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## FIFTH ANNUAL STATE SHOOT

BILLED TO TAKE PLACE HERE NEXT MONTH

Northville Gun Club Will Do the Honors.

The fifth annual State Trap Shoot has been definitely dated for Sept. 3 and 4, to be held in Northville under the auspices of the local Gun club. The meet is of course an important one to sportsmen in this and adjoining states, and as such has been previously remarked, no small honor to our village and to the local organization of marksmen. There are twenty events listed for the two days, all of them sure to bring out some interesting and artistic work. Among the rest are three "Merchandise events" the prizes for which are to be donated by the local merchants in the various lines of business. Naturally, much interest centers on the championship trial, which takes place on the second day and which will undoubtedly bring out a lot of very pretty displays of skill with the guns.

## DIDN'T LIKE CO. AGT'S DEPUTY

LEO LAWRENCE HAD A HOT TIME SATURDAY.

Tried to Take Boys to Lansing Ind. School for His Father.

Leo Lawrence, a son of County Agent Lawrence of Northville, had a lively experience on a Pere Marquette train Saturday while taking George and James Collins, twin brothers, from Detroit to the industrial school for boys, they having been sent there for tapping a hardware store. When the train was a short distance east of Brighton one of the boys took off one of his shoes, and the two young fellows attacked Lawrence. One batted him on the head with his shoe while the other resorted to kicking as his share of the attack. It was but a moment

## THE CANAL TREATY MESSENGER.



Don't worry; he has a year in which to arrive. —Minneapolis Journal.

### A. D. KENDRICK DEAD

Another Northville Pioneer Has Passed Away.

Albert D. Kendrick, one of Northville's pioneers and highly respected citizens, passed away early Monday morning at the age of eighty-four years. Mr. Kendrick was one of Michigan's and Northville's pioneers, having come to this state from New York in 1836 and had been a resident of this place for upwards of 47 years. He was married to Zilpha Cummings who died some years ago. He was educated at Dartmouth college and followed teaching for about twenty years.

Mr. Kendrick was highly esteemed by every one and his was a familiar figure upon our streets for years past. He leaves no children and his niece, Mrs. Brown, and daughter who had cared for him for some time past will no doubt inherit his property.

The funeral was officiated at by Rev. J. M. Shanl of the Methodist church, of which society he was a worthy member, Wednesday.

Hard coal at Amber & Co's Lots of it at right prices.

### HON. PERRY POWERS FOR GOV. IN '08

SAID THAT HE WILL SUCCEED FRED WARNER.

May Be Chairman State Central Committee Next Year.

And Gen Powers just threw himself in his speech at the Mercantile's picnic at Ann Arbor last week. It was the best speech he had made in nine weeks and it impressed some of the granger bees—Perry is a big bee himself—so seriously that they are asking "What's the matter of Perry for governor next year?" The knowing ones here say that Perry is willing enough, but he doesn't think next year is his year. His plans are said to be to get Fred Warner nominated next year, get himself chairman of the republican state central committee and manage Fred's campaign, then in 1908, go after the governorship. The same knowing ones say his... that they know that

### CRAZED BY LIQUOR.

Monominee Man Created Considerable Excitement on Street.

Menominee, Mich., Aug. 19.—Temporarily crazed by liquor, with eyes bulging from his head and clad only in an undershirt, James O'Clare dashed down the main street of Marquette, and, running upon the bridge across the Menominee river, attempted to jump into the water. In jumping his feet caught between the bridge and an iron support and he hung head down. Following him were his two small brothers, about 8 and 11 years of age, who shouted to passersby to stop their brother.

Albert Seldi, of this city, gave chase upon hearing the small boys calling for aid. He reached the insane man just after he had tried to jump, and dragged him to the bridge. Here ensued a lively tussle in which the insane man got away and again tried to jump into the water. Seldi, however, was too quick for him. Assistance soon arrived and the man was taken to the jail, where he was put into a padded cell.

### Michigan Inventors.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Michigan patents were granted Tuesday as follows: Stephen N. Betts, Hillsdale, mathematical device; Fred Buck, Saginaw, measuring tape; Samuel H. Camp, Jackson, skirt; Archibald U. Campbell, Kalamazoo, device for delivering messages to moving trains, Charles E. Hodge, Houghton, quartz mill; Julius Kann, Detroit, concrete and metal construction, Arthur A. Karcher and D. E. Lyons, sparking igniter for explosive engines, Frederick C. Kerby, Detroit, interchangeable reach and short turning gear, Walter L. Marr, Detroit, changeable speed gear, Henry C. Martin, Grand Rapids, corset; Porter W. Means, Williamston, dart parachute; Lorenzo B. Mitchell, Hart, knife head for mowers; Joseph Parbel, Grand Rapids, combination tool, Ira O. Perry, Kalamazoo, folding boat; Bertrand R. Potter, Detroit, document file, Walter M. Reason, air pump, Delos E. Rice, Detroit, balanced piston for steam engine, Nels A. B. Salomon, Norway, ore dumping apparatus, Matthew J. Stevens, Ruby, stove attachment.

### ITHACA BOY SHOT.

Quarreled With Lad on Farm Near Utica, N. Y.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Herbert Moon an Ithaca boy 17 years old, shot and killed Lucian Drow, aged 20, of Ithaca, Mich., on a farm near this city Tuesday.

The boy and man had been quarreling and the latter had severely choked young Moon. During the quarrel the boy broke away and got a 22-calibre rifle, with which he shot Drow.

### Michigan Mining Delegates.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 19.—Governor Drow has appointed the delegates to the American Mining Congress, Grand wood, South Dakota, Sept. 7 to 12 to serve without salary and pay their own bills: F. G. Bulum, Sault Ste. Marie; R. M. Randall, Sault Ste. Marie; M. L. Davies, Bay City; Alex. Zaehle, Bay City; R. B. Pops, Bay City; Charles Smith, South Lake Linden; James McNaughton, Calumet; W. E. Parrall, Calumet; James Chynoweth, Calumet; S. B. Harris, Hancock; R. H. Shields, Hancock; Graham Pope, Houghton; Dr. L. L. Hubbard, Houghton; T. L. Chadbourne, Houghton; Dunbar B. Scott, Proxmire; F. McM. Stanton, Atlantic.

### Tax Commissioner Overruled.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 19.—The common council unanimously decided to force E. W. Bowman & Co., private bankers here to pay taxes on a personal assessment of \$25,000 which had been fixed by the local board of review and was taken off by Tax Commissioner Freeman, when he visited Kalamazoo officially last week. The point involved is that as private banks won't furnish a list of their depositors and amount of each depositor to assessing officers they cannot be assessed on deposits.

### Wanted to Die.

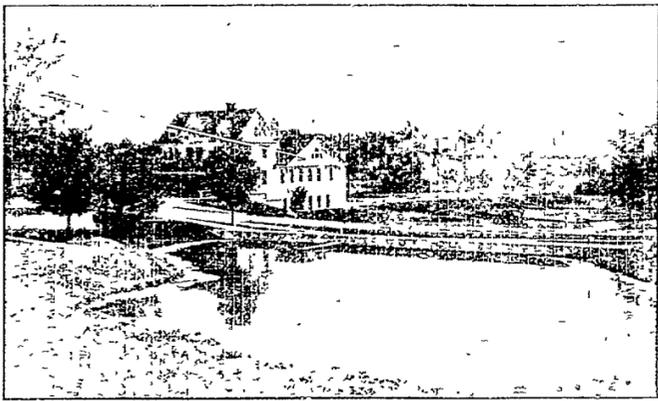
Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19.—Joseph Goebel, 561 Seventeenth street and Albert Novak, 69 Williams avenue, dragged John Martinek from the fountain of the park on Rose avenue, Tuesday morning. Martinek, who lives at 210 Sixteenth street attempted suicide, according to the police officers. When he went into the park he tried to split his head open with a hammer, but abandoned that method to jump into the fountain.

### Deaf Mute Killed by Train.

Climax, Mich., Aug. 19.—Mrs. George Tobey, aged 32, and her 2-year-old child were killed at the Grand Trunk crossing here Tuesday afternoon, their buggy being struck by a work train. The horse was also killed and the carriage demolished. Mrs. Tobey was a deaf mute, and it is thought failed to notice the danger.

DON'T FAIL to read the new story "Graustark" on page 7.

## THE NORTHVILLE FISH HATCHERY.



The U. S. Government's fish factory where Uncle Sam is now expending \$5,000 for improvements on the grounds and for new ponds. New equipment will also be added to the hatchery to increase the capacity for handling eggs.

before they had him practically knocked out and they then announced their intention to smash the car windows.

The passengers came to the rescue at this juncture and took charge of the boys and telegraphed to Brighton for a doctor and an officer. The former looked after Lawrence and the latter went on with the boys to Lansing.

Supt. St. John was surprised to receive a telegram asking him to send two officers to the train with shackles. He contented himself with sending one man but no shackles, and the boys were safely landed at the institution without further trouble.

### Barrel of Honest Efforts.

Fred Warner may not have a barrel of money to open, but he has a barrel of honest efforts which may prove very good capital in a gubernatorial contest.—Oxford Leader.

### Ball Games.

George Verkes aggregation of business men from Detroit will play the Northville business men on the golf ground here this afternoon. A warm time may be looked for and more fun than in a box of monkeys.

The Firemen and Masons will play ball again tomorrow Saturday, afternoon.

### Bicycles in France.

The number of bicycles in France last year was 1,250,000, or ten times more than in 1895. Roughly speaking, the number of bicycles has increased by 125,000 yearly for some years. The last census showed 6,000 automobiles.

### Was Infant Prodigy.

Before he had reached his twelfth birthday young Handel was known throughout Germany as a brilliant composer and virtuoso at the court of the Emperor.

Perry won't be real happy until his ambition to be governor is realized.—Detroit Evening News

### Great Banjo Player at Wayne.

Farland, the world's greatest banjoist, has been secured for a vacation date at the Wayne Opera House Aug. 25th. This is an opportunity for one of the greatest treats the people of this vicinity have ever had. Mr. Farland has just returned from a European tour, where even royalty listened with delight to his marvellous manipulations of the banjo, with which he imitates a dozen different instruments, rendering the finest opera music. Lots of people are going from Plymouth and probably many from Northville will also seize this chance of a lifetime. The admission is 35 cents, seats reserved free.

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# Lost

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## END OF KING'S PRIVATE BAND

### English Monarch Not a Lover of Stately Music.

King Edward has given order for the disbandment of his private band, one of the ancient features of his court. In its present form it was established by Charles II, and some authorities assert that a "state" band existed in the days of Queen Elizabeth. It is composed of thirty-four musicians, under the direction of Sir Walter Parratt, "master of the music." Its members are the best that can be secured in England, and this is the real cause of its dissolution. Unlike his mother, King Edward does not care much for state concerts by his own musicians, and since his accession the guides of the band have been confined chiefly to the playing of light music, including rag time, during royal dinners. This they regard as undignified and the king regards as extravagant. The same music can be played as well by fewer and less notable musicians.

There is an old allegation in vogue of a girl seated at a washstand but in the act of heedlessly reading on a surface. This is probably the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safeguard against bowel complaints, whose victims outnumber those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these disorders. For sale by Geo. C. Houston.

It is a wise man who chooses a lease on a peanut stand in Oyster Bay for next summer.

A Connecticut bishop is being criticized for going fishing on Sunday. We wonder what he caught.

### Indian Edits a Newspaper.

The first newspaper ever printed and published by an Indian has made its appearance in Eufaula, I. T. The editor is Alexander Posey, a Creek and one of the most prominent men in the nation. Posey is called the "Creek bard," but he is only half Creek. His father was a Scotch trader. He was born near Eufaula on Aug. 23, 1872, and was educated at Bacon university, at Muscogee, seven or eight years ago. He went into educational work after his graduation and was successfully superintendent of the Creek orphan school, superintendent of public instruction for the Creek nation and superintendent of the Eufaula Creek high school.

## Lost Hair

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## MURDERED BY A PERVERT

### DETROIT CHILD VICTIM OF BLOOD-THIRSTY FIEND.

#### LAD'S BODY HACKED AND CUT TO PIECES.

#### MURDERER FAILED TO LEAVE THE SLIGHTEST CLUE.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19.—A murder was committed in the city Monday night which for gruesomeness and brutality is almost without a parallel in the criminal history of the world, not excepting even the Whitechapel murders in London, England. In the case of the latter crimes, adult women were slain and mutilated, but the unknown pervert's victim in Detroit Monday was a poor, innocent lad of 4½ years, Alphonse Welmes, who a little after 2 o'clock in the afternoon pressed a kiss upon his mother's lips and left his home at 244 St. Aubin avenue, to pass the time in joyous play with other boys of his age. Nothing can be said of the boy's movements after he left the parental domicile, but the discovery of his mutilated remains Tuesday morning tell of a most revolting story, almost too horrible to relate. The little corpse was found by Edward Federle of the Michigan Stove works among a pile of molding boxes on the commons-back and east of the stove works plant. The child's dark blue knee-trousers were pulled down, his red-striped shirt pulled up, the waist opened and his white undershirt cut from top to bottom and soaked with the little one's life blood.

### Hacked to Pieces.

A long piece of copper wire was tied around his right wrist so tightly as to cut deep into the flesh. An old red handkerchief, a bandana, was forced down his throat so completely as to leave only a very small end exposed and to render it difficult to remove it. The injuries inflicted, however, were appalling. Below the right breast and extending downward there was a cut eight and a half inches long, made with a dull knife or like instrument, and penetrating deep enough to cut some of the intestines and the liver. It was deep enough to make the interior organs protrude. Another cut, three inches long, extended over an other vital part and served perhaps to disclose the protruded object of the inhuman hand. Part of the boy's flesh had been removed, subjected to close scrutiny and placed upon the boy's right limb, while other parts were missing.

On the left thigh there was an incision, also made with a knife, three-quarters inches in length and two and a half inches deep. On the back part of the upper portion of the limb there were two more cuts, the one on the right being seven inches long and two deep, while that of the left was curved, as though with a diagonal blade, in a semi-circle about eight inches in length, and fully three inches deep. The left wrist was cut as to be nearly severed from the arm. There were still other injuries.

There were abrasions and finger marks at the little one's throat. After all these injuries were inflicted and the boy had been extinct, the murderer completed his work by twisting his victim's head and breaking the neck. It is evident that after the awful crime was completed, the murderer carefully washed the blood off the body and prepared to dispose of it.

### Suspicion Feul Play.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 19.—As A. McCarthy a railway crossing watchman was found in the gutter at the corner of Cherry and Ellis streets Monday night with fractured ribs and skull. He died without speaking. The circumstances surrounding the case are somewhat mysterious. Friends of McCarthy assert that he was murdered. The coroner and police are conducting an investigation. McCarthy was 60 years old and had no money.

### Humbert Trail Near End.

Paris, Aug. 19.—The Humbert trial is approaching its close. The last witnesses were heard Tuesday and the addresses of counsel were begun. Advocate-General Biondel opening for the prosecution. Maitre Labori follows to-day. It is expected that the case will reach the jury on Thursday unless the promised revelations of Mme Humbert cause delay.

### Knocked From His Train.

Navarog, Mich., Aug. 19.—Albert Vosburg, of Allegan, a Pere Marquette brakeman, was knocked from his train by a bridge four miles south of Navarog, at 5 o'clock last night, and instantly killed. The body was terribly mangled.

## STILL A MYSTERY.

### Detroit Police in Dark as to Who Killed Wilmes Boy.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 20.—The mystery of the atrocious murder of little Alphonse Welmes has resolved itself a search for blood. The police regard as the first step in the discovery of the fiendish perpetrator, the location of the life blood of the child and the scene of the actual crime.

No single clue either of the time, the place or the perpetrator of the unparalleled deed has been gained by the police. The vicinity has been passed through the fine-meshed sieve of police inquisition and public curiosity and nothing but empty theory remains. The detective force is now beginning to feel that the wild beast whose unholy desires has left this foul stain upon the public memory will never be caught. That he will continue his outrages until death or absolute seclusion ends his career is the opinion of eminent alienists in the city.

A constitutional inhibition prevents the city from offering a reward for his arrest. Let to-day the board of county auditors will probably post a reward of \$1,000 for his capture. Another sum of \$500 is to be offered for the detection of the assassin of little Bertha Broscovska, of Delray.

