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## THIS IS

The place where it pays to buy table supplies, fruits and vegetables. Comparison determines the merits of most things. Comparison should determine you in the place you buy your foods—comparison of cleanliness of store, satisfaction of service, quality and reliability of goods, reasonableness of price. We invite comparison of our store in these essentials with any other grocery in Gladstone and such comparison should convince you that it pays to come here for your table supplies.

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"THE QUALITY STORE."

PHONE 51

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Phone 191

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Nice New Mackerel, just salt enough, fat ones at

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## HOW ARE THESE?

|                                   |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
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| Spanish Onions, per pound.....    | 6c  |
| Pickling Onions, per quart.....   | 8c  |
| Dry Onions, per peck.....         | 50c |
| Cabbages, per pound.....          | 4c  |
| Hubbard Squash, each.....         | 20c |
| Grape Fruit, each.....            | 10c |
| Oranges, per dozen.....           | 40c |
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| California Grapes, per pound..... | 13c |
| California Pears, per dozen.....  | 30c |

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ELOF HANSON  
GROCER

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## BASEBALL NEWS.

Yes, Gladstone beat Escanaba Sunday—but, it is sad to relate—we didn't shut em out as they ought to have been.

Gladstone did not play Escanaba another game this week. On Monday it rained—and on Thursday it snowed.

The Tigers of Gladstone went out Sunday and beat the Tigers of Manistique by the score of 12 to 9. Their opponents have won many games from the amateurs of their section. The Tigers have played eleven games this season, winning eleven and losing eight. They have yet a scheduled game with the Soo Lins.

Escanaba at Gladstone, August 21, 1910.

| SUMMARY              |    | AB. R. H. PO. A. E. |   |    |    |
|----------------------|----|---------------------|---|----|----|
| Escanaba—            |    |                     |   |    |    |
| F. Olmsted, 2b.....  | 3  | 0                   | 0 | 1  | 0  |
| Lentz, ss.....       | 3  | 1                   | 1 | 0  | 0  |
| Aronson, 3b.....     | 4  | 0                   | 0 | 0  | 0  |
| N. Walch, lf.....    | 4  | 0                   | 1 | 2  | 0  |
| M. Walch, 2b.....    | 4  | 0                   | 1 | 13 | 0  |
| J. Walch, rf, c..... | 4  | 0                   | 3 | 0  | 0  |
| Enders, cf.....      | 3  | 0                   | 0 | 1  | 0  |
| Connor, c.....       | 2  | 0                   | 1 | 5  | 0  |
| M. Olmsted, p.....   | 3  | 0                   | 0 | 1  | 2  |
| McDonald, rf.....    | 1  | 0                   | 0 | 1  | 0  |
| *Nolden.....         | 1  | 0                   | 0 | 0  | 0  |
|                      | 32 | 1                   | 7 | 24 | 10 |

\*Batted for M. Olmsted in 9th.

| Gladstone—          |    | AB. R. H. PO. A. E. |   |    |    |
|---------------------|----|---------------------|---|----|----|
| Pease, rf.....      | 4  | 0                   | 1 | 0  | 0  |
| McNally, lf.....    | 4  | 1                   | 0 | 4  | 0  |
| Bilger, 2b.....     | 4  | 0                   | 1 | 2  | 1  |
| Loell, 1b.....      | 5  | 0                   | 2 | 10 | 0  |
| Frederberg, cf..... | 3  | 0                   | 0 | 2  | 0  |
| Bush, 2b.....       | 3  | 1                   | 0 | 1  | 0  |
| Richards, c.....    | 2  | 0                   | 1 | 9  | 1  |
| Bendt, ss.....      | 3  | 1                   | 1 | 3  | 0  |
| Miller, p.....      | 2  | 0                   | 0 | 0  | 4  |
|                     | 28 | 3                   | 6 | 27 | 10 |

Score by innings—

|                | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Escanaba.....  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Gladstone..... | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |

Stolen bases—Connors, McNally, Loell, Bendt. Sacrifice hits—Lentz, Loell, Richards, Miller. Two base hits—J. Walch, Loell. Struck out—By Miller, 6; by Olmsted, 4. Base on balls—Off Miller, 1. Time of game—1:20. Umpires—Hamilton and Nelson.

To August 24.

|                      |      |
|----------------------|------|
| Games played.....    | 30   |
| Won.....             | 14   |
| Lost.....            | 15   |
| Tied.....            | 1    |
| Percentage.....      | .467 |
| League Standing..... |      |
| Played.....          | 18   |
| Won.....             | 6    |
| Lost.....            | 12   |
| Percentage.....      | .333 |

## INSURGENT UNMASKED.

If there is a blatant anti-Tariff shouter in Congress, it is Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin. He fairly raves in his abuse of the Aldrich-Payne Tariff and howls about "monopoly," "privilege," "predatory trusts," etc., with demagogic fervor. But when it comes to anything Wisconsin wants, this fierce Free-Trader for the products of other states becomes a high Protectionist in short order—a salient illustration of the Hancock theory. Of course Cannon and Cannonism have no louder opponent than this Wisconsin firebrand, whose professed love of the people is only surpassed by his actual love of office. In his Kansas speech, the other day, Speaker Cannon showed the utter humbuggery of LaFollette's low tariff professions, and his agonizing concern for the consumers, in the following forceful paragraph:

I refused to make a dicker with some of the big publishers whereby they were toot my horn in return for free print paper, and now they are abusing me. Some magazines and newspapers are making their wares like the Yankee made razors to sell. They are feeding the public on misrepresentations, believing that the people want it. The Tariff on print paper has caused the republican party more trouble than any other one thing. And what happened when we tried to reduce the duty on print paper to \$2 a ton? Why, that archangel of reform from Wisconsin, who talks six hours at a time at Chautauquas denouncing the Tariff, solemnly arose and said that the old duty of \$6 a ton was not high enough for the Wisconsin paper mills. And we had to compromise by making the Tariff \$3.75 a ton instead of \$3, as the House had voted."

Yet a lot of newspapers which make such a hue and cry over the duty on print paper delight in abusing Uncle Joe Cannon and in praising Bob LaFollette, who would more than double the Tariff on it if he could have his way.—Troy Press.

## NO EXCITEMENT.

The Marquette Mining Journal effectually punctures the claims of the political press agents who claim an enthusiastic unanimity and 50,000 upper peninsula votes for their candidates. "As a matter of fact the public generally is not taking any great interest in the coming primaries and it is not expected that there will be anything like a full Republican vote cast. Those well qualified to judge predict that the primary vote in the upper peninsula will not exceed 30,000, while there are many who claim that it will be nearer 20,000. North of the straits there exists the same apparent the primaries, that is causing the candidates so much concern in the lower state counties, and the fact is that a general apathy toward the result of large proportion of the voters have as yet given the primary election little if any concern.

County Clerk Frank G. Jenks is now engaged in a count of the enrolled voters of the county for the purpose of determining how many primary ballots must be printed for each party. He reports that the lists are absolutely unreliable, as far as determining the actual number of qualified voters is concerned, owing to the numerous names on the lists which should have been stricken out, as the men have long ago gone out of the precinct. In some instances, names of men who have been dead for five years are still listed as qualified voters.

It is the general opinion that the situation in Marquette city exemplifies that of the whole upper peninsula and that the down state politicians have been scared by a mere phantom. Neither the mining companies nor the general public is showing the interest in the primary election that would naturally be expected."

## Buy Right.

I have three or four good houses at \$400 to \$450 and others at higher figures all nicely located. See

C. W. Lightfoot.

## BEATS 'EM ALL.

Gladstone leads the world in the manufacture of the famous Bay de Noc cigars, the best you can buy for ten cents—or more.

GAUFIN BROTHERS.

August 27, 1910. September 10, 1910.

## Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba in said county on the twentieth day of August, A. D. 1910.

Present: Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of ESTELLA GAITLAND, Deceased  
Ella Desmond, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Hugh Gartland or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, that the nineteenth day of September, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;  
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Gladstone Delta, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true copy. JUDG YELLAND, Judge of Probate.  
ELIZABETH SCHWITZKY, Register of Probate.

August 20, 1910. September 24, 1910.

## Homestead Notice.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
U. S. LAND OFFICE, at MARQUETTE, MICH.  
AUGUST 15, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that AXEL JOHNSON, of Escanaba, Mich., who, on June 14, 1906, made Homestead Entry No. 11967, Serial No. 01323, for E½ of S24, Section 22, Township 43 N., Range 24 West, Michigan Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Delta County, Michigan, at Escanaba, Michigan, on the 27th day of September, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Charles Asp of Escanaba, Mich.  
Magnus Johnson of " "  
Peter Anderson of " "  
George Williams of " "

JAMES J. DONOVAN, Register.

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I have a new mixer and will take all contracts for

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CHARLES W. MALLOCH.

Candidate for

Register of Deeds

Tuesday, September 6.



I have endeavored to discharge the duties of register of deeds faithfully and well and to accommodate to the extent of my power every patron of my Office. If you have ever transacted any business at my desk, I refer you to my record. If not, I can refer you to anyone who knows me, to any man of business. I ask for your support on the basis of my experience and qualifications for the work as register, and thank you for any service that you may render me at the coming Republican primary.

Charles W. Malloch.

## TIM J. CURRAN

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF DELTA COUNTY



I was born in Delta County, January 3rd, 1874. My parents were among the first settlers of Delta county. I have held several official positions. I was Highway Commissioner four years and was Supervisor in my township during 1907-08. I have held the important position of Undersheriff since January 1st, 1909. My experience as Under-Sheriff has made my qualifications unquestioned for the office of sheriff. I ask the support of the People of Delta County on my qualifications and record.

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The Funny Swede Girl from Minnesota

Supported by a strong company

A Comedy-Drama of the Northwest

Played Over 100 Nights in Chicago

Own Special Scenery for each Act. Beautiful Costumes, Funny Comedians, Latest Music and Advanced Vaudeville.

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Sweet "Swede" "Tilly Olson"

"She Bane so Yolly"

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Reserved Seats Now on Sale at Stewart's Drug Store

Stewart's Drug Store

## JOHN A. SEMER

CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK

Having been attentive to my official duties for a year and a half, doing everything in my power to effect economy in my department of the county's business and to conduce to the convenience of the people, I think I am entitled to the benefit of the custom which the people of Delta county follow in electing an efficient officer to a second term.

I have kept my office open evenings for the convenience of working-men who could not spare the time from their day's labor; I have always been found at my desk by those who had business with the county; and if you believe that attention to the public business is worthy of notice, I respectfully solicit your vote at the primaries.

"One good term deserves another."

JOHN A. SEMER.

## CANNING TIME



We would call your attention to our line of "Elite" Imported Austrian Enamelled Ware. This is a strictly high grade line of goods—three coats of enamel on heavy steel base—pure white inside and a handsome cream color mottled effect on the outside—an enamel that is as hard as flint and as smooth as glass and is not effected by fruit acids and is absolutely sanitary and non-poisonous.

Owing to delay in getting these goods from Austria we have concluded to discontinue this line and have

REDUCED PRICES

about 1-3 to close out the assortment as soon as possible. At present there is a fine assortment, including many sizes of preserving kettles, Berlin Kettles, Stew Pans, Straight Sauce Pans, Rice Boilers, Milk Kettles, Pudding and Dairy Pans, Tea and Coffee Pots, Dippers, Cups etc. The ware is fully guaranteed and the prices will interest you.

H. W. Blackwell

HARDWARE

DO YOU READ THE GLADSTONE DELTA?

# GLADSTONE DELTA

C. E. MASON, Publisher

GLADSTONE MICHIGAN

We are at the mercy of the aviators.

As we remember it now, winter had some good points.

To orphan banana republics the fatherland refuses to be a mother.

Now here come the dentists with that anti-kissing thing, too.

Going swimming looks like the only rational employment in hot weather.

The army may have to help devise means for a sane artillery drill.

Are there any records that this year's weather has not broken?

Europe might try exporting its surplus rainwater to our middle west.

As a diversion to swatting the fly, keep your stable clean, if you've got one.

Chopping Americans into little bits is still a favorite pastime of the Moros.

Speaking of weights and measures prosecutions, how'd you like to be the ice man?

Swatting the common house fly is now one of our most popular indoor lady sports.

Even though the water is fine, if you can't swim, don't go in beyond your depth.

For the sake of thirsty crops any good citizen should willingly sacrifice his straw hat.

"What's the right word for an aeroplane garage?" asks the Boston Globe. How's plansbook?

What has become of the Chicago joy rider who killed a woman and was afterward captured?

The assistant chef of a lake boat refused to cook fried potatoes and the chef at once mashed him.

The boat rocker and the fellow who stands up in the boat are in evidence again, but have escaped so far.

As if it were not bad enough for the earth to fly up and hit aeroplanes, lightning has begun striking them.

What bald-headed man had hoped to live to see a flyless world? Yet that is what the scientists are planning.

Giddy New York regards the idea of closing its lobster palaces at 1 a. m. as very little better than a curfew law.

We wonder how one small cone can hold so many kinds of chemicals, and have room left for a nickel's worth of ice cream.

It costs \$2,000,000 a day to run the national government. What will the government cost when aeroplaneing is in fashion?

A Chicago man paid \$300 for "mere bit of a meal." It probably was a steak with one overlying slice of breakfast bacon.

The government is turning out 3,000,000 postal cards a day, due to the summer resort season being in full blast, we presume.

United States certificates of merit to enlisted men are going largely to the cooks and musicians. Has no one a word for a soldier?

Rudyard Kipling urges that arm men wear pneumatic armor for protection in case of accident. That is simpler than covering the earth with feather beds.

