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## Special Sales For February

Geo. Wyman & Co. offer bargains for February that are unapproachable

### DOMESTICS

We offer cotton crash at 2c and 3c yard. Linen crash 5c and up. Huckabuck toweling at 10c yard, worth more. 9-4 unbleached sheeting 12½c yard. Table oil cloth 12½c. Standard prints 3c, 4c and 5c. One line, 10c quality, cardinal percales 5c yard.

### DRESS GOODS

We offer hundreds of remnants of wool dress goods, French flannel and satin stripe challies, one to six yards, at about half price. We offer one table fancy silks worth to \$1.50 at 75c yard.

Our special sale of wash dress goods will continue during February. We are now showing complete new lines of wool dress goods and cloths for spring. Also new lines of plain and fancy silks and white goods.

### CORSETS

We offer 100 doz. ladies' dollar corsets, several styles, 50c. In this dept. we offer Pear's soap 10c, Cuticura soap 10c, Dr. Graves' tooth powder 10c.

### CLOAK DEPARTMENT

We offer ladies' silk waists at \$2.50. Flannel waists 75c, worth \$1.50. Flannelette wrappers, sizes 32 to 44, 39c, worth 75c.

We offer a new line of children's white aprons at 25c to \$2. Children's flannelette and wool dresses 39c and up, ages 2 to 14 years. Ladies' black saten petticoats 25c worth 50c. Black and colored mercerized petticoats 50c worth \$1.00.

### LACES and EMBROIDERIES

We offer one lot Val Laces at 1c yard; other lots at 20c, 25c and 30c doz. yards. Very much under price.

We offer a large lot of Hamburg embroideries insertion at 2c yard and up. We offer new lines of Swiss and Nainsook embroideries and insertions. In this department we offer Swiss muslin curtain goods, printed 36 in. wide, at 10c yard, worth 15c. One lot printed Silkolines, 36 inch, 10c worth 12½c.

Our new importation of dress trimmings is now here; the finest assortment we have ever shown.

## Geo. Wyman & Co.

CLOSED EVENINGS EXCEPT SATURDAY

SOUTH BEND, IND

### PRESIDENT IS ANXIOUS

His Boy Has Double Pneumonia and He Is Awaiting the Crisis.

Groton, Mass., Feb. 10.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., the oldest son of President Roosevelt, has double pneumonia. Otherwise his condition was unchanged last night. The boy is seriously sick, but it is too early to say



THEODORE ROOSEVELT, JR., what the chances are for his recovery. This statement was made after a careful examination by Dr. Alexander Lambert, the family physician of President Roosevelt, who arrived here from New York at 6 p. m. yesterday.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt spent a long, anxious day in the infirmary, awaiting the crisis of the disease which appears to have taken such a strong hold of their son. Groton, Mass., Feb. 11.—Encouraging news came from the Groton school infirmary, where the son of President Roosevelt is ill with pneumonia, early in the day and brought a measure of relief to the anxiety which had grown steadily during the preceding twenty-four hours. Following the announcement that the disease had seized upon both lungs of the patient, the news from the sick-room had not been reassuring and when the president's family doctor, summoned from New York, had pronounced the case serious, and, later, when the voice of the lad could be heard outside of the building in which he lay, as he raved in the delirium of the disease, the gravity of the situation increased.

At 8:30 a. m., however, came word that the crisis in the left lung (the one in which it first developed) had been satisfactorily passed, and that the patient showed improvement, and every one about the institution, especially President Roosevelt and the boy's mother, became more cheerful and hopeful.

### BRIDE OF THE CABINET

Miss Helen Hay Becomes Mrs. Whitney—No End of Gifts.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Before an audience that packed the Church of the Government and comprising the highest officials and diplomats at this capital, including the president and his wife, Payne Whitney, of New York, son of William C. Whitney, and Helen, eldest daughter of John Hay, secretary of state, plighted their troth "until death do us part." The ceremony took place at high noon yesterday with all the brilliant pageantry of the marriage service. The presents were very numerous and are declared to be also very valuable, but Secretary Hay declined to have a list published.

After the marriage the bridal party was driven directly to the Hay residence, where an elaborate wedding breakfast had been spread, at which the attendance was much more select than even at the church. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney left in a private car on a short wedding tour during the afternoon.

### Elopes with a Senator's Son.

Denver, Feb. 7.—Charles D. Carey, son of Senator Carey of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Miss Maybelle Myers, daughter of J. A. Myers, a wealthy resident of this city, were married here by a justice of the peace and later the marriage ceremony was repeated by Rev. George C. Rafter of the Episcopal church at Cheyenne. The marriage was a surprise to the young woman's friends in this city, where she was a leader in society, and even her parents were not let into the secret until the bride sent a message to them from Cheyenne.

### Forty-Seven Tenants Fired Out.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—The Varsity flat building, situated at the southeast corner of Sixtieth street and Ellis avenue, was completely destroyed by fire last evening, entailing an aggregate loss upon the owner of the structure and the tenants of \$180,000. Forty-seven tenants were driven out, but no one was hurt. Loss is covered by insurance.

### Michigan Vital Statistics.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 8.—Dr. C. L. Wilbur, chief of the vital statistics division of the secretary of state's office, reports that the number of deaths in the state during 1901 were 23,848, as against 23,320 for the year previous, and those respective numbers correspond to death rates of 14 and 13.9 per thousand population. Deaths of infants under one year during 1901 numbered 6,085, or 18.7 per cent of all deaths exclusive of still births. The infant death rate decreased 2.2 per cent.

### Negotiating for a Phone Plant.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 8.—A meeting was held yesterday in the mayor's office, at which the proposed sale of the partly constructed People's Telephone Company, of this city, one of the Everett-Moore properties, to the recently organized Co-Operative Telephone company, was discussed. H. A. Everett, of the Everett-Moore syndicate; Calvery Morris, of the Cleveland bankers' committee, and President Arthur Pack, of the People's Telephone Company, were present.

## ELLSWORTHS

ADVANCE SHOWING OF  
New Dress Goods, Laces, White Goods, Wash Goods, Carpets and Curtains.

### For Women Who Like To Dress In Black

There's an unobtrusive elegance about black that many women like. Then a black dress is suitable for so many occasions—looks well and is never out of style.

We bought generously for those who prefer all black, we show a more elaborate assortment than before.

We have the choicest things Arnold Constable & Co. are offering the New Yorkers this spring and a complete line of the celebrated Priestly & Co's. black goods. Look these splendid lines over, you will find the finest black goods made in the world and the prices are more than reasonable—from 25c to 75c per yard less than they ask you in the large cities. Call, examine and make comparisons.

Priestly Etamines are becoming very popular and they are the most beautiful and serviceable tissues woven, cool for the warm weather and very dressy—50c to \$2.00 per yard.

### Priestly's Black Dress Goods—

All wool lace Grenadine, All wool Queen Cloth  
All wool Prunella Cloth, All wool Lizard Cloth  
All wool Etamine, All wool granite mohair  
ilk and wool Carita, Silk wharp Mohair

Priestly's celebrated Cravettes in light, medium and dark gray, guaranteed water proof, sponged shrunk ready for use.

New line of waist cloths—All the popular shades and weaves—big assortment of patterns, 60c and 75c per yard.

### New White Dress Goods Dept.

A bright, new department has been started at Ellsworth's. Just inside the door to your right you will find a corner of the store which will now be used for a White Dress Goods Department.

This new department starts out with fresh, new lines of white dress goods, pleasant people to wait upon you, all the prices marked so correctly low that you can easily afford to buy what you need.

Now is the time to buy your new white wash dresses. We have the prettiest ones and you will want to get yours here. Low prices are a feature of this department.

40-inch wide, plain white lawn is sold here for 10 cents a yard. 15 cents a yard is the lowest price this quality will be sold for in any other store. We only ask you to examine the quality.

Another offering is a lot of remnants, all for sale at 8 cents per yard. The pieces are from 1½ yards to 5 yards in length and are truly worth from 15 to 20 cents a yard in the regular way. Eight cents a yard while this job lot lasts.

32-in. Scotch Madras Cloths from 12½ to 25c yd.  
32-in. Scotch cambrics, in handsome patterns 25c yd  
32-in. English yatching cloths, plain and fancy weaves, 60c yd.

Fancy Leno and mercerized waist cloths 25c.  
Mercerized Cord, beautiful and new, 35c.  
Cotton Dimities, in checks and stripes, from 5c per yard to 75c.

French and English Nainsook from 12½c to 45c.  
English Mercerized Oxfords, Linen Dimities in stripes, beautiful Organdies, White Piques in foreign and domestic weaves, cords and fancies.

An immense assortment of fancy white goods, prices ranging from 5c a yard to 50c a yard.

Our Queen Long Cloths are the best made. Our prices are low for a 12 yard piece 95 cents.

### Specials In Wash Dress Goods Department

300 pieces French dimites, only two dress patterns of each style, 25c.

Pure linen canvas cloths and Etamines, newest fabrics for skirts and suits, 45,75c per yard.

### Fantaise silk tissues, in all the new styles and colorings for shirt waists, 50c. Carpets and Lace Curtains For Everybody

This department is filled with good things, if you are in need of carpets, linoleums, rugs, matings or fiber carpet, don't fail to see the great values we are giving in these lines.

We can do any kind of a carpet job. We put up all kinds of window shades.

Big assortments to choose from, the best values are to be found here. You can buy a good carpet for most any price you may want to pay.

LACE CURTAINS—This department is one of the busiest in the store. The large assortment, the great values, please every keen shopper.

### Domestics and Linens

Three great values in white bed spreads—  
No. 155, large size hemmed crochet quilt 75c  
No. 20-25, large size hemmed crochet quilt 95c  
No. 50, large size fringed crochet quilt, \$1.75  
Pillow cases and sheets, ready to use, at very low prices.

Extra large and heavy, full bleached Turkish towel, hemmed ready for use, 15c.

20-in. heavy union napkins, worth \$1.25 for 85c  
36-in. heavy percales—the best made, 12½c

Great reductions on all remnants of table linens, crashes, soiled and mused napkins, pattern cloths. Be sure to look these over.

### Wonderful Laces

Something unusually good in laces at Ellsworth's this week. We were delighted with the beauty of the new patterns when we first unpacked them. The lace industry abroad has gone through a revolution. You can scarcely detect these skillfully woven laces from those made by hand. They are so beautiful and, like everything else in this store, so reasonable priced, why anybody can afford to buy these sets, edges, insertions, fine and coarse fibers with all the variations between—all widths. Prices range per yard—

1c to 5c for most beautiful Torchons  
5c to 50c for hand made Point de Paris laces  
Galloons and insertions to match  
Lace galloons, in white and cream, from 25c to \$2.50 per yard

Medallion trimmings, that are smart and beautiful, in white, cream and black, prices 25c to \$3.50 per yard.

Colored embroideries and medallion hand embroideries  
Batiste flouncing with galloons to match  
Chiffon applique, in black and white  
Filet all over insertions and edges to match  
Irish crochet and all over galloons, with medallion insertions

Big assortment of all new trimming laces

### Embroideries

Nainsook and Swiss embroideries, all widths, insertion and beadings to match

Irish point flouncings, with insertion to match, wide nainsook embroideries, the kind used for corset covers

Dress Trimmings and fancy buttons are new and big assortment

### Remnant Sale of Dress Lining

This lot includes short lengths of the very finest grades of mercerized skirtings, moreens, silkettes, silesias and waist linings, lengths 3 to 15 yds. in each piece, worth from 15c to 50c per yard; in two lots 5c and 10c per yard

## RED RUIN AND HAVOC

Sweep Through Two Large Areas of Paterson, N. J., and Cost Ten Millions.