## ORGANIC UNION.

### Congregational Assembly at New Buffalo Favors It.

New Buffalo, Mich., Aug. 20.—The Congregational summer assembly holding its two weeks' session here with representatives present from Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Minnesota and Iowa, Wednesday adopted a resolution endorsing the plan of organic union now under consideration by the United Brethren, Methodist Protestants and Congregational denominations. This is the largest meeting of any denomination to endorse the plan since its adoption by the joint committee at the recent conferences of the three bodies held at Pittsburg. The resolution follows:

The plan of organic union now before the denominations concerned has our unqualified endorsement, and seems to us, if it shall be cordially adopted to be a step of incalculable significance in its bearing upon the reunion of Christendom. We pledge our earnest prayers and enthusiastic efforts in aid of the movement thus begun.

## KENT IN LINE.

### Entire County to Have Free Rural Delivery.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Orders were issued at the postoffice department Wednesday for the establishment of additional rural routes in Kent county to cover the entire county. These additional routes are to be put in operation Oct. 1, and when they are established there will be sixty-six routes in the county, supplying every resident of the rural districts.

### Two Were Drowned.

Gallant Teacher Lost Life in Attempt to Rescue Companion.

Holland, Mich., Aug. 20.—John Van Dillan, of Chicago, and Henrietta Wrikkers, of Grand Rapids, were drowned in Black Lake Wednesday afternoon. Their boat struck a log and Mrs. Wrikkers lost her balance and fell into the water. Van Dillan leaped after her, but as neither could swim they drowned before help could arrive. The bodies were recovered in half an hour.

### He'd Use Horsewhip.

Quincy, Mich., Aug. 20.—The meetings of the North Quincy crazy meeting association still continue in interest. Last night Evangelist Morehouse took his congregation by storm when he delivered his address on "Popular Amusements." Among other things he said "The three popular amusements of to-day are card-playing, dancing and theater-going. Any church that sanctions them is spiritually dead. Dancing is hugging set to music. If a man should come into my house and hug my wife as I saw other men hug other men's wives at a bon ton dance once at a hotel where I boarded, I would horsewhip him and so would you."

### Mining Men in Convention.

Ishpeming, Mich., Aug. 20.—About 200 mining men from eleven ranges in the Lake Superior district are here to attend the ninth annual meeting of the Lake Superior mining institute. The Michigan mining commissioners of the St. Louis exposition are also here to confer with prominent mining officials relative to the exhibit. Various mines were inspected Wednesday and the first business session was held last night in the opera house.

## PAVING AT A STANDSTILL

### CONTRACTORS AT ALBION HAVE STRIKE ON THEIR HANDS.

#### REFUSED TO PAY TEAMSTERS \$4 PER DAY.

#### TROUBLE THREATENED IF ITALIAN LABOR IS IMPORTED.

Albion, Mich., Aug. 20.—Dean & Conors, local contractors, who have the job of paving Superior street, have a teamsters' strike on their hands, the trouble beginning Wednesday morning, when they refused to raise wages from \$3.75 to \$4 per day. The shovelers also struck for a raise from \$1.75 to \$2. Work is consequently at a standstill, neither side being willing to give in. The job was started Monday morning. The teamsters threatened to strike Tuesday because one non-union man was employed, but the matter was settled and work continued until the contractors demanded that two inches be added to the side planks so larger loads could be drawn. The teamsters gave in on this point. Deans cement sidewalk gangs are also on a sympathetic strike.

Alexander Simpson, president of the federated labor union, who acted as spokesman for the teamsters in the absence of their president, claims Dean & Conors promised two weeks ago that teamsters should receive 40 cents, and shovelers 20 cents an hour, and that the contractors figured on those prices in making their bid. The paving laborers also believe they should receive that price because the city is paying it for similar labor.

Dean & Conors claim they cannot afford to grant the increase, and will not take the strikers back at any price. They are contemplating the importation of Italian laborers to take the places of the striking shovelers. The union men say if this is done there will be serious trouble, and as this is a strong union town it looks as if there might be.

## Three Men Paroled.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 20.—Governor Bliss has paroled the following convicts: George C. Neahr, sent from St. Clair county to Ionia prison for seven years for taking indecent liberties with a child; Charles E. Prince, sent from Kent county to Jackson prison in April, 1896 for ten years, for burglary; Claude Frier, sent from Genesee county to Jackson prison in November, 1901, for three and one-half years, for arson. Neahr is fatally ill with heart disease. The prison physician says he can live but a few months, and he is released so that he can go to the Soldiers' home.

## Captured Convict Drought.

Eaton Rapids, Mich., Aug. 20.—Word was received here Tuesday night that one of the escaped convicts from Jackson state prison was located this way. About 12 o'clock at night Bert Collins and Clarence Orr, living six miles east of here, saw a strange man making across a field and laid in wait for him. Upon his arrival he was ordered to throw up his hands. It proved to be John Dwight, one of the men who escaped Friday afternoon. Dwight made no resistance to arrest. Deputy Sheriff Hodges, of Iosile, was notified and came and took Dwight back to Jackson.

## Unable to Sell Bonds.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 20.—Despite the fact that Port Huron's credit is A1, no offers can be secured for a bond issue of \$200,000, interest 4 per cent, recently authorized for public improvements. Bids were twice asked for. Agents of bond buyers say that fifty-seventy other cities this year also had 4 per cent bond issues turned down, and all for the same reason that Port Huron's issue is turned down—which is stringency of the money market. The council Tuesday evening raised the rate of interest on the issue to 5 per cent.

## W. C. T. U. After Saloonists.

Prescott, Mich., Aug. 20.—The W. C. T. U. has instituted criminal proceedings against the local salaried men for having their saloons open on the Fourth of July. The township board and village trustees accepted resolutions giving the liquor dealers the privilege.

## She Was 64, He 23.

Prescott, Mich., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Elizabeth Connors, aged 64, was married to Henry Grange, aged 22 years. The bride is worth considerable property and, although married three times before, never was a mother. She weighs 230 pounds, was born in Dublin, Ireland, and emigrated to America when 12 years old.

## Killed After Seeking Shelter.

Pellston, Mich., Aug. 20.—Charles Meek was killed and Henry Gamen severely shocked by lightning while standing in a feed store, where they had sought shelter from the rain.

## Threatened With Tetanus.

Olivet, Mich., Aug. 20.—Fred W. Ellis, electrical engineer, has been taken to the Newark sanitarium at Charlotte suffering from a revolver shot wound in the hand. An operation has been performed, but lockjaw is feared.

## TOADS FOUND IN ROCKS.

### Scientist Explains the Reason of Their Presence There.

"Amazing!" said a scientist, "is the popularity of the belief that toads live for long spaces of time in rocks. Only last week a quarryman sent to me a toad that he had found imbedded, he said, in a solid block of stone. Of course there is no truth in the idea that these reptiles can exist shut up for years without food and air, but there is truth in the stories of their being found in rocks. The rocks, though, are not solid, as the finders incline to think, and the toads have only been in them, it is probable, for a few hours instead of for years and years. Toads, you see, take naturally to sequestered places—to clefts in rocks or trees. A quarryman or a lumberman breaks into a rock or a tree, finds a live toad imbedded and thinks the reptile has been there since time began. As a matter of fact the toad has but recently crawled there through a little passage of some sort, but the passage is so well concealed that the eyes of the man have failed to discern it."

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## Something About Cairo.

Cairo is one of the world's interest ing cities. It has about 500,000 population. While there are no great industries the people are busy at all kinds of handicraft, and many of them are clever artisans. Cairo has no municipal autonomy, but is managed by the central government. It has electric lights, trolley cars and other improvements of the day and some exceedingly good hotels.

## Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or dependency invariably precedes self-suit and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self-destruction take Electric Bitters. It brings a great tone and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It also cures stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only one bottle will cure you. Sold by Geo. C. Houston, Detroit.

## Various Alcoholic Beverages.

Powerful alcoholic beverages are distilled from bananas, the milk of cocconuts, rice, and peas. The Japanese distill spirit from plums, peaches and the flower of the moth-orchard. The Chinese make an alcoholic drink from plums.

## ACCORDING TO HIS FOLLY.

### Fresh Young Man Who Bantered a Jap Answered in Kind.

A young Japanese compositor employed on a Japanese paper barely a stone's throw from the Mail and Express building, was riding down town in a city hall train the other morning. He was regressed in his morning paper and paid little attention to the other passengers. But a fresh-looking young man who sat next to him, and who had been eyeing him all along, suddenly said: "What sort of a nose are you, anyway? A Chi-ese or a Japanese?" "The little Jap was not caught napping. Quick as a wink he replied: "What sort of a 'ker' are you, anyway? A monkey, a donkey or a Yankee?" The fresh young man had no more to say, and left the train quickly when City Hall station was reached.—New York Mail and Express.

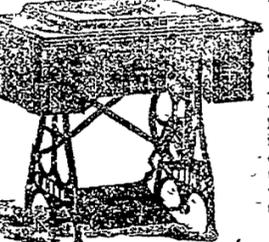
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### Ex-Gov J. Prector Knut

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#### Puerly Personal.

[Contributions to this column are earnestly solicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting elsewhere drop a line to that effect in the Record Item Box in the post-office.]

Capt. Kurth was home over Sunday.

Roy Ambler is on a two weeks' visit in Detroit.

Miss Jessie White visited friends in Salem last week.

Miss Carrie Burgert of Cincinnati is a guest at J. C. Alban's.

Mrs. I. H. Webster and twin babies returned last week from Ohio.

Will Crampton and his mother took a trip to Put-in-Bay Sunday.

W. C. and C. A. Gardner took in the ball game at Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Olive Lund of Flint has been spending the week at Floyd Northville.

S. V. Miller and wife have been on a trip to Cleveland and back this week.

Mrs. C. V. McCullough of St. Clair has been visiting in Northville for a week.

Barley Johnson and family leave Monday for a week's outing at Stouffville.

Mrs. Florence Pabbitt of Ypsilanti was a Northville visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Ball of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ball for a few weeks.

Miss Grace Potter left again Tuesday for Caney Knobs, where she is engaged in teaching.

George C. Huxton and wife and F. B. Macomber and wife spent Sunday at Orchard Lake.

Owen Raymo of Wayne was in Northville Sunday and visited the C. S. fish station here.

Mr. Daniels and family of Gregory were entertained at J. M. Stark weather's over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cortrite of Pontiac have been guests of L. N. Starkweather and wife this week.

Mrs. M. S. Nichols and Miss L. M. Palmer are spending the week with A. S. Nichols and family at River Rouge.

Mrs. J. M. Ambler and granddaughter Thelma and Miss Anna Fleisher took in the Tashmoor excursion last week.

Ward Cook has returned from Alma and has been clerking in Wheeler's store while Tom Carrington was off on sick leave.

Mrs. W. B. Pradmore and daughter, Mrs. Harry Harmon, are visiting friends at Michigan Center and Jackson for a week or two.

Mrs. James Ford, baby Gladys and Fay have returned from Toledo where they visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Foss formerly of this place.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Jerome and daughter will arrive home today from Orleans, N. Y., where they have been vacationing for a month.

Ed. Large, a newspaper man from Ashtabula, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ed. Fuller, on Sunday.

Mr. Putnam, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Fuller, was also with Mr. Large.

Mrs. A. Porter was called to Blissfield by telegram last Friday in his capacity as a telephone expert, to discover the cause of a serious difficulty with the telephone system at that place.

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### ROOT'S RETIREMENT.

SECRETARY OF WAR THINKS HIS WORK IS DONE.

Generally Believed in Washington That He Has Already Resigned and That Taft May Be Appointed to Succeed Him.

The report that Secretary of War Root previous to sailing for London, where he will sit with the commission which is to attempt to define the Alaskan boundary, has placed his resignation in the hands of the president is generally accepted as true in well-informed circles. It is known that Mr. Root has long desired to return to his private law practice in New York city. Only the earnest solicitation of the president, coupled with Mr. Root's wish to complete the formation of the army general staff and to carry out certain personal policies with regard to the administration of the Philippines, has kept him in the cabinet to this time. The general staff has now been proclaimed, and the problem of the Philippines has reached a point at which it can safely be entrusted to a new secretary, especially if that secretary is to be, as rumor predicts, William H. Taft, the present civil governor of the Philippines. It is not believed that any change in the cabinet will take place before September of October, however.

When the report that he was slated for the head of the war department, reached Governor Taft at Manila he denied its probability, saying that his work in the islands, for the sake of which he had already refused a supreme court justiceship, was still far from completion. He is now engaged upon measures which are of the utmost importance to the archipelago, but it is possible that he may get these into such shape before fall that his personal direction of them will be no longer necessary. Governor Taft's friends assert that if the president insists upon his coming to Washington in October he will not refuse. General questions of Philippine policy can be handled better perhaps from the office of the secretary of war than from the governor's palace in Manila. The welfare of his little brown brothers is more to Governor Taft than his own advancement, and it is not likely that the difference between his present salary of \$20,000 a year and that of \$8,000, which he would receive as secretary of war, will have much weight with him.

Lt. Root has down his portfolio with a record of accomplishment equaled by few predecessors. His work has been constructive where that of most previous war ministers has been executive. It is true that Mr. Root's opportunities have been greater than those of his predecessors. One result

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Mrs. Lydia Humphrey of Fourth Ave. Detroit and Mrs. Julia Phillips of Ridgeway are the guests of Mrs. Eugenia Fuller.

R. R. McKahan and wife spent Sunday with Rev. J. R. Bonner and family in Salem and attended morning service there.

Bina Simmons of Lansing visited relatives here last Sunday and accompanied his daughter, Miss Katheryn, home.

Mrs. T. S. Murdock and granddaughter, Lydia, have returned from a three weeks' visit at Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor.

Mrs. L. Herbert Loomis and little daughter, Dorothy of Des Moines, Iowa, are visiting at the home of their uncle, Albert Verelsting.

Miss Katheryn Simmons, who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. A. S. Dolph and other relatives, has returned to her home in Lansing.

Mrs. Willard Kiblerhooker and grand daughter, Lydia, of Akron, Mich., Mrs. Flora Fitzgerald of Plymouth and Dr. C. E. Fitzgerald of Ann Arbor are guests of their sister, Mrs. L. M. Hestet this week.

Bertie Clark, son of James Clark, after a two weeks' visit at home returned to Detroit yesterday for treatment for lameness. He will also take up some studies while in the city. Miss Wier came here from Detroit to spend the day and accompanied him on his return.

Would-Be Suicide Is Dead. Bay City, Mich., Aug. 19.—Mrs. Lizzie Mathison, who took Jaundum several days ago, died last night in Mercy hospital. She apparently was recovering from the effects of the dose, but yesterday grew worse, owing to complications.

Little Girl Shot. Battle Creek, Mich., Aug. 14.—Zelma Van Siekle, aged 6 years, was accidentally shot in the forehead, a bullet from a small rifle penetrating the skull. She may die. The rifle was the hands of Harry Schoder, aged 12, who was firing at a mark.

As King Peter appears to be a rather sensitive person he probably is fully appreciative of the delicate suggestion of irony contained in the utterances of his ministers when they shout "Long live the king!" It is up to the ministers to say how far this wish will come true.

The Cat Didn't Show It. "Yes," Mrs. Stayathome told Mrs. Go'back, "your husband took awful good care of the cat while you were away, and he had lots of help, too. Almost every night I heard him calling, 'Fatter up the kitty!'"

The president did not speak softly to the boy who called him Teddy, and it may be noted that the boy subsequently made the acquaintance of a small but tough stick wielded briskly by the paternal hand.

When we try to pay Colombia for the canal strip we may have a lot of trouble in finding out who is the government.

Shamrock III is said to be a perfect wonder. Will someone please drive a few more spikes through the bottom of that cup?



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#### Lycium Theater -Detroit.

There are sure surprises in store for those who attend the West Minstrel at the Lycium next week. It has long been said that there is nothing new in Minstrelsy, but Manager Riechy has come forth with several genuine novelties, chief among which is the operatic burlesque upon the most popular opera of the day, "The Wizard of Oz."

#### Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

That powerful melodrama, "In Company with Stripes," will be the attraction at the Whitney theatre all next week. The play is best described as being one with interest, for it tells a thrilling story of the human emotions, and most deftly has the author constructed his work. A proper interpretation of such a play demands capable acting and an excellent company will appear in the presentation scenically the production will be most elaborate. Matinees daily except Wednesday.

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British colonies are seventy times as large as the area of the United Kingdom.