Considering the size of the heads of some of the hatpins that the girls are wearing, they certainly do not come under the law forbidding the carrying of concealed weapons.

The word-catcher has an easy task. All he needs to do in expressing his views on a public policy is to select the name of a man he dislikes and attach the syllable "lam."

London and New York may soon be connected with telephone communication. None of the fictitious of fairy tales can surpass this modern miracle of a chat over the ocean.

The Kaiser has been writing poetry to a party of German maidens who called upon him and took him chocolate. Incidentally, it is to be hoped the chocolate was better than the poetry.

One of the latest aeroplane accidents shows that it is bad to be in a flying machine hit by lightning, in the air. But where is being struck by lightning either comfortable or salubrious?

Some of New York's most wealthy and fashionable women are importing French aeroplanes and preparing to learn to fly. Philadelphia women have taken the lead at Newport, and there seems to be nothing for the New York ladies to do but fly high around home.

# MUCH NOISE AT FAIR NEXT MONTH

## Says Nearly All of the Big Shows Have Loud "Bally Hoos"

### BANDS WILL BE PRESENT

Dancing Girls, Diving Horses, Deep Sea Divers, Human Curiosities of All Kinds, Besides Many Interesting Shows.

Lansing.—"The finest bunch of noise ever gathered together at any state fair will greet the visitors at the Michigan state fair next month"—such is the promise.

Miss Zue McClary, the Midway expert, who has charge of the Midway at the coming fair, says nearly all of the big shows have the loudest and most effective "bally-hoos" she ever heard. Brass bands will be present without number, while the loud-voiced spellers, megaphone men, tom-toms, callopes and other sound-producers will all go to make up a bedlam of noise which will be hard to pass by.

Nearly all of the Midway attractions which will show at the coming state fair come from Toronto or the New York state fair at Syracuse, and to meet the demands of this heavy shipment the Grand Trunk will run a special "Midway train." Nothing but a wreck can prevent the arrival of all the shows on Sunday, so they will be ready to do business bright and early Monday morning. Opening on time has been the watchword of the fair management this year, and everything on the Midway will be ready.

Dancing girls, diving horses, deep sea divers, human curiosities of all kinds and from all climes will be present, besides many interesting and instructive shows which will present unusual things not often seen. When their final announcements are made it is likely that there will be over 20 separate attractions on the Midway. Trained wild animals will play an important part on the Midway this year.

### Timber at \$1.50 to \$4 a Thousand.

At a meeting of the public domain commission held a price was fixed at which the dead and down timber on the state forest reserves will be sold.

Green white pine that has been fire killed in the last three or four years will be \$4 per thousand feet. Norway pine fire killed, dead or down, \$2.50 per thousand; tamarack, fire killed, dead or down, \$2; hemlock, fire killed, dead or down, \$1.50. Old white pine that has been dead a number of years and perhaps was dead at the time the lumbering operations were in progress, which is commonly called "dry kie," \$2. It is understood that no green or growing timber will be disposed of, and the lumbering operations are to be conducted under the supervision of the state forester.

At present only the down and dead timber on the state forest reserves will be sold, and after that is disposed of, timber on other state lands will be placed on the market. The state expects to be enriched many thousand dollars as a result of these sales.

### Phone Tax Law Upheld by Kuhn.

The answer of the attorney general to the bill of complaint of a number of the large telephone companies in their suit against the state has been filed. The companies contended the law which exempted from taxation telephone companies whose gross earnings did not amount to over \$500 was unconstitutional and void, as it was discrimination.

The answer denies that there is discrimination in that such companies are in a different classification, covering entirely different grounds and use. The answer contends that tax laws are created for revenue and that an attempt to collect the tax from such a small company would cost more than the revenue derived.

### Primary Petition Rush Under Way.

Secretary of State Martindale has placed practically the entire department staff at work checking primary election petitions, in order to get the count finished in time to certify the names of successful candidates for places on the primary election ballots. Petitions are arriving in large numbers and the clerks are working extra hours. The entries closed on August 22, and the certification must be made by Secretary Martindale within a few days thereafter in order to get the tickets printed in time for election and it is this feature of the primary system which is requiring extra work to conclude the checking of the petitions.

### Judge Montgomery and State Squabble

The state board of auditors has made formal demand that Judge R. M. Montgomery of the federal court of customs, formerly chief supreme state justice return 159 volumes of Michigan reports valued at \$300. The books contain supreme court decisions with which the judge was furnished while on the state bench.

In deciding the books state property, Attorney General Kuhn cites section 1570 of the compiled laws of 1897.

# Athletics Stop Narcotics Use.

Lansing.—Prof. C. S. Berry of the U. of M., in a lecture before the Ann Arbor School of Religion, came out broadly for athletics.

"The problem of modern education is not merely the development of the mind regarded as an independent entity, but rather education of the mind and body together," said he. "Toward this end athletic associations have been established. It is estimated that five times as much money is being spent each year for athletics as was spent 15 years ago. The Y. M. C. A., the church and the social settlements are awakening to the fact that physical development is a basis for moral development.

"Front state statistics it has been found that the reduction in the use of narcotics by high school pupils is due in small part to the teaching of the principles of hygiene, but mainly to encouragement of athletics. Ninety-three per cent. of the high school superintendents of this state vouch for the good influences of athletics upon the moral development of the school. Seventy-five per cent. of the boys in this state are engaged in high school athletics, and in order to do this they must be industrious in their school work. The requirements of the State Interscholastic association are strict."

In conclusion, Professor Berry fired the following shot into the camp of the anti-athletic camp of the literary professors:

"Taking into consideration athletics, literature, art, etc., the former is doing most for the moral development of the high school girl and boy. Today teachers must be educated to see the relationship of physical and mental development. We can develop healthier bodies and stronger minds in the youth today, only by awakening the health conscience of the teachers."

### Forty-Seven Drown During July.

There were 3,978 deaths reported to the department of state as having occurred during the month of July. This number corresponds to an annual death rate of 13.7 per 1,000 estimated population. An increase of 81 deaths is shown over the month immediately preceding.

By ages there were 702 deaths of infants under one year of age; 197 of children aged one to four years inclusive, and 327 deaths of elderly persons aged sixty-five years and over.

Important causes of deaths were as follows: Pulmonary tuberculosis, 165; other forms of tuberculosis, 44; typhoid fever, 28; diphtheria and croup, 26; scarlet fever, 11; measles, 20; whooping cough, 28; pneumonia and broncho-pneumonia, 74; diarrhea and enteritis under two years of age, 321; meningitis, 49; influenza, 4; cancer, 184; violence, 269.

As compared with the month immediately preceding, a decrease is noted in the number of deaths from consumption, diphtheria and croup, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough, pneumonia, influenza and cancer. An increase is noted in the number of deaths returned from tuberculosis other than the lungs, typhoid fever, meningitis and violence. Included in the deaths from violence are 47 from drowning, 22 from heat and five from lightning. There were also 17 deaths from tetanus, the majority of which, however, did not result from Fourth of July accidents. One death was reported from smallpox as having occurred in the city of Manistee, Manistee county.

There were 4,994 certificates of birth returned to the department as having occurred during the month of July. This corresponds to an annual rate of 22.2 per 1,000 estimated population. The number returned was an increase of 275 over June.

### Ask Teddy to State Fair.

Will Roosevelt attend the coming state fair?

That's the question paramount around state fair headquarters in the Bowles building.

An invitation has been extended and this has been backed by a monster petition which, when completed, will contain over 150,000 names of prominent men and farmers of the state.

No answer has been received as yet—but it is expected soon.

The state grand, through the efforts of Grand Master N. P. Hall, was the first organization to come across with its petition. Over 42,000 names are attached to this first petition, and others have been circulating for some time among the Masonic and other fraternal orders. These, it is conservatively estimated, will number 100,000 more names.

Secretary J. E. Hannon of the state fair has been working on this as a prize attraction for the coming fair, but doesn't care to express himself as to what he thinks of the chances of the success. No efforts have been spared in trying to show Roosevelt how cordially he will be received by the management and the people, and it is hoped that the opportunity afforded of talking to so many farmers and other residents of the state will appeal to him.

### Cooley Values Power Plants

Prof. M. E. Cooley has filed with the state railroad commission his appraisal of the properties of the water power companies which have applications before the commission for large bond issues. He states that the present physical value of the Grand Rapids-Muskegon Power company plant is \$3,796,786, and that it can be reproduced for \$3,913,482. The Pontiac Power Company plant is valued at \$223,889 and can be reproduced for \$225,110.

# STATE HAPPENINGS

### Howell—Six different states and Canada were represented at the annual reunion of the Crittenden family here.

The following officers were elected: President, Dr. S. S. Crittenden, Batavia, N. Y.; vice-presidents, Mrs. J. W. Bailey, Overton, Conn.; Crittenden Marriott, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. J. W. Young Adams, N. Y.; historian, A. E. Crittenden, Howell; secretary, Prof. A. R. Crittenden, Ann Arbor; treasurer, Sheldon Crittenden, Ypsilanti. The next reunion will be held at Eaton Rapids.

Yale.—Mrs. Margaret Glendennin has gone to Marion, O., to meet two sisters and a brother whom she has not seen in 52 years. They were separated by a misfortune in childhood.

Coldwater.—Leon Anton, 13 years old, lost control of an auto while driving on Chicago street, and crashed into the front of N. E. Roby's drug store, doing damage estimated at \$40. He also ran over a bicycle standing at the curb.

Port Huron.—David Lander, 73 years old, a pioneer of Port Huron, dropped lead while displaying a fine catch of fish to a number of friends. It is thought that excitement brought on by his success caused heart disease.

Chesaning.—The difficulties of school district No. 5 are increasing since the trouble over the leasing of the school ground, which resulted in a flat fight. The school board has resigned. The lease of the grounds expired last April and no renewal lease will be given for over five years.—Christ Jesneck, district manager of the Saginaw Sugar Co. fell from a scaffolding at Henderson, where the new weigh station is being built, and drove a big nail completely through his hand. Prompt attendance has prevented blood poisoning.

Traverse City.—The Fire Lake Monitor, after 20 years of existence, has been abolished, the Grand Traverse Herald acquiring the subscription list. William A. Kent was the publisher. He will engage in another business.

Charlotte.—Edward Jones is in jail here, charged with beating Mrs. Harriette Story, his landlady. She is 70 years old.

Quincy.—The Postmaster Zack La Zelle came here from his home in Delta to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Babcock, and died after a few hours illness.

Calumet.—John Maki, aged about 30, residence unknown, was found dead on a railroad crossing at Lake Linden. He is believed to have come here from Duluth.

Brooklyn.—Lester Mitchell, 13 years old, was drowned in Vineyard lake, one mile east. He was bathing with a number of companions when he stepped into a deep hole and went down.

Battle Creek.—Wayne Stafford, 20 years old, was drowned while attempting to swim from Park Bedler, Lake Goguc, to Ward's Island. When about 400 feet from shore, he gave a cry for help and sank. Stafford was a machinist and had been working at Kokomo, Ind., having come home to visit his father.

Marquette.—Joseph Shimon, of Humbolt, was shot from ambush while on his way to the American mine, and will probably die. Three suspects have been arrested.

Ann Arbor.—William Dunkley, lately appointed chief chemist for the Getis Gas syndicate, with headquarters at Philadelphia, and a member of the \$08 chemical engineering class of the U. of M., was married to Miss Pansy Belle Daley of this city.

Lansing.—The bank River State bank of Bark River, Mich., filed articles of incorporation in the sum of \$20,000, and the same were approved by the state banking department.

Saginaw.—Congressman J. W. Fordney of this city, has given about 10 acres of fine wooded land, near the western city limits, and will convert it into a public park.

Carson City.—Alger Fillmore, 16, has been taken to the county jail at Stanton on a charge of forgery. He was visiting his grandfather, W. B. Russell, a few miles west of here. It is charged that he stole a check drawn by M. C. Johnson to Mr. Russell. The lad forged the name of his grandfather as endorser and cashed the check at Butternut. He then hired a livery rig, drove to Middleton, got a woman friend and drove back to crystal. Here he was arrested and taken to Stanton.

Saginaw.—Judge W. R. Hendricks, register of deeds of Patterson and County clerk Humphrey were hurled in a ditch from an auto owned and driven by William Payne, while returning from a political picnic at Nelson. The front axle of the car broke. None of the party was seriously injured. Congressman J. W. Fordney of this city has given about 10 acres of land, near the western limits of the city, and will convert it into a public park.

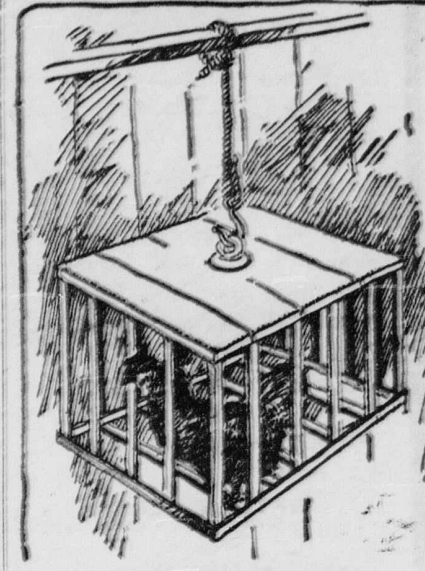
Saginaw.—John Kenneth Smith, the three weeks' old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, of Marine City, Mich., who was making his first trip to Saginaw with his parents to see his grandparents, died en route on a Pere Marquette train of the Huron division. The parents and grandparents are disconsolate.—There is a proposition before the council to have a second vote on the proposed issue of \$400,000 water bonds take place Sept. 6, when the primaries are held. The vote would be gotten out then, it is thought. The first vote was lost by a scant count.

