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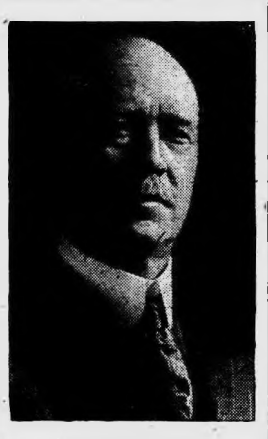
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**Council Had a Busy Session**

An adjourned regular meeting of the village council was held Wednesday evening and considerable important business was transacted, aside from the regular routine work. The most important matter taken up was the transfer of the municipal electric light plant to the Edison Company. Village Attorney P. W. Voorhies was present and stated that he had gone over the legal papers necessary for the sale of the property and found them O. K., with the exception of a few minor changes which had been made. A resolution was passed by the council that the president and clerk be authorized to affix their official signatures to the papers to complete the sale of the plant to the Edison Company for the sum of \$50,000. Mr. Thompson, representing the Edison Co. was present and handed over a check for that amount. The Edison Co. will take over the plant August 31st. The council also entered into a ten year contract with the Edison Co. for street lights. The council voted to purchase another car of road oil to complete the oiling of all streets in the village.



FRANK B. LELAND  
Wayne County's Candidate for Governor.

**In And Around Plymouth**

Subscribe for the Mail now. The contract has been let by the U. R. for a new station at Chelsea. The People's State Bank of New Boston, has been organized with a capital stock of \$20,000. The village of Romulus is going to have a public park and a number of vacant lots will be purchased for that purpose. The Oxford business men formed a commercial club last week, in which it is proposed to work for the advancement of their town. There were 410 arrests made at Pontiac during the first six months of this year. Of this number 161 were arrested for being drunk. The six-county Grange rally, in which Wayne county will have a prominent part at Adrian, Saturday, will be attended by a good sized delegation from Plymouth Grange. A fine program has been arranged, and it promises to be a big affair. The village of Milan has offered several prizes to the one in the corporate limits who will have the prettiest yard this season, and as a result Milan is already a "City Beautiful." Interest is intense and each and every one is in the race to win. The Saline Observer has followed the example of many other weekly papers throughout the state and has boosted the subscription price of the Observer from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per year. If the prices of paper continues to advance the days of the \$1.00 weekly will soon have passed. The Navy department at Washington, through Congressman P. H. Kelly, have loaned the village of Northville a cannon and pyramid of shells to be placed on the school grounds in that village. Evidently our neighboring village believes in preparedness. A new school to be known as the Michigan Military Academy will be established at Island Lake. The institution will be capitalized at \$100,000.00, and it is expected it will be ready for the opening term, July, 1917. Tom Leith, whose summer camp for boys is located at Island Lake, is one of the promoters of the new school. He is the son of Rev. T. B. Leith, a former pastor of the Presbyterian church of this village. "If I owned a newspaper, what I would say in it just now would be a plenty," remarked a man the other day. He was invited to write what he wanted to say, with the assurance that it would be printed if his signature accompanied. He promptly declined the tender, remarking that "it would hurt his business." There are a lot of people quite willing, anxious, in fact, for things to be said in newspapers provided they hurt the business of somebody else, and not their own.—Dundee Reporter.

**Ptomaine Poisoning**

We take the following from the Tecumseh news in the Adrian Telegram: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Freeman and guest, his sister, Mrs. Dicks and son of Plymouth, were taken seriously ill of ptomaine poisoning Wednesday afternoon. Their sickness is said to have been caused from eating pressed meat. Dr. Hendershott, the attending physician, stated yesterday that they were out of danger.

Mrs. Dicks and children have been visiting relatives in Tecumseh for the past two weeks.

**Dr. J. J. Travis Appointed to Professorship at U. of M.**

At a meeting of the board of regents of the University of Michigan held last week Thursday, Dr. J. J. Travis of this village was appointed assistant professor of dental dentistry in the college of dental surgery of the University of Michigan, taking the place of Dr. F. O. Cole, who resigned to take up private practice in New York city. Dr. Travis is now attending the National Dental convention at Louisville, Ky.

**Notice to Water Takers!**

Notice is hereby given that the use of village water for sprinkling purposes is strictly forbidden at any hour until further notice. This is absolutely necessary to protect the village against a possible fire. Water will be promptly turned off for violations of this order. By Order of Common Council. Dated, July 26, 1916.

**Methodist Tabernacle**

SUNDAY, JULY 30th  
10 o'clock a. m.  
Rev. D. H. Glass  
State Superintendent of Sunday-schools will preach.

**Plymouth Motor Castings Co. Plant a Busy Place**

The plant of the Plymouth Motor Castings Co. is a busy place these days. The new building, which is a duplicate of the building they are now using is just about completed and ready for occupancy. The new building is well lighted and ventilated and is equipped with a lavatory and wash room for the employees. A new office building has also just been completed, which is commodious and well arranged. Another large building will be built at the west end of the two foundry buildings for the manufacture of the Winter's metal door sill, just as soon as possible. The company is employing twenty men in the old building, and this number will be materially increased when the new building is fully equipped and ready for business. The fine quality of the castings turned out at the local plant has created a splendid demand for their product, and they have been unable to take many desirable contracts because of their limited capacity. The increased capacity of the plant will enable the company to take care of considerable more business than they have heretofore been able to accept.

Five new houses will be built in the new Elm Heights sub-division this summer. Several of them are already under construction. Among those building are H. E. Newhouse, F. G. Larned and three for the Plymouth Realty Co. Bert Crumble has the contracts for all of them.

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Special 15c Fancy Trimming Buttons	9c
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Boy's Dutch Suits, made of Fast Color Chambray, sizes 2 to 6, Special	19c
Boy's All-Wool Knickerbockers, sizes 6 to 14	29c
Ladies' Knit Union Suits	19c
Girls' 1/2 Dresses in Gingham and Chambray, guaranteed fast color	49c
Girls' Middles to close	49c
Special—Silk Gloves (black and white, short and long)	49c
Special—Ladies' and Misses' Wash Skirts Regular \$2.00 and \$2.50 values, while they last	\$1.69
Black Sateen Petticoats (Guaranteed Six Months)	49c
Men's Sport Shirts	49c
Men's Wash Ties	9c

**SPECIAL -- FEATURE**

PLYMOUTH OPERA HOUSE  
Saturday Evening, July 29th  
**Marguerite Clark**  
in a novel drama of circus life  
**"STILL WATERS"**  
PARAMOUNT PICTURES  
The first show will be over in time for the free pictures on the street.  
Two Shows      Admission 10c



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Do your best to-day that you may be prepared for to-morrow. Let the past be forgotten. It will never return with its opportunities. They are gone forever but the GREAT FUTURE holds other and better ones for the man who is ready to grasp them. Lose no time in vain regrets but hopefully face the future, equipped with experience and a check account with

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A NOVEL OF NEW YORK LIFE

By REX BEACH

ILLUSTRATIONS BY F. PARKER

Author of  
"The Iron Trail"  
"The Spoilers"  
"The Silver Horde" Etc.

### SYNOPSIS.

Lorelei, defeated for political office in his town, decides to venture New York in order that the family fortune might benefit by the expected rise of his charming daughter, Lorelei. A well-known critic interviews Lorelei Knight, now stage beauty with Bergman's Revue, for a special article. Her coin-hunting mother outdoes Lorelei's ambitions, but Simon, the press agent, later adds his information. Lorelei attends millionaire Hammon's gorgeous entertainment. She meets Merkle, a wealthy dyspeptic. Bob Wharton comes uninvited.

Adoree Demorest is a queer woman. Nobody really knows anything about her life. She is advertised as a vicious merely because such advertisement attracts attention to her and money to the theater owner. Her place in this story makes the story much better than it would be otherwise. Pay heed to Adoree's doings.

### CHAPTER IV—Continued.

"Why don't you ask Miss Demorest? She came with you."  
Wharton sighed hopelessly. "Something queer about that Jane. D'you know what made us late? She went to mass on the way down."

"Mass? At what hour?"  
"It was a special midnight service conducted for actors. I sat in the taxi and waited. It did me a lot of good."

Some time later Merkle returned to find Bob still intimately talking, catching Lorelei's eye, he signified a desire to speak with her, but she found it difficult to escape from the intoxicated young man at her side. At last, however, she succeeded, and joined her supper companion at the farther edge of the fountain, where the tireless cupids still poured water from the cornucopia.

Merkle was watching his friend's son with a frown.  
"You have just left the personification of everything I detest," he volunteered. "You heard what his father said about raising him—how he taught Bob to drink when he drank and follow in his footsteps. But that isn't what I want to say to you. Help me feed these foolish goldfish while I talk."

"Do you think anybody would understand if they overheard you? I fancied you and I were the only sober ones left."

"Some of the girls are all right," Merkle eyed his companion closely. "Don't you drink?"

"I have nothing but my looks. Wouldn't I be a fool to sacrifice them?"  
"You seem to be sensible, Miss Knight. Something tells me you're very much the right sort. I know you're trying to get ahead, and I can help you if you'll help me. I need an agent, and I'll pay a good price for the right person."

"How mysterious!"  
"I'll be plain. That affair yonder"—he nodded toward Jarvis Hammon and Lias Lynn—"strikes you as a well, is a flirtation. It is something very different, for he's in earnest. He thinks he is injuring no one but himself with this business, and he is willing to pay the price; but the fact is he is putting other people in peril—me among the rest. Nobody outside of a man's family has the right to question his private life so long as it is private in its consequences. But when his secret conduct affects his business affairs, when

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"Nothing like a good 'turkey' to get acquainted, is there? We're going to dance till we're old folks."

She continued to struggle; they were out of step and out of time, but he held her away from himself easily, bending a hot glance upon her upturned face. She saw that he was panting and doubly drunk with her nearness. "Don't fight, I've got you." She was smiling faintly, out of habit, but mistaking her expression, he drew her close once more, then buried his face in her neck and kissed her just at the turn of her bare shoulder.

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"I'm madly jealous, Señor Roberto," she exclaimed. "Come, you must dance once more with me. We'll finish this. What?" She swung toward him in sympathy with the music, snapping her fingers and humming the words of the song.

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"Then jump in like a gentleman," he laughed the danseuse. "But dance with me first." She entwined her arms about him and forced him into motion. As she danced away she signaled over her shoulder to Lorelei, who made haste to seek the cloakroom.

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"Will you believe me," he asked, "when I tell you that Jarvis Hammon and Hannibal Wharton are the two best friends I have in the world? This is more than a business matter, Miss Knight."

"I can hardly believe that."  
"It's true, however; I mean to serve Hammon. At the same time I must serve myself and those who trust me. I fear—in fact, I'm sure—that he is being used. I've learned things about Miss Lynn that you may not know. What you have told me tonight adds to my anxiety, and I must know more."

"What, for instance?"  
"Her real feeling for him—her intentions—her relations with a man named Melcher."

"Maxey Melcher?"  
"The same. Do you know his business?"  
"No."

"He is a gambler, a political power; a crafty, unscrupulous fellow who represents—big people. By helping me you can serve many innocent persons, and, most of all, perhaps, Hammon himself."

Lorelei was silent for a moment. "This is very unusual," she said at length. "I don't know whether to believe you or not."

"Suppose, then, you let the matter rest and keep your eyes open. When you convince yourself who means best to Jarvis—Miss Lynn and Melcher or their crowd, or I and mine—make your decision. You may name your own price."

"There wouldn't be any price," she told him, impatiently. "I'll wait."

Merkle bowed. "I can trust your discretion. Thank you for listening to me, and thank you for being agreeable to an irascible old dyspeptic. Will you permit me to drive you home when you're ready?"

"I'm ready now."  
But as Lorelei made her way unobtrusively toward the cloakroom she encountered Robert Wharton, who barred her path.

"Fairly Princess, you ran away," he declared, accusingly.  
"I'm leaving." She saw that his intoxication had reached a more advanced stage. His cheeks were flushed; his eyes were wild and unsteady.

"Good news! The night is young; we'll watch it grow up."  
"Thank you, no. I'm going home."  
"A common mistake. Others have tried and failed." With extreme gravity he focused his gaze upon her, saying, "Home is the one place that you may not close."

She extended her hand. "Good night."  
"I don't understand. Speak English."  
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Wharton's countenance darkened unpleasantly, and his voice was rough. "Where'd you learn that line? It's country stuff. We'll leave when I'm ready. Now we'll have a trot."

The music was playing; other couples were dancing, and he seized her in his arms, whirling her away. In and out among the chairs he piloted a dizzy course, while she yielded reluctantly, conscious, meanwhile, that Adoree Demorest was watching them with interest.

For an interval Wharton said nothing; then, with a change of tone, he murmured in her ear: "D'you think I'd let you spoil the whole night? Can't you see I'm crazy about you?"