#### THE BRIT IN DELIRIUM.

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B. O. Webster is recovering from his recent illness.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Thornton Monday, a daughter.

Special convocation of Union chapter, R. A. M., Wednesday evening, Aug. 20th. Royal Arch degree.

Special communication of Northville lodge, F. & A. M., Monday evening, Aug. 24th. Work on first degree.

Lost—Army saddle, valued only as a keepeake. Will person who borrowed it please return to E. K. Starkweather.

Robert McCully has sold his bakery business to Beech Northrop who will reopen his store in the Kellogg block as a salesroom.

Hetley & Balden's new delivery cart has been attracting a good deal of attention on our streets lately. It's certainly a "dandy."

Several Salem young people attended a surprise party here for Miss Blanche Dunham before her departure for Ypsilanti last week.

C. E. Clarkson has been able to be helped out on the porch to sit for a while once or twice. His improvement is so slow as to be scarcely perceptible.

Mrs. Flora, wife of Lafayette Mead, died at her home in Rochester last Sunday, August 16. Deceased was a niece of Mrs. Ira Lyon and formerly lived in this place.

Married, Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 1 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Erwin near Nov, Miss Mattie Erwin to Mr. Charles McLarn of Plymouth by Rev. John M. Shank.

Miss Bertha VanZile has been engaged by the school board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Stewart of Monroe. She will probably be assigned to the 6th grade work.

Mrs. Kern and her flock will go into the new rooms in the Quinn building at the beginning of school and the 5th grade will move into the room in the big school building which has been so long occupied by the little folks.

During the severe thunder storm Wednesday lightning struck a barn on the George Green farm east of Mead's Mills which is occupied by Wm. McKles. Three horses were knocked down and a son of Mr. Eckles was severely shocked.

The King's Daughters are ready to receive bids from any or all local societies for furnishing dinners during the two day K. D. state convention here in October. All propositions to be handed in before Sept. 1. The bid amounts will be guaranteed.

There appears to be a considerable difference of opinion regarding the construing of the new Village "peddling" ordinance. Some people argue that it certainly sits down prohibitively on the "Larkin soap" business, while others claim that it does not affect that "industry" in the least.

Several Wyandotte grocers have been arrested for failing to comply with the law requiring the proper labeling of receptacles in which gasoline is sold. There isn't any excuse for our local dealers to get into any such trouble when they can get the printed tags for 25 cents a hundred at the Record office.

The Mason-Star-Band excursion to Tashmoo park was an unqualified success, weather and all, and the eight hundred and more jolly people who made the trip from the Northville and Plymouth end of the route appeared to appreciate the occasion to the full—particularly at dinner time. The ball game between the Northville and Plymouth Masons was a warm one and was won by the Northville brethren by a score of 18 to 12.

The Northville village charter came very near being ruined last week. We refer to Leonard Charter, whose calf was pierced by a scythe, the hands of an Italian fellow laborer on the Pere Marquette. It was the calf of Charter's leg too, and the loss of blood, before he could get home gave him visions of angel's wings and pearly gates. A physician kept him from exploring the sulphurous regions allotted to Northville "over there."—Adrian Press.

The L. O. T. M. M. have great reason to congratulate themselves on the success of their play last Friday evening. The Opera House was filled to the doors and every body seemed to be delighted with everything, and with reason. The play was remarkably well presented and its rendition would have done credit to professional talent. The parts without exception were extremely well taken. All the actors performed their respective duties with far from amateurish skill, but the work of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tunham, who had much the most difficult parts of all, was done in a manner certainly worthy of special praise. The vaudeville stunts were also all enthusiastically received.

H. F. Brown will receive coupons given away at Garner's Candy Kitchen, every Friday.

E. H. Purdy is again in the peach market.

The Maccabees will clear about forty dollars from their show given here last week.

Claude Shafer recently accepted a position in the Peninsular Savings bank in Detroit.

The Masons realized about forty dollars profit as a result of their Tashmoo excursion.

Regular meeting of Mystic lodge, K. of P., Tuesday evening, Aug. 25. Work first and second rank.

818 was the total number of tickets credited up to the promoters of the Tashmoo excursion Tuesday.

The Woman's Relief Corps resumes its regular meetings next week Wednesday evening, August 26.

Catholic services will be held at the home of Mrs. Ives, Dunlap street, Sunday morning at eight o'clock.

Another prater in town. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perkins August 20, a boy.

W. T. Gurr, Jule Haddock and C. L. Brigham of this place have been drawn as jurymen to serve on the September court panel.

A Northville grocer offers to sell two pounds of tea-dust for a quarter. He must go on the theory that "dust thou art and unto dust you must turn."—Adrian Press.

The Maccabees go to Plymouth this evening with their play, "Rio Grande." Admission prices are the same as here. A special car for the return trip after the play.

Wm. R. Ballard and family from Grand Rapids have rented the I. N. Starkweather residence on Dunlap street. Mr. Ballard is a traveling salesman for a wholesale shoe house.

Albert Long of Detroit, formerly of this place, and Miss Edith Russell of Grand Rapids were married Monday. They are taking a wedding trip to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and other points.

Howard Hills of Lansing, formerly of this vicinity, is gaining a good deal of notice as an inventor. He has lately patented some beet machinery which is said to be "immense."

As the result of a big lot of well directed advertising there were 313 tickets sold here Tuesday for the Mason-Band excursion to Tashmoo and 475 from Plymouth. The society and the band will clear up a nice little sum of money as the result of their efforts. The excursion was a very enjoyable event.

Cloyd Starr, state superintendent and organizer of the Local Temperance Legion, spoke Wednesday evening in the Baptist church. Those who had the pleasure of listening to him speak of his lecture in the highest terms. An J. T. L. was organized. The first meeting of the society will be held Tuesday evening, Sept. 2. Place given next week.

### Base Line News

Mrs. Sutton and father, Mr. Moss, with Kate and Hugh Sutton leave tonight for their home in Illinois.

Ruth, Rachel, Margaret and Francis Chadwick, Miss Kate and Hugh Sutton, Wednesday afternoon at Braeside.

Mrs. A. K. Carpenter and Mrs. Will Stark were callers at Mrs. F. D. Eatherly's and the Griswold home, Thursday.

Dr. Miner came out from Detroit Thursday and Mrs. Miner and daughter, Marion, returned home with him after spending several days at Braeside.

Those from hereabouts who went on the excursion Tuesday to Tashmoo were Nelson Bogart, wife and children, Mrs. Haddock, and son Ray Sumner Power, wife and son, Mrs. C. C. Chadwick, D. F. Griswold and wife.

F. D. Eatherly and wife, Mrs. Sutton, Kate and Hugh Sutton, Mr. Moss and D. F. Griswold and wife picniced at Walled Lake Friday. While sitting on the porch at Griswold cottage visiting Mrs. Moore and her mother, we counted eighteen children ranging in ages from four years to fourteen, all out bathing. At the next cottage there were a number of older ladies, one being past 80 years old. At Recreation Club House one little fellow nine weeks old completed the list of youngsters—however, he took his bath in the house. The aged father of Mrs. Eatherly and D. F. Griswold brought in nearly a wash tub of blue gills.

### Supervisors' Picnic.

The 24th annual Oakland county supervisors' picnic will be held at Farmington next week Wednesday and a big crowd is looked for from all parts of the state, including Northville Senator Burrows, Congressman S. W. Smith and other prominent speakers will be present.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE GOLD. Lavative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cough, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

### Baptist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

Rev. Van Dorn of Fenton is expected to occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. will have a "home baking" sale next week Saturday, August 29.

### Presbyterian Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

Sunday-school as usual Sunday.

Rev. W. S. Jerome will conduct the services at usual Sunday morning and evening. Topic for morning—"The Privileges of Public Worship," evening—"Lynching Law and Liberty."

### Methodist Church Notes.

[By the Pastor]

The subject of the Sunday evening sermon will be "The Religion of Tomorrow."

The fourth and last quarterly conference convenes this evening, the Rev. Dr. Shier presiding. At this conference the officers for the ensuing year are to be elected, committees appointed and the reports of this year's work considered. The most important conference of the year.

The community will remember the sad affliction of Mr. and Mrs. John Schwab, when on the 17th and 18th of June two children, Mary Lanning and Johnnie Schwab, were taken from them by the hand of death. The parents and friends will attend service next Sunday morning and the theme will be "The Ministry of Sorrow or How Little Children Lead Us."

The annual Sunday-school picnic and excursion to Orchard Lake occurs next Wednesday, August 26th. The adult members and friends of the school, including the pastor's class, are expected to pay 25 cents for the round trip. All members younger than this class are to go free. Everything will be done to make it an enjoyable day and it is hoped all can go.

The funeral service of A. D. Ken drick occurred at his late home Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. For many years he was a member of this church. His interest in the entire church north and south was well known. His greatly advanced age made the last few months of his life of less active service in our church, but did not diminish the love and respect that are felt for him.

### An Itinerant Graphophone.

From the Bay City, Mich. The Springfield, Mass., detachment of the Salvation Army is using a graphophone arrangement for attracting the attention of the masses. Under a large brass drum is placed a graphophone which will reproduce sacred and secular music as the army marches through the streets or gathers an audience for its services. The apparatus is mounted on a rubber tired carriage in order that there may be a minimum of vibration. Gen. Booth Tucker predicts that this attraction will lead to better results in the work of his organization and intends to try the experiment in different parts of the country.

No man can claim to be the lord of creation so long as a girl boxes his telephone connections.

If the laundry strike continues much longer Chicago will be the un washed as well as the windy city.

### Old Papers for Sale.

To reduce an accumulation of old newspapers we will dispose of a limited quantity at 10 cents per 100 or two packages 100 for 5 cents. All suitable for printing studies or for putting under carpets. Apply at the Record office.

Order your hard coal low at M. S. Ambler & Co. Telephone or drop cord.

## Hot Weather Prices at Napolis

- Choice Butter, lb. . . . 18c
- Potted Ham . . . . . 10c
- Sardines . . . . . 5c, 15c
- Corn Beef . . . . . 25c
- Vienna Sausage . . . . 10c
- Fresh Fish, CHICAGO
- Potted Veal
- Meat Cans

### Everything

at our great sale on everything. We have a great variety of goods at very low prices. Don't miss this opportunity. We handle the best of everything.

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Phone 703. We handle the best of everything. We have a great variety of goods at very low prices. Don't miss this opportunity. We handle the best of everything.

### Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

Notices under this head inserted for 15c first line and 10c per week for each subsequent issue.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Acetylene Gas Machine and fixtures all in perfect order. Dr. J. M. Burgess. 1w2p.

FOR RENT—Living rooms in large house. Every convenience. Apply to A. McKay or at Record office. 43U.

FOR RENT—The Woodman meat market including machinery and fixtures, on Center street, Northville. Apply to Record office. 38U.

FOR SALE—Old papers in big bundles to 5 cents at the Record office. All nice and clean and just the thing for shelves or to put under carpets. 42U.

FOR SALE—Shropshire lambs from 150 to 250 lbs. Chester Whites and O. C. hogs, boars of all breeds for service and sows bred for November. All stock registered or eligible. Address J. V. Dodge, Northville, R. F. D. 21-1.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—One farm, 240 acres, one farm, 165 acres, one farm, 80 acres. I will sell the above farms or exchange for other desirable property. Two of these farms to rent. Might also sell or exchange a plant at South Lyon. Address: 111 Blackwood, South Lyon, Mich. 18U.

### Puts Comfort Before Looks.

Secretary of War Root is a firm believer in the idea that a soldier should look the soldier when engaged in military work, but he so realizes that in very hot weather some measure of smart appearance must give way to comfort, so he has practically said: "Better your uniforms, dress as you please." Indeed, he has set the example for his bureau chiefs at the war department by stripping off coat and waistcoat and making himself as near comfortable as possible in a becoming colored shirt waist.

## \$100 IN PRIZES

READ THE CONDITIONS AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS COLUMN



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IS THE ONLY PLACE

Guess the number of persons who attend Wonderland and Temple Theatre during June, July, August and September, 1903, and get one of the following prizes: \$50.00 for the first person who guesses the correct number or comes the nearest thereto; \$25.00 for the second; \$15.00 for the third and \$10.00 for the fourth. Write guess, name and address plainly on the coupon printed below and bring same to theatre box office when ticket is purchased.

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Stock and poultry have few troubles which are not bowel and liver irregularities. Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine is a bowel and liver remedy for stock. It puts the organs of digestion in a perfect condition. Prominent American breeders and farmers keep their herds and flocks healthy by giving them an occasional dose of Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine in their food. Any stock raiser may buy a 25-cent half-pound air-tight can of this medicine from his dealer and keep his stock in vigorous health for weeks. Dealers generally keep Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine. If yours does not, send 25 cents for a sample can to the manufacturers, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Brooklyn, Ga., Jan 30, 1902. Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine is the best I ever tried. Our stock was looking bad when you sent me the medicine and now they are getting so fat. They are looking 25 percent better. S. P. BROCKINGTON.

## DETROIT, PLYMOUTH & NORTHVILLE RY.

GOING SOUTH—Leaves Northville 6:15 a. m. and eight hours thereafter until 11:15 p. m. which is the last car for Detroit. P. M. Depart Plymouth 3 minutes past each hour and Commers store 40 minutes past each hour.  
GOING NORTH—Leaves Wayne at 7:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 12:15 a. m. Coaches stop at Plymouth every hour from 7:15 a. m. until 11:45 p. m. P. M. Depart Northville 10:45 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 10:45 p. m. Last car for Northville leaves Wayne at 11:15 p. m.  
FRIEDLAND, Northville daily at 7:15 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. RICHMOND, SILENT, Northville daily at 7:15 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

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# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

## NOVI NEWS.

Elroy Murdock was a Detroit visitor Sunday.  
George Woodworth spent part of the week in Detroit.  
Mrs. Perry Lamb spent a few days in Detroit last week.  
Clare Woodruff is recovering from his recent accident.  
Miss Hope Mersereau of St. Louis Mo., is visiting Novi friends.  
Mrs. Seymour Brown spent part of last week with Detroit friends.  
Mrs. O. M. Whipple is spending the week with friends at St. Clair flats.  
Mrs. W. A. Whipple returned Tuesday evening from her Detroit visit.  
Miss Edith Bassett is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Perry Lamb.  
Ice cream will be served in the parlors of the M. E. church Saturday evening.  
Miss Bessie Elizabeth Clough of Ypsilanti is visiting her cousin, Miss Ione Murdock.  
Mrs. Orla Richardson of Kalamazoo visited friends in this vicinity the first of the week.  
Mrs. Truman and Miss Lilly Bell of Toronto are visiting their sister Mrs. Guy K. Banks.  
H. H. Jones and wife and L. E. West and family took in the excursion to Tashmoo park Tuesday.  
L. T. Hazen was one of the Novites who took in the Northville and Plymouth excursion to Tashmoo Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph Beveraux and children have returned from a three weeks' visit among relatives in Pontiac and vicinity.  
Mrs. N. T. Germond and Edith Germond of Durand who have been visiting Mrs. E. B. Mosher have returned home.  
Miss Susie Dandison who has been attending the Teachers' Institute and visiting friends in Pontiac returned home last week.  
The union farmers' club meeting which was to have been held at George Yerkes August 20, has been postponed until September 2 on account of the September plow coming on the farmer's date.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yerkes, Sr. of Northville and grand-son, Donald Yerkes of Milford, G. C. Holmes of Detroit and Albert Holmes of Northville were at home at Samuel Bassett's last week.  
Charles McEwen and Miss Mattie Ewin were married at the home of the bride August 18th at 1 p. m. Only the near relatives of the bride and groom were present. Their friends here wish them a long and happy life together.