### BUSINESS PART FIRST ATTACKED

Public Buildings, Churches and Stores Burned by the Score.

### ONE THOUSAND ARE HOMELESS

St. Louis Hotel Burns and Ten Corpses Have Been Recovered—Costly Blaze at Jersey City—Fires Elsewhere.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 10.—A great fire swept through Paterson yesterday, and in its desolate wake are the embers and ashes of property valued by a preliminary estimate of \$10,000,000. It burned its way through the business section of the city and claimed as its own a majority of the finer structural and religious uses, as well as scores of homes. Hundreds were left homeless and thousands without employment. A relief movement for the care of those unsheltered and unprovided for has already been organized, and Mayor John Honchcliffe said yesterday that Paterson would be able to care for her own without appealing to the charity of other communities. The great manufacturing plants of the place are safe, and the community, temporarily dazed by the calamity, has already commenced the work of reorganization and restoration. There were few casualties.

### Northerly Gale Favored the Blaze.

The fire came Saturday at midnight, and was only checked after a desperate fight that lasted until late yesterday afternoon. Every city and town within reach of Paterson sent firemen and apparatus to the relief of the threatened city, and it took the united efforts of them all to win the battle. A northerly gale gave the conflagration its impetus, and carried its burning brands to kindle the blaze afresh at other points. The firemen, made stand after stand before the wall of fire, but were repeatedly driven back, and when victory finally came to them they were pretty well exhausted.

### Some of the Buildings Destroyed.

Among the buildings destroyed are the following: City hall, public library, old city hall, police station, No. 1 engine house, patrol stables, high school, school No. 16.

Churches—First Baptist, Second Presbyterian, Park Avenue Baptist, St. Mark's Episcopal, St. Joseph's Roman Catholic.

Banks—First National, Second National (partly), Paterson National, Silk City trust, Hamilton trust, Paterson trust.

Club Houses—Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, St. Joseph's hall, Hamilton club.

Office Buildings—Romaine, Katz, Marshall & Ball's, Cohn, Old Town Clock, Old Kinne, Stevenson.

Telegraph Companies—Western Union, Postal Telegraph, Theater—The Garden. Newspapers—The Evening News, Sunday Chronicle. To these must be added dozens of stores, there having been twenty-five important firms burned out.

An estimate made from a general inspection of the smoldering ruins placed the number of dwellings and apartment houses destroyed at 500, and the number of families left without shelter at 1,000.

### LIVES BURNED OUT AT ST. LOUIS

Eleven Persons Meet a Horrible Fate in a Hotel Fire

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 10.—An early morning fire which destroyed the Empire hotel, a large three-story lodging-house, at 2700 and 2702 Olive street, occupied by men exclusively, yesterday caused the death of eleven persons—ten men and one woman—and dangerously injured eight others. Ten or more who had narrow escapes from death in the fire were more or less injured by being frost bitten. It is estimated that there were between thirty-five and forty persons in the building, and it is believed all have been accounted for. The financial loss is nominal. It is thought that \$20,000 will cover the damage to building and contents, which were totally destroyed.

The dead are: Morris Yall, formerly of Chicago; Tobe Davis, man about town; John C. Lueders, father of Deputy City Marshal Lueders, killed by jumping; George Thompson, switchman; Sarah Harris, colored chambermaid; B. F. Woodley; J. A. McMullen, carpenter; S. T. Corey, telegraph operator; Vance Marlin, hoisting engineer, Indianapolis, Ind.; A. J. Allen, Sedalia, Mo., stonemason; C. F. Cantant, carpenter, died at city hospital.

### FOURTEEN PERSONS INJURED

Falling Debris at a Brooklyn Blaze Hits Them—Loss, \$300,000.

New York, Feb. 10.—An official estimate of the damage done by the fire which destroyed the plant of the Shadbolt Manufacturing company in Brooklyn yesterday morning fixes the loss at \$300,000. Fourteen persons were injured and taken to the hospitals and a number of others were attended by ambulance physicians on the spot. The list of more seriously injured follows.

Patrick Nevins, superintendent of the repair shop of the Brooklyn branch of the fire department; Edward Tresner, William Moran, George Conran (fireman of engine No. 110), Captain Oswald (aid to Fire Chief Croker), Joseph Kelly, Louis Jerosky, Roundman Henry J. R. Taber, Peter F. Martin, Edward Hobby, William Moore, John Reilly, Joseph Kelly and Stephen Delap. Loss, \$300,000.

### WHITELY SHOPS ARE BURNED

Half a Million Dollar Fire at Springfield, O.—Caused by an Explosion.

Springfield, O., Feb. 11.—The Whiteley shops, which were destroyed by fire yesterday, were built in 1882 by William Whiteley for the manufacture of

harvesting machinery, at a cost of \$750,000, and at that time the shops were the largest under one roof in the world, and it had only one rival in later years—the Krupp gun works, in Germany.

The equipment of the shops cost about \$2,000,000, but after the failure of Whiteley a few years later the shops were left idle for nearly ten years, when they were sold at a receiver's sale and Senator Fairbanks and several other capitalists bought them for a mere song, the price paid being \$200,000. The total loss by the fire yesterday is \$500,000.

The fire was caused by an explosion of chemicals, and the employees had a very brief time to get away.

### Junior Hop a Great Success.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 10.—Two hundred and ninety couples participated in the annual junior hop in Waterman gymnasium. As usual, it was the most brilliant social function of the college year, and young lady guests from as far west as California, from as far south as Alabama and as far east as Toronto and New York came here especially for the occasion. Four thousand yards of yellow and blue bunting were used to make a canopy to hide the unsightly iron roof trusses in the gymnasium.

## JOHN CHESS ELLSWORTH.

113-115 N. MICHIGAN ST.

STORE OPEN THURS. AND SAT. EVE.

### Went on the Financial Books.

Albion, Mich., Feb. 7.—The Fashion Theater company, made up at Ann Arbor and which has been filling a week's engagement here, went on the financial rocks here. They got off by a local citizen advancing money to pay their board bill, and the local opera house manager went along with them to Tecumseh, their next stand, to collect the money.

### Farrington Convicted of Manslaughter.

Adrian, Mich., Feb. 7.—The jury which has been trying Bert Farrington on the charge of having murdered Jesse Hooker, whom Farrington found in a room with Mrs. Farrington about a month ago, rendered a verdict last night against Farrington of manslaughter. The case will go to the supreme court.

### Rounding-Up of an Alleged Gang.

Ithaca, Mich., Feb. 7.—Clinton Nelson, alleged fence for the gang charged with wholesale robbery in this and neighboring counties, has been admitted to bail. Jim Hazard's examination has begun. Martin Hakes, William Marble and Homer Hazard, the remaining members of the gang, have waived examination, and are bound over to the term of court which commenced Monday.

### Not an Unknown Man Any More.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 7.—An unknown man who committed suicide at the Ackley hotel a week ago Sunday, has been identified as Charles Appleton, of Petoskey. He has a widow and daughter at Lake City, and the body will be shipped there.

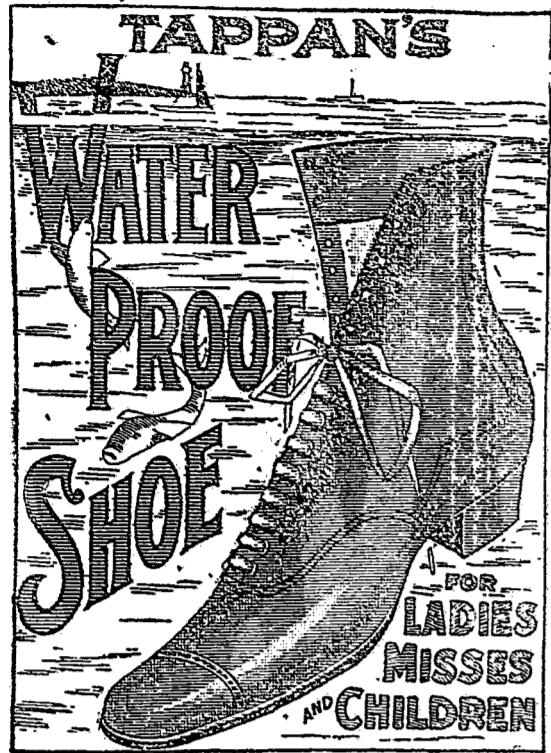
### The Key Fad.

"The latest fad in souvenirs comes pretty hard on the hotels," said the proprietor of a Broadway hostelry. "The proper thing now among the girls is to appropriate the key of their room in each hotel visited. Traveling across the country in the summer brings the summer girl to a number of different places and Christmas shopping to the cities. A room key, abstracted from each hotel she visits makes quite a good-sized collection at the end of the campaign. Hung from the wall, each with its own particular romance, they make a picturesque feature of milady's boudoir. But it's hard on the hotels," he added as he sent for the locksmith.—New York Times.

# HOLIDAY FOOTWEAR

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## ACCEPTABLE PRESENTS



We have a Fine Line of all the Latest Styles

Also

## NULILFIERS JULIETS AND SLIPPERS

Any of which will make the nicest kind of a present.

We present any baby born 1901 with its first pair of shoes.

## CARMER & CARMER

This shoe is made from genuine WATER-PROOF KID and is designed to meet the wants of all who desire a STYLISH, ATTRACTIVE OUT-DOOR SHOE.

We sell them at popular prices and guarantee them to be the MOST DURABLE Shoe on the market at any price.

## OUR RELIGIOUS CORNER

CONDUCTED BY THE PASTORS' ASSOCIATION

### "Do You Believe it?"

Professor Park, of Andover, when cautioning his young students against self confidence, told how, when he in early life had gone through college and a theological seminary, and supposed that he knew almost everything pertaining to life and godliness, went to a certain place where he preached a sermon. On coming down from the pulpit he met an old woman in the aisle, who, lifting her finger before him said,

"Young man, do you believe what you preached today?"

"Yes, I do."

"Well, I do not because it is not in the Bible."

"And," said Professor Park, "I do not blame the old sister, for I do not believe it now myself."

The man who preaches the Word will not be obliged to take it all back in later years. He who holds fast "the form of sound words," "saying none other things" than the prophets, the apostles and the Saviour have declared would come to pass; will not have to spend the last half of his ministry in apologizing for the last half, or in building again the things which he has destroyed, and thus making himself a transgressor.

### Weak-minded Women

In all normal populations the sexes are about equal. But in Christian countries more than two-thirds of the membership of the various branches of the church are women; but of the sixty thousand convicts in the penitentiaries of the United States fifty-five thousand are men. The congregations who attend the various churches are by a large majority composed of females; but the congregations who attend the saloons, the billiard tables and gambling halls are by an overwhelming majority males. The people who pray and remember their Creator are for the most part women; but the vast majority of those who profanely swear and take God's name in vain are males. Has church attendance and non attendance anything to do with these widely different results? These facts are vastly significant and eminently worthy of serious consideration.

### Give, or Stop Praying

The colored woman who with eyes closed was singing,

"Fly abroad, thou mighty Gospel," was nudged by the collector with his contribution box, while he said, "No use in singing 'Fly abroad,' 'dout mighty Gospel,' widout you give somethig to make um fly."

The little son of the man who had prayed one morning at the family altar that the Lord would supply the wants of the destitute and needy, said, when prayer was finished,

"Father, if I had your grain-bin I would answer that prayer myself."

It is worse than useless, it is impudent to ask God to do what he has been asking and commanding us to do ourselves. Suppose your child should undertake to work on that plan, and when you give him his tools, his work, and his orders, should then kneel down and beg you to do what he was able to do, and what you had just told him that he must do for you. Such a request to a father would be an insult; what then must it be when made in the presence of the great God?

