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## EXCITEMENT OVER

The first Monday of May marks the zenith of an alderman's grandeur. From thence onward he is a fading flower, having no more patronage to distribute nor licenses to bestow. Thereafter the council hall is as deserted of the anxious populace, as a last year's birds' nest.

At the meeting the first of the week Louis Danielson applied for the position of marshal, John Duncan for that of street commissioner, and Alex Murker for both, while George Pease and Charles Burnett asked to wear the star of the evening.

The council ordered the assessors salary to be paid monthly, instead of in a lump as usual, told the city attorney to sue for personal taxes of last year, \$255 86, and declined to give the band boys the city hall for Sunday afternoon, advising them to cultivate the good graces of the school board.

Ald. Murphy was reelected president pro tem, and Mayor Perry took the floor and appointed Louis Danielson marshal, George Pease nightwatchman, Charles E. Nebel and Albert E. Neff to the water board and Henry C. Henke to the cemetery board. All of those were duly approved.

The council elected Glenn W. Jackson city attorney, Abraham Rogers poor commissioner, and James Mitchell health officer and city physician. The salary ordinance of last year was not amended.

Some sidewalk grades were given, and other walks replaced. The antitoxin bills returned by the county were paid, as well as some bills for trial of disorderly characters who could not pay their fines. The question of the time at which the traction company is to be paid its yearly balance for light and power current was referred to a committee. Ald. Holm's plea for a sanitary abattoir at Delta and Eighth was referred to the ways and means committee. Ald. Young, Tardiff and Micks.

Petitions for a drain on Minneapolis avenue and a water trough in the rear of Delta avenue remain unreported.

## REASSESSING MICHIGAN

The state tax commission, now busy in the counties of the upper peninsula, has sent notice to assessing officers generally calling for support in its work of putting the state on a basis of cash value assessments, something that has been honored completely in the breach by officers before. The mining counties were raised by order of the state board of tax commissioners, and the railroads pay specific taxes on a high assessment, but in the farming counties of the lower peninsula particularly, valuations have been very low.

Says the communication: "In accordance with the mandate of the legislature, the commission has taken up the work of bringing all property in the state up to cash value, and formulated a plan for completing it in three years; and their representatives are now at work in Baraga, Marquette, and large lower peninsula counties, and will soon begin work in a number of others. We ask all citizens to cooperate with us to end that we may speedily and satisfactorily finish the task."

There is often a feeling that the raising of assessments to cash value will increase the taxes upon the property so raised. That is not the result unless your officers vote large taxes or the property had not paid its proper proportion in the past. As a matter of fact the commission finds that where a general review of values has been made by it, nine out of ten taxpayers pay less than before the reassessment. In the event of the next equalization occurring before the tax commission has completed its work of reassessment, we will make it a point of honor that that the counties reassessed by us shall not suffer. Under the plan we are now following, we expect to have the whole state reassessed on a cash basis within three years."

## FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

Slow down! This is the slogan for everybody when approaching a corner—and "slow down hard."

And while the city fathers are considering this question, would it not be well to pass an ordinance, if none exists, making it mandatory for the drivers of carriages to carry a light? Automobiles are compelled by law to carry head and tail lights—and every automobile driver knows how many times he has almost hit a carriage that has popped out of darkness directly in path.

It is no hardship to carry a light on a carriage. It is done in almost any city of size in the United States. With our shaded, shadowy streets, it is almost a necessity if we would avoid accidents. As a matter of self protection, the driver of a carriage or a wagon should do this.—Marquette Chronicle.

## TO VOTE BILLIONS

The long-expected good roads bill of Senator Bourne of Oregon has finally been brought out in Washington. It provides an appropriation of \$3,000,000,000 for good roads throughout the country, under a plan of national and state co-operation, \$1,000,000,000 to be used for construction and \$2,000,000,000 for maintenance during a period of 50 years.

That the \$1,000,000,000 construction fund shall be appropriated among the states upon the basis of area, population, assessed valuation and road mileage.

That the several states shall deposit in the United States treasury their 50-year 4 per cent bonds for the amount due them and the government lend the states the par value therefor for road construction.

The proposed apportionment of funds to Michigan and nearby states follows:

Road	Appor-
Mileage	tionment
Michigan	68,906 \$28,600,000
Illinois	94,141 39,400,000
Iowa	102,437 25,000,000
Indiana	67,996 25,100,000
Wisconsin	61,090 25,600,000

Senator Bourne has recently secured from all the rural carriers information as to the condition of and travel upon the roads they use.

## ROAD BOUNTIES

Under the new road law, automobile license fees will go for trunk roads, and any county that builds two miles or more on the trunk line plan will be entitled to double award. In cases where three or more miles are built by the county, the state will pay half the expenses of erecting bridges and all bridges and culverts are to be designed by the highway department. Old state road roads on the trunk lines are to be entitled to one half additional state reward if kept in good repair and such roads widened or re-surfaced will be entitled to additional reward to bring the total to an amount equal to the double reward for new roads. All must be inspected and approved by the highway commissioner.

The trunk line roads must be kept in repair to entitle any county to the double award for additional road. Provision is made for the establishment of trunk line highway districts by contiguous counties, and the highway commissioner is authorized to survey the trunk line through these districts and give estimates of cost.

There are two upper peninsula roads, one beginning at St. Ignace running west to Manistique, Masonville, Gladstone, Escanaba, Spaulding, Iron Mountain, Crystal Falls, Iron River, Watersmeet, Bessemer and Ironwood with branch through Spaulding to Menominee and from some point north of St. Ignace, to be specified by the highway department, to the Soo. Another beginning at Escanaba, running north through Marquette, Negaunee, Ishpeming, Michigamme, L'Anse and Baraga to Calumet, Eagle Harbor and Ontonagon.

There will be war between the Soo and St. Ignace, as to the division point on the eastern road.

## HORSES DO MOST DAMAGE?

Horses do most damage to the roads, and narrow steel tires come next. Any gravel or stone road in Indiana bears evidence of the above. Unless the former is dragged in suitable weather, which may not occur during an entire season, it soon has three deep grooves, two for the wheels and one midway between formed by the horse, driven single. The last is most difficult to control. It is due mostly to rapid driving. On hills, where the horses walk, it is not formed.

Our farmers complain of automobiles ruining the roads, but the man in a buggy, with his fast-stepping horse, is a great menace. There would be greater complaint if in taxing vehicles to raise a road fund, the horse-drawn buggy should be given its share, and speed limited to four miles per hour, a rate that would do but little damage to the road. So far as I know that has not been done in any state. The autoist is taxed because they think he is able to pay. In most cases he is also willing, greatly to his credit. While that is true, the facts as to road wear ought to be understood.—C. A. Hargrave, Danville, Ind., in Scientific American.

Under the provisions of the new tax law automobile owners will pay 50 cents per each horsepower of his car. A forty-horse car will have to pay \$20, this going to the state, and there can be no other tax assessed against the car. That is, it cannot be taxed locally. So far as the auto owners are concerned the tax will be lighter than they have been paying in most instances.—Iron Ore.

## BOATS AND DOCKS

The forty horsepower motor installed by the Soo Line was put in use Thursday afternoon to operate the loaders, and works to the delight of Superintendent Haberman, Messrs Hammond and Eaton and all concerned but one. Engineer Cook grieved to see his faithful companion of many years unkindly shouldered out by a whirligig of a parvenu.

On Sunday Captain Berry of the revenue cutter Tuscarora reported to navigation interests that a field of ice of probably thousands of square miles in extent is drifting toward Whitefish Bay. It was visible for a hundred miles along the southern edge. A few days were expected to dissolve it, but in the meantime it might obstruct vessels.

The steamers Rhodes, Minneapolis Huron were in port this week, with about six hundred tons each of first class merchandise, including much high grade dry goods. The custom house force is fairly embarked now on its summer's work. The boats are taking out full loads of grain and flour.

The steamer Hazard last week unloaded a thousand barrels of cement here for the Cloverland company, which is distributing it for the spring building rush. The boat came direct from the Huron works at Alpena.

The lighthouse tender Hyacinth was in port Monday. The buoys have been replaced and a new gas buoy put off Escanaba to mark the Sand Point shoal.

Henry Staples arrived in the city Wednesday evening to see that all is well on the coal dock and keep up his well deserved reputation as a raconteur.

The W. P. Rand loaded the first of the week at the elevator with 100,000 bushels of wheat.

The steamer Amazon is unloading the first load of coal for the season at the dock, 5200 tons.

## TIRE SALE

Having purchased the completely equipped Garage at the corner of Central and Wisconsin Avenues, we find ourselves in possession of a number of stock tires, brand new and in their wrappers. As is our intention to carry only a fresh stock of the best automobile fittings, we will sell these at a considerable reduction. Owners of machines will find this an excellent chance to refit.

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## POTATO CROWING

John Hall, a prominent Perkins farmer, was in the city Saturday and delivered the following communication to The Delta:

TO FARMERS  
Our Cloverland is now on the point of choosing one variety of potatoes for all to grow.

The Rural New Yorker Potato won the \$3.00 prize at the county fair last year, Peter Nelson, of Perkins, having the best potato exhibit. So let us all unite to grow the Rural New Yorker.

The Sir Walter Raleigh, which our brother, Leo M. Geismar, recommends, has poor qualities, and we should not grow it for our local trade.

The Rural New Yorker is perfectly shaped and of a better quality by far than the Sir Walter Raleigh, as farmers that tried the last named found them poor cookers and of a watery color.

I sold them in our market, the city of Gladstone, one fall. They left a feeling of disappointment among all my customers.

Let us grow a potato that will sell on its own merits. I intend to plant only the Rural New Yorker this fall.

Yours truly,

JOHN HALL.

Fires and threatening weather kept many farmers away from the meeting in the city hall Saturday afternoon to discuss potato seed in an effort to agree on a uniformity of seed. Prof. Leo M. Geismar was in attendance as were representatives of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau but the farmers themselves failed to materialize in sufficient numbers to work out the desired organization. However, those who attended were advised as to the best varieties in this soil and the result may be a more uniform crop this fall.

Col. C. W. Mort, of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, telegraphed as follows:

I am sorry I cannot be with the potato growers in Marquette today, but I am with them in spirit. Nothing will strengthen the price and popularity of Cloverland potatoes as much as growing two good varieties—the Walter Raleigh and the Rural New Yorker seem to produce well in Cloverland. Inform potato growers I wish them success for their worthy movement.—Marquette Chronicle.

## POTATO NOTES

The new bulletin on potatoes being sent out by the experiment station demonstrates the advantages of using large seed pieces rather than small ones in planting. The potato grower who plants selected tubers rather than culls is likely to secure as much as 20 to 25 per cent greater crop than the grower who is not careful in seed collection. The professors in the agronomy department of the college carefully worked all the tests made in the bulletin in last summer's crop, even to the hoeing of the potatoes. Boiled down in a few words the bulletin states that planting large seed pieces:

1. Produced a higher yield of potatoes per acre.
  2. Produced larger potatoes.
  3. Produced potatoes of more uniform type—and gives the figures to prove it.
- All farmers and others interested in the production of good potatoes are invited to send for the new potato bulletin, No. 146, which is written by Dr. A. N. Hume, agronomist, and Manley Champlin, assistant agronomist, Ad-dress Director, Experiment Station, Brookings, South Dakota.

When seed potatoes are \$1.50 to \$2 per bushel people clamor for seed and a very large acreage is the result. With seed at 50 cents per bushel they are a drug on the market. Like sheep, all go the same way—this however applies only to a number of farmers whom we might call gamblers in farming. The farmer who has his work mapped out several years ahead, crop rotations in operation, where potatoes are a crop on some field or other every year, is not materially affected by the fluctuations in the price of potatoes. When potatoes are low it is pretty good time to plant them. This will hold true with other crops—wheat, barley, and all of them have their mings. Live stock offers a pretty safe avenue for marketing all crops.

Potatoes deteriorate or run out as quickly as any other seed if allowed to. The practice of sorting out the good, smooth, medium-sized potato for eating and then planting the small ones left is bad. Indications of seed running out are: Tapering tendency at the seed end of the potato, long slim potatoes and a general getting away from the variety type. The yield can be materially increased by proper selection. The kind that the housewife likes to pare and cook are pretty near the kind of potato we are looking for to plant. Treat the seed for scab with formalin. It will do the business.—South Dakota Farmer.

## BIG LAWSUIT

The title of the Gleason Exploration company to its mine has been attacked in the circuit court for Iron county by a former owner of the land, who claims that he was induced to part with his mineral rights through misrepresentation by the present feeholder, from whom the Gleason company leases the property.

Says the Diamond Drill:

A bill was filed last week in the circuit court for this county asking that a certain quit claim deed running from Father Mlynarczyk, a former Catholic priest of Iron River to Constantine Zyskowski, a Polish resident of the same town, be set aside and the title to the property be fixed again in Father Mlynarczyk.

The suit involves the NE¼ of NW¼ section 23-43-35 on which is located the original Gleason find and which is now under lease to the Davidson Ore Co., a subsidiary of the New York State Steel Co.

The property was originally explored by the Gleason Mining and Exploration Co. and a lease taken at a royalty of 15 cents per ton, running from Zyskowski to the Gleason people. The Gleason company leased the property to the Davidson company at a royalty of 50 cents per ton and a big bonus, said about \$80,000. The statement made to the tax commission at the time of the Finlay appraisal shows an approximate tonnage of \$2,000,000 tons. A working shaft was sunk on the property and several hundred thousand tons of ore have been raised and shipped from the mine since it was opened.

This is the first case wherein the ownership of a developed and operating iron mine has been in dispute and the case will be a hard fought one from start to finish. It means very much to the Gleason people should they lose their lease to this property for they have a very large interest in the royalty as may be seen by the terms of the lease.

The case for the defendants has been taken up by E. P. Lott for Frank Jackson and Zyskowski and G. R. Empson, of Gladstone, for the Gleasons. Fred H. Abbott of this city and Martin S. McDonough, of Iron River, have filed the bill for Father Mlynarczyk.

## AWAKE AT THE SWITCH

"This man seldom speaks," said Confucius, outlining the character of the superior man, "but when he does, he hits the nail on the head."

Auditor General O. B. Fuller is a state officer who seldom appears in the news despatches, but when he does, it is always to his credit for alertness and integrity. As auditor general he is the custodian of the public purse strings, and it is his duty to see that funds are not unlawfully distributed. The "jokers" in appropriation bills, the padding in officers' accounts, come under his eye, and it is not recorded that any of them have slipped by as yet.

A public officer is always exposed to the vigorous efforts of those who seek to turn a pull to personal advantage, but the auditor general has been no respecter of persons, and no officials, high or low, have influenced him to stretch the law and the constitution of the detriment of the funds in his charge.

The latest example is a vote of the legislature slipped through to increase salaries of state officers, in defiance of section 3, article 16, of the constitution, which says that the salary of no officer shall be increased or decreased during the term for which he is elected or appointed. It is not a question of discretion as to the salaries, which is vested in the legislature, but a prohibition of the power to reward or punish an officer as he may be popular or otherwise with the solons. The auditor general has stood on his constitutional duty and refused to allow such changes in salary.

He is receiving the general approval of all except those who have thus lost their raise. It is becoming apparent from day to day that the people made no mistake in re-electing O. B. Fuller for the second time. He has saved them his salary many times over since taking the office.

## FOR SALE

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## ROAD DRAG SUCCESS

The road leading west of Ishpeming has been dragged this week, smoothing the surface and crowning the center, the King-style drag being used. It is a great help, and Mr. Hillyer has the right idea concerning the importance of the work, at this time of the year. This dragging should be done frequently, being employed after continued rains and before the surface is thoroughly dried. All the townships should have drags of this kind, and should use them. Too many roads are neglected after being built.—Iron Ore.



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GLADSTONE, MICHIGAN

### NOT TRUE CYCLONES.

An uphill fight for accurate English is being waged, year after year, by scientific authorities on the weather who object to having the tornadoes which rip through towns now and then, or carry away isolated farm houses, called "cyclones." The distinction made by the experts in meteorology is plain, but the public is wedded to the "cyclone." The word has gained wide acceptance in describing the furious local storms which rush forward along a more or less direct path while they whirl with far greater velocity on a center which may be only a few feet in diameter. If a boy's top is spun on one end of a board and the board is tilted so that the top slides quickly along it, all the while revolving at high speed on its point, the onward sweep of the tornado is closely imitated. The true cyclone of the West Indies, the China sea and other parts of the tropics, is entirely different, says the Cleveland Leader. Its force is spent in a furious wind that seems to blow almost straight ahead, while the great storm revolves, more or less fully, around a circle, the circumference of which may be many hundreds of miles. The tornado wreaks its fury on a strip of land usually only a mile or less in width. The cyclone sweeps scores or hundreds of miles of sea or shore.