# POULTRY

### "BREAKING UP" BROODY HENS

Novel Device Arranged so That Hen Will Quickly Lose All Desire to Set on Nest.

With some kinds of poultry, especially the heavier breeds, more or less trouble is caused by the tendency to



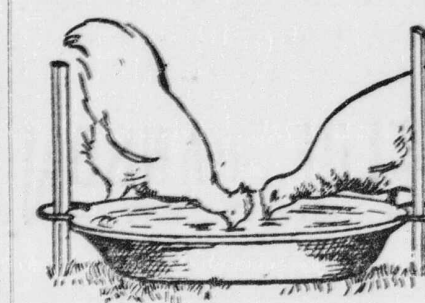
Cures Desire to Set.

become broody, says a writer in an exchange. There are many ways to break up this desire to set, but one of the best I have tried is to provide a box about a foot and a half square and a foot high. The bottom and sides should be made of laths or strips of wood and the top of boards or lath. In case lath is used on top a heavy strip of wood should be nailed across the top to which a rope can be attached. This rope is then tied to a beam in the ceiling and the cage suspended in the air. When a hen becomes broody and it is not desired to have her set, she is put into this box. If she walks around in it the box will teeter and the hen consequently has to keep balancing herself. The novel sensation soon takes away from the fowl all desire to set and, after a day or two, she is content to go back to her work of helping bear the white man's burden.

### DRINKING PAN FOR POULTRY

Excellent Method of Placing Vessel in Yard to Allow Chickens to Get Water.

This is a way of locating a pan of water for fowls to drink from without



A Good Drinking Pan.

out having it upset and spilled. Two new laths should be driven into the ground several inches and a new pan wired to the laths as shown, by boring a hole in opposite sides of the pan through the rim.

# POULTRY NOTES

Let other folks do the fancy poultry business. You stick to practical work.

Never feed mash or grain in soiled feed troughs.

The often neglected youngsters should be supplied with plenty of shade during hot weather.

When feeding grain throw it broadcast all over the lot so that all the fowls may have an equal chance.

Open turkey houses can be shut up during rain storms by leaning boards against the sides.

Young chicks should not be allowed to roost too early. Let them seek the roost of their own free will.

Throwing out whole egg shells to the fowls is a bad plan, leading to egg eating. Brown in oven and crush fine.

Keep the brooder perfectly clean, and always feed the chicks in a clean place if you want them to live and thrive.

Did you know that a turkey hen with a brood if allowed her freedom will seek a new roosting place every night.

If you intend to pay more attention to poultry, the first thing to do is to provide a suitable and convenient poultry house.

Large quantities of stale bread may be bought from a baker at 75 cents to one dollar per barrel. Soaked sufficiently to soften, it makes splendid chick feed.

No poultryman ever raises as many chicks as he plans on raising when he starts work in the spring. That is why there is always a scarcity of poultry.

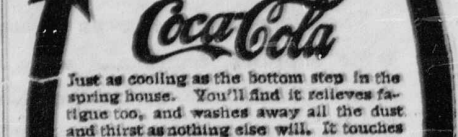
This is the season when lice hold conventions in the hen houses. Keep busy with the insect powder and the whitewash. Clean the houses and roosts as often as possible.

If we are after eggs it pays us to go after eggs in a businesslike manner. What we fancy in the way of color and general prettiness must not be considered.



# Hot Sun - Dusty Roads

By the time you reach town and light you'll be hot and tired and your throat dry with dust and dirt. Blast up a soda fountain and treat yourself to a glass or a bottle of



Just as cooling as the bottom step in the spring house. You'll find it relieves fatigue too, and washes away all the dust and dirt that's on your face. It touches the spot.

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On Some Ministers.

The worst of these here shepherds is, my boy, that they regularly turns the heads of all the young ladies about here. Lord bless their little hearts, they think it's all right, and don't know no better; but they're the victims of gammon, Samvel, they're the victims of gammon. Nothin' else, and wot aggravates me, Samvel, is to see 'em awastin' all their time and labor in making clothes for copper-colored people as don't want 'em and taking no notice of flesh-colored Christians as do. If I'd my way, Samvel, I'd just stick some of these here lazy shepherds behind a heavy wheelbarrow, and run 'em up and down a 14-inch plank all day. That 'ud shake the nonsense out of 'em, if anythin' would.—Mr. Weller, Quoted by Charles Dickens.

Excellent Definition.

"Bjornstjerne Bjornson, in his hotel fronting the Tuilleries gardens, received a few friends up to the last in Paris," said the continental agent of a typewriter firm.

"I had the honor to be among those friends and I never wearied of the great Norseman's wit and wisdom.

"The last thing he said to me, in cautioning me not to give an important provincial agency to an easy-going man of the world, was this:

"Beware the easy-going man. An easy-going man, you know, is one who makes the path of life very rough and difficult for somebody else."

In the Suburb.

"What beautiful public building is that?"

"That isn't a public building. It's old man Savitt's summer cottage."

"And whose neat little cottage is that over there with the tower on it? That little one-story frame affair?"

"That isn't a cottage. It's the First Episcopal church.—Life.

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## IRENE'S BIG STICK

By INEZ DEJARNATT COOPER

Edgerton Wilson was the victim of his own dignity. From a child he had taken himself too seriously. As a young man it grew upon him, until he married; and then his wife also fell victim to it—so thought he, although he did not clothe the idea in those words.

But he was mistaken. His wife was one of the wise ones of the earth. She had not been married six months before she realized that a certain course must be pursued.

"It's entirely too bad," said she to Mrs. Ren Wilson, her sister-in-law, "that Edgerton should be spoiled in this manner. He is too good a man and it must be stopped. He has rare ability, else he could not hold the position that he does and he is considerate and kind. He is handsome, too, and all that. But he has no idea of humor, could not possibly see that there might be anything in his seriousness intensely amusing to others."

"Well, Irene," little Mrs. Ren sighed—she sometimes envied her capable sister-in-law, "I should think that you could bring him about if anything could."

"Indeed I can," said Irene, nodding a very well-groomed head. "I think entirely too much of the real Edgerton to allow this superficial trait to mar our happiness."

This conversation took place on the first anniversary of their marriage and the third rolled around before Irene, to use her own expression, had her husband "right where she wanted him." The evening of that day Wilson brought home a lot of books on "Advanced Thought."

"We have been very happy, Irene," he explained fondly, "but, assuming a dignified air, 'it's time we took up our life's work. I have been thinking of this matter for several weeks past and feel sure that when you look into it, you will agree with me."

Irene picked up one of the volumes, de luxe edition, slender and dainty, and ran over the few pages: "The Unity of the Inner Life," she read. "Have you gone over this?"

"Know it by heart," replied he, pleased at her interest. "I always said you were a sensible little woman," he added, turning to his books.

"Well you might," said Irene with conviction. "And my sense will be the saving of you yet." But she did not utter these words aloud.

A week later, during which Wilson was pouring over his books on Advanced Thought, he came home with a thick volume entitled: "The Affinity of Soul Mates."

Irene said nothing. She had been sitting up and taking notice for three years and she was not surprised when her steady Edgerton rather shamefacedly put it away without showing it to her.

"Did you bring another book?" she asked with animation, when they sat down for an evening at home.

"Yes," he admitted guiltily. "One in the office loaned it to me."

The next day Irene spent largely in reading about affinities. The book was made up of the writings of several persons prominent in the cult and was especially pregnant with the utterances of one Sarah Johnson, who was a regular contributor likewise to the Advanced Thought Semi-Weekly, which now held a prominent place in her library.

The woman's writings were marked and underscored. Something, the reference to an incident in the woman's childhood, caused Irene to throw down the book in triumph.

"Could it be she?" she asked herself. One thing was certain—she would know. For a few moments she used the telephone and after waiting for a short time for the Advanced Thought people, she made an appointment to meet Sarah Johnson.

She and Sarah Johnson, though miles apart socially, had known each other as children. In fact, years ago Sarah's mother had been Irene's mother's cook and a very efficient one, at that. The girls had become acquainted through whispered conversations held various Saturdays in Mrs. Johnson's kitchen; for that woman brooked no noise in her orderly domain.

They had not met for years, and Irene, though not surprised that Sarah, who she had always secretly admired, should be doing anything well, was surprised at her line of work, the work which her husband had frequently underscored in the much thumbed magazines.

Admitted to the presence of the Advanced Thought writer, she recognized her at once.

"I came about the affinity talk, Sarah," said Irene by the way of coming to the point, after the greetings were over.

Sarah was glad to see the old acquaintance, but she was proud and she waited.

"You don't believe that twaddle any more than I do," said Irene bluntly. "It says best," said Sarah.

Irene elevated very straight and very dark brows. She had not had to think much about the paying part.

"I suppose that it does make some difference," she mused.

"Much," replied Sarah warmly. "I am getting a hold. I have worked at all manner of employment and this seems to be the only thing in which neither age, color, sex nor social standing makes a difference."

Irene was listening with her graceful head bent in thought. Presently she unfolded the plan to Sarah Johnson.

"I dare not offer you money, Sarah," she said, "any more than I dared offer to bribe you in the old days. But you see the trend of things and it means a lot to me. I ask you to do it as a favor—merely between friends—as when in the old days, you helped about the birds—"

"And both were severely spanked for it," interrupted Sarah reminiscently.

"That is true," assented Irene. "Perhaps I ought not to lead you into this."

"I'll take my chances now as I did then," replied Sarah, and after thanking her, Irene departed.

Things went on for several weeks, until Irene knew that the time for the mating of her husband's soul had come, and she dismissed him with a smile, feeling rather Judas-like.

"It is too bad, too, poor boy," she said. "But he will come home completely cured, and would thank me, if he knew—which he never shall."

The last article from Sarah Johnson's pen had won a letter from Wilson. The article in question had been on the "Allness of the One." It was full of gold, so he told her, and she had replied in like coin. Now, after a month's correspondence, fervid in its intensity, he, with heart beating under his well-fitting coat, went to see the author of these epistles. He felt many qualms on going to this appointment, but he tried to smother them by "holding the thought" of Oneness.

Should the friendship be purely platonic, or should he divorce Irene—Irene, whom he still loved, despite the glamor of the other—and marry Sarah Johnson?

"It shall be just as Sarah says," he breathed. "Soul mates should do soul work together and nothing, however dear, should interfere."

Clearly from her letters, Sarah Johnson understood him as he had never been understood before, as he had longed to be understood when a child. Yes, it should be just as she said.

The hour for which the appointment was set was late, for Sarah Johnson was a busy woman. That night she was billed to speak at the Negro Woman's league—"How dear and kind of her," he apostrophized. Irene, with all her winsome ways would never have consented to mix so. Indeed, he himself, he had to confess, was fastidious to a degree. Ah, well, Sarah must teach him her broad ways.

He was at her door now, a modest home in Hoyne avenue. He rang the bell and a smart negro girl admitted him and went to summon her mistress. After waiting a moment, he heard a deep, melodious voice, such a voice—sweet toned and clear, as he had not dared to hope for.

"Mr. Edgerton Wilson, I believe," said the voice.

He turned at the sound of the mellow tones and encountered a woman of magnificent proportions. "I am Sarah Johnson," said the woman.

Wilson stared, gasped, and stared again. He shuddered and choked; and despoiling himself for a coward; tried to pull himself together. For though the voice was melodious, the form magnificent, the woman faultlessly attired, she was black—undeniably black.

"You thought I was white," said Sarah Johnson, her full lip curling slightly.

"Yes," said Wilson, recovering himself, "and I thought I was white myself, but I now see my mistake. I beg your pardon and I bid you good evening."

For an hour he paced the streets, trying to regain his composure and readjust his thoughts, but to no avail. Despair himself, he certainly did, for after all, he was a man, and not a cur. The scales dropped completely from his eyes; he allowed himself but one solace to his wounded, bleeding, dying self-esteem—Irene should never know!

Remaining away until the house should be quiet, he crept home at last; for the first time in his life he was without a latch key, wondering dully how it happened, not knowing that Irene, who had abstracted it from his pocket while he was guiltily kissing her in parting, had sat fingering it for an hour, before rising to admit someone who tapped softly at the basement entrance.

It was late before Wilson stood baffled, before his house. He found by investigation that he could creep indoors by way of the pantry window, which was some eight feet from the ground.

Raising himself with the help of a bit of woodbine, he gently pushed up the window and was presently head and shoulders in the room and was in the act of raising one knee to the sill with the intention of drawing up his whole body, when suddenly the window shut down on him with a force so unexpected and so painful that he cried for help, not knowing but that he would be crushed.

It was all stillness throughout the house, but in a moment he heard the beating of feet on the paved yard below and a second later found himself grasped hands and feet by invisible forces.

The force which held his feet was part of the police force, and a lusty patrolman was drawing him with no gentle hand, towards the ground. Held by strong arms above, he was on the point of thinking that his time

had come; when out of the black chaos, flashed light the electric light of civilization; and revealed in it, stood Irene, with long flowing black hair, her eyes questioning and frightened, her child-like form enveloped in a crimson bath robe.

Blinking in the light, Wilson looked at the jailor of his upper portions, and beheld, to his unmitigated horror, a woman of color, decked in a red bandana and yellow kimona. Attired thus, no one but he—upon whom her features would always be indelibly impressed, could ever have recognized the dignified Sarah Johnson.

"Let him go, Sarah!" commanded Mrs. Wilson, whereupon Sarah relaxed the Herculean grasp and the bruised man fell on to the pavement below, and literally, as well as metaphorically, into the arms of the law.

Instantly the two women ran out to identify the chagrined and crushed man.