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breakfast upon rising, and a substantial meal before theater time. Her mother saw to it that this program was religiously adhered to. Irrespective, also, of her careless disregard of social appointments, she was never permitted to miss one with the hairdresser, the manicure, the masseuse, or the dozen and one other beauty specialists who form as important an adjunct to the stage woman's career as to that of the woman of fashion. All this was a vital part of that plan to which the mother had devoted herself. No race-horse on the eve of a Derby was groomed more carefully than this budding

"How do you know?" inquired his sister.  
"Maybe I got the dogeared dope," mocked the brother. "Maybe Max Melcher told me. Anyhow, you could read Merkle just as easy if you'd declare Max in."

"Now, Jim," protested Mrs. Knight. "I won't let you put such ideas into her head. You and—that gang of yours—are full of tricks, but Lorelei's decent, and she's going to stay decent. You'd get everybody in jail or in the newspapers."

"Has Maxey ever been in jail? Has Tony the Barber? No, you bet they haven't, and they never will be. This jail talk is funny. Just wait and see how easy Lias gets her. Of course, if Lorelei could marry Wharton, that would be different, but he's no sucker."

"How is Lias going to get her?" insisted Lorelei.  
"Wait and see." James returned to his paper.  
"She'll never marry him. She hates him."

Jim laughed, and his sister broke out irritably.  
"Why be so mysterious? Anybody would think you'd robbed a bank."

Jim looked up again, and this time with a scowl. "Well, every time I come through with a suggestion you crabs it. What's the use of talking to a pair of haymakers like you, anyhow? I could grab a lot of coin for us."



"What D'you Mean by That?" He Cried.

ding woman. In preparing her for masculine conquest the entire family took a hand. Her prospects, her actions, her triumphs, were the main topic of conversation; all other interests were subordinated to the matrimonial quest upon which she had embarked, and the three conspirators lived in a constant state of eager expectation over Lorelei's fortunes.

Mother and daughter were loitering over a midday breakfast, and Lorelei, according to custom, was recounting the incidents of the previous evening.

"It's too bad you quarreled with Mr. Wharton," Mrs. Knight commented, when she heard the full story of Hammon's party. "He'll dislike you now."

The girl shrugged daintily. "He was drunk and fresh. I can't bear a man in such a condition."

"You shouldn't antagonize a man like him, my dear. He's single, at least; and naturally he's impulsive, like all those young millionaires."

"Bob is an alcoholic. He's no good, so Mr. Merkle said."  
Jim, who was immersed in the morning paper, spoke from his chair near the window.

"Why don't you go after Merkle himself, sis? Easy picking, these bankers."

Jim also had come home in the still hours of the night before and was now resting preparatory to his daily battle with the world. Just how the struggle went or where it was waged the others knew not at all.

His mother shook her head. "Those old men are all alike. Mr. Hammon will never marry Lias."  
"Is that so?" James abandoned his reading. "The older they are, the softer they get. Take it from me, on the word of a volunteer fireman, Lias will cash in on him quicker than you think. I know."

Then the park commissioner, raising his voice, resorted to the language of the plain people: "Where are you at?"  
"O," responded Possum, with a sigh of relief. "Heah I th.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat."

Old Wines.  
Some time ago a bottle of ancient wine was found during the demolition of an old house at Pinesburg, England. It appears that this ancient bottle is supposed to be the treasure of France. Some of the cellars in Paris contain bottles of Sancerre at least two centuries old. This is a very respectable age, but it is nothing compared with a certain Ribonvillers of 1652, or a Steinwilt of 1540, or a Jewish Passover wine of five centuries and a half. Still, in the museum at Reims there is a far older wine, or rather a bottle containing something which was once wine.

It is said to date four centuries before our era. This, tradition says, was found in a tomb of the Gallo-Roman period. Berthelot, the celebrated chemist, has left on record that he once analyzed a bottle of wine made in the neighborhood of Rome about Nero's time. In this case the analyst had only a dry residuum to work upon.

Housewife Works for Others.  
The "hired girl" does not yearn for technical training, according to the women who have conducted a Minneapolis survey of the domestic help problem; also, they say, the average household could not afford to employ a highly skilled worker in the hinterland of the back porch. Eros, it seems, is quick to discover comely cooks who have gained proficiency, and the housewife's time and labor in training a girl all go to making comely some home other than her own.

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His lip curled; mother and son started at the bitterness of the tone. "Ugh! What a mess you've made of things. Two years ago we were decent, and now—" Lorelei's voice broke; her eyes flamed over with tears. "I'd give anything in the world if we were all back in Vale. It took only two years of the city to spoil us."

"Ha! Better try Vale again. You'd end in a straightjacket if you did. You think you could go back, but you couldn't—nobody can after they've had a taste of the city."  
"It's all wrong. The whole thing is rotten. Sometimes I hate myself," Lorelei choked.

Mrs. Knight spoke reprovingly. "Don't be silly, dear. You know we don't do it all for you. But we're not complaining." Mrs. Knight put added feeling in her words. "We don't want you to live the way you had to live; we want you to be rich and to have things. After all we've done; after all poor Peter has suffered—"

"I don't!" cried the girl, falteringly. "I think of him every hour."  
"He isn't the sort that complains. I consider it very thoughtful of you to behave as you do and make it harder for us." Mrs. Knight sniffed and wiped her eyes, whereupon Lorelei went to her and hid her face upon her mother's shoulder.

"I don't want to be unkind," she murmured, "but sometimes I'm sick with disgust, and then again I'm frightened. All the men I meet are beasts. That whole party was sordid and mean—old men drinking with girls and pawing them over. Mr. Merkle was the only nice one there." The mother was dismayed to feel her daughter shiver.

"Good Lord! You people make me sick," cried Jim, rising and making for his room. "Anybody'd think you'd been insulted."

When he had gone Mrs. Knight asked, accusingly:  
"Lorelei, are you in love?"  
"No, why?"

"You've said some queer things lately. You've worried me. I hope you'll never be tempted to do anything so silly as to be foolish. I don't intend to let you make a mess of things by marrying some chorus man. When the right person comes along you'll worry him, then you'll never have to worry again. But you must be careful."

"Do you think I'd be happy with a man like Mr. Wharton?"  
"Why not? You'd at least be rich, and if rich people can't be happy, who can? If you accepted some poor boy he'd probably turn out to be a drunk and a loafer, just like Wharton is now." She sighed. "I'd like to see you settled; we could take Peter to a specialist, and maybe he could be cured. We could go abroad and get the help of those German surgeons. I've always wanted to travel."

When Lorelei reached the theater that evening she found Lias Lynn entertaining a caller who had been more than once in her thoughts during the day. Miss Lynn's visitor was a well-talored man who gave a first impression of extreme physical neatness. He was immaculate in attire, his skin was fine, his color fresh; a pair of small, imperturbable eyes were set in a smiling face beneath a prematurely gray head.

Max Melcher was a figure on Broadway; he had the entrée to all the stage doors; he frequented the popular cafes, where he surrounded himself with men. Always affable, usually at leisure, invariably obliging, he had many friends.

At Lorelei's entrance he smiled and nodded without rising, then continued his earnest conversation with Miss Lynn. None of their words were audible to the last comer until Melcher rose to leave; then Lias halted him with a nervous laugh, saying:

"Remember, if it doesn't go, it's a joke, and I run to cover."  
"It will go," he told her, quietly, as he strolled out.

"What are you two planning?" inquired Lorelei.  
"Nothing. Max drops in regularly; he used to be sweet on me." Lias completed her make-up, then adged nervously. "Gee!" she presently exclaimed. "I'm tired of this business. We're fools to stay in it. Think of Atlantic City on a night like this, or the mountains. This heat has completely unstrung me." She rummaged through the confusion on her table, then inquired of the dresser, "Croft, where are my white gloves?"

"They haven't come back from the cleaner's," Mrs. Croft answered.  
"Not back? Then you didn't send them when I told you. You're getting altogether shiftless. Croft, when I tell you to do a thing I want it done. I hope I drop dead if—"

"I hope you do," snapped the indignant girl. "I told you to attend to them; now I've nothing but soiled ones."  
The dresser began to weep silently. She was a small, timid old woman, upon whose manifest need of employment Lorelei had taken pity some time before. Her forgetfulness had long been a trial to both her employers.

"That's right; turn on the foot-gates," mocked Lias. "You stop that sniveling or I'll give you something to cry for. I'm nervous enough tonight without having you in hysterics. Remember, if it ever happens again you'll go—and you'll take something with you to think about." Seizing the clearest pair of gloves at hand, she flung out of the room in a fine fury.

"You won't let her—me? I need work, I do," quavered Mrs. Croft.  
"Now, now. Don't mind her temper. You know Lias is excitable."

"Excitable?" Croft wiped red eyes with a corner of her apron. "Is that what you call it? I'll be glad if her millionaire takes her out of the business, like she thinks he will. Poor Nero's! He's laying up trouble for himself, that he is. She'll land him in the divorce court—with her flash-light photographs."

Lorelei swung around from her chair. "What do you mean?"  
"Oh, I heard her and that Jew—that Maxey Melcher. They've got a photographer and witnesses. You, brother, is one of 'em."

"Jim? What?"  
"It's true. It's a bad crowd. Mister Jim's in with. And there's something big in the air. Millions it is. And her saying she'll bill me ears. The brass! I've heard 'em talking before tonight!"

"That me talking before tonight?" Lorelei asked, Croft quickly.

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### CHAPTER VI.

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"You are sent from heaven!" he cried, at sight of her. "I enter out of the night and unburden my heart to this argus-eyed watchman, and, lo! you come flying in answer to my wail. Quick service, Judge. In appreciation of your telepathy I present you with some lumbago cure." He tossed a bank note to Regan, who snatched it eagerly on the fly.

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"Fairly Princess, last night I was a goldfish; tonight I am an enchanted lover—"

"Wait! I'm in a hurry." She thumbed the telephone book swiftly in search of her number, but young Wharton was not to be silenced. "Tell him it's all off," he commanded. "You can't go; I won't let you. Promise." He laid a hand upon the telephone and eyed her gravely.

"Don't be silly. I'm telephoning for someone else."  
"That's exactly what we can't permit. The 'someone else' is here—I'm it."  
"I slapped you last night; I promise to do it again," Lorelei told him, sharply.  
"Something whispered that you did, and all day long I have been angry; but tonight I come with another purpose. Outside is a chariot with ninety horses—French racing—champing at the throttle. We are going away from here."  
"You're drunk again, Mr. Wharton?" He glanced at the clock over Regan's head and shook his head in negation. "It's only ten-twenty. In two hours from now—"  
"Give me that phone."  
"Promise to tell him it's all off."  
She smiled. "All right. I'll use those very words."  
Wharton hesitated. "I trust you."  
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WITH THE MAN IN THE ENGINE CAB



DID RAPID THINKING

HOW FIREMAN SAVED TRAIN AFTER CONNECTING-ROD BROKE.

Simple Thing, In His Estimation, but It Meant the Preservation of Lives and Property—Just a Hero of the Rail.

The fireman stood on his narrow perch before the fire box, and between times of filling the box he would look at the silhouetted form of the engineer—in his little cab forward, perched almost amidst the long black boiler.

There was a hiss of steam, a crash of metal—and the fireman dropped his shovel. The connecting rod had broken. They were going 60 miles an hour, and the loosened end of the heavy steel rod that had come crashing with the force of ten thousand men and horses, and thrown the entire side of the engineer's cab down into the ditch beside the track.

The fireman thought quickly—it's a way with the men in the engine cab. He knew that the engine must be stopped—and at once. But it was impossible for him to get through that wreckage and to the air-brake control quickly.

In a few minutes they were crowded around him—the folk from the cars—and making a good deal of fuss over him. They said he was a hero. But he merely replied that he had done a simple thing—and perhaps the connecting rod had broken one of the air-pump connections and so would have set the brakes anyway.

But today he sits on the right hand of a standard locomotive cab—for the "camel-back" engines, with their clumsy separate engineer's cab set midway upon the boiler's crown, are going out of style. He sits there, knowing that responsibility rides beside him. He knows other things. He knows that the connecting rod may some time break again—it is one of the most common forms of locomotive accidents, and in the very nature of things must so remain. He knows that danger in a thousand forms for ever confronts him—a broken rail, a wheel, or a bit of metal dislodged from the flying rump of a passenger train upon a neighboring track, the breakdown of the human structure of the operation of the railroad upon which his safety and the safety of those entrusted to his care is so very dependent.

If you would know something of the man in the engine cab, go and ride a little way with him. It is not easily managed. The railroads have now grown very strict in the enforcement of the rule forbidding strangers in the engine cabs. Yet, in this one instance it can be arranged. You merely sign tremendously portentous legal "releases," whose verbiage, freely translated, gives you the distinct impression that you are going to your sure doom.—Sunday Magazine of the Washington Star.

Record Carload.

