telephoned for a physician who answered the call as soon as possible and found them quite sick, but not in any danger of losing their lives, as the vomiting had expelled the poison from their stomachs to such an extent that only the slightest traces remained. The Overmeyers live three and a half miles east of town on the farm he bought of Wm. Hansor about a year ago. They formerly lived in Ohio.—Leader.

GRASS LAKE—The village has finally awakened to the danger of allowing automobiles to run through the streets at the rate of speed they have been. Two warrants were issued Thursday and more may follow if this reckless driving is not stopped.—News.

DEXTER—Irving Whiteman has finished packing and drawing his apples from J. W. Williams' orchard in Webster which he has leased, the crop amounting to over 600 bushels of good quality, some samples of Baldwin measuring 12 1/2 inches around, which is unusual for that variety and without a blemish.—Leader.

MANCHESTER—Charles C. Jacobs of Franklin, son of Casper Jacob of Sharon, has bought the old Stores Craft farm of 200 acres in Sharon. Mr. Craft of Grass Lake met Mr. Jacobs here last Saturday and made out the papers. Mr. Jacobs is about to sell his farm in Franklin and will probably move to Sharon.—Enterprise.

SCIO—Frederick Brown, formerly of Scio township, died Saturday morning in Monroe. Mr. Brown was 84 years old. He is survived by one daughter, Agatha, of Ann Arbor, and one son Jacob, also of Ann Arbor. The funeral was held at the Scio church at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Rev. Fred Thrun officiating. Interment in the Scio cemetery.

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Military Changes.

The state military board at a meeting Monday evening decided to transfer Company E, second infantry, of Lansing, to the field artillery as Battery B., and transfer the Ionia signal corps company to the second regiment of infantry, in place of Company E. This action was taken as a result of the recommendation of the war department, all the states being urged to organize more batteries of field artillery, there being a serious shortage in that branch of the service. With a signal company in Ypsilanti, the state had more signal corps than are required for the units of infantry maintained by the state, and the board deemed it wise to make this shift to bring the state organization into better balance as well as comply with the request of the federal authorities.

Auction Sale.

Emanuel F. Wacker having purchased the Jerusalem Mills, and decided to quit farming, will sell his personal property at public auction on the O. C. Burkhardt farm in Lima, 3 1/2 miles east of Chelsea, on the electric line, on Tuesday, November 14th, commencing at 10 a. m., as follows: One grey horse 12 years old, weight 1,250; one brood mare 7 years old, weight 1,200; one grey gelding coming 5 years old, weight 1,350; one bay mare coming 4 years old, weight 1,400; one bay gelding coming 4 years old, weight 1,500, broke double or single; one colt 18 months old; one new milch cow, and one cow due in January; one calf 3 months old; 28 Black Top breeding ewes and 30 good spring lambs; two brood sows with seven pigs each; a full line of farm tools; quantity of hay, grain and cornstalks; one cook stove and many other articles. Good lunch and hot coffee served at noon. F. D. Merithew, auctioneer; Fred C. Halst, clerk.

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Of course if you are too young to read, or so old you have forgotten how, you may not enjoy The Youth's Companion. That is rather a sweeping statement, however, for hosts of children love to have the stories and jingles of the Children's Page read to them. There is many a grandfather and grandmother whose eyes are dim who like nothing better than to sit and listen to The Companion stories and articles. Many a blind person, and even those who in addition can neither speak nor hear have been cheered by The Companion, its contents having been communicated to them through the fingertips of friends. The reading of The Youth's Companion is a pretty sure cure for all kinds of loneliness. Robinson Crusoe would have been a happier man if he could have had his Companion Thursday as well as his man Friday. Just send for the prospectus for 1912 and sample copies of the paper.

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QUEER MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Flute Made From Bone of Defunct Enemy and Drum Cover From Skin of Leader.

