SPEEDING AUTOMOBILES

Test Made by U.S. Government Show that High Speed Autos Ruin Good Roads

A two ton racing automobile moving at something in excess of a mile a minute, while an impenetrable cloud of fog-grey rock dust hung to the horizon and marked the speeding course of the big machine, was the sight witnessed by travelers on the famous conduit road a dozen miles from Washington on Thursday, April 23.

The seemingly pronounced violation of the speed ordinances was countenanced by two of the Nation's federal departments; Agriculture and War, however, the rushing motor-car having been pressed into requisition by L. W. Page, Director of the Office of Public Roads, and Dr. Allerton S. Cushman, Assistant Director, in the effort to determine the effects of automobile traffic upon macadam highways, and the stretch of thoroughfare was placed at their disposal by War Department officials.

While the racing car and others of various weights and types made many trips over the selected stretch of a mile and a half at varying rates of speed, from 5 to 65 miles an hour, a corps of skilled photographers, equipped with the most modern devices for photographing vehicles at very high speeds, made accurate records of the various tests.

It has long been known to highway engineers that automobiles were rapidly shortening the lives of the rock surface roads of the world, and many experiments have been made in the past six or seven years to determine the actual cause of the damage done. To understand how the soft broad tires of the modern motor car can work an injury to a surface that not only withstands, but improves under the constant passing and repassing of vehicles with iron tires, one must be apprised briefly of the theory on which, first Tresauget of Limoges, and later Mac-Adam of Ayr, worked when giving such highways to the world. They reasoned that a road surfaced with bits of stone would improve under wagon traffic because the iron tires of the passing vehicles would constantly crush the stones and form rock dust particles; that those rock dust particles would not merely fill in all the inters- erosion by heavy rains and freshets. tices between the stones but would The woodlot affords one of the b wettings and rollings tending to cement the dust into a shell-like surface and thus make the entire road one trafficwithstanding, water-shedding mass

They reasoned well and wisely. The macadam roads lived up to the theories of their inventors and improved with the passing years until the advent of the automobile. It was but a short time after it came into vogue that highway engineers in all civilized lands learned that a new condition was confronting them and that established customs were being menaced. The trouble was quickly traced to the automobile and it was studied. It was soon noted that the soft rubber tire was the highway menace. It crushed no rock itself and therefore contributed no quota of the needful surface dust binder, while the tremendous tractive force of the rear wheels drew up the dust made by the iron tired wagons and sent it whirling away over adjacent

Those who witnessed the experiments of Thursday near the National Capital could not doubt for a moment that the various road experts all over the world are correct in the opinion that very rapidly driven automobiles are rapidly tearing up the surface of the macadam road, for not only were huge clouds of dust lifted into the air and blown off the road, but careful examination showed that the material under the wheel tracks of the machine was distinctly loosened and ravelled even during the short period of these tests.

No such effects were noticeable after the passing of iron tired vehicles; the Beries of tests beginning with the passing of a horse drawn vehicle. This was photographed as it moved along and also as the wagon tires passed a given mark. Then the automobiles were sent over the course.

The first was a heavy weight touring car moving at five miles an hour. A series of pictures was made of that car on its many journeys at varying rates of speed until its maximum of 45 miles an hour was attained. Then the work was taken up by the huge racer, which tore down the road first at a speed of 50 miles an hour, then at 55, 60, and finally at 65. It fairly lifted the road surfacing material as it sped along, regular ridges of rock dust rising in front of the rear wheels and floating away in blinding clouds. Other tests were made and other pictures taken of various types of heavy Limousine cars and runabouts. It was plainly noticeable and was commented on that the automobiles when moving at the slow rates of speed equal to the speed made very little dust, the theory that fast speeding automobiles are responsible for road surface destruction

DEATH OF MRS. KENNEALLY

Well Know Young Woman Passed Away at Home of Family Tuesday Night

Mrs. Joseph Kenneally, well known o many people of the city, passed away at the family home at 719 Hale street on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Kennelly was ill during a period of four weeks at the Peterson opera house on Wedand her death was a severe shock to her many relatives and friends. She was 29 years of age and besides her husband she is survived by six children, the youngest of whom is a babe of four weeks. Mrs. Kenneally's husband, Joseph Kenneally, is local representative for the McGillis & Gibbs company of this production. Two carloads of mag-Milwaukee. Funeral services will be conducted over the body from St. Patrick's church this morning.

Suggestions To Woodlot Owners

The woodlot is a very large factor in the production of the raw material which supports the fourth greatest industry of the country. Although the area of a single woodlot is small, the cuttings are more frequent than from the large timber tract and it is probable that the total amount of timber produ ed by timber tracts.

Not only this: a farm without a good woodlot is incomplete. Usually, not less than one-eight of the acreage of every farm should be devoted exclusively to timber growing. If properly managed the woodlot will supply the farmer with posts, fuel and building material, as suits his convenience best. It may even furnish some timber for market.

Again, the farm house should be protected from winds. For the livestock grower, shielding the barnyard and feedlots will reduce the quantity of grain necessary to fatten stock, since less food will be required to keep up the animal heat in winter. A belt of forest trees will greatly reduce the danger of late frosts to the fruit blossoms of an orchard.

The woodlot should occupy the waste land not suitable for farm crops. Steep hillsides, ravines, swamps, sand dunes creek banks, rocky slopes, and corners cut off by ditches, creeks, or railroads will sustain a good growth of timber and become an important source of revenue. Forest growth on steep slopes and river banks protects them from

also form a surface dust binder; the opportunities for the practice of forestry. It is accessible enough to allow of moderate cuttings at frequent intervals its protection from trespass, grazing, vive the child but without avail. The wife and six sons and daughters. and fire does not require an elaborate scheme of defense; and taxation is not so great a burden because the revenue in farm supplies more than meets this item every year.

In Circular 138, recently issued by the Forest Service and which can be had free of the Forester at Washington the model woodlot and the present condition of the woodlots of the Ohio Valley region are discussed. Suggestions are given as to uses of the woodlot and Its protection from grazing, fire, and wind, and from injury during cutting, and for the improvement of typical woodlots of dense arst growths, of mature open stand, of dense young stand, and sapling thicket.

MAY RESUME LIGHTS

Committee Will Arrange For Having Special Street Lights Put In Operation

At the meeting of the Businessmen's association held on Tuesday evening a committee, composed of T. J. Martin and Will T. Seeger was appointed to arrange for having the special strings of street lights placed in operation the coming summer. The special lights were in great favor last year and there has been quite a demand to have the service resumed for the coming sum-

Officers Elected

The Escanaba Physicians club held its annual meeting this week and elected officers to serve for the coming year. Dr. M. P. Fenelon was chosen president, Dr. W. A. Lemire secretary, Dr. Summerbell treasurer.

Miss Hattie Roberts entertained a party of friends at her home in Schaffer last Sunday evening. Music and games served a most enjoyable time.

being pretty, thoroughly substantiated

by these means. The results of this interesting bit of road work will be carefully studied and; ut together in a paper or papers to be presented to the International Road Congress which will meet at Paris on October 11; for so far-reaching are the ravages of the automobile on the wonderful roads of France that that country has urged highway engineers of all lands to assemble at her gay metropolis in the fall to take up the problem and strive for a solution of it.

GRACE CAMERON

The Dainty Comic Opera Star to Ap- New Power Service May Result In a pear in "Little Dollie Dimples"

Mr. C. H. Kerr' presents his latest musical and dramatic success, "Little Dollie Dimples", now in its second successful season, with the Broadway favorite, Grace Cameron in the title role nesday May 20th.

This attraction is a large and important one and the supporting company one of the largest and most expensive organization now touring the United States. Over 60 principals, chorus and ballet and supernumeraries are used in nificient scenes, electrical effects, properties and paraphernalia are carried, and the production is said to be one of the most popular and elaborately gowned of this season's offerings. The play itself is a deviation from the general plete and consistent, the situations are catchy airs for weeks after the com- today. pany has left the city. Among the other big song successes. A "Good- released. bye" song, as sung by Miss Grace Cameron at the end of the first act, is a most beautiful and picturesque climax receiving from ten to twelve encores nightly. In this number, Miss Cameron's wonderful vocal powers are displayed, the range of this song being from high "D" to lower "A flat". The dramatic intensity, both in numholds its auditors spellbound, and when scene, the auditors are fairly lifted off their feet with enthusiasm.

Died Suddenly

Alice Lucile Snyder, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs Emery C. Snyder, died suddenly Wednesday morning at the home of the family at 516 Stephenson avenue. A slight operation to the child's hand was to be performed and after the anesthetic had been administered it was noticed by the atpathy of a host of friends in their Rock. bereavement.

Bring Coal Cargoes

Two steamers, the Veronica and Holland arrived this week with cargoes of coal and were unloaded at the docks of the Reiss Coal Co. Whether the boats will remain here until the difficulties with the union is settled, to take back ore is not known.

FOUND NOT GUILTY

Held On Charge of Having Illigally Caught Fish in Possession

Captain John Coffey of Manistique was tried before Judge O. V. Linden last Saturday on the charge of having in his possession whitefish under the legal size. Mr. Coffee did not deny the fact of having the undersized fish but set up the defense that the fish were caught in a legal mesh net. After being out but a few minutes the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Takes New Position

O. C. Curtis, who for past three years has been secretary and treasurer of the Maskek Chemical and Iron Company, has resigned his position with that company to accept a position as vice president and secratary of the Desmond Chemical company at Carter, Mich. Mr. Curtis will take charge of his new position on June 1.

MAY LOWER RATES

Reduction of Light Rates

With the new power service with which the Municipal lighting plant will be connected as soon as the water power plant at Flat Rock is completed it is expected there will be a reduction made in the lighting rates. Along these lines the Board of Public Works has asked the Businessmen's association to appoint a committee to cooperate with them in preparing a schedule of rates to be put in effect when the new service is in shape. The members of the committee are W. R.Smith, Leslie French, Frank Slater, H. Salinsky and J. V. Moran.

Young Men Arrested John O'Donnell was arrested by the police on Tuesday on the charge of enrule of nonsensical musical comedies, tering the store of The Ed. Erickson and can more justly be termed a Co., on Friday night of last week and musical drama, for the story is com- stealing a quantity of goods. The suspicions of the police were aroused by dramatic in the extreme, yet the music- the fact that O'Donnell had been offeral part of the performance is of that ing for sale goods which are claimed to swingy, tuneful nature that causes its be part of the booty taken from the hearers to whistle and to sing the many store. O'Donnell will have his hearing

On Wednesday the police arrested musical successes are "Take a Stroll", Edward Murphy on the same charge, "I'm so Shy", "Most Everyone Says but at his hearing on Friday morning I'm an Awful Bore", Loleta", "The it was found that there was not suffici-Girl That I'd Call Mine" and twenty ent evidence to hold him and he was

K. OF P. MINSTRELS

Annual Show Will Be Given Abou Middle Part Of June

Arrangements are now being made by the Escanaba lodge Knights of ber and situations which lead up to it, Pythias to give their annual minstrel show. The dates have not yet been the curtain finally descends on this fully decided upon but will probably be about the middle of next month. Will T. Seeger has been named by the Pythians to assume charge of the performance. Mr. Seeger made a great success of the event last year and it is expected that an even greater success will be scored this year.

Was Old Resident

Louis J. Nablad, a resident of Escanaba township for many years passed away at his home in that township or tending physicians that the condition of Wednesday morning after a long illthe child was not what it should be. ness from cancer. Mr. Nablad was Every effort was then put forth to re- 75 years of age and is survived by his death of the little girl is a sad blow to Funeral services will be held this morthe young parents who have the sym- ning from Holy Family church at Flat

BLOCKADED

Every Household in Escanaba Knows How To Resist It

The back aches because the kidneys

are blockaded.

Help the kidneys with their work. The back will ache no more.

Lots of proof that Doan's Kidney Pills do this.

Patrick Stone, employed at the Lake Angeline Mine at Salisbury, Ishpeming Capt. John Coffey of Manistique Not Mich., and living at 722 Angeline St., says: "I had suffered for months with pains through my back, sometimes a dull heavy aching and changing frequently to sharp shooting pains. I tried all kinds of liniments and hot applications as well, but none of them did me any real good for the pain would return and usually in a more severe form than before. The first real relief I found was from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. I felt better after taking the first dose, and continued their use with confidence until so thoroughly cured that I have never had any return of the backache and not an attack of those shooting pains since.

Plenty more proof like this from Esreport.

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

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



WANT RECOGNITION

Difficulty of Top Dock Workers with North-Western Road not Matter of Wages

The difficulty which has arisen between the Top Dock Workers union and the North-Western road and which has resulted in the holding back of the steamers Iron King and Iron Queen, is a question in which the recognition of the union is the issue. The North-Western offers to pay the same wages as last year but offers the work to individuals. The union is holding out for a contract as has been made other seasons. It was reported that the question was one of wages but this is not the cause.

New Officers Chosen

Two vacancies existing in the Escanaba-division of the state naval militia were filled at a meeting of the division on Tuesday evening. C. D. Mason of Gladstone was elected to fill the position of junior lieutenant and G. M. Mashek was chosen for the place of battalion engineer.

PRIMARY SCHOOL FUND

Escanaba will Receive \$27,540.50 as Share of Primary School Money

Following are the number of children and the amount to be received by each city and township in the connty:

Baldwin township, 265 children, \$1, 722.50; Bark River,527 children,\$3,425. 50; Bay de Noc, 145 children, \$949.00; Brampton, 120 children, \$871; Escanaba township 210 children, \$1365.00; Fairbanks 157 children, \$1020.00; Ford River 374 children, 2431.00; Garden 396 children, \$2584.00; Maple Ridge 192 children, \$1248.00; Masonville 755 children, \$4937.50; Nahma 370 children, \$2405.00; Wells 420 children, \$2730.00; Escanaba City 4237 children, \$27,540.50; Gladstone City 1064 children, \$6,916.00.

New Automobiles

Four new automobiles of the runabout type were received this week for local buyers. The machines have been purchased by Dr. John Groos, Michael Aley, Jules Edoin and Moline and Berg.

LOELL OFFERED JOB

May Accept Position as Captain and Field Manager of the Base Ball Team

John L. Loell, who is now at Ann Arbor, may be with the Escanaba team this season. The position of captain and field manager has been offered him by the directors of the Base Ball Club but as yet no acceptance has been received from him.

At the directors meeting, Charles Follo was chosen as business manager of the team and will commence at once to arrange games.

Wanted

Information is wanted as to the addresses of the following- parties whose address was Delta county years ago. Small recoveries can probably be made. Address Harvey Spalding & Sons, Washington, D. C.

William Harmon Albert E. Champ John S. Robbins Geo. Koll

LOCAL NEWS

Peter Plant of Garden who has been confined to the Delta county hospital for several weeks has submitted to an operation for the removal of his left leg. The limb had become infected and an operation was deemed necessary to save the patient's life.

Miss Irene Burns of Escanaba and Wilfred LaMarsh of Nadeau were marcanaba people. Call at Mead Drug ried Thursday morning at St. Patrick's Co's store and ask what their customers | church, the Rev. Fr. Langan officiating.

The mayor and members of the city council were elected to honorary membership in the Escanaba Businessmen's Association at a meeting of the directors of the association. The object of this action is to secure a close relationship between the city council and the association as both are interested in the growth of the city.

Mrs. Ernest Wickert entertained a number of friends at her home on Ludington street Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. A. Grabowski, who left this week for a visit to Germany.

The steamer Lotus will begin the Sunday night trips to upper bay points beginning tomorrow evening. The boat will leave the Stephenson dock at 7:30 and after making the circuit of the upper bay points will return to the city shortly after 10 o'clock.

John Anguilm of Trout Lake was visitor in the city yesterday.

A baby girl brightened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Trottier at 1215 Fifth street Saturday night.

Miss May Hessel will leave today for a two weeks visit at Milwaukee.

LOCAL NEWS

WANTED Medium sized safe. Enquire at this office.

Mrs. Marie English of Chicago visited her daughter, Mrs. Julius Trottier this week.

Mrs.' Jorgen of Gladstone was in the city Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexandre Servant of Perronville, were in the city Thursday

Marie Gannon, daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Patrick Gannon died Sunday at the home of the parents at 714 Ludington street. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from St. Patrick's church.

Mrs. Arthur S. Holmes left Monday to visit relatives at Oshkosh.

Miss Anna L. Rooney returned to Oshkosh on Monday after a visit at the home of her parents here.

The long continued blowing of a whistle by a locomotive in the yards of the North-Western road Tuesday attracted the attention of people in all parts of the city and caused many to believe that a fire was in progress in the yards or on the docks. An investigation showed that the valve on the locomotive whistle had become caught and nothing could be done to check the escaping steam.

John S. Lindsay has secured the contract for building the First National Bank at Norway, Mich.

The Phi Alpha fraternity gave an informal dancing party at Clark's hall last night.

Death of C. A. McRae

Christopher A. McRaw, a resident of this city for several years, passed away at his home on Maple street on Friday morning of last week after a several months illness. Mr. McRae was 69 years of age and was born in Kintail, Scotland. He is survived by his wife. three sons and three daughters. Funeral services were held from St. Patrick's church Monday morning.

Rheumatism in fowls is caused by

See that the disc harrow is sharp

Save the waste on the farm and apply it to lifting the mortgage. As a rule too little light is admitted

to the cow stable. Put in some more Do not let the roots of the young

nursery stock dry out. Heel in until ready to set out. The low prices of some animals prevailing now offer a favorable op-

portunity of stocking up. High-priced corn and low-priced hogs is a combination which has

caused the farmers some concern. Dragging the roads when they are the muddlest makes them the smoothest and hardest when they are dry.

The food troughs and drinking fountains should be kept clean and sweet. Foulness here may result in slok birds.

the horse's teeth. Sometimes a little bit of attention will save lots of fature trouble. The farmer who watches the little

things is the farmer who does the

big things in the way of crops and

It is a good idea to keep track of

stock raising. If you are not breeding up, be sure that indifference and neglect is resulting in a lowering of the grade of

To be sure a fool of a man can make a fool of a colt by injudicious handling, but ordinary petting never hurt a colt and never will.

your live stock. "

Chickens will eat most anything, but whatever the food it should be good and wholesome. Moldy or rotten stuff should never be fed them.