According to the Engineering News, the Pennsylvania railroad recently carried the largest railroad carload in combined weight and size ever moved by rail. It was the 8,000-kilowatt generator of a steam turbine power unit, which weighed 80 tons, and which when in place on the car stood 15 feet 7 1/2 inches above the rails. It was shipped from Greenville, N. J., to Joplin, Mo., on a new flat car built to carry a load of 70 tons. In order to avoid low bridges and other obstacles, it was necessary to send the car by a circuitous route.

Suspicion.

"What makes you think Stiggins is a mollycoddle? He's always talking about wanting to fight."  
"That's the reason. He sounds to me as if he were so scared that he thought it necessary to bluff."

Crop Report.

"Say, young fellow," queried the old farmer of the city boarder, "what do you rate in these four roof gardens down in the city?"  
"Peaches mostly, uncle," replied the city-bred young man.

MADE THE PASSENGERS WALK

Interesting Reminiscence of Old-Time Conductor Related by Pittsburgh Man.

The writer was very much interested in a recent article in your paper, referring to a mutual friend, "Tommy Drake," as he was familiarly called in his time, writes a correspondent of the Pittsburgh Dispatch. As conductor on the Pittsburgh & Connellsville railroad in the sixties, it was my pleasure as a schoolboy to know "Tommy" quite well—as a daily passenger from Braddock to the city.

And now, in brief, to relate a rather amusing, as well as paradoxical incident, when credited to the rules and regulations of the railroad in the days of single tracks.

Between the city and Braddock was a siding at "City Farm" station, opposite where Homestead now is. His train, scheduled to Braddock, was given a few minutes to reverse for a return trip to the city in late afternoon. Many a time, having been delayed en route outbound, "Tommy" would find upon arriving at City Farm siding that he would be "behind time" if he proceeded to Braddock and would soon be "running" against his own schedule time west.

This was not admissible, according to railroad ruling, and so "Tommy" would call out in the train that he was about to "return to Pittsburgh and that passengers for Braddock could either return with the train or get out and walk" the two miles—which we invariably did, on such an alternative.

Gardens for Railroad Men.

Railroad men's gardens is an innovation introduced by the Great Western Railroad company to help its employees. All along the line on both sides of the railroad can be seen tiny plots and almost every foot of space has been turned over to grow war-time potatoes and other vegetables. In this way several hundred acres are being cultivated. As a rule an allotment runs from 10 to 20 rods, which is about the limit of a railroad worker's spare-time capacity. Each holder pays a nominal rental for his ground, and on account of the war all the holders are making extra efforts to get the very utmost out of their holdings. Fewer flowers are seen in the plots, and a wider range of vegetables, with a view to successive crops, has become general.

Robins Build Nest in Engine.

Early in the spring a pair of robins built their nest on the front of an engine in the Union Pacific yards at Junction City, Kan. The engine was temporarily out of service and the birds were not molested, the roundhouse employees taking an interest in the robins and protecting them. Recently orders were received to move the engine to Kansas City at once. In the nest were four plump robins, almost ready to fly. R. M. Cole, district foreman, moved the nest and its contents from the engine front, placing it in a snowplow in the yards. The young robins did not object to the transfer, and within a few moments the old birds had located the moved nest and were back on it.

Russias to Build Railroads in China.

The Russian government immediately after the close of the war, will issue a loan of \$24,333,000 to China, to be used exclusively in the construction of five railroad lines in Manchuria, according to an agreement just reached between the financial agents of the two countries, the details of which have been reported to the state department by Consul Caldwell at Vladivostok.

Off and On the Track.

At an interlocking switch near Wlona, Wis., a freight train was using the switch and had just cleared the crossing when a St. Paul freight crashed through the derail. The engine bounded off the rails, ran 60 feet on the ties, struck a guard rail, and leaped back on the main track. Seventeen cars behind it performed a like feat, and when the train finally was stopped only one car was off the rails.

Electrication Goes On.

Up to date about 2,500 miles of steam railroad in the United States have been electrified.

The Modern Era.

"Our candidate wasn't born in a log cabin."  
"No, but it's all right. He comes under the new category—played on the football team in college."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Rather Mixed.

"Bill Jones is no purist about the language."  
"How do you mean?"  
"He asked me the other day if I thought we would ever land improved waterways."

HISTORIC CRIMES and MYSTERIES



THE BANDIT BARD.

Then up and away! We'll fly, quickly fly to our hiding. And there we'll rest Till the sun in the West Has given the signal for riding. Joseph Thompson Hare.

Joseph Thompson Hare might have distinguished himself in any one of half a dozen honorable professions, for he had many of the qualities which command success, but he was afflicted with indulgent parents, who permitted him to run wild in his youth. Of a romantic temperament, he was fond of reading books of adventure, and the books to which he had access were not of the character-building kind. Among them were various chronicles in which the celebrated British highwaymen were exploited as heroes and Joseph grew up with a



"There Are Thieves on Board All These Boats, and They Are Looking for Such Men as You."

great desire to emulate Turpin, Shepherd, and the rest of them.

He was born in Chester county, Pennsylvania, in 1780, and was the first great American highwayman, as he probably was the most admirable. He was more like Robin Hood than any gentlemen of the road of whom there is record, for he was brave, chivalrous and generous, and if he stole from the opulent with one hand, he gave to the needy with the other. One cannot read his history without deploring the fact that he took the left hand trail when a lad; had he taken the other, his bust might now be in the Hall of Fame.

His first exploit was "pulled off" when he was a schoolboy. He had a number of cronies of his own age who had grown up on bandit literature, and they were all eager for action.

Hare proposed that they rob an old miserly farmer who lived in the neighborhood, and the boys agreed. One night they went to the farmer's residence, intent on pillage and found him seated on the front porch in his nightgown, the heat having driven him from the house. The boys waited for hours, hoping the old man would go to bed, but he sat there as though waiting for the end of the world. The other boys experienced a chill in their feet, and wanted to go home; but Hare said he had come forth to rob, and was going to rob. So he stole quietly to the porch, and found the farmer was asleep. Then he entered the house and rummaged around until he had found \$500, when he rejoined his companions.

All his exploits were characterized by a similar daring. As a young man he went to New Orleans to seek his fortune. Upon landing there, in his backwoods raiment, he was ridiculed by a group of toughs. Hare walked up to the biggest of the rowdies and struck him in the face. Then there was a fight that was talked about in New Orleans for years. The big rowdy was Bill Marshall, a celebrated pugilist of the time. He was forty pounds larger than Hare, but the country boy whipped him to a frazzle. Then a public fight according to ring rules was arranged for and a tremendous crowd witnessed the conflict. Hare again whipped Marshall, and retired from the ring with a comfortable roll of money.

Throughout his career he preferred his fists to firearms. Often he would depend upon nature's weapons when his life or liberty was at stake, and when he had deadly weapons in his belt. On one occasion he was surrounded in a tavern by five officers, heavily armed, who were bent upon capturing him, and he whipped the whole five with his fists and escaped. The authentic stories of his exploits would fill a large volume. He sometimes had bands of followers, and sometimes he operated alone, and he had phenomenal luck.

There was nothing haphazard about his methods. He laid his plans like a general, and followed them up. He had his scouts and spies, and received accurate information when wealthy travelers were about to set forth on pilgrimages. Then he would ambush

them and relieve them of their valuables with an old-school courtesy that must have been highly gratifying to the victims. His operations covered a wide territory, and he moved so quickly and mysteriously that it was almost impossible to locate him.

It was characteristic of this singular man that after every robbery he was overwhelmed with remorse. He would repair to some secluded spot and sit in sackcloth and ashes, and write poetry full of heartbreak; and his poetry, considering his meager education, is surprisingly good. Several of his poems have been preserved, and they are melodious and sweet. There is not a discordant line in any of them.

Time and again he made up his mind to abandon his wicked courses and lead a quiet and reputable life, but something always interfered. Upon one occasion, after making off with \$5,000—which was a fortune in those days—he traveled back to the scenes of his boyhood, intent upon buying a farm upon which he had worked as a child. He had heard that the place was for sale, and he was determined to own it, and settle down and live happy ever after. But when he approached the farmhouse a savage dog sprang at him from behind some bushes, and chased him all over the place, and bit a sample out of his person, and he was so mad and disgusted that he left the neighborhood at once, and resumed his old tricks.

Another time, being well loaded with money and remorse, he decided to go to Baltimore and become a merchant prince. He made part of the journey on a steamboat, and was greatly annoyed by an opulent drover, who persisted in flashing a big roll of bills, and boasting of his wealth. "Bring full of virtue, Hare took the drover aside and advised him to conceal his money and do less talking. "There are thieves on board all of these boats," said Hare, "and they are looking for such men as you." The drover didn't take the advice in good part. He boasted that he was able to take care of himself, and he'd like to see

Wonders of Science. A camera man working for the educational department of a film company met an old farmer coming out of a house in one of the Middle states, and explained his presence on the place thus:

"I have just been taking some moving pictures of life on your farm."  
"Did you catch any of my laborers in motion?" asked the old man curiously.  
"Sure, I did!"

The farmer shook his head reflectively, and then said:  
"Science is a wonderful thing!"

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Which give quick relief for all itching, burning, disfiguring skin troubles. Bathe with the Cuticura Soap and hot water. Dry and apply Cuticura Ointment to the affected part. They stop itching instantly and point to speedy healing often when all else fails. Free sample each by mail with Book. Address Postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Over refinement.

William Dean Howells, the novelist, was talking about a poet.  
"His work is over-refined, over-delicately, overnice," he said.  
"In short, his work reminds me of the young husband who said to his bride, at the end of the honeymoon:  
"Darling, I'll have to leave you every morning hereafter to go to business; but, to make the parting less abrupt, I'll no longer take the 8:15 express, as I used to do—I'll take the 8:20 slow accommodation."

SWAMP-ROOT STOPS SERIOUS BACKACHE

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, remember it is needless to suffer—go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It is a physician's prescription for diseases of the kidneys and bladder.

It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quickly and effectively giving results in thousands of cases.

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Too Frequent.

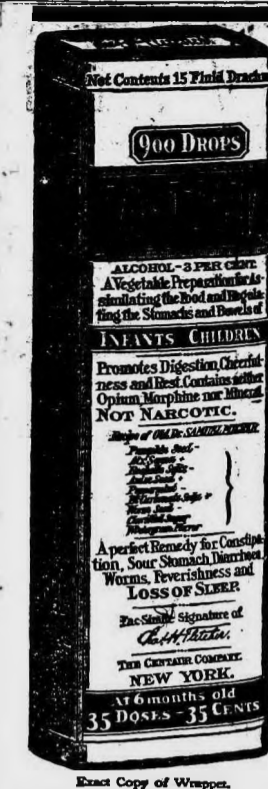
Ex-Governor Colquitt said in a discussion of the Texas situation:  
"Our opponents spoke too soon. They took too much for granted. They were like the young girl graduate.  
"A fat, middle-aged widower took a young girl graduate's hand in his and said, timidly:  
"Your mother, my dear Alice, has given her consent, and I—"  
"But the girl snatched her hand away."  
"No," she said. "It can never be. My respect for you is great. Mr. Prendergast, and I will be a sister to you."  
"No, you won't," snapped Prendergast. "No, you won't either. You'll be a daughter to me. I'm going to marry your mother."—New York Tribune.

Extinct Billy Goat.

Strange is the march of time. The billy and nanny goat were once a dominating feature in every civilized American community. Jim writes in Cartoon Magazine. A snapshot could not have been taken without a goat somewhere in the picture, but the goat was not deemed a fit insect to hobnob in swell society. Its product might be admitted across the threshold of the rich, but not its savory self. The highest standard the goat has ever attained is the mascotship of a volunteer fire company, or a similar office in the United States navy, which was practically the lowest rank of any living thing aboard. In his palmy days vivid posters were often seen of him in the act of juggling with a glass of fresh beer, and now, since the breweries themselves are in disfavour, the American billy goat is doomed to pass down the line of hasbeens!

Must Be Something Back of It.

"Nothing succeeds like success, except the appearance of success." It pays to put up a good front, provided there is something solid back of it.



Exact Copy of Wrapper.

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What is CASTORIA  
Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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BOTH MASTER AND SERVANT

Canoe a True Friend of Man, Only Calling for Expert Handling in Its Management.

The canoe is as old as time, and has never wandered very far from the primitive idea, says a writer in All Outdoors. Allen-hearted, it takes its place in the busy water world of today, a sign of barbarian supremacy of time. Man has turned to it in his extreme need, and has found it in one form or another at the far North, on the equator and in the southern seas, and it has given him, in return for proper management, the staunch-hearted comradeship asked of it at any imperiled moment. Rightly handled, the canoe is perfectly safe. The light draft and the buoyant resultant upward rise to the seas, and the perpetual demand of perfect poise make it a thing for the finer intelligence, and keep you alive to the need of the moment. An old and picturesque character who had canoeed on many waters, said that he had fared well, on all voyages until his canoe had "scented a rapid," and then no man could hold her. Breaking loose from all spirit of control, she was off after that falling water, even taking a daisy field cross lots in her tumultuous race. His fabulous story holds a grain of truth.