The man who finds himself convicted of ignorance every time he confronts a dictionary can take comfort from the disclosures of Dr. Leonard P. Ayres of the Russell Sage Foundation. Dr. Ayres, in order to determine the words used most commonly, analyzed 2,000 personal and business letters. He found only 2,001 different words in them. Forty-three words half of the total number used. The word "I" was repeated oftentimes, and numerous others, including "the," "and," "to," "your" and "of," occurred many times. If 43 words constitute half of the average correspondence, the discovery is startling, although the statement has been rather frequently made that the ordinary American's vocabulary is limited to 300 words. Dr. Ayres raises the question if the spelling lists used in the schools are not too comprehensive. Why should a boy who will talk and write in Anglo-Saxon brevity scratch his head over "metempsychosis" and "ratiocination"? Educators will find in this something to think about, even if they do not agree with Dr. Ayres.

The king of Spain has ordered the buttons on the sleeves of servants who wait at his table cut off. This is because of an awkward happening at a dinner given by the king at the palace at Madrid to two eminent financiers. One of the guests wore a peruke. One of the waiters, as he was serving this financier, hooked his peruke on a button of his sleeve and carried it away to the kitchen. Spanish etiquette is of too severe a character to permit laughter at such an incident. When the servant discovered what he had done he fled, carrying the peruke with him, and the financier left the palace baldheaded and in a very bad humor.

Switzerland has rigged up a tall tower of a church so as to hold wireless communication with Eiffel tower. Why didn't they simply run the wire up the Jungfrau and communicate with the United States?

Prof. G. C. Humphrey of the College of Agriculture, University of Wisconsin, has issued a pamphlet giving the result of experiments carried on last fall with both tops used in combination with shocked corn for silage. Chemical analysis shows that this beet top and corn silage has practically the same composition as clear corn silage, so that the farmers who produce the 250,000 tons of sugar beets raised in Wisconsin can consider corn as a two-story crop, the underground part salable to the factories, and the upper story available as feed for cattle.

The riceless wedding is the latest. If only the well-wishers would add the rice to the kitchen stores of the young couple, instead of heaping it on their heads, there might be some sense in it.

A scientist of Greenwich observatory is engaged in the task of counting the stars. When he gets through, some one will probably demand a recount to verify the statement.

A Daniel come to judgment will be the verdict of the henpecked over the decision of that Baltimore judge who decreed that a man is no man who turns all his salary over to his wife. Although this is the age of woman's rights, it appears that men are to have some, after all!

Reports announce that Duke Kahanamoku of Honolulu had a desperate underwater battle with an eel, killed it, and lost his index finger. The duke must have a press agent.

## ALIEN BILL PASSES

CALIFORNIA LAWMAKERS ADOPT MEASURE WHICH IS STRONGLY OBJECTED TO BY JAPAN.

### BRYAN MAKES A FINAL PLEA

Secretary of State on Behalf of President Wilson Demands That Webb Law Be Submitted to the People for a Vote.

Sacramento, Cal., May 5.—The alien land ownership bill, previously passed by the senate by a vote of 36 to 2, was adopted by the assembly and awaits only the signature of the governor to become a law.

Only three votes were cast against the measure in the lower house, one Democrat and two Republican members opposing the bill on the final passage. The roll call was held less than twenty-four hours after the final passage of the act in the senate.

Bryan Says Farewell.

Secretary of State Bryan concluded his mission to the governor and legislature of California with a message of farewell. To an open joint session of the two houses, attended by the governor, he gave renewed assurances of the friendly interest and co-operative attitude of the national administration toward the peculiar problems of California, transmitting the president's latest criticism of the alien land act passed by the state senate and rehearsing again those objections already made public.

Secretary Bryan in his address voiced the president's opinion that the words "eligible to citizenship" substituted in the California attorney general's redraft of the alien land measure for the words "ineligible to citizenship," are equally discriminatory and therefore equally objectionable to Japan.

If a law must pass he urged that it be limited in its operation to two years, in order that meanwhile diplomacy might so improve the international situation that re-enactment by the next legislature would be unnecessary. This suggestion, which had not yet reached the president, he said, was made "for the consideration of those who have yet to act upon the subject."

Responsibility Extensive.

In summing up, Secretary Bryan rehearsed the objections and suggestions of the president, already made public, and concluded:

"Having performed the duty imposed upon me by the chief executive of the nation my work is done. You have listened patiently and courteously and now the responsibility rests upon you to do what you deem necessary, recognizing as you doubtless do that you act not only as the representatives of the state, dealing with lands lying within the state, but as the representatives of a state occupying a position among her sister states and sharing with them an interest in and responsibility for international relations.

"You are fortunate in this state in having the initiative and referendum. The initiative spurs you on to do that which you believe your people want done, while the referendum empowers those for whom you speak to put their veto upon your acts if you fail to reflect their wishes. It may be assumed therefore, that if you feel it your duty to enact any legislation on this subject at this time your people will either manifest their approval by acquiescence or their disapproval by submitting your action to the judgment of the voters by means of the referendum.

"I leave you with renewed assurances of the president's friendly concern in the subject with which you are dealing and my appreciation of the kind reception which you have accorded me as his spokesman."

### WISCONSIN SOLONS IN ERROR

Ratifies Direct Election Amendment Without Embodying Copy of Resolution Passed by Congress.

Washington, May 5.—It has just been discovered here that the Wisconsin legislature in its anxiety to provide for the direct election of senators came near preventing it going into effect for several months. In ratifying the direct election amendment it embodied a copy of a resolution for direct election which had never passed congress, overlooking the certified copy of the resolution that actually had passed congress.

The attention of the Wisconsin legislature has been called from here to this error and as it is still in session the blunder will doubtless be rectified.

### POLICE SHOT BY STRIKERS

Bloodshed Follows Effort of Officers to End Labor Riot at Paterson, N. J.

Paterson, N. J., May 6.—The first serious disturbance in this neighborhood since the beginning of the laborers' strike occurred at Paterson. A policeman was shot in the leg and another was knocked down with a stone when the police dispersed a gang of 300 riotous laborers. The police used their sticks and the rioters suddenly began to shoot. Five of them, all badly clubbed, were arrested.

The strikers, who are members of the General Laborers' International union, walked out on May day, and have put a stop to nearly all the outdoor, unskilled day labor in this part of the state.

### MRS. DAVID F. HOUSTON.



Mrs. David Franklin Houston, wife of the new secretary of agriculture. This is the newest photograph of Mrs. Houston.

### MONTENEGRO DECIDES TO WITHDRAW FROM SCUTARI

Austria Mobilizing 60,000 Troops to Pacify Albania—Bosnia and Herzegovina Under Martial Law.

London, May 5.—Tension in the European situation was somewhat relieved by the news of Montenegro's eleventh hour submission. Confronted by Austria's threatening attitude, which was backed by Italy, King Nicholas decided to withdraw from Scutari.

Austria, however, is not relaxing military preparations, although the objective of these preparations is not now Montenegro, nor even Scutari. The pacification of Albania is the task for which Austria is mobilizing 60,000 troops.

Co-operating with Italy, Austria will occupy Albania, with the object of ending anarchical conditions there.

As a measure of precaution, martial law has been proclaimed in Bosnia, and also in Herzegovina, the neighboring Austrian state. This means considerable curtailment of public liberty. It is stated in official circles that the occupation of Albania will be only temporary and that no division of territory is contemplated, but elsewhere such assurances are distrusted.

Actual military operations are expected to begin within the next few days.

### FLASHES FROM THE CABLES

Lisbon, May 5.—Portugal has declared a national holiday in celebration of the discovery of Brazil in 1500.

Vancouver, B. C., May 5.—Lieutenant Gran, a member of Capt. Robert Scott's south pole expedition, and carrying his records, passed through Vancouver en route to England. He has numerous photographs of scenes on the journey to the pole and the return.

Honolulu, May 5.—Admiral Stanford returned from Pearl Harbor, where he investigated government work now being done. It is reported he discovered the foundation of the new station so weak geologically as to make the situation serious. A new site or a floating dock may be necessary.

Corozal, Panama, May 5.—A premature explosion of dynamite killed six and injured forty West Indian laborers engaged in work on the Panama canal.

London, May 5.—The condition of the duchess of Connaught, wife of the governor general of Canada, is far from satisfactory. Since the second operation which she underwent recently for abdominal trouble there has been little improvement.

### TWO DIE IN RESCUE ATTEMPT

Police Officers and Boy Are Electrocuted While Trying to Save Youth From Death.

Rock Island, Ill., May 5.—Policeman Cornelius Menan and William Kaiser, a fourteen-year-old boy, gave their lives here to rescue an unidentified youth who became entangled in an electric trolley wire. Menan and Kaiser were electrocuted when they seized the youth to drag him to safety.

### GREEK QUEEN HAS DAUGHTER

New Princess Added to Royal Household, According to News Received at Washington Legation.

Washington, May 5.—A new princess was added to the royal household of Greece. The Greek legation received a cablegram announcing the birth of a daughter to the queen.

## THUG ELUDES POSSE

OUTLAW SEVERELY WOUNDED AS HE OLDS UP J. M. SHORT ON KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN.

### ZINC MAGNATE HIT THRICE

Desperado Leaves Trail of Blood as He Falls From Pullman—His Loot Placed at \$1,500—Victim Tells of Terrific Battle.

Kansas City, Mo., May 3.—A lone robber who boarded the Kansas City Southern's passenger No. 5, its gulf coast train, at the station here, robbed the passengers soon after the train left here, securing about \$1,500 in money and jewelry. To rob the Joplin millionaire, Jesse M. Short, was the real object of the bandit and the "holding up" of several other passengers was merely incidental, according to the theory of the police. After a lively duel with Mr. Short in a Pullman the robber fell from the train wounded, carrying \$1,000 of Short's money and the wealthy mine owner was in his berth with three bullets in his body.

Sleuths Follow Blood Trail.

Bleeding profusely from wounds he received in a pistol battle with Short, the robber left a trail of blood as he fled from the scene of the robbery. This enabled the officers to follow his tracks until he arrived at the Blue river, almost a mile from the point where he jumped from the train. Here the trail stopped abruptly and his pursuers expressed the belief that he continued his flight on a boat.

### Bandit Rushes Aboard Train.

The train was just pulling out of the station here when a tall man ran out of the darkness of the railroad yards and climbed up the steps of the observation car. He had a handkerchief over the lower part of his face and carried two pistols.

Oscar Allen, a negro porter, who saw him board the train, rushed out and ordered him away. The robber covered him with his pistol and said: "I am going to put over a trick here. You sit down there and be quiet. I shall need you."

### Goes Through the Chair Car.

Preceded by the frightened negro, the robber then entered the chair car, where there were about a dozen passengers, all men.

"Hold up your hands," was the command with which the robber greeted them. He had recovered a steady nerve by this time and his voice no longer indicated fear. The passengers readily complied with his demand.

The Pullman car was entered next. There every one was in bed with the curtains drawn. After robbing two passengers, from whom he secured small amounts of money, the robber came to the berth occupied by Short.

"Give me your money," the robber demanded in a whisper as he shook the sleeping man. When awakened sufficiently to realize the import of the command Short handed over \$1,000 in money and a large diamond stud.

### Both Fire Through a Curtain.

As the robber turned to leave Short seized an automatic pistol and fired through the curtain. The robber returned the fire and both men emptied their weapons, each shooting blindly through the curtain, which was perforated by almost a dozen bullets. One bullet struck Short's forehead, another went through an arm, a third lodged in his knee.

### CHIHUAHUA BARS ALL PAPERS

No News is Allowed to Go in or Out of Mexico, Owing to Censorship.

El Paso, Tex., May 5.—On orders from General Rabago, military governor of the state of Chihuahua, all newspapers whether printed in Spanish or English, have been barred from the state of Chihuahua. Consul Miguel Diebold was appealed to but he was powerless except to take up the matter with the state department of Mexico. There the matter rests. In the meantime residents of Mexico are getting no news nor is any news permitted to come out, so strict is the censorship.

### CONGRESSMAN DROPS DEAD

Lewis J. Martin of New Jersey Expires in Washington as He Alights From a Train.

Washington, May 6.—Congressman Lewis J. Martin of Newton, N. J., fell dead in the Union station here.

Representative Martin was serving his first term in congress. He was sixty-nine years old and represented the Sixth New Jersey district. He had just arrived in Washington from New Jersey. As he stepped off the train he was taken ill and several bystanders carried him into an office near by. He died almost as soon as they laid him down.

### DR. FRANCIS L. PATTON QUILTS

Resigns at President of Princeton Theological Seminary, but Will Act in Advisory Capacity.

Princeton, N. J., May 6.—Dr. Francis Landey Patton, president of the Princeton Theological Seminary, resigned the presidency. He will receive a pension of \$3,000 a year.

Doctor Patton will leave for Bermuda in the near future, but will return to Princeton to act in an advisory capacity to the board of trustees. A president pro tem has been appointed.

### MISS RAMONA BORDEN.



Miss Ramona Borden, the runaway daughter of Gail Borden, is now with her mother in California. She says she ran away because she wants a real home.

### THIRTEEN DIE IN RIVER ACCIDENTS

Boston, May 5.—When an overloaded rowboat sprang a leak in the Charles river and sank within twenty feet of the embankment, six of its youthful occupants, three girls and three boys, from eight to sixteen years old, all of Cambridge, were drowned. Two other boys, the only ones in the party able to swim, were saved.

Cincinnati, May 5.—Two women and a man were drowned in the Ohio river here when the skiff in which they were rowing upset. The party attempted to get out of the way of a passing excursion steamer and rowed close to a fleet of coal barges. The waves from the steamer upset their skiff and all were drawn underneath the barges and drowned.

Worthville, Ky., May 5.—Four persons were drowned when the river steamer Sonoma sank at Glenmary. When an effort was being made to land the boat struck a snag, which caused it to careen and fill, then sink.

### NITRO BOMB IS FOUND IN LONDON POSTOFFICE

Police Hold Militant Suffragists Responsible for Outrage—Women Leaders Tried for Conspiracy.

London, May 6.—A bomb containing sufficient nitro-glycerine to demolish the great building was found among the packages collected by the parcel post at the southeastern district post office.

No clue was obtained, but the police attach suspicion to the militant suffragettes.

The metallic sound of the parcel aroused suspicion among the employees, several hundred of whom were on duty at the time. The package was plunged into water and the police, who were called, opened it and found it filled with gunpowder, a quantity of slugs and a tube of nitro-glycerine.

Great interest was taken in the police court proceedings against the suffragette leaders, held on charges of conspiracy under the malicious damage act, which were resumed at Bow street.

Archibald Bodkin, the prosecutor, in opening the case described the law of conspiracy and said the defendants had been constantly meeting together. He referred to "General" Mrs. Drummond as a "violent and unscrupulous woman." He said Clayton, the chemist, in whose possession were found documents describing a plan of campaign for burning down buildings in London, had put his brains at the disposal of the women for carrying out crimes and producing what their own paper described as a "reign of terror in London."

### DUCHESS IS GROWING WORSE

Condition of Wife of Former Governor of Canada, Shows No Improvement Say Doctors.

London, May 5.—The duchess of Connaught, wife of the former governor general of Canada, is worse than at any time since the last operation was performed upon her. The physicians announced that there has been practically no improvement in the condition of the duchess since the second operation.

### Harvester Hearing at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., May 6.—Testimony in the government's suit to dissolve the International Harvester company under the Sherman anti-trust law, was resumed in St. Paul before the federal court.

## GOMPERS TO PRISON

COURT UPHOLDS SENTENCE OF LABOR HEAD, BUT REDUCES TERM.

### GIVEN THIRTY DAYS IN JAIL

Union Chief Guilty of Contempt—Mitchell and Morrison Are to Pay \$500 Each, but Escape the Imprisonment Ordered by Lower Bench.

Washington, May 6.—The contempt of court judgments upon Samuel Gompers, Frank Morrison and John Mitchell, officials of the American Federation of Labor, were sustained by the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, which, however, revised the sentences to give Gompers 30 days' imprisonment and fine Mitchell and Morrison \$500 each, with no jail term.

The chief justice of the court, dissenting, held that the entire judgment should be reversed.

The lower court gave Gompers one year, Mitchell nine months and Morrison six months without option of fine. All were convicted of violating a court injunction in the noted Bucks Stove and Range case.

Goes to Supreme Court Next.

An appeal from the decision will be taken to the Supreme court of the United States, if attorneys for the labor leaders can find ground on which to ask the highest court to review the judgment.

On a previous appeal to the Supreme court the judgment was dismissed and the contempt proceedings were brought all over again.

In the previous action the decision of the court below holding the men in contempt was unanimous.

The dissenting opinion of the chief justice probably will present one avenue of further appeal. The case has been a hard-fought one and attracted wide attention because of the prominence of the men involved.

The contempt was alleged to have been the publication of the name of the Bucks Stove and Range company in a so-called "boycott list" in the American Federation of Labor's magazine after it had been forbidden by the court.