"You let him go, Mistah Policeman!" exclaimed Sarah, in tones of broadest African accent. "Dat's ma soul mate! Ain't you, honey?" she asked, addressing the drooping disciple of Advanced Thought.

"An' he," she continued, again addressing the policeman, with a sentimental leer, "come a seekin' ob his soul mate—a crawling on the wings ob—ob—on the wings of affinity!" concluded she triumphantly.

Wilson glanced down at his wings of affinity, brushed the dust from the knee of one of them, and tried to avoid Irene's eyes. Much to his relief, she was trying to explain matters to his captor, who departed.

The next evening he was sitting at his heartsides in a very honey-moon-like fashion, feeling rather silly and ill at ease, but cured.

"Rather good natured of your new cook," commenced he weakly, "to try to get me from the clutches of the policeman that way."

"Rather," assented Irene dryly. "I never interfere with your management of the house, Irene," he continued after a pause, "but I wish as a favor to me that you would never keep colored help. Just as a favor, you know."

"All right," agreed Irene affably. "And I've been thinking lately, that I haven't been half as interested as I ought to be in your line of thought. Shall I get out the books and have a cozy evening of research together?"

"You may burn the books," growled Wilson, leaning back with a sense of comfort and luxury, which he had not felt for months, in fact, since he had been chiefly occupied in holding the thought of the "Allness of the One."

"I'd be glad to be rid of them," he added reaching for the frivolous bejeweled little hand of his wife.

But Irene did not burn them. She carried them, instead, to a place of safety. "For," she argued, not unwisely, "I might want to use them sometime, as a Big Stick."

### HOW TO LIVE TO BE 114

Captain Diamond of San Francisco Uses Olive Oil as Age Specific.

Possibly the oldest man in the United States is Capt. G. E. D. Diamond, now living in the Old People's home in San Francisco. He celebrated his one hundred and fourteenth birthday anniversary May 1, and confidently anticipates being "Johnny-on-the-spot" to greet Halley's comet when that tramp of the skies comes perambulating back this way 75 years hence. He has seen the celestial wanderer in two centuries and if he survives to see it again he will be well qualified to assure a nervous public that nothing untoward is going to happen.

Captain Diamond was born at Plymouth, Mass., May 1, 1796. He has a vivid recollection of the war of 1812, in which his father served. His first vote was cast in 1816, in the campaign that resulted in the election of James Monroe as president. He helped to build some of the first railroads in the United States, among them the road from Worcester to Boston, the Old Colony railroad from Boston to Plymouth and the railroad from Albany to Schenectady.

Before he was fifty, Captain Diamond was an old man, decrepit, rheumatic and plainly on the toboggan. A photograph of him taken at the time of the Civil war shows that he then looked older than he does today. It was at about that time that he evolved the dietetic theories (including the liberal use of olive oil, both internally and externally), to which he attributes his advanced age and perfect health. Diet and exercise, he believes, are the secrets of longevity; and if a man lives right and eats right he can see no reason why the machine should not be kept running indefinitely—perhaps—until even the record run made by old Methusalem himself is beaten to a frazzle.

Captain Diamond did not enlist in the Civil war, because he had ideas on the subject of personal liberty that would not have worked at all had he been in the army. However, he became a government agent connected with the transportation department, with headquarters in St. Louis. After the close of the war he engaged in the real estate business, until in 1873, when he drove overland from St. Louis to San Francisco, where he has made his home ever since.

Speaking of Dancing.

Redd—I see a copy of the new motor-car regulations in Ireland is forwarded by Consul Henry B. Miller of Belfast and may be seen at the bureau of manufactures. Greene—Wonder if it says anything about Irish breakdowns?—Yonkers Statesman.

## With the World's Workers

REVIEW · of · PROGRESS · THAT · IS · BEING  
MADE · ALONG · ALL · LINES · of · ENDEAVOR

### BRICK LONG KNOWN

Its History is as Old as Civilization.

USED IN TOWER OF BABEL

Even the Earliest Historical Writers Do Not Carry Us Back to the First Period When the Slab of Burned Clay Was First Made of Use.

Brick, when so considered as to include burned clay in all its utilitarian forms, has a history analogous to that of civilization itself, writes F. W. Grant in Construction News. It even followed the general decline of the dark ages to the point of becoming one of the lost arts in England and other countries. Authentic records of the manufacture of brick cover a period of 41 centuries, beginning with a passage of scripture referring to the erection of the Tower of Babel in Babylon.

"And they said one to another, go to (please notice also the probable origin of that familiar term among bricklayers, 'go to'), let us make brick and burn them thoroughly, and they had brick for stone and slime had they for mortar."

The earliest historical writings do not, however, carry us back anywhere near the time when the merits and usefulness of burned clay were first known and applied, which must have been in primitive times, resulting, perhaps, from observation of the effect of building fires on clayey soil. It is indeed proper to say that so far from history perpetuating the origin and record of burned clay, as it has that of all other manufactured building materials, burned clay has perpetuated history.

We owe nearly all the information we possess of their history to records in clay, carefully inscribed and burned by the Assyrians, Chaldeans, Egyptians and Jews. These form, in some cases, the only link with nations of the most remote antiquity.

Burned clay productions have been and are now the most enduring of man's handiwork. Those of the present time are of identically the same substance as those of antiquity, specimens of which have been so numerously discovered and preserved. We are, therefore, justified in expecting that the clay products of this day and age will baffle the effects of time and give away to nothing but progress.

Objects of burned clay, preserved from ancient times, include bank notes, deeds of property, public records, household utensils, studs for dresses, tickets for the amphitheaters, prizes for victories in the games, pitchers and cups, and the earliest expressions of art. It is even found that the masters of architectural art in Corinth cut recesses in their stone temples to insert burned clay ornaments.

The granaries and warehouses of Egypt; the vast mounds of Ninevah and Babylon, and the aqueducts of

Roman times were built of brick, and the most stupendous fortification work ever attempted by human hands, the great wall of China, was built of this, the oldest of all manufactured material.

CONFIDENCE AS A REQUISITE

To Obtain Success It Is Absolutely Necessary That You Shall Believe in Yourself.

There are many things needed to make a good worker, but the greatest is self-reliance.

The girl who has never learned to depend upon herself may be shoved into the easiest of positions, only to fall out of them when the helping hand is withdrawn.

If work you must, learn to work your own way. Don't count on pull, willing friends and powerful influence to get or keep you in jobs. These friends do get so tired of these continual boasts, and when they have grumbled until they are weary they stop boosting.

The girl who trains herself to self-reliance is giving herself what is far more valuable than letters of recommendation of a college diploma. What she wants she works for—therefore is self-reliance.

### CARE FOR THEIR EMPLOYEES.

BIG FIRMS ADOPT SYSTEM OF INDUSTRIAL INDEMNITY.

Action of Two Large Corporations Welcomed as Showing the Trend of Advancement.

Following closely on the heels of the announcement that the International Harvester Company of America had instituted a system for indemnifying its employees in all its plants, for injuries sustained while at their work, came the word that another big concern had independently adopted a plan for accomplishing similar results.

This second important item of good news, from the United States Steel corporation, accentuated the interest in the vital topic, just as one wave overtaking another makes a bigger breaker and a bigger roar on the shore. Also, just as the bigger wave sets a farther mark on the beach, so the close succession of these two announcements has given a greater impetus to accomplishment in this direction than could have resulted from either one alone, or from the two coming at a considerable interval of time.

Numerous other concerns—big and little—who had not already done anything in this way, are now thinking on the subject. And many, very many, of them are pretty sure to undertake the rational method of handling the matter, especially when their consideration of all phases brings home con-

not under obligations that are hampering, or the prey of helplessness.

The girl who is self-reliant does not live in constant dread of getting out of her job. She makes herself so valuable that she lessens the chances of being let out; she also makes a point of knowing where similar positions are to be had.

If she is in need of a position, does she write letters to all her friends asking them for help in getting a new place? Not she. She reads advertisements, makes inquiries, visits business offices on her own behalf.

She knows the value of good backing, so is careful to make herself worth recommending, but she relies on herself for employment hunting.

The self-reliant girl does not depend upon others to help her when she starts work. The difficulties of the new position are quickly mastered, with only necessary assistance.

Self-reliance helps a girl in every sphere of life. She does not mope because friends do not come her way—she makes them. She is never at a loss for entertainment, for she knows how to amuse herself. Nor is she dependent upon outsiders for happiness, as she cultivates her resources until she does not count on people to hand her out pleasures on a silver tray.

There is no greater lack in a girl who has her way to make than failure to depend upon herself; otherwise no self-reliance.

clusively the fact that to maintain a reasonable and fair system of prompt and non-quibbling indemnity is a good thing if for no other reason than as a matter of economic policy.

The indefensible method of fighting all personal injury claims is not economical from any point of view. The indemnities paid in cases lost, plus the legal cost of all cases, whether won or lost, makes a total, in any hazardous industry, which may easily be—and generally is—greater than would be incurred in fair and prompt payments upon a reasonable and systematic plan.

And best of all, the injured man gets what's coming to him—gets it quickly, when he needs it most, and does not have to give the major share to a lawyer.

The only losers by the new order of things are the lawyers. Have you any sympathy for them?—Exchange.

### PHILOSOPHY OF WORK.

MONTESQUIEU.  
Nature is just towards men. It recompenses them for their sufferings; it renders them laborious because to the greatest toils it attaches the greatest rewards.

RUSKIN.  
It is only by labor that thought can be made healthy, and only by thought that labor can be made happy; and the two cannot be separated with impunity.

If you want knowledge you must toil for it; if food, you must toil for it; and if pleasure, you must toil for it; toil is the law.

It would be well if all of us were good handicraftsmen in some kind. Work first and then rest. You must do more than pray, you must work.

SENECA.  
Shun no toil to make yourself remarkable by some talent or other. Yet do not devote yourself to one branch exclusively. Strive to get clear notions about all.

SOPHOCLES.  
Observe, without labor nothing prospers.

TASSO.  
Virtue's guard is labor.

VOLTAIRE.  
Labor rids us of three great evils—irksomeness, vice, and poverty.

The Answer.  
Mrs. Amelia E. Barr, the novelist, was addressing a group of beautiful girl graduates in New York.

"The girl graduate," she said, "enters upon life with the determination to find out the why and wherefore of everything. It is a fine determination, but life is very complex, and most of the girl graduate's attempts to discover why and wherefore will end like the landlubber's."

"A landlubber, you know, crossing the Atlantic for the first time said to a sailor: 'Why is it that you call that spar over there a jib boom?'"

"What else," the sailor answered, "could you call it?"

Rather Sultry.  
The northern tourist found the old colored man sitting out in front of his cabin.

"Rather hot summer, eh, uncle?" interrogated the tourist affably.

"Hot summeb, sah!" echoed the old man as he mopped the beads from his brow. "Why, de uddeh day mah old gray mule balked on de schoolhouse hill on when Ah built a fiah under him et was so hot he nebbeh eben noticed et."

### TO HELP BRITISH WORKERS.

GOVERNMENT PLANS RELIEF OF THE STORE CLERKS.

Statistics Show Appalling Conditions Under Which This Class of Labor Has Lived.

Here are some figures that will show the store clerks of America how Britishers in their line of activity drag out a weary life. Home Secretary Winston Churchill, in introducing a new shop hours' bill, said the reform would affect a million shop assistants "whose work at present is thrashed all over the day and week to their own deprivation and injury and without any corresponding gain or advantage to the general public."

By this bill no assistant is to be worked in a store for more than 60 hours a week, not later than eight at night and no more than three evenings, and proper time must be allowed for meals.

Problem in Need of Solution.  
At the present time the United States is exporting a million tons of phosphate rock, taken from the thinning mines of the country, for which yearly a trade balance shows only \$5,000,000 from the shipping. Five dollars a ton for the best rock at the best mine is the average price. But in each ton of the mineral lies that one element of plant food which it may be necessary to apply to soils to keep them productive. Companies are gutting the mines for the paltry \$5 a ton, when, according to an authority, this \$5,000,000 of exportation would be worth a billion dollars if scattered over the agricultural sections of the country which grow food for the nation. Germany and other foreign countries have built a wall about such deposits. The United States is using a chute for its frittering away. What is to be done about it? What will be done? Both the educator and the farmer must get together to give a sensible, satisfactory answer.

He Would.  
"Would you marry me for my money?" she demanded sternly.

He blushed. Then he managed to reply brokenly, "This is so sudden!"

the first four days of the week; on Fridays he stops at 5 o'clock, on Saturdays he is at it till midnight, and on Sundays he is "taking stock" from 9 to 5. He lives far away from the store, gets \$7 a week, and has a wife and three children to keep. He has not seen his children awake since last Christmas day. All told, he works 85 hours a week. If Winston Churchill's bill passes, his total hours will be reduced to 68 a week, counting the eight odd hours as allowed for meals.

At present there is the shop hours act of 1894 in operation, which limited the hours of assistants under eighteen years of age to 74 a week. But beyond that the storekeeper can be absolutely master of the employee, who often lives on the premises.

Take the case of a young man in a private drapery store in Regent street, a swell shopping center. He gets \$3.60 a week, works from 9 in the morning to 10:30 at night on five week days, till 1 on Saturday afternoons, and from 10 in the morning to 7 in the evening on Sundays. He has no time off for meals.

Another man is an assistant in a boot store and works from 9 to 10:30

## Business Methods

demand good printing. The merchant who carefully trims his windows and buys an expensive sign, yet uses poor stationery, is inconsistent.

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## Personals

County Clerk Semer spared the time from his duties Monday to call on Gladstone friends. Mr. Semer's campaign for reelection stands on his own merits, and he is deriving and giving no support from or to any other candidate. Mr. Semer hardly needs to make any campaign, as he is too well known to the people of the county. His office has been conducted with economy and efficiency, he has been entirely attentive to the convenience of every one who has business with the office, and he deserves the vote of every Republican.