Satisfactory Explanation.

He recently returned from a hunting trip with a fine rabbit which he said he had bagged.  
It is to be recalled that he won a running match last summer. This was when he inadvertently stepped upon the stomach of a gentleman who had buried himself in the sand for a sun bath, and the man pursued him with evident intention to violate the law against creating a disturbance.

Used Many Deadly Weapons.

She went down into her cellar for a jar of pickled watermelon rind and what should she find coiled up on the floor and ready to strike but a glistening garter snake of fearsome aspect and most threatening demeanor. She killed it with no other weapon than a mop, a hoe handle, an old broom, an empty crock and a board from one of the fruit shelves.

Every man believes there is a reward laid up in heaven for him, but he is never in a hurry to claim it.

Some men imagine they are respectable just because they wear a clean collar each day.

Every Woman Wants Partine ANTISEPTIC POWDER FOR FEMALE AFFECTIONS. Dissolved in water for douches, vaginal, pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. For Free Booklet, Color and Beauty to Cream or Powder Mail to: Partine, 100 West Broadway, New York City.

PARLOR'S HAIR BALM A toilet preparation of merit. Keeps the scalp cool and healthy. Gives the hair a natural beauty. Sold by all druggists.

A Foregone Conclusion. "Does Beg-powder?" "Powder? Why, to kiss her is like eating a marshmallow."

IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuralgia, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written. It's absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. G. W. Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

Badly Winded. Friends of Billy Sunday, the revivalist, tell a story illustrative of his repartee.

Mr. Sunday was on the Trenton train one day when a man near him began to drink out of a bottle. Nomsy at first, the man after three or four drinks became quite unbearable. The revivalist launched at him an eloquent sermon on intemperance.

At the sermon's end the drinker looked at Mr. Sunday steadily and said:  
"I'd like to give you a good punch in the nose."  
"My friend," the revivalist answered, "charity begins at home. Never give away what you want yourself."—Washington Star.

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For Ten  
A package of New Post Toasties provides servings for ten people—a delicious breakfast dish—corn flakes with new form and new flavour.  
New Post Toasties are known by tiny bubbles raised on each flake by the quick, intense heat of the new process of manufacture.  
They bear the full, true flavour of prime, white Indian corn, not found in corn flakes of the past; and they are not "chaffy" in the package; and they don't mush down when milk or cream is added, like ordinary corn flakes.  
Try some dry—a good way to test the flavour, but they are usually served with rich milk or cream—  
New Post Toasties  
Sold by Grocers everywhere.

THE PLYMOUTH MAIL

Installed New Officers

F. W. SAMSEN
L. B. SAMSEN, Editor and Manager

At a meeting of Tonquish Lodge, I. O. O. F., held in their hall last week Tuesday evening, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year:

- N. G.—Fred Wagenschultz
V. G.—Arthur D. Wright
R. S.—Chas. G. Gurtis
F. S.—Geo. E. Humphries
Treasurer—Geo. C. Gale
Warden—Albert Trinkhaus
Con.—John V. Fisher
Chaplain—W. J. Stewart
I. G.—Albert Groch
O. G.—Earl King
R. S. to N. G.—F. B. Wilson
L. S. to N. G.—Horace Terhune
R. S. to V. G.—Earl Trinkhaus
Musician—W. H. Davis.

The following officers were recently installed in Plymouth Rebekah Lodge, No. 182, I. O. O. F.:

- N. G.—Kate Baird
V. G.—Eva Willett
R. S.—Ella Knapp
F. S.—Mary Gale
Treasurer—Elnie Bovee
Warden—Carris Jewell
Con.—Pearl Davis
Chaplain—Abbie Felt
I. G.—Mrs. Meddaugh
O. G.—Albert Trinkhaus
R. S. to N. G.—Eva Hanson
L. S. to N. G.—Mamie Bowman
R. S. to V. G.—Ethel Andrews
L. S. to V. G.—Lydia Todd
P. G.—Bessie Rathburn

Mrs. E. C. Vealey visited her sister near Rochester last week.

Mrs. Chas. Olds has been the guest of Detroit friends this week.

Miss Uma Willett of Ann Arbor, visited her parents here the first of the week. Wednesday she went to Toledo, and is now visiting friends at Toledo Beach.

Local News

Janet Toussy is spending the week with Northville friends.

Mrs. Herman Wolgast is visiting her daughter at Salem this week.

The Misses Hilda Smye and Gertrude Hillmer spent Wednesday in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Julia Wolgast and children of Detroit visited at Herman Wolgast's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilson and son Harold visited friends in Detroit the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gantz and son Donald of Detroit spent the first of the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gantz.

Mr. and Mrs. John Streng, whose home at Spring Lake was recently struck by lightning and burned to the ground, have moved to Plymouth and will reside with the latter's sister, Miss Clara Wolfe.

Several friends gathered at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. Straen last Wednesday evening in honor of William Shultz, who expects soon to leave for Saginaw, where he has a position. Light refreshments were served and the evening was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crawford and two daughters, Elizabeth and Agnes, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Mrs. Lillian Lawrence of Toledo, O., and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Arms and son of Milford were guests at H. C. Robinson's last Monday

CHILDREN TO GIVE FOLK DANCES AND EXHIBITION DRILLS AT THE MICHIGAN STATE FAIR, SEPT. 4-13



G. W. DICKINSON, general manager of the Michigan State Fair, announces that children will again present folk dances and exhibition drills at the State Fair next fall. The pantomime drills of the boys and girls, garbed in their costumes of olden days, were the attractions on Children's Day. Mr. Dickinson says that the children will hold the stage on four different days during the Fair.

NEW BUILDINGS FOR STATE FAIR

Improvements Will Cost Over \$150,000, Says Manager.

COLISEUM WILL SEAT 15,000

Floral Hall, Art, Woman's and Poultry Buildings, New Entrance, Sidewalks and Macadam Roads to Be Constructed During the Summer Months.

Improvements costing a total of more than \$150,000 are to be made at the Michigan State Fair grounds during the summer, and when the 1916 exposition opens for ten days at Sept. 4 the Michigan grounds will be superior to any similar grounds in the United States.

Through the efforts of G. W. Dickinson, general manager of the Michigan State Fair, new buildings will be erected on the grounds, as well as a large new entrance, additional bleachers, a lighting system, concrete side walks and macadam roads.

Will Seat Over 15,000. The coliseum, which will be similar to the coliseum at the Indiana State Fair grounds, Indianapolis, will have a seating capacity of over 15,000. In addition to being used during the State Fair, it will undoubtedly be the meeting place of large conventions and similar gatherings which are not held in Detroit at the present time because of no suitable building. The coliseum will cost about \$100,000 and will be constructed north of the Automobile Building, with which it will be connected.

Other buildings which will be constructed during the summer are an Art Building, Floral Hall, Poultry Building, as well as a Woman's Building, Work upon the Woman's Building, Art Building and Floral Hall will be commenced at once, and all will be finished by the time the Fair opens. It is probable, however, that the Poultry Building will not be completed until later in the year.

Mr. Dickinson announces that the additional bleachers, which will seat several thousand people, will cost about \$40,000 and will be erected for the convenience of many persons who do not want to pay for seats in the grand stand or the present bleachers and will be admitted to the new bleachers for 10 cents.

This will give every one an opportunity to see the speed events and the horse show at a nominal price.

New Entrance to Cost \$5,000. The new entrance to the grounds will cost about \$5,000 and is to be located at the southwest corner of the Fair property. Mr. Dickinson says that, with the additional entrance, congestion due to automobile traffic will be eliminated.

New sidewalks costing about \$4,000 are to be built, as well as macadam roads, and the appearance of the grounds will be generally improved.

With the new buildings and improvements completed the Michigan State Fair grounds will provide a wonderful place for the holding of our annual exhibition," said General Manager Dickinson.

"We now have agricultural, dairy, automobile, executive, horticultural and many buildings, as well as the machinery hall and grand stand, all of which are large and in good repair. Our horse barns, as well as the buildings for the other live stock are being repaired and painted and will be in first class shape for the 1916 Exposition, which will be the greatest Fair of its kind ever held in the middle west."

"We are now making arrangements for many attractions and am assure Michigan residents that the amusement and entertainment features will excel anything brought to the State Fair in the past."

Big Poultry Show at Fair. The 1915 poultry and stock show at the Michigan State Fair was the largest exhibit of the kind ever held in the state, and it is expected that the 1916 show will also be a record breaker.

General Manager Dickinson says that inquiries are being received from poultry men residing in all sections of the state.

Gala Day Committee Secure Carnival Attraction

Judging from the announcements set forth in the advertising matter for Gala Day, Thursday, August 10th, Plymouth is going to have the biggest day yet. The committee have been very fortunate in securing the Wade Carnival Company attractions, which will not only exhibit in Plymouth on Gala day, but will be here for the entire week of August 10th. This carnival company carries a complete line of attractions usually found with first-class organizations of this kind, including numerous shows, merry-go-round and a ferris wheel. The Plymouth band has been engaged to furnish music for the day. There will be two balloon ascensions with double parachute drops. One of the features of the day will be the automobile and firemen's parade for which liberal prizes have been offered for the best decorated automobiles. There will be all kinds of small sports in the forenoon, for which liberal prizes are offered. A water battle will also be one of the day's attractions. In the evening there will be a free moving picture show on the street. Also a dance in Penniman hall. Bill for dance, 75c. Music by Heeney's five-piece orchestra. There will, also be a moving picture show at the opera house afternoon and evening; admission, 10 and 15 cents. In fact there is going to be something doing every minute all day. Make your plans to come to Plymouth, Thursday, August 10th. Plenty of shade if the weather is hot, where you can see all the doing and listen to the band.

Plymouth Poultry Show Dates Have Been Set

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Plymouth Poultry and Pet Stock Association held Tuesday evening it was decided to hold the first show given by the association, December 6, 7, 8, 9. The association has a membership of nearly one hundred and hopes to increase the number to nearly double. Judging from the interest shown by the poultry fanciers of this village and vicinity, there is going to be a large display of birds at the show next December. It was also decided Tuesday evening by the members of the executive committee that the Plymouth association should become members of the American Poultry Association.

M. E. Sunday-school News

Dearborn 148. Plymouth 139. Those were the figures last Sunday. Plymouth did a little better than the week before by narrowing Dearborn's margin from 18 to 9. If we can do as well next Sunday we will at least be even with our competitors. But we shall not be satisfied until we bring our attendance up higher than theirs. This is just what we can and will do, especially if every teacher and pupil will do his or her own part and not leave it to someone else to invite new and old members to come to Sunday-school. We were honored with six visitors last Sunday. We hope they will come again and bring others with them.

Rev. Dutton is favoring us each Sunday with a three to five minute talk. His stories or "equips" as he calls them always point a moral and are enjoyed by the entire school.

Several teachers, also many of our pupils are away on vacations. Most of the teachers deserve much credit however, for the interest they manifest by seeing to it that good substitutes are ready to take their classes during their absence.

Missionary Treasurer George Burr reports the largest amount in the missionary fund that we have ever had up to this time of the year, viz., \$47.47.

The members of the Sunday-school are showing interest in the "Appeal" signs which now decorate the walls of the tabernacle.

Subscribe for the Mail today. Optimistic Thought. The study of human nature on a large scale is a safe employment.

In Its Larger Aspects. Another favorite way which the small, round-headed man who can't see the other side of any given question any more than if it weren't there at all has of introducing his remarks is to say something about viewing the matter in its larger aspects.—Ohio State Journal.

CHURCH NEWS

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. First Church of Christ Scientist, corner Main and Dodge streets. Sunday morning service, 10:30 o'clock. Subject, "Love." Sunday-school at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony service, 7:10. Reading room in rear of church open daily except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m. Everyone welcome. A lending library of Christian Science literature is maintained.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL MISSION. H. Midworth, Minister. Sunday, July 30th—Please note there will not be a service at the Mission next Sunday. There will be services the following Sunday as usual.

BAPTIST. Rev. Archibald L. Bell, Pastor. First Church, N. W. Corner of Main and Dodge streets. Morning worship, 10 o'clock. Theme of sermon, "Bears Versus Mote Pulling." 11:15 a. m., Sunday-school. 6 p. m., young people's meeting. Topic, "Elizabeth the Believing Woman." Leader, Mrs. H. Newhouse. Evening services, 7 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Joys of Salvation." Mid-week prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

METHODIST. Rev. Joseph Dutton, Pastor. 10 a. m., public worship. Rev. D. H. Glass, Detroit Conference superintendent of Sunday-schools will preach. 11:15, Sunday-school. No evening service.