Mitchell Is Disappointed.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., May 6.—John Mitchell, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, when seen at his home here in regard to the fine of \$500 imposed by the District of Columbia court of appeals, said:

"I am disappointed that the court of appeals did not reverse the decision of the supreme court. I fully expected that it would. For I feel that we should have been acquitted entirely. I cannot say just what will be done now, though I believe an appeal will be made to the United States Supreme court if any means can be found to do so. I have had no time to consult with our attorneys at Washington. Mr. Gompers and Mr. Morrison will attend to that."

### HENDUS IS U. S. CITIZEN

High Caste East Indian Wins Two Years' Fight to Be Judged Eligible.

Spokane, Wash., May 5.—Akhy Kumar Mozumdar, a Hindu of high caste, is now a citizen of the United States. He is the first of his race to whom citizenship has been granted.

Two years of litigation to that end was brought to a close when United States District Judge Frank H. Rudkin held that Mozumdar was a "free white person" and entitled to American citizenship.

Mozumdar is a native of Calcutta, India and a Yogi philosopher. His application for citizenship previously had been denied by Judge Rudkin. The case was reopened when the court appointed outside counsel to investigate.

### HILL SAYS STOP CONGRESS

Declared Fear of Legislative Interruption Discourages Business Men From Big Undertakings.

St. Paul, May 3.—Congress should adjourn and stay adjourned for ten years in order to better conditions in the United States, according to James J. Hill, in a speech here.

Laws passed recently are responsible for the flood of immigration to the Argentine Republic, he asserted.

"If we could just tie a bell on each one of our illustrious statesmen who is trying to keep workmen out of this country, box them all up together and adjourn congress for ten years, I believe the country would see an unprecedented period of prosperity," Mr. Hill said. "Business men then would carry on big undertakings without fear of legislative interruption."

### JOHN D. SCORED BY WORKS

Senator Says Rockefeller and His Kind Seek Power to Educate the People.

Washington, May 6.—Efforts in congress to incorporate the \$100,000,000 Rockefeller foundation were scored by Senator Works, who declared them a "proposal to 'farm out' to John D. Rockefeller and his associates the right and power to educate the people of the country with money accumulated by criminal means."

Senator Works' statement was made in connection with a speech he delivered in the senate on trusts and combinations, the existence of which he blamed to the high protective tariff policy.



# BANK STATUTES OF STATE AMENDED

**BANKING COMMISSIONER WILL CONTINUE IMPORTANT CHANGES IN LAWS.**

## REQUIRE BONDS OF EMPLOYEES

**Examination Fee Shall Not Exceed \$10 a Day for the Services of Each Examiner—Reserve Cities for State Institutions.**

Lansing, May 6.—The late legislature made several important changes in the banking laws of the state and a resume of these changes has been compiled by Banking Commissioner Edward Doyle.

The amendments follow: Section 1 was amended in such a manner as to require every officer and every clerk concerned in the handling of moneys, accounts, and securities of a bank to furnish either surety company or personal bonds. If the former is furnished, the premium must be paid by the bank.

Section 7 was amended in such a way as to provide that the expense of making examinations of state banks upon their organization shall be paid by such banks. The examination fee, however, shall not exceed \$10 per day for the services of each examiner, together with the traveling and hotel expenses incurred.

**Reserve Cities for State Banks.** Section 15 was amended in such a manner as to not permit any officer who has active management of the bank to participate in directors' examination, or be a member of the directors' examining committee.

By adding a new section to stand as Section 22-a, it is made the duty of the commissioner to annually designate and approve certain cities as reserve cities for state banks. This section also provides that all banks in reserve cities must furnish to each depositing bank a detailed statement of account of all reserve monies. It is also provided that reserve cities, other than Detroit and Grand Rapids, must maintain on bank deposits a legal and cash reserve of 20 and 10 per cent., respectively. This section also gives the commissioner the right to prohibit any bank in a reserve city from acting as a reserve bank for state banks where any provisions of the banking law have been violated.

Section 23 has been amended so as to permit state banks to carry real estate mortgages to the extent of fifty per cent. of capital and surplus, rather than capital stock alone.

**State Banks May Pledge Bonds.** Section 32 was amended so as to permit state banks to pledge bonds in the commercial department in order to become depositors for postal savings funds and surplus funds of the state of Michigan. Under this amendment an exclusive savings bank would be required to pledge bonds representing a portion of its capital stock and surplus. This section also makes it unlawful for a director or employee of a bank to knowingly, willfully or persistently overdraw his account, and provides a penalty therefor.

Section 38 was amended in such a manner as to increase the maximum salary of bank examiners to \$2,200. An examiner will be required to start in at \$1,700 per annum, with increase of \$200 each year, rather than \$100 as heretofore.

Section 52 was changed so as to permit loans not to exceed ten per cent. of capital and surplus to officers or directors, or to any partnership in which such officer or director is a partner, or to any corporation in which such officer or director owns a majority of the capital stock without collateral or indorsement. If such loan or loans exceed ten per cent. of the capital and surplus, then such officer, director or partnership or corporation interested as above mentioned, must be secured by collateral, indorsement, or a sworn statement must be filed in the bank showing sufficient net worth entitling them to such mortgage. The loan limit to any person, firm or corporation remains at 20 per cent. of capital and surplus.

**Directors Meet Monthly.** Section 12-a has been amended in such a manner as to provide monthly meetings of the board of directors by at least a quorum thereof, rather than by a committee of three, as in the past. Every state bank failing to hold regular monthly directors' meetings shall be subject to a penalty of fifty dollars for each meeting not so held. Where sickness or absence from the state prevents the attendance of a sufficient number to constitute a quorum the penalty does not apply.

Section 3, of act 143, of the public acts of 1889, was so amended as to provide that in cases where corporate existence of state banks is not extended because of the non-compliance

**Nurses Meet in Muskegon.** The Michigan State Nurses' association began their ninth annual convention in Muskegon. Lieutenant-Governor Ross welcomed the delegates, which was responded to by Miss Carrie Vander Water, superintendent of the Nurses' Training school of Grace hospital, Detroit. Reports of the secretaries and treasurer of the organization were read, following which Miss Fantine Pemberton of Ann Arbor addressed the convention.

with commissioner's requirements, the commissioner is authorized to take possession of the bank and hold same for thirty days, during which time reorganization or liquidation must be agreed upon.

Section 1 was amended in such a manner as to permit banks with capital stock of \$25,000 to organize in cities or villages with population not exceeding 6,000. As the law stands now such banks may organize in cities or villages with population not exceeding 6,000.

**Complete Returns of Election.** Complete returns of the April election as tabulated and certified to by the board of state canvassers was filed.

Although the Democrats centered all their opposition on Justice Joseph Moore, the veteran member of the supreme court was re-elected by a plurality of 28,439 over Alfred Murphy, his Democratic opponent from Wayne county. Murphy made an excellent run and has the honor of leading the Democratic ticket. Superintendent of Public Instruction L. L. Wright led the Republican ticket, and Horatio S. Earle, "Bull Moose" candidate for state highway commissioner, polled the largest vote of any of the national Progressive candidates.

The complete vote on justice of the supreme court was: Steere (Rep.), 178,349; Moore (Rep.), 175,964; Cook (National Prog.), 92,103; Turner (National Prog.), 90,988; Murphy (Dem.), 148,925; Person (Dem.), 132,945; Moore's plurality, 28,039; Steere's plurality, 29,424.

Regents of the university: Sawyer (Rep.), 179,391; Gore (Rep.), 177,114; Begole (Dem.), 132,957; Comstock (Dem.), 135,507; Chapman (National Prog.), 91,012; Gray (National Prog.), 86,181; Sawyer's plurality, 46,434; Gore's plurality, 44,157.

State board of agriculture: Doherty (Rep.), 177,289; Graham (Rep.), 179,249; Hemphill, Jr. (Dem.), 132,426; Souter (Dem.), 132,506; Cook (National Prog.), 93,145; Braman (National Prog.), 92,140; Doherty's plurality, 44,783; Graham's plurality, 46,741.

State board of education: Cody (Rep.), 180,936; Wilhelm (Dem.), 133,230; Gier (National Prog.), 92,621; Cody's plurality, 47,706.

Superintendent of public instruction: Wright (Rep.), 181,155; Munson (Dem.), 133,848; Masselin (National Prog.), 92,847; Wright's plurality, 47,307.

State highway commissioner: Rogers (Rep.), 177,936; Winans (Dem.), 132,540; Earle (National Prog.), 97,136; Rogers' plurality, 45,396.

Barry S. Chapman, "Bull Moose" candidate for regent of the university, lost a few votes, as his name was printed on some of the ballots as "Harvey S. Chapman" and the state board canvassed it in that manner. Alfred J. Doherty, Republican candidate for member of the state board of agriculture, and Robert W. Hemphill, Jr., Democratic candidate for a place on the college board, lost votes for the same reason. It was such a mistake that cost W. J. McDonald his election as congressman in the Twelfth district last fall.

Of the five constitutional amendments submitted equal suffrage and the firemen's pensions were defeated. The suffrage amendment lost by 96,144, while the proposed amendment to pension members of fire departments was beaten by 26,256.

The amendment providing for the initiative on constitutional amendments carried by 42,404, while the initiative on statutes was adopted by 66,069. The recall amendment was apparently the most popular, winning by 92,331.

**Renews Warning of Forest Fires.** State Game and Forest Warden Oates said: "Reports received from many points in forest fire districts indicate that the dead grass and other combustible brush and litter is becoming very dry. The prevailing high winds make the situation very dangerous."

"I ask all the newspapers in the fire zone to give as much publicity as possible to the dangerous condition now existing. Fishermen and settlers should exercise every care while in the woods and should report all fires to the supervisor."

"Extraordinary care should now be exercised by all who are in the woods, as a lighted match carelessly thrown away, or a burning cigar stub, may mean the loss of life and property."

**State Firemen's Meeting in June.** Sam Robinson of Lansing, statistician of the Michigan State Firemen's association, sent out for his annual reports from the departments throughout the state. The state convention will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 3, 4 and 5, at Cheboygan, and Chief George Langdon of that town announces that not only has a splendid program of entertainment been arranged for the Michigan firemen but the committee on exhibits has secured a large number of pieces of fire fighting apparatus for display at the meeting.

**Veterans to Attend Reunion in July.** Michigan veterans of the battle of Gettysburg are getting ready to attend the great union at Gettysburg, Pa., July 1 to July 4, which will commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the battle, and this state will send from 550 to 600 delegates. The national and Pennsylvania governments have each appropriated a large sum to maintain a great camp around the battlefield, equipped with all conveniences for the old soldiers.

## STRANGE LITIGATION

Among the curiosities of litigation may be cited the following case. On the boundary-line of two farms in an Austrian village, there grew a large gooseberry bush, from which two farmers for years gathered the product. "What grows on my side is mine, and you may have the rest," was the agreement.

Some time ago the neighbors had a misunderstanding, and this came to a climax when the gooseberries became ripe. A lawsuit followed, and appeals were made to higher judicial bodies. The final decision was lately recorded in the Austrian courts.

Each party is to have the right to pick the berries which grow on his side of the line, just as it was originally, but neither may destroy the bush. The costs are charged half to each litigant. Each farmer had to pay 255 kronen. The yearly yield of the bush is worth about one-half kronen, and the judge told the fighting farmers:

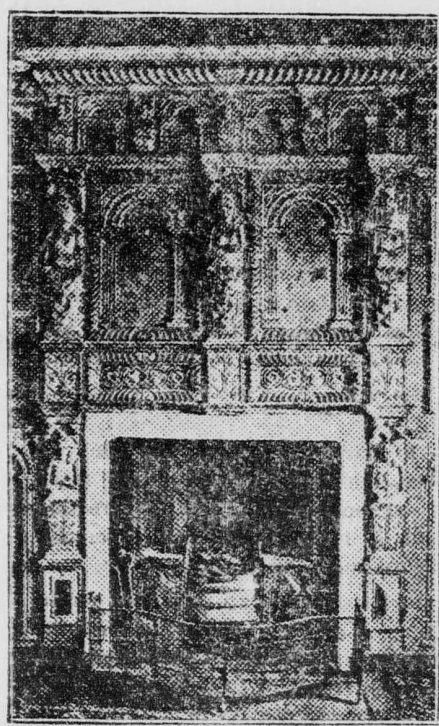
"With good luck, it will take you only 800 years to make the bush pay. Take good care of it."

## FEARLESS RAVENS

From time immemorial ravens have been the subject of song, story, and superstition. Their fearlessness, trickery, contradictory manners, artfulness, harsh note, ugly form, and beautiful black plumage have formed the theme for many a bird-lore story.

Perhaps one of the most curious facts about the raven is that while there is no more shy bird, or one more difficult to get near to, when it is wild, none tames more easily, and when tamed it is totally fearless. When wild, the raven will never dare to attack any bird, but will steal eggs or young, and hover around uttering the most dismal croaks. But once tamed, he thinks nothing of walking up to your dog and using old Tower's back as a sort of penwiper for cleaning his beak, and will often go so far, if the dog is asleep, as to pull the animal's ears and tweak its tail, flying away with a great scurry when the dog growls at him, but returning again in a few minutes to renew the attack.

## BEAUTIFUL CHIMNEYPIECE



Rotherwas, one of the oldest seats in Great Britain, has been bought by a wealthy American and its magnificent paneled rooms are to be dismantled and removed to this country. Rotherwas is mentioned in the Domesday Book, where it is spelled "Retwas." At that time it belonged to Gilbert, son of Tyrol. It was the chief seat of the Bodenham, a family who obtained it through the marriage of Roger Bodenham and Isabella, daughter of Walter de la Barre. The illustration is of a carved chimney-piece in the James I. room.

## A SUNLESS VILLAGE

In the valley of the Lyn, near Lynmouth, North Devon, there is a quaint little hamlet called Middleham, where for three months in the year the sun is not seen.

The cluster of houses forming the hamlet is surrounded on all sides by hills so steep and high that from November until February the sun does not rise high enough to be seen over their tops.

The first appearance of the sun is eagerly looked for, and as it is first seen on February 14, the inhabitants call it their valentine.

If the day should be foggy or cloudy so that it cannot be seen, there is great disappointment, especially among the children.

For the first few days after the 14th the sun is only seen for a very short time, but as the sun rises higher in the heavens the time it is in sight increases daily until its height is reached, when it gradually begins to fade from view again until in November it entirely vanishes from sight for another three months.

## BOYS SAVE A TRAIN

Saving a train wreck, two boys performed a noble act near Goodlettsville, Tenn., a few days ago. The train was the "Dixie Flier" on the Louisville and Nashville railroad. The lads—Virner Morgan and Gurlie Oglesby—were playing along the track, when they discovered a broken rail. A moment later they heard the "flyer's" whistle, but they raced far enough up the track to "flag" the train before it reached the broken rail.

## Cawnpore Memorial Angel



The most sacred British shrine in India is the memorial angel which guards the Cawnpore well into which the massacred women and children were thrown. Cawnpore was the scene of two massacres. First, the exhausted garrison, which had surrendered to Nana Sahib on the promise of safe conduct to Allahabad, were fired upon as they embarked on the Ganges. Later, the women and children who escaped this massacre and were taken back to the city were murdered and their bodies thrown into this well.

## MARINER'S QUEER MIXUP

One of the most extraordinary stories ever told of the sea is related by Captain Engellard, owner of the steel sailing ship Erdite. He was at sea with three men on board when a great gale came sweeping and tearing and screaming over the waves, and drove his vessel before it into the gathering blackness of night. The skipper stuck to the wheel all through the long hours of darkness, and the gale dying down to a snarling growl at 4 a. m., he relinquished his post and stepped down to his cabin for a change of clothes.

It was at this moment the real business of the day began. He had just got into dry underclothing when the vessel quietly turned bottom upward, and he found himself standing on the roof of the cabin, with the door over his head hermetically sealed by the ocean. Was ever a man in such straits before?