More men fail in the poultry business through over-enthusiasm and attempting too much at the beginning than from any other one cause.

When a horse's teeth are defective and no longer have that grinding power which is necessary to the proper mastication of its food it is well to feed ground oats.

Some colts, of course, are more basily spoiled than others, but if he early gives indication of not having ordinary "horse" sense let the other fellow have him at his first offer.

A place for everything and everything in its place is a good motto for the farmer. How many minutes and even hours it would saye sometimes when you are in need of some par-

MICHIGAN. ESCANABA, ::

Most Important Happenings of the World Told in Brief.

IN CONGRESS.

The house agreed to the conference report on the army appropriation bill, which now goes to the president. Of pay enlisted men will receive approx-

imately \$5,000,000.

Five Republican congressmen were named to prepare a financial bill which recognizes commercial paper through clearing house associations as a safe and logical asset for emergency currency.

The house voted against the reestablishment of the canteen in national soldiers' homes.

The senate passed the Gallinger bill labor in the District of Columbia.

The house committee on banking financial bill.

The house overrode the committee on appropriations, adding \$250,000 to the sum called for in the civil appropriation bill.

The senate passed the house resolution appropriating \$250,000 to relieve the recent cyclone sufferers in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Louisi-

PERSONAL.

new diocese of Rockford.

Germany was arrested as a result of \$100 in currency. the court scandal exposed by Maxi. W. E. Loucke, his wife and baby milien Harden.

Rockford, Ill., pleaded guilty of brib- train. ery and was fined \$500.

charge of embezzling \$429,000 of the of Wyoming and Kentucky.

Butte Mont, was arrested in the office | Irene Dolph, 17 years old, was senof F. Augustus Heinze in New York, tenced at Clinton, Ia., to eight years charged with attempting to extort in prison for killing her husband. \$40,000 from Mr. Heinze.

of Portugal after he had gone through the solemn and picturesque ceremony of swearing allegiance to his people. Secretary Tait was indorsed by Re- against William J. Bryan.

ticut and Alabama. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans resumed active command of the Atlantic from Santa Cruz for San Francisco.

Calvin Demarest of Chicago won the New York. International amateur billiard championship at New York, defeating Re- London, Conn., was destroyed by fire. rolle, French champion, in the final

Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, vicar tor of Trinity parish, to succeed the watched the magnificent spectacle.

late Dr. Morgan Dix. Sherman Cass, principal of the Tolono (III.) schools, who whipped a Bryan delegates. pupil, compromised an \$1,800 judgment for \$800, after seven months in fall.

GENERAL NEWS.

Secretary of the Navy Metcalf reviewed the combined Atlantic and Pacific fleets in San Francisco harbor. Admiral Evans was unable to take part in the ceremonw and later relinquished the command to Rear Admiral Thomas and left for Washington.

Dr. J. Sanderson Christison, a noted alienist, committed suicide in Chicago. violent attacks on the Jews, urging to protect the towns of Aberdeen and their exclusion from the army.

being \$1,250,000.

The Wabash river levee broke near Vincennes, Ind., and a serious flood was expected.

School children of Chester, Pa., struck because two teachers rode on borers were so badly injured that they street cars manned by strike-breakers, and the school board ordered the teachers to apologize.

The government's crop report for May gives winter wheat's average nois, Missouri, Arkansas and Missiscondition as 89 per cent. of normal. Gov. Gooding of Idaho granted a reprieve to Harry Orchard to July 2.

Secretary of War Taft and party arrived safely at Colon.

Fire in New Orleans burned out F. F. Hansell & Bros., booksellers, and Stevens & Co., clothing, the loss being of Walkerton, Ind., and Coalton, O.,

Bert Devaney, a horseman of Washington Court House, O., killed a colored girl and a man and committed suicide after a company of militia had united once more, at Santa Cruz, when surrounded him.

Burton Koch, a Denver fireman, rived from Montegey and the flotilla shot and killed his wife, wounded his of six destroyers joined it from San mother-in-law and committed suicide. Pedro.

Five bodies of persons supposed to have been murdered by Mrs. Belle Gunness were dug up near the house, a mile northwest of Laporte, Ind., where she and her three children recently perished in flames. It is believed she also caused the death of her two husbands. Ray Lamphere is suspected of having been her accomplice.

Four more bodies were dug up in the barnyard of Mrs. Guinness' farm, near Laporte, Ind., making nine found so far. The mystery of the 'death house" is growing deeper, though there is evidence that the bodies were shipped to Mrs. Guinness, probably from Chicago, in trunks and boxes which draymen tell of carting to her house.

Another of the bodies dug up on the farm of Mrs. Guinness near Laporte, Ind., was identified as that of Ole B. Budsberg of Iola, Wis., whom the woman lured there by a matrimonial advertisement. New witnesses against Roy Lamphere were found.

Another body was dug up on Mrs. Guinness' farm near Laporte, Ind., making ten found. More incriminating evidence against Ray Lamphere was obtained.

Seventy-two men who for more than 24 hours had been facing death in the raging sea near Fire island, were rescued from the crumbling hulk of the \$7,000,000 provided for increased the big German ship Peter Rickmers.

Charges of rioting against University of Michigan students were all dismissed after the boys had reimbursed the county.

P. S. Sullivan was burned to death at Glenwood, Minn. Juan Durand, one of the leaders of

the recent abortive revolutionary movement in Peru, and ten of his followers, have been captured. The Euclid Avenue Trust company

of Cleveland, O., made an assignment to regulate the employment of child to the Cleveland Trust company, in the insolvency court.

Eight thousand men from the comand currency tabled the new Vreeland bined Atlantic and Pacific fleets paraded the streets of San Francisco, escorted by thousands of men of the regular army, National Guard and civic societies.

One hundred men were in great peril on board the stranded steamer Peter Rickmers on the Long Island coast which was going to pieces in a gale so violent that life-savers could not reach the vessel.

Train robbers who boarded Denver & Rio Grande train No. 4 at Castle P. J. Muldoon, auxiliary bishop of Rock, Col., shot to death Express Mes-Chicago, was appointed bishop of the senger Charles H. Wright, aged 60, and looted a small safe in the baggage Prince Philip Zu Eulenburg of car, from which they took less than

were killed at Reedley, Cal., when Otto W. Paulson, former alderman of their automobile was struck by a

Utah Republicans declared Roose-William Montgomery, cashier of the velt their first choice and Taft their Allegheny (Pa.) National bank for second choice. Taft instructions were over 20 years, was arrested on a given by the Republican conventions Massachusetts Democrats instructed

Edward E. Brennan, a lawyer of their delegates-at-large for Bryan.

Aldermen Carty and Reynolds of

Young Manuel was proclaimed king Rockford, Ill., pleaded guilty of accepting bribes and were fined Gov. John A. Johnson carried the

Minnesota Democratic primaries President Roosevelt and his family publican state conventions of Connec-

and guests went to Pine Knot, Va., for a brief outing.

Four persons were killed and 12 inpattleship fleet and the big vessels, fol- jured in a fire believed to have been lowed by the torpedo flotilla, sailed of incendiary origin, and which destroyed a five-story tenement house in

The famous Pequot house at New Led by the Connecticut, with Rear Admiral Evans on the bridge the battleships of the Atlantic fleet passed of St. Agnes chapel in Trinity parish, slowly through the Golden Gate and New York, and assistant rector of the anchored in the harbor of San Franparish, was unanimously elected ree- cisco, while many thousands of people

Democrats of Iowa nominated Judson Harmon for governor and elected

Prof. Gilbert M. Gowell of Orono. Me., a famous poultry expert, committed suicide.

Pelitical prisoners at Alexandrovsk. Russia, attempted to escape and seven were killed. Sixty Afghans were killed in a fight

with British troops in the Khyber pass. Gen. Domingo Vasquez, former president of Honduras, denied that he had

been organizing an insurrection against the government of that coun-

Gov. Harris of Ohio ordered Adjt. Members of the Russian duma made | Gen. Critchfield to send state troops Higginsport, in the Burley tobacco dis-Fire in Atlanta, Ga., destroyed two trict. Threats had been made to burn blocks of business buildings, the loss these towns, as a result of the tobacco war.

> By the explosion of a charge of dy- the roof of the smoking car, injuring namite in the gangway of the Draper colliery at Pottsville, Pa., Andrew Cavalage was killed and three foreign la-

are not expected to recover. Loss of several lives and much damage to property were caused by violent wind and rainstorms in southern Illi-

sippi. Judge Ball of Chicago held that marriages of divorced persons within one year after the decree is granted are invalid in Illinois, even if the ceremony occurs in another state.

The business districts of the towns

were destroyed by flames.

Peruvian insurgents are reported to have gained possession of Cuzco. The Atlantic battleship fleet was the ships of the second squadron ar-

MORBID THOUSANDS NEWS OF THE STATE

GREAT CROWDS FLOCK TO THE GUNNESS FARM SUNDAY.

THRONG ON EVERY TRAIN

Scene of Grewsome Tragedies Bo comes Picnic Ground for Sight-Seers-Laporte's Accommodations Overtaxed.

Laporte, Ind .- All roads in Laporte county led to the Gunness farm Sunday, upwards of 15,000 sight-seers visiting the place of death. Practically every able-bodied resident of this city made the trip and the railroads and trolley lines brought about 4,000

more to the city. Mayor Darrow found it necessary to issue stringent orders that the Sunday closing laws should be enforced. and the hotels and restaurants were overrun with patrons. Praactically every conveyance in the town was pressed into service in an attempt to provide transportation for the crowds. In the afternoon these proved insufficlent and late-comers were forced to make their way to the place on

The crowds began arriving in Laporte when the first trains from the east arrived shortly after five o'clock in the morning. Nearly 100 passengers from Elkhart, Mishawka, South Bend, New Carlisle, Rolling Prairie and other towns debarked from the coaches and formed the advance guard of the army which invaded the Gunness property during the day. Another train from the same points brought in nearly 200 more spectators three hours later, and at ten o'clock, at 11 and 1:30 over 1,000 more reached here from the same towns.

Another large crowd came from Indianapolis and the intervening cities, villages and hamlets on an excursion train over the Lake Erle & Western railroad. Joke and laughing comment on the

antecedents of the farm were heard on every side and exclamations of joy from successful relic-hunters were numerous. Finally picnic parties grouped themselves on the sloping lawn under the fine pines and cedars which dot/the dooryard, or found resting places beneath the flowering apple and plum trees of the orchard.

Along the roadside in front of the farm were several lemonade stands and lunch wagons. At the gates were vendors of souvenir postal cards, those bearing a group picture of Mrs. Gunness and the three little ones who met death with her finding the readi-

SHOOTS AT HUSBAND ON STAGE.

Alligator Tamer's Wife Causes Sensation in St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn .- During a performance at the Majestic theater, a vaudeville house, Saturday night, Mrs. Bert Swan, who occupied a box, fired six shots at her husband, an alligator tamer, while he was on the stage.

None of the shots took effect. Mr. Swan left the stage, a blank curtain was hung down under pretense of showing moving pictures, and a panic was thus averted.

After she had been arrested Mrs. Swan said that she did not intend to kill her husband, but merely shot at her alleged troubles with her husband Mrs. Swan will accompany her husband to New York.

WEST POINTER A SUICIDE,

Former Lieutenant in Army Kills Himself in Washington.

Washington,-Charles E. Bamford, a graduate of West Point and who resigned from the army as a second lieutenant in September, 1906, shot and killed himself at his room at the Regent hotel in this city Sunday. From letters found among his effects his address is thought to be 369 Hamilton avenue, Trenton, N. J. Bamford had recently been engaged in civil engineering.

BOULDER STRIKES TRAIN.

Three Passengers In Smoking Car Hurt by Huge Rock.

Fairmont, W. Va.-While the Chicago and New York express on the Baltimore & Ohio was passing Hammond, seven miles east of Fairmont early Sunday, a large rock rolled down from the hillside and crashed through three passengers.

Journalist Dies at Sea.

Cherbourg.-Joseph Leicht, a first cabin passenger on board the North German Lloyd steamship Lutzow; which arrived here Sunday, died during the voyage. It was stated that Mr. Leicht was an American journal-

Narrow Escape of Fast Train. Washington, Pa .- The passing of a shifting engine, which the would-be train-wreckers had not counted upon, undoubtedly averted serious disaster to the east-bound ayer from St. Louis to Pittsburg on the Panhandle railroad of the Pennsylvania system between here and McDonald late Saturday night. An obstruction was placed on the tracks in such manner that nothing could have saved the fast train had it not been discovered. The switching engine ran into the obstruction and was ditched.

RECORD OF A WEEK'S HAPPEN-INGS IN MICHIGAN.

MILLIONAIRE LOSES EYES

Explosion Renders Charles M. Hackley of Muskegon Blind for Life-Injury Sustained While Blasting Stumps.

Muskegon,-Charles Moore Hackley,

the 25-year-old Muskegon multi-millionaire with a fondness for common labor, such as working in the fields, handling horses and working in his lumber camp, will be blind for life. While blasting stumps in his lumber camp near here a few days ago he struck a crowbar into two sticks of dynamite. His face was blown full of sand, bits of stump and powder. The foremost specialists in the land were

summoned and not until recently did they give up hope of saving his sight. When Hackley was told what the future held for him he cried: "Oh, my God, is it that bad?" The attending physicians discovered a serious wound at the base of the brain, and Mr. Hackley may not survive his injuries. Hackley inherited his millions three years ago when his foster father and mother died within six weeks of each other. He was adopted from a Muskegon orphanage when he was three years old. In his boyhood days he showed a remarkable fondness for outdoor work, and when he left high school he went west to work in Mr. Hackley's Idaho silver mines. Coming back for a short time previous to the death of his foster parents, he worked

Fewer Saloons at Jackson.

about a baggage wagon for a man

whom he afterward made his partner

in a livery and transfer business.

Jackson.-The council cut the number of saloon licenses to 72. Mayor Glasgow's list of nominations was confirmed, except those on the two most important boards, the police commission and board of assessors. The reduction in the number of saloons was accomplished by an agreement between the brewers and the mayor.

All But One Reappointed.

Ann Arbor.-Mayor Henderson sent in his list of executive appointments to the common council. The only change is the appointment of J. J. Quary as member of the board of health in place of Henry B. Dodsley. John O'Mara is promoted to the position of sergeant of the police force.

Wife Asks Divorce in Queer Romance. Grand Rapids .- Married, divorced,

remarried and again seeking a divorce, is the history to date of the career of Mary D. Clotworthy and William Clotworthy. The latest move in the last case is the filing by William, who is defendant, of an to the bill of complaint of his wife.

Mount Clemens Carpenters Strike. Mount Clemens.-Following the action of the Employers' association of the city declaring for open shop, the carpenters' union struck. The carpenters believe that now is the time to enforce their demands as there is much building going on in Mount

Couple Etope to Pontiac.

Port Huron.-Without informing relatives or friends of their intentions, Miss Eileen Murta and Clarence Hithe scenery. She refused to discuss ram Mann, a popular and well-known young couple of this city, eloped to Pontiac and were united in marriage there.

Must Insulate Rails

Marshall.-The common council has instructed the city attorney to compel the M. U. R. to insulate its rails where they cross city water pipes, which are being eaten by electrolysis.

May Save Hackley's Life.

Muskegon.-There was no change in the condition of Charles M. Hackley. Doctors now think they will be able to save his life. He is rational at all times.

Photographer Is Burned.

Saginaw.-Wallace L. Boodridge, photographer, was nearly cremated in a fire which almost destroyed his studio on Washington avenue. Lansing Men for Bryan.

Lansing.-Lansing delegates to the Democratic county convention at Mason are Bryan men without exception. Pleads Guilty to Charge.

Charlotte.-George Fletcher of Grand Ledge, pleaded guilty to violating the liquor law.

Body Hangs from Rafter. Ludington.-Hans Jensen, a Danish mill hand, aged 60 committed suicide by hanging.

Well-Known Dentist Dead. Owosso .- Dr. H. B. Peterson, wellknown dentist, is dead at the age

Narrowly Escapes Death. Battle Creek.—Six inches separated Pearle Robertson, seven years old from death as Patrolman Merry snatched the child from the fender of an east Main street car. Pearle, the daugh-

Has New Automobile,

ably bruised.

ter of J. D. Robertson, was consider

Ann Arbor.-Jessie D. Hand of this city has invented a complete innovation in the construction of the automobile. It will do away with any exie. A patent will be applied for.

MEAN TRICK OF THE PARROT.

And Just After Its Mistress Had Made Neat "Bluff."

Young Hankinson (making a call)-You have had that parrot a long time, Miss Laura,

Miss Laura-Yes, we have had him several years.

Young Hankinson-Quite intelligent, is he not? Miss Laura-Very. Can imitate al-

most anything. Young Hankinson-They have a remarkably clever parrot over at the Casterlins', Miss Laura. It can imitate the sound of a kiss to perfection. Is that among the accomplishments of our feathered friend here in the cor-

Miss Laura (indignantly)-No, sir. He does not attempt an imitation of a sound he is not accustomed to hear. Mr. Hankinson. Of that I can assure

The Parrot-Wait, George, dear, till I take this bird out of the room.-Tatler.

BOY KEPT SCRATCHING.

Eczema Lasted 7 Years-Face Was All Raw-Skin Specialists Failed, But Cuticura Effected Cure.

"When my little boy was six weeks old an eruption broke out on his face. I took him to a doctor, but his face kept on getting worse until it got so bad that no one could look at him. His whole face was one crust and must have been very painful. He scratched day and night until his face was raw. Then I took him to all the best specialists in skin diseases but they could not do much for him. The eczema got on his arms and legs and we could not get a night's sleep in months. I got a set of Cuticura Remedies and he felt relieved the first time I used them. I gave the Cuticura Remedies a good trial and gradually the eczema healed all up. He is now seven years old and I think the trouble will never return. Mrs. John G. Klumpp, 80 Niagara St., Newark, N. J., Oct. 17 and 22, 1907."

VERY O. T.



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familiar with the prophets, read the

message, and said to her husband:

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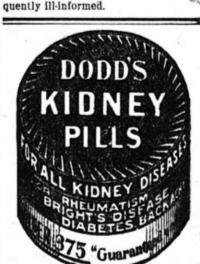
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HORBLE SANK AT THE FIRST SHOT.