LUTHERAN. Next Sunday morning at 9:15 standard time, there will be communion services. All wishing to partake of the Lord's supper may announce their intention before the time. Services in German at 9:45. Text, St. Matthew 5:20, 26. Evening services in English at 7 o'clock. Text, Romans 6:3, 4. Theme, "Two Important Questions Concerning our Baptism. There will be German services at the Livonia church next Sunday afternoon.

BIBLE STUDENTS. Just one more word on immortality ere we let it pass. It is a scarce article. Found six times only in all the bible. Not once in the old testament. The broadest term of it was, until Jesus gained it as a reward for strict obedience to the Father's will, "he (Jehova) only hath immortality." None others had immortality until after Jesus' resurrection. None but God Jesus was the first to gain it. Further, it is a choice condition. Absolutely the best condition the great Father of all life has to give to any of his intelligent creation, angels or men. But with this grand superlative degree he has even passed by the angelic creation, and purposes only to give it to the church the joint heirs with his son. Is not this wonderful? Now for what are we running? Glory, honor, immortality as one of the choice Kingdom class soon to make the whole earth resplendent with its glory, or will we be content to be one blessed by "healing beams" of that kingdom when "God's footstool (the earth) is made glorious" during the great antitypical "Jubilee" of 1000 years. Both conditions will be grand, but surely all can see that the glory of the one excels the other. Let us rejoice in our new found hope, and labor earnestly to get life in one condition or the other, for nothing is sweeter than life, pure life under perfect conditions. How pleasing, indeed, when all the aches and pains, the extremes of "heat and cold," the distrust of our fellow men, the golden rule in operation everywhere, mother "earth (naturally and easily) yielding her increase," "the showery coming in its season," and the gigantic evening (death) of our splendid race never heard of any more," no more thence an old man who had not lived his years, "their flesh shall be plumper than a child's." Won't it be sweet to live even though it may be on earth, paradise restored, a world-wide Eden. Happy day.

Probate Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne. In re: the estate of Isaac K. Haslow, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons claiming to be creditors of the said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of E. N. Parnagy, Plymouth, Michigan, in said county, on Thursday, the 27th day of September, A. D. 1916, and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1916, at 2 o'clock in each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 27th day of July, A. D. 1916, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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THOMAS F. FARRELL, Republican Candidate for COUNTY CLERK. Primaries August 29, '16.

NOTICE TO WATER TAKERS! RULE 14.—Water Rates shall be due and payable semi-annually in advance at the office of the Village Treasurer on the first days of January and July in each year, unless otherwise provided for in the schedule of rates. If rates are not paid within 30 days after due, the water will be turned off. Village Tax Notice. Village Taxes are now due and payable at the office of the Village Treasurer in the council chamber at the Village Hall from 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. and 2:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m. Winn B. Hubbell, Village Treasurer.


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**Local News**

Mrs. Ed. Willett was the guest of relatives in Detroit last Saturday.  
 Mrs. C. L. Shafer of Detroit, was a week-end visitor at George Shafer's.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Partridge of Detroit, a son, Tuesday, July 25.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Armstrong of Trenton, visited relatives here over Sunday.  
 Mrs. Elizabeth Terry visited relatives in Detroit over Sunday and the first of the week.  
 Mrs. Elmer Fisher of Detroit, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Krumm last Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Remington of Detroit, were over Sunday guests at H. H. Passage's.  
 Harry Armstrong and family of Trenton, visited at Chas. Holloway's last Saturday.  
 Julius Kaiser was brought home from Harper hospital last Saturday and is much improved.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sharrow and Mr. and Mrs. Will Rengert spent last Sunday at Bois Blanc.  
 Little Dorothy Watson has returned to her home in Detroit, after a week's visit with relatives here.  
 F. F. Bennett is driving a new Reo Six touring car, purchased of Ira Wilson, local agent for the Reo cars.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Webb of Pontiac, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Draper last Saturday and Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vealey and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Vealey visited friends at Wayne and Romulus last Sunday.  
 Mrs. Edward Hauss and daughter Ethel Louise of Century, Fla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Allen.  
 Street Commissioner William Blunk and his men have been busy the past week oiling the streets of the village.  
 Harry Bliss, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Holloway and family has returned to his home in Elkhart, Ind.  
 I. N. Dickinson has greatly improved the appearance of his residence on East Ann Arbor street by the addition of a large porch.  
 The Cherry Hill girls will give no more dances until cooler weather. The dance of the 23rd of July has been postponed indefinitely.  
 Mrs. C. A. Hearn was brought home yesterday from the Ann Arbor hospital where she has been for several weeks past, much improved in health.  
 Are you going to the State Fair? Save money by purchasing your tickets of us. We are selling them at 35 cents each, or three for \$1.00, as long as our supply lasts.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Aruna Cady and little daughter Peggy, Hazel Cady, Kathleen Schoenfeld and Frank and Jennie McIntyre, all of Ann Arbor, were Sunday visitors to J. W. Cady's.  
 Mrs. Lydia Bronson, and Mrs. Archie Clark and daughter Merib of Chelsea, and Mrs. Roy Warner and children of Northville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Willett last Sunday.  
 The Young People's Society of the Lutheran church will hold an ice cream social on the lawn at the home of Wm. Gottschalk, three and one-half miles from the village this (Friday) evening, July 28th. All are invited. The proceedings will go towards the building fund for the parsonage.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bussey and children of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. Claude Larnard and children of Battle Creek, Mrs. Fred Rogers and children of Jackson, Mrs. Wm. VanVleet and daughter, Leola, of Charlotte, and Burton Galpin and family of Dearborn, have been guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Linus Galpin.

Mrs. Fred Bredin, who has been quite ill, is improving.  
 Clarence Tustel of Toledo, visited friends here Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burch of Detroit, are visiting friends here.  
 E. K. Bennett has gone to Walloon Lake for a few weeks' stay.  
 Mrs. Addie Fields of Rushton, is the guest of Mrs. C. A. Finckney.  
 Many from here have been attending the races in Detroit this week.  
 W. B. Roe and family have been spending the week at Silver Lake.  
 D. W. Moreland of Detroit, was calling on old friends here the first of the week.  
 Mrs. James LeVan of Newburg, has been visiting Mrs. Kate E. Allen this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Reid of Wayne, were guests of Plymouth friends last Sunday.  
 Miss Marie Watson and Jerry Joslyn of Detroit, were Plymouth visitors last Saturday.  
 Mrs. P. B. Whitbeck has been confined to her home this week on account of illness.  
 Dr. P. M. Hickby and family of Detroit, were callers at Dr. R. E. Cooper's last Saturday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hoyt of Lansing, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoyt.  
 Gordon Bennett and family of Detroit called on his aunt, Mrs. John Bennett Sunday evening.  
 Mrs. Irving Boyd, who has been in Detroit at the hospital for the past few weeks, has returned home.  
 Miss Gladys Herrick of Northville, visited her cousin, Miss Vena Willett, the latter part of last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Depew and daughters of Ypsilanti, were guests of George Lee and family last Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilson visited the former's brother and family at Northville the latter part of last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw and sister, Miss Carrie Partridge, left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit in northern Michigan.  
 H. C. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Bennett are spending the week at Grand View cottage on Lake St. Clair.  
 Mrs. Homer Williams, who has been staying with relatives here for the past few weeks, has returned to her home in Detroit.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beyer and children of Perrinville visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beyer, last Sunday.  
 Titus Ruff and cousin, Ezra Wiley, went to Cleveland last Saturday where they were guests of the latter's brother over Sunday.  
 Stanley Chambers has gone in business for himself and is located in Harry Brown's garage, next to Dr. Peck's. Call and see him when in need of auto repairs.  
 Mrs. Henry Lutz accompanied her husband to Pontiac where he is employed, the first of the week and has been the guest of relatives there since.  
 Supt. Kennedy of the Canton good road, says that road will be open for traffic by August 15th. The laying of cement was completed yesterday.  
 Earl VanDeCar and Orson Polley, with Detroit friends have been enjoying a motor trip to Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Petoskey and other northern points, the past week.  
 Mrs. W. J. Burrows underwent an operation at her home last Tuesday, Dr. Brooks of Detroit, assisted by Dr. A. E. Patterson of this place, performing the operation. She is resting comfortably at this writing.  
 Oscar D. Chapman and son Harry and family motored from River Rouge Sunday and were entertained at dinner at his sister's, Mrs. John Bennett. Also visited his sister, Mrs. Rose Gilmore of Northville, returning home by way of his old farm in Nankin.  
 Mrs. John Lutz, Sr., who was staying at the home of her son Henry in the Blunk sub-division for a few days, fell down the stairs last Tuesday. Fortunately no bones were broken but she was very badly bruised. She was removed to her home in north village.  
 Rev. A. L. Bell leaves next week on his vacation. He expects to visit friends at Stockbridge, Saline and Port Huron and will spend some time at Walled Lake. The past two years Mr. Bell has spent his vacations at Walled Lake and had some fine catches of fish, and we presume this year will be no exception.  
 Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. David Cortrite, who died at her home in Monongay, North Dakota, Thursday, July 20th. She is survived by her husband and three grown children. The deceased was formerly Miss Alice Marshall, sister of Mrs. David Westfall of this place, and the early part of her life was spent in Plymouth.

Rev. C. Strasen and family are again comfortably settled in the Lutheran parsonage and are enjoying the improvements recently made there.

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WANTED—Girl or middle aged woman for general house work. Call at Kraus' store. 321

FOR SALE—House and one-half acre of land. Good house and garden spot. Inquire at 65 West Ann Arbor St.

FOR SALE—25 barrel galvanized tank, cement cover for well, oak plank. James Kincaid, Stark. 311

FOR SALE—McCormick mowing machine, milk wagon, four year old colt and work horse. Enquire at 11 South Harvey street. 322

FOR SALE—Two large young cows with calves by side. Also a McCormick grain binder. Sam Spicer, phone 309F-4.

FOR SALE—Gladolia flowers. Mrs. Hulda Knapp, Penniman Ave. 341

LOST—An Eastern Star pin. Finder please leave at Mail office and get reward. 341

FOR SALE—Two cows. M. S. Miller, phone 115. 341

FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house, with bath, hot and cold water and a garage. Inquire of D. M. Berdan. 294

FOR SALE—House on Blunk Ave., 7 rooms and bath, steam heat, large porch all screened in, large lot with fruit trees. Enquire of Charles F. Lefever. P. O. B. 454. 331

FOR RENT—A nice room dwelling house on Mill street. Phone 316-F4.

FOR SALE—Lot on Depot street. Inquire of Wm. Waterman. 271

WANTED—Men at the Plymouth Motor Castings Co.

FOR SALE—12 well located lots in the heart of the village. Prices reasonable. Inquire of George Wilcox. 141.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a Peninsular wood or coal range. Mrs. O. F. Beyer. 341

LOST—Tuesday, a beaded purse on Main street between Dodge street and railroad track. Finder please return to W. J. Wilson's, 11 Dodge street. 341

FOR RENT—A flat on Main street. Inquire of T. P. Sherman. 331

FOR SALE—Penniman block on Main street. Inquire of owner, E. Cohen, Northwestern Dept. Store, 1337 Grand River, Detroit. Mich. 303

FOR SALE—A beautiful lot, fine location. Inquire at Pinckney's Pharmacy.

FOR SALE—Baby cab. Enquire of Mrs. Geo. B. Laug.

FOR SALE—Lot 50x122. Geo. C. Gale, Plymouth, Mich. 251

FOR SALE—One good house with large lot, on Starkweather avenue, cheap at \$2500; a fine one on Penniman avenue at \$3000; one on Main street at \$4500; a few good building lots for sale, prices and terms are right, house and lot on Blunk street at \$2,300, and house and lot on south Main street at \$1,100. E. N. Passage. 46-ft

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

European War News

With the German emperor himself directing operations on the eastern line, the Anstro-German line stiffened in Volhynia against Russian onslaughts, but in the Carpathians the Austrians are still retreating.

The Berlin war office announced that further attacks by the Russians in strong force northwest of Berestechk, in southern Volhynia near the Gallician border, were completely repulsed.

Grand Duke Nicholas' Russian army in Turkish Armenia is advancing upon Erzingan. It is stated in official dispatches from Tiflis. The Russians are only 15 miles from the Turkish city.

Having thrown back the Teutons with a series of sledge-hammer blows, the Russians are now attacking the Austro-Hungarian positions defending the main ridge of the Carpathians in southern Galicia, says a Petrograd dispatch.

Fighting in the battle of the Somme centers around the village of Postieres, which was entered by the British Sunday in the renewal of their offensive, says a London dispatch. Smashing counter-attacks by the Germans failed to drive the Australian troops from the positions they had won, and the British forces added 151 captives to the number already taken in the ruins of the town.

Italian troops are continuing their pressure on the Austrian lines in the Trentino, scoring new advances along the Posina line and on the Sette Comuni plateau. They also have taken strong positions between the Trevigolo and Camon valleys in the Dolomites, according to a Rome dispatch.