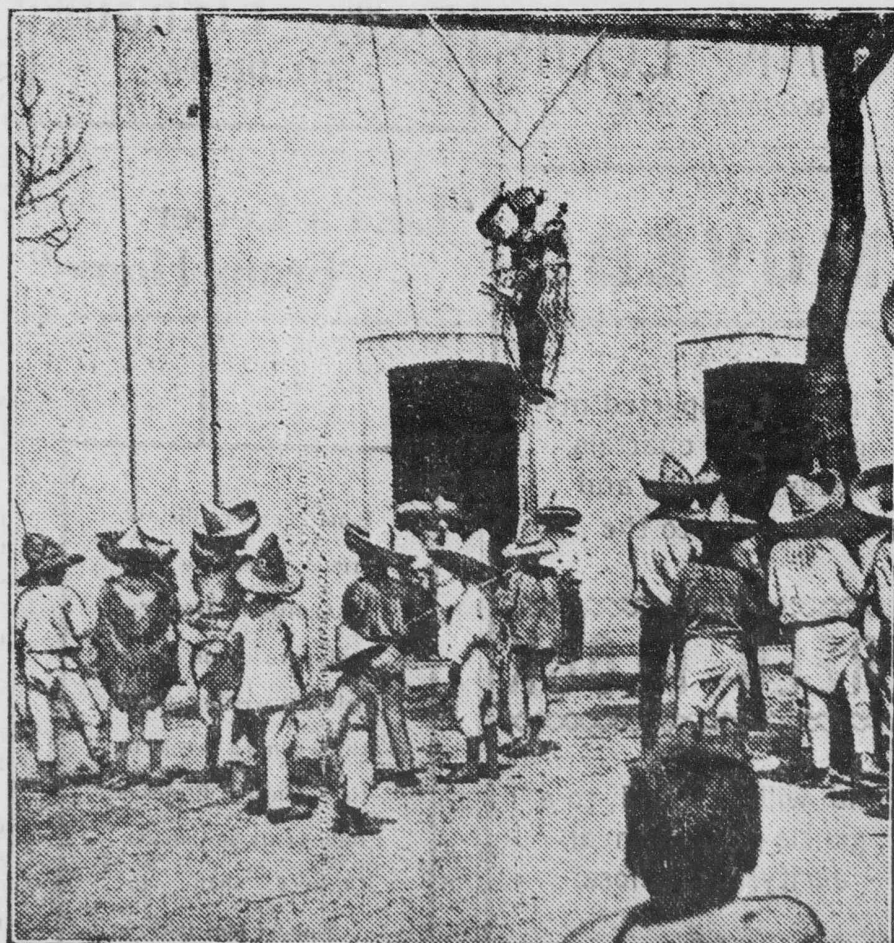
He climbed through into the hold of the vessel, where he found raisins, condensed milk, prunes, rice, and, of course, a Teutonic sausage. Eating sparingly of this healthy fare, and hammering on the steel bottom of the boat to attract the attention of any ship that might happen to pass, he spent 12 days in this strange manner before he was rescued. The wreck had to be towed to a mighty crane before a steel plate could be unloosed and the skipper be free to look once more on the blue sky.

## FLAG WITH A MAP



Mahomed Kani el Bimbashi, who is seen holding the flag of the new independent government of Tripoli, is the son of an Afghan father and an Albanian mother. When the Turkish Italian war broke out he went on foot from Egypt to Azizia rousing the tribesmen. He has been in many parts of Europe and Asia and is well known to travelers. The flag bears a map of Africa.

## Mexicans Blowing Up Devil



"Blowing up the Devil" is a ceremony which takes place in Mexico on the Saturday before Easter Sunday. A dummy is filled with bread, money and gunpowder and then hung just above the reach of the passers-by, who try to get possession of it. The figure is continually lowered and raised again as the natives jump at it. After a time the "Devil" is set on fire and in due time it explodes, scattering the bread and money, for which a scramble takes place. It is the belief of the natives that the blowing up of the "Devil" will keep his satanic majesty away for twelve months.

## MOVEMENT THAT WAS FATAL

**Sitter at a Loss to Understand Why Temporary Absence Should Have Spoiled the Plate.**

Chairman Underwood of the ways and means committee was talking, at a luncheon in Washington, about tariff revision.

"We must obey the country's mandate," he said. "If we don't, our tariff revision will be disastrous. We'll fail as lamentably as the sitter for the wet-plate photograph."

"When photography first began, you know, they used wet plates, and a sitter required eight or nine minutes. Well, a man once went to be taken, and the photographer put in his wet plate, demanded perfect immobility, and took off the cap."

"During the long exposure, the photographer left the room a moment. On his return everything seemed to be going all right, but when the exposure ended, and he rushed to his closet to develop the wet plate, there was nothing on it but a blur."

"Very much disgusted, he showed this blur to the sitter."

"You must have moved," he said. "The sitter looked at the spoiled plate and laughed in amazement."

"Well, I declare!" he said. "Who'd have thought that just running over to the window for a minute to see a drunken man would have done all that? I sat right down again."

## A CLERGYMAN'S TESTIMONY.

The Rev. Edmund Heslop of Wigtown, Pa., suffered from Dropsy for a year. His limbs and feet were swollen and puffed. He had heart fluttering, was dizzy and exhausted at the least exertion. Hands and feet were cold and he had such a dragging sensation across the loins that it was difficult to move.

After using 5 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills the swelling disappeared and he felt himself again. He says he has been benefited and blessed by the use of Dodds Kidney Pills. Several months later he wrote: "I have not changed my faith in your remedy since the above statement was authorized. Correspond with Rev. E. Heslop about this wonderful remedy."

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free. Adv.

**Matter of Curiosity.** Miss Gibson was very rich and Mr. Hanna was very poor. She liked him, but that was all, and he was well aware of the fact. One evening he grew somewhat tender and and last he said: "You are very rich, aren't you, Helen?" "Yes, Tom," replied the girl, frankly. "I am worth about two million dollars." "Will you marry me, Helen?" "Oh, no, Tom, I couldn't." "I knew you wouldn't." "Then why did you ask me?" "Oh, I just wanted to see how a man feels when he loses two millions."

A good man tries to please his God, while a bad man tries to make his God please him.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children's Teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Lifting on the burden of another beats training in a gymnasium for increasing strength.

## HUSBAND NAILED RUBBER ON GATES

**Wife so Weak and Nervous Could Not Stand Least Noise—How Cured.**

Munford, Ala.—"I was so weak and nervous while passing through the Change of Life that I could hardly live. My husband had to nail rubber on all the gates for I could not stand it to have a gate slam."

"I also had back-ache and a fullness in my stomach. I noticed that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was advertised for such cases and I sent and got a bottle. It did me so much good that I kept on taking it and found it to be all you claim. I recommend your Compound to all women afflicted as I was."—Mrs. F. P. MULLENDORE, Munford, Alabama.

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Its wonderful success in this line has made it the safest and most dependable medicine of the age for women and no woman suffering from female ills does herself justice who does not give it a trial.

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Ishpeming is to have a home coming in Fourth of July week.

Governor Ferris has appointed May 18 as Mothers' Day. Most lodges and churches have arranged to observe May 11. The old English custom was to keep the third or Mid-Sunday of Lent as Mothering Sunday for family reunions.

According to a ruling passed by the Calumet township board at its meeting this week the saloon license of any liquor dealer who is convicted once of violating the law will not be renewed in the township. The state law specifies that it needs but two violations to put a saloonist out of business permanently.

The tax sale is always looked upon as one of the best barometers of business conditions. Considering its area Houghton county has as few parcels of land to sell for taxes as any county in the state. It is doubtful if this year the sale will affect 200 descriptions, or parcels of land.

The Republic Lumber Co. of Marinette has shut down its mills, having cut the whole of its standing timber, and its officers and employees are on their way to other fields. The company had large holdings in upper Michigan and Wisconsin, and a payroll at its mills of \$200,000 a year. As a farewell measure, it gave \$1,000 to its employees. The Marinette chamber of commerce is endeavoring to procure other industries for the site. The Republic Cedar company, entirely disassociated from the lumber company, has been organized by Maurice Brown, who was cedar salesman for the latter concern. Associated with Mr. Brown are the officers of the National Pole company of Escanaba, Messrs. Kirkpatrick and Reule.

**FOREIGN MISSIONS**

A series of extension lectures through the larger towns of the lower peninsula has been undertaken by the Michigan College of mines. The lectures will be given by Professor Elmer D. Grant and the subject will be "Copper Mining in Michigan." They will be freely illustrated by lantern slides and by specimens of copper bearing minerals. Professor Grant will talk mostly in high schools.

**SCENTS CONSPIRACY**

The Soo News is afraid that the Canadian Pacific won't get enough competition out of the Panama Canal to make business good. It observes editorially:

Instinctively, we expect the Panama canal to bring prices down. Unless it shall do that conspicuously we'll be likely to look upon our half billion investment as a bad piece of business.

Now to be of the biggest use in pulling prices down, the canal must be toll-free to American coastwise ships and the railroads must be made to keep their hands off.

You can see the reason, can't you? Not only is freight by water cheaper than freight by rail, but it tends to force rail rates to the water level.

How much do the people gain if they have to pay the costs of the canal out of the general treasury?

**STATE RETURNS**

The equal suffrage amendment was defeated by a majority of 96,144. The amendment relative to the initiative on constitutional amendment carried by a majority of 42,044. The firemen's pension amendment lost by 26,256. The amendment relative to the initiative on statutes carried by 66,669, while the recall amendment carried by 62,331.

For justice of the supreme court; Cook, Progressive, 92,103; Turner, Progressive, 90,988; Steere, Republican, 178,349; Moore, Republican, 176,964; Murphy, Democrat, 148,925; Person, Democrat, 133,945.

For regents of the university; Chapman, Progressive, 91,012; Gray, Progressive, 86,181; Sawyer, Republican, 179,391; Gore, Republican, 177,114; Begole, Democrat, 132,957; Comstock, Democrat, 135,507.

Superintendent of public instruction; Masselink, Progressive, 92,874; Wright, Republican, 181,155; Munson, Democrat, 133,848.

For highway commissioner; Earle, Progressive, 97,136; Rogers, Republican, 177,936; Winans, Democrat, 132,540.

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**SEPTEMBER**

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Is another year off

You have heard about the Hancock saloonkeeper who went out of business on the thirtieth of April. He put a sign in his window, "The first of May will be the last of August." August will be a pretty long month this year. Come in any time and see the original and only

**AUGUST**

**LILLQUIST**

Buttermilk, Mineral Water, Sarsaparilla and Other Beverages to Suit.  
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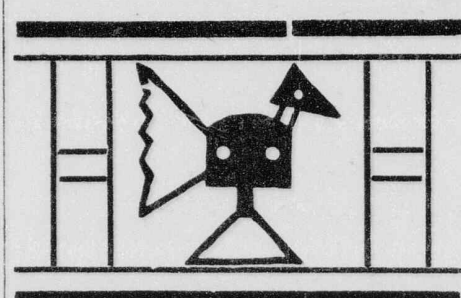
"I HAVE MEAT TO EAT THAT YE KNOW NOT OF"

So the old story runs, of the parson and the missing porker. You are tired of the general run, steak, chops, and an occasional roast, fish now and then. Did you ever stop to consider how many choice dainties there are in the shop that you never happened to try? Ask the butcher.

Mrs. Housewife, are you going to ask a favor of the lord of the house? Get something to tickle his appetite first—Ask for some thing out of the ordinary—you can get it of

**M. P. FOY**  
The Sanitary Meat Market  
Phone 158

**Still Crowing**



I like a ruster 4 2 things  
"says Old Josh Billings  
and I iz his crow and  
the uther iz the  
spurs he haz 2  
bak up his  
crow."

Our Old Crow is likable  
enough, but you ought  
to see the spurs we  
have to back it  
up?

**FRANK LOUIS**  
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I have transported my goods and chattels, bags, baggage and birdcage to the

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In that respect I somewhat resemble misery. I shall be pleased to have the pleasure of your company at any time betwixt and between 7 a. m. and eleven p. m. at my place of business, at the corner of Delta Avenue and the county road system, for as long a time as you like to visit with me. Special summer attractions in store awaiting the arrival of summer boarders. Spring water and other styles for the meantime. Call again.

**Soren Johnson**  
BY HIS LONELY

**Sausage Fit For a King**

Is our offering to the epicures of Gladstone. We don't like to blow our horn, but we don't want to put others to the trouble any more than is necessary. We make the best and purest homemade sausage that you can get. Made of selected meats and delicately flavored. References, any of our customers. They are all satisfied.

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**"CAMBRINUS LOVES THE BREWERY AND BACCHUS LOVES THE VINE"**  
—or words to that effect.

There are times when any man wishes to retire from the world into the seclusion of a quiet place to spend an hour or so with two friends or three, a good cigar and a glass of something to banish melancholy. For a suitable retreat, so far, and yet so near the choicest productions of fair Milwaukee and sunny Kentucky, seek out my buffet; lean gently on the button; and summon, with the speed of lightning, the Slave of the Ring.

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Send your distant friend or relative THE GLADSTONE DELTA and save excuses for delay in writing. Only three cents a week in the United States—four cents in Canada. Cheaper than stationery and ink.

THE GLADSTONE DELTA

**Personals**

W. H. Needham went down Saturday night to Chicago, to make arrangements for booking some special attraction for the theatre, to be shown later, as well as a line of films for the picture show. While in that city he had a view of W. F. Hammel, formerly of Gladstone, who seemed somewhat in need of a new hat he vainly wrote for some time ago. Mr. Needham transacted his business and left for home Monday night. On the way home he had the company of Senator and Mrs. J. C. Wood of Manistique.

Supervisor R. B. Beattie returned from the hospital Sunday, and is now at his home. His strong constitution has enabled him to recuperate fast from the injury, and although he has a fracture and suffers pain, he is able to sit up and even move a little with the aid of a crutch. His friends congratulate him that he fared no worse.

Escanaba lost to Ishpeming in an interscholastic debate at the Escanaba high school on Friday evening, the subject being restriction of immigration, while at the same time an Escanaba team lost to Ishpeming at that city. The judges who attended the Escanaba contest were J. H. McDonald, of Rapid River, M. E. Wheatley and W. W. Gasser of Gladstone.

Dr. F. W. Stollwagen went down to Menominee Saturday and drove back with his Overland roadster, which has employed his spare time ever since. The doctor has an advantage over most auto owners. He has the appliances to correct the denture of a refractory gear.

Rev. S. T. Holmberg, of Merrill, Wis., accompanied his brother, Rev. K. M. Holmberg to Gladstone, and preached Tuesday evening in the Lutheran church. He returned home on the night train.

Gladstone Lodge, 163, Knights of Pythias, has made arrangements to give a Pythian party at Wasa hall Thursday, May 29. Invitations are issued to all Pythians and their ladies, the dance being a private one.

Hugh McMillan has two fingers bandaged as a result of an accident in his capacity of householder—not of engineer. He will be grateful to all friends who manifest a kindly interest in the details.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darrow were down from Rapid River Sunday, the latter on her way to Escanaba. Mr. Darrow spent the day at the Gladstone Auto garage, of which he is a partner.

David Narracong, who was long ill with typhoid this winter, was up town Thursday on business. Mr. Narracong is still a trifle lame, but otherwise hearty and as good as new.

Don't let cheap soap ruin your complexion. We keep in stock the advertised high grade complexion soaps and a nice assortment of 10c soaps.

Ole Peterson has completed a concrete culvert on the bay shore road above the extract works, which is expected to obviate future washouts at that point.

Charles Brant left Wednesday morning for the Soo, where he will do some brick work for the Soo Line, having finished a job on P. B. Hammond's residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Latimer returned Tuesday morning from a wedding trip to Harvey and Bismark, S. D., to take up their residence here.

John A. Semer was up from Escanaba Saturday afternoon with his new Palmer-Singer to transact business with the agent, C. S. Sling.

E. D. Van Horn left this week for Hermansville, out of which town he will have the log run. He has been ill for a week or so.

Mrs. J. D. McDonald and children were called Friday night to Cleboygan by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. McDonald.

Miss Katherine Bennett of Marquette was in the city and spent Sunday as the guest of her brother, Rev. Father Bennett.

Register McEwen came up Sunday from the courthouse town and spent the day as the guest of W. L. Marble, Jr.

Sidney Goldstein returned from his trip to Chicago Saturday, bringing a whiff of Michigan avenue with him.

I. B. Byers has gone to Minneapolis, and expects to move his family thither, having a run out that city.

Al Cornell went up last week to Marquette, and is now employed a short distance north of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosenblum returned last Saturday from a week's purchasing trip to Chicago.

Andrew Barbeau and party were down from Rapid River Monday in his Stoddard-Dayton.

Engineer P. W. Miller, of the Soo, is now running out of Gladstone.

Sidney Goldstein spent Wednesday and Thursday in Escanaba.

Rev. K. M. Holmberg and William Oak returned from the district meeting at Iron Mountain Monday. At the meeting two Gladstone laymen were elected, Mr. Oak being placed on the executive board, and Magnus Olson as delegate to the synod held in June at Chicago. The district officers elected are: Rev. A. T. Fant, Iron Mountain, president; Rev. G. A. Ekeberg, Bessemer, vice-president; Rev. A. Nelson, Manistique, secretary; A. Hasselblad, Ishpeming, treasurer.

Capt. Ellis, of the Salvation Army, will begin his services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday afternoon, May 11, at 3 o'clock. Capt. Garabed, of the army, a Turk who has been a member for twenty years, will give a talk on conditions prevailing in his native land. The public is heartily invited to attend this and any of the later meetings, to be held on evenings of the week from now on.

Arthur Onillette of Kipling was arraigned Saturday before Judge Yelland and sent to the industrial school at Lansing. He has been a source of considerable trouble to the school authorities and the truant officer, who made several trips to get him.

John Anguilm of Trout Lake was in the city Wednesday to procure his liquor license from the county treasurer. Mr. Anguilm has also taken out a license in Mackinac county for a bar at Rexton. He is well known at Rapid River.—Soo Times.