The Captain of the Northern Light

By LLOYD OSBOURNE

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It was a wild March day, and the ! rising wind sang in the rigging of the ships. The weather horizon, dark and brilliant, in ominous alternations showed a sky of piled-up cloud interspersed with inky patches where equalls were bursting. To leeward the broad lagoon, stretching for a dozen miles to the tree-topped rim of reef, smoked with the haze of an impending gale. Ashore, the palms bent like grass in the succeeding gusts, and the ocean beaches reverberated with a furious surf. The great atoll of Makin, no higher than a man, no wider than a couple of furlongs, but in circumference a sinuous giant of 90 miles or more, lay like a snake on the boisterous waters of the equator and defled the sea and storm

Within the lagoon, and not far off. the settlement, two ships rocked at anchor. One, the Northern Light. hundred tons; straight bowed, low in the water, built on fine lines and yet sparred for safety, the sort of vessel that does well under plain sail, and when pressed can fly. The other, the Edelweiss, was a miniature fore and after of about 20 tons, it toy of delicacy and grace, betraying at a glance that she had been designed a yacht, and in spite of fallen fortunes, was still sailed as one. The man that laid her lee rail under would get danger as well as speed for his pains, and in time would be likely to satisfy a taste for both by making a swift trip to the bottom.

The deck of the Northern Light was empty save for the single tall figure of Gregory Cole, captain and owner, who was leaning over the rail gazing at the Edelweiss. He was a man of about 30 his tanned handsome face overcast and somber, his eyes, with their characteristic hunted look fixed in an uneasy stare on his smaller neighbor.

He had never known how passionately he had loved Madge Blanchard until he had lost her; until after that wild quarrel on Nonootch, when her father had called him a slaver to his face, and they had parted on either side in anger; until he had beaten up from westward to find her the monthold wife of Joe Horble. Somehow, in the course of those long, miserable months, he had never thought of her marrying; he felt so confident of that fierce love she had so often confessed for him; he had come back repentant, ashamed of the burning offense he had then taken, determined to let bygones be bygones, and to begin, if need be, a new and a more blameless way of life.

He had to see her. He was mad to see her. The thought of her tortured and tempted him without end. Suppose she, too, had learned that love is stronger than oneself; that the mouth can say Yes when the heart within is breaking; that she, like himself, had found the time to repent herfolly? Was he the man to leave her thus; to acquiesce tamely in a decision that was doubtless already abhorrent to her: to remain with unlifted hands when she might be on fire for the sign to come to him? No, never! he'd beg her forgiveness and offer her the choice. Yes or no! It was for her to choose.

He jumped into the dinghy and pulled over to the schooner. Small at a distance, she seemed to shrink as he drew near her, so that when he stood up he was surprised to find his head above the rail. So this was Horble, this coarse, red-faced trader, with the pug nose, the fat hands, the faded blue eyes that met his own so

"Capt. Horble?" said Gregory Cole. "Glad to see you aboard," said

They shook hands and sat side by side on the rail.

"Where's Madge?" said Gregory. "Mrs. Horble's ashore," said the cap-

"I'm afraid I can never call her anything but Madge," said Gregory, detecting the covert reproach in the other's voice.

Horble was plainly ill at ease. His face turned a deeper red. He was on the edge of blurting out a disagreeable remark, and then hesitated, making an inarticulate sound in his throat. Like everybody else, he was afraid of the labor captain. "Crew's ashore, too," said Gregory,

glancing about the empty deck. "There ain't no crew," muttered

"Thunder!" cried Gregory. "Do

you do it with electricity, or what?" "Me and Madge runs her," returned "Do you mean to say she pully-

nauls your damn ropes Gregory. "Yes," said Horble. "What's 20

tons between the two of us?" "And cooks?" said Gregory.

"And cooks," said Horble. "I know she can sail a boat against

anybody," said Gregory, wincing at the remark Horble spat in the water and said'

nothing. His fat, broad back said plainer than words: "You're an intruder! Get out!" "I believe she's aboard this very

minute," said Gregory, with a strange smile.

"She's ashore, I tell you," said Horble, sullenly.

"I'll just run below and make sure." said Gregory.

He slipped down the little companion way, looked about the empty cabin and peered into the semi-darkness of

the only stateroom.

"Madge!" he cried. "Madge!" Horble had not lied to him. There was not a soul below. But on the cabin table he saw Madge's sewing machine and a half-made dress of cotton print. She had always been fond of books, and there, in the corner, was her little bookcase, taken bodily from her old home in Nonootch. Scattered about here and there were other things that brought her memory painfully. back to him; that hurt him with their familiarity; that caused him to lift them up and hold them with a sort of despairing wonder: her guitar, her worn, lock-fast desk, the old gilt photograph album he remembered so well. He sat down at the table and buried his face in his hands. What a fool he had been! What a fool he had been!

He was roused by the sound of Horble's footsteps down the ladder. With his head leaning on his hand, he looked at the big naked feet feeling for the steps, then at the uncouth clothes as they gradually appeared, then at the fat, weak, frightened face of the man himself. He grew sick at the sight of him. Would Horble strike him? Would Horble have the grit to order him off the ship? No; the infernal coward was getting out the gin-a bottle of square-face and two glasses.

"Say when," said Horble.

"When," said Gregory. Horble tipped the bottle into his own glass. A second mate's grog! One could see what the fellow drank. "Here's luck," said Gregory.

"Drink hearty," said Horble. "Joe Horble," said Gregory, leaning both elbows on the table, "there's something you ought to know: I love Madge, and Madge loves me!"

Horble gasped. "She's mine!" said Gregory. Horble helped himself to more gin,

and then slowly wiped his mouth with the back of his hand "You're forgetting she's my wife,"

"I'll give you a thousand pounds

for her, cash and bills," said Greg-

"You can't sell white women," said Horble, "She ain't labor." "A thousand pounds!" repeated

Gregory. "I won't sell mg wife to no man,"

said Horble.

The pair looked at each other. Horble's hand felt for the gin again. His speech had grown a little thick. He was angry and flustered, and a dull resentment was mantling his heavy

"I'll go the schooner," cried Gregory. "The Northern Light, as she lies there this minute, not a dollar owing on her bottom, with £200 of specie in her safe. Lock, stock and barrel, she's yours!"

Horble shook his head.

"Madge ain't for sale," he said. "Please yourself," said Gregory. You'll end by losing her for nothing."

"Capt. Cole," said Horble, "Madge has told me how near it was a go between you and her, and how, if you hadn't cleared out so sudden the way you did, she would have married you in spite of old Blanchard. But when you went away like that you left the field clear, and you mustn't bear me no malice for having stepped in and taken your leavings. What's done's done, and it's a sorry game to come back too late and insult a man who never did you no harm." "Oh!" said Gregory.

"If you choose," continued Horble in his tone of wounded reasonableness, "you can make a power of mischief between me and Madge. I don't think it comes very well from you to do it; I don't think anything that calls himself a man would do it; least of all a genelman like yourself, whom we all respect and look up to. Capt. Cole, if you've lost Madge, you know you can only blame yourself."

"I don't call her lost," said Gregory. "Capt. Cole," said Horble, calmly, but with a quiver of his lip, "we'll take another drink, and then we'll say good-by."

"I'm not going" till I see Madge," said Gregory.

Horble began to tremble,

"It's for Madge to decide," added Gregory. "Decide what?" demanded Horbie

in a husky stutter. "Between you and me, old fellow,"

"And you've the gall to say that on my ship, at my table, about my wife!" exclaimed Horble, punctuating the

sentence with the possessive. "Yes," said Gregory. Horble sat awhile silent. He was obviously turning the matter over in his head. He said at last he would

go on deck and take another look to windward. "There's a power of dirt to wind-

ward!" he said. Gregory was conscious of a belaying pin being whipped out of ing with a sense of danger. The two men stared at each other, andthen Horble backed into the stateroom, remarking with furtive insincer-"There's a power of dirt to windward!" This said, the door went shut behind him. Gregory sprang to



Where's Madge.

his feet and burst it open with his powerful shoulders, crushing Horble against the bunk, who, pistol in hand, fired at him point blank. The bullet went wide, and there was a sound of shattering glass. Gregory's hands clenched themselves on Horble's, and the revolver .twisted this way and that under the double grasp. Horble was panting like a steam engine; his lower jaw hung open, and he cried as he fought, the tears streaking his red face; there was an agonized light in his eyes, for his forefinger was breaking in the trigger guard. A hair's breadth more and he could have driven a bullet through his opponent's body; a twist the other wayand he moaned and ground his teeth and frenziedly strove to regain what he had lost. Suddenly he let go, snatched his left hand clear, and throttled Gregory against the wall. Gregory, suffocating, his eyes staring from their sockets, his mouth dribbling blood and froth, struggled with supreme desperation for the pistol. Getting it in the very nick of time, and eluding Horble's right hand, ha fired twice through the armpit down.

Horble sank at the first shot, and received the second kneeling. Then he toppled backward, and lay in a twitching heap against the drawers below the bunk, groaning and coughing. Gregory, with averted face, gave him another shot behind the ear. and another through the mouth, and ting the stateroom door behind him. ! He sat for a long time beside the

table, absolutely spent, and still holding the revolver in his hand. He was shaking in a chill, though the temperature was over 80, and the cabin, when he had first entered it, had seemed to him overpoweringly hot and stifling. He warmed himself with a nip of gin. He looked over his clothes for a trace of blood, and was thankful to find none. He took off his coat; he examined the soles of his shoes. No blood! Thank God, no

blood! He went on deck and cast the revolver overboard, standing at the taffrail and watching it sink. Even in the time he had been below the wind had risen; it was blowing great guns to seaward, the lagoon itself was white and broken as far as the eye could reach. Aboard his own schooner they were busy housing the topmasts, and the yeo-heave-yeo of straining voices warned him that Cracroft was hoisting in the boats and making everything snug. Gregory leaned against the wheel

and tried to think. To throw Horble's body overboard would be to accomplish nothing. The blood, the shot holes, the disordered cabin, would all betray him. To scuttle the schooner with a stick of dynamite was a better plan, but that involved returning to the Northern Light, with the possibility of Madge coming off in the interval and discovering the murder for herself. No, the risk of that appalled him. Besides, whatever happened, he had another reason for keeping the truth from Madge. The fact of Horble's death, even if she thought it accidental, would shock her to the core. It was inconceivable that she would feel anything but horror stricken, whether she judged her former lover innocent or not. She might even undergo a terrible remorse. At such a moment how little likely she would be to give way to him! Of course she would refuse. Any woman would refuse. Every restraining influence would be massed against him. No, his only hope lay in getting her aboard his schooner and out of the lagoon before the least suspicion could dawn upon her. Once away, and it might be two years before she might even hear of Horble's death. Once away, and the empty seas would keep his secret. Once away-

He studied the weather with a new and consuming anxiety. How could he manage to get out at all, or pick a course through the middle channel! It was thick with coral rocks, and in a day so overcast the keenest eye aloft would be at fault.' And outside, what then? Already it was working up a hurricane. To run before it would be courting death.

But to stake Madge's life! Madge, whom he loved so dearly! Madge, for whom he would have died! And yet there was something sublime in the thought of taking her in his arms and driving before the gale, sight, and in an instant he was the storm sails treble reefed on the roused and tense, his nostrils vibrat- bending yards, the decks awash from end to end. Madge beside him, the pitchy night in front, the engulfing seas behind; to swim or sink, to ride or smother, accepting their fate together, and, if need be, drowning at the last in each other's arms. "

He looked toward the settlement and saw a crowd of natives pushing a whaleboat into the water; looked again, and saw old Maka taking his place in the stern sheets and assisting a woman in beside him. The woman! It needed no second glance to tell him it was Madge. He had never counted on her coming off in company. Fool that he was, he had taken it for granted that she would be alone. Everything, in fact, turnedon her being alone. Then, with a start, he remembered his own dinghy, and how it would betray him. He had made it fast on the schooner's starboard quarter, near the little accommodation ladder. Going on his hands and knees, lest his head should be seen above the shallow rail, he unloosed the painter, worked the boat astern, and drew it again to port. Then he crouched down in the alleyway and waited.

A few minutes later and the whaler was bumping against the schooner's side. It might have been bumping against Gregory's heart, so agonizing was the suspense as he lay breathless and cramped between the coffinlike width of the house and rail.

"It was kind of you to bring me off, Maka," said Madge.

The old Hawaiian laughed musically in denial. "No, no!" he cried. "You must come below and see the captain," said Madge.

Gregory was in a cold sweat of apprehension.

"Too much storm," said Maka, doubtfully. "I go home now, and put rocks on the church roof."

"Five minutes won't matter," said Madge.

Again Gregory trembled.

"More better I go home quick," said Maka. "No rocks, no roof!" The boat shoved off, the crew striking up a song. Madge seemed to remain standing at the gangway where they had left her. 'Gregory felt by instinct that she was gazing at the Northern Light, and that as she gazed she sighed; that she was lost in rev-

erie and was loath to go below. He rose stiffly from his hiding place. Even as he did so it came over him that he was extraordinarily tired-so tired that he swayed as he stood and looked at her.

"Madge!" he said in almost a whisper. "Madge!" She turned instantly, paling as she

saw who confronted her. "Greg!" she cried.

For a moment they stared at each other speechless. Then he leaped on the house and ran to her, she shrinkthen went out, sick and faint, shut- ing back from him as he tried to take her hands.

"You must not!" she cried, as he

would have kissed her. "Greg, you him. But the moment of her madmust not! I'm married. ft's al. different now."

He tried to put his, arms around her, but she pushed him fiercely back. Her eyes were flashing and her tosom rose and fell.

"I'm Joe's wife," she said. Then, from his face, she seemed to

divine something. "What have you done to Joe?" she cried. She would have passed him, but he stopped her.

"No, no!" he protested. "Let me go, or I shall call him," she broke out. "You shan't insult me! You shan't kiss me!"

He was kissing her even as he held her back, even as she fought and struggled with him-on the lips, on the neck, on her black, loosened hair, now tangling and flying in the wind.



He was so weak that she soon got the better of him-so weak and dizzy that he did not guard himself as she struck him on the mouth with her little doubled-up fist.

He put his hand to his lip and found it bleeding. He showed her what she had done. She drew back, and regarded him with mingled pity and exultation.

"Now will you let me go?" she

"Madge," he returned, "Joe's drunk in his berth. I made him drunk, Madge. I had to talk to you, alone, and there was no other way."

She was stung to the quick. Her husband's shame was bers and it was somehow plain that Horble had been at fault before. She never thought to doubt Greg's word, though his callousness revolted her.

"What is it you want to say?" she said at last in an altered voice.

"To ask you to forgive me. "For what? for taking advantage of Joe's one falling?" "No; for leaving you the way I

I'll never do

never, never!" "Your father-"

"Don't try to blame my father, Greg."

"I blame only myself." "Why have you come back to torture me?" she exclaimed. "You said it was forever. You cast me off, when I cried and tried to keep you. You sald I'd never see you again."

"I was a fool, Madge.",

"Then accept the consequences, and

leave me alone." "And if I can't-"

She looked him squarely in the eyes. "I am Joe's wife," she said. "Madge," he said, "I am not trying to defend myself. I'm throwing myself on your mercy. I'm begging you, on my knees, for what I threw

"You've broken my heart," she said; "why should I mind if you break vours?"

away. I-"

"Madge," he cried, "in ten minutes we can be aboard the Northern Light and under weigh; in an hour we can be outside the reef; in two, and this cursed island will sink forever behind us, and no one here will ever see us again or know whither we have gone. Let us follow the gale, and push into new seas, among new people-Tahiti, Marquesas, the Pearl islands-where we shall win back our lost happiness, and find our love only the stronger for what we've suf-

She pointed to the windward sky. "I think I know the port we'd make." "Then make it," he cried, "and so

down to it in each other's arms."

For a moment she looked at him in a sort of exaltation. She seemed to hesitate no longer. Her hot hands reached for his, and he felt in her quick and tumultuous breath the first token of her surrender. Herself- a child of the sea, brought up from infancy among boats and ships, her hand as true on the tiller, her sparkling eyes as keen to watch the luft of a sail as any man's, she knew as well as Gregory the hell that awaited them outside. To accept so terrible an ordeal seemed like a purification of her dishonor. If she died, she would die unstained; if she lived, it would be after such a bridal that would obliterate her tie to the sot below. Then, on the eve of her giving way, as every line in her body showed her longing, as her head drooped as though to find a resting place on the breast of the man she loved, she suddenly called up all her resolution and tore herself free.

"I'm Joe's wife!" she said. Gregory faltered as he tried again to plead with her; but in his mind's

eye he saw that stiffening corpse below, lying stark and cold on the cabin

"You gave me to him," she burst out. "I'm his, Greg. I will not betray my husband for any man." Again he besought her to go with

ness had passed.

He sat down on the rail instead, his

eyes defying hers. Sae stepped aft, and his heart stood still as she seemed on the point of descending the companion. But she had another purpose in mind. Throwing aside the gaskets, she stripped the sail covers off the mainmast and began with practiced hands to reef down to the third reef. Then she went forward and did the same to the forestaysail. A minute later, hardly knowing why or how, except that he was helping Madge, Gregory, like a man in a dream, was pulling with her on the halyards of both sails. The wind thundered in them as they rose; the main boom jerked violently at the sheet and lashed to and fro the width of the deck; the anchor chain fretted and sawed in the hawse hole; the whole schooner strained and creaked and shook to the keelson. Gregory, in amazement, asked Madge

"Going to sea, Greg," she said. "Alone?" he cried. "Alone?" "Joe and I." she said.

what she was doing.

It was on his tongue to tell her Joe was dead; but, though he tried, he could not do so. It wasn't in flesh and blood to tell her he had killed her husband. He could only look at her helplessly, and say over

and over again: "To sea!" "Greg." she said. "I mean to leave you while I am brave-while I am yet able to resist while I can still remember I am loe's wife!"

"And drown," he said. "What do I care if I do?" she re turned. "What do I care for any-

thing?" "If it's to be one or the other," he said, "I'll go myself. With my big schooner-I'd have twice the chance you'd have."

She put her arms round his week and kissed-htm.