### A Three-Story House

Every man, says Dr. Joseph Strong, lives in a three-story house. The lower story is part under ground. There he eats and drinks. This is his physical nature. Many men never leave this basement. There they live, there they die, never entering the stories that lie above. The second rises above the first. From its windows the outlook is wider, the light in it is more abundant, and the air purer. This is man's intellectual department. Some go up into the second story often, and, though they do not abandon the basement, they use it mostly for eating. Then there is the third story. This is the highest. Here the air, the sunlight, the outlook are at their best. This is the spiritual realm. Few rise into it. Into too many cases dust and cobwebs are the sole occupants of what should be the choicest part of the house. The wise man, while he does not abandon the basement or the second story, loves the third best of all, and there spends much of his time.

"And the God of peace himself sanctify you wholly; and may your spirit, and soul, and body, be preserved entire at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. Faithful is He that calleth you who will also do it." I Thess. 5:23.

### Poor Mrs. Eddy

Mr. Peabody, an attorney of high standing at the Boston bar has just published a book in which "the character of the woman who dominates Christian Science, the hypocrisy connected with its origin, the scheming wiles by which money has been coined, the description concerning the use to which it has been devoted, and the fraud connected with its healings are all laid open, and letters, documents, dates, names and places are given with unstinted freedom." Watchman and Truth.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young, terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

A few years ago it was said that 40,000,000 advertising calendars had been given away in a single year, at a cost of \$1,000,000. This year, it is stated, most of the leading establishments will not distribute calendars, preferring to add the sum they would cost to their newspaper advertising appropriations. Nearly all schemes of publicity are worth something, but it is undeniable that the very best is newspaper advertising.—Philadelphia Record.

### PARIS GREEN AND LADY BUGS.

Decision of a Kentucky Judge in a Curious Case.

Judge Sterling B. Toney of the circuit court of Jefferson county, Kentucky, recently rendered an opinion in a curious case. A man was employed last July to sprinkle paris green on potato vines to kill lady bugs, and on account of the heat he opened his shirt with the result that he was poisoned by the paris green. He sued his employer, who entered a demurrer to the petition, and the learned judge sustained the demurrer for the following reasons. The plaintiff had no right in foro conscientiae or in foro externo, to make an indecent exposure of his person while killing lady bugs; the plaintiff exceeded the scope of his employment in sprinkling paris green elsewhere than on the potato vines, and his special and exclusive agency was to kill lady bugs basking in the shade of said potato vines; the plaintiff's act in allowing the defendant's paris green to come in contact with his flesh, instead of with the flesh of the lady bugs, was unauthorized and ultra vires; the mental and physical suffering of which the plaintiff complains was the result of his own wrong in misapplying the defendant's paris green to purposes other than those for which he was employed to apply it, and, besides, in damnus absque injuria; the plaintiff, in opening his clothes and exposing himself to the lady bugs and the paris green, was guilty of contributory negligence; the plaintiff knew as well as the defendant that paris green was poisonous, and if he did not know that paris green was poisonous, then this suit should not have been brought in his name, but by a committee appointed to represent him.

### ONE OYSTER FEEDS 75 MEN.

Remarkable Catch Recently Made in the Niagara River.

A most remarkable oyster has been taken from Niagara river by two Buffalo fishermen. The shell alone, without the meat, weighs 212 pounds, and is 2 feet 8 inches across and 19 inches broad. It contained fifty genuine pearls. That it may be proved that this wonderful tale is no "fish story" the oyster was placed on exhibition for a week at a Buffalo saloon, where the public was bidden to come and see it. The meat was cooked and made into a stew, which filled to the brim two eight-quart pails. Seventy-five men partook of the repast it furnished.

The fishermen made the find when their net caught on a snag of some sort and was held fast. As the water was shallow, not more than waist deep, one of them jumped from the boat to investigate and found the net attached to what seemed a big rock.

It was covered with a white substance resembling lime, and its peculiar appearance induced the fishermen to take it ashore with them. There, when it was washed off, they discovered, to their amazement, that they had a mammoth oyster.—Philadelphia North American.

"Lose Majestic."

Secretary Long is one of the most democratic citizens on earth. Every time he gets a chance he goes back to his old home in Massachusetts, where he is regarded as one of themselves by the simple inhabitants. One day, on one of these vacations, Mr. Long took his laundry under his arm and carried it around to the local laundry. A day or two later, feeling the need of a clean collar and shirt, he trotted around to the laundry to find out if it was ready. Entering the little shop he made his inquiry of the man in charge.

"Is my laundry ready?"

"I'll see," replied the man. Then, turning toward the back room, where his wife was, he shouted:

"Hey, Mary! Is Johnny's laundry done yet?"

No one would ever be bothered with constipation if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels.

Cures croup, sore throat, pulmonary troubles—Monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

### WHAT THIS MAN SAYS

Only Re-echoes the Sentiment of Thousands in Our Republic:

The Buchanan reader is asked to thoroughly investigate the following: This can readily be done as the gentleman whose statement is published below will only be too pleased to give minutest particulars to anyone enquiring, not out of idle curiosity, but if the enquirer really suffers from any of the consequences which always attend weakened or inactive kidneys. Read carefully what Mr. W. F. Summerville, proprietor of one of the largest butcher shops in Benton Harbor, residence at 112 Clay St., has to say: "I am very glad Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my notice and I will always do all I can for them because I know their value from personal experience. I was annoyed with a dull pain in the small of my back at times quite severe and it had bothered me for several months. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills recommended for such troubles and procured a box at once from Harry L. Bird's drug store. They relieved me right away and I soon felt as well as ever. I highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others troubled as I was."

Just such emphatic endorsement is plentiful in Buchanan. Call at W. N. Brodick's drug store and ask him what his customers report.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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**The Man in Corduroy.**

BY E. J. APPLETON. (Copyright, 1902, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) She sat on the top rail of the rambling old fence and looked critically at the landscape before her. Her hat was tipped from her white forehead, releasing a dozen tendril-like yellow curls, slightly dampened by her walk in the summer sun. Her short skirt was a trifle higher than her governess—the only mother she had ever known—would have sanctioned, revealing a round and pretty ankle dressed in dainty black silk hose; and under one arm she carried a box of paints and brushes. In her lap a light camp stool rested.

"It is pretty," she said, after a time, "and it is absurd for me to attempt to paint it; but what can one do? We must begin ambitious work sometime, or we will never be classed among the immortals of art. 'Hitch your wagon to a star,' or—Oh! oh!"

The quotation was cut short by an ominous cracking of decayed rails and the next moment the pretty girl with the yellow curls and the high ambition had sat down very hard and very suddenly in a patch of clover on the other side of the fence.

"—you cannot hope to become famous," she added calmly enough, though tears came to the blue eyes as she spoke. Then, before she could recover herself and her equilibrium a calm voice back of her asked, "May I help you up?"

Dorothy Mann turned quickly. A bearded man, with a much worn suit of corduroy, and carrying a heavy rake, was holding out a helping hand to her. "No, thank you," she answered, getting to her feet with all the dignity at her command, while her cheeks grew becomingly red. "I—I—The fence is not very strong."

"No," said he gravely, "it isn't. I hope to get around to it this week, however, and will repair it as well as I can."

Dorothy took the camp stool he was offering her and looked at the man as if she had expected the interruption to her noble resolve.

"I suppose you are one of Mr. Van Dyke's workmen?" she said. His sang-froid, with the evident commonness of attire seemed strangely incongruous to her.

"I am—Yes, Miss," he said, touching his hat respectfully. The motion was not awkward, and the hat seemed inclined to come all the way off in place of being merely disturbed momentarily by his hand. A throb of artistic fervor made itself felt in the little artist's breast. The newcomer was good looking, and she made a quick resolve.

"Are you busy now?" she asked, in her most business-like tone. "If you are not, I would like to have you pose for me to paint you. Half an hour will be long enough. You can do it easily, I am sure, and it would be half a dollar extra for you, without work. Of course Mr. Van Dyke would lose your time while I have it, but he is a rich man, I understand, and he would not know anything about it."

A brief smile flitted over the laborer's tired face, and Dorothy wondered quickly if she had been guilty of any high crime in suggesting the matter to him. Then the man spoke. "Thank you, miss," he said. "I'll be glad to pose for you. Mr. Van Dyke isn't any friend of mine, even if I do work for him, and he wouldn't dare say anything if he found it out. Where'll I stand?"

"Right there by the fence," said Dorothy, breathing easier now that she saw the man was inclined to be respectful and glad of the opportunity she found for a "figure" study. "I'll be ready in a moment. Just lean against the fence and turn your head the other way. Yes, hold the rake the way you have it now. Don't look at me, but just think of what you have to do on the place to-morrow. There!"

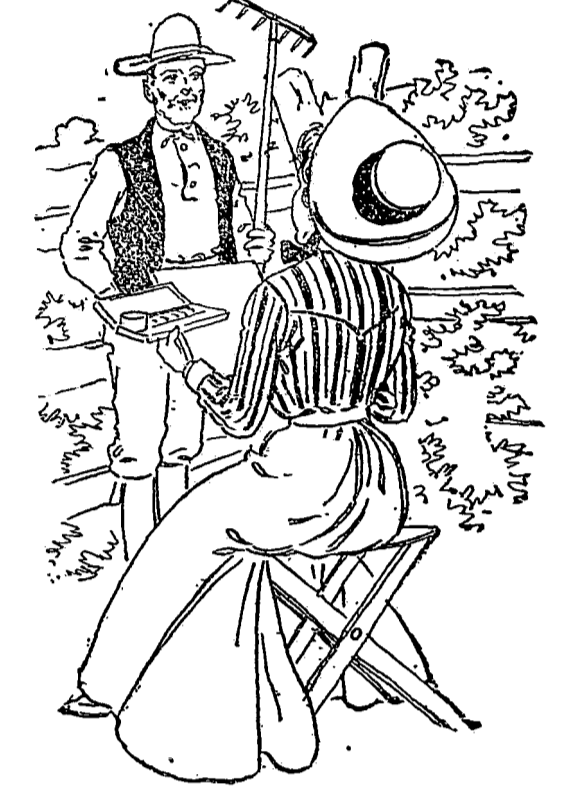
"It is pretty," she said, and her small fingers began to fly over the block of water color paper as she sketched in, with a hard pencil, the rough outline of the well knit figure before her. "If I can only get him as he really is," she said to herself. "It will be a second 'Sower.'" Once or twice a fleeting smile curved the corners of her pretty mouth as she thought of what Lida McCane, her best friend, would say when she told her how she had stopped one of Mr. Van Dyke's workmen in his labors and made him pose for her; but Dorothy was on her vacation and she enjoyed doing things in the country that she could not do in the city.

Then, too, although she had never met Mr. Van Dyke, he was the one person in the world whom she believed she hated. Had he not seen one of her pictures at the Spring Exhibit and said, in the hearing of Lida

herself, that he had a notion to find the girl who had painted it, and fall in love with her? And, adding insult to injury, he had expressed himself as believing that he would marry her, too! His impudence had made Dorothy stamp one small foot with anger and resolve to make him sorry for what he had said, some day.

"I'll paint him carefully and exhibit the picture next spring," she thought, "background of meadow, and all. Then the self-satisfied Mr. Van Dyke will see that I prefer to use men—even his own workmen—as subjects for art, not as lovers."

At the end of a silent half hour—for Dorothy was eminently business-like when she chose to be—she said, "That will do. I hope you are not tired. And here is the money." As she handed it to him, the laborer turned his head quickly away for a moment, and she thought he was going to burst into tears, his shoulders shook so. But she did not say anything more, although she resolved to have him pose again for her. "I have no doubt that little money came as a God-send to him and his little family," she wrote that night. "He told me himself, just before he went to work again, that Mr. Van Dyke was the



"Just lean against the fence."

worst enemy he had. Strange, isn't it, how men of wealth do oppress those under them?"