Andrew Stevenson, who purchased the Martell property after the fire last winter, has sold the ruins to Ben Delsing, who has salvaged enough lumber to build a house in the Mason addition.

Mothballs, Insect powder, Bug destroyers, Lice-killers and Disinfectants. Don't let the parasites multiply. Destroy them early.

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And if you would like a fairness, that goes well with the spring feeling, let me put you up a couple of these large  
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We have many sorts of helpers for house cleaners. House cleaning is hard work and disagreeable. The quickest way that it can be done takes too long and the easiest way is too hard. The "helpers" we offer are time tried labor lighteners and dirt eradicators. House cleaning is a far harder ordeal without the helpers, which you will see by looking in our window. Come in and get that article which you are in need of. We think you will find it in our store if you can find it in any drug store.

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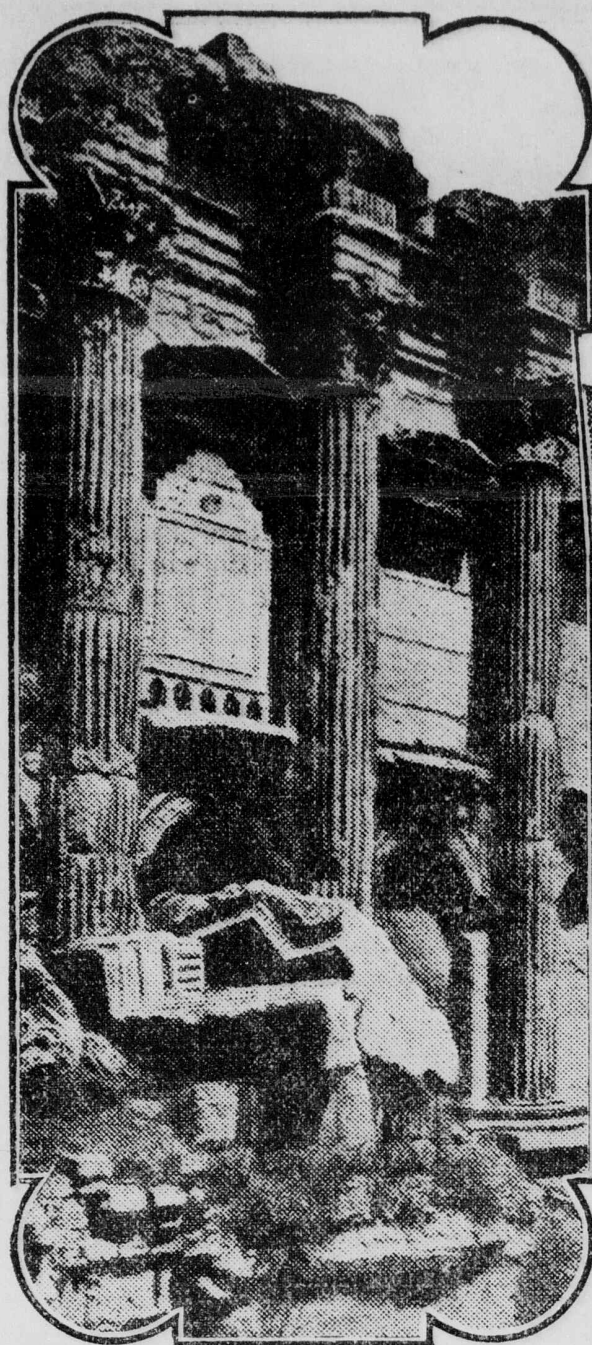
**COST OF TEACHERS**  
Marquette has just raised the wages of its teachers fifty dollars a year, with a maximum of \$75 for the grades, making them the best paid in the peninsula. The average will be \$68.20, and other cities run in this order, Ironwood, Iron Mountain, Soo, Menominee, Hancock, Ishpeming, Escanaba, Negaunee, Manistique with \$62.93 and Gladstone with \$52.10.  
Some figures have just been secured as to the cost of instruction in various schools. Per pupil in the Gladstone high school, it is \$29.87 for last year, a lower figure than any except Republic. Most run between thirty and forty dollars per capita in Northern Michigan, up to \$53.28 in Wakefield. In Munising it is \$44.27 and in Crystal Falls \$37.32. In the grade schools a similar proportion prevails. This city spends less on each child's education than any other in Northern Michigan.

May 10, 1913 June 21, 1913  
**Order for Appearance**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN  
Twenty-Fifth Judicial Circuit in Chancery  
Sui pendens in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in Chancery, at Escanaba in said County, upon the second day of May A. D. 1913.  
JENNIE LAMOUREUX, Complainant,  
STANISLAUS LAMOUREUX, Defendant.  
In this cause, it appearing that defendant, Stanislaus Lamoureux, is not a resident of this state, but is a resident of Fraser's Mill, near Vancouver, British America, Dominion of Canada.  
THEREFORE, on motion of John Power, solicitor for complainant, IT IS ORDERED that defendant enter his appearance in said cause, on or before four (4) months from the date of this order, and that within twenty (20) days, the complainant cause this order to be published in the Gladstone Delta, a newspaper published and circulated in said county; said publication to be continued once in each week for six (6) weeks in succession.  
RICHARD C. FLANNIGAN, Circuit Judge  
JOHN POWER, Solicitor for Complainant

**-THE BLUE SKY LAW-**  
is now a fact in Michigan, but it isn't causing Fred Anderson any worry, for he has  
**NO WATERED STOCK**  
Neither does the Recall adopted by the state worry him; for any person who has had the Initiative to come in and submit the choice equipment of Fred's buffet to a suitable Referendum does not need to be Recalled. He will call a Special Session of his own accord.  
Yours to oblige  
**Fred Anderson**  
805 DELTA AVE.



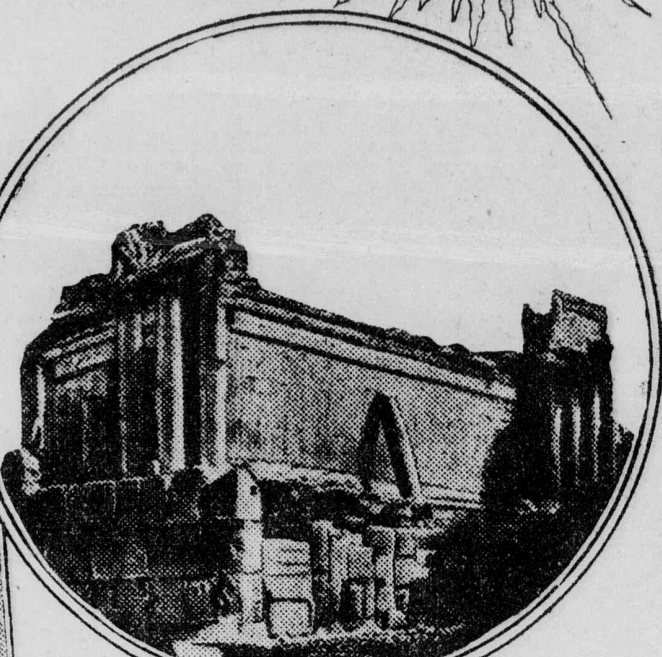
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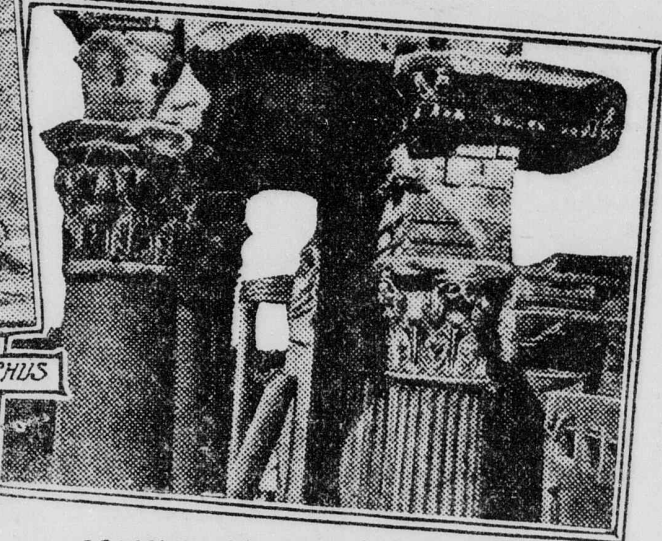
THE GERMAN EMPEROR'S TABLET



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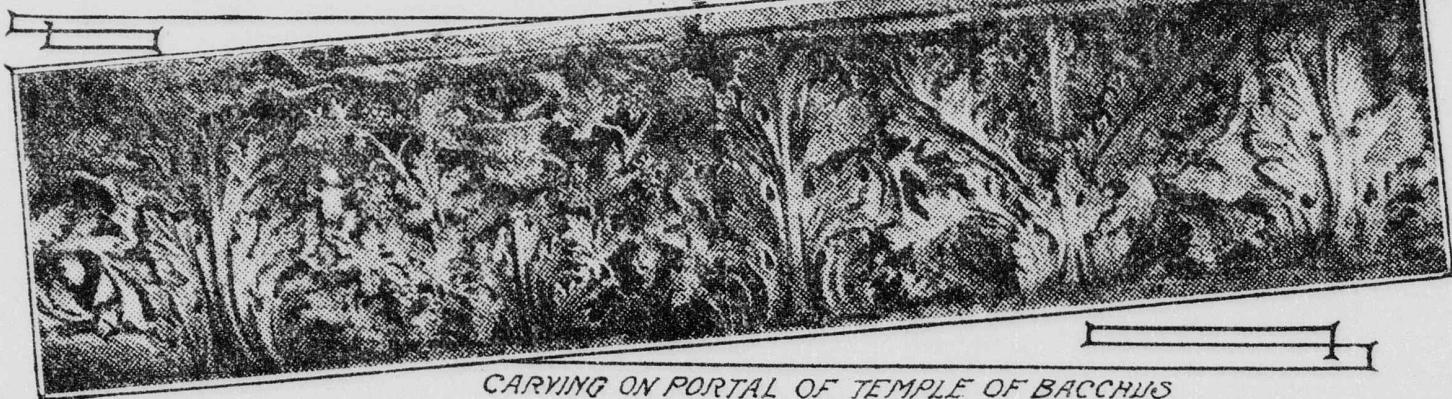


THE TEMPLE OF BACCHUS



COLUMNS FRONTING PORTAL OF TEMPLE OF BACCHUS

AMONG the many ruins to be found in the east, those of Baalbek, in Syria, are second to none in interest. During the last four years German archaeologists have been busy excavating there, and every visitor to the ruins owes them a debt of gratitude. They have not only dug down and removed many tons of rubbish and debris, thereby exposing the ruins to better view, but they have also strengthened the weak parts. It was not entirely a disinterested work, however,



CARYING ON PORTAL OF TEMPLE OF BACCHUS

for the Berlin museums now possess many of the finest examples of the carvings found there. Baalbek is the name of a ruined city of ancient Coela-Syria, signifying the "city of Baal," the sun god. The name was converted by the Greeks, during the Seleucidian dynasty, into its Greek equivalent, Heliopolis. It is situated in latitude 34 degrees, 1 minute north, longitude 36 degrees, 11 minutes east, in the plain of Buk'a's, at the northern extremity of a low range of bleak hills, about one mile from the base of Antilibanon, in a well watered and delightful locality, a little more than 40 miles northwest of Damascus. It was once the most magnificent of Syrian cities, full of palaces, fountains and beautiful monuments.

These ruins are known as the Acropolis and are unique for their massiveness and for the great amount of both bold and delicate carving with which they are adorned. There is, indeed, so much carving and such variety as to make one's first visit bewildering. The temples being built on a flat plain, it was important to raise them above the surrounding level to render them more imposing, and to that end there are vast substructures and vaults and passages supporting the shrines. The most imposing was that of the great Temple of the Sun, which was a rectangular building 290 feet by 160, having its roof supported by a peristyle of 54 Corinthian columns, 19 at each side and 10 at each end. Of these six are still standing. The circumference of these columns is about 22 feet, and the length of the shaft about 58 feet; with pedestal, capital and entablature they measure about 80 feet in height. The great Temple of the Sun occupied a platform on the Acropolis about 1,000 feet by 450 feet. The main entrance of the temple was on the east. Here a wide flight of steps led up to a portico 19 feet above the gardens and orchards that now surround the ruins. An inscription on the great portico states that the temple was erected to the "Great Gods" of Heliopolis by Antoninus.

Beyond the portico is a hexagonal court through which a large gateway opens into the great square, at the west end of which is the temple on a lofty stylobate. Except the columns mentioned, little of the great temple or of the buildings in front of it is left standing, but the ground is covered with their ruins. The vast size of the stones used in the substructures of the great platform is remarkable, some of them being over 60 feet long and 12 feet thick.

South from the great temple is a smaller one known as the Temple of Jupiter. It is smaller in form, having its peristyle and the walls of its cells still mostly standing. Its dimensions are 227 feet in length by 117 feet in breadth, with 15 columns at the sides and 8 at each end. Both temples as well as the surrounding structures were built of limestone, in a richly decorated, somewhat fantastic Corinthian style. Besides these there stands at a distance of 300 yards from the others a circular building supported on six granite columns built in mixed Ionic and Corinthian style.

Nearby also are the remains of the Temple of Bacchus, famed for its magnificent carvings. Here are enormous slabs of stone elaborately carved with the heads of emperors and deities and interwoven with floral designs, the whole forming a unique ceiling. The portal is the gem of the entire edifice. The door posts are beauti-

fully carved with figures of Bacchus, fawns, cupids, satyrs, and bacchantes, woven around which are grape vines and clusters of fruit, popples and ears of wheat, all of which are symbolical of the revelling which the name of the temple suggests.

This great doorway stands 43 feet high and 21½ feet wide, while the carving of the posts just mentioned covers a space about six feet wide. On both sides of this door stand graceful fluted columns forming the prostyle or portico, while the plain ones of the peristyle, which stands between them, seem to reflect their beauty.

The mammoth stones contained in the inclosing wall of the Acropolis have been the marvel of engineers for ages. The lowest courses are of stones of moderate dimensions, but at a height of 20 feet above the ground on the west wall is a row of three enormous stones, the shortest being 63 feet and the longest 65 feet in length, and each being about 13 feet high and 10 feet thick. They are the largest building blocks ever known to have been used by man. A still larger stone lies in the ancient quarry nearby, never having been detached from the rock beneath. This one is 70 feet long by 14 feet by 13 feet.

At an early period the Arabs converted the temples into the fortresses, and to this end, to a certain extent, removed them. Their work, however, has now been removed by the Germans. The early history of Baalbek is involved in darkness, but it is certain that from the most distant times it had been a chief seat of sun-worship, as its name implies. Augustus made it a Roman colony and placed there a garrison. Baalbek had an oracle held in such high esteem that in the second century A. D. it was consulted by the Emperor Trajan prior to his entrance on his second Parthian campaign. Antoninus Pius (A. D. 138-161) built the great temple which the legend current among the modern inhabitants counts a work of Solomon. The platform and substructures, however, are of a much earlier date. This temple is said to have contained a golden statue of Apollo, or of Zeus, which on certain annual festivals the chief citizens of Heliopolis bore about on their shoulders. When Christianity, under Constantine, became the dominant religion, the temple became a Christian church. In the wars that followed the taking of the city by the Arabs, who sacked it in A. D. 748, the temple was turned into a fortress. The city was completely pillaged by Timur in A. D. 1400. Both city and temple continued to fall more and more into decay under the misery and misrule to which Syria has been subject ever since. Many of the magnificent pillars were overturned by the pashas of Damascus merely for the sake of the iron with which the stones were bound together. What the Arabs, Tartars and Turks had spared was destroyed by a terrible earthquake in 1759. Baalbek is now an insignificant village with a population of about 2,000, more than half of whom are Christians.

## THINGS NOT GENERALLY KNOWN

Thousands of Changes Can Be Rung on Eight Bells--Horses in Race.

How many people realize the number of ways in which it is possible for some of the commonest every-day events of life to happen? London Answers asks.

As you walk through the streets of your town, for example, and hear the chimes of your parish church bells, has it ever occurred to you to think out how many "changes" can be rung with a "peal" of eight bells? The answer is 40,320, a number which seems almost incredible, but none the less is true.

Ten horses run in a race. The number of ways in which the first, second and third places can be filled is 720, while the number of ways in which all ten horses can pass the winning post is the enormous number 3,627,800.

A town council is composed of twenty-five councillors and ten aldermen. From it it is possible to form 6,375,800 different committees, each composed of five councillors and three aldermen. Eight people could arrange themselves about a round table in 5,040 different ways, and if six persons receive a first-class railway carriage having six seats they could choose from among 700 different ways of seating themselves.

A little girl has ten different beads to make into a necklace. She could do it 181,290 times and get a different necklace each time.

If we wish to make a selection of six books out of an available twelve, we have the choice of 924 ways in which to do it, while if we have the following coins—halfpenny, penny, sixpenny piece, shilling, florin, and half crown—we can ar-

range them in a straight line in 720 different ways. Try it!