The Guildford gentleman's discovery that a tolerable tune can be played on a bicycle pump is not so wonderful, after all. Did not Richard Strauss include a schoolmaster's cane in the orchestra for the performance of "Electra," and a new instrument called the heckelphone, which should be useful in electoneering? Buffalo horns, of course, have often been utilized for more or less musical purposes, and in the olden days fishes' shells and the shanks and shin bones of animals were made to give forth tunes of sorts. During the Maori war we discovered a native chief with a very tolerable flute fashioned out of the bone of a defunct enemy, but if any one has doubts as to the music that can be got out of bones, let him pay a visit to any English seaside resort in the coming summer. During one of the Serbian campaigns some twenty years ago the troops marched to battle making hideous "music" out of old saucepans and kettles, and when John Ziska, the great Hussite leader, died, his skin was tanned and made into a drum cover in the hope that the resultant "music" would serve as a magical inspiration to the troops. Only a few years ago the Austrian bands each carried five or six "serpents" in the front rank. These instruments were in the form of a snake, the bell being shaped to represent its mouth, and painted blood-red inside, with huge white teeth and a wagging tongue, which moved up and down at every step.—Tit-Bits.

IDEAS AS TO ADULTERATION

How Different Ages Change Opinions—Hops Once Considered as Harmful as Ale.

"Different ages have different ideas as to what constitutes adulteration," says a writer. "Most people nowadays regard the hop as a staple ingredient of beer, but in the seventeenth century the city of London petitioned parliament against its use in brewing, describing it as a 'wicked weed, which spoils the drink and endangers the lives of the people.' John Evelyn was a strong supporter of the anti-hop crusade. Hops, he declared, had 'transmuted our ale into beer and doubtless much altered our constitutions.' He allowed that their use improved the flavor of the liquor, but repaid the pleasure with 'tormenting diseases and short life.' He appealed to all loyal Englishmen to drink elder until this dangerous 'drogue' was banished from the breweries. It was the ancients who above all delighted to 'fill up the glasses with treacle and ink and anything else that is pleasant to drink.' In order to prevent acidity, heighten the flavor or increase the durability of inferior kinds of wine, they put into the casks such seasonings as sea water, turpentine, pitch, tar, resin, vegetable ashes, gypsum, lime, almonds, parched salt, goats' milk, cedar cones, gall nuts and blazing pine torches—not to mention poisonous salts of lead. They were fond of mixing perfumed oils with their wine before they drank it. Even in the Homeric age it was considered that wine was improved by having goat milk cheese grated over it and being sprinkled with flour."

The Doors of Old South.

The restoration of the interior of the Old South meeting house is rapidly progressing. From many odd quarters parts of the old furnishings have been collected and placed in their original positions. The pulpit of 1857 is there, with the mahogany wingless reading desk, but careful search and inquiry failed to locate the two mahogany doors which formed the entrance to the pulpit on each side. These doors were of peculiar curved shape and would be quite useless for any other purpose. This has given rise to the hope that they are still in existence and that with greater publicity of the need the one in whose possession they now are will be found.—Boston Transcript.

The Boy's Reason.

An old man, upon seeing a small bare-footed lad playing in the street of a western town one day, approached him and said: "Young man, why are you not attending school to-day? Some day, when you grow up, you will regret all this wasted time." "Well, I'll tell yer, mister," said the chap, with a long-drawn sigh, "me mudder's sick, me brother Jimmy broke his arm yesterday, and baby's cutting teeth, and me oldest sister's getting married, and, besides, there ain't any school to-day, it's teachers' convention day, and dat's the reason I ain't at school to-day."—National Monthly.

Fame.

"It is a great honor for a statesman to have his portrait circulated before the gaze of posterity on our national currency," remarked the treasury official.

"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum; "and yet did you ever know anybody to hold on to a dollar bill long enough to know whose picture is on it?"

Keenly Observant.

"Do you think that college professor is correct in saying poverty will become obsolete?"

"I shouldn't be surprised," replied Mrs. Cumroz. "I note even now that it is very fashionable."

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court held at the county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 26th day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven. Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Charles E. Leland, deceased. James Wade, executor of the will of said deceased, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed. It is ordered, that the 3rd day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, stand before the court for hearing and allowance of said account. And it is further ordered, that a copy of the order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw. EMORY E. LE LAND, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) DONALD C. DONAGAN, Register.

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