"You sweet traitor," she said. "you'd play me false! He processed vehemently that he

would not decrive her. "Hestdes," she said, "I could risk

myself, but I couldn't bear to risk you, Greg. He tried a last shot. The words almost strangled in his throat,

"And Joe?" he said. "Have you no thought of Joe?" "Joe loves me," she said-"loves me a thousand times better than you

chance death rather than lose his "But I won't let you go!" said Greg-

ever did. Joe's man enough to

'You can't stop me," she returned. He caught her round the body and tried to hold her, but she fought herself free. His strength was gone; he was as feeble as a child; in the course of those short hours something semed to have snapped within him. Even Madge was start-

led at his weakness. "Greg, you're ill!" she cried, as he staggered and caught at a backstay to save himself from falling. He sat down on the house and tried to keep back a sob. Madge stooped and looked anxiously into his face. She had known him for two years as a man of unusual sternness and selfcontrol; obstinate, reserved, willful and moody, yet one that gave always the impression of unflinching courage and resolution. It was inexplicable now to see him crying like a woman, his square shoulders bent and heaving, his sinewy hands opening

and shutting convulsively. "You're ill," she repeated. "I'll go

down and fetch you something." This pulled him together. "I'm all right, Madge," he said, faintly. "I suppose it's just a touch of the old

fever. See, it's passing already." She watched him in silence. Then she stepped forward, dropped down the forecastle hatchway, and reappeared with an ax. While he was wondering what she meant to do, she raised it in the air and crashed it down on the groaning anchor chain. It parted at the first blow, and the Edelweiss, now adrift, blundered broadside on

to leeward. Madge ran aft, brought the schooner up in the wind, and cried out to Gregory to get into his boat,

He said sullenly he wouldn't do anything of the kind. She lashed the wheel and came up

"I mean it, Greg," she said. "You are going to your death,

Madge," he said. "Get into your boat!" she neated.

He rose, and slowly began to obey. obey. "You may kiss me good by, Greg."

She put up her face to his; their lips met. Then, with her arm around him, she half forced, half supported him to the port quarter, where his boat was slopping against the side. He wanted to resist; he wanted to cry out and tell her the truth, but a strange; leaden powerlessness benumbed him. He got into the dinghy. drew in the dripping painter she cast after him, and watched her ease the sheet and set the vessel scudding for the passage. With her black hair flying in the wind, her bare arms resting lightly on the wheel, her straight, girlish, supple figure bending with the heel of the deck, she never faltered nor looked back as the water whitened and boiled in the Schooner's

Gregory came to himself in his own cabin. Cracroft, the mate, was bending over him with a bottle of whisky. The Malita steward was chafing his naked feet. Overhead the rush and roar of the gale broke pitilessly on his ears.

"The Edelweiss!" he gasped; "the Edelweiss!"

"Went down an hour ago, sir," said Cracroft, grimly.

ESCANABA, ::

Most Important Happenings of the World Told in Brief.

IN CONGRESS.

The house agreed to the conference report on the army appropriation bill, which now goes to the president. Of the \$7,000,000 provided for increased pay enlisted men will receive approximately \$5,000,000.

Five Republican congressmen were named to prepare a financial bill which recognizes commercial paper through clearing house associations as a safe and logical asset for emergency currency.

The house voted against the reestablishment of the canteen in national soldiers' homes.

The senate passed the Gallinger bill to regulate the employment of child labor in the District of Columbia.

The house committee on banking and currency tabled the new Vreeland financial bill.

The house overrode the committee on appropriations, adding \$250,000 to the sum called for in the civil appropriation bill.

The senate passed the house resolution appropriating \$250,000 to relieve the recent cyclone sufferers in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Louisi-

PERSONAL.

P. J. Muldoon, auxiliary bishop of new diocese of Rockford.

Germany was arrested as a result of \$100 in currency, the court scandal exposed by Maximilien Harden.

Rockford, Ill., pleaded guilty of bribery and was fined \$500.

Allegheny (Pa.) National bank for over 20 years, was arrested on a given by the Republican conventions charge of embezzling \$429,000 of the of Wyoming and Kentucky. bank's funds.

Edward E. Brennan, a lawyer of their delegates-at-large for Bryan. Butte, Mont., was arrested in the office of F. Augustus Heinze in New York, tenced at Clinton, Ia., to eight years charged with attempting to extort in prison for killing her husband.

\$40,000 from Mr. Heinze. Young Manuel was proclaimed king of Portugal after he had gone through cepting bribes and were fined. the solemn and picturesque ceremony of swearing allegiance to his people.

Secretary Taft was indorsed by Republican state conventions of Connecticut and Alabama.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans resumed active command of the Atlantic pattleship fleet and the big vessels, followed by the torpedo flotilla, sailed of incendiary origin, and which defrom Santa Cruz for San Francisco.

Calvin Demarest of Chicago won the International amateur billiard championship at New York, defeating Re- London, Conn., was destroyed by fire. rolle, French champion, in the final game.

Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, vicar of St. Agnes chapel in Trinity parish, New York, and assistant rector of the parish, was unanimously elected rec. cisco, while many thousands of people tor of Trinity parish, to succeed the watched the magnificent spectacle. late Dr. Morgan Dix.

Sherman Cass, principal of the Tolono (III.) schools, who whipped a pupil, compromised an \$1,800 judgment for \$800, after seven months in jail.

GENERAL NEWS.

Secretary of the Navy Metcalf reviewed the combined Atlantic and Pacific fleets in San Francisco harbor. Admiral Evans was unable to take part in the ceremonw and later relin-Thomas and left for Washington.

Dr. J. Sanderson Christison, a noted try. alienist, committed suicide in Chicago. Members of the Russian duma made violent attacks on the Jews, urging their exclusion from the army.

Fire in Atlanta, Ga., destroyed two blocks of business buildings, the loss

being \$1,250,000, The Wabash river levee broke near Vincennes, Ind., and a serious flood was expected.

School children of Chester, Pa., struck because two teachers rode on street cars manned by strike-breakers, are not expected to recover. and the school board ordered the teachers to apologize.

The government's crop report for May gives winter wheat's average nois, Missouri, Arkansas and Missiscondition as 89 per cent, of normal. Gov. Gooding of Idaho granted a re-

prieve to Harry Orchard to July 2. Secretary of War Taft and party arrived safely at Colon.

Fire in New Orleans burned out F. F. Hansell & Bros., booksellers, and Stevens & Co., clothing, the loss being of Walkerton, Ind., and Coalton, O., \$400,000.

Bert Devaney, a horseman of Washington Court House, O., killed a colored girl and a man and committed . The Atlantic battleship fleet was suicide after a company of militia had united once more, at Santa Cruz, when

surrounded him. Burton Koch, a Denver fireman, shot and killed his wife, wounded his of six destroyers joined it from San mother-in-law and committed suicide. Pedro.

Five bodies of persons supposed to mile northwest of Laporte, Ind., where she and her three children recently MICHIGAN. perished in flames. It is believed she also caused the death of her two husbands. Ray Lamphere is suspected of having been her accomplice.

Four more bodies were dug up in the barnyard of Mrs. Guinness' farm, near Laporte, Ind., making nine found so far. The mystery of the 'death house" is growing deeper, though there is evidence that the bodies were shipped to Mrs. Guinness, probably from Chicago, in trunks and boxes which draymen tell of carting to her house.

Another of the bodies dug up on the farm of Mrs. Guinness near Laporte, Ind., was identified as that of Ole B. Budsberg of Iola, Wis., whom the woman lured there by a matrimonial advertisement. New witnesses against Roy Lamphere were found.

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> Seventy-two men who for more than 24 hours had been facing death in the raging sea near Fire island, were rescued from the crumbling hulk of the big German ship Peter Rickmers. Charges of rioting against University of Michigan students were all dismissed after the boys had reimbursed the county.

P. S. Sullivan was burned to death at Glenwood, Minn.

Juan Durand, one of the leaders of the recent abortive revolutionary movement in Peru, and ten of his followers, have been captured.

The Euclid Avenue Trust company of Cleveland, O., made an assignment to the Cleveland Trust company, in the insolvency court.

Eight thousand men from the combined Atlantic and Pacific fleets paraded the streets of San Francisco, escorted by thousands of men of the regular army, National Guard and civic societies.

One hundred men were in great peril on board the stranded steamer Peter Rickmers on the Long Island coast which was going to pieces in a gale so violent that life-savers could not reach the vessel.

Train robbers who boarded Denver & Rio Grande train No. 4 at Castle Rock, Col., shot to death Express Mes-Chicago, was appointed bishop of the senger Charles H. Wright, aged 60, and looted a small safe in the baggage Prince Philip Zu Eulenburg of car, from which they took less than

W. E. Loucke, his wife and baby were killed at Reedley, Cal., when Otto W. Paulson, former alderman of their automobile was struck by a

Utah Republicans declared Roose-William Montgomery, cashier of the velt their first choice and Taft their second choice. Taft instructions were

Massachusetts Democrats instructed

frene Dolph, 17 years old, was sen-Aldermen Carty and Reynolds of

Rockford, Ill., pleaded guilty of ac-Gov. John A. Johnson carried the

Minnesota Democratic primaries against William J. Bryan. President Roosevelt and his family

and guests went to Pine Knot, Va., for a brief outing. Four persons were killed and 12 injured in a fire believed to have been

stroyed a five story tenement house in New York. The famous Pequot house at New Led by the Connecticut, with Rear Admiral Evans on the bridge, the battleships of the Atlantic fleet passed slowly through the Golden Gate and anchored in the harbor of San Fran-

Democrats of Iowa nominated Judson Harmon for governor and elected Bryan delegates.

Prof. Gilbert M. Gowell of Orono, Me., a famous poultry expert, committed suicide.

Political prisoners at Alexandrovsk, Russia, attempted to escape and Seven were killed.

Sixty Afghans were killed in a fight with British troops in the Khyber pass.

Gen. Domingo Vasquez, former presdent of Honduras, denied that he had quished the command to Rear Admiral been organizing an insurrection against the government of that coun-

Gov. Harris of Ohio ordered Adjt. Gen. Critchfield to send state troops to protect the towns of Aberdeen and Higginsport, in the Burley tobacco district. Threats had been made to burn these towns, as a result of the tobacco

war. By the explosion of a charge of dynamite in the gangway of the Draper colliery at Pottsville, Pa., Andrew Cavalage was killed and three foreign laborers were so badly injured that they

Loss of several lives and much damage to property were caused by violent wind and rainstorms in southern Illisippi.

Judge Ball of Chicago held that marriages of divorced persons within one year after the decree is granted are invalid in Illinois, even if the ceremony occurs in another state.

The business districts of the towns were destroyed by flames.

Peruvian insurgents are reported to have gained possession of Cuzco. the ships of the second squadron arrived from Monterey and the flotilla

Five bodies of persons supposed to have been murdered by Mrs. Belle Gunness were dug up near the house, a MORBID THOUSANDS NEWS OF THE STATE

GREAT CROWDS FLOCK TO THE GUNNESS FARM SUNDAY.

THRONG ON EVERY TRAIN

Scene of Grewsome Tragedies Be comes Picnic Ground for Sight-Seers-Laporte's Accommodations Overtaxed.

Laporte, Ind .- All roads in Laporte county led to the Gunness farm Sunday, upwards of 15,000 sight-seers visiting the place of death. Practically every able-bodied resident of this city made the trip and the railroads and trolley lines brought about 4,000 more to the city.

Mayor Darrow found it necessary to issue stringent orders that the Sunday closing laws should be enforced, and the hotels and restaurants were overrun with patrons. Praactically every conveyance in the town was pressed into service in an attempt to provide transportation for the crowds. In the afternoon these proved insufficient and late-comers were forced to make their way to the place on

The crowds began arriving in Laporte when the first trains from the east arrived shortly after five o'clock in the morning. Nearly 100 passengers from Elkhart, Mishawka, South Bend, New Carlisle, Rolling Prairie and other towns debarked from the coaches and formed the advance guard of the army which invaded the Gunness property during the day. Another train from the same points brought in nearly 200 more spectators three hours later, and at ten o'clock, at 11 and 1:30 over 1,000 more reached here from the same towns.

Another large crowd came from Indianapolis and the intervening cities, villages and hamlets on an excursion train over the Lake Erle & Western

Joke and laughing comment on the antecedents of the farm were heard on every side and exclamations of joy from successful relic-hunters were numerous. Finally picnic parties grouped themselves on the sloping lawn under the fine pines and cedars which dot the dooryard, or found resting places beneath the flowering apple and plum trees of the orchard.

Along the-roadside in front of the farm were several lemonade stands and lunch wagons. At the gates were vendors of souvenir postal cards, those bearing a group picture of Mrs. Gunness and the three little ones who met death with her finding the readi-

SHOOTS AT HUSBAND ON STAGE.

tion in St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn .- During a performance at the Majestic theater, a vaudeville house, Saturday night, Mrs. Bert Swan, who occupied a box, fired six shots at her husband, an alligator tamer, while he was on the stage. None of the shots took effect.

Mr. Swan left the stage, a blank curtain was hung down under pretense of showing moving pictures, and a panic was thus averted.

After she had been arrested Mrs. Swan said that she did not intend to her alleged troubles with her husband. Mrs. Swan will accompany her husband to New York.

WEST POINTER A SUICIDE.

Former Lieutenant in Army Kills HImself in Washington.

Washington,-Charles E. Bamford, a graduate of West Point and who resigned from the army as a second lieutenant in September, 1906, shot and killed himself at his room at the Regent hotel in this city Sunday, From letters found among his effects his address is thought to be 369 Hamilton avenue, Trenton, N. J. Bamford had recently been engaged in civil engineering.

BOULDER STRIKES TRAIN.

Three Passengers in Smoking Car Hurt by Huge Rock.

Fairmont, W. Va.-While the Chicago and New York express on the Baltimore & Ohio was passing Hammond, seven miles east of Fairmont, early Sunday, a large rock rolled down from the hillside and crashed through the roof of the smoking car, injuring three passengers.

Journalist Dies at Sea.

Cherbourg.-Joseph Leicht, a first cabin passenger on board the North German Lloyd steamship Lutzow, which arrived here Sunday, died during the voyage. It was stated that Mr. Leicht was an American journal-

Narrow Escape of Fast Train. Washington, Pa.—The passing of a shifting engine, which the would-be train-wreckers had not counted upon. undoubtedly averted serious disaster to the east-bound fiver from St. Louis to Pittsburg on the Panhandle railroad of the Pennsylvania system between here and McDonald late Saturday night. An obstruction was placed on the tracks in such matner that nothing could have saved the fast train had it not been discovered. The

tion and was ditched.

RECORD OF A WEEK'S HAPPEN. INGS IN MICHIGAN.

MILLIONAIRE LOSES EYES

Explosion Renders Charles M. Hackley of Muskegon Blind for Life-Injury Sustained While Blasting Stumps.

Muskegon,-Charles Moore Hackley, the 25-year-old Muskegon multi-millionaire with a fondness for common labor, such as working in the fields, handling horses and working in his lumber camp, will be blind for life. While blasting stumps in his lumber camp near here a few days ago he struck a crowbar into two sticks of dynamite. His face was blown full of sand, bits of stump and powder. The foremost specialists in the land were summoned and not until recently did they give up hope of saving his sight. When Hackley was told what the fucure held for him he cried: "Oh, my God, is it that bad?" The attending physicians discovered a serious wound at the base of the brain, and Mr. Hackley may not survive his injuries. Hackley inherited his millions three years ago when his foster father and mother died within six weeks of each other. He was adopted from a Muskegon orphanage when he was three years old. In his boyhood days he showed a remarkable fondness for outdoor work, and when he left high school he went west to work in Mr. Hackley's Idaho silver mines. Coming back for a short time previous to the

Fewer Saloons at Jackson.

in a livery and transfer business.

Jackson.-The council cut the number of saloon licenses to 72. Mayor Glasgow's list of nominations was confirmed, except those on the two most important boards, the police commission and board of assessors. The reduction in the number of saloons was accomplished by an agreement between the brewers and the mayor.

All But One Reappointed.

Ann Arbor.-Mayor Henderson sent in his list of executive appointments to the common council. The only change is the appointment of J. J. Quary as member of the board of health in place of Henry B. Dodsley. John O'Mara is promoted to the position of sergeant of the police force.

Wife Asks Divorce in Queer Romance. Grand Rapids.-Married, divorced, remarried and again seeking a divorce, is the history to date of the career of Mary D. Clotworthy and William Clotworthy. The latest move in the last case is the filing by William, who is defendant, of an answer to the bill of complaint of his wife.

Mount Clemens Carpenters Strike. Mount Clemens .- Following the action of the Employers' association of the city declaring for open shop, the carpenters' union struck. The carpenters believe that now is the time to enforce their demands as there is much building going on in Mount Clemens.

Couple Elope to Pontiac.

Port Huron.-Without informing relatives or friends of their intentions, kill her husband, but merely shot at Miss Elleen Murta and Clarence Hithe scenery. She refused to discuss ram Mann, a popular and well-known young couple of this city, eloped to Pontiac and were united in marriage there.

Must Insulate Rails,

Marshall.-The common council has instructed the city attorney to compel the M. U. R. to insulate its rails where they cross city water pipes, which are being eaten by electro-

May Save Hackley's Life. Muskegon.-There was no change in the condition of Charles M. Hackley. Doctors now think they will be able to save his life. He is rational at all times.

Photographer Is Burned. Saginaw.-Wallace L. Boodridge, photographer, was nearly cremated in a fire which almost destroyed his studio on Washington avenue.

Lansing Men for Bryan. Lansing.-Lansing delegates to the Democratic county convention at Mason are Bryan men without exception.

Pleads Guilty to Charge. Charlotte.-George Fletcher of Grand Ledge, pleaded guilty to violating the liquor law.

Body Hangs from Rafter. Ludington.-Hans Jensen, a Danish mill hand, aged 60, committed suicide by hanging.

Well-Known Dentist Dead. Owosso.-Dr. H. B. Peterson, wellknown dentist, is dead at the age of 63.

Narrowly Escapes Death. Battle Creek.—Six inches separated Pearle Robertson, seven years old from death as Patrolman Merry snatched the child from the fender of an east Main street car. Pearle, the daughter of J. D. Robertson, was considerably bruised

Has New Automobile.

Ann Arbor.-Jessie D. Hand of this city has invented a complete innovation in the construction of the autoswitching engine ran into the obstrucmobile. It will do away with any exle. A patent will be applied for.

MEAN TRICK OF THE PARROT.