## WALLED LAKE NEWS.

Miss Jessie Vogt of Detroit is the guest of Mrs. Straub.  
Mrs. Grace Grover Meyer of Pontiac has returned home.  
W. S. Parmenter of Pontiac spent Sunday with relatives here.  
Mrs. Jack Welch of Northville is visiting her brother, Dr. Chapman.  
Miss Caroline Meyer of Detroit is the guest of her brother D. B. Meyer.  
Miss Florence Tuttle of Farmington spent Sunday with her parents here.  
J. A. Devereaux and wife visited relatives at Salem Saturday and Sunday.  
Mr. Temple of Detroit is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Jane McKinley.  
Miss Mattie Andrews of Pontiac was the guest of her brother Herbert here Saturday.  
The Walled Lake brass band made some very nice music Saturday at the ball game.  
Perry Austin and wife of Northville spent last week with their daughter here.  
Mrs. Fannie Howard went to Pontiac to make her home at M. A. Porter's.  
field by telegraph society cleared about capacity as soon as heronade sold discover the ground Saturday.  
difficulty with her and Rogers who at that place. They here returned to Ypsilanti Monday.  
TO CURE A COWS a cow Saturday Take Laxative Brom After driving the All drugs refund preparatory to fails to cure. D. W. out. Mr. Blackell is on each box. 25c. he turned and was he picked up a

## LIVONIA NEWS.

Maud Selver from the city visited at Charlie Smith's Sunday.  
Mrs. Alex Weston had a call from ten ladies from the city Tuesday.  
Several from the Center went to Tashmoo Tuesday and had a fine time.  
Grace Peck of Detroit and Ed. of Jackson are visiting their grand-mother this week.  
G. P. Benton, wife and daughter and the latter's husband visited at Mrs. D. Stringer's Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Grace and Verona and Frank Peck and family visited at Joe McCachran's Sunday.  
A cemetery social will be held at Mrs. L. Stringer's Saturday evening, Aug. 29. Ice cream and cake, hot coffee and fried cakes will be served. All are cordially invited to attend.

## SALEM NEWS.

Mrs. N. E. Rider is quite sick.  
Ethel Doane is visiting at Whitmore Lake and vicinity.  
George Duckering came down from Milford this week to thresh his wheat.  
Robert McKahan and wife of Northville visited Rev. J. R. Bonner and family Sunday.  
Rev. Mr. Rutler has returned from his vacation and occupied his pulpit Sunday morning and evening.  
The companies have been putting up telephone lines for the benefit of the farmers in the center of the town.  
P. W. R. Bonner wife and sister and several other Salemites went on the excursion to Tashmoo Tuesday.  
John VanSickle and family are contemplating a removal from our midst to Romulus where Mr. V. has a position as grain and produce buyer for J. D. McLaren & Co.  
Mrs. Coleman was surprised one day last week by her nephew, Will Sanders, making her a visit. He had been gone twenty-five years and the family had not heard from him for fifteen years and supposed he was dead. He lives in Montana. Mary Sanders came from Detroit with him.  
End of Bitter Fight.  
Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung, writes J. F. Hughes, of DuPont, Ga., and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I was receiving was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health. It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by Geo. C. Hueston's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

## GILT EDGE NEWS.

Miss Lydia Walker of Detroit spent Saturday with Lillie Simmons.  
Mrs. F. Garchow spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Brossow. H. Myers entertained company from Waltz the latter part of the week.  
Mrs. Fred Garchow spent Thursday afternoon with her sister Mrs. C. Mumroy.  
Claude and Clara Simmons and Sade Pangborn spent Sunday at Belle Isle.  
Little Martha Brossow spent a few days this week with her grandmother Mrs. H. Liverence.  
Mrs. D. L. Gilbert of Ridgetown and Mrs. S. Boughter of St. Thomas are visiting at F. E. Bradley's.  
Mrs. Cook of Saginaw and Mrs. Harri of Albion spent a few days last week with their brother A. Colquhoun.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brossow and children were guests of the latter's parents, H. Liverance and wife, Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. Garchow and children were guests of the former's parents, Fred Garchow and wife, Sunday afternoon.

## FARMINGTON NEWS.

George Lee has been dangerously ill for past few days.  
William Groves and family were Sunday visitors at Franklin.  
Nate Huntley and wife of Detroit were visitors at J. P. Eisenlord's a part of last week.  
Mrs. Olive Sprague returned Sunday from Northville, where she had been visiting Mrs. Ida Lee.  
Quite a number of Farmington Stars went on the O. L. S. excursion to Tashmoo park Tuesday.  
The Misses Gravin of Franklin have been spending the week with their aunt, Mrs. Will Groves.  
Mrs. E. C. Grace recently entertained several ladies in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. Lucinda Webster.  
Frank Walters' new house on Grand River avenue is nearly finished and is a very attractive residence.  
Adelbert McDemott, wife and baby and Mrs. McDemott's mother, Mrs. James Hendry, were Detroit and Pontiac visitors Sunday.  
Wallace and Marve Peterson of Detroit were entertained one day last week at the home of W. S. Warner and wife at North Farmington.  
Four new houses have just been erected in Farmington and there are still more. Who says ours is not a pretty and a bustling little village?  
F. M. Pollett and wife of Detroit were entertained Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Pollett's parents, E. R. Edwards and wife, in honor of Mrs. Edwards' birthday.

## WIXOM NEWS.

L. T. L. services will be held next Sunday evening.  
Mrs. Beatty was a Milford visitor over Sunday.  
The Church Helpers met Wednesday with Mrs. Wixom.  
Chas. Grant of Detroit visited his parents the first of the week.  
Miss Sophie Kiehl of Detroit is visiting Mrs. R. Chamberlain.  
Mrs. J. C. Buck returned last week from a week's visit at Adrian.  
Misses Edith and Anna Madison were Novi visitors over Sunday.  
Roy J. Hancock spent last week and part of this in Cleveland, Ohio.  
The bunch left Monday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Ohio.  
Frank Madison attended the Marriage Jubilee at South Lyon Wednesday.  
Sue Bennett will teach in the primary room at New Hudson this year.  
Mrs. J. B. Taylor who has been visiting her sister returned to Highland Thursday.  
Miss Abbe Wixom entertained friends the first of the week who were enroute for Ithaca, N. Y.  
Alice Madison has been engaged to teach in district No. 5, Lyon township, at a salary of \$25 per month.  
C. Mowry began grinding feed in the new mill last Saturday and has been quite liberally patronized so far.  
Mrs. Shanton visited her sister, Mrs. John Thompson, at Northville Saturday and went to Detroit Sunday on the excursion.  
Mrs. Orpha Grace of Farmington and the Misses Perlia and Nettie Seward of Owosso visited at the home of the former's nephew, J. W. Madison, and family Tuesday and Wednesday.

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That constant tired feeling, tells of kidneys over-worked. So does back ache and many other aches. There is one cure for every kidney ail, for back ache, urinary disorders, diabetes. Let a Northville citizen tell you.  
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## Support

SCOTT'S EMULSION serves as a bridge to carry the weakened and starved system along until it can find firm support in ordinary food.  
Send for free sample.  
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York.  
50c and \$1.00 all druggists.

# Art Forgeries.

The Anglo-Saxon is the natural prey of the art forger-monger, and the modern antiquies which are manufactured for him constitute the livelihood of the whole countryside on the Arno, and the Tiber, on the Nile, and on the Jordan. Innocent peasant-looking people dig up these antiquies before the eyes of the unsuspecting tripper! And when the fool goes off with his folly, the simple, guileless peasant quietly buries another example of the same object in the same hole for the benefit of the next tourist who may come along.—Magazine of Art.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.  
West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## New System of Robbery.

The latest robbery scheme in New York is to run along the side of open cars as they slow down and snatch change, bags or pocketbooks from women passengers. A gang of thieves has been doing this for several days and numerous losses have been reported to the police. The robbers have little difficulty in getting away before the cars are stopped.

## Plenty in It.

The discussion of bribery has served to recall the reply which George T. Anthony once made to a politician who was disposed to "graft." Mr. Anthony was about to relinquish an office and was approached by the man who was to succeed him, who wanted to know how much the office was worth. Mr. Anthony replied that it paid \$3,000 a year. "I know that is the salary," insisted the inquirer, "but what else is there in it?" "Well," said Anthony, looking his interrogator directly in the eye, "there's \$3,000 a year and the penitentiary in it for any man who wants to work it for all it is worth."—Kansas City Star.

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## The statue to be erected in Paris.

to the memory of Emilio Zola will represent him standing in an attitude of vehement controversy. Will the inscription be "l'accuse!"

## When we try to pay Colombia.

for the canal strip we may have a lot of trouble in finding out who is the government.  
Shamrock III is said to be a perfect wonder. Will someone please drive a few more spikes through the bottom of that cup?  
If that injunction issued in Omaha restraining a woman from talking could be put up in small packages for the trade how many men would be tempted to take a few home to the loved ones?

# The Ann Arbor medical student who left behind him "a half-raising note" may be the inventor of a new hair tonic.

Japan is going to spend more than \$5,000,000 for her navy. And if she is going to war with Russia she will need to.

Three spectres that threaten baby's life. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry never fails to conquer them.

It is "My dear, heroic army" to King Peter of Servia. Quite right. Not many armies would have had the courage to advance, armed with nothing but swords, pistols, rifles and bayonets, and boldly exterminate a woman in her night dress.

Mrs. Molhe Allen, of South Fork, Ky., says she has prevented attacks of cholera morbus by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when she felt an attack coming on. Such attacks are usually caused by indigestion and these Tablets are just what is needed to cleanse the stomach and ward off the approaching attack. Attacks of bilious colic may be prevented in the same way. For sale by Geo. C. Hueston.

Still Remember De Wet. A London humorist, on whose house painters had been working, put out the sign "De Wet Paint" for the benefit of passersby. The memory of the crafty Boer general still lingers in the British capital.

Colombia is said to favor immigration, but there is no evidence that the emigrant favors Colombia.

If all women with social aspirations left husbands who have none there would be many more grass widowers.

Literary Giant. "He has been a giant in the literary world." "Indeed?" "Yes; he has seen the time he could keep five historical novels running serially, at the same time, blanketed and with one hand tied behind him."—Puck.

Puts an End to it All. A malicious will sometimes comes as a result of unobtainable pain from over-taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But think of Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Buy them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Geo. C. Hueston's Drug Store.

Lots of Work for Idle Hands. Loud and urgent are the calls from western farms and orchards for scores of thousands of wage earners for the harvesting of the crops and the garnering of the fruits. But too many idlers, tramps and beggars in our cities, and in the country regions also, turn deaf ears to appeals and refuse toiling or toiling to earn honest and comfortable living. The worst spirit the dead heat degree to get along without working, is too conspicuous everywhere. —New York Tribune.

Dysentery Cured Without the Aid of a Doctor. I am just up from a long spell of the dysentery which was Mr. J. A. Palmer, a well known merchant of Danbury, Conn. I used on all a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was cured without a visit to a doctor. I consider it the best cholera medicine in the world. There is no need of employing a doctor when this remedy is used, for a doctor can prescribe a better medicine for bowel complaint in my form than for children or adults. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by Geo. C. Hueston.

If the gulf stream has shifted half a hundred miles or more, it is high time that the United States should rectify the trouble, and take measures to bring it back to the old channel. Labrador style of climate is not wanted.

In deciding a divorce suit a Brooklyn man stated under oath that his wife thought more of her pet dog than of him. Well, Mrs. de Stael said once: "The more I see of men the better I like dogs."

Sorewent I longedous. "Holy Joe Bennett, the restaurant man, who once ran a place in Chicago and who now operates a number of eating houses in New York, is going to take down the "Watch Your Hat" signs. All the "Watch Your Hat" signs will remain, but since the supreme court decision gives the proprietors from responsibility he is going to yield the point which has subjected him to so much god-natured rallery. Many Chicagoans will remember the "Holy Joe" signs. One of them reads, "Trust in the Lord and be of good cheer" while directly underneath appeared another "Watch your hat."—Chicago Chronicle.

# SUPPORT

SCOTT'S EMULSION serves as a bridge to carry the weakened and starved system along until it can find firm support in ordinary food.  
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# Boys' & Children's Clothing

As Cheap as Last Year and Before That.

That's our guarantee, and it's worth something to everybody who has boys to clothe. An advance in prices can be traced right back through the wholesaler, jobber, manufacturer, weaver and wool grower. Consequently the retail market rates are higher than in years.

It means the loss of a goodly percentage of profit as well as some sharp bargaining with producers, but we will sell clothing this season at as low prices, measured by quality, as you have ever bought it, and you're not likely to find the same condition of affairs at any other store.

For the biggest stocks, most satisfying variety, best values, trustworthy goods, there's no place like Shafer's. Parents of little fellows, 3 to 8 yrs, should see our new and handsome line of novelties embracing Russian Blouse, Sailor and Vestee Suits. Prices up to \$10. The same goods can be seen at OTHER STORES, marked as high as \$15.

We closed out from manufacturers who shipped our regular stock certain lines of Vestee Suits about 500 in all, that sell regularly at \$5.00 to \$8. As an advertisement for this department we have placed the entire lot on sale at one price, \$1.50. They're made of all-wool materials in pretty and durable colors and fast to trim! All sizes from 3 to 8. You'll have good reason to regret it if you fail to get one of these Suits. Many buyers are taking two and three.

**A BIG SPECIAL VESTEE SUITS**  
\$3.50 to \$5 Values.

# \$1.50

**TWO-PIECE SCHOOL SUITS**

**At \$2.50** The best values now offered in Boys' Clothing, and not to be equaled outside this store. Plain blue, black and gray, and a great variety of fancy patterns. Pants are made with double seat and knee-workmanship throughout. Sizes 8 to 17.

**At \$3.50** More evidence of our determination to sell good clothing cheapest. At this price we offer strictly all-wool, Cheviots, Cassimeres and Tweeds—robby checks and stripes and plain colors. More substantial, stylish suits are not. Sizes 8 to 17.

**At \$5.00** As good as we offered last year for \$5. That establishes their value. Clothing's gone up, but we will continue to supply better suits for \$5 than can be found elsewhere. Choose from blue serges, blue and black unfinished worsteds, fancy worsteds, cassimeres and tweeds. Handsome, stylish, perfect fitting suits. Fine in quality and excellent in make. Sizes 8 to 17.

KNEE PANTS—good strong ones, 25 cents.

LONG PANT SLITS, sizes 15 to 19—\$5, 7.50, 10, 12.50, \$15.

WAISTS AND BLOUSES, SHOES, STOCKINGS, HATS AND CAPS FURNISHING GOODS—We supply everything that boys wear. Come here for the complete school outfit.



### Wolverine Carpet-Bug Destroyer.....

Price 25c.

MURDOCK BROTHERS

### Elysian Perfumes.

Bulk Perfumes 50c, 45c, 40c oz  
Colognes, Creams, Powders  
and Soaps 10c to 75c

Mrs. M. F. Stanley,  
57 Main St. NORTHVILLE



When you are born the Creator starts you going and you go a long time if you grease the main-spring of his with Rocky Mountain Tea Great Lubricator. Ask your druggist.

## School Shoes!

School begins in a few days and you will need new shoes for the children. I am prepared to meet the demands with a fine line of Misses', Boys' & Youth's shoes at greatly reduced prices. A call on these facts. And while you are here, I will be sure to convince you that I sell the celebrated Puritan Shoe for Ladies and the best in line of school shoes, at low prices on school shoes, at \$3.50.

J. E. CRANSON,  
The Low Priced Shoeman.

## NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Physicist for Sept. 18-21.

Ray Smith on the 5th list.

Forrest M. and Mrs. Wm. Stiles in Michigan.

At a dancing class Mrs. M. J. Stables.

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Fred Savage is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Boys to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Moore Sept. 1-6, a girl.

Lost—Lady's Black Venetian Locket Sunday night between Roy Smith's house on Center street and depot. Finder please leave with Roy Smith at Purdy's store.

Carpet bugs are said to be again at a high stage in the town. One of the Northville people, who is a successful business man, has been troubled by them occasionally, and in this case evidence of the presence of the insects will be readily manifest.

Deloy Chappell, who has been working for C. G. Dyer for the past several months, has accepted a position in Boker's employ at Northville. Mr. Chappell has many friends during his stay here who expect to see him in a few months.

There was quite an exciting hunt at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday morning for the account of the sudden disappearance of a basket of goods which had mysteriously disappeared. It was about 10 o'clock when the goods were discovered.

The teachers of the grammar grades have organized for special opening exercises on Monday morning of the school year. All parents interested in these grades are cordially invited to attend and to show their direct interest by coming next Monday morning.

Mrs. Lee Turner of Jackson was recently married to Prof. John Smith of the Niles public schools. Mrs. Turner was for some time a resident of this place and has a host of admiring friends throughout the town who will wish the Record in wishing her a bright and happy future.

Lost—Tuesday noon between M. E. parsonage and Palace laundry, envelope containing a one-dollar bill and one silver dollar. Envelope marked "Mrs. J. A. Simmons." Care of Hazel Ball Finner will confer a favor by returning same to Record office for Miss Bertha Fendt to whom it belongs.