Finally, it would take 5,000 years for a man earning £200 a year to earn £1,000,000, while if a person invested £1 at 5 per cent. compound interest he would become a millionaire—could he live so long—in 283 years.

### Nothing Like That These Days.

"How did Skimmels make his money?" "He was one of those old-fashioned dairymen who left you in doubt whether water had been put in the milk or milk had been spilled in the water."—Washington Star.

### Awful.

Clarice—It must be awful to be married to a man you cannot love!  
Gaby—I should think so! It is so hard getting a divorce from those goody-goody chaps.—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

### Disqualified.

"My wife thinks I'm one man in a million," boasted Tigg.  
"Is that so?" said Wigg, sadly. "I don't believe my wife thinks I'm a man at all."

### A Serious Loss.

"Diggs tells me he takes nearly all the leading newspapers," said the visitor.  
"So he does," sighed the exchange editor. "He takes them from me."

## KIND OF COWS TO BUY

Animals Not Adapted to Dairying Cause Failures.

To Obtain Best Results It Is Essential That Strict Dairy Type Be Kept—Beef Value of Secondary Importance.

(By E. A. MARKHAM, Idaho Experiment Station.)

It is not difficult to find men, even in the most prosperous dairy communities, who do not believe that dairying pays. They have tried it and failed. Some have purchased good stock, but poor management or false economy in housing or feeding prevented them from getting the results they expected, but by far the largest number of these failures are due to the use of animals that are not adapted to dairying.

Those who purchase a few cows when the price of butter fat is high and sell them off when the price goes down naturally have a rather poor opinion of the dairy business. To ob-



There Is Money in Butter Making.

tain the best results it is essential that the animals purchased for the dairy should be of the strict dairy type, and be made a permanent part of the farm live stock. Those who purchase cows with the intention of milking them but a short time and then selling them off when the price of butter-fat drops or when the animal goes dry naturally look more for beef producers rather than milk producers. It is impossible to build up a good dairy herd by this method.

Dual-purpose animals may be used in some localities to good advantage, but to get the best results one of the special dairy breeds should be used. This does not mean that only thoroughbred animals should be used, but animals that are bred for milk production. A good dairy cow should produce enough butter-fat in her best days that the value of the beef may be of secondary importance, if not entirely ignored.

A person purchasing an implement considers first how much service he can get out of it and not its value as scrap iron when worn out. Those who purchase a dairy cow should consider how much butter-fat she will produce and not the value of her hide and carcass.

## PLACE FOR HENS TO SCRATCH

Leaves Make Excellent Material If Gathered When Perfectly Dry—Oat Straw Is Cheap.

There are a number of different materials which furnish an excellent place for the hens to scratch in, says a writer in the Poultry Journal. Leaves are probably the stuff most used by the small poultrymen. These are good if gathered when perfectly dry. They must be put into the pens every few days, because the poultry will break them into dust by their continual scratching. I find oat straw about as cheap in the long run, because it lasts quite a while and furnishes some feed if fed before threshing.

Some of my neighbors have tried feeding buckwheat as a scratching material and a feed combined. Buckwheat is too fattening and should be used only occasionally. Corn husks make an excellent scratching material. Shredded or cut corn fodder does very well if there is nothing else on hand. I do not like any form of meadow grass or swale for scratching material because it mats down too much when cut and not enough when not cut.

### Salting Cabbages.

For several years I have raised cabbages and found it advantageous, after setting out the plant, to drop a little salt on the heart of the cabbage, says a writer in the Fruit Grower. When the salt is dissolved by rain, or some other agent, it should be renewed, and the process continued until all danger from cabbage worms is past.

A cabbage treated in this way will grow much larger, and when the head is cut open it will not be found honeycombed with wormholes.

### Necessity for Testing Seed.

Good seed corn is the key to getting good stands of corn. A good stand of corn is necessary to secure good yields. Owing to the wet fall of 1911 there is now much doubtful seed corn in the country.

One cannot afford to plant corn any years, much less this year, without testing. The single-ear method of testing seed corn is the only practical method.

## HOED CROPS IN THE ORCHARD

Practice Results in Severe Damage to Annual Plantings—How to Reckon the Distance.

One of the most prolific causes of loss of nursery stock after transplanting, or for several years thereafter, is this common practice of too close growing of hoed crops. This practice, says Rural Life, results in severe damages to the annual plantings. The loss amounts possibly to 10 per cent. The too common practice is to allow no more space between the tree row and the inter-crop rows than between two inter-crop rows, be the inter-crops cabbage, beans, potatoes or corn. Such distances vary from 30 inches to 3½ feet, according to crop used or planted.

In the first place, the distance should be reckoned from the expanded top of the tree, rather than from the trunk at base. The outside of top is a limiting factor, since the allowance should be made for leaning of the same, or possibly all of the tree on the leeward side.

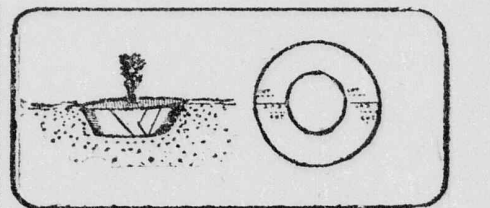
The nearest row to the tree row should be far enough from the row to permit the horse in cultivating to pass freely and without letting harness catch into or come in contact with branches of tree. It will surprise those who have never given the subject much thought, the difference that the lean or incline of a tree makes, when it deviates from a plumb or to a vertical line. In the writer's opinion the space between tree row and the nearest winter-crop row should not be less than four feet the year trees are planted, if two years old, or branched trees are used, and farther each succeeding year.

## PAPER POT IS INEXPENSIVE

Little Device Easily Made and Successfully Serves Many Purposes in Starting Seeds.

Here is a little device, so inexpensive and so easily made, and which successfully serves so many purposes in starting seeds and plants, that every one should avail himself of its help.

Take a piece of stiff paper (not necessarily cardboard) and on it draw two circles, one within the other; the outer circle should be six inches radius, and the inner one three. Cut out the portion of paper inside the smaller circle, and trim to the line of the outer circle, thus having a shape like a doughnut. Cut this round piece of paper into three equal arcs (or it may be halved for large



Paper Pot at Two Stages.

plants). Use one of these parts as a pattern, and cut as many like it as you want.

On one end of the arc cut into the outer end, three-quarters of an inch from the end, a slit half way across the paper; on the other end cut the same from the inner edge. Then bend the strip and lock the slits together to hold each other as fastenings to the pot.

The little paper pot will be bottomless and will have set in sand or soil whichever is to be used as ground to grow the things in, and filled as any pot, putting the seed, cutting or plant in the usual way.

The soil into which the pot is plunged must, of course, be kept moist. When the plant is ready to be shifted to a larger, or transplanted, the paper can be torn off, leaving the ball of soil undisturbed, and the plant will feel no shock of removal.

Many plants cannot stand transplanting by the usual way, and for such these little paper pots are found to be invaluable. Give them a trial.—H. W. M.

## POULTRY NOTES

A sick hen is never a paying investment.

Dry coops are cheaper than sick chicks.

For the egg eating habit try darkening the nests.

Little and often is a good feeding rule for chicks.

Poultry success depends more on condition than on breed.

Crossing breeds is a step backward in the chicken business.

If chickens are worth raising at all they are worth raising well.

It is better to cut a chicken's head off than to let him eat it off.

Sell, kill or confine all male birds when the hatching season is over.

Overheating is responsible for more incubator troubles than underheating.

Disinfecting the incubator between hatches is a precaution worth taking.

Feed the little chicks what they need, not what you happen to have on hand.

Don't forget to have a row of sunflowers; the seeds are excellent for poultry.

Remember that water glass solution will keep this summer's eggs until they double in price.

A half pint of carbonic acid in two gallons of water makes a good disinfectant for any purpose.

Removing the cause of disease is more satisfactory all around than doctoring the chicken afterward.



## NOTES From MEADOWBROOK FARM



By William Pitt

Ducks are profitable.

Provide poles for beans.

Take good care of the colts.

Plant corn after sugar beets.

Careful feeding prevents scours.

The season for grape pruning is past.

Don't sow untested seed of any kind.

Sow peas early, then plant for succession.

Grass will soon show in the color of the butter.

Concrete makes a good foundation and barn wall.

Initiate the butter-fat test and recall the boarder cow.

Many an animal with a pedigree is not a profit producer.

Farming problems demand good judgment and keen thinking.

The silo has come to stay as a permanent form of farm equipment.

Barns and silos save feed enough in a short time to pay for themselves.

The dairy farm that is carefully managed improves from year to year.

A brush to wash dairy utensils is more sanitary than the time-honored rag.

A solid concrete base for the separator will lengthen the life of the machine.

Silage is the cheapest dairy feed there is and in many respects it is the best.

The man who breeds the best stock is almost invariably the leader in his community.

The mating of ewes and rams takes place from the last of March to the middle of June.

For bloot in sheep give one dram hyposulphite of soda and three drams of spirits of ammonia.

Chicks must be well fed to grow; the feeding pen saves the feed and protects the little chicks.

When vegetables are grown to sell, the eye must be consulted as well as the palate. "The looks of things" count.

It's fun to watch the thrifty early spring pigs tumbling over one another trying to see which will get to the trough first.

To rid the premises of rats, fill the holes with tin scraps from the tinner or with broken glass and plaster over with cement.

There is nothing that adds the appearance of prosperity to the farmstead more readily than good paint on buildings and fences.

There is nothing like spring sunshine for the cows. Their quarters may be ever so comfortable but the sunshine does them good.

Did you forget to trim the trees? Say, go out in the orchard and do a little trimming some day and give the tree a little extra rest at noon.

A few hours of work "grounding" the wires of the fence about the pasture may save the best cows in the herd from destruction by lightning.

It is just as necessary to plow or otherwise cultivate the peach orchard when it bears not a peach, as it is when the trees are to be loaded with fruit.

A Colorado fruit grower has patented electric massage for fruit trees. The object is to enable fruit trees to resist frost when they are budding and blossoming.

A mixture of salt, ashes and salt-peter raked into the soil when preparing the onion bed, stimulates the growth of the onions and tends to banish the onion maggot.

Work a little slacked lime into the soil where your cabbages are to be grown to prevent club-root. A garden well fertilized better resists the attacks of pests than one meagerly fed.

In starting a new hedge begin it as soon as the ground is workable from receding frost. It pays to dig out the soil and enrich it as for making a garden bed or border. The digging should be to the depth of two feet.

Trim the colt's feet.

Spraying is insurance.

Use care in setting plants.

Spray the orchard thoroughly.

Alfalfa makes a fair grade of silage.

The gardener is no better than his tools.

Overworking will make butter look like lard.

Test all vegetable seeds as soon as they are received.

Has the seed corn 90 per cent. or better germination?

The best time to apply ground limestone is after plowing.

It always takes pounds of feed to make pounds of butter-fat.

A weed is a plant out of place. Too-thick sowing makes weeds.

Beans are good for sheep, the long vine varieties being preferred.

Better a nose ring for the young bull than an accident afterward.

The digestive powers of the hog are the feeder's foundation of success.

It is bad policy to sell a cow just because she will bring a good price.

The silo is a land-mark that points you to the best farms in the community.

On many farms the garden is the most neglected spot. It ought not to be.

Don't skimp the garden. A good garden is money out at interest. "Get a plenty."

It's a poor policy to jerk the horse and then speak the command to it afterward.

The dairyman with a bunch of shoats this spring has a good market for his skimmilk.

Work in the potato patch may begin as soon as planting is finished. Use the harrow first.

Go over the tools, put them in repair, and order any new ones needed for the summer's work.

If the cows or calves get lousy, try an application of strong brine thickened with strong soap.

Sweep up every particle of silage in the chute and alleyway and give it to the cows at every feeding.

The good dairy cow not only pays for her own feed, but she pays for food for the whole family as well.

Putting some lime in the wash water occasionally will keep the churn from taking on that offensive smell.

New potatoes very early in the summer are just as appetizing and palatable for farm folks as anybody else.

One still finds people who do not think a garden pays. Such people patronize the storekeeper and the druggist.

Keep your hogs clean, feed them on pure and wholesome food, and you will not be very likely to have any disease among them.

Did you go after the borers in the peach tree roots last spring? Well you certainly will get busy with the knife and wire now.

Slobbering in horses is supposed to be caused by eating white clover blossoms. A little experimenting is needed to make sure.

Disk the fall plowed land before the corn is planted. Kill the weeds so the corn will have at least an equal chance with them.

Heifers should not be bred too young. Give them a chance to get some size before you tax their vitality by the process of reproduction.

It is the clean wool that brings the best prices. There is nothing to be gained by handling anything but first-class wool. If dirty, it pays to clean it.

The creamery is the greatest nucleus about which to build a prosperous community. It always makes it possible to establish business on a cash basis.

The corn belt has its champions, and so, too, have the cotton and the wheat belts, but the leather belt is universally popular in the good old summer time.

The best time to destroy the weeds and grass is when they are small. They are easier to kill at that time, and have not taken so much moisture and plant food from the soil.

Every man who makes a profit on his place should plan to use some of that money in making the home more convenient and attractive each season. This is the only real progress.

Abundance of succulent feeds containing the proper materials in right proportion for producing milk, plenty of mild water, some salt, mild temperature, and comfortable surroundings generally are the conditions for making a dairy cow do her best.



Francis O. Lindquist is the new congressman from the Eleventh district of Michigan. He attracted attention by conducting a "mail order" campaign for election. He sent out over 900,000 pieces of literature to his constituents.

## NEWS OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN

**Menominee.**—The drainage bill, framed by Attorney A. L. Sawyer, of Menominee and which was endorsed by members of the Delta county board of supervisors, was passed by the state legislature on the final day of the session. The bill provides drainage for the present multitudes of swamp lands throughout the county thus giving the land a value where heretofore, it has not been practical.

**Marquette.**—The annual upper peninsula high school track and field meet will be held here on Saturday, May 31.

**Escanaba.**—In restitution for petty thefts of several years ago, R. E. McLean, manager of the I. Stephenson company mills at Wells, has received the sum of \$15. Accompanying the letter, which came from one of the coast states, was the information that several years ago the writer had been employed by the Stephenson company and that he had stolen a number of small articles from the store. A revival meeting brought about the desire of the former Escanaba resident to make restitution.

**Menominee.**—Near Bagley, in the northern part of Menominee county, a settlement of 200,000 acres of land will be formed for 400 Danish families this summer. Within the last thirty days over 100 families have settled on farms in this district.

**Escanaba.**—Judge Flanagan has announced the trials of David Hammel, Walter F. Hammel and Roy J. Hammel, on criminal charges growing out of the failure of the Hammel & Son bank at Gladstone, will be held before the Dickinson county circuit court. The transfer was made to insure a fair and impartial trial for the defendants.

**Menominee.**—As passed by the legislature at its final session the new Twelfth congressional district will be composed of nine counties in the lower peninsula and eight counties in the upper peninsula. The lower peninsula counties in this district, according to the provisions of the bill, are: Emmett, Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Charlevoix, Antrim, Oostego, Montmorency, Alpena and Kalkaska. The upper peninsula counties in the district are: Delta, Menominee, Alger, Schoolcraft, Luce, Chippewa and Mackinac. The population of the lower peninsula counties in the district is 120,902, while the total population of the upper peninsula counties is 109,837.

**Bessemer.**—Fire destroyed the boiler room at shaft house No. 9 of the Hilden mine. Machinery and building loss amounts to over \$50,000. The shaft burned 1,000 feet down the levels and fifty miners had narrow escapes. Friction on the hoisting cable caused the blaze.

**Marquette.**—The eleventh annual reunion of the Upper Peninsula League, Knights of Pythias, will be held in this city on June 3, 4, 5 and 6, under auspices of the local lodge.

**Beaver.**—Colonists from Belgium are arriving to become members of the new St. Nicholas colony that is being opened in the Escanaba river valley, near Beaver. A total of fifteen have arrived to begin preparations for establishing homes.

**Norway.**—A fire started by boys near here nearly wiped out the city detention hospital and 40,000 pine trees.

## HER WONDERFUL BABY

PERHAPS NEEDLESS TO SAY IT WAS THE FIRST.

Mrs. Youngmother Confides to Friend That Her Little Dear Is the Most Original and Remarkable Child Ever.

"Isn't he a darling, May?" said Mrs. Youngmother to "May," who had been her maid of honor at the wedding and who was seeing the baby for the first time.

"He is just a dear!" said May, with her eye on the clock, while she was mentally calculating how she could "in decency," bring the call to an end.

"It isn't that he is such an extraordinarily pretty baby, May. It's more than that, for he is certainly the most original child you ever saw! Such cunning little original ways as he has for one of his age! I wish that it was time for him to have his dinner and you could see the way he holds out his little hands the moment he sees the bottle and opens his mouth when the bottle is three feet from him! You never saw anything so cute!