And Just After Its Mistress Had Made Neat "Bluff."

Young Hankinson (making a call)-You have had that parrot a long time, Miss Laura,

Miss Laura-Yes, we have had him several years. Young Hankinson-Quite intelligent,

is he not? Miss Laura-Very. Can imitate almost anything.

Young Hankinson-They have a remarkably clever parrot over at the Casterlins', Miss Laura. It can imitate the sound of a kiss to perfection. Is that among the accomplishments of our feathered friend here in the cor-

Miss Laura (indignantly)-No, sir. He does not attempt an imitation of a sound he is not accustomed to hear, Mr. Hankinson. Of that I can assure

The Parrot-Wait, George, dear, till I take this bird out of the room .-Tatler.

BOY KEPT SCRATCHING.

Eczema Lasted 7 Years-Face Was All Raw-Skin Specialists Failed, But Cuticura Effected Cure.

"When my little boy was six weeks old an eruption broke out on his face. took him to a doctor, but his face kept on getting worse until it got so bad that no one could look at him. His whole face was one crust and must have been very painful. He scratched day and night until his face was raw. Then I took him to all the best specialists in skin diseases but they could not do much for him. The eczema got on his arms and legs and death of his foster parents, he worked we could not get a night's sleep in about a baggage wagon for a man months. I got a set of Cuticura Remewhom he afterward made his partner dies and he felt relieved the first time I used them. I gave the Cuticura Remedies a good trial and graduallythe eczema healed all up. He is now seven years old and I think the trouble will never return. Mrs. John G. Klumpp, 80 Niagara St., Newark, N. J., Oct. 17 and 22, 1907."



Stork-I see you've got the gout Flamingo

Flamingo-Wrong. Hear of centipede being caught scorching?

Stork-Yes. Flamingo-Well, I put my foot him and got burned.

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The New Baby.

A young woman of a religious turn of mind wished to announce to a friend the birth of her first-born child. She sent the following telegram: "Isaiah, 9-6," which, being interpreted, read, "For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given."

The friend, more literal and less

familiar with the prophets, read the

message, and said to her husband: "Margaret has a boy, but why on earth did she name him Isaiah? He must be a healthy chap, though, for he weighs nine pounds and six ounces."-Woman's Home Companion.

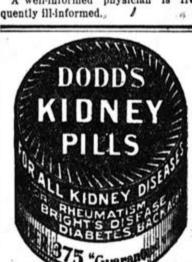
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HORBLE SANK AT THE FIRST SHOT.

The Captain of the Northern Light

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It was a wild March day, and the rising wind sang in the rigging of the ships. The weather horizon, dark and brilliant, in ominous alternations showed a sky of piled-up cloud interspersed with inky patches where squalls were bursting. To leeward the broad lagoon, stretching for a dozen miles to the tree-topped rim of reef, smoked with the haze of an impending gale. Ashore, the palms bent like grass in the succeeding gusts, and the ocean beaches reverberated with a furious surf. The great atoll of Makin, no higher than a man, no wider than a couple of furlongs, but in circumference a sinuous giant of 90 miles or more, lay like a snake on the bolsterous waters of the equator and defled the sea and storm.

Within the lagoon, and not far off the settlement, two ships rocked at anchor. One, the Northern Light, was a powerful topsail schooner of a hundred tons, straight bowed, low in the water, built on fine lines and yet sparred for safety, the sort of vessel that does well under plain sail, and when pressed can fly. The other, the Edelweiss, was a miniature fore and after of about 20 tons, a toy of delicacy and grace, betraying at a glance that she had been designed a yacht, and in spite of fallen fortunes, was still sailed as one. The man that laid her lee rail under would get danger as well as speed for his pains, and in time would be likely to satisfy a taste for both by making a swift trip to the bottom.

The deck of the Northern Light was empty save for the single tall figure of Gregory Cole, captain and owner, who was leaning over the rail gazing at the Edelweiss. He was a man of about 30, his tanned, handsome face overcast and somber, his eyes, with their characteristic hunted look, fixed in an uneasy stare on his smaller neighbor.

He had never known how passionately he had loved Madge Blanchard until he had lost her; until after that wild quarrel on Nonootch, when her father had called him a slaver to his face, and they had parted on either side in anger; until he had beaten up from westward to find her the monthold wife of Joe Horble. Somehow, in the course of those long, miserable months, he had never thought of her marrying; he felt so confident of that flerce love she had so often confessed for him; he had come back repentant, ashamed of the burning offense he had then taken, determined to let bygones be bygones, and to begin, if need be, a new and a more blameless way of life.

He had to see her. He was mad to see her. The thought of her tortured and tempted him without end. Suppose she, too, had learned that love is stronger than oneself; that the mouth can say Yes when the heart within is breaking; that she, like himself, had found the time to repent her folly? Was he the man to leave her thus; to acquiesce tamely in a decision that was doubtless already abhorrent to her; to remain with unlifted hands when she might be on fire for the sign to come to him? No, never! he'd beg her forgiveness and offer her the choice. Yes or no! It was for her to choose.

He jumped into the dinghy and pulled over to the schooner. Small at a distance, she seemed to shrink as he drew near her, so that when he stood up he was surprised to find his head above the rail. So this was Horble, this coarse, red-faced trader, with the pug nose, the fat hands, the faded blue eyes that met his own so

"Capt. Horble?" said Gregory Cole. "Glad to see you aboard," said

They shook hands and sat side by side on the rail.

"Where's Madge?" said Gregory. "Mrs. Horble's ashore," said the cap-

"I'm afraid I can never call her anything but Madge," said Gregory, detecting the covert reproach in the other's voice.

Horble was plainly ill at ease. His face turned a deeper red. He was on the edge of blurting out a disagreeable remark, and then hesitated, making an inarticulate sound in his throat. Like everybody else, he was afraid of the labor captain.

"Crew's ashore, too," said Gregory, glancing about the empty deck.

"There ain't no crew," muttered "Thunder!" cried Gregory. "Do

you do it with electricity, or what?" "Me and Madge runs her," returned Horble.

"Do you mean to say she pullyhauls your damn ropes?" exclaimed Gregory. "Yes," said Horble. "What's 20

tons between the two of us?"

"And cooks?" said Gregory. "And cooks," said Horble.

"I know she can sail a boat against anybody," said Gregory, wincing at the remark.

Horble spat in the water and said nothing. His fat, broad back said plainer than words: "You're an intruder! Get out!"

"I believe she's aboard this very minute," said Gregory, with a strange

"She's ashore, I tell you," said Hor-

ble, sullenly. "I'll just run below and make sure,"

said Gregory.

He slipped down the little companion way, looked about the empty cabin and peered into the semi-darkness of the only stateroom.

"Madge!" he cried. "Madge!" Horble had not lied to him. There was not a soul below. But on the cabin table he saw Madge's sewing machine and a half-made dress of cotton print. She had always been fond of books, and there, in the corner, was her little bookcase, taken bodily from her old home in Nonootch. Scattered about here and there were other things that brought her memory painfully back to him; that hurt him with their, familiarity; that caused him to lift them up and hold them with a sort of despairing wonder: her guitar, her worn, lock-fast desk, the old gilt photograph album he remembered so well. He sat down at the table and buried his face in his hands. What a fool he had been! What a fool he

had been! He was roused by the sound of Horble's footsteps down the ladder. With his head leaning on his hand, he looked at the big naked feet feeling for the steps, then at the uncouth clothes as they gradually appeared, then at the fat, weak, frightened face of the man himself. He grew sick at the sight of him. Would Horble strike him? Would Horble have the grit to order him off the ship? No: the infernal coward was getting out the gin-a bottle of square-face and two glasses.

"Say when," said Horble. "When," said Gregory.

Horble tipped the bottle into his own glass, A second mate's grog! One could see what the fellow drank. "Here's luck," said Gregory.

"Drink hearty," said Horble. "Joe Horble," said Gregory, leaning both elbows on the table, "there's something you ought to know; I love Madge, and Madge loves me!"

Horble gasped. "She's mine!" said Gregory.

Horble helped himself to more gin, and then slowly wiped his mouth with the back of his hand. "You're forgetting she's my wife,"

"I'll give you a thousand pounds He sat for a long time beside the "You must not!" she cried, as he

for her, cash and bills," said Greg-

"You can't sell white women," said Horble. "She ain't labor," "A thousand pounds!" repeated

Gregory. "I won't sell my wife to no man,"

said Horble. The pair looked at each other. Horble's hand felt for the gin again. His speech had grown a little thick. He was angry and flustered, and a dull resentment was mantling his heavy

"I'll go the schooner," cried Greg-"The Northern Light, as she lies there this minute, not a dollar owing on her bottom, with £200 of specie in her safe. Lock, stock and

barrel, she's yours!" Horble shook his head. "Madge ain't for sale," he said, "Please yourself," said Gregory. You'll end by losing her for noth-

"Capt. Cole," said Horble, "Madge has told me how near it was a go between you and her, and how, if you hadn't cleared out so sudden the way you did, she would have married you in spite of old Blanchard. But when you went away like that you left the field clear, and you mustn't bear me no malice for having stepped in and taken your leavings. What's done's done, and it's a sorry game to come back too late and insult a man who hever did you no harm."

"Oh!" said Gregory. "If you choose," continued Horble in his tone of wounded reasonableness, "you can make a power of mischief between me and Madge. I don't think it comes very well from you to do it; I don't think anything that calls himself a man would do it: least of all a genelman like yourself, whom we all respect and look up to. Capt. Cole, if you've lost Madge, you

know you can only blame yourself." "I don't call her lost," said Gregory. "Cant. Cole," said Horble, calmly, but with a quiver of his lip, "we'll take another drink, and then we'll

say good-by." "I'm not going till I see Madge,"

said Gregory. Horble began to tremble.

"It's for Madge to decide," added "Decide what?" demanded Horble

In a husky stutter. "Between you and me, old fellow,"

said Gregory. "And you've the gall to say that on my ship, at my table, about my wife!"

exclaimed Horble, punctuating the sentence with the possessive. "Yes," sald Gregory, Horble sat awhile silent. He was

obviously turning the matter over in his head. He said at last he would go on deck and take another look to windward.

"There's a power of dirt to wind-

Gregory was conscious of a belaying pin being whipped out of roused and tense, his nostrils vibrating with a sense of danger. The two men stared at each other, and then Horble backed into the stateroom, remarking with furtive insincer-"There's a power of dirt to windward!" This said, the door went shut behind him. Gregory sprang to



Where's Madge.

his feet and burst it open with his powerful shoulders, crushing Horble against the bunk, who, pistol in hand, fired at him point blank. The bullet went wide, and there was a sound of shattering glass. Gregory's hands clenched themselves on Horble's, and the revolver .twisted this way and that under the double grasp. Horble was panting like a steam engine; his lower jaw hung open, and he cried as he fought, the tears streaking his red face; there was an agonized light in his eyes, for his forefinger was breaking in the trigger guard. A hair's breadth more and he could have driven a bullet through his opponent's body; a twist the other wayand he moaned and ground his teeth and frenziedly strove to regain what he had lost. Suddenly he let go, snatched his left hand clear, and throttled Gregory against the wall. Gregory, suffocating, his eyes staring from their sockets, his mouth dribbling blood and froth, struggled with supreme desperation for the pistol. Getting it in the very nick of time, and eluding Horble's right hand, he fired twice through the armpit down.

Horble sank at the first shot, and received the second kneeling. Then, he toppled backward, and lay in a twitching heap against the drawers below the bunk, groaning and coughing. Gregory, with averted face, gave him another shot behind the ear, and another through the mouth, and ting the stateroom door behind him. | her hands.

table, absolutely spent, and still holding the revolver in his hand. He was shaking in a chill, though the temperature was over 80, and the cabin, when he had first entered it, had seemed to him overpoweringly hot and stiffing. He warmed himself with a nip of gin. He looked over his clothes for a trace of blood, and was thankful to find none. He took off his coat; he examined the soles of his shoes. No blood! Thank God, no

blood! He went on deck and cast the revolver overboard, standing at the taffrail and watching it sink. Even in the time he had been below the wind had risen; it was blowing great guns to seaward, the lagoon itself was white and broken as far as the eye could reach. Aboard his own schooner they were busy housing the topmasts, and the yeo-heave-yeo of straining voices warned him that Cracroft was hoisting in the boats and making everything snug.

Gregory leaned against the wheel and tried to think. To throw Horble's body overboard would be to accomplish nothing. The blood, the shot holes, the disordered cabin, would all betray him. To scuttle the schooner with a stick of dynamite was a better plan, but that involved returning to the Northern Light, with the possibility of Madge coming off in the interval and discovering the murder for herself. No, the risk of that appalled him. Besides, whatever happened, he had another reason for keeping the truth from Madge. The fact of Horble's death, even if she thought it accidental, would shock her to the core. It was inconceivable that she would feel anything but horror stricken, whether she judged her former lover innocent or not. She might even undergo a terrible remorse. At such a moment how little likely she would be to give way to him! Of course she would refuse. Any woman would refuse. Every restraining influence would be massed against him. No, his only hope lay in getting her aboard his schooner and out of the lagoon before the least suspicion could dawn upon her. Once away, and it might be two years before she might even hear of Horble's death. Once away, and the empty seas would keep his secret. Once away-

He studied the weather with a new and consuming anxiety. How could he manage to get out at all, or pick a course through the middle channel! It was thick with coral rocks, and in a day so overcast the keenest eye aloft would be at fault. And outside, what then? Already it was working up a hurricane. To run before it would be courting death.

But to stake Madge's life! Madge. whom he loved so dearly! Madge, for whom he would have died! And yet there was something sublime in the thought of taking her in his arms and driving before the gale, sight, and in an instant he was the storm sails treble reefed on the bending yards, the decks awash from end to end, Madge beside him, the pitchy night in front, the engulfing seas behind: to swim or sink, to ride or smother, accepting their fate together, and, if need be, drowning at the last in each other's arms.

He looked toward the settlement and saw a crowd of natives pushing a whaleboat into the water; looked again, and saw old Maka taking his place in the stern sheets and assisting a woman in beside him. The woman! It needed no second glance to tell him it was Madge. He had never counted on her coming off in company. Fool that he was, he had taken it for granted that she would be alone. Everything, in fact, turned on her being alone. Then, with a start, he remembered his own dinghy, and how it would betray him. He had made it fast on the schooner's starboard quarter, near the little accommodation ladder. Going on his hands and knees, lest his head should be seen above the shallow rail, he unloosed the painter, worked the boat astern; and drew it again to port. Then he crouched down in the alleyway and waited.

A few minutes later and the whaler was bumping against the schooner's side. It might have been bumping against Gregory's heart, so agonizing was the suspense as he lay breathless and cramped between the coffinlike width of the house and rail.

"It was kind of you to bring me off, Maka," said Madge.

The old Hawaiian laughed musically in denial. "No, no!" he cried. "You must come below and see the captain," said Madge.

Gregory was in a cold sweat of apprehension.

"Too much storm," said Maka, doubtfully. "I go home now, and put rocks on the church roof." "Five minutes won't matter," said

Madge.

Again Gregory trembled:

"More better I go home quick," said Maka. "No rocks, no roof!" The boat shoved off, the crew striking up a song. Madge seemed to remain standing at the gangway where they had left her. Gregory felt by instinct that she was gazing at the Northern Light, and that as she gazed she sighed; that she was lost in reverie and was loath to go below.

He rose stiffly from his hiding place. Even as he did so it came over him that he was extraordinarily tired-so tired that he swayed as he stood and looked at her.

"Madge!" he said in almost a whisper. "Madge!"

She turned instantly, paling as she saw who confronted her. "Greg!" she cried.

For a moment they stared at each other speechless. Then he leaped on the house and ran to her, she shrinkthen went out, sick and faint, shut- ing back from him-as he tried to take

would have kissed her. "Greg, you him. But the moment of her mad must not! I'm married. It's al. different now.".

He tried to put his arms a ound her, but she pushed him flercely back. Her eyes were flashing and her tosom rose and fell.

"I'm Joe's wife," she said. Then, from his face, she seemed to divine something.

"What have you done to Joe?" she

cried. She would have passed him, but he stopped her. "No, no!" he protested. "Let me go, or I shall call him," she

broke out. "You shan't insult me!

You shan't kiss me!" He was kissing her even as he held her back, even as she fought and struggled with him-on the lips, on the neck, on her black, loosened hair, now tangling and flying in the wind,



"Get Into Your Boat."

He was so weak that she soon got the better of him-so weak and dizzy that he did not guard himself as she struck him on the mouth with her little doubled-up fist.

He put his hand to his lip and found it bleeding. He showed her what she had done. She drew back, and regarded him with mingled pity and exultation.

"Now will you let me go?" she

"Madge," he returned, "Joe's drunk in his berth. I made him drunk, Madge. I had to talk to you, alone, and there was no other way."

She was stung to the quick. Her husband's shame was hers, and it was somehow plain that Horble had been at fault before. She never thought to doubt Greg's word, though his callousness revolted her.

"What is it you want to say?" she said at last in an altered voice.

"To ask you to forgive me." "For what? for taking advantage of Joe's one failing?"

"No; for leaving you the way I "I'll never do that, Greg-never, never, never!"

"Your father-" "Don't try to blame my father,

Greg." "I blame only myself."

"Why have you come back to torture me?" she exclaimed. "You said it was forever. You cast me off, when I cried and tried to keep, you. said I'd never see you again."

"I was a fool, Madge."

"Then accept the consequences, and leave me alone."

"And if I can't-"

She looked him squarely in the eyes. "I am Joe's wife," she said. "Madge," he said, "I am not trying to defend myself. I'm throwing myself on your mercy. I'm begging fever. See, it's passing already." you, on my knees, for what I threw away. I-"

"You've broken my heart," she said; "why should I mind if you break yours?"

"Madge," he cried, "in ten minutes we can be aboard the Northern Light and under weigh; in an hour we can be outside the reef; in two. and this cursed island will sink forever behind us, and no one here will ever see us again or know whither we have gone. Let us follow the gale, and push into new seas, among new people-Tahiti, Marquesas, the Pearl islands-where we shall win back our lost happiness, and find our love only the stronger for what we've suf-

She pointed to the windward sky. I think I know the port we'd make "Then make it," he cried, "and so down to it in each other's arms."