During the days of July 20 and 21 the Russians in their advance against the Turks took nearly 14,000 prisoners, running the total for three days up to 27,000, Petrograd reports.

In a memorandum made public in London in advance of the formal reply of the British government to the protest of the United States against censorship of American mails, the foreign office forecasts a determination not to abandon the censorship.

Under menace of a heavy Russian assault, Austrians in the Carpathian region of southern Bukowina, southeast of Tatarow, have withdrawn toward the main ridge of the Carpathians, the war office at Vienna officially announced.

The Prussian casualties up to the present are 2,801,521, according to the London Daily Telegraph, which claims these figures are official.

Ten thousand Canadian soldiers are to proceed overseas soon, says an Ottawa (Ont.) dispatch.

Dispatches from Amsterdam state the British sea forces confiscated all the first-class mail on the Dutch liner Noordam while en route to New York.

Domestic

Demented, angry or despondent, a man of mystery took his beautiful wife and year-old son along the bridge path on the west bank of the Skokie river, Lake Forest, Ill., and killed them both and himself. The family rented a room from Mrs. Anna Jensen. They said they were from Flint, Mich.

Clayton McDonald, son of a prominent Floridan, was killed and all but his hands and feet eaten by a ferocious panther in the San Pedro swamps.

A Washington dispatch says the comfortable profit of \$3,000,000 was made by Herr Lohmann, the man who conceived the idea of sending the Deutschland to the United States with a cargo of dyes.

All doubt as to the identity of the three persons found dead in the woods near Lake Forest, Ill., were dispelled when messages were received from Flint, Mich., that the bodies undoubtedly were those of Lloyd A. Crandall, his wife and their baby son Arthur.

Seven employees of the Hercules Powder company were injured in an explosion at the plant's "dry" house at Kenville, N. J. The company denied reports that a number of workmen were killed. It was said that all the injured probably would recover.

Forty persons, including a number of soldiers and women, were killed during a severe lightning and rain storm in the suburbs of Mexico City. Most of the deaths occurred at San Quetzaco, Atlapalco and near Xochilapalca.

During a thick fog the incoming steamer Comus from New Orleans collided with a coal barge of Sea Girt, N. J. The barge's crew of seven men was rescued. The barge sank rapidly. The damage to the Comus was slight.

Fifteen men were reported killed and 18 overcome by gas in the new waterworks tunnel extending from the shore to the West side crib at Cleveland, O.

Thousands of men, women and children, admirers of the works of James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoosier poet, passed before the casket in which his body lay in state in the capitol at Indianapolis.

The general education board founded by John D. Rockefeller announces at New York that it is about to undertake a study of the public school system in Gary, Ind.

Two hundred and eighty-one women in Kansas are running for office. Ten ward state or district offices. Two hundred and seventy-one are out for county offices. Ninety-two of these are candidates for re-election.

J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana, was nominated for the presidency at St. Paul, Minn., by the Prohibition convention. Dr. Ira J. Landrith of Nashville, Tenn., was named as Hanly's running mate by acclamation.

Mexican War News

The full report of Maj. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, assistant chief of staff, on his inspection of National Guardsmen in the Brownsville district, made public at Washington, says that in an inspection of all camps and more than 30,000 men, reports of inefficiency and bad ratings were found to be wholly false.

Between six and seven hundred men of the First brigade were bowled from the line on the Iike, San Antonio to Ten-Mile hill. Almost every bush between Camp Wilson and Ten-Mile hill was doing umbrella service for exhausted militiamen.

Augustin Gomez, a Villa chieftain, and ten followers were captured and executed in Zacatecas by constitutionalists under Captain Rodardo, according to a Mexico City dispatch.

Mexican snipers reopened their attacks on outposts of the Ninth Massachusetts infantry along the border near El Paso. The militiamen returned the fire and a sharp skirmish followed. Three companies of the Ninth were rushed to the outposts' assistance.

First Chief Carranza has submitted to the government of the United States in a formal note to Secretary Lansing at Washington the proposal that the de facto government and the United States government, each appoint a commission of three members to meet and arrange a basis for the settlement of the differences between the two countries.

Personal

Cardinal Gibbons, eighty-two years old, celebrated his birthday at the home of Joseph Shriver, a quiet place in Carroll county, near Baltimore, Md. For 20 years he has taken birthday dinner as the guest of Mr. Shriver.

Ambassador Walter H. Page and Mrs. Page have left London for New York on a month's vacation, the first in four years.

Thomas M. Patterson, former United States senator from Colorado, died at his home in Denver. He was in his seventy-seventh year, and had been in poor health for several weeks.

Washington

Approximately a million acres of agricultural land of the Oregon and California land grant will be thrown open to entry and settlement by fall, it was announced at Portland by the United States land office. Settlers will be permitted to file on tracts of 160 acres each, paying the government \$2.50 an acre.

The senate at Washington confirmed Abraham I. Elkus, New York, as ambassador to Turkey.

President Wilson and his cabinet at Washington determined to insist that England shall remove American firms from her "blacklist."

The senate at Washington passed a resolution appropriating \$135,000 for fighting infantile paralysis. The measure has been passed by the house.

President Wilson has sent personal cable letters to the king of England, the emperor of Germany, the czar of Russia, the emperor of Austria and the president of France, "tendering the friendly offices of this government" to bring about relief to Poland.

Newspaper publishers throughout the country were invited by the federal trade commission to be represented at a hearing at Washington on August 1, at 10 a. m., on whether there has been an undue increase in the price of news print paper. The commission will conduct an exhaustive investigation.

President Wilson has asked Secretary of Commerce Redfield and Secretary of Labor Wilson to try to settle the strike of 40,000 garment workers in New York city.

Foreign

Dr. Hippolyte Irigoyen and Senor Don Felgato Luna were proclaimed president and vice president respectively of the Argentine republic at a joint session of the senators and deputies.

LETTER FROM STATE CAPITOL

HOW FEDERAL MONEY FOR GOOD ROADS WILL BE PORTIONED AMONG THE STATES

SOME FACTS ABOUT RABIES

Candidates Petitions Coming in for Places on the Primary Ballot—Fact and Gossip About Men and Things.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing—State Highway Commissioner Frank Rogers is certain that the passage of the federal road law by congress will be of immense help in road building operations in Michigan, but he points out that it will be necessary for the legislature to pass a new act to permit the use of the highway appropriation before the federal statute will help Michigan.

"Of the appropriation \$75,000,000 is to add the several states in the construction of rural post roads which must ever be free from tolls of all kinds. For the purpose of the act the term 'rural post road' will be construed to mean any public road over which the United States mails are now or may hereafter be transported, excluding every road in cities or villages having a population of 2,500 or more, except that portion of any street or road along which the houses average more than 200 feet apart.

"The law provides that the \$75,000,000 shall be apportioned among the several states as follows: one-third in the ratio which the area of the state bears to the total area of all the states; one-third in the ratio which the population of each state bears to the total population of all the states as shown by the latest available federal census; one-third in the ratio which the mileage of rural delivery routes and star routes in each state bears to the total mileage of rural delivery routes and star routes in all states at the close of the next preceding fiscal year, as shown by the certificate of the postmaster-general, which he is directed to make and furnish annually to the secretary of agriculture.

In accordance with the above Michigan's share during the next five years will be \$2,259,750 as determined from the figures submitted by the senate committee when the bill was under consideration. The exact appropriation for Michigan by years follows: For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, \$150,650; June 30, 1918, \$301,300; June 30, 1919, \$451,950; June 30, 1920, \$602,600; June 30, 1921, \$753,250.

"No money appropriated by this act will be available to any state until the legislature shall have assented to its provisions, except that the governor's assent will be sufficient until the final adjournment of the first regular session of the legislature held after this act became a law.

Watch the Dog. Persons who believe that rabies or hydrophobia is most common during the hot summer days will undoubtedly be interested in a statement issued by Secretary John L. Burkard of the state board of health, in which he tells how the disease is contracted and what steps should be taken by a person bitten by a mad dog.

According to reports obtained from the state live stock sanitary commission Michigan has within the last twelve months witnessed the greatest number of cases recorded in several years. The townships of Grou, Buckeye, Beaverton and Tobacco in Gladwin county have been placed under quarantine from May 6 to August 6, while the townships of Warren and Edenville in Midland county have been quarantined by the live stock commission for a similar period.

In Gladwin county the townships of Billings, Bentley, Buckeye, Grou, Beaverton, Tobacco, Sage and Gladwin have been placed under quarantine from May 27 to August 27, while the township of Essex in Clinton county has been placed under quarantine until an investigation can be made by the live stock commission.

"Rabies is supposed to prevail only during the hot months," said Dr. Burkard. "This is not true as cold weather seems to increase its virulence. Every person bitten by a mad animal does not acquire rabies as statistics show that only about twenty per cent of those bitten acquire the disease. About one-third or one-fourth of bitten mad animals contract the disease. This may be explained by stating that susceptibility of the person or animal bitten, the location and character of the wound produced by the animal. Bites on the face, neck, hands and other parts of the body not protected by clothing, which acts as a filter, are most dangerous. The virus must be introduced in sufficient strength to produce the disease. Experiments have shown that dilutions of 1 to 200 or 1 to 500 will cause the disease.

"The period of incubation is fortunately a long one and is subject to great variations, averaging in man about 40 days, dogs 20 to 40, horses 28 to 56 days. The shortest period on record in man is 13 days.

"When a person has been bitten by an animal suspected of being mad and the animal is killed for the purpose

of having an examination made, send only the head to the Hygienic Laboratory of the state board of health at Lansing. The former has more elaborate equipment and a greater number of available experts. The person bitten should be taken to a competent physician at once.

"As a prevention all dogs at large should be muzzled. Local boards of health have full power to make such a regulation. The law prescribes that all such regulations shall be published in some newspaper, and copies of a model notice may be obtained by writing to this office in Lansing."

Candidates Petitions. With 15 days remaining before the time limit expires for various candidates to file nominating petitions with the secretary of state for the August primaries, few have filed the requisite number. William J. Spears of Vassar has the necessary number to insure his name being placed on the republican primary ballot as a candidate for congress from the seventh congressional district. James W. Marsh, democrat and J. M. C. Smith, republican are assured a place in the third congressional district. Frank D. Scott, present congressman from the 11th district has filed his petitions as has Congressman E. S. Hamilton of the 4th district.

Several representatives have filed from Michigan districts. Senator Geo. Williams of the 32nd senatorial district, James M. Wilcox, both republicans, have filed their petitions. Dana H. Hinkley, candidate for the republican nomination from the 29 senatorial district has filed.

Leutenant Governor Dickinson some time ago filed a few names as a candidate for the republican nomination for governor and these are the only petitions for this office yet filed by any candidate, though the candidates are numerous.

WILL INVESTIGATE TUNNEL DISASTER

THERE WILL BE STARTED FOUR INQUIRIES TO DETERMINE CAUSE OF GAS EXPLOSION.

TWENTY-TWO LOSE LIVES

All Hope Given Up for the Twelve Men Who Were Trapped in the Tunnel.

Cleveland—Federal officials investigating the waterworks tunnel disaster which cost 22 lives, ordered all attempts to reach the bodies of 12 men imprisoned in the tunnel abandoned. This action was taken because tests of the gas in the tunnel through which the rescuers had to pass, showed that it is highly explosive and the officials feared a second explosion. An attempt will be made to pump out the gas so that the work of recovering the bodies may progress.

Of the dead, 11 were in the force trapped by the explosion. None of these escaped. The first rescue party consisted of seven men. Three of them perished and four were saved. The second rescue party comprised 11 men. Six of these lost their lives and five escaped.

The first rescue party accomplished nothing. The second saved one of the first relief expedition. No one has yet reached any of the original 11 caught in the workings. Of the eight rescuers who got out alive, two died later. The others may die. Two men were also overcome by fumes who did not go into the tunnel.

G. BELL JR. BLAMES BANDITS

Mexicans Want Regular Soldiers to Replace National Guardsmen Who Are Accustomed to Border Conditions.

El Paso, Tex.—General Francisco Gonzales, commandant at Juarez, formally protested to Brigadier-General George Bell, Jr., commanding the American forces here, against the conduct of the outpost guards of the Ninth Massachusetts infantry, who, he said, crossed into Mexican territory "in violation of Mexican rights," and shot up, "without provocation, a number of homes of Mexicans south of the border."

The protest was filed through Andres Garcia, the Mexican consul, who also suggested to General Bell that regular troops, accustomed to border conditions, replace guardsmen who, in the main, are new to soldiery and to the country at the point where the shooting occurred. This, he said, would give the people on the Mexican side a feeling of security.

In his protest General Gonzales affirmed that no Mexican soldiers are stationed in the neighborhood of the island and that he had no information of outlaws or smugglers being in that region.

PROHIBITIONISTS FOR HANLY

He Received 440 Votes Against 181 For William Sulzer.