But though several sittings followed this, and Dorothy, in the goodness of her sympathetic little heart, endeavored to secure the poor fellow's confidence with a view to helping him further, he always avoided telling her much about himself.

When Lida McCane ran down to spend a week with Dorothy, who was stopping with an aunt in the tiny country town, she found Dorothy's interest in her model still on the increase. "He is a really lovely model, Lida," she said, "and wears such picturesque corduroys. He doesn't talk much, but he looks at me in such a strange way at times that I wonder if he isn't going to tell me the story of his life! I hope not, for I don't like such elaborate narratives. Yesterday he did say that Mr. Van Dyke is not as bad as some people think, though he often says things that he does not mean. I want you to come with me tomorrow and tell me what you think of him—the model. He certainly has not always been a laborer, for he shows evidences of genteel blood and good breeding every day."

"What a paragon you have found," laughed Lida as she kissed Dorothy again. "I really think I will have to warn Mr. Van Dyke that you are thinking of kidnapping his star laborer, or, at least, trying to make him dissatisfied with his work."

"Oh, but I am not," said Dorothy. "And, besides, he seems to work only when he pleases. Did I tell you that he has asked me for a picture of himself—to give to his wife for Christmas, I suppose. He hinted as much."

The following day Lida accompanied Dorothy to the meadow which adjoined that of the Van Dykes, and not long after they had settled themselves the model appeared. As he took off his cap to acknowledge the presence of the newcomer and the introduction, Miss McCane bit her lip sharply. Then she discovered she had left her best brushes at the house and insisted on going after them herself. She did not return.

After lunch Lida put one arm about Dorothy as they walked through the little orchard. "I wish you would let me ask Mr. Van Dyke to call, Dolly, dear," she said. "He is really very nice, and as his laborer says he does not mean to say unpleasant things. You know I used to know him quite well. May I not?"

"Perhaps, some day," answered Dorothy, "but you must never tell him about my model. I want him to discover that next spring."

Lida smiled slightly. Then she stopped and, turning Dorothy about till she faced her, she said: "I think he knows about that now, Dolly. He's pretty clever even if he does do eccentric things—like wearing old clothes and working about his estate, just for the love of manual labor."

Dorothy gave a little gasp. "What do you mean?" she cried, turning red and white by turns, while her blue eyes grew big with frightened surprise.

"Nothing, except that for the past month or so you have been industriously painting pictures of a gentle rustic named Robert Van Dyke," said Lida, laughing softly at her friend's expression. "Poor little painter! Isn't it awful?"

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The most treasured valuable in a large collection belonging to Robert Van Dyke, Esq., to-day is a water-color portrait of himself in corduroy—painted by his wife.

**OUR WIT AND HUMOR**

**TWO COLUMNS OF THE LATEST JOKES OF THE DAY.**

**English Servant Girl Who Supposed She Was Following the Fashion of the House—A Wise Tramp—Convivial Gentleman's Experience.**

A servant girl happened to be engaged at a farm house in England, where the mistress was known to have a hasty temper.

On the first Saturday night the girl was at the farm house she was told by the mistress to clean the boots ready for Sunday.

The mistress on coming into the kitchen later on, saw that the girl had cleaned her own boots first, so she took them up and threw them into a tub of water that was standing by and bounced out of the kitchen.

The girl said nothing, but when she had cleaned the other boots she threw them also into the water.

"Whatever possessed you to do that, girl?" asked the mistress, on coming again in the kitchen.

The girl simply replied: "Well, ma'am, please, ma'am, I thought it was the fashion of the house, ma'am."

**A Case in Point.**

Mrs. Manning—"John, I believe you are the biggest liar in the world. The fact is you don't care a fig for me, or you wouldn't try to deceive me all the time. There was a time when you said I was the best and sweetest woman on earth."

Mr. Manning—"And you believed it. Then why can't you believe the little fibs I tell you now?"

**Surely Not.**

Mrs. Upchurch—"Maud, I wish you wouldn't have so much to do with that young Higginside. I am told he is a confirmed agnostic.

Miss Maud—"Why, mamma; the agnostics don't confirm people, do they?"

**A Pleasant Surprise.**

"We had a surprise party at our house last night, Mrs. White."

"Did you, really, Mrs. Black?"

"Yes. My husband gave me \$5 without my asking for it."

**A Stander.**

"I understand," said the customer, "that you keep photografts of all the prominent men."

"Yes, sir, we do," replied the dealer.

"Well, my name's Hon. Jabez Perkins, mayor of Pettyville, Illinois. Lemme have one o' mine."

**Borrowed Pleasantries.**

"Oh, George, what do you think happened today?" "Did you find a \$20 gold piece?" "Better than that. Our new cook has sent for her trunk."—Detroit Free Press.

**Mrs. Smyth—See, Nora, what a beautiful French clock my husband gave me for Christmas! Nora—Sure, ma'am, I didn't know yez could spake Frinch.—Philadelphia Telegram.**

**His Thought So.**

Snow—I suppose you tell your wife everything you do?

Hale—Not exactly. But she thinks I do, and that, you know, amounts to the same thing—so far as she is concerned.

**Why They Parted.**

Jack Winston—I hear you have discharged your man, Cholly.

Cholly Chumpleigh—Yes. Had to, don'tcher know. Somebody mistook the beggar faw me, y'know, and it made him—aw—pwesume and take liberties. Good enough man in othaw respects.

Jack Winston—Too bad. But who was it that mistook him for you?

Cholly Chumpleigh—My fiancée.

**Driven to It at Last.**

A lady and her daughter were going along a country road when they met a tramp, who asked for alms, and when refused walked away, exclaiming: "Ah, I must do it at last."

"Oh, mamma, did you hear what that poor man said?"

"No."

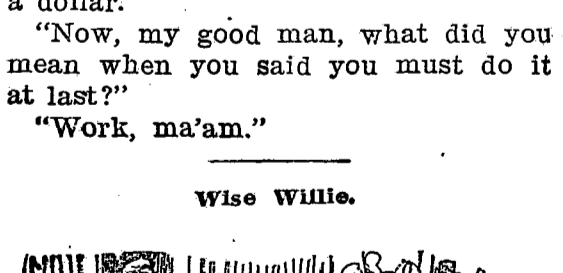
"He said he must do it last. I suppose he is going to do what all poor, hungry wretches do—commit suicide."

The lady hearing this, exclaimed: "Call him back, I must save him from such an awful deed," and, taking out her purse, handed the tramp half a dollar.

"Now, my good man, what did you mean when you said you must do it at last?"

"Work, ma'am."

**Wise Willie.**



Caller—Your sister expects me to stay to supper, doesn't she, Willie?

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The number of candidates for the unexpired term of the late County Treasurer John F. Gard, are numerous, and many names are mentioned among them being Roy Clarke of Pipestone, Supervisor H. D. Pool of Benton Harbor, Arvine S. Miller of Coloma, Ed Lock of Chikaming, Wm. McCracken of Oronoko, Frank F. Rough of Bertrand, and Carl J. Schultz of New Buffalo. In the multiplicity of candidates the Board of Supervisors out to be able to make a selection.

### PERSONAL.

Mr. D. H. Bower was in St. Joseph, Friday.

Mrs. B. C. Orr visited in Niles last Friday.

Mrs. V. M. Baker visited friends in Niles, Monday.

Mrs. Esther Parkinson of Battle Creek is in town.

Mr. Walter Noble of Niles was in Buchanan Tuesday.

Mr. P. A. Rogers of Lauree, Miss was in town Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Sewell of Niles visited friends in town Monday.

Attorney A. C. Roe went to St. Joseph on business Monday.

Mr. J. E. Barnes of Benton Harbor was in town last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Adams of Niles were in Buchanan, Friday.

Miss Jennie Churchill returned to Kalamazoo, on Sunday evening.

Deputy Game Warden W. A. Palmer went to South Bend Monday.

Miss Adah Rouch visited in Berrien Springs last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Geo. Yetter of Pipestone was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keller, Tuesday.

Mrs. Claude Baker of Chicago is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hathaway.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Deviney are spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Deviney.

Mr. E. A. Bartmess of Yonkers, N. Y. was in town, called by the illness of his father, Rev. J. F. Bartmess.

Mrs. H. E. Price and Mrs. Will Fowler of Niles were in town Tuesday the guests of Mrs. Marion Bolton.

Mr. Wm. G. Hathaway left on Monday to attend the Grand Lodge of Ancient Order of United Workman at Battle Creek.

Mr. Frank E. Hooker of Detroit was in town Monday.

Mr. John Shetterly of Rochester, Ind. was a Buchanan visitor last Thursday.

Mr and Mrs. W. D. House were over from South Bend for a few days this week.

Mr. D. H. Bower started Wednesday for a week's visit with relatives in New York state.

Messrs. Pierre Olker, Carl Schmidt, and Geo. Graham of Niles were in Buchanan, Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Cain left Wednesday for a visit with her brother Mr. Will Koons and family of Dowagiac.

Mr. C. C. Howard of North English, Iowa, was in town Friday calling on friends. Mrs. Howard was a former resident of Buchanan, being Miss Alice Pennell, and her husband was much interested in visiting the old familiar scenes.

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Pensions—The silver linings of war clouds.

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Many an embalmed thought has been buried in the waste basket.

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It is not so much what a man knows as what he does not tell that counts.

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Poor Jonah must have felt considerably down in the mouth after being taken in out of the wet.

The lazy man consoles himself with the shopworn adage about the race not always being to the swift.

Nothing takes the conceit out of a coquette like bumping up against a masculine heart that is unbreakable.

Time waits for no man, but man has to wait at least an hour when a woman tells him to wait just a second.—Chicago News.

### Wireless Telegraphy.

Wireless telegraphy was described two centuries ago by a learned Jesuit, affording another proof of the frequency with which fertile imagination long precedes invention. Strada, in his "Prolusiones Academicæ," published in Rome in 1617, relates a story of two friends who conversed with one another when in different countries by means of two needles made sympathetic by the touch of a certain loadstone. When one needle was moved the other moved at the same time and in the same direction, though at never so great a distance, and by the aid of a letter dial correspondence took place between the two friends in an instant when far apart. Addison, too, seemed moved by a spirit of prophecy, for when writing a paper on this subject in the Spectator, December 6, 1711, he made a suggestion, "if ever this invention should be revived or put into practice."

### County Treasurer Gard Dead

John F. Gard, treasurer of Berrien County, died at his home in St. Joseph, last Wednesday after a lingering illness of about six weeks. The deceased was one of the best known persons in the county, and has been a life long worker in the republican party. His loss will be keenly felt in political circles, and to many in the county his death comes in the nature of a personal bereavement.

He was born on the Gard homestead in St. Joseph township February 2, 1845. In his youth he was the pupil at a neighboring district school and there picked up a smattering of an education. At the time of his death he was known as one of the best mathematicians in Michigan. After he had finished his course at the district school, his mathematical instincts led him to Bryant & Stratton's business college, in Chicago, where he received the finishing touches necessary to make him an expert accountant. When he returned from college, he was given a fine position in the office of A. H. Morrison, who was then the foremost man in this section of the country and held among other offices, the position of internal revenue collector.

It was in this department of Morrison's business that young John Gard received his first actual business experience. He stayed in this office, leaving it in 1866. Mr. Morrison retired from active politics at that time and Walter G. Beckwith appointed John Gard to his old position but the United States senate failed to ratify the appointment.

Mr. Gard then farmed on the splendid homestead south of St. Joseph for about 18 months and then secured the position of bookkeeper in the commission house of Dickinson, Leach & Co. of Chicago. He remained in this position for three years. Subsequently he returned to St. Joseph and pursued his agricultural business for another three years.