"Then, when I give him a little milk to drink in a cup, he bubbles in it in the funniest way! Mamma says that she never knew of any other baby doing it quite like he does. Then, when you go, you will see what a cunning way he had of waving goodbye. Sometimes I have to take him by the elbow and help him a little, but even then it is the most original little way he has! And if you could only see him smile in his sleep! Sometimes, when he is sound asleep, his little lips entirely part over his gums in the dearest little smile! I think that is a sign that he is going to have a happy disposition.

"Then he has the most original little way of holding one foot in the air and staring at it when he is lying down, and the other day he actually got his big toe into his mouth—he did! I called the cook up from the kitchen so she could see it—the funniest little trick you ever saw! I asked the doctor when he was here the other day if he thought it was a sign that he was going to be a real athlete, and he thought it might be, and it worries me a little, for I don't want him to be one of those professional athletes.

"I look higher than that for him. And, honestly, May, sometimes I think he knows time by the clock! Every time it strikes he looks toward it! I have watched him again and again, and the moment the clock strikes he turns his eyes right toward it. Do you suppose that he really knows what it is? I sometimes think that he does, because he is so original in so many other ways.

"And, May, as sure as I live and breathe, I heard him laugh in his sleep the other night! I woke my husband and wanted him to get up and light the gas and see if the baby was awake, but he didn't want to. No one can ever convince me that he didn't laugh in his sleep. Truly, May, I think that he is one of the most original babies I ever heard of, and I am very glad of it, for I want him to grow up with some individuality—and I am sure he has it, all right! Don't you want to hold him for just a minute, and see how heavy he is for one of his age? O, May, it is a great responsibility to be the mother of such an unusual child as he is!"—Judge

**Fine for Stamp Flirtation.**

In Austria, as in Germany, one is likely to commit the offense of lese majeste without knowing it. An instance of the sort is afforded by a decision not long ago rendered by a court at Trieste, a decision that aroused indignation in the hearts of young Austrians, since, by the ruling of the court, it appeared that lovers lay themselves open to a summons for lese majeste if they vary the "official" position of a postage stamp, whether on a postcard or on the envelope containing a letter, to indicate their sentiments.

An examination of the printed decision of the court makes it clear that to stick a postage stamp at a certain angle, even though it be to express "fading love," "disappointment," "tender memories," and so forth, is decidedly a mark of disrespect to the sovereign, whose image appears upon the stamp. The sender of a postcard who used the emperor's likeness to tell his sweetheart that he would love her always was fined for the offense.

**Dr. John Chinaman.**

The introduction into China of western knowledge is destined to work a complete revolution in medical and surgical practice in the Flowery Kingdom. One of the things that is going and now nearly gone is what is called "acupuncture" or pricking of needles. This mode of treating diseases consists in sticking long needles of silver or gold into the body or members of the sufferer and then pulling them out, as housewives sometimes test their cakes with a broom-straw to see if they are done.

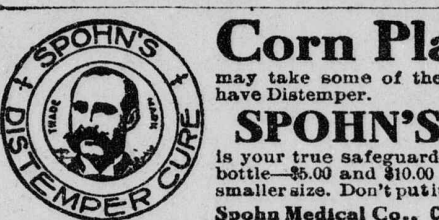
Reliable authorities tell of many cases in which this heroic system has brought about cures. Perhaps the patient was scared into being cured, and decided to get well, rather than be stuck any more. It is declared that the Chinese doctors are able actually to penetrate the heart and other vital organs with their needles without causing death, and that the process does not cause any considerable amount of pain.—From the Pathfinder



## RHEUMATISM BACKACHE or PILES

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Nothing Doing for Him. A well known but broken-down Detroit newspaper man, who had been a power in his day, approached an old friend the other day and said: "What do you think? I have just received the prize insult of my life. A paper down in Muncie, Ind., offered me a job." "Do you call that an insult?" "Not the job, but the salary. They offered me twelve dollars a week." "Well," said the friend, "twelve dollars a week is better than nothing." "Twelve dollars a week—thunder!" exclaimed the old scribe. "I can borrow more than that right here in Detroit."

**Important to Mothers.** Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. C. Little* In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

## DESIGNED HER OWN ROOM

How One Girl Carried Out Ideas as to the Furnishing and Coloring.

Her brown study was the name a girl gave to a little room she had made into a snugger of her own, where she could read and work and have cozy chats with her friends. It was the brown study because brown was the prevailing color, enlivened with yellow. This girl did most of the work herself, tinting the walls a soft yellow tan, with a picture molding painted cream color near the ceiling. The floor was stained a slightly darker shade than the walls, and on it were laid rag rugs of browns, tans and yellows. The girl braided these rugs from white material she had dyed herself so that they would be just the shades she wished.

So far it was all plain brown, cream and buff. Now for variety and color she chose a flowered cretonne with a design of little yellow roses. With this she made a slip cover for a little low rocker, a valance for the top of her window with side curtains just to the sill, a curtain run on a brass rod instead of her cupboard door which she had taken off, and a slip cover for her lounge. She preferred the slip covers for her chair and sofa because they could be sent to the wash occasionally, so keeping her room fresh and bright. She framed an oblong mirror in the yellow rose cretonne, and painted a bureau, a small kitchen table, and two kitchen chairs in cream colored paint. On the table she placed her blotter with its dull-brown corners and over the table hung her bookshelves, well filled. Then she felt she had a room to enjoy.

**To Pass the Time.** Patron (to very slow waiter)—Bring me a steak, please. And you might just send me a post card every now and then while you're away, letting me know how it is getting on.

**MORE THAN EVER** Increased Capacity for Mental Labor Since Leaving Off Coffee.

Many former coffee drinkers who have mental work to perform, day after day, have found a better capacity and greater endurance by using Postum instead of coffee. An illis. Woman writes: "I had drank coffee for about twenty years, and finally had what the doctor called 'coffee heart.' I was nervous and extremely despondent; had little mental or physical strength left, had kidney trouble and constipation.

"The first noticeable benefit derived from the change from coffee to Postum was the natural action of the kidneys and bowels. In two weeks my heart action was greatly improved and my nerves steady.

"Then I became less despondent, and the desire to be active again showed proof of renewed physical and mental strength.

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"There's a Reason" for Postum.

**Why a Poet Quit Politics.** Explaining why he gave up politics, W. B. Yeats, in a lecture in Dublin, said: "I saw that when you try to speak high and sincere things and at the same time carry on a political life, sooner or later you give up the sincere and high things and speak expedient things."—London Mail.

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**Not Natural.** "Mayme is a duck of a girl." "Then it's odd she isn't in the swim."

When a sea captain marries a widow he becomes second mate.

**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS** RICH IN CURATIVE QUALITIES FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

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## WEED HARMFUL TO WOMEN

Scientific Investigation Has Proved That Tobacco Should Not Be Used by the Fair Sex.

It seems that at last a purely physiological reason has been found why women should not smoke, apart from the very general prejudice which exists in this country.

"Smoking," says Dr. Hargrave, a London physician, "does not have the same effect on women that it does on men. An imperious necessity felt by most smokers to satisfy their passion after eating is physiologically explained by the excitation of the salivary glands whose secretions, so useful in digestion, the smoke augments. Moreover, it has been shown that it sterilizes the saliva and that this is really beneficial from the viewpoint of the possible infection from the foods themselves."

"But with women it is a serious conclusion reached from many experiments that few of them need tobacco. While the proportion of men whose salivary secretions were stimulated and sterilized by smoking was very large, the proportion of women, on the other hand, was very small. Even in women who have been habitual smokers for years the action of this weed was found to be less marked, in fact, almost negligible."

So apparently Dr. Hargrave is of the opinion that women should not smoke, because they do not need it.

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A satisfactory husband is capable of appreciating her or has sense enough to lie about it.

With all his wisdom Solomon made some big blunders in his home life.

Some men look for trouble in order that they may be prepared to dodge.

## To Women Broken Down?

Whether it's from business cares, household drudgery or overfrequent child-bearing, you need a Restorative Tonic and Strength-giving Nerve and Regulator.

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# THE KITCHEN CABINET

THE oak tree's boughs once touched the grass. But every year they grew A little farther from the ground. And nearer to the blue.

What is so rare as a day in June? Then if ever come perfect days And heaven tries earth if it be in tune And o'er her softly her warm ear lays, And whether be look or whether we listen, We hear life murmur and see it glisten.

## FRESH FISH.

Those who are able to get fish caught, cooked and eaten within twenty-four hours, know and appreciate what fresh fish are, and will not be satisfied or look for "nice soft fish," as a man did in the market not long since.

Fish should be firm, eyes full and gills bright. Perch, the common lake variety, are delicious fried in pork fat with a bit of onion to take away the strong flavor.

Shad roe is considered a great delicacy, but the roe of any fish is very good when well cooked. For frying, the roe may be dusted with bread crumbs, dipped in egg then in crumbs and fried a golden brown in olive or any vegetable oil. Many cooks prefer corn meal to roll the roe and fish, and pork or bacon for the fat to fry them. Roe should always be parboiled before cooking in any way.

When boiled fish is desired, it should be wrapped in a soft cheese cloth and dropped in boiling water, cooked at the simmering point and removed carefully from the cloth to the hot platter. Serve with boiled fish a sour sauce made of lemon and butter.

Baked Fish.—Use any desired stuffing of bread and seasonings, usually onion is the flavor desired. Stuff the fish, sew carefully and lay on a strip of cloth in the pan, so that this may be used to lift it out with, and thus save it from breaking. Serve cucumbers, grated and dressed with vinegar, salt and pepper.

Broiled Fish.—Split the fish so that it lays flat, brush with oil and broil the flesh side first, then turn to cook the skin side. Serve with parsley butter mixed with lemon juice, baked potatoes, crisp green onions and radishes.

Flaked fish mixed with a few chopped olives and pickles makes a good salad.



OUR grand business in life is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

## SOMETHING TO EAT.

When you do not know what to get for dinner, take a little fresh pork, cut in small pieces, and put into the bottom of a baking dish; over this place a few sliced potatoes, three onions, and sprinkle with salt and sage. Cover closely and bake an hour and a half in a moderate oven.

Mutton With Dressing.—Cook a breast of mutton in water below the boiling point until tender, remove the bones and spread with a stuffing made of bread, seasoned with onion and mint, salt and pepper. The addition of a little butter to the bread after it has been softened with milk makes a richer dressing. Roll up the meat and roast.

Spiced Lamb.—This is a dish which closely resembles venison. Take a leg of lamb or mutton; take off all the fat and skin, and lard it all over with strips of bacon. Put into a vessel large enough to hold it, add a quart of vinegar, four bay leaves, ten cloves, ten pepper corns, a few allspice and three small onions sliced. Rub the leg well with salt, and let remain in this mixture two days. If the vinegar is too strong, add a little water. Roast for two hours in a hot oven. Serve with good gravy.

Lamb Stew.—Take two pounds from the neck or shoulder, cut into small pieces and put on to simmer in boiling water. Cover closely and simmer for an hour and a half. Half an hour before serving, add two large carrots, sliced, and a cupful of coarse barley. Add plenty of water, as the barley absorbs the water; season with salt and pepper. Rice may be used in place of barley, and two slices of bacon, a green pepper and an onion, and a teaspoonful of curry powder.

Fig Cookies.—Put a pound of figs through the meat chopper, then put them with a cup of water into a saucepan, add a half cup of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, and al-

low it to simmer until thick. Sift two cups of flour, add two cups of rolled oats, a cup of butter, a cup of sugar, two-thirds of a cup of sour milk in which has been dissolved a half teaspoonful of soda. Roll out, cut and put the filling between each pair of cookies. Bake in a moderate oven until brown.



WHAT'S the best thing in the world? June rose by May dew impaled; Sweet south wind that means no rain. Truth, not cruel to a friend; What's the best thing in the world? Something out of it, I think.

## POTATOES IN VARIOUS WAYS.

Nice mealy potatoes are never better served than when mashed, but there are mashed potatoes and mashed potatoes. They should be mashed until free from lumps, then after adding hot milk, butter and salt beat well until light and white and fluffy. So-called mashed potatoes that are served half mashed are not nearly so appetizing as the plain boiled potatoes, mealy and hot.

There is less time and thought given to the preparation of vegetables in most homes than is given to any other food. We treat the good old vegetable as if there were but ten of a dozen ways of preparing it.

Lyonnais Potatoes.—Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add a tablespoonful of chopped onion, and when the onion is yellow add two cups of potato cubes, season with salt and pepper and cook until the potatoes are well heated through. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve. Freshly cooked potatoes are better for this dish, although cold cooked potatoes will do very well.

Simple scalloped potatoes, which are very appetizing and a change from the ordinary way, is to mix well cooked cubes of potato with a rich white sauce, cover with buttered crumbs and bake in a hot oven. A little onion juice added to the sauce will improve the flavor.

When there is sufficient mashed potato left, place it in a well buttered baking dish, brush with well beaten egg and bake until brown. Serve from the baking dish in which it was baked. A mold of chopped beef, well seasoned, may be covered with the mashed potatoes, brushed with egg and baked, making a good dish for supper or luncheon.

Potato Puff.—Prepare two cups of hot mashed potato. Add a half cup of milk, two well beaten yolks of eggs, two tablespoonfuls of butter, salt and pepper to taste; beat well and add the well beaten whites of the eggs. Pile lightly in a buttered baking dish and bake until puffed and brown.



NEW flowery scents strewed everywhere, New sunshine poured in largess fair, We shall be happy now, we say; A voice just trembles through the air And whispers, "May."

## VEGETABLE COMBINATIONS.

Macaroni and celery make a most desirable combination. Cook two heads of celery until tender; after cutting in lengths of about two inches; add a quarter of a pound of macaroni, and cook an hour without stirring or until the macaroni is tender and double its bulk. The age of macaroni and its state of dryness, as with rice, will determine the length of time for the cooking. Add a cup or two of white sauce, a generous sprinkling of cheese, and serve with broiled beefsteak.

Potatoes with green peppers are a change from the ordinary boiled potato. Cook as usual, then turn them when well drained into a vegetable dish with two tablespoonfuls of softened butter and three of chopped sweet green peppers.

Italian Potatoes.—Mix two cups of hot mashed potatoes, one teaspoonful of onion juice, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, one egg yolk well beaten, four stiffly beaten whites, one-half cup of grated cheese and salt and pepper to taste. Pile lightly in the baking dish and bake until brown.

Greens.—The earliest spring greens are the dandelion, which is a fine blood purifier. The young and tender shoots may be dressed with oil and vinegar and eaten, or cooked until tender and served with butter, or cooked with salt pork for the fat.

Nellie Maxwell.

## No Chance for Him.

A certain minister having noticed a new attendant for several consecutive Sundays, engaged her in conversation after service. Cordially shaking the young blond by the hand, the reverend gentleman asked her name, address, etc., and concluded by asking if he might call upon her. In a rather broken English and very Swedish intonation came this response: "No, tank you, I have a reg-lar fel-ler."

## Helping the Little Fellow.

The United Shoe Machinery Company is the only real obstacle to the formation of a shoe trust. We help the small manufacturer to start in business and keep going. He could not afford to buy and care for his machines, but he can afford to lease them on the terms we give him based on the number of shoes he makes—an average of less than 2-3 cents a pair—and let us keep them up to date. That is a fair arrangement. Some of the big fellows don't like our system, because they think we ought to give them special rates. But the little fellows stand with us because they know we treat all manufacturers alike no matter how many machines they use. If it were not for our methods of doing business there would be no small factories anywhere and no prosperous factories in small towns.

The United Shoe Machinery Co., Boston, Mass.—Adv.

## There With the "Nerve."

The conversation led to the beauty of having abundant nerve the other evening, when Senator Clapp of Minnesota told of a man who went into a fashionable restaurant, accompanied by a couple of children, and after ordering a lemon soda, asked the waiter to bring him three plates. This, according to Senator Clapp, the waiter did, but when he saw the man take some sandwiches from his pocket, put them on the plates, and pass them around to the kids, he reported the matter to the boss. "What are you doing?" indignantly cried the manager, rushing over to the sandwich party. "Don't you know that this isn't a free picnic ground, where you bring your own food?" "Is that so?" was the calm rejoinder of the man, passing along another sandwich. "Who are you?" "I am the manager," blustered the boss, with rising heat. "I—" "Just the very person that I have been looking for," interjected the unperturbed party. "Why isn't the orchestra playing?"

## DANDRUFF COVERED SCALP

3002 Cash St., St. Louis, Mo.—"For five years I suffered with itching of my body and scalp. My trouble began with a rash on my lower limbs which was very annoying, and my scalp was literally covered with dandruff. My hair used to come out by the handfuls and the itching of my body and scalp was terrible. I had used almost all the skin remedies on the market with no results, when I wrote for a little Cuticura Soap and Ointment and it gave me instant relief. Within one month's use of the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, gently rubbing Cuticura Ointment on my scalp, and using Cuticura Soap and Ointment, which entirely cured me of itching of my body and scalp in its worst form. I also find the Cuticura Soap a benefit in shaving." (Signed) Charles Judlin, Dec. 8, 1911.