Northville was honored at the meet of the state postmasters' association held in Detroit this week by the election of Postmaster Hutton of this place as vice-president. Northville was also mentioned as the place for holding the next annual meet but Ft. Huron was too many and she gets the stamp dealers in 1901.

Wolverine Carpet Bug Destroyer kills bugs, Murdock's Drug Store.

People who burn the Lamp of Reason need Rocky Mountain Tea. Greatest reason producer known. 50c. Ask your druggist.

CASH FOR TOBACCO TAGS.  
For a limited time we will pay one-half (1-2) cent each for Tin Tags from STANDARD NAVY and "SPEAR HEAD" Plug Tobaccos.  
ERY BROTHERS,  
Northville, Mich.

The council has extended the time for paying the village taxes to Oct. 1.

We are glad to learn Mrs. Thomas Gurr, who has been quite sick with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chrysler, is slowly improving.

One hundred Northville people and a brass band went down to hear Roosevelt by special car on the Northwestern Thursday night, and they all had a jolly good time.

The M. E. Sunday-school will picnic at Orchard lake tomorrow, Saturday, and will leave on the 8:45 car. All children belonging to the school go free. For adults and others not members of the school the rate will be 50 cents for the round trip.

Half a dozen boys were up before Judge Webster Tuesday on charge of "coonin'" melons from John Ambler's patch. The court inflicted several fines, suspended a few sentences and gave the boys a good lecture which indicated something more severe on the repetition of the offense.

A girls' class in physical culture which has been formed and is being conducted by Miss Mina Parker of Detroit meets in the library rooms every Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Next Saturday an opportunity to enroll in the class will be given to those who so wish. The very reasonable terms makes this a rare opportunity to receive instruction from an efficient teacher.

The annual school meeting was held Monday night and Dr. A. L. Blanchard and E. H. Lapham were elected trustees for the ensuing three years. It was voted to raise by tax \$275 to furnish new basement room, \$150 for fuel and \$700 for incidentals. The census report showed 42 school-aged children as against 42 last year. The teachers' salary list is \$2,000 or \$100 more than last year.

People who make their living visiting farmers buildings after dark better step a little clear of the western part of Northville township. Since the Hawk and Richardson horses were stolen the farmers are up armed to the teeth at the slightest suspicion. It is reported that two prominent farmers of that section upon seeing two strangers with chicken coops the other night promptly camped on their front lawn after two hours they were found straight and all right and their horses let them know their way on home.

Mr. Hatch of Ypsilanti is proposing to build a machine company was here a part of the week and this evening one of the company's visiting machines. All those who have visited the machine and its workings were looking in at the town hall has been in the purchase of one of high under consideration. The price of the purchase of the machine is \$200 for the machine and \$100 for the building. The purchase of the machine would be supplied for this township. It is hoped that the use of a machine could be put back to the village for enough to pay the town hall rent of \$10 each year besides the saving of some other expenses making the purchase something of a fairly good investment to say nothing about the accuracy and rapidity of the machinery and the quick count into the pockets.

The council had an important meeting Tuesday Wednesday night and after allowing a lot of talk, took up the matter of granting a franchise to the D. P. & N. of the Northwestern Center street. The council does not appear to be in favor of allowing a track to be laid on Center street and the prospects are that the committee to whom it was referred will report favorable on that point. There seems to be a sentiment that at least one business street should be left free from street cars.

The Telephonograph. The telephonograph is the latest invention along the lines of the telephone. Its object is to make a permanent record of the telephone message, which can be repeated to the receiver any length of time after it is sent. This telephonograph does not have the waxed cylinder. It passes a steel tape from one spool to another over a magnet, something after the manner of the inked tape of the typewriter. When the tape is passed over the magnet again it repeats the message.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

## Grapes FOR SALE

25 cts Bu.

AT Quigley's.

## Cedar Posts.

If you want some extra good ones, better get them while they last.

Washington Red Cedar and Michigan Cedar Shingles.

The stock we have will please you.

C. L.

## Dubuar Lumber Co

RETAIL LUMBER DEALERS.

Northville, Mich. TELEPHONE

Improved Freight Service on the Pere Marquette.

The Pere Marquette railroad company has improved their Detroit and Northville freight service so that the morning delivery from Detroit is ready at the depot here at 6:00 o'clock each morning. This service will be appreciated by the business men of the village to whom early arrivals of freight is quite an item.

Reduced Rates to Detroit by the Pere Marquette.

The Pere Marquette railroad company offers greatly reduced rates and rapid transit over their lines between Northville and Detroit.

Single Trip Tickets... 37  
Round Trip Tickets... 70  
To Ride Tickets, good either way... 3.50  
To Ride Tickets, good either way, limited to 30 days... 12.00

The single and round trip tickets are on sale only at the up town ticket office at B. V. Wheeler's store. The other tickets are on sale at the depot. The Pere Marquette trains are run on a schedule that will allow the business man to get into Detroit in 30 minutes. The business man in the city, every day, the convenience of the Pere Marquette is a great help in his business.



FULL TERM OPENS SEPTEMBER 1, 1900.  
The Gutchess College is a full term school of four years. The first term opens on September 1, 1900. The college is located in Northville, Michigan. The college is a member of the Michigan State Board of Education.

Gutchess College, Northville, Mich.

## Perpetual Motion? Interest!

It works when you cannot work; On a rainy day; While you sleep; While you are awake. It never stops.

Deposit your savings in NORTHVILLE State Savings Bank

3 Per Cent INTEREST PAID!

YOUR COMMERCIAL ACCOUNTS SOLICITED.

OFFICERS: L. W. SIMMONS, President; E. A. CHAPMAN, Vice President; L. A. SABBETT, Cashier.

Banking Hours: 9:10 to 12 m., 1:30 to 3:30 p. m.

## BUSINESS University DETROIT, MICH.

The best place in America for young men and women to secure a Business Education, Short-hand, Mechanical Drawing or Penmanship. Thorough system of Actual Business, Sentimental, etc. See Brochure before you sign. Catalogue Free. Reference, all Detroit. W. F. JEWELL, Pres. F. R. SPENCER, Sec.

## ... REMOVED ...

Have moved to our department of Wheeler's. My continued increase of trade is conclusive evidence of the public's appreciation of my low prices on harness goods.

Full Length Rawhide Whip 40c  
A Good Team Whip 30c  
Single Harness as low as \$5.00  
Sweat Pads 7c

Let Dusters and Nets to close at cost price to make room for winter goods.

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

N. H. CAVERLY  
115 Northville, Mich.

## NEW Blacksmith!

Having secured the services of John S. Johnson as

Expert Horseshoer

from Flint I respectfully solicit a share of the public's patronage. Mr. Johnson is a practical craftsman showing all classes of horses and specialties of the trade.

115 Northville, Mich.  
F. N. PERRIN,  
NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN

## School Books, School Supplies

Merritt & Company's Way in the Lead. The Largest Stock. The Lowest Prices.

All our Tablets full size, bought before the cut. Remember to look for this. We buy direct from the manufacturer and can save you 30 per cent. Everything in the same proportion.

Second-Hand School Books Taken in Trade.

MERRITT & COMPANY, Leading Jewelers and Booksellers. NORTHVILLE.

## Suits THAT WEAR THAT FIT THAT LOOK THAT ARE STYLED THAT ARE PRICED THAT ARE RIGHT

Made to order by myself. If you are not in a hurry and hard to fit in a ready-to-wear suit, I can take your measure and send to Wanamaker & Brown, Philadelphia for a good all-wool suit in prices ranging from \$8 and up, in size from 35 to 42, breast measure. All-wool Trousers from \$2 and up—the best value ever offered in Northville.

GORDON ALLAN, Tailor, NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.



**MR. HELP**

So many persons have hair that is stubborn and dull. It won't grow. What's the reason? Hair needs help just as anything else does at times. The roots require feeding. When hair stops growing it loses its luster. It looks dead.

**AYER'S HAIR VIGOR**

acts almost instantly on such hair. It awakens new life in the hair bulbs. The effect is astonishing. Your hair grows, becomes thicker, and all dandruff is removed. And the original color of early life is restored to faded or gray hair. This is always the case.

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

**POPULATION OF DETROIT.**

The Michigan Metropolis Shows a Big Increase—Now the Thirteenth in the List of Cities.

Washington, Sept. 1.—The present population of Detroit, as ascertained by the twelfth census, has been made public and Detroit's long anxious wait is ended. The figures show that the city now has a population of 285,700, as against 239,576 in 1890, and therefore made a gain during the last ten years of 46,124, or 19.25 per cent. As the population in 1880 was 116,349 the increase during the ten years from that time until 1890 was \$9,556, or 8.26 per cent.

According to the census of 1890, Detroit ranked fifteenth among the cities of the United States, with a population of 203,576. One of the 15 cities was Brooklyn, N. Y., which is now included in Greater New York. Washington, D. C., according to the census of 1890, exceeded Detroit's population, but she now ranks second below the City of the Struts which stands thirteenth on the list of 1900, with every probability of being a step or two higher in the ladder when 1910 comes around. As a matter of fact, New Orleans narrowly escaped being passed by Detroit this year, having only 274,000 more inhabitants when in 1890 it had a majority of 26,162. Detroit's percentage of increase during the last ten years is 38.77 which is exceeded by only five cities of the United States, to wit, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis and Cleveland.

**NEEDS AMENDMENT.**

The Next Legislature Will Be Asked to Make Changes in the Charter of 1900.

Sept. 1.—The first report of the commission on the city charter of 1900, which was prepared by the commission of 1899, is to be presented to the city council this week. One of the main points of the report is the proposed location of the new city hall, and the city attorney was asked for an opinion as to whether the council had jurisdiction in the matter of the location of saloons.

**STATE GOSSIP.**

Interesting Bits of Information Gathered from Many Localities in Michigan.

The Montcalm county grange will hold a fair and picnic at Entrick September 18 and 19.

A new post office has been established at Layka, Midland county, with Frank E. Burton as postmaster.

**THROUGH OPEN DRAW.**

Two Engines and Three Freight Cars Go into the Rouge River at Delray, Mich.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 7.—Two Wash logomotives and three freight engines of the Wash fast eastern freight train No. 6 plunged through an open draw bridge into the Rouge river at Delray at six a. m. Friday. The engine crews had remarkably narrow escapes and no one was injured. The heavy train approached the bridge too rapidly to be controlled. The rule is to stop 100 yards from the bridge unless signaled otherwise.

**NAME A TICKET.**

Michigan Prohibitionists Select Candidates for State Offices and Adopt a Platform.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 30.—Joshua Stansfeld of Bay City, was permanent chairman of the prohibition state convention which nominated the following ticket:

**GOLD FIELDS NEAR HOME.**

Yellow Metal in Paying Quantities Found Along the Sturgeon River in Upper Michigan.

Marquette, Mich., Aug. 3.—A new gold field has been discovered on the Sturgeon river, near the mouth of the Sturgeon, Michigan, in the county of Delta. Prospectors are now at work there, and gold has been taken out in paying quantities.

**SIEGE OF MAFERING.**

Most Interesting Episode in the Boer-British War.

It Lasted 217 Days and Both Sides Are Said to Have Behaved Well—Col. Baden-Powell's Courage Rewarded at Last.

Mafeking's remarkable siege and defense, lasted just 217 days. The town and its story will furnish one of the most interesting episodes of the history of the war. Gatacre's reverses, Buller's failures and Kimberley's famous mines did not divert attention from the gallant defense made by the handful of men at Mafeking under the command of Col. Baden-Powell.

**DIED IN MANILA.**

Charles P. Linderbeck, a Well Known Young Man in Flint, a Victim of Disease.

Flint, Aug. 30.—Charles P. Linderbeck, of this city, is dead in the Philippines, a victim of disease. His death is reported by the consular list published from Manila by Gen. MacArthur on August 25. He was a member of Company C, 10th Infantry, and enlisted from Flint, Mich., on August 10, 1898. He was killed in action at the battle of Baguio on August 25, 1898.

**FOUND DEAD.**

A Detroit Young Man Attending Columbia University in New York Dies Suddenly.

Detroit, Aug. 30.—The body of a young man, identified as John J. ... was found in the Hudson river in New York city. The man was a student at Columbia university and had been missing for several days.

**Do a Complete Job.**

Detroit, Aug. 30.—The residence of W. H. ... was broken into Tuesday night and a large amount of property was stolen. The police are making a search for the thieves.

**Will Return to America.**

Detroit, Sept. 4.—President H. B. LeMay, of the Michigan Central railroad, has received a cablegram from his daughter, the widow of Baron von Kretzel, the German ambassador to China, who was murdered in Peking.

**Fractured His Skull.**

Albion, Aug. 30.—Albion Sykes, a member who has been working recently with the telephone gang here, was killed by a car-gang on Wednesday. A lineman working with him accidentally dropped a large wrench from a height of 40 feet and it struck Sykes upon the head, badly fracturing his skull. His condition is critical.

**Reappointed.**

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 1.—Maj. Gen. James R. Carnahan, of Indianapolis, has been reappointed by Supreme Chancellor Sample as commanding officer of the uniform rank. Knights of Pythias, and the choice was confirmed by the supreme lodge. Gen. Carnahan has held his present position since 1884.

**Confirms Reappointment.**

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 1.—The supreme lodge Knights of Pythias Friday confirmed the reappointment of Gen. James R. Carnahan, of Indianapolis, as major general commanding the uniform rank.

**Pioneer Killed.**

Acton, Mich., Sept. 1.—Hiram Ferguson, aged 75 years, a pioneer resident of Weston, Mich., died at his home here, Saturday, of a heart attack. He was a well known and respected citizen.

**Given Ten Years.**

Marquette, Aug. 31.—In circuit court here Daniel S. Coons, of Lee township, was found guilty of assaulting his stepdaughter, Miss Lillian Coons, aged 13 years, and was sentenced to ten years at Jackson prison.

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**They Feted Thackeray.**

In the latest biography of Thackeray the story is told of the feud between Thackeray and Edmund Yates, which had its origin in the Garrick club, where they were both members. Some personal remarks concerning Thackeray having appeared in a paper in which Yates was then the editor, the former appealed to the club committee to say whether such stuff was not fatal to the conjunct of the club, and intolerable in the society of gentlemen. In the investigation which followed, such eminent men of letters as Charles Dickens, Walkie Collins, Samuel Love, and Palgrave Simpson all became involved in the row, which finally ended in the expulsion of Yates from the club. Subsequently, Thackeray is reported by his biographer as having said: "You must not think, young 'un that I am quarreling with Yates; 'who was Charles Dickens.' It was further more related that Thackeray was blackballed at the Athenaeum club, as well as at the Travellers', the reasons being that the members were afraid of seeing themselves embalmied in some of the author's future novels.—Boston Journal.

**The Telephonograph.**

The telephonograph is the latest invention along the lines of the telephone. Its object is to make a permanent record of the telephone message, which can be reproduced at the receiver any length of time after it is sent. This telephonograph does not use the wax cylinder, but uses a steel tape from one end of the tape a magnetized armature and the number of the letters is printed on the tape. When the tape is pulled by the magnet the letters are printed on the tape.

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**PORTO RICO'S POPULATION.**

Island Has 264 Persons to the Square Mile.

The results of the Porto Rican census, taken in October last, show that the island has 952,243 inhabitants. With a population of 264 to the square mile, Porto Rico is the only densely populated part of our new possessions. There are good reasons why Porto Rico should have a far larger population, in proportion to area, than Cuba. The island was always the favored colony of the Spanish. For over two centuries Spain invited colonization. Lands were allotted gratis, while they lasted, and settlers were exempt from direct taxation. The interior, though very hilly, is well adapted for small farming. Most of the land is owned by the peasantry in small holdings, fruit farms predominating though there are many small coffee estates as well as large and small farms raising sugar, tobacco and cattle. This is the reason why four-fifths of the population is scattered through the rural districts, and only one-fifth live in the towns. Porto Rico is notably a country of small farmers. The island is still growing in population. Since 1857, the density has increased from 220 to 264 to the square mile. With good government, more schools, and larger commercial opportunities, there need be no pause in the development of Porto Rico. But not a few observers believe the island has population enough. There is little prospect that an increase in density would be advantageous.

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**Severe Storm.**

Grand Leige, Aug. 30.—During a severe storm a young girl, Miss ... was struck by a large tree, and she was killed. The girl was on her way to school.