He then entered the employ of the Chicago & Michigan Lake Shore railway (now the Pere Marquette) and worked in the offices in St. Joseph. His old employer, A. H. Morrison was president of the road. Gard became auditor of the road and held this position until the division headquarters of the road were transferred to Muskegon. Later Mr. Gard assumed charge of the Morrison dock. He resigned from this position in 1880 and became clerk of the steamer John A. Dix.

He then returned to his farm south of St. Joseph and devoted part of his time to the cultivation of his fruit land and part to politics.

He was a member of Pomona lodge F. & A. M., St. Joseph and of Calvin Britain chapter, R. A. M. of which he was High Priest for several terms. He was also a member of the Maccabees. Deceased leaves a wife two daughters, Mina and Mabel and one son, John J. Gard to mourn his loss.

The funeral was held from the M. E. church Sunday afternoon and it was one of the largest ever witnessed in St. Joseph. The church was packed to overflowing to pay the last tribute of respect to the departed.

The remains lay in state in the front part of the auditorium from 1 to 2:30 p. m. and was viewed by a large concourse of neighbors and friends.

The floral offerings were many and beautiful, among them being a square and compass from Pomona Lodge, keystone from Calvin Britain Chapter, star from Eastern Star, circle and tent from K. O. T. M., wreath of roses from county officials, a beautiful wreath from the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church, a fine bouquet of white lilies and other flowers from E. E. Truscott and many pieces from neighbors and friends. It was the finest general floral display ever seen in the city.

### Special Meeting of Supervisors

Chairman Seal has called a meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Wednesday, Feb. 19, at the court house, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of County Treasurer Gard. Upon petition of one-third of the members of such Board the statute gives them the right to elect a new Treasurer whenever they deem the county's interests require it.

### Auctions

Having sufficiently recovered my health, I am now prepared to conduct auctions and guarantee perfect satisfaction.

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### IS THREE CORNERED

Such is the Fight Over \$4000 Insurance Upon the Life of the Late Dr. G. L. Bailey, Buchanan.

Two orders were entered today by Judge Coolidge in cases that promise spirited contests.

Dr. George L. Bailey died at Buchanan December 12, 1900.

He had lived in Buchanan since 1887, and is said to have had the most extensive practice in that vicinity. He lived with his wife Florence and their three children until 1893 when family differences arose and there was a separation but no divorce, the wife and children continuing to live together at the old home, the Doctor boarding either at the hotel or private houses. Occasionally the daughter boarded with her father as there never was any estrangement between father and children.

After a separation of over two years the Doctor filed a divorce bill in this county upon the ground of desertion, but his wife appeared by Congressman Hamilton and filed an answer denying desertion.

The doctor then withdrew the bill. It is alleged by Florence and her children that shortly after this the doctor went to North Dakota for the purpose of procuring a divorce, and that he never became a citizen of North Dakota, and never intended to give up his residence or practice in Buchanan.

It is alleged that he left Buchanan for Fargo the latter part of September, 1898, leaving his sister in charge of his office and practice in Buchanan, the sister being a physician, and that he remained in Fargo until Dec. 30, 1898, when he filed a bill upon the ground of desertion, and immediately returned to Buchanan, resumed his practice then and continued it until his death.

The laws of North Dakota at that time required a bona fide residence of 90 days before filing a divorce bill. A divorce was granted April 14, 1899, and seven days thereafter the doctor and Mrs. Elma Duncan were married in this county.

They lived together in Buchanan as husband and wife until the doctor's death. Both wives are now living in St. Joseph.

The doctor had a certificate of insurance for \$2000 in the Modern Woodman, and one for like amount with the Banker's Life Association. The beneficiary named in each case was his father, Leonidas P. Bailey.

After the second marriage the doctor changed the beneficiary in each certificate to his second wife, Leonidas P. Bailey died last March, and an administrator of his estate was appointed.

Florence and his children claim that the divorce in Dakota was a fraud, that the second marriage was void, and that the moneys should go to the children as it was understood that between the doctor and his father that the latter should give in each case \$1000 to the daughter and \$500 apiece to the sons.

Mrs. Elma Bailey claims that the Dakota divorce was valid, and that all moneys belong to her. The administrator of Leonidas P. Bailey denies that the moneys were to go to the children, but that they were to belong to the father.

The administrator of Leonidas P. Bailey joins with Florence and her children in praying that the Fargo decree be declared void, but he denies the right of Florence and the children to share in any of the insurance moneys.

It is therefore, a pretty three cornered fight.

The insurance companies have paid the \$4000 into court to be awarded to the person or persons legally entitled to it. The orders made by the court today make Herbert Roe, administrator of Dr. Bailey, a party defendant to each bill.

Hon. J. J. VanRiper and A. A. Worthington represent Mrs. Elma Bailey.

O'Hara & O'Hara and G. H. Batchelor appear for Florence and her children.

Gore & Harvey are attorney for the administrator of Leonidas P. Bailey. Hon. N. A. Hamilton appears for Banker's Life Association.

J. W. White is attorney for the Modern Woodman.—Friday's St. Joe Herald.

### Stenographer Wanted

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### Praises Record Job Work

The National Printer Journalist for February, a leading trade journal and recognized as an authority gives the RECORD Job Department the following complimentary notice of some specimens sent for criticism:

"The ad writing on both is excellent. The effect is good. Both jobs are well composed being entirely in Schoeffer."

### Merit Wins.

Friends of Robt. R. Richards will be pleased to learn that he has accepted a position as bookkeeper and stenographer in the South Bend office of the Fullerton-Powell Hardwood Lumber Co. of South Bend and St. Louis. He entered the South Bend Commercial College in September last. His close application and diligent study contributed largely to his success in the school which secured for him the position he now holds. The company is one of the largest Wholesale Lumber Cos. in the United States, and offers good opportunities for advancement. We extend Mr. Richards our congratulations. The school is also deserving of much credit in preparing young men for such desirable positions.

### An Up-to-date Monthly

Will Carleton's magazine *Every Where*, for February, is distinctly up to date in its leading features for the month—Washington and Lincoln. The reminiscences of the great Emancipator, by Colonel J. H. Littlefield, who knew him intimately, are a distinct addition to Lincoln literature. There is also a fullpage cut of the great war-president, said by Robert Lincoln to be the best picture of his father that has ever been made. A picture of Lincoln's deathbed, from a painting by Colonel Littlefield, and never before published in any periodical, is also given, together with a view of Lincoln's old home, in Springfield. The article on the Origin of the Washington Family, is accompanied by a cut of the old Washington home in England, and the family coat of arms, upon which, the writer says, the design of the flag of United States was based. Among other features are a poem by Will Carleton, a new hymn by Fannie Crosby, new poems by Margaret E. Sangster, and a novelette by Kate Upson Clark. The subscription price is only fifty cents a year, sent to *EVERY WHERE* Publishing Co. Brooklyn, N. Y.

### School Notes.

HOWE SCHOOL

Tardiness increases fully as rapidly as the temperature decreases.

Eighth grade are studying powers and duties of Congress.

Advance arithmetic class are now at insurance.

Seventh and eighth grade geography class have completed study of Europe. Sixty-seven cities were studied. For a variation we tried writing from memory the 67 cities and the country in which located. Results: Bernice Hasset, time 6 min. 50 sec., Fred Franklin, 10 min. 40 sec.

Third grade have learned the names of the presidents.

Fifth grade have been drawing maps of Europe.

Our visitors for the past few days were School Com. Jennings and Mr. Carleton Wade.

There was no school in the afternoon of Jan. 30, as we went to hear the discussion on Centralization of Schools. We all enjoyed Supt. of Public Instruction Fall's talk.

Letters uncalled for remaining in postoffice in Buchanan, Mich. Feb. 11, 1902: A. B. Powell, Mrs. Florence Bennett, Mrs. R. T. M. Boyle, Mrs. Lucy Smith, G. W. Noble, P. M.

### COUNTY SEAT NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT

Judge Coolidge has granted a decree of divorce to Amelia Grieger from Gottlieb Greger.

Judge Coolidge has dismissed the case of The People vs Peter Flood, upon the payment of the costs, amounting to \$25.

The case of The People vs David Berlinger, who was arrested on a charge of assault and battery, was dismissed in the defendant paying the costs of \$10.

Young Boone, the colored man arrested for committing larceny from the home of J. B. Graves, was given 90 days in the county jail, by Judge Coolidge.

The case of Beckling, et al vs Vetterly and the Auditor General which was begun in the Circuit court Tuesday afternoon, was continued by agreement of the attorneys until next term of court. This is one of the most important cases, from a legal point of view, to be tried at this term of court, as it involves some very fine points of law relative to taxation and sale of property. It involves the sale of property at Vetterly Park at New Buffalo, and in a case tried at another term of court Vetterly was given a judgment and the sale affirmed. It seems that some Indiana parties dickered with Mr. Vetterly to sell the property and these suits grew out of the negotiations.

The February term of court opened Monday morning, but little business was transacted.

John Mitchell, who pleaded guilty to criminal assault, was sentenced to five years at Iona.

Burwell Hinchman vs Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Motion for new trial was taken under advisement.

The People vs Chas Frund, violation of Pure Food law, continued.

The People vs Frank Patno, larceny R. W. Shawman appointed to defend.

Other minor business was transacted and a few new cases were added to the calendar.

Court will be in session most of the week, but the jury will not be in attendance until next Monday.

### THE BAR ASSOCIATION

The county bar association met at two o'clock Monday afternoon to discuss the indeterminate sentence question and other matters.

Hon. N. A. Hamilton presided and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Geo. A. Lambert, Niles  
Treasurer, Charles Stratton, St. Joseph.

Secretary, Harris Whitney, Benton Harbor

A committee of three, G. M. Valentine, A. Plummer and Geo. Bridgman, was appointed for the arrangement of a minimum attorney's fee.

Mr. George M. Valentine opened the discussion on the intermediate sentence law which was generally discussed by the attorneys, Judge Coolidge taking part.

### NEW CASES

Lawrence C. Fyfe, acting for Mr. Higman, has begun suit in the Circuit court to have certain lands at Higman Park vacated.

Geo. P. Pullen has brought suit against the Michigan Telephone Co for damages in the sum of \$1000.

Allen Hilborn, by his attorneys has brought suit against Jesse R. Johnson to determine a strip of land between their properties on Colfax avenue in Benton Harbor. The strip is about eight feet wide and extends the entire length of the lots.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Fred Northup 20, Rose V. Walker 19, Benton Harbor.

Henry Hamlen 27, Laura Egert 22, Sodus.

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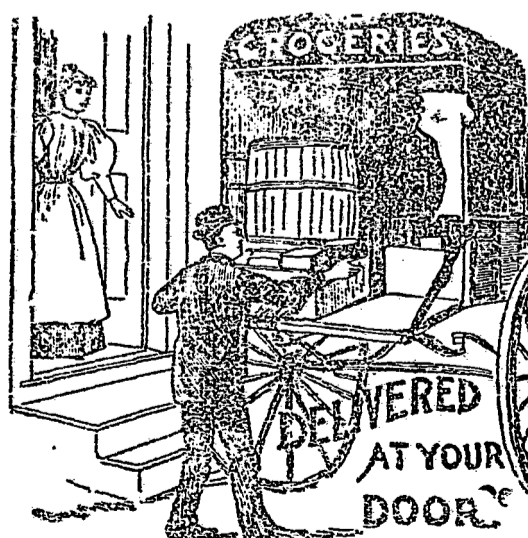


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### LOCAL NOTES

The condition of Rev. J. F. Bartmess is much improved, and it is hoped that he will continue to gain in health.