Undersheriff Curran, as an officer of the county, has done good work for the past two years, and there are none who can criticize his official acts. His duties as truant officer have taken him through all parts of the county, and have required vigorous activity, without respecting the personality of those who infringe the statutes. Mr. Curran's performance of his duty has shown that he will be a fearless and upright sheriff and there is no man who need hesitate to give his vote to big, genial Tim.

Capt. Dan I. Call, of the barbers' baseball nine, and Capt. August Lillquist, of the liquor dealers' team, have had great argument as to their respective speed, and it is understood that as an addition to the main event, they will run a foot race of 2500 yards for a wager of \$5.00, if a suitable course can be cleared long enough and an audience obtained.

Ed Mackin lost and won a bulldog Sunday. On the way to put out another chip fire at the pumping station Sunday afternoon, he ran over his pup Nick. Before the day was out a kind-hearted travelling man had presented him with a thoroughbred to replace it. Mackin has lost three bulldogs in the same manner.

Floyd Marble can testify as to the vigor of Monday's storm. He was at Day's River point with an auto party when it broke. In haste to get up the auto top, the dust cover was thrown down, and when he returned for it the next day it was gone. The article, a piece of canvas, is no use to any but an automobile owner, and the finder is requested to notify Mr. Marble.

Joseph M. Stern, of Escanaba, and Miss Margaret M. Van Gysel were married Thursday morning by Rev. Fr. Bennett at All Saints church, which had been magnificently decorated with flowers and greens.

Congressman Young in his speeches is giving the voters a clear and complete account of his stewardship in congress for the past seven years, meeting fairly and squarely the charges of his opponent. His record is all down in black and white, and not one of which he need be ashamed.

Hayden Blair, Albert and John Latimer and Thomas Jachor returned Sunday night from a pleasant eight days' fishing trip up the Escanaba. Hayden's was the prize catch, a forty-four ounce rainbow trout.

A youthful electrician arrived Sunday morning to visit his parents, Superintendent and Mrs. Herman W. Haberman. Herman registers a pretty high voltage this week, in spite of wire troubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dausey left for a combined business and pleasure trip Saturday evening, to Gladstone, Rapid River and Escanaba. They will be away about ten days.—Manistique Record.

Louis Tardiff is having a concrete foundation and basement put under his house, at Fourteenth and Montana, by Nebel. The building has been raised several feet to grade.

Anton Anderson returned Tuesday from Minneapolis, and has accepted an offer as bookkeeper for J. T. Whybrew. He will not therefore abandon his residence in Gladstone.

William Harrington, of Ishpeming, was the guest of his cousin Dennis McCarthy Tuesday. Mr. Harrington is a student for the priesthood at Minneapolis.

Rev. J. Edgar Wilson left Monday morning for the Soo, and thence on Friday for Toronto, to spend a week or so. Services will be held after next week, as usual.

Miss Gertrude Gormsen left Wednesday night for Evanston, Mont., where she will teach again this fall.

Andrew Erickson has raised the frame of his new house, next to Charles Holm on Superior avenue.

Mrs. S. Kanney and her daughter Juanita left this week to visit friends near Napoleon, O., for a few days.

James Grills and Roy Martin leave on Labor Day for Big Rapids to take the course at Ferris Institute.

Leon Wheat, of St. Johns, Mich., visited Dr. Kimmond Monday and Tuesday.

Supervisor N. J. Gormsen attended the meeting of the county board Thursday.

Alex Wixner, aged twenty, was arrested last Saturday for uttering a forged check, and bound over to the circuit court. Though he has been pronounced sane by physicians, his actions convince everyone that he is irresponsible. He served a short term recently in the county jail for a similar offense, after undergoing examination for this sanity. The check was a clumsy thing, written in lead pencil on one of Hammel's blanks, and signed "I. C. Stevens Co., Wells, Mich." After cashing it for \$25 at a saloon, the lad went down to Escanaba to see an inmate of the county jail, and was arrested there by Sheriff Aronson when the telephone message came that he was wanted. The money was found in a handkerchief tied around his leg. He is a large youth and would readily pass for one of age. It is plain that he is in some way mentally or morally defective.

Fred Anderson and John Halvorson, the well-known shipwrights, are constructing a large and handsome vessel, to rival anything that floats the waters of Bay de Noc. The new craft is about two hundred and fifty feet in length, twenty-five of beam, according to all reports of her swift, beautiful lines, and will travel anywhere after a heavy rain like that of Monday. After the Dreadnought of Bay de Noc is launched, it is believed that there will be a great mortality among the neighboring ducks.

Capt. Fred Bendure, like Columbus, is seeking for new worlds to discover and last Saturday night ran his automobile over the billowy wilderness to Watson to the astonishment of the natives. With him were Capt. Jack Hampel, William and Elbert Vieux and Merrick Cartwright. After a day's fishing, and an encounter between Capt. Hampel and an inhabitant of the forest, of which the former bears the marks, they returned in the flyer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart left Thursday evening for Chicago by boat to be gone two or three weeks, during which time they will purchase fall goods. Frank B. Jones, of Bessemer, is in charge of the prescription department during "Doc's" absence.

Registrar Malloch is making a thorough campaign. There are few men as well known in Delta county as is Charlie Malloch, and few candidates who can turn out as large a following of personal friends. Mr. Malloch will fare well enough in the primaries.

Nebel on Tuesday completed the water main between Dakota and Montana avenues four blocks of four inch pipe, running west from Central avenue, and two inch pipe for service. This makes six thousand feet he has laid during a year.

Joseph J. Mallman is a sure of reelection as things are in this world. No candidate has entered the field against the popular county treasurer, and therefore it is certain that he will have no opposition at the primary or in November.

Editor and Mrs. I. G. English of Escanaba were in the city Friday, having come up over the newly macadamized bay shore road, a superb piece of highway building, in eighteen minutes.

Dr. Alfred W. Smith, who was a conspicuous figure in Gladstone when here last year on customs business, committed suicide at Newberry Monday. He was a man of many eccentricities which deepened into insanity.

Master Noble Kee returned Monday evening from the Soo after a visit there. Things were lively in that city Sunday, when immense hailstones fell, breaking windows and covering the ground with white.

Sixteen inch Dry Body Wood, single cord \$2.10, full cord \$6.00; 16-in. Maple and Birch mill wood, \$1.75 per single cord, \$5.00 per full cord; delivered to any part of the city. Call up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

Mrs. S. Richel last Friday pleaded guilty to violation of the cow ordinance, claiming that she did so only to avoid the expense of fighting the case. She was fined \$15 and.

Mrs. James Mitchell returned Wednesday night from Switzerville, Ont. and the doctor no longer is compelled to keep bachelor's hall.

Miss Margaret Kimmond, of St. Johns, Mich., is spending a couple of weeks here with her brother, Dr. Kimmond.

Miss Hanah Henke, of Milwaukee, is the guest of her brother Henry for a couple of weeks.

Rev. K. J. Silfversten went up to Ishpeming Monday on business, returning the next day.

Rev. E. E. Williams will conduct services next Sunday in Trinity Episcopal church.

Myer Rosenblum will return next Thursday from his vacation in Chicago.

Mrs. M. Mackin and Miss Jennie LaPine spent Thursday in Rapid River.

Miss Frances Mitchell of Manistique spent Thursday in Gladstone.

Charles Minor, of the Soo, was in the city Thursday.

Senator Burrows may be advanced in years, but he is still a great campaigner. Before primary day he will have visited nearly every country in the state. He has traveled by train, automobile, launch, steamboat and carriage. He has been out until midnight and up before dawn and daily has made from one to a dozen of speeches. And he is still fresh. If Senator Burrows is an old man there are many young men who wish they could go his gait.

L. W. Stade and C. W. Brockman have opened their tailor shop in the Kratz building, next Duchesne's barber shop, after a long wait for the arrival of their fixtures. They will do custom work, steam cleaning and dyeing.

Mrs. Edward Dausey and daughter who have been visiting relatives here returned to their home near Flat Rock Saturday evening.—Manistique Record.

John Larsen, Jr., has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Robert L. Bridges, supervisor of Maple Ridge township.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Krueger were called Sunday night to Reedsburg, Wis., by the death of his father. Their return is expected today.

W. L. Marble returned Wednesday morning from his western trip. He is well encouraged by the business conditions as he found them.

Chairman C. D. Mason and Supervisors Henke and Call spent Thursday and Friday in Escanaba attending the county board meeting.

Mrs. W. L. Marble, Jr., and Miss Inez Jackson leave next week for Rockford, Ill., where Mrs. Marble will visit for a month or more.

Marcus S. McNabb, of Escanaba, was in the city Monday in the interests of his campaign for the office of county surveyor.

Miss Edith Johnson and Miss Judith Grace returned to Marinette this week, after a visit with Miss Anna Swanson.

Miryck Mead, of Escanaba, was in the city Tuesday, on his way home from an outing at Davis, camp.

Grant Patterson returned last week from North Crandon, Wis., where he has been for some months.

Miss Jessie McDonnell went up to Rockland, Mich., last Thursday, to visit for a couple of weeks.

Ernest Eckerson, of Ottumwa, Ia., arrived Thursday to visit his aunt, Mrs. G. Bjorkman.

Hon. Otto Fowle, now state senator from this district, has no opposition to his renomination.

A daughter, was born Saturday August 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Casper C. Schouler.

Albert Olson returned last week from Duluth, where he has been working.

A son was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barry of Kipling.

Dr. F. W. Stellwagen returned Monday from a four weeks' vacation.

A daughter was born last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hegman.

**BOYS WANTED.**

A few boys between the ages of 16 and 20 can find steady employment in the factory of the Marble Safety Axe Co.

According to the Constitution of The Delta and the postal laws of the United States all subscriptions to a real newspaper must be paid in advance. All subscriptions on The Delta's list which are not so paid will be removed from the list September first next. The Delta enjoys your company. Please remit.

### THEATRICAL ATTRACTIONS.

Tonight, August 27.—"Tilly Olson"—Gladstone Theater.

Monday, August 29.—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Monday, September 5.—Ball by Sons of Wasa, at Wasa hall.

Promenade at Gladstone theatre every Thursday evening. Twenty-five cents.

### ALICE MEMORIAL METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The pastor's theme next Sunday will be vital. At 10:30 a. m. "The Creed of Experience."

All Christian people are urged to attend.

At 7:30 p. m. "The Question of Personal Liberty." This will be a popular service and you will enjoy it.

Mrs. T. L. Sisson, director of the First Presbyterian church of Wausau, Wisconsin, will sing at both services.

### His Hobby.

A tourist passing through an English village churchyard was much astonished to see graven on a tombstone a list of feminine names as follows: Mary L. Elizabeth, Mary II., Anne, Katharine I., Katharine II. "Goodness gracious!" exclaimed he to an old sexton who was digging a grave not far off. "I wasn't aware there were any queens buried in this part of the country, least of all in such an outlying place as this."

"No more there ain't as I knows on," replied the old fellow, scarcely looking up from his work.

"Well, then, in that case," queried the still surprised tourist, "how comes it that the names of several well known British queens are to be read on that stone yonder?"

"Ah, I see now!" quoth the old gravedigger as he raised himself up and glanced for a moment in the direction referred to. "Lots of your sort make that mistake; but, bless your soul, they baint no queens of England! They be only the names of old Billy Green's six wives, and that wor just a hobby o' his'n a-writin' on 'em out like that."

August 27, 1910. September 10, 1910.

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the matter of the estate of JOSEPH BOURQUIER, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the twentieth day of August, A. D. 1910, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Escanaba in said county, on or before the twenty-fourth day of December, A. D. 1910, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the twenty-sixth day of December, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated August 20, A. D. 1910.

JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

## MUSIC

My display room in the Theatre Block, just opened, will display a choice of instruments. I sell Schultz and Moline Pianos and Organs for cash and on time at advantageous rates, and can price you them from \$95.00 to \$750.00. Your old instruments taken in part payment.

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This weather is particularly exacting in its demands on clothes. When the air is full of moisture, and your suit gets away from the influence of the tailor's hot iron, how will it stand the wet. Will it hold its shape? If you bought one of our Hirsch-Wickwire Suits, the answer is not difficult: it will! If you economized and purchased a cheaper grade, you will regret the saving when you look in the glass at the set of your sleeves and collar.

We most cordially invite you to look at our clothing department, if only to see what this fall's styles of good clothes are. And perhaps you are looking for some of our wet weather specialties?

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# NEW NEWS OF YESTERDAY

by E. J. Edwards

## How Lincoln Was Re-elected

Harry Vanderbilt Obtained Nearly \$300,000 to Pay for the Campaign by Personal Appeals to Wealthy Men in the East.

As a remarkable instance of how it is possible for a man to accomplish a work regarded at the time as of supreme importance and still remain in comparative obscurity, the case of Harry Vanderbilt, a nephew of Commodore Vanderbilt, who died recently in New York city at a green old age after making a fortune for himself as a manufacturer, is of especial interest. For this Vanderbilt, on the authority of his life-long friend, B. J. Jayne, who earned a name and a fortune for himself in the seventies by uncovering a nest of great customs frauds, should be accredited with the honor of having made it possible for Abraham Lincoln to secure his re-election to the presidency in 1864.

"For some years prior to the outbreak of the Civil war," said Mr. Jayne, who is now almost eighty years of age, "Harry Vanderbilt held a responsible position in the Portsmouth (New Hampshire) navy yard; but when Salmon P. Chase became Lincoln's first secretary of the treasury, Mr. Vanderbilt went to that department as appointment clerk, remaining there for more than ten years, or until the middle of Grant's administration. It was during Lincoln's first administration that Mr. Vanderbilt's ability as a trusted political worker was discovered and proved on several occasions by the party chiefs.