**Pleaded Guilty.**

McLain, Aug. 31.—George Sands, of Coleman, pleaded guilty to stealing a horse and buggy from Livermore Graham, of Coleman, and was sentenced to Jackson for four years. Sands hired the rig for a drive. At Kalkaska he sold the outfit for \$35.

**Burglars.**

Lansing, Aug. 30.—Dr. Yerex's residence was burglarized last night. A valuable gold watch and \$100 in money were stolen. The residence of Charles Balmer was also entered, but nothing was taken. There is no clew.

**Women in Footlock Shoes.**

Women in footlock shoes no longer attract attention. They take their places with men on the elevated cars, and have come to be accepted as a recognized feature of these shoes that they are not regarded with any greater hostility than the men.—New York Sun.

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### NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

[Contributions to this column are earnestly solicited. If you have visitors, or are visiting elsewhere, drop a line to that effect in the Record Item Box in the post-office.]

James Chase visited relatives at Lansing Sunday.

Mrs. R. M. Johnson visited Nov. friends Saturday.

Mrs. E. H. Hinkley is visiting friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Ashley visited in Highland last week.

Mrs. C. H. Seaton visited friends in South Lyon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay C. Dunham visited Nov. relatives Sunday.

Miss Mabel Leach of Novi was a Northville visitor Saturday.

Frank Madison of Wixom was an over Sunday visitor in town.

Allison Stilson was home from Ann Arbor Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Williamson of Detroit was a Northville visitor over Sunday.

Mr. George Taylor and children of Nov. were visitors here last week.

Miss O. S. Frazier spent one day last week with friends in Plymouth.

Martha Shultz of Wayne was a Northville visitor one day last week.

Richard Leichter and wife of Detroit have been visiting relatives here.

Miss L. E. P. of Detroit called on Northville friends Friday.

Miss Steers and daughter Jessie were Wayne visitors the first of last week.

Mrs. Della Parrison of the Record left yesterday for a few days visit in Chicago.

Rev. W. B. Shannon and wife visited in Northville Friday.—Wayne News-Letter.

Mrs. Joseph Hake of Novi visited her daughter Mrs. Eugene Palmer, a part of last week.

Mrs. J. M. McVicar returned Tuesday from an extended visit with her mother at Colonville.

George Hueston left Monday for a week's fishing at Frankfort and other northern points.

Mrs. C. E. Warner of Detroit and Mrs. F. W. Broad of Pontiac were visitors at Mrs. Jerome's on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Dubuar visited her son, Paul, at Lansing last week and stayed over Sunday with an old school friend.

Mrs. Charles Seaton returned Saturday evening from a several days' stay with her mother, Mrs. Electa Furman, at Wixom.

Mrs. Hines and little daughter of Detroit have been recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Hines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Steers.

Helen and Winifred Francisco of Northville spent Friday and Saturday with their grandparents, W. H. Brewer and wife—Wayne Review.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hake and little daughters, Viola and Lola, and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hake of Pontiac visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Owen and sons and Miss Reekie of Detroit, Robert Owen of Wales and Miss Laura Pries of Wales spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Sumner Power. Miss Pries is making an extended visit in the United States and is a daughter of the U. S. Consul to Swansea, South Wales, Eng.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY** Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money, if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 CENTS.

Capt. Kurth spent Sunday at his home here.

Wm. Phillips was in Detroit a part of this week.

Miss Ada Pickell is spending the week in Detroit.

Deputy Sheriff Jerry Hueston was in town Wednesday.

H. D. Clark of Detroit attended the funeral of Johnnie Hoar.

D. N. Severance who has been spending the winter in Arkansas visited his sister, Mrs. James Chase, last week.

Mrs. A. C. Harmon and Harry Harmon and wife spent Saturday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Katharine Fuller, in Novi, that day being Mrs. Fuller's birthday.

### Cheerfulness Counts.

The Cosmopolitan says the longevity of the medical man is materially less than that of workers of other professions. Only those with a sound physique, other things being equal, can win in a struggle for success. The sick look with confidence to the well. They demand the hearty dogmatism that comes from the overflowing of animal spirits. They enjoy the cheerful optimism that comes from a good digestion. They lean upon the doctor in their weakness and yield willing obedience to his kindly influence. Much of the power possessed for good may be outside of pills or potions, correct theories, or sound deductions.—American Medicine.

### Bird Vengeance.

A naturalist recently witnessed an encounter between a large swan and a little brown duck. The duck had apparently insulted the swan by trying to cross its path, for it was suddenly seized by the swan and held under the water until he was sure it would be drowned. But at last the swan let it go and alled majestically away. The duck, after taking breath, looked around to see where its enemy was, and seeing it rose into the air and deliberately came down, flapping its wings, on the astonished swan's back. The swan fled in terror, and the duck, apparently satisfied, quietly swam away.—Pearson's Weekly.

### To Clean a Sewing Machine.

Place it near the fire to get warm, then the congealed oil about it may melt, and then oil it thoroughly with paraffin. Work it quickly for a few minutes, then wipe off all the paraffin and dirt and treat it to a little more clean paraffin. Wipe it again, and after the application of a very little of the ordinary lubricating oil it will be ready for use. People often shirk the trouble of thoroughly cleaning their machines like this but a clogged and heavy machine under this treatment will become like new, and its easy working will be an ample reward for any trouble incurred.

### Evicted Kaitis.

The correspondence of a London paper, with the London South African, says the Kaitis are bound to a cruel and rapid more rapidly than they are. They are being barged from their homes by the British and are being driven from their land. The Kaitis are an only under the name of Kaitis. It has been reported that the Kaitis are being driven from their land. The Kaitis are being driven from their land. The Kaitis are being driven from their land.

### Leaves by Boat in Australia.

The harvest of 1912 in New South Wales is only one-tenth of the harvest of 1911, and this represents a loss of wheat growers of over \$2,000,000. The loss in grain, hay and vegetables are at least as great in the aggregate. While the disasters of the pastoral industry are on a yet more tragical scale. In the flocks and herds of the state there is a decrease of 47,401 horses, 319,461 cattle and 15,369,632 sheep. Taken at low rates, this represents an immediate cash loss of something like \$8,000,000.

### Fiumfammed Again!

Has the airt J. Pierpont Morgan been fooled again? In consequence of the announcement that he would place on exhibition a collection of carpets that formerly belonged to the royal house of Spain several Spanish newspapers have asked for an investigation as to the reign of Alfonso XII. the royal collection was complete. The Herald of Madrid insinuates that Pierpont Morgan has been the victim of unscrupulous dealers, who, it alleges, have palmed off imitations on the multimillionaire.

### Queen Victoria's Love of Flowers.

Queen Victoria was a great flower lover from the days when a toddling child she made daisy chains on the lawns of Kensington palace, and perhaps wore them with more pride than she ever did her jewels. When she paid her one and only visit to Spain, Queen Christina asked, "Is there anything the queen is especially fond of?" "Yes, flowers," was the answer, and so flowers in lavish profusion decorated the streets, the houses, the railway station, and the palace.

### Feather Beds Coming Back.

The feather bed after its banishment during about half a century, is being received back into favor in colder countries. Hygiene experts condemned it on account of its heating nature and the difficulty of thoroughly airing and purifying, nevertheless, it is actually being recommended during the winter for delicate, nervous, neuralgic women, and particularly for elderly persons and those who are troubled with insomnia.

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### Lyceum Theater—Detroit.

The announcement that the Pike Theater company would repeat at the Lyceum during the week of May 24th its greatest success of last year, "Miss Hobbs," has caused pleasant anticipation. The dandy comedy made such a pronounced hit last season that there have been hundreds of letters requesting its revival. Those who saw "Miss Hobbs" last season wanted it again and those who did not see it were equally anxious for it. This year the Pike company is stronger than ever and "Miss Hobbs" will be given a most effective cast. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday.

### Whitney's Opera House—Detroit.

Lovers of melodrama will find much to thrill and enthrall them in "The Peddler's Chain," a play in four acts by Sam Morris, which will give the house of the Whitney Theater all next week beginning May 21, in the afternoon. "The Peddler's Chain" deals with sensationalism and holds the auditors' undivided interest from the rise of the curtain to the final fall of the same. Mr. Morris portrays the character of Misses. The play is full of dramatic incidents. He has arranged this with a remarkable supporting company who assist in the play smoothly. The play is a masterpiece of the playwright's art.

### HE SOLD HIS HEAD.

Peculiar Condition in Which Wealthy Russian Finds Himself. A curious story comes from Russia about a man who sold his head. About the year 1865 there lived a man at Keif with an enormous head. A Russian scientist, Prof. Walker, in order to secure the head for scientific purposes, bought it from its possessor for 500 roubles. The condition of sale was that it should only be delivered after the man's decease; but when the transaction got abroad a great scandal was created. The professor, however, stuck to his bargain, and the big head applied itself to business. Fortune smiled on the latter, he fell heir to a big fortune, and then he began to feel uncomfortable at the thought that the head belonged to another. He went to the professor, offered him 1,000, 1,500, even 2,000 roubles if only he would give him back the absolute ownership of his headpiece. But the professor held out, and for aught that is known to the contrary he is still holding out.—Pearson's Weekly.

### Bait!

A class in a Sunday school was listening to a lesson on patience. The topic had been carefully explained, and as an aid to understanding the teacher had given each pupil a card bearing the picture of a boy fishing. "Even pleasure," said she, "requires the exercise of patience. Look at the boy fishing! He must sit and wait and wait. He must be patient." Having treated the subject very fully, she began with the simplest, most practical question: "And now can any little boy tell me what we need most when we go fishing?" With one voice was the answer shouted—"bait!"

### Some More Expert Testimony.

One set of expert accountants have discovered a discrepancy of something like \$24,000,000 in the accounts of the Metropolitan Traction company of New York, while another set of accountants have decided that there is no discrepancy. From which one must infer that an expert accountant's report depends on which way he is employed to see a thing.

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### HONOR NORWAY'S GREAT MAN

Soldiers Accord Popular Author a High Cent Demonstration. One day while in Norway an opportunity was given to an American traveler to see that the name of Bjornstjerne Bjornson means much to all Norwegians. A battalion of Norwegian and Swedish cavalry, infantry and artillery, between 3,000 and 4,000 strong, was returning from its maneuvers to the post in Christiania, he says. "In passing Aulestad the general in command sent his adjutant in advance to get Bjornson's permission to give him an ovation. With his family and guests assembled about him on the veranda the monumental figure stood with bared head to receive the military greeting. As each regiment passed in review below, presenting arms as to their chieftain, there went up a deafening shout of personal salutation from each of the soldiers, who then joined in singing the national hymn, to whose author they were offering this spontaneous salute. There was the unique spectacle of a man in private life, being accorded a military demonstration by the nation's army which a king might envy."

### A NEW BOILED DINNER

Little One's Astonishment Natural Under the Circumstances. "I have a little piece," said the raucous of this Sunday Circle, who is never so happy as when she is allowed to visit the kitchen and watch the servants at work. Fortunately, her mother has good natured servants who rather enjoy having the child around, so many are the charmed hours which Jessie spends downstairs making little pies under the cook's superintendence, and pretending she is "grown up." "The other day she descended to the laundry to oversee the family wash in her busy little way. She gave one look of utter astonishment as Mary put on the clothes to boil, and then fairly flew upstairs to her mother, exclaiming: "Oh, mamma! What do you think? Mary's cooking the clothes for dinner!"—New York Times.

### Railroad Consolidation.

Ten years ago eighty railroads issued weekly reports of earnings. Now but fifty-five publish such figures, twenty-five roads having disappeared by consolidation.



Jim Dumps had scarcely slept a wink. All night he'd toss about and think. But that's all past—be'lta'er endure. Insomnia. He's found a cure! 'Tis "Force." At night, when lights are dim, It soothes the nerves of "Sunny Jim."

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How Rheumatism Affects the Human Mechanism. Grit in the bearings—every engineer knows how important it is to guard against this trouble—to get rid of it, as it comes, so to every one who has to do with machinery of any kind.

NEIGHBORHOOD

Novi News. Charles Vogt entertained his uncle on Sunday. John Spencer took in the excursion to Flint Sunday.

useful gifts, and a dainty dinner and plenty of music helped to make the occasion a very enjoyable one to all participating.

Livonia News.

Almond Fisher of Detroit was in town Monday. John Stringer made a trip to Detroit Wednesday.

GRIT Edge News.

Sadie Pangborn is working at F. L. Bradley's. G. Pankow and family spent Sunday at F. Rossow's.

Wixom News.

Lessie Beall was in Pontiac yesterday. Mrs. J. G. Madison and family were in Detroit Tuesday.

Farmington News.

Ansley Beach is now convalescent. Mrs. Fred Follette has been quite ill. Mrs. Louise Murphy is home from Detroit.

Salem News.

Lee Stevens is building a new grain barn. Miss Minnie Herrick spent last week in Ann Arbor.

WONDLETT WORK.

Lots of life is being done right here in Northville. Northville people are surprised at the work being done by The Little League of Life.

New Railway for Alaska.

The Coast-Yukon is the name of a proposed railway from Kitamaat Inlet, B. C. to the Yukon and Dawson.

A Little Early Riser.

now and then, at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectually.

Divorcees Spend Much Money.

It is estimated persons seeking divorce in South Dakota spend, while gaining residence for that purpose, \$900,000 a year.

Walled Lake News.

D. B. Moyer has finished building a new barn. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Banfield are rejoicing over a little son.

Artificial Flavor for Eggs.

The flavor of eggs may be influenced by the food eaten by laying hens. The North Carolina experiment station, by feeding a quantity of clover, without leaving a trace.

Necklace Awaits an Owner.

A strange story is told about a diamond necklace which was found at one of the English court balls some years ago. One of the late queen's ladies-in-waiting picked up a diamond necklace from the floor.

A Self-Made Marquis.

It is told of the Marquis Ito that when a youth he wandered about the streets of London, penniless, ragged and hungry, a starving alien in a strange land.

A Timely Remittance.

Before a West Australian police court recently the "scion of an old English family" was charged with having insufficient means of support.

A Sure Thing.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles.



"You don't feel put out, do you, Clarence?" "No, Mabel, but I feel as if I'm going to be."—New York Times.



Mrs. Quack—Why, how hoarse you are! Are you ill? "Miss Duck—No, only a frog in my throat."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.



"I hear that Jones left the bank." "Yes, and from what I hear (it was all to do leave."



"Working on His Own Hook."



Teacher (instructing class in physiology)—Hiram Tuff, what is the utility of the vermiform appendix? What do the scientists say of it? Hiram—Aw, cut it out! I ain't got dat fur jit.—Chicago Tribune.



Sandy—So poor Billy didn't make a success of the back gate act in Boston? Weary—No; he could never get accustomed to using finger bowl.



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# GRAUSTARK

By  
**GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON**

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Well, just as soon as I had told them the full story of the plot, old Caspar, the chief and the captain held a short consultation, the result of which I can tell in mighty few words. At 6 o'clock they took the whole gang of prisoners down in the ravine and shot them. The mounted guards are still looking for the two Viennese who were left with the carriage. They escaped. About an hour after you were hurt you were carried over here and laid on this couch. They have been hanging over you as if you were a newborn baby, and everybody's charmed because you are a boy and are going to live.

Lorry was smiling faintly over his enthusiasm. "You are the real hero, Harry. You saved my life and probably hers. I'll not allow you or anybody to give me the glory," he said, pressing the other's hand.

"Oh, that's nonsense. Anybody could have rushed in as I did—I was only capping the climax you had prepared—merely a timely arrival as the novels say. There is a little of the credit due me, of course, and I'll take it gracefully, but I only come in as an accessory, a sort of bushwhacker who had only to do the shoot, slap bang work and close the act. You did the hero's work. But what do you think of the way they hand out justice over here? All but two of 'em dead!"

"Whose plan was it to kill those men?" cried Lorry, suddenly sitting upright.

"Everybody's, I fancy. They didn't consult me, though, come to think of it. Ah, here is her royal highness!"

The princess and Aunt Yvonne were at his side again, while Count Caspar was coming rapidly toward them.

"You must not sit up, Mr. Lorry," began the princess, but he was crying.

"Did they make a confession, Harry?"

"I don't know. Did they, Count Halfont? Did they confess? Great heavens, I never thought of that before!"

"What was there to confess?" asked the count, taking Lorry's hand kindly.

"They were caught in the act. My dear sir, they were not even tried!"

"I thought your police chief was such a sly old man," cried Lorry angrily.