Mr. S. A. Wood was down town Monday for the first since his tussle with a carbuncle. He has had quite a siege of it, and was glad to get out.

Mrs. Wm. M. Roe received a five pound box of candy by express from her daughter, Miss Wilma, who is spending the winter in San Francisco, California.

The P. and H. Society will meet at the Larger Hope Church of Christ Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Prayer meeting at the same church Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

A little daughter arrived last Wednesday to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Franklin who reside south of town, and Grandpa and Grandma Franklin are correspondingly happy.

Sunday night, the locomotive on No. 23 the fast express going through here at 6:30 p. m. broke an axle at the Niles depot, just as the train pulled into the station, and fortunately caused but little delay.

Ex-Supervisor Carl J. Schultz of New Buffalo, was a welcome caller at the Record office Tuesday. Mr. Schultz is a candidate for County Treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Treasurer John F. Gard.

Miss Nannie Lawson has taken up the Dancing Assembly that Miss Beryl Wynn has been conducting all winter, and will give the first dance at the Opera House, Feb. 26. Music by Prof. Fred Null. Tickets 50c. Ladies free.

The Junior Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church were entertained by the Superintendents, Gertrude Simmons and Mary Miller, at the home of Mr. J. E. Miller on Front St., Saturday. Refreshments were served and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The marriage of Miss Eva Richardson and Mr. Geo. Wilson took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's sister Mrs. C. L. Bristol, No. 51 Buchard St., Battle Creek. The bride is well known in Buchanan being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson.

Do not forget the State Farmers Institute at Niles, next Monday and Tuesday. An interesting program has been prepared and a large attendance is expected. We have a limited supply of programs at the Record office, and any one interested is welcome to them as long as they last.

The Monday Literary Club entertained the 30 Club at the home of Mrs. W. F. Runner Monday evening. A pleasing program was rendered by the members. Dainty refreshments were served and a pleasant social time was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Whitman.

The 30 Club met with Miss Lotta Searls Wednesday afternoon and the following was the program: History Mrs. Bertie Smith; Paper Mrs. Florence Hall; Recitation Mrs. Hattie Kingery; Mythology Mrs. Daisy Rough; Paper Mrs. Sylvia Cook. The next meeting will be with Miss Beatrice Mansfield.

Daniel C. Higbee, for fifty-three consecutive years post-master of the village of Bertrand, died last Wednesday morning at the age of 99 years. He was probably the oldest resident of the county and in the early days of Bertrand kept the village store and was the whole thing. He has served Uncle Sam longer as postmaster than any other man in the state.

Mrs. Wm. R. Rough has just received news on Tuesday, of a serious accident to her brother, Mr. J. K. Young, of Almor, Iowa, who was here on a visit a year ago last fall. Mr. Young was kicked by a horse, the blow taking effect in his face, breaking his jaw, putting out an eye, and fracturing his skull. The injured man rested well at the last accounts, but was not considered out of danger.

Mr. Harry Howe is on the sick list.

Miss Winifred Noble is confined to her home by illness.

Mr. B. D. Harper who had a stroke of paralysis a week ago Monday, is much improved at present.

A sleigh load of young people went to Niles Tuesday evening, calling on Miss Maud Scott who formerly lived here.

Prof. R. J. Blake's Dog and Pony Show went to New Carlisle Wednesday and gave an exhibition in the afternoon and evening.

The next regular meeting of the Berrien county Medical society will be held at Lake View Hotel, St. Joseph, February 13. Dr. Wilson will read a paper on "Some Observations Gleaned in European Hospitals." Dr. C. M. Ryno will read a paper on "The Blood, Its Value in Diagnosis." It is hoped each member will enter into the discussions upon the subjects presented in these papers.

Mr. J. E. Paden, Corporation Counsel of Evanston, Ills. has rented the Kean property on Moccasin avenue for the summer and expects to occupy the same with his family this summer. The Record trusts that Mr. Paden will be so pleased with Buchanan as a summer home that he will follow the example of Postmaster J. A. Childs and purchase a summer home in our beautiful village.

Preaching morning and evening at the Methodist church by the pastor. Sunday school at 15 minutes before 12 o'clock. The papers distributed are being largely read, we hope each scholar will be on hand and not miss a number. We welcome all who are not now attending any other school. Our Home Dept. is increasing, still there is room in all departments. Epworth League service Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. Subject, "Why should the church evangelize the world?" Ref. Matt. 28:19-20; Rom. 1:14-16; Rom. 10:12-15. Leader, Hugh Kean.

### Ma a Good Showing

Mr. J. D. Lyon, buttermaker of the Buchanan Creamery sent a package of creamery butter to the Dairymen's Convention at Lansing and is highly pleased to receive notice that the entry scored 94 points, which is considered an excellent scoring. This showing speaks well for Buchanan Creamery and Butter Maker Lyon.

### A Close Shave

Last Wednesday evening the fast New York express No. 4 passing here about 7:30 p. m. on the Michigan Central had a close call from a terrible accident.

The big snow storms had kept the snow plows busy on the road and the "flogger" was just returning from a trip to Niles when it struck the switch just east of the Buchanan depot and jumped over to the east bound track. The brakeman had just time to catch a lantern and run down the track to signal No. 4 which was coming at a lively rate being a little behind time. The engineer succeeded in stopping the train just as it reached the "flogger." Had there been fifty seconds delay a terrible wreck would have occurred as this train is always well filled with passengers and is one of the fastest trains on the road.

Dr. McIlraith's lecture belongs to the highest type of illustrated narratives. The press and the pulpit wherever he is known, have been enthusiastic in recommending him to the public attention. Since he returned to Chicago in 1899 millions have thronged to see him and have listened with wonder to the description of his marvellous experiences while travelling through China. We trust the people of Buchanan are aware that he is to be here Thursday evening of this week. The illustrations begin at 8:15 p. m.

FOR SALE—A soap for lice on stock. Enquire of E. J. Long, Niles, Mich.

NOTICE—All prohibition and friends of the temperance cause are cordially invited to meet at the Evangelical lecture room on Saturday evening Feb. 15. There will be a lecture given Monday evening by F. T. Corbett of Adrian, Mich. The place of meeting to be decided upon later and made public.

M. S. MEAD.

### For He's Only One.

"That policeman's wife treats him almost disdainfully."  
"Well, he's only a copper."  
"I know that, but—"  
"So she can't be blamed for not carrying two cents about him."

## OBITUARY

Mrs. H. N. Mowery

Lydia Ann Harding was born July 3, 1833, at Lakeville, Livingston Co., New York State.

She was married to William Remington July 8, 1855. They removed to Buchanan, Mich. in 1865. In 1865 she was left a widow with two sons, Orrin W. and Elmer E. Remington. She was married to Hiram N. Mowery in 1867, who had three children by his first wife, Josephine Lister, Nellie Fuller and Anna Barr. As a result of their second marriage there was born unto them four daughters, Hattie Bell Blake, Ida Bishop, Maud S. Peck and Lona Mowery who died at the age of 14 years.

Sister Mowery formerly was a member of the Christian church, but in 1865 united with the Advent Christian church, where she remained a consistent and devoted member, greatly beloved to the time of her death, which occurred February 7th, 1902, a faithful and loving wife, kind and affectionate mother. Her sufferings were severe and protracted but borne with patience, but she longed for rest.

### A DISAPPEARING RIVER.

Stream in Utah Flows Into Enormous Hole in the Ground.

F. H. Hitchcock of Washington, one of the subchiefs of the department of agriculture, lately returned from a 17,000 mile trip down the Atlantic coast into Mexico, up the Pacific coast, and finally home across the northern part of the United States.

He was one of a party from the department on an investigating trip. They discovered many remarkable things, he says, but the most astonishing was a river which disappears midway in its course during the summer season.

The river is known as the Dry Fork, in northwestern Utah, a tributary to Ashley creek. So far as is known, his party is the first to have reported the existence of the stream.

About fourteen miles from its source in the Uinta mountains the stream reaches a large basin or sink, whose walls are from seventy-five to one hundred feet high. The pool is apparently bottomless and the water in it revolves with a slow, circular motion, caused either by the incoming flood or by suction from below. The only visible outlet to this pool is a narrow rock channel, from which a little water flows, but which is soon lost to sight a few hundred yards below.

A measurement of the main stream just above the pool showed a volume of ninety-six cubic feet of water passing each second, but this entire flood disappears in the basin. The stream bed for miles below is perfectly dry.

About seven miles below this interesting pool are several springs. It is thought that the water which disappears in the upper pools flows underground deep below in the gravels which form the bed of the stream, says the New York Times, and in times of rainfall heavier than usual appears again in part in the large springs below.

### MAKING CHINESE MATCHES.

Primitive Conditions That Prevail in the Native Factories.

The men and women employed in the Chinese factories have long hours and poor pay, and they suffer much from the sulphur fumes. The Chinese care little for human life, and almost no precautions are taken to lessen risks. No foreigners are employed, and the heartless native overseers have full sway. There is one redeeming feature, however, of this industry. The matchboxes are largely made at the homes of the factory girls. They go to the factory and receive a certain amount of prepared box materials, "in the flat"—that is, the thin pieces of board and the sanded and the stamped paper covers, which when "assembled" constitute a match box. At their own homes they sit down beside a pot of paste and begin the long day's work of pasting together these parts and placing them in the sun to dry. When several hundred of these are completed they pile them upon a board, lay another board on top of the stack, then tie them tightly with a small rope, and, lurching them on their backs, trudge off to the factory. There the boxes are counted, and the number entered in a book against the monthly settlement day.

### How Men Love Each Other.

It was Charley's first game of golf. His patient friend had taken him sadly around the eighteen holes and watched him hack the ball into small bits and cut up the green as though it had been plowed by scorpions. After the game Charley and his patient friend were talking to a few of the golfers on the club house veranda.

"That was a beautiful shot you made this afternoon, Charley," said the patient friend.

Charley brightened up and flushed happily, while the young women looked at him admiringly. "Which one?" he asked eagerly.

"Why," said the patient friend, "the time you hit the ball."—Chicago Tribune.

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### START OF OUR SHOE TRADE.

A Model of the Original Factory to Be Exhibited in Boston.

There is to be a shoe and leather exposition in Boston, which continues to be the chief market of boots and shoes in the United States, and one feature of it is to be a reproduction of the original shoe factory in the United States which is still standing.

For many years after the settlement of the American colonies no attempt was made to manufacture boots or shoes for the market, footwear being imported from England and France. This was a period of handmade shoes exclusively, and in towns large enough to have a local shoemaker he supplied all the needs of the inhabitants. In towns not large enough to sustain a village cobbler a traveling shoemaker went from place to place, stopping a day or week at each.

So far as is known, the first shoe factory in Massachusetts was situated in Danvers, not far from the historic house in which General Port of Revolutionary War fame was born. As early as 1786 various shoemakers were at work currying, cutting and shoemaking at the original factory in Danvers.

The original shoe factory of Danvers, can, it is said, be reproduced without undue expense, and as the boot and shoe interest in Massachusetts is now not only well established but enjoying an unusual amount of commercial prosperity, with a larger foreign market than it ever had before, it is thought probable that the exhibition will be representative in many respects.

The chief countries to which American shoes are sent are Australia, England, the West Indies, Cape Town, Mexico and Canada.

### ALONG THE UPPER NILE.

Grand and Imposable Temples at Abu-Simbal.