"It is well known that, following Lincoln's renomination, the party leaders in charge of the campaign greatly feared that Mr. Lincoln would fall of re-election on account of the inability of the national committee to obtain funds sufficient to carry on a thorough and aggressive campaign. It was at a very anxious period of the war. The drain on the resources of the nation had been exhausting and no immediate relief was in sight. Taxation had reached what appeared to be the limit of safety and all demands for money for political purposes were met by sullenness or absolute refusal.

The national committee seemed to be powerless to find a way out of the uncompromising situation. Its chairman, Henry J. Raymond, the distinguished newspaper editor, was not an adept in the art of raising campaign funds, and he had a profound distaste for ordinary political methods of getting money for campaign purposes. Gov. E. D. Morgan of New York, his predecessor in the national chairmanship, had collected upward of a hundred thousand dollars to conduct Lincoln's first campaign, but it was estimated by the party leaders that con-

siderably more than double that sum would be required to re-elect their candidates. To whom should be allotted the herculean task of obtaining this immense sum?

"It was at this trying moment that the name of Harry Vanderbilt was suggested as that of a man who knew many prominent men in the money centers. Who put forward his name Mr. Vanderbilt never learned, but immediately thereafter he was asked to undertake the raising of the campaign fund, and, with characteristic modesty, he replied that he would do his best to get together the badly needed funds.

"Quietly, and with his mission known to only a few, Mr. Vanderbilt began the task of trying to raise at least two hundred thousand dollars, and as much as three hundred thousand dollars if possible. The first city that he visited, as I now remember it, was Boston. There he made personal appeals to men of wealth who were of the Republican party, and at last secured from them, either in actual

## Lecture Beecher Forgot About

Newspaper Accounts of the Sullivan-Ryan Fight Caused the Preacher to Be Late for Engagement at Divinity School.

The well nigh universal interest that was being taken in a certain event scheduled to take place in San Francisco on July 4 has served to remind me of the lecture that great and powerful preacher, Henry Ward Beecher, forgot all about. My authority for the anecdote, which reveals one side of the abundant human nature which was so characteristic of Mr. Beecher, is the late Prof. Johnson T. Platt of the Yale Law school.

"Mr. Beecher was always a favorite lecturer at Yale, before the divinity school," said Professor Platt. "You may recall that he delivered several series of lectures on the Lyman Beecher foundation, named after his father, and at other times he also lectured before the school.

"Well, on the afternoon of the particular Beecher lecture I have in mind the hall was packed to the doors with students and others eager to hear him. The hour set for the beginning of the lecture was three o'clock, but when it arrived there appeared no Henry Ward Beecher, to the mild surprise of the professors in charge, for hitherto Mr. Beecher had never been tardy in appearing in the hall. But when it got to be nearly half after three and still no Beecher, the surprise and consternation were great, and, after a hasty consultation, a pro-

cash or pledges, \$8,000. Next he canvassed Philadelphia, where he also secured a large sum, then New York and several other cities. In none was his mission known to or even suspected by any one on whom he did not call; and in this manner he at last got together a fund that totaled close on to three hundred thousand dollars, to the great delight and relief of the national committee. Then, having been assured by those in the secret that he had performed a great service in behalf of the Union, Mr. Vanderbilt went back to his duties as appointment clerk in the treasury department.

Just how Mr. Vanderbilt induced the men he visited to contribute to the campaign fund, no one ever knew exactly," added Mr. Jayne. "All any one ever learned from him was that he made personal appeals. He never boasted about the important part he played in making possible the re-election of Abraham Lincoln. I am one of the very few men with whom Harry Vanderbilt ever talked about this feat of his; and I am certain that I am the only one now living who knows personally that it was he who raised the Lincoln campaign fund of 1864."

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fessor was sent to the hotel where Mr. Beecher usually stopped, to get trace of the missing lecturer, if possible.

"Yes, Mr. Beecher was stopping at the hotel, the clerk informed the professor, who thereupon hastened to Mr. Beecher's room, knocked upon the door and was told to come in, which he did at once. But before he could frame even a "how do you do" Mr. Beecher, spying him, let out an astonished "I declare!" followed it up by hastily pulling out his watch and looking at it, and exclaiming in dismay, "Why, it's going to four, and you have been waiting for me all this time at the divinity school."

"He grabbed for his hat. Then, as he was reaching for his overcoat, he turned on the professor with a quaint smile.

"Oh, well," he said, "I might as well make a full confession. When I left my home in Brooklyn this morning I bought copies of two or three morning newspapers. There was something in them that interested me greatly, and I intended to read all about it on my way to this city. But after I got seated in the train a friend came along, I shared my seat with him, and he talked to me all the way here, so that I did not have an opportunity to read my papers. But as soon as I got to the hotel I saw that I would have an hour of leisure before the lecture began, so I slipped up here and began reading—and, do you know, I found the reports of the event so graphic that I actually forgot all about the lecture. It's in the Anglo-Saxon blood to be interested in such an event, doctor—I was reading about the Sullivan-Ryan fight which took place yesterday down in Mississippi."

"For a moment or two Mr. Beecher looked the professor of divinity squarely in the eye. Then he reached over and dug that gentleman in the ribs. 'And now that I have made my confession,' he said, laughing, 'I'm going to say something to you. I would be willing to wager that you yourself read the report of that battle with bare knuckles this morning before you went to the divinity school.'

"Well, Mr. Beecher," replied the professor, "I might as well confess, too, I did get up a little earlier than usual this morning and go to the front door for the morning paper. It hadn't come, so I actually waited at the door until the boy brought it. Then I sat down and read the report of the fight before breakfast."

"Mr. Beecher beamed on his companion in wickedness. 'Come,' he said, and linked arms with the other. And that shameless professor afterwards told me that the lecture which Mr. Beecher delivered a little later was the best he ever heard that gifted orator make on any platform."

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**Studying Bird Habits.**  
Whether birds, especially migratory ones, return to the same nests year after year is a question of much interest to the naturalist. Swallows that summer in England do not winter north of Africa, but an observer at High Halden, Kent, England, has recorded that one returned on April 12 to a nest it occupied last year. It was recognized by a ring placed on its leg May 8, 1909.

To gain a better knowledge of bird habits more than 2,000 British birds were last year marked with inscribed aluminum rings, and twice as many more will be similarly tagged this year.

**The Summer Girl.**  
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"I was engaged to one all last summer, and he seldom spent a dime. I want to be engaged to a young man who is down here for two weeks with about \$300 in his roll."

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"Not to advertise is to be nominated for membership in the Down-and-Out club.

"The Adscripts and the Adcrafts look to the east. They worship the rising sun. The oleo of authority does not much interest them. They want the Kosmic Kerosene that supplies the calorific.

"A good Adcraftscripter is never either a philosopher or a theologaster—he is a pragmatist. He seeks the good for himself, for his clients, and for the whole human race."

**The Time to Advertise.**  
There is nothing on earth so mysteriously funny as a newspaper advertisement.

The prime, first, last and all the time, object of an advertisement is to draw custom. It is not, was not, and never will be designed for any other human purpose. So the merchant waits till the busy season and his store is so full of custom that he can't get his hat off, and then he rushes to the newspapers and puts in his advertisement. When the dull season gets along and there is no trade and he wants to sell goods so bad he can't pay his rent he takes out his advertisement. That is, some of them do, but occasionally a level headed merchant puts in a bigger one and scoops in all the business while his neighbors are making mortgages to pay the gas bill.

There are times when you couldn't stop people from buying everything in the store if you planted a cannon behind the door, and that's the time the advertisement is sent out on its mission. It makes light work for the sidewalk could do all that was needed and have a half holiday six days in the week, but who wants to favor an advertisement?

**Watch the Ads.**  
Many women who really spend but little for their wardrobe are able to make a good appearance by judicious shopping. They may not wear the latest mode, but no one knows the difference, for the good taste and excellent judgment displayed prevents them from getting anything noticeably out of date. As a rule their purchases are characterized by a true economy, which leads to the selection of fine material well put together, for most of these women buy ready-to-wear garments.

The wise shopper watches the advertising pages of the newspapers. Are advertisements read? Ask any live merchant and he will tell you that even a line in the finest type will promote sales if it conveys information of a real bargain.—Springfield (Ill.) Register.

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The man who advertises well and persistently can afford a vacation each year, because he can spare the money.

Merchant Who Persistently Sticks to Judicious Advertising is Sure to Win Out.

A good many merchants drop their advertising after a trial of a month or so because they do not see any direct results from it.

It is a great pity but it does take nerve to stick to an apparently losing game. Those who do stick, however, win out, because good advertising in a good newspaper is bound to bring results. The following story is an example:

A retail clothing firm in a poor neighborhood in a big city decided to move to a more prosperous location and advertise a better class of goods. They had called in an advertising man to write their copy. He told his employers it would be a hard pull and cost a lot of money to convince the people of the change in the class of goods. They told him to go ahead and do the best he could.

In a few months time they got uneasy, they had spent a lot of money—and the advertising wasn't paying—but after a talk with their advertising man they decided to "grin and bear it" awhile longer. They had the nerve to stick and in a very short time the tide turned, the advertising began to bring results—slowly at first and then by leaps and bounds.

Had they stopped advertising at the end of those first dark months they would not only have lost the money spent, they would have missed the tremendous success that came later.

Mr. Advertiser, you who think your advertising is not paying, had you not better stick to it a little while longer? Advertising is the stepping stone to prosperity and if you do it right and courageously success will come to you just as surely as it came to the clothing firm I have told you about.

**Buy From the Advertisers.**  
When a store advertises it shows that it values your trade enough to ask you for it; your convenience is considered to the extent of making it easy for you to know what is offered in needed goods; the store shows its willingness to go on record in its statements about its stock and service; the advertising of an article as being of a certain quality, and at a stated price, in a sense, a contract between the seller and the prospective buyer; the prices of advertised goods, must be so low that competition cannot meet them; advertising increases sales, enabling the store to accept smaller profits. These are some of the reasons why you should buy from stores that advertise. There are other reasons, and although not stated, you profit by them.

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"You thought the comet would collide with the earth?"  
"Yes," replied the nervous man.  
"What do you think of it now?"  
"I think the comet has been mighty lucky."

## Your Liver is Clogged up

That's Why You're Tired—Out of Sorts—Have No Appetite.

**CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS** will put you right in a few days. They do their duty. Cures Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, and Sick Headache. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.

*Wheat Food*

A Skin of Beauty is a Joy Forever.

**DR. T. FELIX GOURAUD'S Oriental Cream and Magical Soap Bar.** Removes Tan, Pimples, Freckles, Moth Patches, Rash and Skin Diseases, and every blemish on beauty, and detaches dirt. It has stood the test of 25 years, and is so harmless that it can be used by a lady of the harem (a patient); it is so effective that I recommend it to all the skin preparations. For sale by all druggists and Fancy-Goods Dealers in the U.S., Canada and Europe. Fard T. Hopkins, Prop., 37 Great Jones St., New York.

## DYSPEPSIA

"Having taken your wonderful 'Cascarets' for three months and being entirely cured of stomach catarrh and dyspepsia, I think a word of praise is due to 'Cascarets' for their wonderful composition. I have taken numerous other so-called remedies but without avail, and I find that Cascarets relieve more in a day than all the others I have taken would in a year."

James McGune, 108 Mercer St., Jersey City, N. J.

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken or Grip. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

Men and Women to sell CLEKO, guaranteed mosquito preventives, large profits, dime brings sample and particulars. Chemical Products Co., Cincinnati, O.

**SOLE OR SWEAT FEET!** Use the world's best foot remedy, Gerlach's Preservative Cream, 25c. Agents wanted. DR. OTTO, Quakertown, Penn.

**Selfish Youth.**  
"Youth is apt to be selfish," said Mrs. Mary E. Wilkins-Freeman, the distinguished novelist, at a Matuchen picnic.

"Woman in her youth," she went on, "is especially apt to be selfish. I'll never forget the story of the young man from Boston who stood in the center of Boston common in a down-pour of torrential rain.

"As he stood there, soaked to the skin, a little boy in a mackintosh accosted him.

"Excuse me, sir," said the boy, "but are you the gentleman who is waiting for Miss Endicott?"

"Yes," the young man answered.

"Well," said the boy, "she asked me to tell you she'd be here just as soon as it clears up."

**A Specialist.**  
"I don't see you on the messenger force any more, Jimmy," said the lad with the envelope in his hand.

"No; I've got a good job with a dog-fancier," replied Jimmy, as he puffed a cigarette.

"Wid a dog-fancier? What do you do—feed the dogs?"

"Naw! When a lady comes in and buys a pet dog I teach 'er 'ow to whistle."

**Domestic Amenities.**  
"Hubby, I gave your light pants to a poor tramp."

"And what am I going to wear this summer? Kilts?"

**The Philosopher of Folly.**  
"Kind words never die," says the Philosopher of Folly, "and that is why they are so seldom carried out."

## Cut Out Breakfast Cooking

Easy to start the day cool and comfortable if

## Post Toasties

are in the pantry ready to serve right from the package. No cooking required; just add some cream and a little sugar.

Especially pleasing these summer mornings with berries or fresh fruit.

One can feel cool in hot weather on proper food.