"What's that?" asked a gruff voice, and Baron Danzig was a member of the party, red and panting.

"Don't you know you should not have killed those men?" demanded Lorry. They surveyed him in amazement, except Anguish, who had buried his face in his hands dejectedly.

"And, sir, I'd like to know why not?" blustered Danzig.

"And, sir, I'd like to know, since you have shot the only being on earth who knew the man that hired them, how in the name of your alleged justice you are going to apprehend him?" said Lorry, sinking back to his pillow, exhausted.

No reserve could hide the astonishment, embarrassment and shame that overwhelmed a very worthy but very impetuous nobleman, Baron Jasto Danzig, chief of police in Edelweiss. He could only sputter his excuses and withdraw, swearing to catch the arch conspirator or to die in the attempt. Not a soul in the castle, not a being in all Graustark, could offer the faintest clue to the identity of the man or ex-



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plain his motive. No one knew a Michael who might have been inadvertently addressed as you possible "Lighthouse." The greatest wonder reigned. Veil, veils, unness, and perplexity existed everywhere.

Standish: there with her head on her aunt's shoulder, her face grave and troubled, the princess asked:

"Why should they seek to abduct me? Was it to imprison or to kill me? Oh, Aunt Yvonne, have I not been good to my people? God knows I have done all that I can! I could have done no more. Is it a conspiracy to force me from the throne? Who can be so cruel?"

"And no one could answer. They could simply offer words of comfort and promises of protection. Later in the day, great Danzig marched in and apologized to the Americans for his

suspicious concerning them, imploring their assistance in running down the chief villain. And as the hours went by Count Halfont came in and, sitting beside Graustark, begged his pardon and asked him to forget the deception that had been practiced in the United States. He explained the necessity for traveling incognito at that time. After which the count entered a plea for her royal highness, who had expressed contrition and wished to be absolved.

## CHAPTER XI. LOVE IN A CASTLE.

AS the day wore on Lorry grew irritable and restless. He could not bring himself into full touch with the situation, notwithstanding Harry's frequent and graphic recollections of incidents that had occurred and that had led to their present condition. Their luncheon was served in the count's room, as it was inadvisable for the injured man to go to the dining hall until he was stronger. The count physician assured him that he would be incapacitated for several days, but that in a very short time his wound would lose the power to annoy him in the least. The Count and Countess Halfont, Anguish and others came to cheer him and to make his surroundings endurable. Still he was dissatisfied, even unhappy.

The cause of his uneasiness and depression was revealed only by the manner in which it was removed. He was lying stretched out on the couch, staring from the window, his head aching, his heart full of a longing that knows but one source. Anguish had gone out in the grounds after assuming himself that his charge was asleep, so there was no one in the room when he awakened from a sickening dream to thunder alone over its memory. He turned on his side and curiously felt the bandages about his head. How lonely those bandages made him feel, away off there in Graustark!

The door to his room opened softly, but he did not turn, thinking it was Anguish—always Anguish—and not the one he most desired to see.

"Her royal highness," announced a maid, and then:

"May I come in?" asked a voice that sent to his troubled soul like a cooling draft to the fevered throat. He turned toward her instantly, all the irritation, all the uneasiness, all the indignities, vanishing like mist before the sun. Behind her was a lady in waiting.

"I cannot deny the request of a princess," he responded, smiling gayly. He held forth his hand toward her, half fearing she would not take it.

The Princess Yvette came straight to his couch and laid her hand in his. He drew it to his lips and then released it lingeringly. She stood before him, looking down with an anxiety in her eyes that would have repaid him had death been there to claim his next breath.

"Are you better?" she asked, with her pretty accent. "I have been so troubled about you."

"I thought you had forgotten me," he said, with childish petulance.

"Forgotten you?" she cried, quick to resent the imputation. "Let me tell you, then, what I have been doing while forgetting I have sent to the Regent's for your baggage and your friend's. You will find it much more comfortable here. You are to make this house your home as long as you are in Edelweiss. That is how I have been forgetting."

"Forgive me!" he cried, his eyes gleaming. "I have been so lonely that I imagined all sorts of things. But, your highness, you must not expect us to remain here after I am able to leave. That would be imposing!"

"I will not allow you to say that!" she objected decisively. "You are the guest of honor in Graustark. Have you not preserved its ruler? Was it an imposition to risk your life to save one in whom you had but passing interest, even though she were a poor princess? No, my American, this castle is yours in all rejoicing, for had you not come within its doors today would have found it in mournful terror. Besides, Mr. Anguish has said he will stay a year if we insist."

"That's like Harry," laughed Lorry. "But I am afraid you are glorifying two rattle brained chaps who should be in a home for imbeciles instead of in the castle their audacity might have blighted. Our rashness was only surpassed by our phenomenal good luck. By chance it turned out well. There were ten thousand chances of ignominious failure. Had we failed would we have been guests of honor? No! We would have been stoned from Graustark. You don't know how thin the thread was that held your fate. It makes me shudder to think of the crime our act might have been. Ah, had I but known you were the princess, no chances should have been taken," he said fervently.

"And a romance spoiled," she laughed.

"So you are a princess—a real princess," he went on, as if he had not heard her. "I knew it. Something told me you were not an ordinary woman."

"Oh, but I am a very ordinary woman," she remonstrated. "You do not know how easy it is to be a princess

and a mere woman at the same time. I have a heart, a head; I breathe and eat and drink and sleep and love. Is it not that way with other women?"

"You breathe and eat and drink and sleep and love, is a different world, though, your highness."

"Ah, my little maid, Theresa, sleeps so soundly, eats as heartily and loves as warmly as I, so a fig for your judgment."

"You may breathe the same air, but would you love the same man that your maid might love?"

"Is a man the only excuse for love?" she asked. "If so, then I must say that I breathe and eat and drink and sleep—and that is all."

"Pardon me, but some day you will find that love is a man; and"—here he laughed—"you will neither breathe nor eat nor sleep except with him in your heart. Even a princess is not proof against a man."

"Is a man proof against a princess?" she asked as she leaped against the casement.

"It depends on the"—he paused—"the princess, I should say."

"Alas! There is one more fresh responsibility acquired. It seems to me that everything depends on the princess," she said merrily.

"Not entirely," he said quickly. "A great deal—a very great deal—depends on circumstances. For instance, when you were Miss Guggensloeker it wouldn't have been necessary for the man to be a prince, you know."

"But I was Miss Guggensloeker because a man was unnecessary," she said, so gravely that he smiled. "I was without a little because it was more womanly than to be a 'treat,' as I should have been had every man, woman and child looked upon me as a princess. I did not travel through your and for the purpose of exhibiting myself, but to learn and unlearn."

"I remember if cost you a certain coin to learn one thing," he observed.

"It was money well spent, as subsequent events have proved. I shall never regret the spending of that half guilder. Was it not the means of bringing you to Edelweiss?"

"Well, it was largely responsible, but I am inclined to believe that a certain Jesse on my part would have found a way without the assistance of the coin. You don't know how persistent an American can be."

"Would you have persisted had you known I was a princess?" she asked.

"Well, I can hardly tell about that, but you must remember I didn't know who or what you were."

"Would you have come to Graustark had you known I was a princess?"

"I'll admit I came because you were Miss Guggensloeker."

"A mere woman."

"I will not consent to the word 'mere.' What would you think of a man who came half way across the earth for the sake of a mere woman?"

"I should say he had a great deal of curiosity," she responded coolly.

"And not much sense. There is but one woman a man would do so much for, and she could not be a mere woman in his eyes." Lorry's face was white and his eyes gleamed as he buried his head in his hand.

"Especially when he learns that she is a princess!" said she, her voice so cold and repellent that his eyes closed involuntarily, as if an unexpected horror had come before him. "You must not tell me that you came to see me."

"But I did come to see you, and not her royal highness the Princess Yvette of Graustark. How was I to know?" he cried impulsively.

"But you are no longer ignorant," she said, looking from the window.

"I thought you said you were a mere woman!"

"I am, and that is the trouble," she said, slowly turning her eyes back to him. "Then she abruptly sank to the window seat near his head. "That is the trouble, I say. A woman is a woman although she be a princess. Don't you understand why you must not say such things to me?"

"Because you are a princess," he said bitterly.

"No; because I am a woman. As a woman I want to hear them; as a princess I cannot. Now, have I made you understand? Have I been bold enough?" Her face was burning.

"You—you don't mean that you"—he half whispered, drawing himself to ward her, his face glowing.

"Ach! What have I said?"

"You have said enough to drive me mad with desire for more," he cried, seizing her hand, which she withdrew instantly, rising to her feet.

"I have only said that I wanted to hear you say you had come to see me. Is not that something for a woman's vanity to value? I am sorry you have presumed to misunderstand me." She was cold again, but he was not to be baffled.

"Then be a woman and forget that you are a princess until I tell you why I came," he cried.

"I cannot—I mean I will not listen to you," she said, glancing about helplessly, yet standing still within the danger circle.

"I came because I have thought of you and dreamed of you since the day you sailed from New York. Can I ever forget that day?"

"Please do not recall"—she began, blushing and turning to the window.

For you were Miss Guggensloeker to me. Then you were within my reach, but not now! I can only love a princess!" He stopped because she had dropped to the couch beside him her serious face turned appealingly to his, her fingers clasping his hands fiercely.

"I forbid you to continue! I forbid you! Do you hear? I, too, have thought and dreamed of you, and I have prayed that you might come. But you must not tell me that you love me—you shall not!"

"I only want to know that you love me," he whispered.

"Do you think I can tell you the truth?" she cried. "I do not love you!"

Before he had fairly grasped the importance of the contradictory sentences she left his side and stood in the window, her breast heaving and her face flaming.

"Then I am to believe you do," he groaned after a moment. "I find a princess and lose a woman!"

"I did not intend that you should have said what you have, or that I should have told you what I have. I knew you loved me of you would not have come to me," she said softly.

"You would have been selfish enough to enjoy that knowledge without giving joy in return. I see. What else could you have done?" A princess! Oh, I would to God you were Miss Guggensloeker, the woman I sought!"

"Amen to that!" she said. "Can I trust you never to renew this subject? We have each learned what had better been left unknown. You understand my position. Surely you will be good enough to look upon me ever afterward as a princess and forget that I have been a woman unwittingly. I ask you, for your sake and my own, to refrain from a renewal of this unhappy subject. You can see how hopeless it is for both of us. I have said much to you that I trust you will cherish as coming from a woman who could not have helped herself and who has given to you the power to undo her with a single word. I know you will always be the brave true man my heart has told me you are. You will let the beginning be the end."

The appeal was so earnest, so noble, that honor swelled in his heart and came from his lips in this promise:

"You may trust me, your dishonor. Your secret is worth a thousandfold more than mine. It is sacred with me. The joy of my life has ended, but the happiness of knowing the truth will never die. I shall remember that you love me—yes, I know you do—and I shall never forget to love you. I will not promise that I shall never speak of it again to you. As I lie here there comes to me a courage I did not know I could feel."

"No, no," she cried vehemently.

"Pardon me! You can at least let me say that as long as I live I may

CHAPTER XII.  
A WAR AND ITS CONSEQUENCES.

LORRY was removed to another room before dinner, as she had promised.

After they had dined the two strangers were left alone for several hours. Anguish regaled his friend with an enthusiastic dissertation on the charms of the Countess Dagmar, lady in waiting to the princess. In conclusion he said gleefully, his cigar having been out for half an hour or more because his energy had been spent in another direction:

"You haven't seen much of her, Lorry, but I tell you she is rare. And she's not betrothed to any of these countesses or dukes either. They all adore her, but she's not committed."

"How do you know all this?" demanded Lorry, who but half heard through his dreams.

"Asked her, of course. How in thunder do you suppose?"

"And you've known her but a day! Well, you are progressive!"

"Oh, perfectly natural conversation, you know," explained Anguish composedly. "She began it by asking me if I were married, and I said I wasn't even engaged. Then I asked her if she were married. You see, from the title, you don't tell whether a countess is married or single. She said she wasn't, and I promptly and very properly expressed my amazement. By Jove, she has a will and a mind of her own, that young woman has! She's not going to marry until she finds a man of the right sort, which is refreshing. I like to hear a girl talk like that, especially a pretty girl who can deal in princes, counts and all kinds of nobility when it comes to a matrimonial trade. By Jove, I'm sorry for the princess, though!"

"Sorry for the princess? Why?" asked the other, alert at once.

"Oh, just because it's not in her power to be so independent. The countess says she cries every night when she thinks of what the poor girl has to contend with."

"Tell me about it."

"I don't know anything to tell. I'm not interested in the princess, and I didn't have the nerve to ask many questions. I do know, however, that she is going to have an unpleasant matrimonial alliance forced upon her in some way."

"That is usual."

"That's what I gather from the countess. Maybe you can pump the princess and get all you want to know in connection with the matter. It's a pretty serious state of affairs, I should say, or she wouldn't be weeping through sympathy."

Lorry recalled a part of the afternoon's sweetly dangerous conversation, and the perspiration stood cold and damp on his brow.

There was a rap at the door, and Anguish hastened to open it. A servant presented Count Halfont's compliments and begged leave to call.

"Shall we see the old boy?" asked Harry.

"Yes, yes," responded the other. The servant understood the sign made by Anguish and disappeared. "Diplomat, is it, I suspect?"

"He is the prime minister, I understand. Ah, good evening, your excellency! We are honored."

The count had entered the room and was advancing toward the couch, tall, easy and the personification of cordiality.

"I could not retire until I had satisfied myself as to Mr. Lorry's condition and his comfort," said he in his broken English. He seated himself near the couch and his sharp, anxious eyes on the recumbent figure.

"Oh, he's all right!" volunteered Anguish readily. "He is able to go into battle again tomorrow."

"That is the way with you aggressive Americans, I am told. They never give up until they are dead," said the count courteously. "Your lead is better?"

"It does not pique me as it did, and I'm sure I'll be able to get out tomorrow. Thank you very much for your interest," said Lorry. "May I inquire after the health of the Countess Halfont? The excitement of last night has not had an unpleasant effect, I hope."

me of Edelweiss—the merchants, the laborers and the hobby itself—drew to arms in defense of the city. For over a month we fought, hundreds of our best and bravest citizens going down to death. They at last began a bombardment of the city. Today you can see the marks on nearly every house in Edelweiss. Hundreds of graves in the valley to the south attest the terrors of that siege. The castle was stormed, and Prince Ganlock, with many of the chief men of the land, met death. The prince was killed in front of the castle gates, from which he had sallied in last brave attempt to beat the invaders. A bronze statue—

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"Neither of his listeners spoke for some moments. Then Lorry broke the silence."

"You mean that the money cannot be raised?" he asked.

"It is not in our treasury. Our people have been taxed so sorely in rebuilding their homes and in recuperating from the effect of that dreadful invasion that they have been unable to pay the levies. You must remember that we are a small nation and of limited resources. Your nation could secure \$30,000,000 in one hour for the mere asking. To us it is like a death-blow. I am not betraying a state secret in telling you of the sore straits in which we are placed, for every man in the nation has been made cognizant of the true conditions. We are all facing it together."

There was something so quietly heroic in his manner that both men felt pity. Anguish, looking at the military figure, asked:

"You fought through the war, your excellency?"

"I resigned as minister, sir, to go to the front. I was in the first battle and I was in the last," he said simply.

"And the princess—the present ruler, I mean—was a mere child at that time. When did she succeed to the throne?" asked Lorry.

"Oh, the great world does not remember our little history! Within a year after the death of Prince Ganlock his wife, my sister, passed away, leaving a broken heart. Her daughter, their only child, was, according to our custom, crowned at once. She has reigned for fourteen years, and wisely since assuming full power. For three years she has been ruler de facto. She has been frugal and has done all in her power to meet the shadow that is descending."

"And what is the alternative in case the indemnity is not paid?" asked Lorry breathlessly, for he saw something bright in the approaching calamity.

"We are continued next week."



"I forbid you to continue"

cherish and encourage the little hope that all is not dead. Your highness, let me say that my family never knows when it is defeated, either in love or in war."

"The walls which surround the heart of a princess are black and grim, impenetrable when she derides it, my boasting American," she said, smiling sadly.

"Yet some prince of the realm will batter down the wall and win at a single blow that which a mere man could not conquer in ten lifetimes. Such is the world."