A trip along the upper Nile, through Nubia, gives the sight of many ruins—the temple at Abu-Simbal proving the most noted object. There were two of these rock temples built by Rameses II., the inscriptions in Greek dating from 502 B. C., telling that when Psammeticus came to Elephantine, the writers—giving their names—also went to that place by way of Kerkis. But far more grand and imposing is the one to be seen at Abu-Simbal, being cut from the solid rock, or, rather, built into its steep face. The facade itself is formed by cutting away a square space 100 feet, having a cornice of seated cynocephali—truly a magnificent setting for so imposing a structure. The entrance is flanked by four colossal of Rameses, while over the portal in a niche stands the sun god Ra, towering in majesty above the others. One can form an idea of their size by saying that one big toe nail of Rameses afforded me a very comfortable seat. The figures are well preserved, one figure alone being minus its head and arms.

### Weird Public Plays.

We have had tournaments in shaving, plowing, incubation and the dressing of dolls, and if human progress goes much further we may look forward at no distant date to a match of manicurists, a champion contest of burglars at so much a head, or a grand challenge wager in the opening of sardine tins. But it would take a Max Nordau to say how far down the scale of evolution we must rank the game of ping-pong, or to classify in strict scientific terms the genius who threatens us with a public display of it in town.—Pall Mall Gazette.

### An Excusable Mistake.

Telegraph operator—I am sorry, sir, but the rules of this company make it impossible for me to send you message "collect;" that privilege we are not allowed to extend to absolute strangers.

Applicant—Do you mean for me to understand by that that you can't trust me?

Telegraph Operator—Under the circumstances, sir, it is impossible for me to do so.

Applicant—Well, that gets the best of me! I thought, of all places on the face of the earth, a telegraph office was the likeliest to get anything on tick.

### An Interesting Meeting

There will be held at the Agricultural College, for the four days beginning Tuesday, February 25, a joint meeting of the Michigan Political Science Association and the Farmers' Institutes. The railroads have granted a rate of one fare for the round trip, not to be less than a cent and a half a mile. The legislature is not in session and the hotel accommodations in Lansing are abundant, with rates reasonable. The street car service to the College is much improved, and will be satisfactory, giving us a twenty minute service.

There will be class work and demonstrations in cooking, sewing, grafting and stock judging each morning from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock. The program includes addresses by distinguished scientists and statesmen, among which are Honorable James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, Honorable Gifford Pinchot, Chief of Forestry Division, Washington D. C., and Honorable E. A. Prouty, of the Interstate Commerce, Washington, D. C., Honorable Geo. C. Creelman, Toronto, Ontario, Professor Graham Taylor, Chicago, Superintendent of Public Instruction A. G. Harvey, of Wisconsin, and Presidents Angell, of the University, and Snyder, of the Agricultural College.

On Thursday and Friday the sessions are given up to a discussion of live topics, in which every visiting delegate is expected to take part. Last year we had a very large audience, but we are prepared for a still larger one this year. The Board extends a cordial invitation to your readers to visit the College on that occasion and take part in the delightful program provided.

For programs and farther particulars write to

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### Seeking a Word.

Marconi's invention has set the officials of the navy and signal service, where his system is in use, hunting for a new word. They are casting about for a short and simple term to stand for the laborious expression now employed: "A message transmitted by wireless telegraph."

One genius of the war department suggests: "Atmospherogram." A student of natural forces in the navy believes that "Etherogram" would be better. "Aerogram" and "Airgram" quite as convenient as telegram and cablegram," find much favor, but General Greely, chief of the signal service, has not taken kindly enough to these to advocate their use in official reports, and therefore their adoption into the language.

"Marconigram" has been suggested by an ingenious layman, who says that no matter what term is officially coined, the popular word will always be "wireless."

### NEW ORNAMENTS.

A pepper box in the shape of a swan in odd Dutch silver.

Flower holders in the shape of white glass storks with pink legs and bill.

Mounted as a stick pin, a single pink rose petal, in the center a whole pearl.

A soft pillow, made of yellow and red cigar ribbons with a black satin ruffle.

Jewel boxes in silver filagree work, heart shaped, and lined with pale blue velvet.

A white linen box lined with pink satin with a pen and ink sketch on the lid.

A crystal inkwell with a little red lamp in a peaked cap curled upon the silver lid.

Fans of duchesse lace with mother of pearl sticks with forget-me-nots painted on them.

Oriental tea bell of rose-colored glass, a tiny rooster perched on top, and a chicken's claw for a clapper.





# BETRAYED HIS TRUST

Criminal Management of the Funds of a Bank Brings Disgrace and Ruin.

## MAN WHO DID IT IS UNDER ARREST

While Ruin Stares in the Face Hundreds of Depositors Who Lose Their All.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 11.—Vice President Frank C. Andrews, of the City Savings bank, which was put into the hands of State Banking Commissioner George L. Maltz yesterday morning, was arrested late yesterday afternoon and arraigned at 9:30 p. m. on the charge of "willfully, fraudulently and knowingly" securing from the bank, without security, and without the knowledge of the other directors, a sum exceeding \$1,000,000. He was released on \$10,000 bail, and his examination was set for Feb. 21. Cashier Henry C. Andrews, through whom F. C. Andrews is said to have secured the money, by means of overdrafts and certified checks, is seriously ill at his home with nervous prostration.

What the Investigation Developed. As soon as Commissioner Maltz took charge of the institution he began an examination of its books. It was found that Cashier Andrews had permitted F. C. Andrews to overdraw his account \$914,000. Other liabilities brought F. C. Andrews' total indebtedness to the bank up to \$1,138,000. In addition to this Cashier Andrews had certified to checks for F. C. Andrews, which he had deposited in other banks, to the amount of \$662,000. The examination showed that the record of F. C. Andrews' transactions was not kept in the regular way, but in a memorandum book. The first record of a transaction between Cashier Andrews and F. C. Andrews is Jan. 11, but the examiner's estimate that the transactions have been going on for about six weeks.

How the Game Was Played. President F. C. Pingree explained the manner in which the certified checks were obtained as follows: "F. C. Andrews would draw a check for the amount he wanted and have it certified by the cashier, Henry C. Andrews. He would present this certified check to the person with whom he was doing business, and ask him to hold it out for that day, as the bank was not in funds to meet it. Perhaps he would thus hold it out for two or three days, and eventually when there was money enough in the bank to meet the check, he would go in and take it out. There would be only a slip of paper in the drawer, and the withdrawal would be put down as a cash item. With this money he would in person pay the certified check and tear it up. This was done time and again.

## PUBLIC FUNDS ON DEPOSIT

Official Bodies Had About \$600,000 in the Bank—Arrest of Andrews.

The City Savings bank was the depository for the funds of the county auditors, their balance there being more than \$150,000, and F. C. Andrews was arrested on a complaint sworn out by Auditor Christian. The warrant was served on Andrews, who is commissioner of police, by two of his own detectives, in the office of the Detroit Trust company, where he had been in consultation with officers of the banks holding his certified checks. The City Savings bank was also the depository for the board of education, which had a total of \$407,000 on deposit.

At a meeting of the clearing-house association yesterday afternoon the following statement on the suspension was issued: "The disaster which has today befallen the City Savings bank is the result of criminal irregularities confined entirely to that institution, and caused by the rash speculation of its vice president, who controlled the management and betrayed his trust. The bank has been expelled from the association. The officers of this association desire to state to the public that there is no need of apprehension regarding any other bank in the city. The present condition of the banks, as shown by the weekly statements furnished to the clearing house, reveals an unusually strong showing in reserve and cash resources, and the fair name and good reputation of the banks of Detroit will not suffer by reason of this trouble."

There was nothing like a panic at any of the other banks in the city; and comparatively few deposits were withdrawn as a result of the excitement. At the Grandt avenue branch of the City Savings bank, which drew its deposits largely from the laboring people, there were many pathetic scenes as the depositors learned that the bank had suspended. Officers were in the vicinity to quell any disorder, but their services were not necessary at any time.

Unfortunate speculations, especially heavy purchases of Amalgamated Copper stock, are believed to be responsible for Andrews' ruin. President F. C. Pingree, of the City Savings bank, says Andrews told him that he had lost \$400,000 in Amalgamated Copper. Andrews has refused to make any statement as yet, either in regard to his failure or the bank's suspension. Andrews has been heavily interested in suburban electric roads and at present is a large stockholder in the road being constructed from Holland to Grand Rapids in this state. Last night Andrews resigned as police commissioner and Mayor Maybury immediately appointed George Fowle as his successor.

Although no warrant has yet been issued for Henry R. Andrews an officer is stationed at his home as a guard. H. R. Andrews is in a serious condition. In addition to the nervous prostration he has had a severe attack of heart trouble. Much sympathy is expressed for Cashier Andrews, who (it is understood, became involved in the alleged fraudulent transactions through friendship for F. C. Andrews, and did not profit by them himself.

## EX-QUEEN TO VISIT AMERICA

Marriage of Italy Will Travel in the United States Incognito, Rome, Feb. 7.—Naval officers are striving for the honor of conveying Dowager Queen Margherita to America, on the occasion of her forthcoming



DOWAGER QUEEN MARGHERITA. Her tour of the United States, but she has decided to preserve her incognito by taking an Atlantic liner from England for New York.

The dowager queen desires to visit the United States was revived recently through a conversation with Mme. Yistori, the tragedienne, whose 80th birthday was celebrated a few days ago. The famous actress described the wonders of the new world to the queen in glowing terms. While in the United States the queen will live under the name of Countess Stupinigi.

## CONGRESS IN BRIEF

Synopsis of the Proceedings in the Senate and the House—Bills and Resolutions.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The senate yesterday nearly completed the Philippine tariff bill, all the committee amendments being adopted. Hansbrough spoke for irrigation of arid lands. Scott of West Virginia spoke at length in favor of the San Blas route for the isthmian canal. An executive session was held.

The house spent the day on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill. Seventy-four of the 130 pages of the bill were disposed of before adjournment.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The Philippine tariff bill was taken up in the Senate yesterday. Mr. Turner of Washington delivered a carefully prepared attack on the Philippine policy and had not concluded when the bill was laid aside for the day. After the adoption of some amendments the pension appropriation bill was passed. An amendment prohibits the collection of a fee for services in the passage of the private pension bill. An executive session was held. Adjourned to Monday.

The house passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, the second of the regular supply bills. It carries \$25,171,969. An amendment was adopted authorizing the president in his discretion to cover into the civil service the temporary clerical force employed on account of the war with Spain.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The house Saturday devoted an hour to the transaction of minor business, and the remainder of the day to eulogies on the life and public services of the late Representative Burke of Texas.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Throughout nearly the entire session of the senate yesterday the Philippine tariff bill was under consideration. Turner (Wash.) concluded his speech against the government policy. Teller took the floor and began a speech on the pending measure. An executive session was held.

General debate on the oleomargarine bill was closed yesterday in the house. The friends of the bill have decided to offer an amendment to make the 10 cent tax apply to oleomargarine in imitation of butter, "of any shade of yellow."

Washington, Feb. 11.—At the conclusion of routine business in the senate forty minutes were devoted to the consideration of bills on the calendar, exclusive of private pension bills. Upon the request of Hoar the senate proceeded to the consideration of a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States respecting the commencement and termination of congress, changing the date of the inauguration of the president and vice president from March 4 to the last Thursday in April at noon, the commencement and termination of congresses to occur at the same time.

Stewart protested against the passage of the resolution, but by vote the senate overruled his objection and adopted the resolution by the necessary two-thirds vote.

Some routine business preceded the resumption of the consideration of the oleomargarine bill in the house. The senate amendments to the pension appropriation bill were non-concurred in and the bill was sent to conference. General debate having closed on the oleomargarine bill, it was read for amendment under the five-minute rule.

## Superintendent Lake Shore Road.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 11.—W. H. Marshall has been appointed general superintendent of the Lake Shore road, to succeed A. E. Smith, who was recently appointed general superintendent of the New York Central lines. A circular will be issued making formal announcement of Mr. Marshall's appointment within a day or two. Mr. Marshall has filled the position of superintendent of motive power for the Lake Shore for a number of years past. It is understood that H. F. Ball will succeed Mr. Marshall in the motive power department.