For a moment she looked at him in a sort of exaltation. She seemed to hesitate no longer. Her hot hands reached for his, and he felt in her quick and tumultuous breath the first token of her surrender. Herself a child of the sea, brought up from infancy among boats and ships, her hand as true on the tiller, her sparkling eyes as keen to watch the luft of a sail as any man's, she knew as well as Gregory the hell that awaited them outside. To accept so terrible an ordeal seemed like a purification of her dishonor. If she died, she would die unstained; if she lived, it would be after such a bridal that would obliterate her tie' to the sot below. Then, on the eve of her giving way, as every line in her body showed her longing, as her head drooped as though to find a resting place on the breast of the man she loved, she suddenly called up all her resolution and tore herself free. "I'm Joe's wife!" she said.

Gregory faltered as he tried again

to plead with her; but in his mind's eye he saw that stiffening corpse below, lying stark and cold on the cabin

"You gave me to him," she burst out. "I'm his, Greg. I will not betray my husband for any man." Again he besought her to go with I Cracroft, grimly.

ness had passed.

He sat down on the rall instead, his

eyes defying hers. Sae stepped aft, and his heart stood still as she seemed on the point of descending the companion. But she had another purpose in mind. Throwing aside the gaskets, she stripped the sail covers off the mainmast and began with practiced hands to reef down to the third reef. Then she went forward and did the same to the forestaysail. A minute later, hardly knowing why or how, except that he was helping Madge, Gregory, like a man in a dream, was pulling with her on the halyards of both salls. The wind thundered in them as they rose; the main boom jerked violently at the sheet and lashed to and fro the width of the deck; the anchor chain fretted and sawed in the hawse hole; the whole schooner strained and creaked and shook to the keelson. Gregory, in amazement, asked Madge

what she was doing. "Going to sea, Greg," she said. "Alone?" he cried. "Alone?" "Joe and I," she said.

It was on his tongue to tell her Joe was dead; but, though he tried, he could not do so. It wasn't in flesh and blood to tell her he had killed her husband. He could only look at her helplessly, and say over and over again: "To sea!"

"Greg," she said, "I mean to leave you while I am brave-while I am yet able to resist-while I can still remember 1 am foe's wife!" "And drown," he said.

"What do I care if I do?" she returned "What do I care for any-

off it's to be one or the other," he said, "I'll go mygelf. With my big schooner I'd have twice the chance you'd have."

She put her arms round his week and kissed htm.

"You sweet traitor," she said. "you'd play me false!" He protested vehemently that he

would not deceive her. "Besides," she said, "I could risk myself, but I couldn't bear to risk

He tried a last shot. The words almost strangled in his throat, "And Joe?" he said. "Have you no

thought of Joe?" "Joe loves me," she said-"loves me a thousand times better than you ever did. Joe's man enough to chance death rather than lose _his

"But I won't let you go!" said Greg-

"You can't stop me," she returned. He caught her round the body and tried to hold her, but she fought herself free. His strength was gone; he was as feeble as a child; in the course of those short hours something semed to have snapped within him. Even Madge was startled at his weakness.

"Greg, you're ill!" she cried, as he staggered and caught at a backstay to save himself from falling. down on the house and tried to keep back a sob. Madge stooped and looked anxiously into his face. She had known him for two years as a man of unusual sternness and selfcontrol; obstinate, reserved, willful and moody, yet one that gave always the impression of unflinching courage and resolution. It was inexplicable now to see him crying like a woman, his square shoulders bent and heaving, his sinewy hands opening

and shutting convulsively. "You're ill," she repeated. "I'll go down and fetch you something."

This pulled him together. "I'm all right, Madge," he said, faintly. "I suppose it's just a touch of the old

She watched him in silence. Then she stepped forward, dropped down the forecastle hatchway, and reappeared with an ax. While he was wondering what she meant to do, she raised it in the air and crashed it down on the groaning anchor chain. It parted at the first blow, and the Edelweiss, now adrift, blundered broadside on

to leeward. Madge ran aft, brought the schooner up in the wind, and cried out to Gregory to get into his boat.

He said sullenly he wouldn't do anything of the kind. She lashed the wheel and came up to him. .

"I mean it, Greg," she said. "You are going to your death, Madge," he said. "Get into your boat!" she re-

He rose, and slowly began to obey.

"You may kiss me good-by, Greg."

She put up her face to his; their lips met. Then, with her arm around bim; she half forced, half supported him to the port quarter; where his boat was slopping against the side. He wanted to resist; he wanted to cry out and tell her the truth, but a strange, leaden powerlessness benumbed him. He got into the dinghy, drew in the dripping painter she cast after him, and watched her ease the sheet and set the vessel scudding for the passage. With her black hair flying in the wind, her bare arms resting lightly on the wheel, her straight, girlish, supple figure bending with the heel of the deck, she never faltered nor looked back as the water

whitened and boiled in the schooner's Gregory came to himself in his own cabin. Cracroft, the mate, was bending over him with a bottle of whisky. The Malita steward was chafing his naked feet. Overhead the rush and roar of the gale broke pitilessly on

"The Edelweiss!" he gasped; "the Edelweiss!"

"Went down an hour ago, sir," said

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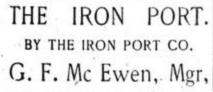
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In making the members of the city council honorary members of the Businessmen's Association, the directors of the latter association have struck the right cord. The interest of the two bodies are identical and it is important that both be in close touch with each other.

It is pleasing to note that there are a large number of contestants in the "Escanaba beautiful" race which has been start- fish river was made on Tuesday by Dr. ed by the Businessmen's Associa- A. L. Laing. While autos have fre tion. With beautified homes quently made the trip up the road aadded to our fine street & Scana. long the Rapid River no one before has ba can easily become the most Whitefish river road. Dr. Laing went attractive city in the Upper Pen- up for six or seven miles and found SCOPE: The Copper industry of the

The Escanaba base ball club Laing and C. E. Hamilton made the

has now been launched with most favorable prospects. The club has a tidy sum of money to start operations with and the directors are proceeding along conservative lines. Under the present plans the association will put a first class team in the field and almost without exception the team will be composed of home boys. Escanaba every year

RAPID RIVER

Henry Winde and family arrived last spent the winter and will remain in Rapid River this summer.

L. K. Edwards of Escanaba made a trip to Rapid River on Wednesday,

Harry Rubinsky of Muskegon who purchased the old iron at the Garth plant, had one of his fingers badly crushed last week.

Born May 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Archie

The first automoble trip up the Whiteattempted to take the trip up the that his auto was able to climb the World. part of the road. On Wednesday Dr.

trip again and went up to Hamilton's

Fred Darling will leave Monday light for Twin Falls, Idaho, where he will file on several land claims for Rapid River people. Mr. Darling has investigated the irregated land proposition and is convinced that such land is a

The base ball team has reorganized and Rapid River is sure of as strong team as last year. One game has already been scheduled with Hermansville to take place tomorrow at Rapid River. Slack will pitch for the visitors and Forrest will deliver the curves for the locals. A benefit ball for the base ball team was given last night.

Arville Whaples, 9 years of age passed away Tuesday at the home of her parents at Rapid River after an illness for several weeks from pericarditis. The funeral was held Thursday from the Congregational church and was, attended by many of her young friends and schoolmates.

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Edla Tolkka, vs. Erick Tuikka

Sult pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Del-ta,in Chancery, at Escanaba, Michigan, on the pinth day of April, 190s.

In this cause it appearing that the whereabouts of the Errick Tulkka, the defendant are unknown, on motion of Albin W. Norblad, solicitor for complainant it is ordered, that the defendant enter his appearance in sald cause on or before five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, that said publication be continud once in each week for six weeks in succession-ALBIN W. NORBLAD, Attorney for Complainant 4-11-to-5-23-7w Escanaba, Michigan

State of Michigan, The Circuit Court for the County of Delta in

Suit pending in the Circuit Complainant Court for the County of vs | Delta in Chancery, at the Oscar Bondrean | City of Essanaba in said | Defendant | County on the 22nd | day of

April A. D. 1908. In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the Defendant Oscar Boudreau's residence annot be found after due inquiry and that the Said defendant's last known place of residence was in Escapalia in the State of Michigan which place he left on or about the 29th, day of

naval militia is now well organ. to many outside teams but this On motion of C. D. McEwen Solicitors for ized and it will not be long before year with a well organized and dent Defendant Oscar Boudreau cause his apevery place in its mentbership substantial association in charlist will be filled. The success of ge the players will find opportuand a copy thereof to be served on said Solleitor for the Complainant, within twenty days after ervice on said non-resident Defendant of a copy County Correspondence of sald fall and Notice of this order; and that in default thereof, sald bill be taken as confes ed by said non-resident Defendant.

And it is further Ordered, That within twenty dath the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the iron Port a newspaper printed published and circulating in said county and that such publication be continued therein week from Tennessee where they have at least once in each week for six weeks in suc eession, or that they exuse a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

Circuit Judge. D. McEWES

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State of Michigan. Twenty-fifth Judicial Cir

cult, In Chancery. Isaac Kratzeastein,

Kratzenstein, Suit pending in the Circuit
Complainant Delta in Chancery, at the
Lord John Hope Defendant \ 1908

In this cause it appearing that the defendant, Jennie Lord, is a resident of the village of Hurdsfield, in the County of Wells, and the State of North Dakota.
THEREFORE, on motion of Judd Yelland.

solicitor for Compiainant, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendant, Jennie Lord, be entered herein within four months from the date Bill's creek hill which is the hardest COVERING: Copper History, Geology, of this order, and that within twenty days the omplainant cause this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper, printed, published and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally serv ed on said non-resident defendant, at least twen ty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

J. W. STONE

JUDD YELLAND Solisitor for Complainant. usiness address: Escanaba, Mich

4-11-to-5-23-7w

Notice

State of Michigan. The Circuit Court for the County Delta.

Plaintiff,

JOSEPH HESS.

MARY KORTON, . Defendant,

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias Issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in favor of Joseph Hess against the goods and chattels and real estate THE INVESTOR IN COPPER of Mary Korten, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the seventeeth day of March, .A D., 1908, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Mary Korten in and to the following described lands to-wit:-Lot number ten (10) of block fifty-five (55) of the original plat of the city of Escanaba, according to the recorded plat thereof, all of which I shall expose for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, at the city of Escanaba, in the said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court within said county, on Monday, the eighteenth day of May, 1908 at two o'clock in the afternoon. Dated March 30th., 1908.

JUDD YELLAND

Attorney for Plaintiff FRANK W. ARONSON,

Notice of Meeting

The Board of Equalization and Review for the City of Escanaba, Mich., will be in session in the City Mall in said City on Monday, the 18th day of May 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon and will continue in session at least four days thereafter, and as much longer as may be necessary and at least six hours in each day, during which time any person, so desiring, may examine his, her or their assessment rolls, and may show cause, if any exists, why the valuation should be changed, and the said board will decide the same.

THOS. J BURKE, City Clerk. Escanaba, Mich. Apr. 25, 1908.

Notice

State of Michigan. Twenty-fifth Judical Cirdt, In Chancery.

John V. Nelson | Sult pending in the Circuit Complainant | Court for the County of Delta vs | In Chancery, at Escanaba, Augusta Nelson | Michigan, on the thirteenth Defendant | day of April, 1908.

In this cause it appearing that the whereabouts of the Augusta Nelson, the defendant are un known, on motion of Albin W. Norblad, solicitor for complainant it is ordered, that the defendant enter her appearance in said cause on or before live months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complahant cause this order to be published in the IRON PORT, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in Said ounty, that said publication be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession

d. W. STONE Attorney for Complainant. Business Address; 4-18-to-5-30-7w

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Work on the railroad between Garden and Cooks Mills commenced on Tuesday and will be pushed through to completion as fast as possible.

C. E. Hayward, deputy state game and fish warden of Lathrop, was in Garden last week looking for violators of the game laws. The Port scribe acknowledges a pleasant call.

Robert Brodrie of Fairbanks township, called on his friends in this village

on the 7th. Mr. Brodrie tells me that the proposed telephone line between this village and Fayette and Fairport has fallen through. It's too bad Robert. of material benefit, not only to the people of Fayette and Garden but also to every farmer living along the line.

Mr. Fred Beach has received his new automobile: Certainly, when our farmers begin to purchase automobiles, it looks as if we were beginning to get up-to-date over here on this side of the

The Garden base ball club played the Fayette club on the grounds in this village on Sunday. The Garden club got it in the neck to the tune of 6 to 12.

The Van's Harbor club went to Nah-

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ing at a point 13 rods north of the south line of Lot 1, Section 6, in the center of the Bay de Noc and Green Bay state road; running thence East to the Bay

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ma Sunday and done up the Nahma ag- Jocelyn Spudge, the District School gregation of ball tossers by a score of Teacher......Louis Thibeault 19 to 10, or somewhere in that neigh- Dr. W. Meredito, the Village Physician

The township and village of Garden have purchased in company a J. I. Case steam road roller and engine combined, the village paying one third and the township two thirds of the purchase price, which was two thousand dollars. The engine can be used to operate the stone crusher which we already have, and it would seem now, that we could go ahead and make some good roads. It is certainly a move in the right .direction and should have been done years ago.

The scholars of the Garden high school under the management of Mr. Frank Tebo, the principal, gave an entertainment on the evening of Friday the 8th, in Opera hall in this village for the benefit of St. John's church.

They presented the comedy drama 'Oak Farm' and they certainly did it in every creditable shape. Where all acquited themselves so well, comparisions or special mention would be out of place. I give below the cast of

Silas Weatherby, owner of "Oak Farm" Joseph Derochy

Donald Wheatherby, his oldest son Frank G. Tebo

Joel Weatherby, his youngest son....

Thomas Truckey Jonathan Prune, the Village Postmast- been visiting relatives here returned er...... Edward Bureau home Monday.

Max Conradsen Wellington Troy, a Traveling Salesman Frank Disco Miss Etta Deloria

Mrs. Silas Weatherby, Silas' Wife Helen Trumball, Silas's Niece.....

Miss Addie Disco Synthia Warner, friend of the Weatherbys...... Miss Edith Truckey Sally Smart, child of neighbor..... Miss Agnes Burton Aich. Gee. Ess.

ROCK RIPPLES

The dance at the town hall was well attended and all report a good time.

J. Mohammad Ali was here in the interest of the J. M. Ali Tea Co. Friday. Art Hoffman representing Carpenter Cook Co., gave us a call Friday.

Walter Hews of Joannes Co., called on the trade last week.

Miss Ona Eckie visited friends at Lathrop Saturday.

Walter Johnson was at Green Bay on business Friday and at Escanaba and Gladstone Saturday.

Miss Naylor who is teaching at Lath-rop, visited friends here over Sunday,

Clarence McPhee of Garden who has

A BAD ACTOR Byron Williams.



you ot 2 Sea ml Tiger dog a-chasing of his Tale! mi Mother she ist lafs at him until she's gittin' palean' Mary, she's th' Help, you know, she has 2 hold her side, er else th' way she lafs at Tige wood Bust her open wide!

when pa cums home my ma She sez, "that Dog neer killed us awi! he's chased his Tale th' hull day

through

awl up and down th' Hall.

he Chases It around and round until he Staggers so he scarcely can retain his Feet or tell which Way 2 go!"

and then we call Old Tiger in 2 show pa how he does and ma she sez 2"Sick it, Tige! This way around! Now buzz!" But Tige sits down upon his Tale as dumpy as a log. An' pa sez, "Humphi There's nothin

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E. ERICKSON

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'Mrs. Thompson who has been visiting with her daughter Mrs. Andrew Fulton returned home Monday.

August Larson and W. T. Bridges drove to Friday the first of the week. Emerson Brow went to Gladstone Friday and returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Lathrop, visited with friends and relatives here over Sunday.

School Commissioner P. R. Legg of Gladstone, visited our schools Thursday. The Misses Mata Haberman and

Mellicent Weber of Lathrop, took in the ball game here Sunday. Neal Curran of Escanaba renewed

old acquaintances here Saturday. Tom Follis representing the John Pritslaff Hardware Co., called on the

trade Tuesday. Bert Hughitt of Escauaba was here on business Tuesday.

W. T. Bridges and August Larson made a business trip to Gladstone Mr. and Mrs. Romain Laframboise

and Miss Pearl Kliber attended the wedding at Turin Tuesday. Felix Forrest was at Escanaba on

usiness Saturday. (Centinued on last page)

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Dr. A. B. Spinney will be at the work of cultivation under the di- New Ludington Hotel Friday, May 22, 7 a. m.to 9 p. m. and

News Notes from Lansing

Interesting Happenings at the State Capital of Michigan.

Lansing .- The Michigan State Hu- | Fail to Secure Relief. mane society caused consternation among the shippers of veal. Through its attorney, James Hill, the organization secretary. Mrs. Angeline Fow- sentenced to pay a fine of \$250 each, ler Brand of Manistee compiled data failed to obtain relief from the sufrom letters of complaint from all preme court, to which they removed over the state to start prosecutions of the proceedings, and the fines must be railroads, shippers and consignees who paid. In addition McHugh must go to violate the state and federal laws pequiring the resting, feeding and water- tence of Judge Connolly of the reing of calves while en route to slaugh- corder's court. The respondents were ter houses. Thousands of suckling calves, especially at this season, are being shipped through the state from tempt occurred when the attorneys all parts of the country. A great many cases are cited where the calves are not fed or watered for nearly a week in most instances three days elapse before the pens are reached. In the northern part of the state the calves are allowed to suffer in cold and snow upwards of half a day before being loaded into the stock cars. The society will prosecute the offenders, whether they be railroaders, shippers or consignees. The state and federal laws require the feeding, resting and unloading of calves for five hours out of every 30 while in transit.

Counties Indorse W. J. Bryan.

Grand Traverse county's two delegates to the state Democratic convention were instructed for William Jen nings Bryan. They were also instructed to vote for Daniel J. Campau for delegate-at-large to the national convention, this resolution causing some dissension and the endeavor to amend it by omitting Campau, but it finally carried unanimously. The Lapeer county Democratic convention resulted in a complete victory for, Bryan and Campau. Chairman John Loughnane was applanded when he made a speech landing Campau's devotion to the Democracy and denouncing those who are attacking him. All of the seven delegates declared themselves in favor of Campau for delegate-at-large and a resolution indorsing Bryan was adopted. Prominent Democrats from other countles in the Seventh district have been here for several days trying to work up sentiment against Bryan and against Campau, and a number of delegates tried in vain to induce the Bryan men to refrain from presenting a resolution.