"The prince may batter down and seize, but he can never conquer. But enough of this! I am the Princess of Graustark, you are my friend, Graustark, and there is only a dear friendship between us," she cried, resuming her merry humor so easily that he started with surprise and not a little displeasure.

"And a throne," he added, smiling however.

"And a promise," she reminded him. "From which I trust I may some day be released," said he, sinking back, afflicted with a discouragement and a determination of equal power. He could see hope and hopelessness ahead.

"By death?"

"No; by life! It may be sooner than you think!"

"You are forgetting your promise already?"

"Your highness' pardon," he begged. They laughed, but their hearts were sad, this luckless American and hapless sovereign who would if she could be a woman.

"It is now 3 o'clock—the hour when you were to have called to see me," she said, again sitting unconcernedly before him in the window seat. She was not afraid of him. She was a princess.

"I misunderstood you, your highness. I remembered the engagement, but it seems I was mistaken as to the time. I came at 2 in the morning."

"And found me at home?"

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Among the Fishes.



"Ah, this must be the line I expected, asking me to dinner."

A Criticism.



Suburban News.

Carrie Nation is to be one of the attractions at the Fowlerville fair this fall.

Mr. Benaway has resigned from Orion's council. His former colleagues will miss him when he's Benaway long enough.

A letter for Isaac Dull is advertised at the Hudson postoffice. If Dull was sharp he would call for his mail.

Probably the "daily grind" pre-occupied him.

There were twenty-six less births in the county last year than there were the year before. Oakley not let Teddy Roosevelt know such a race-suicidal retrogression.

An Owosso man got up in the night to kick his dog, but missed the intended target and jammed the door jamb so hard that he broke his toe. He is now engaged in collecting damages from an accident insurance company and the dog hasn't yet gotten over laughing.

Pontiac people are proud of the increasing size and business of their bustling little city, but they have to take the less desirable consequences of metropolitanism along with the rest. More lawbreakers are in evidence there lately than ever before, and it isn't the regular crook harvest time, either.

There are so many power boats now on Long lake near Pontiac that there isn't room for them all and the folks out there are going to ear a canal and make a navigable route which will then include some more lakes and river. Perhaps the scheme may prove to be the incipency of that long talked of canal across Lower Michigan.

The Centraire wants to say a word here to its subscribers. If you know of any news, if you have any accidents, storms, the fire, or any old thing, drop us a line or let us know in some way. We ask the co-operation of everybody in making the Centraire still more interesting.

Some of the information suggested would certainly make the paper as interesting as the old Centraire.

The Farmington Enterprise man very neatly wiggles out of the inconsistency of one of his articles still advising people to let bicycles "for the fit" in saying that the vehicles are made to sell on foot or any other day of the month. Now let's see how Prof. S. will reconcile the real good biblical knowledge that an editor usually has with the statement in said works Enterprise that "Jacob was 113 years for buck!"

A Holly young lady has gone into a hazy business of her own. She was out doing a visit with a young man the other night when a big bug flew into her mouth. Even the swift swallow which she sent after it failed to check the rash insect in its downward course and a bug die it respired. And it was all because that young man wasn't exerting enough to keep her from yawning. Bug, gosh! Was it a bug or a fly?

Says Women Should Study Alone. Prof. Ludwig Stueda, probably the most famous a German recently returned a protest against the movement among the professors of medical faculties in German universities for permitting women to attend medical lectures in the same classroom with men. He expresses the opinion that the presence of women must have an injurious effect both on the professors and on the women themselves. Prof. Stueda will not exclude women from medical study, but it is absolutely necessary, he says that they be instructed in anatomy in separate classrooms.

Boy Cured of Colic After Physician's Treatment Had Failed. My boy was four years old was taken with colic and cramps in his stomach. I sent for the doctor and he injected morphine but the child kept getting worse. I then gave him half a teaspoonful of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he was sleeping and recovered. I wish to thank you for the medicine. Wm. W. Williams, Bookkeeper, 100 S. Tenth St., St. Louis, Mo.

Blarney's Great Docks. The first time that you see you on landing at the docks, which extend for five miles along the river front, says St. Nicholas. They were built by the English and were completed in 1897. They are most solidly constructed, supplied with numerous modern steam cranes and are brilliantly lighted with electricity at night. They cost the city and nation seven million pounds sterling, or \$35,000,000. So great is the amount of shipping however, that not the docks alone, but the small river Rialto is crowded with vessels. Indeed, one wonders how a ship, once entered, can ever manage to get out.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

... The ... Grand Army Encampment of 1903

FOR the second time in its history the Grand Army of the Republic is preparing to march on San Francisco, the occasion being the thirty-seventh national encampment of the organization, which begins in the California metropolis on Aug. 17. The previous visit of the civil war veterans to the Golden Gate was made in 1886.

For weeks San Francisco has been busy getting ready to welcome the old soldiers, and no expenditure of time or money has been spared to provide a reception worthy of the city and its distinguished guests. State and city authorities have joined to make the occasion memorable, more than \$100,000 having been placed at the disposal of the various committees of entertainment.

General Thomas J. Stewart, commander in chief of the G. A. R., predicts that the encampment will be a success in every way, reports from department commanders indicating that fully 100,000 persons will attend the reunion from points outside of California. From first to last there served in the Union army more than 2,000,000 fighting men. The life of battle was more than 2,000 miles long, and from the first gun at Fort Sumter, April 12, 1861, to the surrender of Lee at Appomattox, April 9, 1865, 2,200 battles and skirmishes were fought in thirty-four states and territories.

In these four years of war 350,523 men answered the last roll call and 285,245 were discharged for physical disability. Of the vast army who died 67,058 were killed outright in battle and 40,000 died of their wounds. Nearly 200,000 died of disease and 18,250 died of various other causes.

It was from the friendships and associations that grew out of the civil war that the Grand Army of the Republic was born. It came into being in 1865, and just how the organization got its name has never been officially determined. It may have come naturally as it was a term often applied to the Union army during the war of the rebellion. Other small organizations of soldiers bore names all in to it, but none exactly the same.

General John A. Logan, who was three times commander in chief of the organization, once defined its prin-



THOMAS J. STEWART, (Commander in Chief of the G. A. R.)

inciples in these words: "The Grand Army of the Republic is not a political organization. We have but three objects obligatory upon us as members of this order—namely, to promote the love and practice of fraternity, liberal distribution of charity and unequalled loyalty. The founders of the order were actuated by the fact that when the war ended we had on this continent a million and a half of fighting men, a greater part of whom were our comrades, good and true, who were in no haste to lose sight of every trace of the association of a soldier's life."

The membership of the Grand Army is steadily decreasing, thought recruiting goes on quite as rapidly now as in any year of the past decade. It is stated that 200,000 members were enrolled in 1897, the year following its organization, but for the succeeding ten years there was a great falling off, and in 1879 the membership was but 44,753. It was in 1881 that the first real growth of the organization was noted, nearly 14,000 new members being added. The increase from that time on was rapid, the membership jumping to 134,000 in the following year, when Paul Van der Voort, the "sergeant," was commander in chief.

The largest increase in membership in any one year was in 1883, when General Robert B. Beath, the historian of the Grand Army of the Republic, was its commander in chief. He added to the rolls the names of 87,412 veterans, bringing the membership up to 213,448. There were several causes for this phenomenal gain. General Beath was a good business man and used business methods in the management of the organization. It was also the year of the organization of the Woman's Relief corps, and this auxiliary has always stimulated membership. Then the vet-

erans began to take a sentimental interest in the order, which they had not experienced in the first few years after the war closed, when they were struggling to get a foothold and a livelihood in times of peace.

The membership reached high water mark in 1880, the rolls showing 409,480. The next year this membership dropped to 407,781, and the decrease now is rapid, the report for 1902 showing but 283,745 on the rolls. The average annual decrease since high water mark in 1880 has been 14,000.

General Thomas J. Stewart, the present commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, is a native of Belfast, Ireland. He was a short service man in the army, but that was not his fault. He was in his fifteenth year when he enlisted in a Pennsylvania



GENERAL JOHN C. BLACK, (Prominent candidate for commander in chief of the G. A. R.)

regiment in 1865 and twice before that he had run away from home to enlist. On both occasions he had been brought back by his father. His service in the Grand Army has been remarkable, as he has held all the offices of his post and department. For many years he has also been one of the most conspicuous officers of the national guard of Pennsylvania.

General John C. Black who is said to have as good a chance as any man to succeed General Stewart was a candidate for commander in chief last year. General Black is a well known lawyer of Chicago and was formerly commissioner of pensions. He has served a term in congress and is a prominent member of the Loyal Legion. His war record is good. He entered the army as a private and left it a brevet brigadier general.

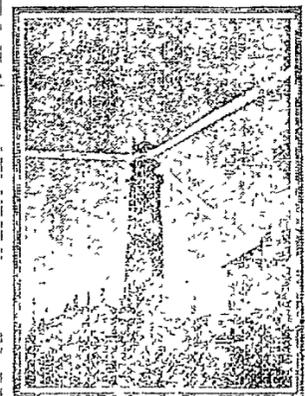
The death rate in the organization is nearly 2,000 a year. No numbering of feet can combat a foe like that, but it will be many years yet ere we see the last of the Grand Army.

HELGOLAND'S GREAT LIGHT

It is Said to Be the Most Powerful in the World

Shipping clerks and students of coast lighting methods find much interest in the new electric flash light which has just been erected by the German government on Helgoland Island in the North sea. The principle employed is said to be entirely new, and the Germans claim that the light is the most powerful in the world. The novel feature of the light throwing apparatus consists in the use of parabolic glass mirrors in place of the lenses which have hitherto held the field. This method places the light concentrating apparatus at the back of the light instead of in front of it, as in the case of the old fashioned lenses.

In operation a ray of both candle power is projected from a battery of three ray throwers erected upon a revolving reflector with a parabolic mirror. The ray is focused for a tenth of a second every five seconds. The light is concentrated and thrown forward from the parabolically curved mirrors, which are thirty inches wide. Only the central portion, a third of the area, is put into the greatest use. The flash illumines the entire horizon. In normal weather it may be seen twenty three miles at sea. When the weather is favorable the beams go far beyond this distance. On the first



THE NEW HELGOLAND LIGHTHOUSE AT NIGHT

night that the new light was used its peculiar flashing beams were seen by people on the mole at Busum forty miles away. The watermen in the lighthouse at Amrum, about the same distance, were able in unfavorable weather to see the same beams as they rapidly appeared and disappeared. A very interesting optical change had, however, taken place in the color of the light as seen from Amrum. It was no longer the blue white of the electric arc light, but appeared quite red.

LONG CHASE FINALLY ENDED.

Truant Officer at Last Succeeds in Capturing Sterling Price.

"I have a war story that beats all records," said Truant Officer S. B. Clements yesterday afternoon, "for this morning I got a man named Sterling Price, and I have been hunting Sterling Price for forty-two years. I landed him in police court, ending a chase that started in Missouri in 1861.

"When the war broke out I was a young shaver living in Missouri, and I enlisted in the union army. There were warm times in Missouri then and a whole lot of guerrilla fighting. The regiment I was with went after a guerrilla named Sterling Price. We hunted him up hill and down dale, but we didn't get him, and I was always just a little disappointed at the failure.

"Well, now comes the odd part of the story. This week I decided to go after the father of a boy named Price because the youngster wasn't being sent to school. I accordingly went after the father this morning and took him to police court—and, you can believe it or not, but the man I found was Sterling Price. That's the end of that forty-two years of hunting."

"Is it a true story?" Mr. Clements was asked by some dubious one.

"Why certainly," said Mr. Clements.

"And the man you got was the same Rebel General you chased in 1861?"

"Oh, no; indeed; I didn't say that. I told you a true story, and if I had said that it wouldn't have been true."

And then Mr. Clements felt very much hurt because one of his listeners told him it was too bad that he didn't get shot during the war.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

Saginaw and Bay City, Sunday, August 30.

Train will leave Northville at 8:42 a. m. Rate, \$1.50. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Toledo, Sunday, Aug. 23.

Train will leave Northville at 10:08 a. m. Rate, 60 cents. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Agricultural College Excursion, Aug. 24th.

Train will leave Northville at 7:55 a. m. Rate, \$1.00. Take a day off and visit Michigan Agricultural college which stands at the head of all such institutions in the United States. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Opening of the New Lake Route Between Detroit and Buffalo.

The new steamers Eastern States and Western States are running daily between Detroit and Buffalo, making connection with all morning trains. Our readers can save \$1.00 here to any point East or West. Send 2c for folder. Address A. A. Schantz, G. P. T. Mgr., Detroit, Mich.

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Priest and Painter.

Rev. A. B. Shields, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Boston, is an artist as well as a priest. He earned enough money painting the past winter to afford a summer in the galleries of the old world, and sails for Europe to paint in the national gallery of London, in the Louvre and Luxembourg galleries during his vacation season.

Bird Vengeance.

A naturalist recently witnessed an encounter between a large swan and a little brown duck. The duck had apparently insulted the swan by trying to cross its path, for it was suddenly seized by the swan and held under the water until he was sure it would be drowned. But at last the swan let it go and fled majestically away. The duck, after taking breath, looked around to see where its enemy was, and seeing it rose into the air and deliberately came down, flapping its wings, on the astonished swan's back. The swan fled in terror, and the duck, apparently satisfied, quietly swam away.—Pearson's Weekly.

What They Are Paying.

The Northville Market covered up to date. Oats—25. Corn in ear—25. Shelled corn—30c. Baled hay per ton—\$10. Baled straw per ton—\$5. Cattle—\$7.75. Lambs—\$4.50 to \$5.75. Hogs live—\$5.00. Beef hides—7c per lb. Veal calves live—\$7.00. Eggs—14c. Butter—15c and 18c. Poultry live. Turkeys, young and plump—10c. Geese, young and plump—8c. Ducks, young and plump—8c. Spring chickens—10c. Hens—8c.

STATE FAIR AT PONTIAC September 7-8-9-10-11 1903. We are preparing for an UP-TO-DATE FAIR In every particular. There will be a great show of LIVE STOCK FRUIT FARM IMPLEMENTS NEEDLE WORK ART SCHOOL WORK. SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS FINE SPEED RACES FARMERS' RACE LADIES' DRIVING FIRE TEAM RACES FOOT RACES. Good Weather Promised by the Clerk of the Weather. Electric Cars to the Gates. Live Stock Entries Close August 22. I. H. BUTTERFIELD, Secretary.

The Record's Quick-Return PUZZLE. Guess what the attendance will be at the Avenue Theatre, Detroit, this week. The one who comes the nearest will give two tickets entitling them to two of the best seats at the Avenue Theatre for any day, afternoon or evening, except Sunday evening, within two weeks. All guesses must be in by next Tuesday. The seating capacity of the theatre is 1,300. Two shows daily. Guesses must cover attendance from Sunday Afternoon, Aug. 16, to Saturday Afternoon, Aug. 22nd, both inclusive. Fine Vaudeville Performance all next week and every number a star attraction. Theatre cooled by cold air and electric fans. Detroit's family theatre. Subscribe for the Record and Get Free Theatre Tickets. The name of the winner will be published next week. All guesses must be sent us on following coupon, clipped from this paper. RECORD'S THEATRE COUPON. I estimate the attendance at the Avenue Theatre, Detroit, week Aug. 16 to Aug. 22, to be... Name... Address... Attendance last week was 16,395. Carrie Simmons was the lucky one, her guess being 14,211.

Russian Wheat in Good Shape. Consul General W. R. Holloway writes from St. Petersburg, May 15, 1903, that, according to data compiled by the Ministry of Agriculture, the outlook for wheat in European Russia is satisfactory. Winter wheat is fair, especially in the southern provinces. The spring has been unusually mild.

Gave a Picnic to 26,000 Children. Senator James John Frawley, the Tammany leader in the 32d assembly district of New York, recently gave a picnic to 26,000 children in Central Park. None was barred in the entrance assembly district on account of color or creed. At the picnic there were used 80,000 lemons, three tons of candy, 25,000 sandwiches and 1,000 gallons of ice cream.

Half the Ills that Man is heir to come from indigestion. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens and tones the stomach. Makes indigestion impossible. Up to New Jersey. How can it be possible that mosquitoes are killed by music when they are so fond of a little song on their own? The objection is not so much to taking the liberty bell to Boston as it is to parading an unnecessarily large number of local statesmen along with it.

Doubtless there would be even more namesakes of John Wesley than there are if parents did not realize the fact that John Wesley is a hard name for the average boy to live up to.

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