St. Paul—The Prohibition national convention which has been in session at St. Paul adjourned sine die after nominating J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana, as candidate for president of the United States and Dr. Ira D. Landrith, of Nashville, Tenn., candidate for vice-president. Dr. Landrith's nomination was made unanimous after the other vice-presidential candidates had withdrawn.

Mr. Hanly was nominated on the first ballot. He received 440 votes against 181 for William Sulzer, former governor of New York, his nearest contender. Finley C. Hendrickson, of Cumberland, Md., received 51 votes; James Gilbert Mason, New Jersey; W. P. F. Ferguson, 4; Sumner W. Haynes, Indiana, 2; Henry Ford, 1.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Chicago—Eight hundred thousand dollars will be paid Lorimer bank depositors August 14 by the receiver.

London—Sir Roger Casement's request for permission to appeal to the house of lords from the verdict convicting him of high treason has been denied.

Cleveland—Fifteen men are reported killed and 18 overcome by gas in the new waterworks tunnel extending from the shore to the west side crib. Two bodies have been brought ashore. Firemen and the life-saving crews have gone to the rescue.

Stockholm—Two Swedish flight lieutenants, Mannstrom and Krus, were killed while engaged in a flight. Their machine fell 300 feet.

Honolulu—The navy tug Navajo and the lighthouse tender Columbine have abandoned search for the five enlisted men of the engineer corps from Fort Shafter, who put to sea for a pleasure cruise in a 15-foot whale boat. The waters off Oahu where the missing soldiers were cruising are infested with sharks and if the launch captured the men would have had little chance of saving themselves.

Pittsburg, N. Y.—Archie Roosevelt, first sergeant of Co. H, ordered his younger brother, Quentin under arrest because the latter, a private, dropped his rifle.

Philadelphia—Government auditors announce that the value of bullion and coins in the local mint aggregated \$380,101,747 at the close of their annual inventory. Of this amount, \$206,141,545 is in gold, \$107,152,614 in silver and the remainder in nickels and pennies. The loss in coinage was less than \$240, a new low record. Work on the new dime has been started.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock. DETROIT—Cattle: Receipts 2,000. Best heavy steers, \$18.50; best heavy weight butcher steers, \$7.50; 7.75; mixed steers and heifers, \$8.75; 7.50; light butchers, \$6.80; 6.50; 7; light butchers, \$6.80; 6.50; best cows, \$6.25; 6.50; butcher cows, \$6; 6.50; common cows, \$4.50; 4.50; 5.50; hologna bulls, \$5; 6.25; stock bulls, \$4.75; 5; feeders, \$6.50; 7.50; stockers, \$5.50; milkers and springers, \$4.60; 4.5.

Calves—Receipts, 533. A few choice brought \$13, but bulk of the best went at \$12.50. Trade on heavy grades very bad, selling at \$6 to \$9 as to quality.

Sheep and Lamb—Receipts, 1,234. Best lambs, \$10.25; 10.50; fair lambs, \$8.50; 9; light to common lambs, \$8.50; fair to good sheep, \$5.50; 6; culls and common, \$3.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,881. Pigs bringing \$9.25; 9.50 and Yorkers and heavy \$9.50; 10 with bulk of sales at \$9.95.

EAST BUFFALO—Receipts of cattle, 150 cars; market 26c lower; choice to prime native steers, \$9.50; 10; good to choice, \$9.25; fair to good, \$8.25; 8.75; plain and coarse, \$7.50; 8; Canadian steers, 1.25 to 1.35 lbs., \$8.50; 9; do 1.25 to 1.35 lbs., \$8.25; mixed heifers and steers, \$7.50; 8; prime dry-fed yearlings, \$9.25; 9.50; best heavy steers, \$8.25; 8.75; light butcher steers, \$7.25; 7.50; best butchering steers and heifers, mixed, \$7.50; 8; western light common heifers, grassers, \$6.50; 7; prime heavy fat heifers, \$7.50; 8; best heavy fat cows, \$7.25; 7.50; butcher cows, \$6.25; 6.50; cutters, \$5.62; 5; canners, \$3.50; 4; fancy bulls, \$6.75; 7; butcher bulls, \$6.25; 6.50; common bulls, \$5.50; 6; good stockers, \$7; 7.25; light common stockers, \$7.07; 7.25; light common stockers, \$6.62; 6.25; best feeders, \$7.25; 7.50; milkers and springers, \$7.00; 7.50.

Hogs: Receipts, 50 cars; market 10c higher; heavy, \$10.40; 10.45; Yorkers, \$10.35; 10.40; pigs and light, \$10.10; 10.25.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 15 cars; market steady; top lambs, \$10.00; 10.75; yearlings, \$8.50; 9; wethers, \$7.75; 8; ewes, \$7.50.

Calves—Receipts, 900; market strong; tops, \$12.50; 12.75; fair to good, \$11.50; 12; fed calves, \$4.75; 5.50.

Grain, Etc. DETROIT—Wheat: Cash No 2 red, \$1.20 1/4; September opened 1.4c higher at \$1.20 and advanced to \$1.22 3/4; December opened at \$1.23 1/2 and advanced to \$1.26 1/4; No 1 white, \$1.17 1/4.

Corn—Cash No 3, 82c; No 3 yellow, 83 1/2c; No 4 yellow, 81 1/2c; 82 1/2c. Oats—Standard, 45 1/2c; No 3 white, 44 1/2c; September, 40 1/2c; No 4 white 42 1/2c; 43 1/2c.

Rye—Cash No 2, 95c. Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$5.75.

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Hay—No 1 timothy \$18.50; 19; standard timothy, \$17.50; 18; light mixed, \$17.50; 18; No 2 timothy, \$14.00; No 1 mixed, \$12.15; No 2 mixed, \$9.10; No 1 clover, \$10.11; rye straw, \$7.50; 8; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50; 7 per ton in carlots, Detroit.

Feed—In 100 lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran \$24; standard middlings \$25; fine middlings \$30; cracked corn, \$32; coarse cornmeal, \$32; corn and oat chop, \$29 per ton.

Flour—Per 196 lb in eighth paper paper sacks: Best patent, \$5.90; second patent, \$5.70; straight, \$5.50; spring patent, \$6.30; rye flour \$6 per bbl.

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Peaches—Texas, \$1.75 per bu and \$1.50; 1.75 per 6-basket crate. Pineapples—Florida, \$4.25; 4.50 per case and \$2.25 per doz.

California Fruits—Pears, \$2.75; 3; peaches, \$1.50; plums, \$1.25 per box.

Berries—Blackberries, \$2.35 per bu; blueberries, \$4.40 per bu; gooseberries, \$2.50; 2.75 per 24-crate case; black raspberries, \$2.35 per bu; red raspberries, \$5.25 per bu; red currants, \$3.25 per bu.

Lettuce—60 c per bu. Cabbage—\$2.75 per bbl. Tomatoes—\$1.10 per 8 lb box. Green Corn—\$4.35; 4.50 per bbl. Celery—Kalamazoo, \$8.25 per doz.

New Potatoes—White, \$2.75; 2.85 per bbl. Onions—Spanish, \$1.20; 1.75 per box; southern, \$2.50; 3 per 100 lb sack.

Melons—Rockyford, \$4.25; 4.50 for standard crates; watermelons, 40 c 50c each. Dressed Calves—City dressed, 17; 18; good, 15; 15 1/2; ordinary, 14; 14 1/2 per lb.

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A Scot was once boasting that Scotch apples were far better than the Canadian variety.

"Really!" exclaimed his friend, "you can't mean that!"

"I do mean it," was the response; "but I must premise that for my own taste I prefer them sour and hard."

One story told of his native town delighted him, although he professed incredulity. The superintendent of the Forbes Sabbath school had prepared a list of questions for the junior class: Name the strongest man; the wisest man; the meekest man. Only one child, a cynical little elf she was, answered correctly: Samson, Solomon, Moses. All the others wrote or printed opposite the queries the name of the hero of their hearts—Lord Strathcona. There might be stronger and wiser and meekest men, but the junior class not "acquainted with 'em."—Youth's Companion.

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# In Woman's Realm

As an Addition to the Summer Wardrobe, There is Nothing Better Than a Frook of White Georgette—Design Shown is Pretty and Easy to Make—Some Little Accessories That Give Appearance of Coolness.

Frocks of white georgette continue to delight those who find it necessary to supplement the summer wardrobe with an extra dress or so. Women who are discriminating find in the refinement of this sheer, soft fabric, in white especially, a charm that is not to be resisted. The designer of the pretty model shown had midsummer days in mind and trimmed it with the coolest-looking of all color combinations. It is banded with greens and white striped satin, and the green is in a vivid and brilliant shade. The skirt is plain, gathered in at the waist line and straight bangor.

Its blouse, because these may be made of the sheerest and softest materials, mere clouds above the world of fabrics. After a glance through the assortment of blouses and neckwear, organdie, crepe georgette and crepe de chine are firmly impressed upon the mind in materials. Hemstitching, eyelet work and embroidery and a fashion for contrasting colors in trimmings have developed into the strongest features in the decoration of summer blouses and neckwear. There is no more to be said for the pretty story of these summer styles is finished.

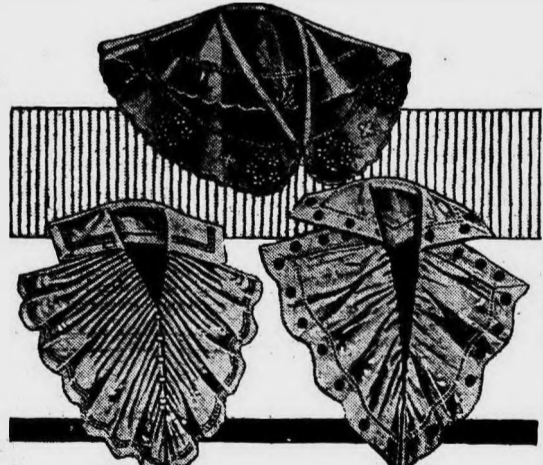


OF WHITE GEORGETTE CREPE.

A wide border of the striped satin finishes the bottom, and narrow bands of it are placed above the border. They are all cut on the bias of the goods and finished with tiny machine-stitched hems. Besides their decorative value these bands give to the skirt the required flare at the bottom. The bodice is plain and full, finished with a cape collar opening in a V at the front. The sleeves are full and long, with shaped, flaring cuffs that extend over the hands. They are joined to the sleeves with narrow bands of satin. The bodice and skirt are in one piece and joined by a wide girdle of the striped satin. A slip of white taffeta is worn under this frock, and the cool sheen of the silk is one of the charms of the frock. In spite of its airy texture georgette proves to be a durable material. A little gown of it like that shown here

A cape-collar and two collars with jabots are pictured here. The cape collar is of white organdie with scalloped and embroidered edge and a band of hemstitching. Between the hemstitching and the edge there are little wreaths of embroidered blossoms centered with eyelet work. The collars with jabots are made of white crepe de chine, finished with picot edges and hemstitching. In one of these large embroidered dots are done in color, Copenhagen blue and light green being among the favorites. This collar opens in a long point at the front, and the jabot is gathered to a band. The other collar is an effective pattern for either organdie or crepe. The trills are plaited and finished with picot-edge. The V opening at the throat is short and the jabot fastens with small, oblong, pearl buttons, down the front.

Neckwear such as this provides one



IN THESE, WEARER LOOKS COOL.

may be made successfully even by the amateur in dressmaking. Flimsy, fresh and cool-looking clothes make the woman who wears them a joy to look upon in the hot days of midsummer. When she provokes people to say: "I wish I felt as cool as you look," it is assurance that she has achieved the best results in her summer apparel. Summer blouses and summer neckwear are among her first aids in accomplishing results that make her a refreshing presence. In vain the thermometer climbs, in the presence of crisp, unwelcome organdie, or limp and flimsy crepe, that is as cool looking as a mist. Therefore, the charm of the summer frock depends upon its collar and cuffs, and that of the summer street suit, upon

of the means for looking cool in torrid weather. A good supply of it will help out the tourist, and much of it is only a matter of pretty trills. Rinse the Hair Well. It is almost better not to wash the hair at all than to leave soap in it. There is no better proof that the oil has not been thoroughly washed than to have the soap stick tenaciously when we try to rinse it out. It is held by the oil and will not come out until more soap has been put on and then rinsed until the water runs clear. Quiet Novelties. The smartest modistes are displaying novelties which surely come under the heading "quiet"—hoops on the hips, for example, and mantles which mold the shoulders after the manner of the dolman of yesteryear.