## Minnesota Pioneer Dead.

St. Paul, Feb. 11.—Robert L. Deakin, aged 68 years, a well-known pioneer and legislator, and famous as a legislative reading clerk, died at his home in this city after a brief illness. His wife died Feb. 1, and a few hours later Mr. Deakin, while standing by her dead body, was stricken by paralysis, gradually sinking until death came to his relief.

## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Items Which Are of Special Interest to Our Readers.

Happenings Throughout the State Received by Telegraph and Put in Type.

Detroit, Feb. 10.—General R. A. Alger, who has about recovered from his recent illness, while speaking last night of the necessity of reforesting the barren lands of Michigan and other states, said that Germany's system in maintaining the Black Forest should be carried out in the pine barrens of the United States, and especially in Michigan. He announced that he would be one of a commission to go to Germany at his own expense to thoroughly investigate the system in the Black Forest, and apply it to Michigan. General Alger said that if it were successful in Michigan there was no reason why all the northern timber-bearing states should not adopt it. He also advocated the plan of bringing experienced foresters to this country from Germany to superintend the work.

## And She Is a Detroit Woman.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Wells Gallup, whose recent work on the bilateral cipher of Francis Bacon has excited much controversy in England between the Shakespearean and Baconian believers in the authorship of the Shakespeare plays, is a resident of Detroit. For some time she was an assistant to Dr. Owens in his Shakespearean researches, wherein he endeavored to demonstrate the Baconian theory of authorship. Mrs. Gallup's professed application of the bilateral cipher of Bacon to the plays and to works of Spenser, Marlowe, Greene, Peele, Burton and Pope and the alleged unearthing thereby not only the alleged buried secret of Bacon's authorship of these works, but also his alleged illegitimate kinship to Queen Elizabeth, has made her the subject of much unfavorable criticism.

## Chicago Woman Found at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Sarah Benedict, an aged woman who disappeared from the residence of her daughter, Stella M. Benedict, in Chicago, arrived in Detroit and wandered about in the cold until past midnight when she was found by a policeman. She was suffering from cold and exposure. She is in charge of the matron, who is awaiting word from Chicago.

## Young Man With a Past.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.—Albert Dempsey, a young man with a police record, was shot in the head by Patrolman Nelson Saturday morning while he and Frank J. Hines, his pal, were resisting the officer. Dempsey died shortly afterward in the emergency hospital. The men were wanted by the police, and the officer had instructions to bring them in. The shooting occurred in front of Hine's home, on Seventeenth street.

## DRANK TO HIS MEMORY IN WATER

Zach Chandler Club So Honors the Toast to William McKinley.

Lapeer, Mich., Feb. 7.—The annual banquet of the Zach Chandler club at the opera house Wednesday night was a brilliant success. Three hundred plates were laid. Ex-Governor Rich was toastmaster. One of the oratorical efforts of note was that of Hon. W. W. Vedemeyer on "Our Martyred President."

At the close of Vedemeyer's remarks Toastmaster Rich requested the audience to rise and drink water to the man who had more friends and fewer enemies than any other man of whom history gives account—William McKinley.

Hon. H. R. Pattengill, of Lansing; Chief Justice J. B. Moore, Hon. John L. Preston, of Port Huron; Homer Warren and Robert Murray, of Detroit, and leading local Republicans were heard.

## School House Goes Up in Smoke.

Nashville, Mich., Feb. 8.—The Union school building has been destroyed by fire. It was all on fire when discovered, and is a total loss with contents. The building was a three-story brick and cost over \$10,000 about twelve years ago. Insurance \$6,000 on building, \$2,000 on contents. Arrangements are being made to have school open again in a few days, and a handsome new building will be erected in the spring.

## Woman of 104 Passes Away.

Jackson, Mich., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Hannah Torrans, mother of the late Mrs. Mary T. Lathrap, died at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. H. M. Ashley, wife of the general manager of the Toledo and Ann Arbor railroad, in Toledo, Tuesday, aged 104 years. This remarkable woman was born June 13, 1797, in a small town near Belfast, Ireland, and has consequently lived in three centuries.

## Dempsey May Possibly Recover.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 11.—Albert Dempsey, who was shot in the head early Sunday by Patrolman Nelson, and who was later erroneously reported dead at the emergency hospital, has a slight chance for recovery. His condition, however, is very critical.

## Left Her Children Alone.

Traverse City, Mich., Feb. 7.—A Leelanau county Polish woman named Poplinski left her two little children alone in the house and returning found them on fire. Both burned to death before she could extinguish the flames.

## Why Miss Stone Is Held.

London, Feb. 11.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Daily Chronicle, describing the recent futile attempt to ransom Miss Stone, the captive American missionary, says: "When the American delegates with the ransom left the railroad at Zeres by carriage they had an escort of thirty cavalrymen. But as they advanced into Macedonia the number of this escort was increased from all the military posts along the route. Small detachments joined the cavalcade until, arriving at Djumbala, it was stronger than a squadron on war footing."

## TAKES HER GIRL HOME

After Declaring That She Would Not Pathetic Scene in Court.

Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 11.—Deserted even by her mother, her charges repudiated by a jury, and with shame and sorrow attached to her name, Mary Hoffman walked into the poor office with her nameless babe in her arms and asked for aid. It was a sad finale to a sensational suit. Mary Hoffman sued John A. MacAuley, a business man, for damages, charging him with being the father of her child. The twelve men listened to the testimony, and decided that the girl had erred, and returned a verdict of no cause for action.

The young woman went into hysterics, and the mother, who had been in the court room with her during the trial, disowned her on the spot. She spent the night in jail, the officers taking a charitable interest in her. The mother returned later and took her erring girl home. The family is in straitened circumstances, and the poor commission will lend whatever aid is needed. The child is several months old.

## BY THE SKIN OF THEIR TEETH

Five Men at Red Jacket Shaft of the Calumet and Hecla Mine Death.

Calumet, Mich., Feb. 10.—Five men employed at the Red Jacket shaft of the Calumet and Hecla mine had a hair-breadth escape from a terrible death a few days ago. The men were clustered about the cable supporting a 3,000-gallon water baler, which was being hoisted to the surface. As the top of the shaft was neared the brakes on the 2,000-horse-power engine refused to work, and the men were shot within two feet of the head sheave at the top of the shafthouse.

The engineer understood the perilous position in which the men were placed, and, reversing his lever, he instantly turned on a full head of steam, which had the desired effect, and at once stopped the ponderous hoisting engine, and saved the men from being crushed to death.

## WIFE SHOTS HER HUSBAND.

Has a Bullet in His Head the Doctors Can't Find.

East Jordan, Mich., Feb. 8.—James Coates, who was shot by his wife Thursday, still has the bullet in his head, and the doctors can't find it. Notwithstanding, Coates was still alive and conscious yesterday morning. The married life of James and wife has not been a happy one, and their separations have been many. The last separation occurred several weeks ago. Mrs. Coates sent for Coates to see their sick child. The wife asked to be taken home. Coates refused, and turned to leave, whereupon Mrs. Coates drew a revolver and shot her husband in the back of the head. Coates tied a handkerchief around his head and walked to the surgeon's office, where the probe failed to locate the ball. Mrs. Coates was promptly put under arrest.

## Jersey City Has a \$550,000 Blaze.

New York, Feb. 10.—Fire started early yesterday in the freight piers of the Lehigh Valley railroad, Jersey City, entailing a loss roughly estimated at from \$250,000 to \$300,000. Two piers, two warehouses and about 1,000 barrels of flour were destroyed.

## Two Rear Admirals Retired.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Saturday was the last day in active service of Rear Admirals William T. Sampson and Bartlett Cromwell, and Saturday the names of both were placed on the retired list, on account of their having reached the age of 62 years.

## FAMOUS VIVANDIERE DEAD.

Mme. Vialar Noted French Army Nurse, A Heroine of the Crimea.

Mme. Vialar, who died recently, was "premiere cantiniere de France," a title given her by the minister of war in 1855, for the care she took of wounded soldiers in the Crimea. Other cantinieres were probably just as heroic, but they did not command attention to the same degree by their beauty.

Mme. Vialar was 22 when she went to the Crimea, and had the features, especially the magnificent eyes full of resolute expression, that would have made the fortune of a theatrical Boadicea or Joan of Arc. She was decorated under fire by Marshal Canrobert with the military medal. During the siege of Paris she was in the affair of L'Hay and Les Hautes Bruyeres, and then served in ambulances. When Thiers, or rather Barthelemy-St. Hilaire, decided that the vivandieres must no longer move with the regiment Mme. Vialar retired with a fairly good income to her native place.

She scarcely knew how to write, says a Paris correspondent of the London News. Her criticism of "La Debacle" was: "Any one who has been through a war can tell at once that Zola knows nothing about it, but that would not matter if he only knew how to entertain his readers."

## Bad Air and the Eyes.

The purity and temperature of the air are of great importance to the eyes. It may be charged with dust, smoke, acid vapors or sharp particles; it may produce irritation or inflammation, either directly, or when the eyes are tired and heated, by abstracting too much warmth from them. Persons whose occupations expose them much to dust should often wash the eyes with cold water. Clean river water, or when it contains only a small quantity of mineral matter, clean spring water, is the best for this purpose. Spring water which contains much lime should be boiled before being used. When the body is heated care should be taken that the water is not too cold. Washing with hot water relaxes the eyes, renders them predisposed to inflammation, and, as a rule, should only be practiced in disease or by the direction of a surgeon.

## Never Sulted Him.

"She has never given her husband a Christmas present that he could receive with entire satisfaction. One year she gave him some horridly colored neckties; another time a box of cheap cigars, and the present she gave him last year almost drove the poor man to distraction."

## "What was the gift?"

"She calls it an easy chair."

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## Friction Caused By Fire.

"I hope there will be no friction," said Representative Wadsworth to Representative Sherman the other day. "Friction?" said Sherman. "Did you ever hear of the farmer up in the Mohawk valley whose barn burned down and who could not collect from the insurance company?"

"I come from the Genesee valley, where such things do not happen," said Wadsworth, gravely.

"Huh!" retorted Sherman. "I'll tell it, anyway. The farmer went to the office of the insurance company and demanded his money."

"Nothing doing," said the manager. "The fire was caused by friction, and friction doesn't go."

"Friction?" expostulated the farmer, "no such thing!"

"Oh, yes," and the manager smiled grimly. "It was the friction caused by rubbing a \$3,000 policy against a \$2,000 barn."

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## Rudyard on Golf.

"I see that Studyard Kipling speaks of the 'muddled oafs at the goals.' That's something new, ain't it?"

"Yaas, I think so. I fancy it's Scotch. All the original golf stuff is Scotch, you know. I'll awsk our instructor. He's Scotch, too."

"Well, what do you suppose it means?"

"I'm blest if I know. 'Muddled' is 'mixed up,' ain't it? And 'oaf'—say, that must be short Scotch for 'loaf.' And a 'muddled oaf' is a fellow who plays lazily, so lazily that he gets a little mixed, see?"

"What mixes him?" "Scotch highballs, of course. Let's have one."

## The Home of Mrs. Gamp.

Perhaps nothing makes one realize more the extent to which London manners have changed during the past thirty or forty years than the disappearance one after another of Dickens' landmarks. Take, for instance, some of the recent demolitions which have been brought about by the county council's scheme for a Strand to Holborn thoroughfare. Only a few weeks ago the writer went to look once again at the barber's shop in Kingsgate street, High Holborn, over which Mrs. Gamp was wont to dwell. The whole of Kingsgate street has now disappeared.—Templeton.

## Pepto Quinine Tablets cure a cold.