**"The Memory Lingers"**  
POSTUM CEREAL CO., Ltd. Battle Creek, Mich.

# PERISH IN FLAMES

### FOREST FIRES CLAIM MANY VICTIMS—LOSE LIVES FIGHTING DEADLY FOE.

## SETTLERS FLEE FOR SAFETY

### More Than 50 Persons Are Known to Be Dead—About 100 Missing, 200 Injured—Loss Already Reaches \$25,000,000.

Spokane, Wash.—One hundred fire fighters are reported dead in the flooded canyon near Wallace, Idaho, and five citizens were burned to death in their homes as a result of forest fires which for sixty days have terrified the Coeur d'Alene country and which spread to the town of Wallace, the metropolis of the mining district.

More than a third of Wallace is burned. The Pacific, Michigan and Coeur d'Alene hotels, two O. R. & N. depots, a big hardware warehouse and 150 to 200 residences are destroyed. The town is almost dark by day and the heavens and surrounding country a seething mass by night.

Asbes fill the air and the heat is tremendous. Telegraphic communication is cut off for a time, but the fighters believe they have the fire in the city under control.

Newport, Wash., a town of 2,000, is burning, but the loss of life is as yet unknown. Cries for help are being answered as rapidly as relief parties can be made up. All available soldiers in this part of the country are pressed into service.

Spokane, Wash.—In the Coeur d'Alene district of Idaho more than fifty persons are known to be dead, and nearly 100 are missing as a result of the forest fires.

The seriously injured, mostly fire fighters, will number, according to the statement made Monday by W. R. Weigle, forest superintendent of the Coeur d'Alenes, more than 200. Many of them have been stricken blind and others have broken limbs.

Three families of homesteaders, comprising 15 persons, are believed to have perished in La Four creek, near Catdo, Idaho, in the forest fires.

At many points hundreds are hemmed in by a narrowing wall of flames and it is impossible to reach them with help.

From Wallace came reports that the town of Burke is in flames and certain of destruction. The fire rangers in that territory are so exhausted that no effective battle against the flames can be made. The 300 residents of the town are in flight toward Wallace.

Forest Ranger Pulaski reports to Superintendent Well that six of his men are dead, five having been smothered in the War Eagle tunnel, where the entire crew took refuge.

Ranger Bell reports 12 dead, three permanently blinded and 13 suffering from broken legs.

In the hills near Sand Point, Idaho, Forest Ranger Van Dyke and a crew of 65 enlisted in Spokane are reported surrounded by flames.

A woman and her daughter perished at Cabinet, Idaho.

Five and perhaps more are known to have died near Newport, Wash., in an attempt to reach the town.

All along the Great Northern and Northern Pacific tracks between Spokane and Helena numberless fires are known to be raging fiercely, but definite reports cannot be secured, as the telegraph and telephone wires are all down.

Before communication with Libby, Mont., ended it was reported that every male resident of the town was working, with 200 paid fire fighters, to divert Flower creek to the south side of the village as a protection against the flames driving up from that direction.

Helena, Mont.—Reports received here from every fire district in Montana indicate that the situation is by long odds the worst in the history of the state. Despite the large number of troops, civilians and railroad employees that have been put into the field, the flames are absolute masters of the situation, and there is only one salvation—general rain, but for which there is no prospect.

Washington.—Already the forest fires raging in the Missoula, Mont., and northern Idaho districts have consumed timber and property valued at more than \$25,000,000. This, according to an official of the forest bureau Monday, is a conservative estimate. Three days more at the present rate will more than equal the total loss in the Baltimore fire in 1904. The loss there was estimated at \$50,000,000.

Illinois Post Office Robbed. Philadelphia.—The post office at Philadelphia was robbed, according to a telegram received at the office of James E. Stuart, post office inspector. John Black, the postmaster, in his message, did not state the amount of the loss.

Fleet Is Home From Europe. Norfolk, Va.—The naval practice squadron, composed of the battleships Iowa, Indiana and Massachusetts, passed in the Virginia capes Monday from an all-summer practice cruise in European waters, with naval midshipmen aboard.

Divorce Cause Double Tragedy. Milwaukee.—Henry Wagner of Green Bay Monday killed his wife and fatally shot himself as a result of the woman's determination to secure a divorce from him.

# SHIP IS HELD UP ON OCEAN

### CAPTAIN OF LINER BUCKMAN SHOT TO DEATH.

### Two Armed Passengers Attempt to Take Possession of Vessel—One Jumps Overboard When Arrested.

Eureka, Cal.—The Alaska Pacific Steamship company's liner Buckman was held up at sea off this port by two passengers.

Captain Wood was shot and killed by one of the men in resisting. The second man was overpowered by the engine-room crew. The passenger who shot the captain jumped overboard with a life preserver.

The Buckman was bound from Seattle to San Francisco. Early in the morning Fred Thomas, passenger, went to the captain's cabin, while an accomplice descended to the engine room. Both men were armed and they attempted to take possession of the vessel. Captain Wood refused to comply with Thomas' demands and was shot dead. Thomas ran out of the room and, seeing his plans had miscarried, strapped on a life preserver and leaped into the sea.

Meanwhile the accomplice had encountered resistance in the engine room. He was overpowered and placed in irons. The Buckman is proceeding to San Francisco in charge of First Officer Brennan. The attempt to rob the Buckman was reported to the steamer President, north-bound.

## WILL NOT SUPPORT CANNON

### Congressman Longworth, After Conference with Taft and Others, Makes Significant Statement.

Beverly, Mass.—The fight of the Republican party reorganization against Speaker Cannon was opened by Congressman Nicholas Longworth of Ohio, son-in-law of ex-President Roosevelt.

In a statement which he issued Thursday Mr. Longworth declares that having voted for him in caucus on four different occasions he has supported Cannon for the speakership for the last time and that when the proper time comes, namely the meeting of the Republican caucus at the assembling of the next congress he will oppose Uncle Joe to that position.

Mr. Longworth makes it clear that in his view harmony in the Republican ranks and party success depends upon Cannon's elimination.

"I am absolutely convinced," he says, "that Cannon cannot be again elected speaker."

The importance of the Longworth statement lies not only in the fact that the Ohio congressman, a long time friend and supporter of Cannon issued it, but that it was not given to the public until after a series of conferences with President Taft and other leaders that have called here and there the president was acquainted with the content of the statement in advance of its publication, and that Vice-President Sherman likewise was informed Wednesday of the contemplated move and gave it his tacit approval.

Danville, Ill.—"I have no quarrel with Longworth as to who shall be speaker of the next house, and there is no room for disagreement touching this matter between Representative Longworth and myself," said Speaker Cannon Thursday after reading a statement by Representative Longworth.

"If any Republican candidate for congress feels that his position on the Republican ticket would be strengthened by pledging that he will not support me in a Republican caucus I have no objection to his making the pledge."

## CRUISER ASHORE; 18 DEAD

### British Warship Bedford Goes on Rocks Off the Korean Coast—Probably Total Loss.

London.—Eighteen lives were lost when the British cruiser Bedford ran ashore on the rocks of Quelpart island, Korea, according to a report received here Monday by the admiralty. The men were members of the engine room force.

The accident occurred during full speed trials of the vessel and the cruiser was evidently badly damaged, since the deaths are stated officially to have been due to "the inrush of water." The wreck is about two miles to the west of Nearlow island, which is off the southwestern point of Quelpart island. Many sunken rocks are charted in this vicinity, and navigation in the passage between Barlow and Giffard island, its neighbor, is not recommended for this reason.

The vessel lies in such a desperate position that there is practically no possibility of saving her. The hull is full of water up to the engine room bulkhead, the water pouring in through gapping holes punched by the sunken rocks, and the officers and crew have been taken off. The sister warships, the Minotaur and Monmouth of the British squadron, which anchored near the wreck to render assistance, were obliged to put to sea owing to the heavy weather which prevails.

Watchmakers' Union Is Latest. New York.—The newest labor organization to gain a foothold in New York is the Watchmakers' union. Up to a short time ago there were no watches made in this city, repairing only being done.

Take Fugitive In Manila. Manila.—Curtis Hill was arrested here Monday on the request of the California authorities. He is charged with embezzlement. Although he denies his guilt he will not oppose extradition.

# ACCUSED OF FRAUD

### EX-CONGRESSMAN SIBLEY IS ARRESTED ON WARRANT CHARGING CONSPIRACY.

## HAD DROPPED FROM RACE

### Three Other Prominent Politicians of Pennsylvania Are Alleged to Have Debauched Votes in Twenty-Eighth District.

Franklin, Pa.—Joseph C. Sibley, whose withdrawal from the congressional race in this district was a surprise, especially because of his plea of heart failure, was arrested Tuesday on a warrant charging "conspiracy to defraud voters."

Sibley's campaign expense account, filed recently, showed an expenditure of \$42,000, or about \$5 a vote for all the voters of the district. His accounting had been brought into court by his Democratic opponent, William J. Breen.

Mr. Sibley was released on his own recognizance to appear before Justice of the Peace Perry at Warren, Pa., August 28.

In the warrant under which Mr. Sibley was arrested three other prominent politicians in the Twenty-eighth district are also charged with conspiracy to defraud voters.

It was only after Mr. Sibley, who has been a stand-pat leader and the alleged representative of the Standard Oil company in congress, had seen the court action, that he resigned, and his ill health is declared to have been hard to see till the day brought on the "heart failure" that he gave as the reason for not making the race, after weathering many hard political storms.

Sibley has been elected from the Twenty-eighth district, sometimes as a Democrat and sometimes as a Republican.

## FOREST FIRES TOLL GROWS

### Six Hundred Fighters Reported Lost in Montana—Possible 400 Persons Perish in Idaho.

Butte, Mont.—Six hundred fire fighters who left Thompson Falls four days ago are reported lost, and Forest Superintendent Bushnell of the cabinet reserve, who is at Thompson, fears all may have perished. The wind is blowing furiously toward Thompson and it is feared the little town, which is crowded with refugees, will be swept by fire.

The first cheering news from the great forest fire zone came Tuesday afternoon in the form of a report that heavy rain was falling at Cutbank on the eastern edge of the great Flathead country. Should this rain become general in the western and northwestern part of the state, the fires will be conquered and not until then, according to those who have visited the scene.

Governor Norris called out five companies of state troops to assist in fighting fires in the Flathead country. Fergus and Gallatin counties, in each of which districts the fires are beyond the control of the foresters and railroad employes. The reports from the northern end of this country are anything but assuring. Several new fires are reported from Lincoln, Stemple, Gould and Plesher and with the flames complete masters of the situation.

Summit, a town on the Great Northern, is reported surrounded by flames. Libby and Troy are still in grave danger of burning, according to Governor Norris, who has returned from there.

Spokane, Wash.—Nearly the whole Panhandle of Idaho, timbered mountain country, was on fire Tuesday and it is possible that 400 persons have perished.

The wind has risen to a gale and the mountains are a seething mass of flames. The entire Iron mountain is ablaze and the fire on Squaw creek is burning with renewed fury. The American river district is a gigantic furnace for miles, a number of outlying settlements, from which the inhabitants have fled, are certain of destruction and it is reported that the plant of the American Eagle mine, one of the largest in the district, is burning.

## MRS. CUDAHY GETS DIVORCE

### Wife of Packer Who Slashed Jere Lillis Wins Quick Suit on Incompatibility.

Kansas City, Mo.—Upon her testimony of incompatibility, supported by the testimony of her maid, Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. Edna Cudahy got a divorce from Jack Cudahy, son of the millionaire Chicago packer, Tuesday. She was given alimony amounting to \$1. The court proceedings lasted just ten minutes.

By the terms of the decree, the four Cudahy children will go into the custody of Michael Cudahy, father of Jack Cudahy.

Shiver When Storm Hits. Battle Creek, Mich.—Shivering in their night clothes, nearly 1,000 campers at the Seventh Day Adventist camp here saved their tents from destruction in a terrific rain and wind storm early Tuesday by sitting all through the storm on the ropes.

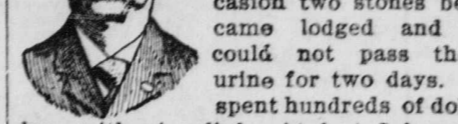
Freights Collide; Three Killed. Hagerstown, Md.—Three men were killed and six injured in a head-on freight train collision on the Western Maryland railroad near Edgemont late Monday night.

## TERRIBLE CASE OF GRAVEL

### Baker City, Ore., Man Suffered 25 Years.

Charles Kurz, 1618 Center St., Baker City, Ore., says: "For 25 years I suffered agony from gravel. So intense was the pain when the stones were passing, that I had to lie on my back and brace my feet, often being forced to scream. On one occasion two stones became lodged and I could not pass the urine for two days. I spent hundreds of dollars without relief. At last I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. They are the only remedy that wards off these attacks."

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## GAVE SIS AWAY.



Her Little Brother—Say, are you going to marry my sister Bess?

Her Sultor—Why, er—er—er don't know.

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## RECKONING DAY AND HOUR

### Workman's Thoughts Not Altogether Fixed on What Might Be Called Higher Things.

Mayor William S. Jordan, at a Democratic banquet in Jacksonville, said of optimism:

"Let us cultivate optimism and hopefulness. There is nothing like it. The optimistic man can see a bright side to everything."

"A missionary in a slum once laid his hand on a man's shoulder and said:

"Friend, do you hear the solemn ticking of that clock? Tick-tack, tick-tack. And oh, my friend, do you know what day it inexorably and relentlessly brings nearer?"

"Yes, pay day," the other, an honest, optimistic workman, replied."

## DR. MARTEL'S FEMALE PILLS.

Seventeen Years the Standard. Prescribed and recommended for Women's Ailments. A scientifically prepared remedy of proven worth. The result from their use is quick and permanent. For sale at all Drug Stores.

## Hard to Convince.

Little Tommy (eldest of the family, at dinner)—Mamma, why don't you help me before Ethel?

Mamma—Ladies must always come first.