## Diese Abteilung ist für die Familienglieder, welche am liebsten Deutsch lesen.

### Vom Schauplatz des europäischen Völkerrkrieges.

Die am ersten Juli punkt halb 8 Uhr morgens begonnene britische Offensive will absolut nicht vom Gled. Ob mehr der Mangel an Wollen oder Kammern schuld ist, läßt sich nicht so ohne weiteres sagen. Jedenfalls ist aber das letztere für den Engländer, der so ganz und gar nicht Begeisterung genug besitzt, um fern teures Leben im offenen Angriff auf's Spiel zu setzen, der Hauptgrund. Das Wollen spielt natürlich in ansehnlicher der selbstthätigen Diplomatie, welche am liebsten andere für sich kämpfen läßt, während sie die eigenen Kräfte schon, eine wichtige Nebenrolle.

### Die russisch-japanische Konvention.

Zotio. In Tokio ist die Ansicht vorherrschend, daß die Konvention in erster Reihe den Zweck verfolgt, eine Ausbreitung der deutschen Interessensphäre im Fernen Osten zu verhindern. Sie wird den beiden Signaturmächten auch Gelegenheit geben, sich mit der Lage in China wirksamer befassen zu können. Engländer und Franzosen behaupten, daß das Zustandekommen der Konvention Deutschlands Großmächtsucht nach dem Kriege einen Dämpfer aufsetzen und die Möglichkeit, daß China die Ursache eines neuen internationalen Konflikts werden könnte, ausschalten werde. Die Zeitungen begrüßen die Erweiterung des japanischen Einflusses im Orient. Die „Times“ schreibt: „England, Frankreich, Rußland und Japan können als Verbündete allen deutschen Intriguen für einen weiteren Krieg die Spitze abbrechen. Gleichzeitige wird aber auch die Aufrechterhaltung des Friedens im ferneren Osten schwerer denn jemals zu veranlassen sein.“ Wir erfahren, daß die Entente beschlossen hat, Deutschland in Zukunft den ursprünglichen fünf Vertragsmächten in bezug auf China auszuscheiden, und daß jerner der Vorschlag geäußert wurde, bei amerikanischen Finanzleuten anknüpfen, ob sie nicht geneigt wären, an einer chinesischen Anleihe zwecks Reorganisierung der Republik teilzunehmen.

### Durchgehalten trotz schlechter Ernte in 1915.

Berlin. Die „Nordd. Allg. Zeitung“ veröffentlicht jetzt die Erntestatistik von 1915. Wir haben Roggen und Weizen zusammengekommen — 13 Millionen Tonnen gehabt gegen fast 17 Millionen im Jahre 1913 und 16 Millionen 1912. Also fehlten, abgesehen noch von der Einfuhr, über 3 Millionen an gewonnenem Ertrag. Die Ernte von 1914 war noch um 1 1/2 Millionen Tonnen höher als die von 1915. Noch viel größer war der Futtermittelmangel — 4 Millionen Tonnen Getreide gegen 9 bis 10 Millionen Tonnen 1912 und 1913. 2 1/2 Millionen Tonnen Sommergerste gegen 3.7 Millionen 1913. Die Kleinernte, die zweifelschlechte, die Heuernte, die kritischste des letzten Jahres, die letztere um 5 Millionen Tonnen geringer als 1913. Das wird trotz dem durchgehalten haben, ist fall ein Speichersunder. Es wird einem hinterher noch ganz heiß bei dem Gedanken, wie dicht wir an der Hungersgrenze waren. Eines aber ist durch dies mühsame Jahr gewonnen: der denkbar stärkste Beweis, daß wir nicht ausgehungert werden können, auch nicht durch die Koalition, Absperrung und Mißernte. Und insofern werden unsere Feinde die Erntestatistik wohl auch in ihre Kriegstrümmung einlegen müssen.

### Es wäre wirklich ein Segen.

In Laurel, Pa., among eine Frau Nordens Peace den Redakteur der dortigen Times, Elmer A. Harris, die Hälfte seiner Zeitung vor ihren Augen aufzugeben, weil sie einen Artikel enthält, der sie in ihren Gefühlen getränkt hätte. Natürlich hätte der Redakteur dies nicht ohne weiteres getan, wenn die streitbare Dame ihm nicht einen Revolver unter die Nase gehalten und ihm die Wahl zwischen Zeitungspapier und Blei im Magen gelassen hätte. Ein Wechselstempel meint, daß es ein großer Segen für das Land wäre und viel zur moralischen Säuberung der amerikanischen Presse beitragen würde, wenn man die Redakteure der drohbrütigen Zeitungen zwingen könnte, auch nur den hundertsten Teil der aufrichtigen antideutschen Äußerungen zu streifen, die seit dem Ausbruch des Krieges in ihren Zeitungen geblieben haben. Das wäre allerdings lieblich, denn selbst am taufendsten Teil erlitten die Herren viel größere Magenbeschwerden als der neutrale Leser beim Lesen der Ergüsse jener Zeitblätter.

### Stramboli wieder in Tätigkeit.

Wessing, über Rom. Der Vulkan Stramboli war wieder in Eruption. Schmelzer sind in die Nachbarschaft der Insel gesandt worden, um die Bewohner zu retten. Stramboli ist eine der Liparischen Inseln an der Nordküste von Sizilien. Der Vulkan ist seit zweitausend Jahren den größten Teil immer fort tätig gewesen. Im letzten November fand ein wütender Ausbruch statt, ohne daß jedoch ein Menschenleben verloren ging.

### Ein englische Brigade marschiert

4000 Mann stark in die Schlacht bei Rosos und nur fünf hundert fehlten zurück. Und General French, welcher einen Sieg...

## WOLVERINE News Brevities

Langing.—Jay Mertz, the deputy clerk of the supreme court, was made clerk to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Charles C. Hopkins two weeks ago. Paul Buckley of Petoskey was named to succeed Mr. Mertz as deputy. Kalamazoo.—When Special Officer Oscar Wetherall was called to a store when a pickpocket robbed a woman he was surprised to find that the victim was no other person than his wife. Mrs. Wetherall had her pocketbook robbed while she was making a purchase. The pickpocket got away. Lansing.—The decision of the Kent circuit court wherein Alfred Giddings, a Kent county farmer, was awarded six cents damages against Theodore Rogiewski for alleged trespass of his property was affirmed by the supreme court. Rogiewski crossed Giddings' land in order to fish in Giddings' lake. Ann Arbor.—Grangers, the most popular dancing hall ever in Ann Arbor for the University of Michigan students, has through a trick of irony been sold to an undertaking firm and a morgue is being installed. For more than 20 years the traditional dances of the campus were held and dancing lessons were given to many thousands of students. Lansing.—Gov. Woodbridge N. Ferris, the first Democrat to occupy the executive office in nearly a quarter of a century, will retire from active participation in Michigan politics at the end of the year, as he sent a telegram to Chairman Stevenson of the Democratic state central committee positively declining to accept the nomination for a third term. Owasco.—The badly-mangled body of John Miller, twenty-eight years old and single, an Ann Arbor railroad brakeman, with headcracks here, was found at Durand, after he had been missed, when a freight train he was on reached Owasco. It is thought that Miller missed his train and fell under the wheels in trying to catch a train following. His father, John L. Miller, lives at Port Austin. Calumet.—James Pryor, head of the Pryor Lumber company, Houghton, and four companions, including Mrs. Pryor and their two children, were drowned in Portage lake when their motor boat hit a submerged log. The boat sank almost instantly and there was no time to get out life preservers. The infant child of Mrs. C. E. Westcott was the fifth to die. Mrs. Westcott clung to wreckage until rescued. Muskegon.—Mrs. Fred J. Collins, who is alleged to have released two prisoners from the Muskegon county jail, was found insane by a commission of two local physicians, appointed by Probate Judge E. D. Prescott. She left Muskegon in the care of her husband, Sheriff Collins, for Ann Arbor, where she will be placed under observation for 35 days at the psychopathic ward in the University of Michigan hospital. Muskegon.—So great is the demand for instruction in the operation of flying machines in Muskegon that Albert F. Kenyon and E. J. Clarke, both of Grand Rapids, who brought a Curtiss hydroaeroplane with them to this city in order that they might institute such a school, have ordered another similar airship, and will soon have with them an expert operator from one of the Chicago schools. Flint.—Johnny McKenna, eleven, saved the life of his brother, Harvey, aged six, at the cost of part of his left foot. The boys had been swimming and were returning home along a railroad track when a passenger train bore down upon Harvey unnoticed. Johnny shoved his brother from the track, but stumbled as he did so. His foot was caught under the wheels and part of it had to be amputated. Muskegon.—Three candidates, all of them over sixty years of age and having their offices located in the same building for almost a score of years past, have entered the lists for the Republican nomination for state senator of Muskegon and Ottawa counties. R. J. MacDonald, formerly high chief ranger of the state Order of Foresters and a local attorney, was the first entrant. He was soon followed by Peter W. Losby, former justice in the Lakeside district. The last entry in the race is P. W. Kalsner, former circuit court commissioner and also a lawyer. Alpena.—James Edward White murdered his wife with a jackknife and then committed suicide with the same weapon at the home of Phillip Cowell, White, released only a short time ago from the county jail, where he had served a term for assault and battery on his wife, went to the Cowell home to effect a reconciliation, but his wife told him she would have nothing to do with her. Enraged he pursued her about the house, and four times he stabbed him. He then cut her throat from ear to ear, and completely severed his own windpipe and jugular vein. Muskegon.—James Burson, thirty years old, an employee of the Continental Motors company, was cut about the face and head when, coming into contact with an exposed wire he received a shock of 110 volts, and was thrown over on his lathe which was rapidly revolving at the time. Battle Creek.—Samuel MacPhee of Pittsburg and Miss Helen Foley, swimming instructor at the sanitarium, swam nearly a mile, at Lake Goguc, and rescued two men and a woman bathers, whom they saw floundering in the water after they had accidentally gone beyond their depth. Flint.—With only one dissenting vote the taxpayers voted to erect a big addition to the Dort high school here at a cost of \$80,000. It is the plan to have the building ready for occupancy by the fall of 1919. Muskegon.—Thomas N. Pickford, aged eighty-two, and a veteran of the Civil war, having served in the navy during the entire time of that conflict, is dead at his home here. He came to Michigan half a century ago, locating at Little Point Sable, where the population there amounted to less than a score of white people, and several hundred Indians.

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Wraps of Silk. Wraps of taffetas in delicate evening shades, as well as those which offer dark blue, black, gray, brown and green, are very smart. Not more so, however, than the cape wraps made of dark blue serge and black satin, while capes in army gray or of any of the colored cloths used for foreign officers' capes are most recherche. Black satin is making its bow as a fabric for separate coat, jacket and wrap wear. A number have been noticed during the week, worn with costumes of different mold. It is thought the separate box coat of black taffeta or satin will be quite modish for this season's usage. Sulphur Treatment. Here is a sulphur treatment very good for removing dandruff: To an ounce of sulphur add a quart of soft water, and during the intervals of several days agitate the mixture repeatedly. After the sulphur has settled to the bottom of the receptacle, use the clear liquid. Saturate the head with it every morning and in a few weeks every trace of the dandruff will have disappeared, and the hair will become soft and glossy, and there will be no return to the old trouble. Fitted Veil. A veil, designed by a Boston woman, has a neckband forming the lower edge. This is fastened in the back with a clasp and prevents the veil from bunching.

## TAILORED MILITARY SUIT



A military suit of gabardine with the starred collar and cuffs of an officer. Military braid is simulated over the shoulders. A leather service cap completes the coat. A flared skirt which is side plaited completes this attractive suit by Paquin of Paris.

Train is Growing. The train is gradually growing wider and longer. From a mere panel of tulle or silk, attached to the shoulders and having no relation whatever to the frock, it has become incorporated with the skirt, or as a mantle-like drapery of voluminous proportions. In many instances the overskirt of a gown is extended at each side to form long points which trail behind like a double train when milady walks. These points are trimmed with tassels or ornaments of metal or beads.

Coral is the Favorite. By far the most chic jewelry of the moment is coral. Set in every conceivable way and used with silver and white gold it is most effective. It would seem that the whole coral population of the Galleria in Naples had been dumped into New York. Chinese Minister Long a Diplomat. Dr. Wellington Koo, who has been appointed Chinese minister to this country, in succession to Kai Fu-Shah, was until his appointment, minister to Mexico, Peru and Cuba. Doctor Koo was an undersecretary in the Chinese foreign office until recently, and as such was a member of a diplomatic commission which conducted the negotiations in Peking with the Japanese minister. He speaks English perfectly, and is a graduate of Columbia university, where he received his doctorate.

Popular Japanese Game. One of the most popular games among Japanese children is otedama, played with small cloth bags filled with red beans. The number of bags used is seven or ten. The game consists in throwing the bags into the air, one after another in quick succession, trying to catch them before they reach the ground. The idea is to keep all the bags in motion. Note About Elizabeth. A teacher had a real problem on her hands to get the meaning contained in this note, received from the mother of one of her little pupils, who had been tardy: "Kindly allow me to ask you again and also to tell you that Elizabeth had to be tardy this morning and that Elizabeth will not be tardy again when impossible." Tom Traylor