Building Good Roads.

Work on the eight roads to be improved this summer in the good roads district formed last fall from Grand Rapids and the four adjoining townships was begun. Twenty thousand dollars will be spent this summer and about eight miles of road built. Gravel roads, for which the state pays \$500, will be built, but the district will not get back a reward for all it builds, and much of this year's contract is in Grand Rapids or on the boundary line, and the attorney general has ruled that rewards cannot be paid for such roads. The city pays about \$18,000 of the \$20,000 tax. This district was the first formed under the amended law of last year by which districts smaller than county districts were made pos-

Fire Protection a Theme.

Fire protection for school buildings was one of the important subjects decussed at the joint meeting of the Michigan Association of School Superintendents and the school board section of the State Teachers' association held here. The principal paper on the subject was read by John W. Rose of the state labor bureau, who has been making an extensive inspection of schools in the state. Hon. George B. Horton discussed the primary school apportionment and Prof. A. S. Whitney of the university spoke on "Some Educational Problems."

State Issues Are Ignored.

Ignoring state issues and candidates, the Ingham county Republican convention at Mason chose 21 delegates to the state convention. The sentiment among the delegates appears to favor Warner, but it was evident that now being issued to autoists are those Dr. Bradley has a strong following. Taft was indorsed for president and R. E. Olds of Lansing for delegate to the Chicago convention from the Sixth these numbers are doubtless in use district. The administration of President Roosevelt was strongly commended and also those of the Michigan senators and Representative S. W. Smith.

To Meet at Petoskey.

The Northern Michigan Press association completed its annual meeting at Kalkaska and decided to meet next time at Petoskey. C. E. Churchill of has been postponed for at least one the Petoskey News was elected presi- year. When the legislature convenes dent, J. N. Tinklepaugh of the Kalkaska Leader, secretary; and J. W. Hallock of the Thompsonville News, treasurer.

Secretary King Refused Place. · Secretary Paul King of the constitutional convention was refused a place on the Taft delegation from his eral gross earnings of \$2,918,829.58 for ward because it was alleged he forsook the candidacy of W. H. Porter for mayor in the city convention a few ings, will be \$87,494.89.

weeks ago and voted for the candidate of another ward.

Pays Chelsea Depositors.

the Chelsea Savings bank, has de sioner Rose. Considerable land soit clared a 30 per cent, dividend and beath able for agricultural purposes was in cluded in the sale.

Attorneys Philip A. McHugh and Charles P. O'Neil of Detroit, who were found guilty of contempt of court and jail for 30 days, according to the senattorneys for Peter Schlaf, charged with wife murder. The alleged confiled motions for a continuance of the case for a change of venue, and to disqualify Judge Conolly. The attorneys failed to appear to defend their client and Judge Aldrich was appointed by the court, but Schlaf refused to accent his services. Later the lawvers appeared and proceeded with the trial. For the failure to appear and try the case when ordered to do so they were found guilty of contempt.

Object to Boosted Rate.

Dairymen from all parts of the state attended an animated hearing in the senate chamber before the state rail way commission here on the recent increase in the freight rate on butter fat, Formerly railroads carried both milk and cream at the same rate, but lately a higher rate on cream that has been separated for shipment was put into effect. This commodity was called "butter fat," but the railroad men admit-it is not a proper designation, and it will be called butter cream. It is the top of the head. The "up" is asserted that owners of the big central plant for making butter are opposed to the higher rate, while the under 14. In a general way the young small creamery men throughout the girl's coiffure is following in the lead state do not object to it. The railroad of the one adopted by fashionable men strenuously contend that as the women. It stiggests ever so slightly a value of a commodity is always to be Grecian effect by reason of its fullconsidered in fixing a rate, "butter ness at the back of the head. Whethcream" should pay a higher rate than er the hair is done in one or two colls

Demurrers Are Filed.

bond of the Chelsea Savings bank to slight change distinguishes it from the secure the deposit of state funds in low coll which was worn last season, that institution, have filed demurrers and it also makes it more difficult to to the declaration of the attorney gen- wear becomingly. A well-shaped head eral, and will contest their liability. is required to set it off advantageous-The bonds given originally amounted ly and give it a smartness that is not to \$200,000. One company recently characterized by a lumplike arrange settled with the state by paying its ment at the back of the head. bond of \$50,000, but the others, failing . A simple way to manage this style to settle, were sued. In the demurrers of dressing is to roll the sides of the filed the United States Fidelity and hair back from the face, either from Guaranty company, the Federal Union a middle part or straight back from Surety company and the Bankers' Surety company, contend that no liability exists against them for the reason that the contract between Glazier and the bank is void, because at the time it was entered into, Glazier, as surety, was interested in the bank as well as being the party to whom the bond was given.

To Provide Gold Medals.

Michigan's grand encampment of Odd Fellows came to a close at Battle Creek. Before adjourning the encampment decided to provide solid gold medals for all living past chief patriarchs. There are now 20 in Michigan. Alpena was chosen for the next grand encampment. Officers wereelected as follows: Grand patriarch. John J. Foster of Three Rivers; grand high priest, Peter Betzing of Pontiac; grand senior warden, John L. Miller of Charlotte; grand scribe, John R. Penfield of Vicksburg; grand treasurer, Arthur Harshaw of Detroit; grand representative, John Gerhard of Saginaw; grand junior warden, Israel Cohen of Detroit.

Automobile Law in Mixup.

A frightful mixup has resulted from the enactment of the automobile license law, and the effectiveness of the measure is seriously questioned. Not a new number has been issued by the secretary of state's office for several months and it is believed that a large proportion of auto owners have disregarded the statute. The numbers which have been cancelled because they have not been renewed as provided for by the law, but many of by those to whom they were originally issued.

M. A. C. Postpones Work.

Owing to the opinion of Attorney General Bird that the state board of agriculture has no authority to send money from its funds away from the college, the work of reforestation of the 30,000-acre tract in Iosco county 8 bill asking for authority to use part of the state board funds will be proposed and a special appropriation will probably be asked for.

Earnings Are \$2,919,829.

The Michigan State Telephone company has reported to the auditor genthe year 1907. The company's tax to be paid in July, based on these earn-

Lands Are Put Up for Sale.

Lands in Oceana and Crawford counties were offered for sale at pub-W. W. Wedemeyer, as receiver for lic auction by State Land Commis-

Graceful and Girlish Pashions in Hair Dressing

as any debutante is over the question New York Herald. She has nothing to important the coiffure is to the school- ing and graceful.

Because it is an arrangement new to what becomes her only by trying the various styles which are approved by fashion. She must devote a good deal of study to her head and her face. She must consider carefully the poise and shape of her neck; then after she has studied herself due thought should themselves, and she must choose just that one out of the many, ranging from the jaunty to the classic, which becomes her best. And, above all, it should always be remembered that simplicity is the keynote of girlish hairdressing. Elaborate and imposing effects are not only bad taste, but they make a young girl look ridiculous instead of sweet and charming and

Doing the hair up does not mean that the hair is actually arranged on used comparatively in contrast to the hanging braids or curls worn by girls or is braided and then pinned up, prominence is given to it at a point midway between the crown of the fresh and clean by constant brushings. Three surety companies on the head and the nape of the neck. This

in a double loop, pinning the coils across the head in a horizontal line instead of having them follow a vertilings. cal axis. With a hat this dressing looks particularly well. Girls will find it a little trying at other times, however, on account of the sudden projection it makes just under the crown of it can be made by leaving the hair fluffy over the top of the head and with a softness again in the arrangement of the hair low in the neck.

TYTHEN a young girl reaches that | Next to the turned-up braids, in milestone in her career which is point of simplicity and gradual change marked by the lengthening of in the coiffure evolution, is the loose her frocks and the turning up of her coil or twist which is generally debraids she is so deeply concerned scribed as a figure 8. The coll starts about the fashion of doing her hair at the back of the head just below the crown after the front has been of puffs or no puffs. Candidly, the brushed back in a soft youthful pompasubject of hairdressing means more dour, then it twists up and down, covto the girl who wears her braids up ering the head from the crown to the for the first time than it does to her nape of the neck. The loops are older sister, declares a writer in the fastened securely with shell halrpins, and a wide black ribbon bow may be gulde her in the way of former exi tied through the center to bring the perience, and she does not always get loops and ends just back of the ears. that sympathetic help older sisters For girls who have very little hair this might render if they remembered how ribbon dressing will be found becom-

No matter how beautiful and lux-

uriant the hair may be in its infancy, her and to her friends she can learn unless it is well cared for it soon loses its softness and beauty of tone. Mothers understand the importance of bestowing attention regularly and systematically upon their youthful daughters' heads, and they insist upon the maid following the most careful process to promote the growth and beaube given to the styles of hairdressing ty of the hair. Every night, despite protests from the tired young charge, her hair is given a vigorous and freshening brushing. There are some hair experts who insist that brushing is injurious to the hair, yet nothing responds so quickly and satisfactorily to regular treatment as the hair. Fifty or 100 brisk strokes of the brush are given at night, with the result that the hair is polished and cleansed. the scalp is invigorated and the weariness is dissipated to some degree, while the hair is given a new lease of life. Again in the morning more brushing is bestowed upon it and the hair enjoys a little exercise and an air bath, that mean as much to it as such things do to the system. Much washing is injurious to the hair. and when it is brushed regularly and thoroughly the dust is removed, thus making shampooing less necessary. Once in three or four weeks is considered often enough to shampoo the head if the scalp and hair are kept



Fewer pumps are seen. Fancy stockings are prophesied.

There is a craze for a touch of color in all summer shoes. An innovation is the wearing of tan

silk gloves to match the tan stock-In millinery the two most insistent spring shades are taupe and pome-

One of the touches characteristic of some of the French millinery is the the head. When this is not becoming presence of huge loops of lawn rib-

> The latest in gloves is the long chamois with the buttoned strap

FOR THE CHILDREN

granate



Suit for Boy from 4 to 5 Years.-The knickers are in dark brown velveteen, lined with sateen, the blouse is in white washing silk, trimmed with frills of the same, it fastens quite up to the throat, under a wide boxplait edged with a narrow frill. The wide collar is frilled at the edge, then featherstitched with embroidery silk. Elastic is threaded in the hem at the waist. Materials required: 11/4 yards velveteen and 21/2 yards silk.

Dress for Girl from 15 to 17 Years.—Checked material in two shades of blue is employed for this dress, the skirt is trimmed three inches from the foot with a band of blue velvet. The bodice has a round yoke and undersleeves of tucked blue silk, the material is gathered to the yoke under a plaiting of silk, and a shaped band, in which incisions are made, through which seft ribbon is threaded and tied in a bow in front. Materials required: 5

yards 46 inches wide, 2 yards silk, 5 yards sateen for lining.

Dress for Girl from 8 to 10 Years.—This dress is in sage green cashmere; it has a long-waisted bodice, lined with sateen, the round yoke is of cream lace, the material is tucked each side the front, and stitched three parts down; four velvet-covered buttons ornament the center, the epaulettes are trimmed with velvet, they are fixed to the edge of yoke under a stitched strap of cashmere. The skirt is a circular shape, tucked at the foot, it is joined to the bodice under a folded band of velvet. Materials required: 3½ rards 44 inches wide, ½ yard velvet, ¼ yard lace, and 1½ yard lining. AT A CRITICAL TIME.

Women Are Likely to Suffer with Dangerous Kidney Disorders.

Mrs. John Kirk, R. F. D. No. 2, Detroit, Mich., says: "Five years ago at

a critical time of life I was on the verge of a collapse with kidney troubles, backache, dizziness, puffy dropsy swellings and urinary irregularities. I lost flesh and felt languid, nervous or unstrung all the time.

As my doctor did not help me I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. In a few weeks all these symptoms left me. I now weigh 163 pounds and feel in ex-

cellent health." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ready to Pay Fine. "I know where \$3,000,000 in cash lies concealed," said a New York lawyer. "This vast sum lies concealed in the inside vest pocket of the 30,000 automobilists of New York state. Each man carries \$100 of it in one crisp note, ready to be paid out in a fine, if he should be arrested for speeding. Fines, though, don't appear to stop speeding," he continued. "Perhaps the rich automobilist regards them much as the Suabian wood thief did. The thief was arrested. The magistrate said to him: 'You are brought up on the charge of stealing wood. This charge has been proved against you. But you are old and poor and you shall be let off this time. Only don't do it again.' 'Nonsense!' retorted the thief. 'Let us not have any false sentimentality here. I steal my wood, I pay my fine, and there's an end of it."

You Would Not Accept Counterfelt Money, Why Accept Counterfeit Goods?

Good money is made by the Government in which you have implicit faith and confidence. Good goods are made by manufacturers who are willing to stake their reputations on the quality of the material offered to you through the medium of their advertisements in this paper. Counterfeit goods are not advertised. The reason for it is they will not bear the close scrutiny to which genuine advertised goods are subjected. Counterfelt money pays more profit to the counterfelter. Counterfelt goods are offered to you for the same reason.

Insist on the Genuine-Reject the Counterfeit.

Willing to Be Convinced.

A sturdy tramp one day went into a suburban garden, where the lady of the house was engaged in attending to the flowers. He took no notice of her refusal to give coppers, but continued his importunity until a bull dog appeared, growling ominously. The lady seized it by the collar and held calling out:

"You had better go away at once;

he may bite you." "You ain't got no right to keep a savage dorg like that," replied the

tramp in outraged tones. "Perhaps I have not," was the cool answer. "If you think so, I won't keep him-I'll let him go."

The latch of the gate clicked violently, and in 20 seconds that tramp had vanished into space.-Stray Stories.



"Ah, I love to see a little boy in such a hurry to get to school!"

"Yes, sir. Me little brother's got de measles, an' I'm hurrying up to get excused!"

> CHANGE IN FOOD Works Wonders in Health.

It is worth knowing that a change in food can cure dyspepsia. "I deem it my duty to let you know how Grape-Nuts food has cured me of indigestion. "I had been troubled with it for

years, until last year my doctor recommended Grape-Nuts food to be used every morning. I followed instructions and now I am entirely well.

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The reason this lady was helped by the use of Grape-Nuts food, is that it is predigested by natural processes and therefore does not tax the stomach as the food she had been using; it also contains the elements required for building up the nervous system. If that part of the human body is in perfect working order, there can be no dyspepsia, for nervous energy repre-

sents the steam that drives the engine. When the nervous system is run down, the machinery of the body works badly. Grape-Nuts food can be used by small children as well as adults. It is perfectly cooked and ready for instant use.

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pkgs. "There's a Reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They re genuine, true, and full of human

DESERVED TO WIN HIS CASE.

Really Able Argument Put Forward by Accused Sallor.

A very good story has recently been told in the fleet of an incident which happened when Admiral Evans was in command of the Indiana. An old-time bluejacket was at the mast before Capt. Evans, charged with getting food out of a mess chest outside of meal hours. This getting of food for night watches is a common and strong desire on the part of most men aboard

Capt. Evans asked the man what he had to say; and the man, sizing up the delicate situation, said:

"Captain, I didn't take no food outer that chest. Why, captain, there weren't no food in that chest! I looked in that chest, and, captain, I met a cockroach coming out of that chest with tears in his eyes."-Harper's Weekly.

A GOOD COLD.



That seems a very bad cold you've got, my little man!"

"It's a very good cold; it's kept me away from school for two weeks now!

COMPLAINTS ABOUT PAINT.

The time to complain about paint is before the painter applies it. The man who puts up the money should not shirk the responsibility of choosing the paint. True, the painter ought to know paint better than the banker, the professional man or the merchant. The trouble is, the houseowner too often deliberately bars the competent and honest painter from the job by accepting a bid which he ought to know would make an honest job impossible.

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Woodbridge Building, New York City.

Economical Physician.

Ambassador Wu Ting-fang was once, it is alleged, telling about a certain selfish politician. He said: "The man reminds me of a doctor of Shanghat. A mandarin came to this doctor for advice. He could not sleep, had no appetite, suffered a good deal from derression and nevertheless was taking on fat at an alarming rate. 'We'll soon put you in condition again,' said he physician. 'What you need is exercise, good, hard exercise. Four times a week you can come here and put in the morning polishing my floors.' 'But why not my own floors?' the mandarin inquired. 'Mine,' said the physician, 'are larger.'"

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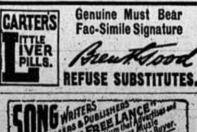
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Products of actual excellence and reasonable claims truthfully presented and which have attained to world-wide acceptance through the approval of the Well-Informed of the World; not of individuals only, but of the many who have the happy faculty of selecting and obtaining the best the world affords.

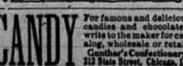
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MARKING THE SANTA FE TRAIL

America's Highway of the Ages, Every Rod of Which Is Said to Have Cost a Life in the Winning of the West



The Old Stage Station at Bluewater (The Original Adobe Structure on the Right)

later known as the Exchange hotel. rendezvous of all the freighters, scouts, plainsmen, bad men, Indian fighters, gamblers, prospectors, pioneers, tfavelers, soldiers and settlers in the southwest when Santa Fe was the chief mart and emporium beyond the Missouri. After bull team traffic came to a close on account of the successful rivalry of the railroad the old hotel fell upon evil days, and soon degenerated into a rooming house for sojourners in the City of Holy Faith. Then the corner apartments were used But within the past few deserving of mention. months the old adobe walls have begun to bulge alarmingly, making it necessary to prop them up with heavy timbers. Naturally the "roomers" sought safer quarters the butcher moved elsewhere and the hostelry is Then an enterprising merchant bought the property, and has announced it as his purpose to raze the historic block upon the site.