Tommy (triumphantly)—Then why was I born before Ethel?—Tit-Bits.

When Rubbers Become Necessary And your shoes pinch, shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder for the feet. Cures tired, aching feet and takes the sting out of Corns and Bunions. Always use it for Breaking in New shoes and for dancing parties. Sold everywhere. 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

## Deduction in a Street Car.

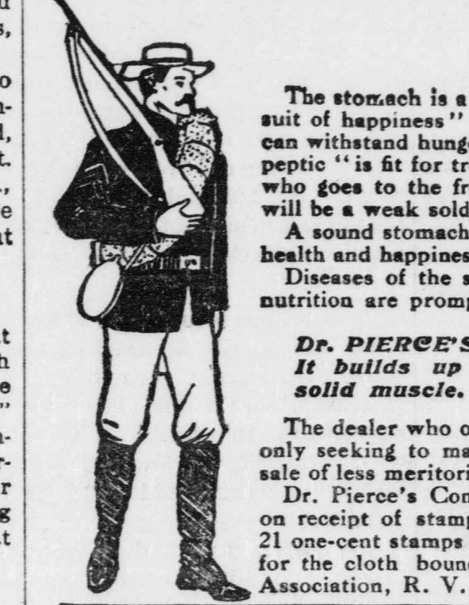
The Heavyweight—Pardon me, did I step on your foot, sir?

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### Wheat Yield in Many Districts Will Be From 25 to 35 Bushels Per Acre

Land sales and homestead entries increasing. No cessation in numbers going from United States. Wonderful opportunities remain for those who intend making Canada their home. New districts being opened up for settlement. Many farmers will net, this year, \$10 to \$15 per acre from their wheat crop. All the advantages of old settled countries are there. Good schools, churches, splendid markets, excellent railway facilities. See the grain exhibit at the different State and some of the County fairs.

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THEY SENT FOR THEIR SON. Maidstone, Sask., Canada, Aug. 5th, 1910. "My parents came here from Cedar Falls, Iowa, four years ago, and were so well pleased with this country they sent to Cedar Falls for me. I have taken up a homestead, near them, and am perfectly satisfied to stay here." Leonard Douglas.

WANTS SETTLER'S RATH FOR HIS STOCK. Bettler, Alberta, July 31st, 1910. "Well I got up here from Forest City, Iowa, last Spring in good shape with the stock and everything. Now I have got two boys back in Iowa yet, and am going back there now soon to get them, and another car up here this fall. What I would like to know is, if there is any chance to get a cheap rate back again and when we return to Canada I will call at your office for our certificates." Yours truly, H. A. Wile.

WILL MAKE HIS HOME IN CANADA. Brainerd, Minn., Aug. 1st, 1910. "I am going to Canada a week from today and intend to make my home there. My husband has been there six weeks and is well pleased with the country, so he wants me to come as soon as possible. He died on a claim near Lands, Sask., and by his description of it it must be a pretty place. Send for literature and ask the local Canadian Government Agents for Excursion Rates, best districts in which to locate, and when to go."

TAKES HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW'S WORD FOR IT. Tylors Falls, Minn., Aug. 7, 1910. "I shall go to Canada this Fall with my outfit and household goods. I got a poor crop here this year and my brother-in-law, Axel Nordstrom in Canada, wants me to come there. He formerly lived in Wilton, North Dakota. I am going to buy or take homestead when I get there, but I do not want to travel two times there for I take my brother-in-law's word about the country, and want to get a low rate." Yours truly, Peter A. Nelson.

WANTS TO RETURN TO CANADA. Yreka, Minn., July 24th, 1910. "I went to Canada nine years ago and took up a quarter section of railroad land and a homestead, but my boys have never been to Canada. I still hold the railroad land. I had to come back to the States on account of my health. Please let me know at once if I can get the cheap rates to Ponoka, Alberta." Geo. Paskevitz, Yreka, Minn.

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## AROUND ABOUT.

The celebrated New England dark day had its match here Monday. All day the sky was the copper colour denoting smoke, though the fire was fifteen hundred miles away. Rain was threatened all day, and shortly before four o'clock it fell in torrents. The wind rose to a gale, sweeping the water into every nook and cranny, while the lightning struck repeatedly in the city. At four o'clock there was no daylight and the entire electric equipment was disabled. For an hour the storm raged with unchecked fury, and then light returned. At seven o'clock the street cars resumed running.

No use talking, but Henry Rosenblum is putting up a pretty good front these days.

An Uncle Tom's Cabin Company without the customary adjuncts, a blaring brass band, ponies, donkeys, and other features is to say the least a novelty, but when one comes to consider that a reputable actor will not condescend to parade the streets in all sorts of weather, it can readily be seen that a company that employs only actors and actresses that are engaged solely to appear in the theater, the performance must show a decided improvement over the old time representation of the play. Mason Bros., this season are using only a concert band on the street, giving daily concerts at noon and have engaged the strongest acting company ever seen in this, the greatest of all American plays. The public has evinced its appreciation of this departure by filling the theaters nightly. This attraction at Gladstone theater, Monday, August 29.

The concert orchestras of the city have been united and organization perfected, under the direction of Charles Thurman, as the Thurman Concert Orchestra. It now includes eighteen instruments, and will raise the number to twenty-four. During the winter it is likely that a series of concerts may be given, with a trained chorus. Mr. Thurman's musical ability is well known to all residents of this city who appreciate good music. The new arrangement in no way interferes with the dance orchestras or their personnel.

Postmaster H. B. Laing on Wednesday made formal application to the postoffice department for the establishment of a free city delivery system from this office. During the last year the receipts of the Gladstone postoffice have been above ten thousand dollars. Some time, of course, will be necessary for the consideration of this application, and a petition for two from the citizens may be required to help it along.

Candidate Kerr stated in his speech at Hancock that the office of congressman differed from any other state or county official, in that while the duties and labor of the latter were clearly defined in the statutes, a congressman was given a free hand, untrammelled by any restrictions, and left to exercise his judgment as he saw fit. Rather a dangerous position to place some men in—for the district as well as the country at large.—Soo Times

At the conference here last week, of the Swedish mission Y. P. S., it was decided to hold the next conference at Iron Mountain. The following officers were elected: president, Rev. A. E. Rundquist, of Menominee; vice-president, George Thorpe, Norway; secretary, Anna Swanson, Gladstone; vice-secretary, Hulda Westin, Menominee; treasurer, Oscar Halvorson, Marinette.

At the height of Monday's storm Gladstone was without lights. Lightning struck the city sub-station, melting the instrument case and producing a short circuit. The current was immediately cut off at the power house. Several transformers and many fuses were burnt out, and the electrical disturbance was felt over the city. Superintendent Haberman made vigorous efforts at once to remedy the situation, and as soon as practicable started up the engine at the pumping station, which has laid idle more than a year. At half past seven current was again received from the traction company. The system was put in working order within a few hours, but repairs to the substation instruments will be needed. The city's electrical department is entitled to credit for the promptness with which a bad proposition was remedied.

If the "immense crowds" that turned out for Congressman Townsend throughout the peninsula were exaggerated in proportion to the "eight hundred" that heard him here, the claims of the insurgent press bureau will not keep Senator Burrows and his following awake nights worrying about them. The enthusiasm of his principal supporters in the peninsula has the same ring as their panegyrics two years ago of the fearless patriot and people's governor, Fred M. Warner.

A joint meeting of Rachel and Gladstone Hives, L. T. M. M., will be held next Saturday, Sept. 3, at Wasa Hall, at which Deputy Grand Commander, Carrie Gilbert, of Port Huron, will give instruction. As the question of rates will be discussed, all Lady Maccabees and all suspended members are earnestly requested to be present. No other announcement has been made. The morning session will begin at 9:30, and another be held in the afternoon.

Gladstone Lodge, F. & A. M., first entertained the grand master last Friday night, when G. R. Swift of Adrian was present. Grand Lecturer Gilbert has been here more than once. Visitors from various portions of the peninsula were attracted by the Masonic event, fifty-seven coming from Escanaba and twenty or so from other points; after the work a banquet was served to one hundred and twenty-three diners.

The rainfall Monday was the heaviest yet put on the capacity of the sewers, and on Delta avenue the flood which came pouring down the street, sweeping with it quantities of dirt and trash, threatened to clog the catch basins. So fast did the water come that in basements not safeguarded the water was backed in by the pressure in the sewers.

Changes are being made at the depot office which will increase its convenience. Yardmaster Carr has his office upstairs now; the office below has been cut off from the public by a partition with a freight window. A new floor and other repairs will make it more attractive.

The provisions of the primary law permit a qualified elector who is not enrolled to vote, provided he was ill, absent from the city, or not a voter of the same precinct on enrollment day. But if he enrolled in the spring, he cannot change his party.

The flour mill switch was straightened this week. A considerable quantity of freight is handled over this for Whybrew, the mill, and the two beer houses.

The St. Paul brought in over a thousand tons of merchandise this week, leaving with a full load of flour.

The council met Thursday night and resolved that the polls of the primary election should be open until 8 p. m., having heard that the Escanaba council has issued such an order, and not wishing to be behind the times.

Charles E. Townsend is the candidate of a large majority of the democratic press of Michigan. These papers are urging and cheering him on, and, hoping for the destruction of the Republican party, are using very unfair means to encompass the defeat of Senator Burrows, who is the foremost representative of the party and its principles within the state. The one fact, more than all others, should strengthen Senator Burrows and bring to his active support every Republican who loves fairness and decency in politics and who desires the integrity and preservation of his party.

The damage by lightning Monday was considerable. One bolt struck the houses of William Marble and Andrew Marshall, setting a bed afire in the latter. Another ripped open the cornice of Charles Heuss' building. Railroad men say that a bolt set a fire to the old ore dock foundation, but the rain soon extinguished it. About seventy-five phones were disabled here, and a couple of hundred in Escanaba, and the wire men were busy for several days repairing damage. The fire alarm system was also disabled, but speedily repaired.

Thieves, supposedly rather young, broke into Maclaurin & Needham's shop Wednesday night, pried out the till, which contained \$23, and took it, together with four flashlights and some fixtures. The till was found Friday back of the axe factory. Two razors were stolen at the same time from Duchesne's barber shop.

The regulation was poor on the city's lights Wednesday evening, the voltage flickering greatly, presumably because of injury to the regulator at Escanaba. A street car on its way uptown burned out its controller, to the great alarm of the passengers, and was compelled to continue its journey backwards, so to speak.

Gladstone Lodge, 67, I. O. O. F., will entertain the Rapid River and both Escanaba lodges at its meeting next Thursday evening, when the grand instructor and past grand master, W. R. Kennedy, will give instruction on the lodge work. A banquet will be served by the Rebekahs after the meeting.

The port receipts of customs duties last year, beginning June 15 and continuing to the end of the season, were over \$21,000 in cash. From June 2 of this year up to last week, they surpassed that sum and will probably reach fifty thousand before navigation closes.

Monday's storm was not unattended with loss of life here. Lightning struck a tree in the yard of Edmund Longreite, in the first ward, ran down a clothesline to a small shed which it shattered, killing the family dog, which had sought refuge there.

The people of Gladstone were awakened Thursday morning by a storm even more noisy than Monday's—although its darkness was less noticeable—but it is not learned that serious damage was done by the lightning.

A party of Masons from this city attended the session of Delta Lodge in Escanaba Monday evening, in spite of the weather conditions prevailing. They were furnished by the traction company with a special car for their return.

At Monday's meeting the council resolved that there should be included in the appropriation bill \$200 for opening Thirteenth street from Michigan Avenue to Van Cleve park.

The coal dock was idle this week, in contrast to the activity not long ago, when three ten-thousand-ton freighters were tied up here awaiting their turn to unload.

The concrete work of the flooring mill has approached completion, and the roof is being put on.

Menominee county has eight candidates for sheriff on the republican ticket. Lively campaign.

The roofs of two box cars in the Soo yard Monday were wrecked by the wind.

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Roger M. Andrews in the Menominee Herald-Leader features the following "logic" in a first-page framed space:

"If you like Roosevelt and believe in the Roosevelt policies, then you will vote for Charles E. Townsend for U. S. senator.

"If you don't like Roosevelt and his reform measures, then you had better vote for six years more of Senator Burrows, etc."

In other words, let Teddy do your thinking. That's the tenor of Andrews' advice. If you are a voter you are necessarily twenty-one years of age, and should be competent to reason some things out for yourself. But, politically, you should not be privileged to make your own selection, that is Mr. Roosevelt's prerogative. As president he dictated to the Republican convention whom he wished to succeed him in that position. Though at that time we did not endorse this policy, and think it established a dangerous precedent, we believe his choice was a wise one. Yet some of Mr. Roosevelt's most ardent admirers are of the opinion that he made a mistake in this instance, and are now doing all they can to handicap Mr. Taft and make his administration unpopular. After securing the nomination and election of Mr. Taft, Roosevelt quietly dropped out, leaving his successor to calm the troubled political and business waters that he had kicked up.

Upon his return from abroad, he immediately got busy in New York politics. The Republicans of that state would not brook his interference, and Ohio later treated him in a similar manner. Now he plans to enter Indiana and other states to aid "insurgent" candidates in their uphill campaigns. Regardless of what Mr. Roosevelt may have been in national politics, the question is, what position of power does he hold today? If we accept Mr. Andrews' advice, we must also consult Mr. Roosevelt as to whom we should support for the various county offices in Chippewa this fall, and for mayor in the city next spring.

Mr. Taft is at the head of the present administration, not Mr. Roosevelt, and if it comes to a question as to who shall dictate whom he wants as his supporters in congress and the senate, we are willing to leave it to the president.—Soo Times.

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