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## To Clean Rubber.

A rubber coat can be nicely cleaned by the use of automobile soap, a jelly-like substance of dark color, which can be procured at any automobile supply store or at a garage. The soap can be used for other garments also, as it does not injure the finest finished material, but the effect seems better on rubberized goods. The first step in cleaning is to make a strong lather. Clean the coat thoroughly and then apply the soap over a small portion of the garment. Carefully wash off the soap by sponging with clear water and proceed to next space to be cleaned. Dry out of doors.

## To Clean Walls.

To clean painted walls dissolve two ounces of borax in two quarts of water and add one tablespoonful of ammonia. Use half this quantity to each bucket of water; do not use soap. Wash a small amount of the paint at a time and rub dry with a clean cloth.

## An Exception.

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Mr. A. B. Danner.

It is only natural that the simplest of ailments should be the most general, and so we have a whole nation suffering from constipation and indigestion, for they are closely allied. But common as constipation is many people do not seem to know they have it. They will complain of headache, drowsiness or biliousness, all unconscious of the cause of the trouble.

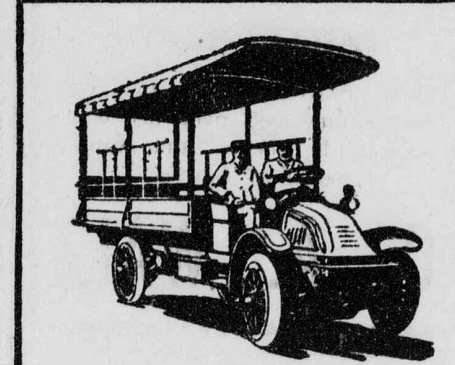
You should have a full and free movement at least once a day. If you pass a day you are constipated, and the result will be that you will catch a cold easily or have a more serious ailment. To cure the constipation and forestall still graver trouble take a dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night before retiring and by morning relief will come, without disturbance from sleep or any inconvenience.

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If no member of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial of it before buying it in the regular way of a druggist, send your address—a postal will do—to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 2623 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be mailed you.



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## OUR LITTLE TOWN

The Cloverland Milling company, which undertook to supply seed wheat to all comers, found that it had underestimated the demand, having sent out two carloads of seed instead of one, enough to sow seven hundred acres. Fourteen thousand bushels of the best hard wheat may be expected from this this fall. The falling off of the demand for peas, and the unfavorable potato crop of last year, together with the feeling among farmers that rotation and diversity of crops must be practised if agriculture in this region is to be bettered, have helped. The company has purchased an excellent concrete warehouse at Engadine for use as a buying center this fall.

I am not renting up all the buildings and trying to make it so I can rob the public. You are welcome to trade where you wish; but it is to your best interest to trade where you can get the most of the best for your money, at

STEWART'S PHARMACY.

For a sincere, next to the job of an editor, commend us to the city clerk's To find him with his big water rates book up to his chin and nothing to do except fill out the changes and make out dog tax receipts with one hand and answer with the other telephone calls as to the proper house number of lot 25 of block 34 is to envy him in his leisurely and carefree existence.

Sunday's rain, though unwelcome to pleasure seekers, came as a godsend to lumbermen of Delta and adjoining counties, who had already suffered severely from forest fires. The I. Stephenson camp 4 was wiped out, and heavy destruction of forest products along the Beaver branch took place. The Cooperage company lost a few logs along the Rapid River line; but the two days' downpour saved a situation that was fast becoming desperate.

At the session of next week of the Yeomen the lodge will be in the hands of the archeresses, solely, as it was on the same date last year. As the entertainment was so successful, it is not believed that the insurrection made by the mere men last year will be again revived.

A new hole in the bay shore road has been detected, right at the foot of the hill. It is stated that the street committee will cause it to be repaired as soon as the ground ceases to beave. In the meantime a warning sign has been erected.

The mission at All Saints' church of the past two weeks has been most largely attended every morning and evening. The attendance of the ladies for the first week was noteworthy, the Lady Foresters marching to the church in a body Sunday morning. During this week the men have been no less regular in their attendance, the leading being crowded each evening. Sunday morning the men of the C. O. F. will attend in body to receive communion, according to their custom.

The book of Numbers should furnish an appropriate text for a discourse this Sunday. The people of Gladstone are just about ready to rest from six days labor decorating their houses with the cabalistic figures which correspond to the first word of the handwriting on the wall. On Wednesday afternoon the supply had been exhausted in the city and dealers had hastened to get a new supply.

Health Officer Mitchell last Friday sent away new samples of city water and specimens from the bay and South Gladstone creek. As yet the analysis has not been received, though hourly expected.

Maclaurin & Needham worked a corner in arbutus last Saturday, making a bunch admission to the Gem. Most of the juvenile population of the town was present with the required admission fee, and the proceeds were distributed in the evening.

The quarantine having been lifted this week from the Brown residence on Dakota avenue, the lodgers who have been entertained at the hospitable board of Louis Smith returned Wednesday to their former quarters.

A neighborhood squabble in several languages took up most of the day at the city hall Monday, where Justice Scott held court. Not the least exciting feature, it is said, was the jury's charge to the court. The defendant was fined and bound over to keep the peace toward her neighbors until further orders, and there is more quiet and harmony now on the west side of the rip track.

Carl Nyberg was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by a party of about thirty of the Swedish Mission folk, who called on him to felicitate him on his recovery from a recent operation. Mrs. John Almqvist, who came with the entertaining party was also surprised to find herself one of those greeted with congratulations. A very pleasant evening was spent with an extempore program.

The Marble Arms Co. has secured a stock of penknives, of the regular type to use instead of hangers which most manufacturing firms supply to storekeepers. The only question will be keeping them from going into private decoration schemes.

It is hard to be law-abiding, as an ancient legislature once plaintively observed. Bill Needham is among those who has his troubles. The legislature on its last day passed with amendments a stringent moving picture law for immediate effect, and Mr. Needham can't get a copy. He will have to plead extenuating circumstances if arrested by the inspector for having a yellow front when when the act calls for a red one.

The ladies aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will hold their spring auction in the church parlors on Friday, May 17. The public is heartily invited to this sale of useful and fancy articles.

Gladstone Aerie, F. O. E., meets this Friday evening to receive another score of applications and arrange for another big entertainment.

Twenty-five dog licenses were issued during the first five days of the week by City Clerk Williamson, and the treasury proportionally enriched. It will be put up or shoot up, according to the lord high executioner, and dog owners must get busy.

The city, having acquired a dock, has now the problem of protecting its investment. The mayor made an examination and found that it would be necessary to act quickly to save some of the timbers which were loosened by the ice and in danger of floating away. The old piles have suffered considerable damage in the last three or four years.

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JUST ROUND THE CORNER

Cut a tale with a drink, says the Highlander, in the language above referred to.

A good rule sometimes, and the best drink with which to cut it is from the historic old stock boasted of by

**ANDREW STEVENSON**  
JUST ROUND THE CORNER

The council on Monday evening voted \$50 to buy the Central Avenue dock from the Hammel estate, the price having been raised as the result of some competition for the property. The public property committee was instructed to shut up the dock and post a notice that it is unsafe and that those who venture on it must carry their own accident insurance. It is old, rotten and full of apertures, and the underpinning has been much weakened by the ice lately.

## Personals

E. G. Fisher, our genial captain, has gone to prepare a place for us, as was remarked to his congregation by the tired minister who had been appointed chaplain of the penitentiary. Mr. Fisher has sought out a more congenial location in the suburbs, and will make home homelike at Maywood. When the success of the ferry was assured, Mr. Fisher took the lease of the Maywood hotel for the season. It will in a few weeks be possible to take a car at any time for that delightful pleasure resort, either from Gladstone or Escanaba, on any day of the week and there is no place in Delta county more suited to spend a day's outing. Mr. Fisher moves his family over on Monday, and will spend some time in fitting up his new place of entertainment. That he will conduct it to the satisfaction of the recreation seeking public is known to all his acquaintances, and he will have many visitors.

The proposed excursion of the I. O. O. F. to Manistique has been postponed until May 18, at which time they will invade that straggling city. A special train has been chartered which will leave Gladstone about eight, a. m., and return after the doings. The ritualistic work of the several degrees of the order will be exemplified in an all day and part of the night session. Of course, our genial H. J. Neville will be there with bells on to meet the comers.

The band entertainments so far have been the reverse of the weather in effectiveness—there has been much blow and little dust. The picture show last Friday evening was quite successful and the prom drew about forty couples, the gain from the evening being about \$30. Thursday evening the second prom, while pleasant enough, just about cleared expenses though there was some attendance from Escanaba and Rapid River. The band will make another try to raise the condition of their exchequer if the weather improves next week. In that event an open air trolley excursion from Escanaba will be arranged, with prom following, and it is hoped that this will be a better drawing card.

This is Rexall week, and I am going to give with every purchase of Rexall remedies, dollar size, a twenty-five cent package of Dorothy Vernon Talcum powder. This offer is only good one week, while Rexall remedies are on display at

STEWART'S PHARMACY

The forest protective association calls attention to a statute which it will endeavor to enforce for the prevention of fire. Everyone burning brush or other material for clearing land is required to give notice in writing to all his neighbors at least one day previously or he is subject to fine and imprisonment.

Invitations have been received by Pythians of this city to attend a ball given by the Pythian Sisters of Escanaba at the Elks' hall next Tuesday evening.

The county road commissioners met Thursday at Escanaba and ordered the survey to be made for the Maywood road which has been so strongly petitioned for. Together with the Stonington road, it will open up practically the whole of the Bay de Noc peninsula and furnish a road from here to Ogotz and Nahma. County Engineer Mason and his assistant, County Surveyor Mc-Nabb, are now at work on the Stonington road.

16 inch Maple and Birch mill wood \$2.00 a single cord, \$5.75 a full cord. Hemlock \$1.15 single and \$2.75 full cord; delivered to any part of the city. Call up C. W. Davis, Phone 7.

The meeting of the Gladstone Commercial Association on Tuesday was well attended. The report of the ferry committee showed that W. L. Marble has secured signers enough to the stock subscription to render it practically assured that the necessary amount will be raised; and the necessary procedure to incorporate will not be carried out. The entertainment committee was given a longer time in which to report.

Manistique has been granted free city delivery, beginning July 1, and examinations will shortly be held for carriers. The city authorities were instructed to put up some extra street numbers and signs.

Sodium Phosphate a valuable remedy in biliousness, dyspepsia, heartburn, constipation, jaundice, rheumatism, headache etc. Made by Parke Davis & Co. Sold by

ERICKSON & VON TELL.

A large number of those who took the teachers' examination last week passed with good standings. Roy Shane of Rapid River having the highest recorded at a second grade examination in this county. With those who attend the normal this summer, there will be sixty of them qualified to teach this fall, and the commissioner fears something of a surplus next fall.

An attractive assortment of the latest Millinery received Thursday, and will be displayed attractively by Miss Wirebaugh at

O'CONNELL'S.

How would it do to take the Northwestern railroad's safety committee and send it to Mexico in the endeavor to reduce the casualties on the railroads there?

Perhaps Japan is ordering three dreadnaughts as an invitation to the United States not to be a hermit nation.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

The Delta county amateur baseball league is still in an unorganized condition and no games have been scheduled for Sunday. It is expected, however, to have them in full cry for Sunday after next. The new league will patronize home industry exclusively, split all gate receipts evenly between the home team and the visitors, and get along nicely. It will be some time in the future before Delta county can indulge its champagne tastes in the matter of league ball. Gladstone will be represented by the Eagles, Rapid River by its old lineup, as near as may be, and two teams managed by Fred Olmstead and Joe Hoffman, will represent the pennant city.

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## Personals

Henry Rosenblum has rented his old store, the Odd Fellows' block, from that lodge. Mr. Rosenblum is considering the practicability of establishing it as a sample room. The merchants of this city have been inconvenienced since the fire for lack of a suitable place to examine goods, and have made frequent trips to Escanaba. A little cooperation on their part would relieve them of this trouble.

The friends of Conductor Ed Dingman, who left several months ago for Texas to recuperate his health, were interested to see a report in the Soo papers that he had rescued a couple from drowning there by swimming out into the gulf. While hoping that he has recovered activity enough to do so, they rather doubt the story, as they are sure that he was never able to swim a stroke in his life.

E. G. Fisher returned Wednesday evening from Tremary, where he had given a few days' attention to his interests. Mr. Fisher has had reason to note bitterly the ruin and disaster wrought in the lumber business by the election of a Democratic administration.

William Kee, of Dollarville, Luce county, visited his brother, Dr. D. N. Kee, from Saturday till Friday. During his visit a third brother, Wesley Kee, came down from Minneapolis to spend Thursday, returning to his home near Saskatoon.

Milk sugar, Malted Milk, Mellin's Food, Nursing Bottles, Nipples, Comforts, etc., for the proper feeding of the baby.

ERICKSON & VON TELL.

Alex Peterson was in town from the scene of action Thursday. He returned to Gwinn that day to appraise the damage done by fire which was reported to have swept through the timber in that region, but found it a false alarm.

With the release of the family of Duncan McDonald from quarantine this Friday morning, all contagious diseases in that city have been suppressed, except for a couple on the Kipling side of the bay.

Latest Chiffons and Voile, well worth your examination and comparison, low priced at

O'CONNELL'S.

Little Edward, the son of John Johnson, is much envied boy. He received a new bicycle Thursday, a perfect miniature on half scale of the larger ones, which he can exercise himself to his heart's content.

Julius Vashaw was called to Marquette Wednesday by the death of his mother at the advanced age of ninety-seven. He returned after the funeral which was held Thursday.

See the 75 cent and dollar Hairbrushes on sale for only 45 cents at

STEWART'S PHARMACY

Al Hebbard was removed to Spicetown Tuesday by his family, his brothers coming down to take care of him. Mrs. Hebbard went up Thursday to be with him.

C. E. Nebel is spending this week in Marquette on business. The contract there is nearly finished, the firm having but two blocks more of pipe to lay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shepard went in Wednesday night to Minneapolis, where Mrs. Shepard will receive medical treatment.

Special and noteworthy sale prices on Gunglams for the next few days at

O'CONNELL'S.

Mrs. W. F. Ferguson and her daughter Lillian, who have been visiting Mrs. A. H. Miller, returned to the Soo Saturday evening.

Sam Tang is fixing up the Cleveland-Cliffs house next to Soren Johnson's, which will shortly be occupied by G. R. Hanson.

Mrs. H. E. Youker, who has been visiting her brother, Cashier Gasser of the State Bank, left Monday on her way to Duluth.

Beautiful cut glass and silverware for wedding gifts at

STEWART'S PHARMACY.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenblum returned Wednesday night from a four days' visit with friends and relatives at Iron River.

Escanaba will hold a special election on Monday, May 26, to choose commissioners who will revise the city charter.

C. H. Maclaurin and Ed. Cardin were in Escanaba Wednesday afternoon in the interests of the band concert.

Debate in council: Mayor Perry — Alderman Holm — "112 211121 226442"

James Grills left Sunday evening for the Canadian Northwest, where he will seek a suitable location.

Ole Peterson is putting a concrete foundation and basement under the residence of John J. Farrell.

Mrs. Worship Wilson left this week for Sparta, Wis., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Prudence Daley.

Mrs. J. A. Stewart is expected from Hot Springs, Ark., much improved in health, next Tuesday.

Oscar Anderson and Philip Gagner went to Minneapolis Tuesday evening, returning Thursday.

William Knight is putting a basement under his house next to the kindergarten building.

Clifford Nebel came down from Marquette Saturday to ship his auto back to that city.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Conover of Rapid River visited friends in the city Wednesday.

John Fontanna is making repairs on John Nelson's residence on Minnesota avenue.

E. A. Sogerstein transacted business at Rapid River and Whitefish Thursday.

Emil Curtis seems to have played Jeff, but who was Matt? Ask M. J. Gleason.

John Marshall, who has been laid up all week with a hard cold, is improving. New Millinery, just received.

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Napoleon Boudah was down from Rapid River on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott returned to Marquette on Monday night.

A son was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Matt Wilzius.

William Timmer and Miss Ida Carlsson, both of Metropolitan, were married at the Swedish Lutheran church by Rev. K. M. Holmberg Thursday afternoon. The bridal couple have been friends of Mr. Holmberg for years and came here on purpose for the wedding, accompanied by four friends as witnesses. They made the trip from and to Escanaba by automobile.

Charles S. Slining went up to Marquette Monday, returning Thursday with a satisfied expression. The market for Palmer-Singers and Littles has been good, and so with the supply business. He intends to devote more attention to the motor boats as soon as the weather becomes more summery.

James T. Jones left Thursday morning on an extended selling trip of the east, from which he will not return until the first week of July. He first reached the Soo, and will spend a week in Canada, thence through the Adirondacks, New York, and so on until his return, by the way of Lowell, Mich.

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