This impending disappearance of the last relic of the Santa Fe Trail remaining in the city of Santa Fe is to be compensated by the erection of a memorial arch. This will be placed in the plaza, directly opposite the Fonda, at a cost approximating \$1,500. A bill to that effect was passed by the legislative assembly in 1903. It was provided that the work should be superintended by a commission consisting of the mayor of Santa Fe, the superintendent of the Territorial penitentiary, and a third person to be appointed by the governor. Nothing has yet been done, but only the other day Gov. Curry appointed Bradford L. Prince to act as the third member of the commission, and the building of the memorial will proceed without unnecessary delay. By a further provision of the assembly, the arch must be of stone quarried in New Mexico. and the work must be performed by convicts from the Territorial peniten-

Few Relics Now Left,

The remaining bonafide relics of this highway to the southwest are few. Through a large part of its length, the trail is now followed by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad. In many places the rails and ties were laid along the exact line followed by the old wagon trains. Crossing the Raton Pass of New Mexico. the trail is distinctly visible from the car windows; and near the summit of the divide may be seen one of the old halting places-a road house on the old Southern Overland stage route. A few miles further on is Starvation Peak, a landmark familiar to every traveler in the old days, where it is said that a number of early traders were besieged by the Indians until they died of thirst and hunger.

Across the region which the Spanfards called "The Grand Prairie," but which the Americans named the Cimarron desert, was a dreaded 60mile stretch, devoid of either trees or waters. This is now comprised in southwestern Kansas, between Richfield and Hugoton. This desolate and sandy waste is now inclosed by the wire fences of cattlemen, but is still unsettled and likely to remain so; and here, straight as the flight of the crow, stretches the Santa Fe Trail, still plainly visible, although no wheels a generation. Four wagon tracks, the route that afterward became showing the deep-worn ruts left by known as the Santa Fe Trail was outthe wheels, the paths trodden by the fitted by William Morrison of Kasfeet of mules and oxen, and the little kaskia, Ill., in 1804, and was disthe eye can follow them from the

as the trade with the southwest

WUST at the moment when the grew in volume and importance, nummovement to mark the historic erous branches radiated from the main Santa Fe Trail is reaching its highway. One of the most important climax and consummation, by one of these extended south to El Paso of those ironic freaks of fate that so and Chihuahua, and another ran north often come to cap the best laid plans through Taos. On the Taos branch, of men with an anti-climax the most at Alcalde, is still standing, in an exnotable remaining memorial of the cellent state of preservation, the old old highway is threatened with immi- corral and roadhouse, now used as a nent destruction. This is the Fonda, warehouse for a country store. After the discovery of gold in California, which was the southwestern terminus the Santa Fe Trail became a mere of the trail from the beginning to the reach on the longer journey to the end of the commerce of the prairies, goldcoast. Some travelers followed It stands at the southeastern corner the Southern Overland route by way of the plaza in Santa Fe, and was the of El Paso and Yuma, and others took the shorter but more difficult and dangerous Central Overland route, past old Fort Wingate. On the Central Overland route there are still standing a number of the old roadhouses. One of these is located at Bluewater, N. M., a few miles west of the site of old Fort Wingate. Two more are standing within ten miles of Adamana. Ariz.-one seven miles northeast and the other about the same distance northwest. Of the natural landmarks of the Central Overland route, Buzzard as a meat market, while the others Rock, in the great Mojave Desert of were rented out for housekeeping southern California, near Barstow, is

Mark Course of Highway.

When the relics of the trail have become so few, only a third of a century after the last of the great wagon caravans traversed the long streaks of white dust outlined in the somber gray of the plains, it is evident that every trace of it is in danger of speedy obliteration. That it may not fade to a mere tradition, the Daughters of the American Revolution and other patriotic organizations and individuals have taken steps to mark its course by means of suitable monuments and tablets. Wherever it is followed or crossed by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad that corporation is providing suitable markers; and the state legislatures of Kansas and Colorado have granted appropriations for the same purpose. In several states contributions have been received from the children of the public schools, and the work of marking the trail has now progressed so far that it is certain to be carried to a successful end. It is planned to place four granite monuments in each county it traversed, and between these cement posts will be placed to mark every mile. Trade routes like trade centers are

determined by nature, rather than by the arbitrary caprices of men. The physical features of a country constitute the main factor that controls the upbuilding of its great cities and that decides the direction, character and and commerce by way of the Santa destination of its commerce. A little knowledge of geography, therefore, shows why the Santa Fe Trail played a part so important in the development of the west and southwest. It lay along the line of least resistance to trade and travel between the region after; but it was at least three times of the Great Plains and the region of the Great Central Plateau. To-day it is followed by one of the most important of the world's railroad sysersed by vast caravans of clumsy wagons, conveying a commerce that reached the high-water mark of \$450,-000 in value-annually. More than 350 years ago it was the route followed by the Spanish explorers on their journeys through the unknown and savage country that they believed it was their mission to conquer and to convert. If we could lift the veil that hides the past history of aboriginal America, it is probable that we would trip great surprise was expressed that behold the march and countermarch no serious obstacles were encountered of armies of painted and plumed savages and hordes of nomads of plain and desert moving on to conquest or fleeing in wild retreat over this hoary

highway of the ages. First Expedition Over Trail.

The first recorded commercial exhave traversed it for the lifetime of pedition from the east to the west over ridges between, run parallel as far as patched for the far southwest in charge of a trader named La Lande. northeastern to the southwestern He never returned, and it is commonly believed that he reached Santa Fe in



joy life at the expense of his em- | favorable circumstances, one of diffforth upon his famous expedition. His report revealed to Americans the northern Mexico; led to the estabtive traffic over the Santa Fe Trail, and resulted ultimately in the war of conquest against the southern republic, and in the annexation of the empire of the southwest to the United States. Before Pike's expedition little was known of distances, directions, obstacles or opportunities in the great

and undefined region called 'Kanzas." He mapped the way from the custom of traders to outfit at Inde-Great Bend of the Arkansas to the pendence, Mo. From there the wagons Rocky mountains, and thence to Santa traveled singly to Council Grove, on Fe and Chihuahua, blazing the trail the Cottonwood, where they waited for the irresistible progress of the for others to form a caravan of suffi-American pioneers beyond the Mis-cient strength to be able to repel any

After Pike-who was anything but a trader-the first traders to journey to Santa Fe were those of the Baird, Moing of 12 men, who started in 1806. They were seized, taken to Chihuahua, ployed. and cast into prison, where they remained for nine heart-breaking years. or until the blossoming of Iturbide's power, when they were set free. On the return journey McKnight was killed by Indians, but Baird and Chambers reached civilization in safety, and in 1822 organized another expedition. This was late in starting, so that the animals froze to death, and the traders had to winter at the crossing of the Arkansas. In 1821, William Recknell started for the Missouri river, intending to trade with the Indians of the Arkansas valley; but he was met by some Mexicans, who persuaded him to continue on to Santa Fe. His trip was successful, and the next year he tried it again, taking not the first to make the journey, yet he is known as the "Father of the Santa Fe Trail." That is the tribute the world pays to success.

Turning Point of Destiny.

Fe Trail. The journey was small in comparison with some of the trade routes established by the Spaniards long before in South America, and almost trifling compared with that over the Oregon Trail that came shortly as long as any commercial journey by land ever before undertaken by the American people, and in danger and hardship it was without previous tems. A generation ago it was trav- parallel in our national life. It marked one of the turning points of destiny, because it was the beginning of the great drama of the Winning of the West-the great west beyond the Missouri. History has not yet done justice to the Santa Fe Trail.

The traffic across 800 miles of desert and wilderness to the inland capital of a foreign province was at first exclusively by pack train. When Becknell employed wagons on his second to their progress. That fact shows how true it is that the Santa Re Trail was a natural highway. At the beginning of the southwestern trade little trouble was experienced with Indians. Not until the Texans and some irresponsible traders began Indian baiting were the redmen provoked to scalp lifting as a measure of retalia-

Journey One of Hardship.

Nevertheless, the long distance that deserts, the heat of the treeless plains safety and there settled down to en made the journey, under the most nothing, you know."

ployer. It was a profitable trip for culty, hardship and discouragement. La Lande, if not for Morrison. Two When the Indians had been goaded years later Lieut. Zebulon M. Pike set into a state of chronic hostility freighting over the trail became anything but a holiday pastime. In later opportunities for profitable trade with years, as the traffic grew in volume and importance, the dangers and diffilishment of the great and remunera- culties were lessened by the establishment of military posts at intervals, but these could not afford perfect security. It was not until after the Indians were corraled on reservations. about 1870, that travel became reasonably safe, and even after that occasional war parties left the reservations and returned to their old trade of murder and plunder. It was the probable attack. Often 200 men of more were thus banded together. Each wagon was drawn by eight mules or horses or by six or eight oxen, the Knight and Chambers party, consist- white canvas covered Conestoga wagons, made in Pittsburg, being em-

After the first tentative years of the traffic oxen were the preferred draught animals. For better protection against the Indians, it was customary for four wagons to travel abreast. In addition to the drivers, a number of horsemen always accompanied the trains, their duties being to kill buffalo, antelope and other game to supply fresh meat to the company, and to keep a sharp lookout for signs of Indians. Before the start was made a captain was chosen, and the long journey was made under his orders, under something like military organization. Camping places were selected by the scouts in advance, with a view to securing plenty of water and good pasturage for the stock. three wagons along. Although he was At night the wagons were arranged in circular form, to serve as a fort in case of attack. Watches and guards were posted and relieved at frequent intervals. Cooks and scouts were employed, and everything possible was done to obviate danger and to expedite the trip. But in spite of all precautions, attacks by Indians were common, and it is sometimes said that every rod of the Santa Fe Trail is marked by a grave.

Little Partnership Bargains.

Pawnbrokers' shops do not offer many attractions to the prosperous as a rule, but one young woman who is given to prowling about the less familiar parts of this big city has discovered that they are just the places to find bargains, says the New York

"I wouldn't want to buy a set of furs or a dinner service in one of them," she said, "but for small, queer things-little luxuries that one would hardly treat one's-selfeto at first-hand in an up-town shop-they are capital. This string of pink coral, for instance, I had no qualms of conscience at buy ing it of a Sixth avenue 'uncle' for \$1.50, when I should have scourged myself inwardly for a week if I had got it in a smart jeweler's on Fifth avenue, say. But, then, I could never have afforded it there. A silver penknife, with a handsome repousse back, was another of my iniquities. I picked it up for a song-50 cents, to be exact -on East Broadway. A lovely carved ivory crucifix came from a particular ly mean-looking little den in the Bowery-something pathetic about that pawned crucifix, don't you think so?and a nice jade bracelet. They were had to be traversed over waterless all dirt cheap. Somehow you don't feel so extravagant buying these and the sandstorms and tempests that things at a pawnshop-and then you sometimes overtook the caravans get so much local color thrown in for

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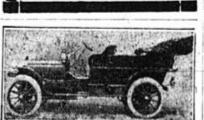
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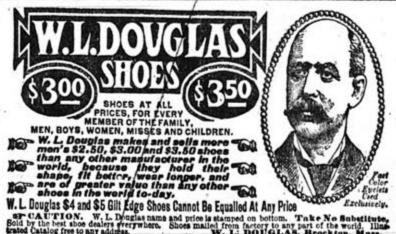
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canaba Tuesday.

E. J. Bergman transacted business at Green Bay this week. Fred Philips of Wilson visited here

Carl Hull made a trip to Powers Saturday night.

Mrs. F. A. Wademan of Escanabe visited here last Saturday. A large crowd of Bark River people attended the school entertainment at

Harris on Friday night of last week. There was a lecture and stereopti-

can entertainment at the school here Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Frechette spent several days at the Bay Shore cottage

Miss Lillian Labre of Spalding was a

Bark River visitor on Sunday. Miss Knowles of Marquette was the guest of Miss Dottie Frechette the

latter part of last week. Miss Lillian Harris and Miss Laura McCarthy were visitors in Bark River on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Fraser of Powers visited here last Friday.

of about 30 Escanaba friends last Sun- Garden as Deacon, and Rev. Geo. La-

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An elaborate supper was served and in the evening music and games served to furnish a most enjoy-

> Miss Emma Bonno a well known and popular young lady of Bark River and Mr. John Jaszkowiak of Winside Neb., were married Tuesday morning at St. George's church, the Rev Wm. B. Stahl officiating. Daniel Bonno, brother of the bride was best man and Miss Rose Jaszkowiak, a sister of the groom, served as bridesmaid. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of friends. Excellent music was rendered by the choir, Miss Theresa Stahl presiding at the organ. A wedding breakfast was served to the bridal party at the home of the bride and the couple left on the evening train for Winside, Neb. to make their future

A pretty wedding took place at Schaffer Tuesday morning when Miss Louise Tanguay of Schaffer and Mr. Frank Langlois of Iron Mountain were united in marriage. The wedding ceremonies were most impressive the marriage vows being taken with solemn high mass. Three priests took part in the ceremonies, Rev. Th. V. Dassylva Miss Viola Hutt entertained a party as celebrant, Rev. Paul DeGolvan of

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forest of Manistique as sub-deacon and who also delivered the sermon. Miss Rose Langlois was bridesmaid and Mr. Alexander Langlois was groomsman. The bride is a niece of Rev. Father Dassylva and has many friends. The young couple left Tuesday evening for a wedding trip to Chicago.

ROCK

The township board has decided to build a much needed new school house on Ridge St.

Albert Larson has begun the erection of a fine new residence on Roosevelt

Quite a number of the young people attended the wedding dance at Turin

B. J. Goodman of Ishpeming, was here on business Wednesday.

Master Lawrence Kirby of Sands, is visiting relatives here this week.

C. Clausen of Escanaba was inspectng ties here the first of the week.

Louis England went to Escanaba Wednesday.

Frank Trombly drove to Beaver Wednesday.

Ernest and Lawrence Brow of Ottawa Canada arrived here last week. We inderstand Messrs. Brow are well pleased with their new location and expect to make this their future home.

Now that a movement has been started to make this a good town why not agitate a telephone system for this village? There are so many homes and places of business in a radius of a mile that the cost would be very small and the benefits would be manifold.

In a pitchers' battle which lasted for eleven innings our boys and the strong Lathrop team clashed on the local grounds Sunday with the score 6 and 6. Neither side was able to score after the sixth inning and it was decided to play it out next Sunday. The features of the game were the pitching of Johnson for Maple Ridge and Curran for Lathrop.

The ball game got too exciting for a horse tied near the ball grounds and he started on a rampage of his own. After running through the ball grounds he ran through a couple of wire fences and finally got tangled up in a boardfence where he was stopped with little damage done.

PERKINS GLEANINGS

Miss Ella Norden and brother Raymond spent Thursday and Friday at

Mrs. Connelly of Montana and Elvina Nilander of Escanaba visited Miss Selma Nelson a few days this week.

The coffee social given at Mr. John Nelson's home last Saturday for the benefit of the Sweedish church was a success. The proceeds amounted to

Don't fail to call at Mrs. Kate Whitney's Sunday and enjoy a dish of icecream. She is to sell it every Sunday during the summer.

Messers. Joseph Mirron, Dan Sarasin and Archie Lanchoir went to Marquette Wednesday.

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Mrs. Mitchel Geron Sr. of Escanaba s visiting relatives here this week. Mr. Lingley of Trombly, was in town

Mr. Dave Downy of Hermansville was seen here Wednesday. H. H. Lanchour made a flying trip

to Thompsons mill Wednesday. Mr. Perron of Perronville is visiting Mr. Dolph Pilon this week.

Keep the drafts out but let the fresh air into the barn through properly provided ducts.

The lucky farmer is the farmer who knows that right methods and hard work produce results.

Begin small and go slow is a good rule for one who thinks he can make a fortune in the poultry business. Chaff to scratch in and grit to grind

the food after it is found are two elements of successful poultry keeping. Where there are many chickens to

be hatched it is better to trust to the incubator than to depend upon the

Have it arranged so that the hens

can get out when they feel like. They will keep in out of the cold winds and chilly rains. Charcoal is quite essential to the

health of the flock. Keep it where

they can get at it as well as oyster

shells and grit. From now on have an eye out for the lice which begin their campaign early and are the most persistent foe

of the poultryman.

The hen that does not get busy and pay her board bill by filling the egg basket should be made to cash in at the market and square up.

Given the right conditions and the right food and your chickens, if they are any good at all, will produce the eggs, and fertile ones as well.

One of the most satisfactory solutions of the farm labor problem to-day is the installing of modern farm machinery with the gasoline engine to run it.

Get the colts used to being handled. Do not be afraid of spoiling them by petting. The advice of some farms not to handle the colts for fear of spoiling them is against reason and experience.

Do work on the road alongside of your place this spring. It will improve the road, improve the appearance of your place, improve the feelings of those who drive along the highway and will improve your peace

Now is the time to treat the seed wheat and seed oats if smut is at all prevalent in your district. One method of treatment is to make a solution of 50 gallons of water and one pound of formaldehyde and soak the grain for two hours in this. It has become customary on many farms, however, to pile the oats or other grain to be treated on the barn floor and sprinkle the liquid over them till they are thoroughly soaked, shoveling the grain over till the poison has destroyed the germs. This is easier, and the men that practice it say that it is as effective as the other method. The grain, after being coaked, should be dried at once to prevent any harm coming

Opinions differ as to the good or ill effects of feeding clover hay to horses. Some contend that it causes heaves and similar throat and lung troubles. And old farmer of long experience who has med many hundred tons of clover hay to horses and colts, as well as cattle and sheep, declares that such hay is much superior, in all respects, to the best timothy or red top hay that can be made. The city horsemen and teamsters will not buy clover hay, regardless of its comparatively low price, because they are prejudiced against its use. They are paying \$10 to \$15 per ton for timothy hay, which is usually so ripe that it is only a trifle better than oat straw. And yet the chemist tells us that such hay contains fully double the quantity of nutrients that can be found in the best timothy or upland prairie hay. The old cow tells about the same story when she fills the milk pail while feeding on clover hay or pasture.

The care which cows get is not always the care which the cows ought to have. The government bureau of animal husbandry is out with these suggestions: Have the herd examined frequently by a skilled veterinarian. Promptly remove any animals suspected of being in bad health. Never add an animal to the herd until certain it is free from disease, especially tuberculosis. Never allow a cow to be excited by hard driving, abuse, loud talking or unnecessary disturbances. Do not unduly expose her to cold or storms. Clean the entire body of the cow daily. Hair in the region of the udder should be kept short. Wipe the udder and surrounding parts with a clean damp cloth before milking. Do not allow sny strong flavored feed, such as garlic, cabbage or turnips, to be eaten except immediately after milking. Salt should always be accessible. Radical changes in feed should be made gradually. Have fresh pure water in abundance, easy of ac-

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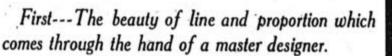
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